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# VETERANS' LOAN MEASURE SWEEPS HOUSE

## *Bullington's Oil Testimony Brings Protest From Britan, Holland*

## City Council Gives Views On Gas Rates

### History of Rate Making Reviewed and Charges Compared; Nelson And Fairtrace Go to Abilene

Mayor Walter Nelson Jr. and City Manager George D. Fairtrace were delegated by the city council at its meeting Monday night to represent this city at a meeting to be held in Abilene Wednesday night when representatives of numerous cities and towns are expected to formulate protests against current gas rates.

Incident to the general agitation now prevalent in North and West Texas over prevalent gas rates and January bills, and with reference to local discussion of that subject, the council issued the following statement:

"To the Citizens of Wichita Falls:

"Inasmuch as public attention is being called throughout our section of the state to prevailing charges for fuel gas, and particularly to the rendered bills for January in Wichita Falls; and since definite and immediate action toward a downward revision of such rates is being urged publicly in this city, we believe our citizenship should know the situation more fully, and should know the disposition of the city government toward the matter.

**City Made Investigation**

"The so-called 'issue' raised by the rendition of January gas bills, and the 'investigation' which is urged for a study of the problem, have in them nothing of new phases so far as the present city council is concerned. Not only has this matter been under close and constant observation by members of the council individually for many months, but the city manager has been supported in a thorough statewide investigation of public utilities. Authentic figures have been obtained on the basis of which accurate comparison can be drawn between the situation in Wichita Falls and that in numerous other cities. This is true not only of gas, but of other utilities such as electric current, water, telephones, etc.

"The origin of our local rates, and the history of other recent attempts to effect legally a reduction of existing rates under city franchises, should be considered in connection with our present situation.

"The ready to serve charge and the graduated rate on gas which prevails in Wichita Falls now were fixed and approved by the railroad commission of this state at a public hearing held in November, 1923. The city of Wichita Falls was represented in that hearing by the then city attorney, W. E. George, aided by other able local counsel.

"The same major company which furnishes gas for consumption in this city furnishes it for practically all the larger cities in this section. Local distributing companies draw their supplies from the same major concern.

"With a domestic rate somewhat lower than that prevalent in Wichita Falls today, the city of Fort Worth a few years ago resolved to obtain a reduction in rate by legal action. The case was taken before the railroad commission, and a decision favoring the city was returned. Taking the case before a federal court, however, the gas company obtained an injunction restraining Fort Worth and the railroad commission from carrying out the proposed reduction. Carrying its action through the courts, the gas company obtained permission to increase its rates above the figure prevalent before litigation had been inaugurated. The city of Fort Worth is reported to have spent far more than $100,000 in a futile effort to reduce current gas rates.

**Comparative Rates**

"A similar effort was contemplated, and was begun, at Waco. After extended controversy, a compromise was accepted by that city, carrying with it an increase almost identical with that imposed upon Fort Worth. Shortly after the Fort Worth case was closed, Dallas accepted an upward revision of rates without any recourse to legal strife.

"The result of these efforts to change situations which parallel the existing situation in Wichita Falls may easily be read in gas rates prevalent in those three cities before and after the 'issue' was taken to the courts. On the basis of surveys taken in 444 cities and towns of the state, the average domestic consumer uses 5,000 cubic feet of gas monthly. On that amount of fuel, the following table shows the changes made following Fort Worth's effort to obtain a reduction:

| | Old Rate 5000 cu. ft. | New Rate 5000 cu. ft. |
|---|---|---|
| Fort Worth | $3.37 | $3.95 |
| Dallas | $3.37 | $3.95 |
| Waco | $3.37½ | *$3.90 |
| Wichita Falls | $3.37 | |

*With minimum of $1.00 per month.

"Under the revised rates, it is apparent that large consumers were given a slightly lowered charge, while the great mass of users, the domestic consumers, received a material increase in rate. For on amounts of 50,000 cubic feet, the following comparison may be shown:

| | Old Rate | New Rate |
|---|---|---|
| Fort Worth | $37.50 | $36.07 |
| Dallas | $37.50 | $32.89 |
| Waco | $37.50 | $32.54 |
| Wichita Falls | $34.25 | |

**Council's Attitude**

"In view of the manner in which our present charges for gas were established, and in view of the results which followed Fort Worth's effort to amend the fixed schedule of rates, the members of the city council are convinced that it is impossible to obtain a reduction of such charges at this time. Federal court decisions already recorded confirm the validity of existing franchises and the right of the gas company to maintain their present schedule of rates.

"The city council, and other city officials, are purposed to obtain the maximum reduction possible, not only on gas but on all utilities, when the time comes for such efforts to be launched with any hope of success. Any alteration of present rates seems impossible of

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## She'll Be Queen of Madri Gras Fete

The highest honor that can come to any Southern debutante has been won by Miss Gladys Gelpi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Gelpi of New Orleans, who has been chosen queen of the New Orleans Mardi Gras carnival. Socially prominent throughout the South, Miss Gelpi is considered a typical Southern beauty. Unlike last year's queen, she is a brunet.

## TAXPAYERS TO MEET TONIGHT

### Speakers to Discuss Growth Of Truck Lines

A mass meeting of taxpayers of Wichita Falls has been called by the local organization of the Texas State Highway Protective association for 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the Memorial auditorium, according to an announcement of E. J. McDonald, chairman. The purpose of the meeting, Mr. McDonald said, is to show taxpaying citizens that highways of the state are being utilized unfairly by motor trucks and buses for commercial purposes.

A major matter to be discussed at the meeting is the pending legislation to safeguard highways and to govern operations of motor buses and trucks on the highways. A program of entertainment has been arranged and a band concert of 15-piece band of the Childress office of the Fort Worth and Denver is to be featured. One of the principal speakers to appear on the program will be W. C. Hendrix of Ennis, Texas, railroad engineer of the Southern Pacific system.

A meeting of employes of railroads here was held in the superintendent's office of the M-K-T Monday night to discuss and arrange plans for the mass meeting to be held Tuesday.

An invitation has been extended all taxpayers to attend the meeting at the Memorial auditorium Tuesday night.

### Parachute Experimenter Burned by Live Wire

FORT WORTH, Feb. 16. (UP)—Burned by high voltage wires as he was testing an experimental parachute, Adolphus Glisson, 15, was in a serious condition at a hospital tonight. The youthful inventor had climbed a highline standard to make a test jump when he fell against the live wire. He was burned and knocked to the ground 30 feet below.

## *Southern Senators Stay Dry*

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—Democratic party leaders were given notice today by southern senators that they would bitterly oppose any attempt to adopt a wet plank at the 1932 national convention.

Their attitude was made known during a rough and tumble dispute over prohibition among senate Democrats.

Chairman Raskob of the Democratic national committee and Jouett Shouse, chairman of the executive committee, were the targets of irate southern drys led by Senators Sheppard of Texas and Morrison of North Carolina.

As the tumult died down, the senate adopted a resolution by Senator Tydings, Democrat, Maryland, requesting the Wickersham commission to give the senate the secret testimony it received in preparing its recent prohibition report. It was adopted without debate.

Senator Sheppard, co-author of the 18th amendment, provoked the row by calling on Shouse to name the states the latter said had turned against prohibition and whose delegates would have a majority in the next national convention.

The Texan predicted the party would not go "wet."

### Maniac Killer Warns Of Shootings to Come

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (INS)—The maniac who styles himself 3-X and who credits himself with the murder of two men last summer in Queens has written another long letter to the New York Evening Journal announcing a coming series of killings, and again apologizing for not carrying out his last promise to kill a man. The letter was published today after police had established it as authentic.

Police, describing the man as one of the most dangerous maniacs they ever combatted, have warned against couples parking in little used lanes.

## *Mass Meet Tonight to Oppose City Manager, Water Bonds, Utility Rates*

An attendance of at least 1,000 persons is expected at the mass meeting called at the courthouse for 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night, according to W. E. George, chairman of the committee calling the meeting.

The purpose of the meeting is to "inform voters more completely on issues which are now of paramount importance" and to "restore our city government to the people."

Opposition to the city manager form of government, to utility rates and to the proposed water bond issue was expressed by Mr. George as being the cause of the meeting.

"Our campaign is not in any sense a personal one," Mr. George said. "This is purely a matter of economics, and a determination to bring about, if possible, a restriction of our city government expenses to correspond with our means."

Opposition to the passage of $1,000,000 worth of water improvement bonds on March 14 will be based, it was indicated, upon the proposition that all such improvements can be made from profits now being earned by the water department under existing rates. An increase in taxation to take care of the general fund would be required in that case, it was admitted.

Discussion of the present city administration, with recommendations of reduced expenditures for the services of city officials, will be conducted by F. W. Fischer, it was said. Principal attention will be devoted Tuesday night, Mr. George said, to the water bond matter, with R. O. Grant, formerly chief clerk in the city water department, as principal speaker on that subject.

## NATIONS DENY OWNING STOCK IN DUTCH SHELL

### Opponents of Embargo And Tariff Plans Open Testimony

### FUEL PRICE FEARED

### Maine Interests Oppose Duty on Grounds Of Higher Costs

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—The British and Dutch governments have formally requested the state department to convey to the senate commerce committee corrections on testimony it received regarding holdings of the two governments in foreign oil companies.

The requests concerned the testimony of Orville Bullington, of Wichita Falls, Texas.

The Dutch government denied it had ever purchased shares in the Royal Dutch Oil company, adding it was not a stockholder in that company and had no control over it.

The British note denied the Royal Dutch company was in any way under the control of Great Britain.

The note also said the British had no direct or indirect interest in the Shell Transport and Trading company.

**OPPONENTS OF EMBARGO HEARD**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—The cause of independent oil producers for a limitation on petroleum imports today shifted to the house Republican steering committee as the opposition began testimony before the ways and means committee against the Capper-Garber bill.

The unofficial directors of the house program took no action, however, because the bill to limit imports during the next three years to 16,000,000 barrels annually must first be voted on by the ways and means committee.

**Separation Drive**

Meanwhile the independents planned to open their drive Tuesday before the commerce committee on the Hoch bill to divorce major oil companies from their pipe lines and interstate carriers.

Representative Nelson, Republican, Maine, in opening for the opposition to limitations of oil imports, discussed the tariff commission report on comparative prices of domestic and Venezuelan crude petroleum. He asserted that while the South American product is $1.10 cheaper a barrel delivered at Atlantic coast refineries, it is $1.82 less valuable. He said this made Mid-Continent oil actually 72 cents a barrel than the Venezuelan oil at the eastern refineries.

Nelson contended an oil embargo "would have a most serious effect" on the newsprint industry in Maine.

**Increased Costs Feared**

"In addition to freight charges it is estimated that the embargo would mean an increase in cost of fuel oil of at least $1 a barrel," he said. "With 980,000,000 barrels of oil consumed in the United States yearly, we would have an annual increased cost to consumers of $980,000,000."

Nelson said the embargo would drive the price of gasoline up four cents a gallon and that such an increase "would cost the American farmers $340,200,000 a year."

Earlier, Kansas witnesses had urged the embargo as a measure of farm relief.

President E. B. Reeser of the American Petroleum institute and Barnsdall corporation, endorsed the Capper-Garber bill after explaining he did not speak for the institute and would prefer a tariff of $1 a barrel to a fixed limitation.

Representatives Hope, Kansas, and Crail, California, Republicans, and McKeown, Democrat, Oklahoma, testified for imports restriction.

### Bill Would Authorize Prescribed Whisky Sale

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 16. (AP)—Sale of intoxicating liquor by druggists upon prescription would be permitted in Arkansas by a bill introduced in the state senate today by Senator Ed B. Dillon of Little Rock.

His measure would impose an annual tax on wholesale druggists of $100 and $15 on retail druggists. He said $1,000,000 a year would accrue to the state through the tax.

The measure also would tax the physician making the prescription 10 per cent of the retail price of the liquor he prescribed.

Sale of liquor in Arkansas by prescription or otherwise has been prohibited by a state law since 1916.

### Skeleton in Irons Found in Oklahoma

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 16. (AP)—Discovery of a human skeleton, one leg bone of which still was fastened in government leg irons, in a dense thicket in the southeastern creek county, not far from Beggs, was revealed today by Col. E. Walter of Skeedee, Early Day, United States marshal and Osage oil and gas lease auctioneer.

Walter is in possession of the irons and is attempting to penetrate the mystery connected with the finding of the skeleton.

He said the bones presumably were those of a federal prisoner who escaped into the thicket in territorial days. The type of leg irons, he said, passed out of government usage many years ago.

### *AIRLAWS*

### Bill Would Provide Protection for Air Industry

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (UP)—Charges that shots have been fired at airplanes in East Texas and that rip cords of parachutes were found severed at the Fort Worth airport have brought a demand before the Texas legislature for protective laws for airports and beacons.

The bill was taken up by a house committee this afternoon but left for future action. Under it, death resulting from tamper with planes would be punishable as murder.

Rev. B. J. Forbes' bill to require a duplicate liquor prescription both signed by the patient, was referred to a subcommittee of the house liquor traffic committee.

## 'BAD MAN' FROM WICHITA SHOT

### Jack Smith Wounded In Prison Fight

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, Feb. 16 (AP)—Jack Smith, 29, convict serving two burglary sentences from Wichita county and known to all prison guards as a "bad man," was shot and seriously wounded late today by Charley Harris, dog sergeant of the Harlem state farm at Sugarland.

General Manager Lee Simmons of the prison system said Smith attacked Harris and attempted to gain possession of the guard's revolver.

Smith was wounded in the abdomen and in both legs.

Simmons said he sent V. R. Vaughan, an assistant and former manager of Harlem state farm, to investigate after A. N. Owens, Harlem farm manager, reported the shooting.

Smith was taken to the hospital at Sugarland where his condition is said to be serious.

He is serving two five-year sentences for burglary from Wichita county, Mr. Simmons said.

He declared Smith was known to all guards as a "bad man" and cited a long record of punishments for mutiny, laziness, impudence and attempts to escape against the prisoner.

Those on duty at the farm said Smith was being taken back to the farm from the fields because of some violation of the rules at the time of the shooting.

Smith was thes econd convict to be shot within less than a week, Judge Peck, a convicted murderer, having been slain last Thursday at Retrieve prison farm.

**SMITH CONVICTED IN ELECTRA BURGLARY**

Jack Smith was convicted in district court here in 1929 for the burglary of a residence at Electra, District Attorney Sam Spence said Monday night. He was charged with burglaries in which another man also was convicted, Mr. Spence stid. Smith never gave local officials any trouble while being held here, it was said.

### House Congratulates Wagstaff on Marriage

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)—The house of representatives turned from the serious side of legislation for a time today and adopted a resolution congratulating Representative R. M. Wagstaff of Abilene on his marriage Saturday to Miss Texas Orms. The resolution ordered Wagstaff to introduce his wife to the house within 24 hours or sit for an hour in the center of the speaker's platform.

A parade through the business section of Austin also was ordered.

### Whipping Post Measure Prepared in Kansas

TOPEKA, Feb. 16. (AP)—A bill to establish the whipping post in Kansas for persons convicted of any misdemeanor, child desertion or non-support was prepared today for introduction in the state legislature by Representative Elmer J. Buffington of Sumner county, Republican.

Patterned in part after the Delaware law, the bill would authorize judges, in their discretion, to specify the number of lashes to be inflicted in addition to or in lieu of other punishment now provided by statute for the various offenses.

County sheriffs would be required to inflict the punishment publicly "by strokes on the bare back well laid on."

## WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Fair, somewhat colder Tuesday; Wednesday fair.

OKLAHOMA—Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday. Colder in west portion Tuesday.

EAST TEXAS—Fair, somewhat colder in north and west portions Tuesday; Wednesday fair, light to fresh northerly winds on the coast.

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

Maximum temperature ..... 64
Minimum temperature ..... 41
Temperature at 5 p. m. ..... 63
Precipitation, trace.
West wind.
Partly cloudy.
Average wind velocity ..... 5
Maximum wind velocity ..... 8
Barometer ..... 28.78

## RIVER VICTIM IDENTIFIED BY WOODEN LEG

### Man's Body Discovered In Jefferson County Sandbar

### OFFICERS PUZZLED

### Owner of Artificial Limb Reported to Be George Pope

Special to The Record News.

WAURIKA, Okla., Feb. 16.—Guided solely by the serial number of an artificial leg, Jefferson county officials tentatively identified the body of a man found on the banks of Red river Sunday as that of George Pope, former workman at Seminole and at Wilson, Okla.

The body was found half-buried in a sandbar near Fleetwood, in southwest Jefferson county. Officials found the neck broken, severe bruises on the head, signs of blood about the nose and ears and one eye partially knocked out. Investigators were unable to determine whether the victim had been murdered or had fallen into the river from a nearby bridge.

In the clothing were found 25 cents, a pocket comb and a notebook, but no means of identification. The man appeared to have been between 50 and 60 years old.

**Wooden Leg Found**

Examination revealed that the man wore a wooden leg and Sheriff Linzy Goza wired makers of the artifical limb to determine its owner. The leg was sold to George Pope, at one time employed by the Tulsa Rig and Reel Construction company, working in Seminole, the sheriff was informed. Other investigations revealed that Pope had gone from Seminole to work at Wilson, Okla., a week before Christmas, but had left that place several weeks ago.

A brother at Alma, Okla., was notified and is on his way to Waurika to claim the body.

After an inquest conducted at Ryan, a verdict of death from unknown causes was returned.

**MONTAGUE BOY FINDS BODY**

Special to The Record News.

MONTAGUE, Texas, Feb. 16.—Temple Yarbrough, county attorney, called to investigate the finding of the body of an unidentified man on the banks of Red river Sunday afternoon, said Monday that the official investigation of the affair had been turned over to Oklahoma authorities. Events leading up to the death of the victim, whether accidental or murderous, apparently transpired on the Oklahoma side of the river, the official said.

The body, which had been in the water about two weeks, was found by a 10-year-old Montague county boy, scanning the river for ducks. He notified his parents who in turn called Mr. Yarbrough.

The official was convinced that the man was not a resident of Montague county and said the condition of the body made reconstruction of the story of his death impossible.

### Antarctic Expedition Discovers New Land

OSLO, Norway, Feb. 16. (AP)—New land has been discovered in the Antarctic by the Norwegian whaler Torlyn, which has been operating in connection with a Norwegian Antarctic expedition, the whaler reported in a wireless message today.

The new land, the message said, is a continuation of McRobertson land which Sir Douglas Mawson discovered last year, and lies between latitude 69 degrees 50 minutes south, longitude 71 degrees east, and latitude 68 degrees 10 minutes south and longitude 65 degrees east.

**SUSPECT HELD**

A man suspected of being the lone bandit who held up the Hansen grocery, 2010 Holliday street, Friday night, was returned here Monday night from Waurika, Okla., by W. P. Timmons and Bob Miller, city detectives. The man was arrested in Waurika late Monday afternoon on advice from Frank Burns, chief of police here.

### *90 DAYS*

### Richard M. Cannon Given Jail Term For Unpaid Wage

PASADENA, Calif., Feb. 16. (US)—Richard M. Cannon, convicted by a jury of violating the state labor laws, was sentenced today by Justice Elliott Gibbs to serve 90 days in the county jail. Bail was fixed at $1,000 which late today Cannon had been unable to raise.

Cannon, son of James Cannon Jr., a bishop of the Methodist church, South, was tried on a charge of failing to pay Mrs. Phyllis Caso $33 due her as salary for teaching in a school he conducted.

Following the sentence, nine other charges against Cannon were dismissed without prejudice when he agreed to settle the claims against him.

## FREIGHT RATES ON OIL SLICED

### Roads Allowed to Meet Pipe Line Competition

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (UP)—An order issued today by the state railroad commission reduces the transportation rates on refined oil products such as benzine, benzol, gasoline naphtha, paraffin wax, vaseline and petrolatum, as well as various oils and greases, except sewing machine and cycle oils.

The rates are issued to meet reductions ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The rates very by distance. Fifty miles shipments that once cost 26½ cents are cut to 15 cents per hundred pounds. Hundred mile shipments that cost 35 cents are reduced to 20 cents. The reductions apply for instance The reductions apply for distances up to 450 miles.

**I. C. C. AUTHORIZES LOWER CHARGES**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—Railroads were authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission today to revise within the next four months the general schedules of freight rates on petroleum and petroleum products throughout the Northeast and from the Mid-Continent oil refining territory to all points in the East.

In addition, the carriers were authorized to make a similar revision of rates on gasoline moving within Southwestern territory.

The decision indicated the commission intended to allow the railroads almost complete discretions in altering petroleum rates to enable them to meet increasing competition of new pipe lines and highway transportation facilities for the petroleum traffic.

To guide the revision, particularly in so far as the Eastern half of the country is concerned, the commission prescribed a series of maximum key rates which the carriers were instructed not to exceed in reorganizing the petroleum rates. Practically all provided for new schedules in excess of existing charges, but will not necessarily be adopted.

### Joseph P. Cotton In Critical Condition

BALTIMORE, Feb. 16. (AP)—Joseph P. Cotton, under-secretary of state, tonight was reported to be in a "critical" condition at Johns Hopkins hospital with his wife and daughter at his bedside. Yesterday morning his right eye was removed by Dr. Alan C. Woods and following the operation the patient rallied.

Early today he was believed by hospital attaches to be improving, but later his temperature mounted and the word "critical" was used to describe his condition.

### Long Stands Alone Against Economy Measure

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)—By a vote of 110 to one, the house today went on record as opposing creation of more state departments and boards and against unnecessary expense in the operation of state government. The resolution appealed to department heads to conserve appropriations and asked appointment of a joint committee of the house and senate to confer with State Auditor Moore Lynn on consolidation and elimination of state departments.

Representative Long of Wichita Falls registered the only dissenting vote.

## VOTE STRIKES BLOW AGAINST MELLON FIGHT

### Measure Increases Value Of Certificates To 50 Per Cent

### REPUBLICANS SPLIT

### Big Majority Gives Power To Override Veto Of Hoover

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—Striking hard at administration opposition, the house today passed the veterans' loan bill by the overwhelming vote of 363 to 39.

It provides for an increase from 22½ to 50 per cent in the loan value of the adjusted compensation certificates which were approved by the house, 355 to 54, in 1924.

Amid dramatic intensity, the measure was sent to the senate within an hour after Speaker Longworth opened the way for consideration. It carried with it more than enough votes to override a presidential veto. Similar quick action is expected in the other branch.

With their leadership split, less than two score old line Republicans rallied behind Majority Leaders Tilson and Chairman Hawley of the house ways and means committee.

**Overrides Mellon**

More than 400 of the 435 members were present. Under the procedure, the bill had to receive a two-thirds vote for passage.

Speaker Longworth swung 216 Republican votes for the measure against the warning of Secretary Mellon that the treasury would have difficulty in financing it.

Representative Bacharach, Republican, New Jersey, proponent of the measure, led the advocates with the statement that he could not understand why the treasury should not approve the bill after conceding it was the best of all suggested. He predicted no bond issue would be necessary to finance the loans.

Minority Leader Garner wound up the debate for the measure with the assertion that "the only argument against this bill is the argument of the secretary of the treasury."

**Difficulty Warned**

Five members spoke against the proposal. They warned against the difficulties of financing it.

Chairman Hawley, Representatives Treadway of Massachusetts, Ramseyer of Iowa, Chindbloom of Illinois, members of the ways and means committee, and Fort of New Jersey, all administration followers, urged defeat.

Shortly after the shouting that cheered the passage had died, the house passed and sent to the senate the Rogers bill to authorize a $12,500,000 expansion of the veterans' hospital facilities without a record vote. Treadway was the only person voicing opposition. It also passed a bill authorizing expansion of the home for disabled volunteer soldiers to cost $2,800,000 and sent it to the senate.

Earlier the house veterans committee approved the John bill to provide $26 a month pensions for widows and children of world war veterans entailing an estimated outlay of $131,000,000 in five years, beginning with $10,900,00 for the first year.

### Nicaraguan Refugee Quits Boat at Honduras

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16. (AP)—Auetin F. Marti, reputed to be former secretary to Austino Sandino, Nicaraguan insuragent leader and reported en route to the United States on the Panama Canal liner Colombia, got off the boat at Honduras, officers of the ship said on its arrival here today.

Immigration authorities said they knew nothing about Marti. Panama mail officials said Marti, a political refugee, was permitted to board the Colombia.

### Nellie Melba's Illness Takes Graver Turn

LONDON, Feb. 16. (US)—The condition of Dame Nellie Melba, who has been ill for some time, today became grave, dispatches from Sydney, Australia, reported. The noted operatic singer is 72.

## *Two Men Held on Arson Charges After Fatal Fire at Vinson*

Special to The Record News.

HOLLIS, Okla., Feb. 16.—Dave Pence was in jail here today and W. P. Phillips was free on bond under an arson charge in connection with the $100,000 fire which on Feb. 4 wiped out half the town of Vinson and cost the life of Grant Wooldridge, aged pioneer killed in a battle with the flames.

Phillips, the owner of the garage in which the blaze is said to have started, is alleged to have taken out $1,000 insurance on the tools and fixtures in his establishment on Jan. 21. Pence is charged as an accessory. The arrests were made after an under-cover investigation conducted by the state fire marshal's department. The department will attempt to prove that Pence started the fire at the instigation of Phillips in an effor to get the benefit of the fire insurance.

Date for the preliminary hearing has been set for Feb. 24 before County Judge Fowler.

The blaze broke out before dawn on Feb. 4 and spread with extraordinary rapidity until the entire town was menaced. Desperate efforts of a citizenship bucket brigade were unavailing. The 60-year-old Wooldridge was trapped in a blazing building. His charred body was found among the debris after the coming of daylight.

The death of Roy Smith, widely known farmer last Friday was attributed to losses suffered in the fire. Smith was found shot to death in the home of relatives near Vinson.

## ? ? QUESTIONABLE ? ? BUT TRUE

**EGYPT'S SECRETS**

ONE of Egypt's deepest secrets is its pyramids. Guat Pyramid, the largest, was built about 2900 B. C. and covers approximately 13 acres. This pyramid contains enough stone to build a medium size city. Imagine, today, a hundred thousand men, working 20 to 30 years, with thousands of motor trucks carrying stone and material for such a gigantic structure.

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# MANY ENTER HOLLIS RACE

## Interest in City Election Runs High

HOLLIS, Okla., Feb. 16.—Special interest is being taken in the coming city election and at this time 21 candidates have filed. The city marshal, clerk, treasurer, street commissioner and four councilmen are to be elected. Candidate who have filed at this time are six for marshal, seven for commissioner, four for clerk and four for treasurer.


# DANGEROUS GASSY STOMACH TORTURE ENDS QUICK

"I am pleased and glad to say and tell you that a package of ACIDINE helped me quicker than anything else I ever tried." says William Rontz of Windgap, Pa. "I will tell you there are a good many people killed with this gas in the stomach. If you have a weak heart it is dangerous. I tell others about this—to get ACIDINE and try it."

Just another of thousands who are astonished at the way this new prescription ACIDINE succeeds when other known remedies fail. The reason is it is different from other medicines. ACIDINE contains Japtase, which, in laboratory tests, digested 800 times its own weight of certain heavy starchy foods. ACIDINE neutralizes burning acid, soothes irritated stomach and intestinal linings, helps end acidosis.

Eat, drink all you want. When sour stomach, gas, pain, heartburn, bad taste, heavy feeling, short breath, dizziness, belching, nervousness, colds, gassy headaches and sleeplessness trouble you, take ACIDINE. Results guaranteed. If not delighted, maker refunds money. Get it from your druggist today.—Adv.



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Next time a cold starts, try Pape's Cold Compound and learn the reason for its tremendous sales and popularity. Just remember the name "Pape's." All drug stores —35c.—Adv.


## 'SELL OUT'

### Big Crowd Expected For Paderewski—Passes Cancelled

A "sell out" of seats in the Memorial auditorium for the Paderewski concert here Thursday night seems likely in view of the heavy advance demand for tickets, according to H. C. Cheshire, booking agent.

The noted pianist has played to packed houses during his entire tour, and every seat for his Fort Worth concert was sold and all free admissions concelled. In view of the heavy demand for tickets here, there will be no complimentary tickets issued, Mr. Cheshire said.

The top price for tickets here is $1 lower than in other Texas towns, Mr. Cheshire said, and an attendance from many towns in Northwest Texas and Southern Oklahoma is expected.

## Flames Destroy Home at Nocona

NOCONA, Texas, Feb. 16.—Fire destroyed the home and furnishings of Victor Goodspeed here Sunday, entailing a loss of $3,000. The family was away at the time.

## Newspaper Carrier Injured in Crash

Walter Allen, 16, sustained a broken leg and minor injuries when the motorcycle he was riding collided with an automobile in the 2100 block on Avenue H early Monday night. Allen's machine and the auto met head-on, it was said, and the motorcycle rider was thrown upon the radiator of the car. Allen was taken to the Wichita General hospital. He resides at 1319 Seventeenth street and is an emergency delivery carier for the Times Publishing company.

*Heal Your Rough Cracked Hands with*

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# C.-C. REOPENS DRIVE TODAY

## Membership Group to Meet At Breakfast

The final drive of the supplementary membership campaign of the chamber of commerce will commence Tuesday morning following a breakfast for workers at 7 o'clock at the Wichita club, according to an announcement Monday by A. E. Kelly, chairman of the campaign committee.

About 40 workers will be engaged in securing additional memberships to the chamber of commerce and are to attend the breakfast Tuesday morning. The objective of the drive is to bring the enrollment of the chamber of commerce to over 1,000 members, and solicitations are being made to 1930 members who have not signed up for 1931. The original membership drive held after the first of the year obtained about 650 members.

## Episcopal Men's Club Hears Dallas Speaker

A splendid program was enjoyed by members and visitors at the Men's club of the Church of the Good Shepherd Monday night. The meeting and dinner was held in the parish house and the president, Dr. W. J. Masters, presided. Larry Smith had charge of the program.

An address by Miss Rachel Summers, secretary of the Young People's fellowship, diocese of Dallas, featured the meeting. Other numbers included a reading by Miss Marjorie Woolsey and vocal numbers by Mrs. Lois Parker, accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Akin.

## 75 Enroll in School At Christian Church

More than 75 students answered the first roll call of the regular spring leadership training school which opened at the Highland Heights Christian church Monday night.

The school will meet in session each Monday night for the next six weeks. The fall semester of the organization is conducted at the First Christian church. This is the fourth semi-annual session of the leadership school. Teachers are: H. A. Glass, dean; Mrs. J. R. Hyatt, W. A. Franklin, Glen G. Clark, B. D. Sartin, J. H. Crouch, Mrs. O. H. Karr, Mrs. Ira Cain, Patrick Henry and Mrs. Patrick Henry.

### HEALTH TALK

"Infection of the Hands and Feet and Ringworm" will be the subject of a radio talk delivered by Dr. Austin F. Leach over station KGKO Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The speech will be the weekly five-minute program which is sponsored by the Wichita County Medical society and the Wichita County Tuberculosis association.


**666**

LIQUID or TABLETS

Cure Colds, Headaches, Fever

666 SALVE

*CURES BABY'S COLD*


# *County Officials Praised In Auditor's Report for Four Years*

Frank commendation of the manner in which county records have been kept, and recommendations that a "well-designated system of budgeting" be adopted by the commissioners court, featured the report made Monday by Allred, Lambert & Nichols in connection with their completed audit of all county books for the period of Jan. 1, 1927, to Dec. 31, 1930.

Acknowledging the cramped conditions under which many county officers have been compelled to work, the report complimented Mrs. A. B. Eichelberger, district clerk; Paul Barnett, county auditor; W. G. Bralley, former sheriff; Miss Elizabeth Hall, county clerk, Wayne Somerville, former county attorney, and Tom McHam, county treasurer. All rolls in the office of Max Shumake, tax assessor, were said to be in accordance with "good usage and proper regard for accuracy," while those in the tax collector's office were "found in good shape, properly made, and with records of delinquent taxes very good with few exceptions."

Records of Mrs. Eichelberger were described in the report as being "in the best condition and more accurately kept than any others we have come in contact with." The system of accounting used in that office was described as "cumbersome and antiquated, but the best thus far devised."

Particular commendation was given to the phases of accounting in the county auditor's office which "keep the county auditor and the commissioners court informed at all times concerning the county's financial condition."

An additional over-payment to the county during recent years was found in the records of Miss Hall, county clerk, according to the report. The records kept by Mr. Bralley were described as "the best set we have ever found in the office of any sheriff." Records in offices of justices of the peace were said to be "better than the average."

The audit was begun in December, and the report was made Monday to the commissioners court.

## Charters Granted Two Wichita Falls Firms

Charters of incorporation were granted Monday to the Putney Drug company, 1717 Polk street, and the Wichita Falls Battery and Electric company, 906 Eighth street, according to an Association Press dispatch to The Record News.

Incorporators of the Putney Drug company are Mrs. Katherine Putney, Mrs. Jessie M. Wilson and W. E. Wilson. The firm has been located in Wichita Falls since October.

Incorporators of the Wichita Falls Battery and Electric company are W. L. Hawkins, Kindel Paulk and Irene Paulk. The company has been operating in Wichita Falls for a number of yers.

Capital stock of the two firms were given $5,000 and $2,000 respectively.

## Travel Talk Features Kiwanis Club Luncheon

Members of the Kiwanis club present at Monday's weekly luncheon at the Kemp hotel heard a descriptive travelog-talk by Fred L. Haskett based upon a tour of Europe made last summer.

Mrs. W. M. Priddy and Mrs. C. T. Tully, accompanied by Mrs. Lucille Brooks Huff, sang two duets, "Waters of Minnetonka," by Lieurance, and the traditional folksong of Naples, "Santa Lucia."

Jouette Bonner, president, and Don T. Haynes, secretary, were named to represent the local club at the Kiwanis International convention at Miami, Fla., several weeks hence. Dr. J. B. Nail and W. E. Young were chosen as alternates. The program was arranged by Jacob B. Price and Mr. Young.

### C. C. DIRECTORS

Reports of committees will comprimise a large portion of business to be transacted at a meeting of chamber of commerce directors Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock, according to an announcement Monday by J. L. Jackson Jr. Committees to report include the industrial and colonization, the highway, civic and traffic groups.


# RUPTURE

E. J. MEINHARDI, of CHICAGO

Expert on the Meinhardi Rupture Shield, is coming here again. He will personally be at the Kemp Hotel, Wichita Falls, Texas, on Wednesday only, February 18, from 10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.

SPECIAL NOTICE—All customers that he has fitted here during the last ten years are invited to call for inspection. All others are invited to call and investigate. There is no charge for demonstration. Come in and talk with these former customers regarding their experience with this appliance. This visit is for men only.

Mr. Meinhardi says:

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CAUTION: Protect yourself against imitators of this notice—remember the name Meinhardi.

Please note the above dates and office hours carefully, as he will not visit any other city in this section at this time. (This visit is for white people only.)—E. J. Meinhardi, home office, 1551 N. Crawford avenue, Chicago.—Adv.

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A cough put Elmer's career "on the ice," just as it has many others.

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## Atwater Kent Jr. On Tour of Texas

A. Atwater Kent Jr., whose father heads the Atwater Kent Radio Manufacturing company of Philadelphia, arrived in Wichita Falls Monday and will spend Tuesday in Wichita Falls in conference with local dealers of Atwater Kent radics, the Perkins-Timberlake department store.

Mr. Kent, who is making a six weeks tour of Texas, declared himself "impressed" with the business possibilities of Wichita Falls. He predicted a return to normal business conditions within a few months.

## United Workers League Disbands

The United Workers league, recently formed to promote the interests of unemployed workers here, has been disbanded because of lack of interest and cooperation, according to a statement given The Record News Monday night by Jack Ballard, chairman, and Henry B. Ellis, secretary. The office at 208 Staley building has been closed.

## Hearings on Judicial Bills Are Postponed

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)—Walter Woodward of Coleman, chairman of the senate civil jurisprudence committee, today announced a postponement of the hearing on the several judicial council bills until the night of March 5. The bills previously had been set for hearing next Thursday night.

## DEATHS

### JACK SMITH

Funeral services for Jack Smith, 85, will be held at Lakeview cemetery Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Ensign A. Shults of the Salvation Army will conduct services. Arrangements are in charge of the Albert's Funeral home. The aged man had been a resident of Wichita Falls for only a few months when his death occurred Sunday, Feb. 8, at a hospital here. Attempts to locate relatives were futile.


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# BEAUTY TAKES COMEDY LEAD

## College Club to Present Play Tonight

"Her Step-Husband," a three-act comedy by Larry E. Johnson, who is also author of the Blue Curtain Players' fall success, "What Anne Brought Home," will be presented at the Junior college Tuesday evening as the annual all-college play for the benefit of the college annual, the Wal-Kun, under the auspices of the Junior College Spanish club.

The capable cast of characters under the direction of Miss Marjorie Woolsey, instructor in the high school and college public speaking and dramatic department, include Miss Nellie May Ross, recently elected as the 1931 college beauty, and Aaron Kruger, who take the leading roles. Others in the cast, composed of Spanish club and Blue Curtain members, are Hazel Hobbs, Clara Taylor, S. C. Anthony, Harry Lewis, Annie Wright, Randle Hanks and Allene Muller. The curtain will rise at 8:15 o'clock. Tickets are on sale at 35 cents.


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### TRIAL POSTPONED

BELTON, Texas, Feb. 16. (UP)—Trial of George Vickers, aged paralytic, charged with murdering R. Q. Cathey, his lifelong friend, today was postponed until next Monday.

**Everybody's Eating "TUMS"**

**The Mint That Relieves Stomach Distress**

NOW comes a new, pleasant way to end stomach distress when foods disagree or you overeat. Tums, made with the very finest mint obtainable, contain extra ingredients that quickly drive away heartburn, acid indigestion, sour stomach, and gas. The breath is purified, too.

When some food distresses you eat two or three Tums. Often only one Tum will give quick relief. These refreshing Antacid mints are so much more agreeable, handier and safer to use than ordinary correctives. Get a 10c roll at your druggist's today. You can eat Tums after every meal. Try them today.

*Many people are buying TUMS in the convenient 5¢ box containing 12 rolls—thus getting 2 rolls free*

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Men's Kid Leather Shoes — Black or brown high-top shoes. Regular $6 values, special at **$3.95**

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# HOLLIS GETS $1,500 RELIEF

## State Allotment to Be Distributed

Special to The Record News.

HOLLIS, Okla., Feb. 16.—E. L. Gardner of the board of county commissioners has been advised that $1,500 is available from the first allotment of the $300,000 relief fund appropriated by the legislature for relief and that the county commissioners and county judge will have charge of the funds. Application blanks are being made out and the funds will be used for the purpose of buying seed necessary for garden and feed purposes.


Olds

Colds are often serious. Never neglect a cold. Take the recognized standard remedy.

Grove's Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets


## INVITING

### Hall County Makes Jail Quarters More 'Homey'

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Texas, Feb. 16.—The Hall county bastile is being made more "home-like" for its present boarders and for other expected guests. It is being remodeled, repaired and prettied up. Four hundred dollars is the sum that is being expended, which includes work on both the inside and exterior of the building, such as repainting walls, repairing plaster and so forth. The sleeping quarters of the jail are also being given a new dress by placing on the bunks new mattresses and new blankets.


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Don't be embarrassed again by having your false teeth slip or drop when you eat, talk, laugh or sneeze. Just sprinkle a little Fasteeth on your plates. This new, extremely fine powder gives a wonderful sense of comfort and security. No gummy, gooey taste or feeling. Get Fasteeth today at Allison Drug Store or any other drug store.—Adv.



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FOR THE COUGH FROM COLDS THAT HANG ON


# TILLMAN AID DRIVE STARTS

## County Organized for Red Cross Campaign

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 16.—Key men and women in charge of the Red Cross relief in the various parts of the county have been named by W. G. Roe, general chairman of the Red Cross drive, to head the enrollment in their localities in an endeavor to raise at least $1,000. J. O. Shaw, superintendent of the Frederick schools, will head the drive in the Frederick schools and it is expected that each room will make a contribution.

The following local chairmen have been named by Roe in the various towns: Frederick, Rev. James M. Blakey; Grandfield, Harry Patterson; Tipton, Roy Holt; Davidson, John H. McClure; Loveland, Earl Maxey; Hollister, E. M. Cason; Davidson, J. H. McClure. Jerome Zumwalt of Frederick has been appointed treasurer and contributions are to be made direct to him.

A mass meeting was held at the court room Saturday afternoon in charge of Mr. Roe. Among those who spoke were E. H. Shelton, county superintendent, and A. G. Davidson, chairman of the executive committee for the drive, and Rev. Blakey. The latter said that $2,000 instead of $1,000 should be raised.

Roe suggests the following slogan for the drive: "A contribution of some amount from every person able to give."

### OUTSIDERS HELP

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 16.—First subscription for Tillman county's Red Cross drive was received from a person outside the county, Walter Crow, a merchant of Chattanooga, just across the line in Comanche county. W. G. Roe, chairman of the drive has received two checks from Oklahoma City, one from State Senator Cecil Chamberlin and the other from Harry B. Cordell, president of the state board of agriculture. Cordell is a pioneer citizen of this county.

### TEXAS PARK URGED

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)—The house today adopted a senate resolution calling on the federal department of the interior to make a survey of Texas with the view of establishing a national park.

# Hall Poultry Men Work to Secure Standard Flocks

Special to The Record News.

CLARENDON, Texas, Feb. 16.—Improvement work is being done here among the chicken growers of this community. The local hatchery is sponsoring the accrediting of flocks under the rules of the American standard of perfection. Twenty-two flocks to date have been accredited by representatives supplied by the Texas Baby Chick association of which the local hatchery is a member. This work is expected to improve flocks on this community and also improve the show qualities of a number of excellent flocks that have had many winners in Panhandle fairs and poultry shows this year.

## Sterling to Re-Appoint Martin on Road Board

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)—Gov. Ross S. Sterling said today he would reappoint D. K. Martin of San Antonio to a six-year term as highway commissioner.

Martin was appointed by former Governor Moody last fall, after Mr. Sterling resigned his place on the commission. The recess appointment was confirmed by the senate and no opposition was anticipated on the long-term appointment.

W. R. Ely of Abilene, highway commission chairman, has four more years to serve and Cone Johnson's term will expire two years hence.

### SHRINE LUNCHEON

Members of the Shrine luncheon club will meet at the Wichita club Tuesday at 12:10 o'clock for their regular weekly luncheon, according to Al Ellis, recorded of Maskat temple. Tom Davey, president of the organization will preside.


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## Negro Gets 'Job' When Court Overlooks Name

DALLAS, Feb. 16. (AP)—It is very seldom that a negro serves on a Texas jury panel, but one James Arbuckle was doing so today and drawing a wage of $3 per day for his services.

Arbuckle, a huckster by trade, was inadvertently summoned with 299 white men today. After a number had been excused from the central jury panel, the others—Arbuckle among them—were tendered the oath. When the negro's presence was discovered, Judge Robert E. Allen offered to excuse him, but Arbuckle refused. He remained on the scene all morning, though never selected for a case.

Classified Ads in this paper pay big dividends.

### BANK REGULATION

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)—A bill was introduced today by Representative Farmer of Fort Worth to prohibit banks and trust companies from showing preference to any depositor by pledging the assets as collateral security.


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The sensation of the drug trade is Aspironal, the two-minute relief for colds and coughs due to colds. Authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories; tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as ten times as quick and effective as whisky, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tried.

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Take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children for Aspironal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quickest relief for catarrhal croup and children's choking up at night.—Adv.



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**Don't Forget Magnetism**
**Busy Mr. Capone**
**Romance Comes First**

By EMILE GAUVREAU

According to the results of the questionnaire sent out by an Oswego (N. Y.) minister to the members of his flock, the ideal husband must have, in the order here set down, the following qualifications; character, good disposition, earning ability, intellectual brilliance, social standing, good looks.

To the modern girl the ideal husband, before she marries him, need possess only one qualification: personal magnetism. And men with personal magnetism may be as unrepossessing as Caliban and as devoid of character as Tartuffe. But after marriage if the husband cannot give his wife a fur coat and a roadster, all the qualifications in the world will make him out to be anything but ideal.

Those who are reading the life of Mr. Al Scarface Capone will understand the significance of a bomb explosion in one of the largest printing establishments in Chicago last week. The blast made a large hole in the concrete foundation of the building. Scores escaped miraculously. Owners, presumably, will confer as soon as possible with the muscle men and pay them what they want each week to avert further explosions.

Major Edward F. Knight of the New York national guard, back from an inspection of the Foreign Legion in North Africa, complains that the troops are too efficient to be romantic. In marksmanship, horsemanship, neatness, and particularly in morale, they proved themselves unsurpassed by any modern soldiers.

There is no reason why romance is irreconcilable with efficiency. The man who has his nose continuously to the grindstone may be efficient, but he does not get far. Real progress is due to the visionary, the poet, in action as well as in imagination, rather than to the hard-headed business man. Scientists of ideas, not laboratory mechanics, push the world ahead.

Eddington, Rutherford, Bergson, Schrodinger, Heisenberg, Millikan, Langmuir and Jeans—these are romantic people, not practical men. Yet one discovery of Langmuir saved an electrical company millions of dollars annually in the construction of its bulbs. Vision can be turned into practical use. Efficiency never gave birth to vision.

On the heels of England's decision to increase her navy-building program, so as not to lag behind the French and Italians, comes the exhortation of England's foreign secretary, Arthur Henderson, to disarm. He warns the world that the next war will be incomparably worse than the last. "In the last war we killed by retail. In the next we will do it by wholesale." He sees in disarmament the only hope for peace. "Once war begins, no man and no government can control it."

Since England does not heed the warnings of its own foreign secretary, no other country is fool enough to do so. Everybody cries "peace", and everybody is preparing for war. It has always been that way in Europe, where diplomacy is synonymous with treachery and national honor has no longer any meaning.

Commuters to New Jersey who have complained about the malodorous meadow waste and mosquito marshes between Hackensack and Elizabethport have set some engineering minds working. A reclamation commission believes the marshlands can be turned into a harbor city, flourishing with world commerce, railroad terminals, public gardens, beautiful homes. The project would cost $500,000,000 and be a reality in 50 years if work is begun at once.

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### Hambone's Meditations

### Record News Program for Wichita Falls

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

When Captain Campbell does 245 miles an hour in his racer through traffic, that will be news.

A famous music publisher made several worthy philanthropies. It remained for the facetious headline writer to remark that he benefited charities to the tune of $100,000.

## Fond of Their School

IT IS a little hard to believe that there are any school children, anywhere, who would not rejoice when their schoolhouse burned down. Yet so reputable a magazine as The Nation assures us that this was the case recently when the Hessian Hills school, at Croton-on-Hudson, New York, burned down. If The Nation says so, it must be true. But it is a bit of a shock.

Indeed, these children not only failed to rejoice at the burning of their schoolhouse; they flocked around and offered to help rebuild it. They offered their pennies and nickels to the building fund. Groups of them pledged their allowances. In every way they showed that they actually wanted the school reopened as speedily as possible.

This seems to us to be as good a recommendation as could possibly be obtained for the teachers at this school; and while we know nothing whatever about the place, we would like to hear more. A school that can make children go to their classes with joyous zest would be worth studying.

Yet, when you stop to think about it, the wonder is that all schools are not like that. Surely the school authorities have everything in their favor as far as the raw material is concerned. The youngster who trudges off to school for the first time begins his journey with high hopes. He is eager to go. School is going to be fine stuff. He presents himself, wide-eyed and expectant, ready to drink in the marvels that are to be presented to him. Remember how it was?

On top of that, every child has an overwhelming thirst for information—any and all kinds of it. There are many, many things in this world about which he knows nothing, and most of them are fascinating. It is the job of the school teacher to feed him this information; and, considering the appetite the average youngster takes to school with him, the job ought to be easy.

But somehow it isn't. Somewhere along the line there is a slip-up. The child is not long in discovering that school work is chiefly drudgery. If the school and the child are both normal—representative, that is, of the great average—the child soon entertains a lively hatred for the place, and wants nothing so much as to be everlastingly free from it.

Part of this, probably, is due to the fact that learning anything has its dull moments. To play the violin, for instance, is very gratifying; but before one can produce anything that even approximates pleasing music one must spend long hours at the most uninspiring sort of study and practice. The preliminary steps are bound to be more or less discomforting.

But is that all of it? Shouldn't it be possible for the school to be fascinating and enjoyable? This little story from the banks of the Hudson makes it seem so, at any rate.

## A Trifle Protracted

THE delays of the law are proverbial; but occasionally a case illustrates the snail-like progress of our judicial machinery so excellently that it is worth citing in detail.

In October of 1929 a New York jury indicted the directors of a certain bank that had failed. That, as such things go, is relatively a long time ago. But it was just the other day that the New York court of appeals ruled that the indictment was valid, and that the indicted men may be brought to trial on it.

Here, then, we have a delay of approximately 16 months before even so much as the validity of the indictment had been established. At that rate a final verdict as to the guilt or innocence of the accused men ought to be ready, say, by 1936.

If that were an isolated instance, of course, it would not be important. But it is not isolated, nor is it peculiar to New York. It is typical of the sort of delay that is always cropping out in American criminal procedure; and it is one of the chief reasons for the prevalence of crime in the nation today.

## Bad News From the Campus

ACCORDING to the raids made by police on University of Michigan fraternity houses, undergraduate drinking must be almost as prevalent as some of the calamity howlers have been insisting.

In one house, two suitcases full of whisky were seized. In another, there were seized 12 quarts and 12 pints; in another, 10 quarts, and half a case of beer; in another, a suitcase full of whisky; in another, six quarts.

Such supplies would not accumulate unless there was more than a little guzzling going on. The revelation is one of the most shocking to come from an American campus in many years.

## *Quotations Worth Noting*

The greatest of British interests is peace.—Viscount Cecil.

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There are three eminent pleasures in life—construction, destruction and obstruction.—Robert Lynd.

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The next two or three years will witness the test of whether or not our government can enforce its prohibition laws.—Dr. James M. Doran, former federal prohibition administrator.

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The vast and untiring energy that some women put into their mere physical appearance proves that they see only one, and that not the best, side of man.—C. R. W. Nevinson.

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If you would invest in friendship, purchase a dog.—Le Baron Cooke.

## WALTER WINCHELL *On Broadway*

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**Man Talking to Himself**

What a thrill it was at the George M. Cohan the other premiere night ...When Mr. Chaplin's "City Lights" triumphed and made the best-lighted thoroughfare in the world so much brighter...Before a selected group of the Stem's Sophs, it romped into their hearts and touched them so deeply, at times, it made them weep...And if they didn't, then their throats ached from trying to suppress their emotions...What a sentimentalist he is!...When he isn't cracking your ribs in two with this silly or that one...I never laughed so loud or long!...I never enjoyed a talkie so much as I enjoyed the "City Lights" softy...It doesn't matter to me what is the matter with the picture ...I mean, what the technicians argue is the matter with it...It is an achievement!...A superb amusement!...For nearly two hours it made me dismiss from my aching head all the minor bruises that come with The Struggle.

What a grand satisfaction it must have been to Chaplin to sit among his critics and hear them join in the Bravos!...After all the years, too, of patiently striving to prove that the commotion flickers could never erase the pantomime—providing them were done in the artful and adroit manner...George Jean Nathan, who rarely frequents the chin-emas, came in his elevated bonnet and studs...Ziegfeld appeared to enjoy it emotionally...Mr. Woollcott yelped, yipped and yahooed it! ...Some of us were so touched by the blind girl angle that the compelling finish flooded the orbs, making it difficult to see the very last snapshots...Chaplin tears at your guts and then rips you wide open, that's what he does...The tougher-skinned, however, would have you believe it is all so much hokum... All right, then. So it is!...Call it Ho-ho-ho-hokum, however...More amusing to me, though, was observing Morris Gest, who occupied an aisle pew in the rear of the lower floor...During the cheering at the denouement, he seemed to be the only "master of art" who didn't applaud...Probably Morris was too spellbound...I prefer to think that, anyway.

The next time I see Bob Garland I must tell him what a grand piece of last paragraph he penned in his Saturday stint...The most delightful wordage I have read in seasons ...Well, it is good to see in the Journal that Miss Marilyn Miller, in Paree, told reporters that she is going to marry Fred Astaire... When I jotted down that item in a gossip bureau ever so many Mondays ago, Adele, his sister, and Fred, too, got dramatic about the "inaccuracy"...Wonder what became of that trial in Judge Mulqueen's court...I mean the one in which an interior decorator complained that two gals, Ruth Bennett and Helene Lane, of 162 West 97th street, had tried the extortion scheme on him—or they would "tell all to Winchell"...Heheheh—what next?...If they are found guilty I trust His Honor will put them on strawberries (without sugar) for two years!...The dopes!...Flagrant evils cure themselves by being flagrant.

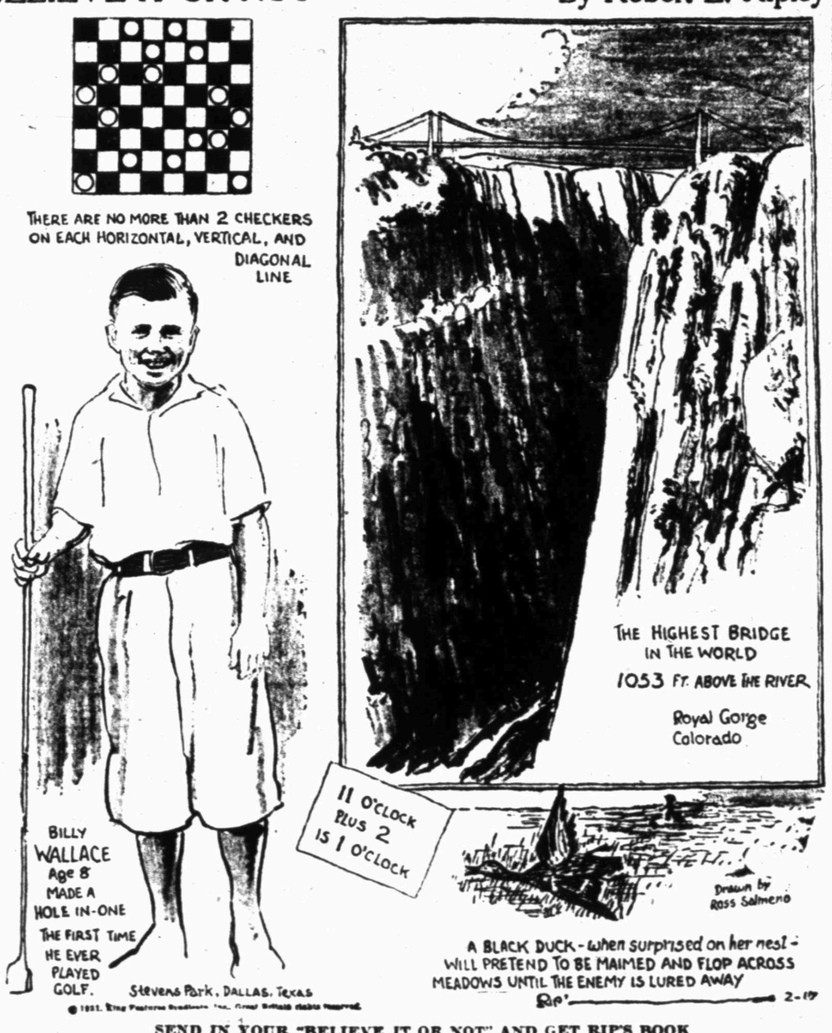
Virginia Cherrill, Chaplin's leading lady, and June MacCloy, of "Reaching for the Moon," are dead ringers...Poor Belle Livingstone... The day she steps out of the jailhouse she will be yanked back into the federal bldg. on another charge ...Charlie King does have a trying time with the range in "Where Have You Been?"...It is a honey of a tune, however...Helen Morgan opens tonight at the Hollywood, Miami...Wonder if it is true that Helen and Arthur Loew won't do that altar thing, after all?...Ditto on the talk that Otto H. Kahn paid Billy Rose, producer of "Sweet and Low," a terrific sum to release Hannah Williams from her agreement —so she could wed his boy, Roger? ...Mad about that verse to "Overnight", which goes: "I don't know why but the thrill is gone. And what was—can't go on . . . I only know that the flame is cold...Love was young—now it's old."

Fate is too cruel, at times...That accident at the State Fair coliseum in Detroit, frixample...When the trapeze artists, Carl and Katherine Solt, were doing their specialty high in the air before 10,000 thrilled auditors...Carl was hanging by his knees on the trapeze, and holding his wife by the hands...Then he whirled her into the air, catching her toes...When he tried a second whirl, their fingers touched, but not long enough...She died five minutes later, poor thing...They were to have retired at the end of the season, spending the rest of their lives on a model farm, near Denver, Ind., their home town... Carl must feel so alone, now... Schiller thought: "What is so universal as death must be a benefit."

Detroit must be a nice place in which to dwell, at that...Windsor, Ontario, being but a nickel away through the tunnel reserved for autos...They say that the stage mechanics and musicians who work for shows playing in Detroit—live in Ontario so they can be that nearer to the Blind Pigs in Windsor... Where the rye costs $2.30, the Scotch $4.55 per bottle. The best nose-paint, they add, costs no more there...The fines are severe, however, if you are caught drinking in public...One lad while in his car, driving back from Windsor to Detroit, was caught gargling a bottle of beer...They nicked him for $200 ...Goodgahd!...The beer is but three smackers per case—but beer!

I think Dr. Seuss is grand...He says that a compliment is when you say something to another which he and we know is not true...The Wesley Ruggles and Peggy Joyce thing can't be that serious?...That bathing-suited, shapely thing swinging in the electric lights at 47th street during a heavy snow-fall is Something to See...It is amazing how some women, after being divorced or parted from their men, awaken, and make themselves more alluring...That attorney's discarded wife, frinstance...When she used to sit with him in a delicatessen booth night after night, she appeared so ordinary. At the Richman the other 3 a. m., her eyes sparkled under the mascara-beads...Her arms were so white... Her lips so red...The wave in her hair...Her slim lines...Her evening gown hugged her thighs in the Cleopatra manner...There was once a church debate, it is said, over whether or not a woman was a human being!...Wonder how many people have noticed that all the sarcasms on women to be found in Shakespeare are put into the mouths of villains!

## BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - By Robert L. Ripley

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Everyone must have encountered in his own experience some unique person, event or fact which would be an excellent subject for Robert L. Ripley's "Believe It or Not" cartoon. Readers are invited to send such suggestions to Mr. Ripley through this newspaper. Every suggestion must be accompanied by references or proofs that will authenticate it. For every suggestion he accepts Mr. Ripley will give an autographed copy of his book, "Believe It or Not.". All that is necessary to get the book is to watch for the Ripley cartoon in which your winning suggestion appears, clip the cartoon from this paper and send it to Mr. Ripley in care The Record News.

## THE LOVELY LIAR : BY ROB EDEN

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**

Poppy Prior runs away to New York when Ted Allison deserts her on the eve of their elopement, because she fears her mother's disapproval. Arrested for stealing a bracelet belonging to Celia Nixson, which she found on the train, Poppy lies when cross-questioned, fearful that her mother may hear of the arrest. Kevin Wallace, friend of Celia, offers to help Poppy whenever he can, because he thinks she is innocent. Escaping from the girls' home to which she is committed, Poppy appeals to Wallace. He sends her to Jane Rochester and art student, who insists that Poppy share her apartment. She gets Poppy a job as model in the department store where she works. A chance meeting with Ted leads to his proposal of marriage. Though she loves Wallace, Poppy sees marriage to Ted as a solution of her tangled affairs. She accepts him, despite Jane's efforts to dissuade her. The license purchased, the wedding hour approaching, Poppy realizes that she can't go through with it and sends messages to Ted and Jane. Ted, furious, leaves the city. Jane, in love with Wallace herself, plans an unneeded vacation to throw Wallace and Poppy together.

**Now Go on With the Story**

CHAPTER XXX

The apartment was lonely without Jane. Lonlier than Poppy had imagined it would be. The easel gone from the window, for Jane had taken it with her. Empty hooks in the closet, where Jane's clothes had hung. She missed the talks they had, the chatter at the breakfast table, the older girl's serious blue eyes, the flutter of her thin hands. Jane's hands were beautiful. The liveliest hands Poppy had ever seen. So expressive, so sensitive.

Kevin had been very nice. He called up every night, and three times Poppy had had dinner with him, and a long ride after. Three times in a week. He knew how she missed Jane. True he was formal, and kind, and treated her like a little sister, but even to see him was a joy. To wait for his calls every night. Poppy was happier than she had been for a long time.

Once he had pinched her cheek laughingly, as he would a small child. His touch on her chin left Poppy weak and dizzy. If he only wouldn't be so—so brotherly. Yet he always had been, except once. That Sunday evening at the inn on the Boston Post road. For a few moments, then, moments Poppy treasured more than any other, he had been tender. As if he might—love her. She frowned when she thought of that. Wrong. It was so apparent he didn't love her. Only liked her. Pitied her, perhaps, and she didn't want to be pitied. She wanted, more than anything else in the world, Kevin to love her.

He never would . . .

Still she shouldn't be pining about that now when he was so good to her. When he was trying to amuse her. She should be thankful she saw him at all. Thankful for very small favors.

Always when she thought of Kevin, she thought of that evening at the inn. The glowing, spitting fire, the dim, candle-lighted room, their table, with Kevin beside her. Kevin moving his chair over nearer hers, looking in her eyes. Telling her she should be wearing flowers in her hair . . . Kevin's eyes so somber, so tender. His voice husky, low.

Then his laugh, but she didn't want to recall that. That harsh laugh, as if he suddenly realized what he was doing.

No, she didn't want to remember any more, after the laugh. The silent ride back to the city, as if Kevin were angry at something. Furious with himself. What had she done? Some day she intended to ask him.

"Letter for you, Miss Rochester," the phone girl said Saturday when she came home from work. Poppy took the letter addressed to Mrs. Theodore Allison and was about to walk away. Letters from home always frightened her a little. The thought that her mother might be worse. Then the way they were addressed. Mrs. Theodore Allison. That was the worst. She invariably got a shock when she saw that name. Memories of it were still very bitter.

"Are you married, Miss Rochester? I never asked you before, but you get all your mail under the name of Mrs. Allison," the girl went on.

"I—these are from my home." All her letters, Poppy got so few, except the ones from home. Now that Jane was gone, she had had a few letters from her, addressed to Poppy Rochester.

**A Man Calls**

"I kinda wondered. You look so young. I suppose you're divorced, or getting a divorce or something. Work down at Randolph's, don't you? Oh, that reminds me. A man has been calling for you every ten minutes since 5:30. Not the man that usually calls—Mr. Wallace. He always tells me his name. This other man wouldn't give me his name, or his number. Seemed kinda mad when you weren't here, the last time. I told him you usually went out to dinner, after work and didn't get back until 7. All right?"

"He wouldn't give his name?" Poppy didn't have men calling her up very much. Nobody except this last week, Kevin. She couldn't account for her mysterious caller.

"No, he wouldn't."

Could it be—Ted? No, he was in Boston. It couldn't be Ted. He might have come back, though. She was puzzled as she went up in the elevator. But Ted wouldn't be calling, after what she had done.

Since Jane had left she hadn't thought of him, hadn't worried about him. But then, in Ashland, he hadn't treated her fairly.

When she reached the apartment she was nervous, lonelier than ever. Kevin wasn't coming tonight. He had another engagement, he had said. With Celia Nixson? Probably, although she didn't know and hadn't liked to ask him.

The whole evening alone . . . Oh, the letter from home. She had recognized Grace's handwriting down in the hall. Nothing important, she supposed. Grace's letters were mostly the same, news of her mother, that she was doing nicely. Love to Ted.

"Dear Poppy," this one read, but the girl stiffened as she glanced down the closely written page. "Mother came home from the hospital today. The doctor said there was no need for her to stay any longer. She's not improving as he had hoped. I'm sorry to tell you. Still awfully nervous, and the slightest thing upsets her.

"We don't have to have a nurse, as I can take care of her very nicely. She's walking a little now and then and the doctor said to let her do little things, things that won't fatigue her too much.

"However, she has you on her mind. You and Ted. Wants badly to see Ted. Not an hour goes by but that she mentions him and you. I told the doctors about it, and he told me to write you and tell you to come down and bring Ted. So if you can, everything will be fine. I know mother will be much better, after she sees Ted and finds out what a fine man he is.

"Don't misunderstand me about mother. She isn't worse. She's really better, but her nerves are still bad. If you'll write and tell me when you'll come, I'll have your room all ready for you. Roy is fine. Love, Grace."

A few tears fell on the white paper, as Poppy slipped the letter back into the envelope and put it with others just like it in the box in her dresser drawer.

She couldn't bring Ted home with her because there wasn't any Ted to bring. The muddle she had made of her life was getting worse and worse.

**Ted Pays a Visit**

Slowly she wrote her daily letter to Grace. She tried to make them bright, happy letters, for Mrs. Prior read every one of them, looked for them every day, Grace said. Avoided any mention of Ted in most of them, and in a few sent love from Ted. Only a few because her mother expected it.

This time her task was harder. She had to explain in some reasonable way to Grace that Ted couldn't come to Ashland. She could come, but Ted was busy and couldn't get away. Perhaps later on in the fall. Her effort was far from satisfactory when she finally finished the note. Still it would have to do. After she had read it over twice, discouraged, she added a postscript. "I can come immediately if you need me, Grace, dear, and Ted is so sorry he can't—" There she had repeated what she had in the letter, but she wanted to reassure her mother that Ted really wanted to come.

This mythical Ted. Not so mythical because there really was a Ted Allison. But this Ted whom her mother thought her husband. This Ted she had to mention now and then in her letters, convincing them at home that she was as happy as she could be.

Her mother would like letters with more news of Ted. A lot of news, but Poppy couldn't bear to write them. Didn't dare. The ground she was on was dangerous enough as it was. A little too dangerous for her liking.

Everything lately seemed to be going around in a circle. This deception about Ted. Would it never end? No finish to anything. The home—that was a circle too. Danger there hadn't ended. The home. What had become of Ellen Webb? Had she been dismissed? Probably. And Ginger Rogers, and Mimi? What were they doing? Still planning to escape?

The nightmare of the Minnie Bascum home. Often she dreamed about it, thought in her sleep she was still there, heard the big gong ring for meals, for classes, for everything. Saw the sullen faces of the girls, the homely aprons. Woke up trembling, weary from the dream. It had been a dream, hadn't it? It couldn't have been real . . . But it was. Too real. Too terrible.

She sealed the letter to Grace, put an air mail and a special delivery stamp on it, and ran out to mail it so her mother could read it tomorrow.

Smiling at the phone girl as she passed through the lobby on her way back to the elevator, she stopped when the girl called to her.

"Man came in for you while you were gone. I said I thought you'd be right back, because I saw the letter in your hand and you didn't have a hat on. I sent him upstairs. He's probably waiting outside the door."

"Man?"

"Yeh. Not Mr. Wallace. I know him. Same voice that called. I recognized it."

Poppy was panicky as she pressed the button in the elevator. If it were Ted—

And it was. He was leaning against the door, as she came around the corner from the elevator.

(Continued Wednesday)

## Tillman Cleans Up Punchboards

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 16.—A large assortment of punchboards and prizes were confiscated Saturday in different parts of the county by Sheriff W. A. McAfee and his deputies and brought to the courthouse where they will be later sold at auction and the money given to the school fund. No arrests were made but if any more punchboards are operated County Attorney A. C. Chaney will have the guilty ones arrested, he says. Maximum penalty is two years in the penitentiary and a fine of $2,500.

Punchboards found in Frederick were taken in charge Saturday morning by Chaney, McAfee and others. Punchboards and prizes in other towns were confiscated by the deputies, M. E. Gregory at Davidson, Homer Powers at Tipton, and Earl Maxey at Grandfield. Constable Bill Jones who was sent to Manitou reported that he was unable to locate any punchboard.

## Answers to Questions

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN

Have we had the pleasure of serving you through our Washington information bureau? Can't we be of some help to you in your problems? Our business is to furnish you with authoritative information, and we invite you to ask us any question of fact in which you are interested. Send your inquiry to the Record News Information bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, director, Washington, D. C. Enclose two cents in coin or stamps for return postage.

**Q.—What is the difference between filibustering and log-rolling?—T. H. W.**

A.—Filibustering is the name given to retarding legislation by taking up the time in lengthy speeches, etc., which delays the vote until too late. Log-rolling is a term given to the practice of combining to assist in getting through one measure in return for help in getting another measure passed in which the other party is interested.

**Q.—How far from Jerusalem was Bethlehem?—T. B.**

A.—Bethlehem is located in Palestine, a country southwest of Syria. The village was about five miles from Jerusalem.

**Q.—When was the theater in Paris built around which the "Phantom of the Opera" was written?—E. F.**

A.—The French Opera theater was originally founded in 1671. However, after several changes of locale it was officially transferred from the Rue Le Peletier to its present site—1861-1875.

**Q.—When were trials by battle discontinued in England?—M. W.**

A.—The case was the murder of Mary Ashford by Abraham Thornton, May 27, 1817. The defendant using the Statute of Gloucester pled not guilty and was acquitted. English law permitted the next friend of the deceased to bring a second suit within a year and a day, and this was done by the brother of the girl who was most brutally murdered. The defendant at this second trial pled not guilty and threw down his glove demanding trial by combat, which the judge (Chief Justice Ellenborough) decided was according to English law in the following statement: "The general law of the land is in favor of the wager of battel and it is our duty to pronounce the law as it is and not as we may wish it to be. Whatever prejudices therefore may justly exist against the mode of trial, still as it is the law of the land the court must pronounce judgement for it." The brother of the girl, Wm. Ashford, was weak and frail and following the procedure of the law was permitted to cry craven and recede from the trial. This resulted in practically an acquittal for Thornton who disappeared and is said to have gone to America. This trial resulted in an act of parliament passed June 23, 1819, which received the royal assent abolishing trials by "battel."

**Q.—Please give some information about the Hoover medal—J. R. D.**

A.—The Hoover medal was awarded by the American Association of Mechanical Engineers. The society decided to award a medal to a prominent engineer that had made a notable contribution to public life. President Hoover was the first to receive this medal. This medal will be awarded from time to time by this association. At the request of the organization President Hoover consented to have the medal named the Hoover medal. From now on, the medal will be known by this name. The society selects the recipient of the medal.

**Q.—Is it possible to trace a telephone call which has been made over a dial telephone?—F. J.**

A.—It is not.

**Q.—Has congress made appropriations for sufferers from disasters in foreign countries?—G. F. A.**

A.—Appropriations and relief legislation have been provided by congress for the relief of sufferers caused by earthquakes, floods, fires and other disasters from 1803 to 1929. Some help has been given to the following governments: Venezuela, Ireland, Scotland, France, Germany, India, French West Indies, Bulgaria, Italy, China, Austria, Hungary, Turkey, Russia, Smyrna and Japan.

**Q.—Did Mona Lisa originally have eyebrows?—E. S.**

A.—She has none now. It is probable that she had before time and the restorer harmed the portrait.

**Q.—Is the wild white strawberry extinct?—V. L. K.**

A.—There is a cultivated white strawberry which grows in France, but it rarely grows in the United States. Wild white strawberries are sports of the red strawberries. The bureau of plant industry does not know of any wild strawberries that are naturally white.

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## First Methodist W. M. S. Meets In Social Sessions

Members of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church met in circles Monday afternoon for study in "The Prodigal Son" and social programs. Circle one met at the home of Mrs. H. D. Egger with Mrs. B. P. Williams giving the devotional and Mrs. J. C. Russell discussing the topic in the mission book. A short business meeting was presided over by Mrs. J. C. Russell after which Mrs. B. P. Williams conducted the Bulletin news. The little Wallace girls gave two Martha Washington readings.

Following the business meeting which was presided over by Mrs. T. C. Anthony Jr., refreshments were served to Mesdames J. W. Akin Jr., C. W. Gilliland, A. L. Hecht, Lloyd Taylor, R. T. Sloan, Franklin Henderson, F. C. Carter, Bert Bean, T. C. Anthony Jr., H. D. Egger, R. M. Stinson, T. H. Lawson, S. D. Johnson, J. A. Shepherd, J. C. Russell, B. P. Williams, J. R. Ogle, A. H. Drake, W. J. Grisham, H. F. Spiker and W. H. Kiel.

**Circle Three**

Members of circle three met at the home of Mrs. N. H. Martin. Mrs. J. C. Hanks presided over the meeting which was opened with a song. Mrs. R. L. Underwood gave an inspirational devotional after which Mrs. C. A. Rogers discussed topics in the lesson. The feature of the program was several beautiful readings by Miss Marguerite Fisher.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. S. Potts, J. C. Hanks, J. L. Conn, N. H. Martin, O. B. Womack, C. A. Rogers, C. B. Haynie, Ruth Cain, Horrace Robbins, F. P. Warren, W. W. Noe, R. V. Gwinn, George Dobson, Dick Levy, E. T. Stephens, L. I. Lucey, Jason Walker, Williams, N. M. Clifford, S. S. McKenney, R. L. Underwood and Miss Marguerite Fisher.

**Circle Four**

Mrs. Clyde Stuckey, Mrs. W. A. Stuckey and Mrs. Ray Thompson were hostesses to members of circle four in the church parlors. The devotional was given by Mrs. J. C. A. Guest after which Mrs. C. Y. Tully gave a vocal solo. Talks were given by Mrs. J. D. Bright and Dr. S. S. McKenney.

Those present were Mesdames J. C. A. Guest, Charles J. Tucker, R. D. Kennedy, W. B. Hamilton, J. B. Bright, C. C. Collier, W. C. Cole, J. J. Moorhead, A. J. Albritton, C. E. Huffman, R. M. Morrow, F. J. McCullough, C. S. Quinn, S. F. Basham, Ola Ballard, Myrtle Montgomery, J. R. Loggie, T. C. Wages, C. Y. Tully, A. D. Duncan, A. C. Walker, Norman Downing, W. A. Mangum and Miss Douglass, Mrs. Williams of Decatur was a special guest.

**Circle Five**

Mrs. Homer Lee was hostess to members of circle five. The devotional was given by Mrs. W. H. Downing after which John A. O'Brien gave three selections on the harmonica and Russell McAfee gave two readings. A round-table discussion was held on the missionary topic after which reprots of the various officers were heard.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames G. K. Wilson, Mattie Jaco, Bertha Reid, R. J. Irvine, J. L. Eggleston, Charles E. Litchfield, T. A. Hicks, Sterling P'Pool, Q. B. Lee, J. S. Gerlock, Sam Acton, Sarah Moffett, G. W. Cooper, P. F. Lesh, J. M. Dearman, J. E. O'Brien, L. C. Ulrich, W. H. Downing, C. J. Barner, W. J. Ranbarger, Maude Price, C. E. Pross, Tschabold, M. T. Junker and W. R. McAfee.

**Circle Six**

Mrs. L. N. Bassett entertained members of circle six at her home on Pearl street with Mesdames C. N. Doke, A. E. Brown and W. J. Nolen assisting.

Mrs. H. S. Calhoun gave the devotional and the mission topic was taught by Mrs. Martin Rowe, after which, in a social half hour, readings were given by Miss Inez Terrell and Billie Burke Taylor.

A refreshment plate was served to Mesdames J. W. Akin Sr., J. M. Brown, A. E. Brown, L. N. Bassett, H. J. Bruce, H. S. Calhoun, D. J. Carithers, E. A. Cox, K. B. Dodge, C. M. Doke, E. S. Easton, H. M. Evans, R. C. Flack, E. L. Gerhardt, Ben Howle, George Keith, J. W. Lyle, John Marrs, C. M. McFarland, T. D. Moore, W. J. Nolen, G. A. Remington, Martin Rowe, W. R. Scott, C. W. Snider, Mack Thomas and one guest Miss Inez Terrell.

**Circle Seven**

Mrs. E. H. Ames was hostess to members of circle seven at her home on Lucile street with Mesdames A. B. Lipscomb and E. N. Ash assistant hostesses.

Mrs. D. M. Hardy gave the devotional on the prodigal son and Mrs. W. R. McKinney gave the topic after which Mrs. J. Truman Stevens gave an interesting story of the prodigal son from Papini's "Life of Christ."

After a social half hour, a refreshment plate was served to Mesdames T. A. Baggett, G. C. Bullington, J. S. Bridwell, L. A. Ferguson, D. M. Hardy, W. C. Hamilton, G. D. Hall, A. W. Karrenbrock, W. O. Kimmell, C. E. Miller, R. J. Myers, T. B. Noble, C. E. Rhodes, I. E. Silkwood, J. Truman Stevens, A. L. Sullens, C. P. Warman and the hostesses, Mesdames W. W. Cook, Minton and Morris were guests.

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### Mrs. Wyatt Parrish Has Sewing Group

Mrs. Wyatt Parrish was hostess to members of circle four of the First Baptist W. M. S. Monday when 10 garments were made for an orphan's box in an all-day sewing.

At noon a delightful cafeterian style luncheon was served to Mesdames Dave Shepherd, Bert King, J. N. Huff Sr., Miss Fannie May Barnes, Mesdames S. A. Rosser, M. Staniforth, W. E. Carter, Tom Martin, Ralph Hines, J. Talmage, John Shepherd, Daisy Dean, C. R. Neal and the hostess.

## Highland Heights Divisions Have All Day Sessions

Indian missions were interesting topics Monday when the Woman's Council of Highland Heights Christian church met in divisions with covered dish luncheons at noon. Mrs. Mattie Carey was hostess to members of division one and Mrs. A. L. Williams gave the devotional, taking as her subject, "After the Showing, the Harvest." Prayer and music followed before the mission topic.

Mrs. H. E. Eichler and Mrs. R. L. Williams gave interesting discussions of topics "When Will Indian Churches Become Self-Supporting?" and "If You Won't Help, Who Will?" The Bible quiz was given by Mrs. H. T. Gilbert.

Luncheon was served to Mesdames C. E. Russell, Thelma Williams, H. T. Gilbert, H. E. Eichler, R. L. Williams, I. W. Oakey, J. B. Tillery, I. W. Williams, Ed Weehunt, J. W. Evans, Charles Nachtigal, Patrick Henry, J. F. McKinley, P. L. Benton, I. W. Rogers, the hostess and Mrs. O. O. Gilbert, a visitor.

**Division Two**

Members of division two met with Mrs. W. A. Franklin at 10:30 o'clock and the morning session was given to the study of Indian missions with Mrs. Phil Hesler giving the opening prayer and conducting the lesson.

Mesdames W. P. Hammond and Paul Putty discussed the questions on the lesson in special papers and the Bible drill was led in an interesting manner.

Mrs. G. W. Curd, division leader, presided in the short business session following luncheon.

Covers were laid for Mesdames G. A. Miller, Paul Putty, W. P. Hammond, Lile, J. W. Bradley, J. N. Sherrill, White, Jean de Merio, G. B. Curd, Phil Hesler, J. B. McNeil, Mont Groves and the hostess.

**Division Three**

Mrs. H. E. Kurtz was hostess to members of division three when the meeting was opened with group singing and Mrs. W. F. Coker gave an inspirational devotional using "After the Sowing, the Harvest," as her theme.

In the program on Indian missions, Mrs. W. E. Baxter had the topic on Indian schools and Mrs. P. B. Curd discussed the question "When Will the Indian Churches Be Self-Supporting?" An interesting Bible quiz was held before luncheon.

The afternoon hours were spent in piecing a quilt. Covers at luncheon were laid for Mesdames J. P. Chastain, P. B. Curd, W. E. Baxter, W. P. Crouch, Joe Crouch, W. R. Stout, Lula Lane, T. E. Durrett, Viola Frost, B. M. Fowler, E. H. Halbert, W. F. Kolter, W. D. Walton, John Glaab, the hostess and two guests, Mrs. E. A. Pearson and Miss Reba Joe Curd.

**Division Four**

Members of division four met at the home of Mrs. W. E. Prater where Mrs. E. H. Taubert was joint hostess in the covered dish luncheon.

The meeting was opened with song and Mrs. F. B. Mashburn gave the inspiring devotional followed by prayer by Mrs. Taubert. Mrs. B. D. Sartin gave the world call article on helping Indian schools and Mrs. B. B. Craft discussed the question of self-supporting in the Indian churches.

In a short business meeting, plans were made for the candy sale to be held Friday.

Members present were Mesdames Selena Hammond, F. B. Mashburn, Paul Barnett, Paul Steed, B. B. Craft, B. D. Sartin, S. B. Wilson, Barnard, E. G. Taubert, E. L. Moon, J. A. Smith, Clyde Carey and W. O. Prater.

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### Altar Society Will Serve Dinner

Members of the Altar society of the Sacred Heart church will serve dinner at the church hall Tuesday evening from 5 to 8 o'clock, it has been announced.

The public is invited to attend.

Health Better Than Riches

"Before I was married, my mother and sister and I did all the farming work on a 64-acre farm for eleven years. I married a farmer and now in addition to my housework and the care of my children I help him with the outside work on our farm. After my last child was born, I began to suffer as many women do. Our family doctor gave me medicine but no results. One day he told me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did and now I am a new woman and I know that good health is better than riches."—Mrs. Clyde I. Sherman, R. #1, Lickdale, Pennsylvania.

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## Mission Lessons Feature Meetings Of Grant Street

Members of the Grant Street Methodist Woman's Missionary society met in circles Monday afternoon for study in the mission book. Circle one was entertained at the home of Mrs. A. T. Crump when she was assisted by Mrs. R. E. Stewart. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. Charles Berry after which Mrs. Crump gave the devotional. Mrs. Sam Barley read a prayer from the leaflet and talks were given by Mesdames E. A. Miles, D. A. James and John Singleton. Mrs. C. McClendon gave the social service report and Mrs. O. L. Holmes gave the treasurer's report.

A short business session was conducted by Mrs. D. O. Waymire when it was planned to quilt at the home of Mrs. O. L. Holmes Wednesday. Each member was requested to bring a covered dish.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames I. L. Sides, S. Myers, D. A. James, Charles Berry, J. S. Denton, E. A. Miles, R. E. Stewart, R. E. Liste, J. H. Halmark, O. W. Holmes, C. McClendon, Sam Barley, R. L. Ballentine, A. T. Crump, John Singleton and D. O. Waymire.

**Circle Two**

Mrs. H. A. Bancroft was hostess to members of circle two. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. W. E. Hodges with Mrs. Joe Counts giving the devotional. Following the opening prayer members repeated the Lord's prayer in unison after which Mrs. Counts conducted the lesson in the mission book. Topics were given by Mesdames M. N. Johnson, J. B. McMahon and Roy Thompson.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. H. Black, E. L. Shy, G. N. Walker, W. E. Hodges, J. S. Counts, J. B. McMahon, J. C. Goudy, H. A. Baker, B. Y. Kaufman, E. A. Partin, Albert Banning, Roy Thompson, M. N. Johnson and H. A. Bancroft.

**Circle Three**

Mrs. Marshall Doke entertained members of circle three. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. O. F. Coleman after which Mrs. C. W. Thomas gave a vocal solo. The devotional was given by Mrs. T. M. Bridges after which talks were given by Mesdames R. D. Smith, E. T. Farmer and Marshall Doke. In the business session plans were made for the activities of the group for the next few months.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames T. M. Bridges, R. D. Smith, O. F. Coleman, E. T. Farmer, C. W. Thomas, J. L. Gambril, C. O. Badgley, Marshall Doke, T. W. Fulkerson, Louise Oltman and R. C. Gilbert.

## CALENDAR

**TUESDAY**

Open meeting Musicians club at parish house. Mrs. Flora Anderson Greenwood, leader of program.

Culture club with Mrs. Vonder-Au at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Ben Newman leader of program on Bernard Shaw's "Man and Superman."

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

Sam Houston Study club, with Mrs. Neer, 2402 Fillmore, at 9:30 a. m.

Wichita Falls chapter 237 O. E. S. at Masonic temple, 7:30 p. m.

Executive board Woman's Forum at clubhouse, 9:30 a. m.

Bethany Sunday school class of First Baptist church entertains their husbands at old-fashioned party in church parlors at 7:30 p. m.

Major Francis Grice chapter D. A. R. colonial seated tea at country club, 3:30 p. m.

Altrusa dinner at Wichita club, 7:30 o'clock; music and fashion show to follow.

Highland Heights Baptist Bethany Sunday school class in business meeting at home of Mrs. Ray McKee, 2905 Hollywood, 2 o'clock.

Wee-che-tah chapter of the Delphian society at the Woman's Forum clubhouse at 10 o'clock.

Tejas chapter of the Delphian society at the Woman's Forum clubhouse at 10 a. m.

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### Floral Heights Group Meets at Church

Members of the Floral Heights Presbyterian Woman's Missionary society met at the church Monday afternoon for Bible study. Mrs. Frank Ray had charge of the business session and gave two chapters of the lesson. The meeting was dismissed with the Lord's prayer.

Those present were Mesdames J. R. Eason, R. C. Rayfield, Grafton Nycum, L. L. Davis, M. L. Patterson, Curtis Young, Frank Ray, W. L. Whittington, Ralph Dick and Otto Stehlik.


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## Splendid Program Given By Floral Heights Groups

Members of Floral Heights Methodist W. M. S. met Monday to study mission lessons and held the monthly social sessions. Announcement was made at each meeting of the world day of prayer to be held at the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, Friday, Feb. 20, beginning at 2:30 o'clock.

Members of circle one met at the home of Mrs. Marvin Smith in Country Club Estates where Mesdames Homer C. Jasper and Herbert Gray were assistant hostesses.

A shower to be given to the Day Nursery Monday, Feb. 23, was announced in the business meeting and Mrs. Herbert Gray gave the inspiring devotional opening and program. Bulletin news was given by Mrs. R. G. Cocanower and Mrs. Marvin Smith talked on "Missionary Aims and Missions of a New Day."

Program numbers announced by Mrs. Smith including a reading by Patricia Pond, piano number by Peggy Gray; reading by Katherine Jasper; violin solo, Marvin Jean Smith.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Edgar Ratcliff, M. C. Mertz, Perry Browning, J. M. Bradshaw, C. J. Bryan, R. G. Cocanower, L. E. Cowling, Herbert Gray, J. M. Hendrick, H. C. Jasper, C. C. McDonald, S. H. Minnick, Horace Mosteller, C. B. Montgomery, R. K. Pond, J. B. Norris, Marvin Smith, H. B. White, John Prewett and Miss Maude Fizer.

**Circle Two**

Members of circle two met at the home of Mrs. J. D. Hathorn with Mesdames Ross Coriett, J. A. Gardner and J. W. Donehoo as assistant hostesses. Mrs. H. G. Harris gave the devotional after which talks were given by Mesdames Horace Langford and E. F. Mabry. Miss Elizabeth Crump had charge of the bulletin news after which Miss Wacille Lee gave a reading.

Those present were Mesdames J. M. Alexander, R. J. Claypool, Ross Coriett, J. W. Donehoo, Claude Gilchrist, J. A. Gardner, M. T. Clements, T. S. Richardson, A. B. Gough, H. G. Harris, J. B. Hathorn, Horace Langford, T. S. Mabry, J. O. Pressley, B. L. Trevathan, J. W. Richardson, Ozella Scoggins and Miss Elizabeth Crump.

**Circle Three**

Mrs. M. J. Michaelias with Mesdames Betty Dolman, J. D. Cummings and R. B. Featherston entertained members of circle three at Mrs. Michaelias' home where Mrs. Clyde Tittle, chairman, presided.

Mrs. L. E. Cowling, a visitor from circle one, led the inspiring devotional after which Mrs. S. E. Trevathan, devotional chairman, spoke of the motive of this circle to deepen and strengthen prayer life and discussed the sin of prayerlessness. Mrs. Cowling closed the talk with a prayer.

Mrs. W. P. Ferguson led the mission program, giving an interesting paper and Mrs. O. W. Harvey, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Curtis Atkinson who gave three lovely poems of her own composition.

Henry Will Barton sang two numbers with Martha Johnson accompanying and Mrs. Joe Austin, a new member, gave a violin solo accompanied by Mrs. C. E. Deaton.

Mrs. Milo Connelly spoke on "Women and Their Work in the Church," and an interesting social service report showed an unusual amount of work done by the circle.

The hostesses served a delightful refreshment plate to Mesdames L. E. Cowling, S. E. Trevathan, O. W. Harvey, A. B. Adams, P. L. Myers, Betty Dolman, Joe Austin, R. B. Dixon, J. M. Wright, Murrell Hooper, R. J. Eubanks, R. E. Benson, F. W. Corbin, Clyde Tittle, E. D. Malone, Robert W. McClesky, Loren Taylor, J. D. Cummings, Glenn Laskey, S. V. White, J. C. Brown, C. C. Parfet, R. B. Featherston, Essie Deberry, W. P. Ferguson, C. E. Naylor, J. K. Naylor, Adrian Buxby, D. B. Foy, Milo Connelly, one new member, Mrs. Robert Walker, and guests, Mesdames C. E. Deaton and Curtis Atkinson, Miss Martha Johnson and Henry Will Barton.

**Circle Four**

Members of circle four met in the home of Mrs. Hal Yeager with Mesdames Joe Bailey, A. A. Spencer and O. E. Kimbell assistant hostesses.

Mrs. C. F. Helmcamp, circle leader, presided and Mrs. S. M. Gose gave the devotional on "Prayer." Mrs. J. A. Richker had an interesting paper on "The Missionary Movement for a New Day," and Mrs. E. R. White gave bulletin news. Readings were given by Bettie Joe Richker and Ruth Billingsly.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames M. C. Batey, C. F. Helmcamp, Lon Howard, T. O. Shappell, A. A. Spencer, F. M. Brown, E. H. Crump, S. M. Gose, Floyd Billingsly, W. M. Eliot, O. E. Eliot, O. E. Kimbell, J. L. Lee, J. A. Richker, John Taylor, E. R. White, R. A. Wolf, W. C. Woody, T. H. Cardin, P. F. McFall, Joe Bailey and two visitors, Mesdames Hoover and Ward and the hostesses.

**Circle Six**

With Mesdames C. M. Goodwin, Clyde Winfrey assisting, Mrs. Earl Stuckey entertained members of circle six in her home when Mrs. Curt Buddrus, circle leader, presided. Mrs. George Thorburn led the circle in singing "In the Garden."

A beautiful devotional and prayer of meditation was given by Mrs. T. R. Boone who read Bible lessons from Luke and told the story of "Consolation" closing with prayer.

In presenting "Spiritual Cultivation" Mrs. A. L. Lane made an inspiring talk and assigned the gospel of Luke for daily reading. Mrs. H. W. Barton gave the mission leaflet "A New Day in Mission Enterprise," and Mrs. M. J. McGuigan gave "A Mission Message for a New Day."

Mesdames C. G. Hughes, J. M. Hawley and F. T. Kelleher were appointed a visiting committee for March after roll call showed 23 present and nine ill. The social service report was given by Mrs. M. J. McGuigan. The circle voted to have a talent fund and a circulating basket and also a rummage sale on Feb. 28. A "Womanless Wedding" was planned for the early spring.

Readings were given by Ruth Nathalee Stuckey and Jimmie McGuigan and items from the Bulletin were given by Mrs. C. G. Hughes.

Mrs. Horace Mosteller, a visitor from circle one, gave a beautiful reading, "The Lost Word," and responded to an encoure with a dialect number.

A delightful refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Curt Buddrus, M. J. McGuigan, O. M. Pierce, C. G. Hughes, F. M. Morrison, W. J. Stuckler, Thomas A. L. Lane, J. J. Taylor, C. W. Lewis, Joseph Stevenson, J. A. Martin, J. M. Hawley, H. W. Barton, T. R. Boone, W. C. Chapman, W. H. Roper, E. V. Friberg, F. T. Kelleher, George Mosteller and the three hostesses.

**Circle Seven**

Mrs. John Dobbs entertained members of circle seven with Mesdames W. J. Burt, J. W. Ford and W. W. Riley as assistant hostesses. The devotional was given by Mrs. Harold Murph after which plans were made for a district school to open at the Floral Heights church the evening of Feb. 27th.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Mack Taylor, Lester Jones, Paul Scott, G. Wayne Barker, Frank Elkins, H. S. Ford, O. F. Marchman, J. B. McDowell, H. T. Moore, Harold Murph, J. W. Murph, Fred Behman, A. D. Tennyson, T. J. Waggoner, J. W. Cantwell and Rhea Howard.

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### Crockett P.-T. A. Will Study Parental Education

"Parental Education" will be the subject of the regular monthly meeting of the Crockett P.-T. A. at the school this afternoon at 3 o'clock with talks by several interesting speakers featuring the program.

The school orchestra will give several musical numbers and "Wisdom" will be the subject of the devotional. Mrs. C. A. Spraggins will address the body on "How the Home Develops a Firm Foundation for the Process of Education," and one of the pupils of the school will tell how to cultivate happiness.

"How the School Develops High Standards for Home Making," will be the theme discussed by Miss Ethel Morgan, one of the teachers at Crockett school and after the business meeting, members of the P.-T. A. will be invited to see a display of children's work.


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## Grace Methodist Aid Has Monthly General Meeting

Circle two of the Ladies Aid society of the Grace Methodist church was hostess Monday when the organization met in the regular monthly general meeting in the parlors of the church.

A delicious covered dish luncheon was served at noon and was followed by a short devotional service and business session.

Mrs. G. W. Corkhill, president, had charge of the meeting which was opened by sentence prayers by members and the singing of a hymn.

Reports from officers and standing committees were heard and announcement was made of a luncheon to be served to the Optimist club Wednesday noon.

It was voted that the organization serve a public dinner in the dining room of the church March 6, a part of the proceeds to be used as payment for repairs to the roof of the church building.

A large amount of social service work including 35 calls upon prospective members, those who were ill and others; money, clothing and food given to the needy, and flowers sent, was reported.

Members present were Mesdames D. A. Allen, C. A. Andree, E. C. Baker, G. W. Corkhill, D. C. Copelin, C. B. Earl, C. E. Dewitt, Annie Friberg, J. F. Friberg, I. W. Karrenbrock, R. W. Lowe, N. Manoushagian, J. H. Parker, O. W. Ross, W. W. Sherrill, J. J. Simon and T. Underwood.

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### Grover C. Johnson Jr. Has Birthday Party

Grover C. Johnson Jr. celebrated his sixth birthday Monday afternoon when a two-tiered cake adorned with red hearts and bearing six red candles was cut and served with cream to 40 children who were his guests at Miss Anna Belle Farquhar's private school on Tenth street.

Betty Jean Lynch cut the ring in the cake; Mary Jane Fischer cut the button; Charlotte Fine drew the heart, Dorothy Apple the thimble and the wishbone was cut by the young honoree.

The recess period was devoted to games celebrating the birthday.

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### Baptist Circle Meets For Luncheon Monday

Mrs. M. C. Hays was hostess to members of circle 12 of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church Monday when she entertained with a luncheon.

The luncheon was served on bridge tables decorated with George Washington emblems. Miniature hatchets were used as plate favors. The afternoon was spent in sewing for Buckner's Orphan home and the local thrift exchange.

Those present were Mesdames W. Daniels, J. L. Nikkel, O. G. Stephens, G. M. Tunis, J. W. Williamson, G. P. Raborn, Louis Byrd, C. W. Stovall, F. J. Ashmore, R. K. Hall, J. C. Mytinger, W. H. McDonald, George Smoot, James M. Ward and Ralph Maricle.

## First Presbyterian W. M. S. Studies Bible Text Book

Members of the First Presbyterian W. M. S. met in the parlors of the church Monday afternoon for a lesson in the Bible study book and following a short word of greeting from the new pastor, Rev. Geo. P. Horst, Mrs. O. E. Maer taught chapter 17 and 18 from "How to Know the Bible." Mrs. J. C. Hunt gave an inspiring talk on "Stewardship of Life," and Mrs. Walter Priddy, accompanied by Mrs. Luke McCrory, sang "The Old Rugged Cross."

The new desk and table purchased by the W. M. S. was in the parlors for the first time at this meeting and a green bowl filled with Los Angeles roses was a lovely decoration.

Members present were Mesdames O. E. Maer, R. O. Harvey, Alice Harvey, B. L. Fain, J. M. Bell, Fred T. Couper, Orville Bullington, E. W. Nicholson, G. D. Anderson, W. L. Crews, Ella Chandley, W. M. Wages, Luke McCrory, W. M. Priddy, J. C. Humphrey, W. W. Fraser, W. S. Robertson, J. M. Jernigan, Emma Goff, J. D. Robertson, O. Slopansky, J. C. Hunt, O. T. Gorsline, E. T. Duff, Frank Kell, H. J. Strief, Mark Walker, S. H. Burnsides, Max Shumake, H. O. Newton, C. B. Smith, J. W. Culbertson, W. D. Bolding, Newton Maer, W. H. Apple, T. H. Brock, Will Brothers, Luther Wright, C. I. Weldon, J. N. Prothro, Ed Howard, O. W. Wilson, B. D. Miller, Carrie Fidler, C. O. Nickell and C. M. Robinson.

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### Northside Baptist W. M. S. in Circles

Members of circle one of Northside Baptist W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. H. C. James who led the devotional and a lesson in the Bible course followed.

Those present were Mesdames A. B. Bateman, W. I. Stephens, C. A. Seal, J. M. Casey, Will Gillam, W. A. McAllister, Tom Parkinson, W. L. Hawkins, B. A. Fargason, R. L. Anderson, W. S. Sims, R. E. James, E. E. James, A. C. James, Noel Brashear and two visitors.

**Circle Two**

Mrs. W. F. Chambers was hostess to members of circle two who had an interesting mission study lesson followed by a short business meeting.

Mrs. Chambers gave the devotional and sentence prayers were given for the sick. Mrs. A. F. Harnish gave the closing prayer.

Those present were Mesdames Reb Huggins, L. H. Lawson, J. L. Riddles, A. F. Harnish, J. M. Bankston, E. L. Wells, Seth Weehunt, Charles Huggins, Ruth Enyart, G. G. Howell, George King, B. P. Douglass, J. B. O'Brannon, Tom Bankston, W. F. Chambers and C. B. Davis.


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## District Board To Be Honored With Luncheon

Austin School Parent-Teacher association will compliment the 13th district executive board with a luncheon Tuesday at 1 o'clock in the school cafeteria. In order that the hour between the morning and afternoon sessions may be as restful as possible for the guests, only a short program will be given including an address of welcome, by Mrs. H. R. Cloughley, president of the Austin P.-T. A., and musical selections by Miss Bernice Ewing's orchestra.

The district board, which expects to complete preparations for the April convention at Tuesday's conference, consists of Mesdames Frank Creighton, Harry ten Brink and J. M. Fox of Wichita Falls; Mrs. F. J. Marcel of Olney; Mrs. R. L. Kincaid of Crowell; Mrs. E. W. Cullers of Megargel; Mesdames St. Andrew Myers, W. C. Parrish, and J. W. Douthitt of Henrietta; Mrs. E. J. Torvie of Electra; Mesdames Gould Whaley and True Strong of Nocona; Mrs. J. B. Hill Jr., of Newcastle; Mrs. H. C. McClure of Jacksboro; Mesdames Oran Driver and W. F. Martin of Vernon. Mrs. R. L. Underwood, representing the city council P.-T. A. and Mrs. T. H. Lawson, who has been appointed general chairman of the convention will meet with the board and attend the luncheon.

Hostesses for this occasion are members of the executive board of the Austin school unit, including Mesdames H. R. Cloughley, W. E. Timblin, Ewing Claggett, J. T. Watson, C. W. Staley, J. W. Kirkpatrick, Luther Hull, W. E. Corder, J. E. O'Brien, J. R. Kolb, A. C. Milsap and Miss Cora Dell Woodward. A number of Austin school mothers have made reservations for the luncheon.


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# Health and Diet Advice

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

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

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**How to Stop Hiccoughs**

Hiccoughs are a laughing matter to most people, but when they continue for days at a time they cease to be funny, and when they occur at such inopportune times as while broadcasting, or when getting married or when in church, they may be very embarrassing.

This disorder usually comes on after a hearty dinner which causes a pressure on the diaphragm. It is a spasmodic contraction of the muscular diaphragm which we use in breathing. This contraction is either due to an irritation of the nerves supplying the diaphragm, or it is caused by irritation or pressure on the diaphragm. The sound is made by gulps of air which strike the glottis when it is partly closed.

Infants' hiccoughs are a sign of overfeeding and the same is true of older children. In such cases vomiting gives quick help. In adults hiccoughs often start after a meal of gas-forming foods. Eating too much, swallowing the food without chewing it properly, drinking too fast, and poor food combinations are the ordinary causes of hiccoughs, although they cometimes follow a spell of laughing or crying. They frequently complicate such diseases as kidney stones, pelvic disorders, typhoid, appendicitis, pneumonia, etc., and may be quite dangerous, as they cause a rapid exhaustion of the patient's strength.

Most hiccoughs are of a short duration, but sometimes become very severe and unless stopped may continue for hours, until the diaphragm becomes so irritated that it continues its spastic jerking, perhaps for days and nights at a time, interfering with the patient's sleep, conversation and eating.

Hiccoughs usually yield to simple measures, such as drinking a glass of cold water, holding the breath continually during that time. Inhaling and exhaling slowly and steadily will sometimes quiet the nerves of the diaphragm and stop the spasms. A piece of ice is effective in some cases. In babies the best plan is to hold the infant against your chest, patting it on the back which will aid it to belch up the gas and generally gives relief. In children, a towel wrung out of hot water and placed over the stomach is often good.

I have been able to stop cases coming to my attention, within a few minutes by the simple treatment of pressing upon the central cervical plexus of nerves in the neck. The patient may administer this treatment to himself by placing the fingers of each hand firmly on the neck, pressing forward at the same time the head is bent as far back as possible.

Should this treatment not be enough to stop the trouble, it would be well to call in an osteopath or chiropractor who by making skilled pressure at the exact spot will usually succeed in stopping the spams immediately.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

**Coccyalgia**

Question: Mrs. T. J. L. writes—"For the past few months I have had a peculiar pain at the very bottom of my spine, or tailbone. It seems to pain me worse when I arise from a chair. Please tell me what is the cause of this and what I can do to remedy it. It is not sore to the touch."

Answer—You probably have coccyalgia which is a pain in the cocyx, or tail-bone, usually due to rheumatism, neuritis, or injury of the bone. Sometimes a slight misplacement produces sufficient pressure on the nerves in this region to cause pain. I would suggest that you have an osteopathic or chiropractic examination. Also, use hot sitz baths 15 or 20 minutes each day.

**Meat Substitutes**

Question: G. R. asks—"What shall I do when it is impossible to have meat every day? Have a very bad case of colitis, also hyperacidity. Would it be very harmful to drink a glass or two of milk daily? If I eat just fruit and vegetables I lose weight and my friends tell me I 'look so bad,' and that is depressing."

Answer—You can use canned meat, or fish, chicken, rabbit or cheese. Nuts also make an excellent meat substitute for those who have strong digestive power. Milk contains a limited amount of protein, but two glasses a day would not supply you with enough of this necessary protein element. If the milk is used it should be used in combination with fruit or the non-starchy vegetables, and some other protein, such as eggs, meat, or one of the substitutes taken with at least one of the other meals during the day.

## Abe Martin

Miss Myrt Pash, who got married Wednesday, has gone back t' her ole face. What's become o' th' feller that used t' lay low all week an' cut up Saturday night?

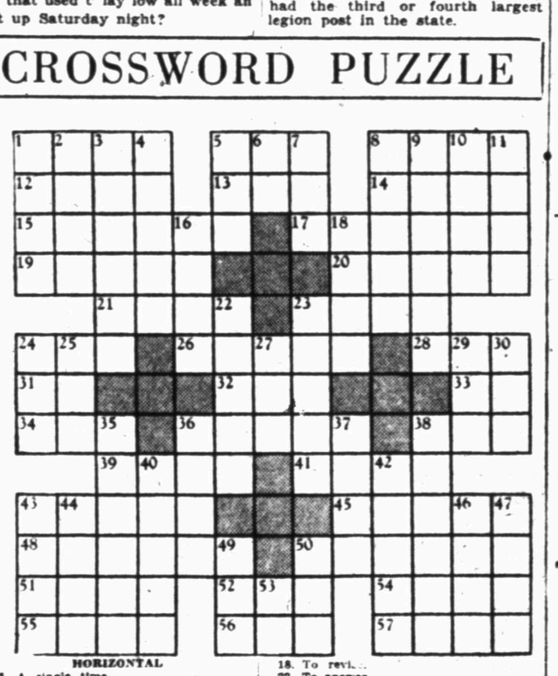
## Duncan Claims Largest Legion In Oklahoma

Special to The Record News.

DUNCAN, Okla., Feb. 16.—With a membership of 655, the Harry Dobbs American Legion post here is claiming the largest post in the state of Oklahoma.

Unusual interest in the proposal to pay adjusted compensation certificates or increase their loan value was given by R. W. Lindsey, post commander, as one reason for the large membership. Duncan is 22nd in the state from the standpoint of population and has usually had the third or fourth largest legion post in the state.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



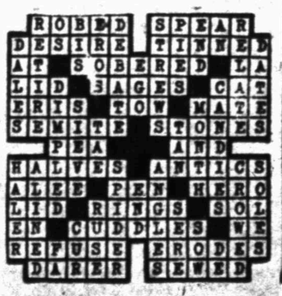
**HORIZONTAL**

1. A single time.
5. Collection of sayings.
8. High bridge score.
12. Girl's name.
13. The sun.
14. Musical instrument.
15. To waylay.
17. Jewels.
19. To extend to.
20. Embankments.
21. Close.
22. Pronoun.
24. Possesses.
26. To release.
28. Obstruction.
31. Conjunction.
32. Prohibit.
33. To leave.
34. Black substance.
36. Tempts.
38. Moisture.
39. To give out.
41. Heavy cord.
43. Prince of devils.
45. Restricted as to place.
48. Places in row.
50. Gendarmerie.
51. Small opening.
52. Fuss.
54. Mine entrance.
55. Notes visually.
56. Spot.
57. Communists.

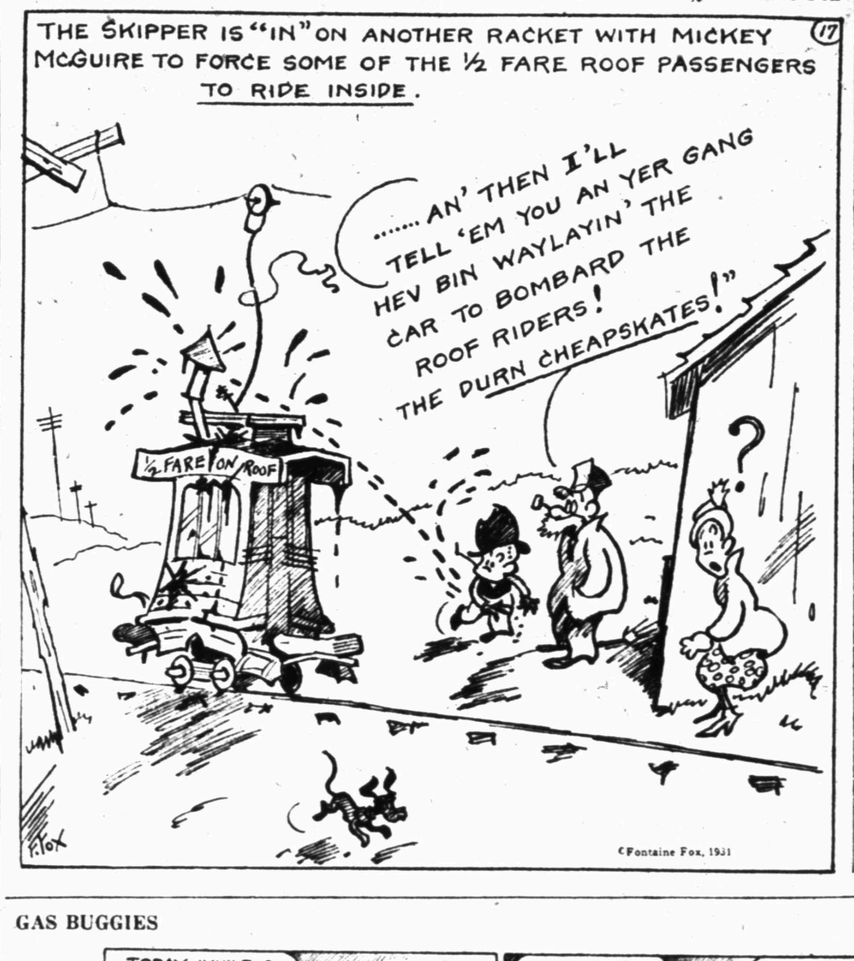
**VERTICAL**

1. Persian poet.
2. Title.
3. West Indians.
4. To draw forth.
5. Residue.
6. A negative.
7. High mountain.
8. To discolor.
9. Waited in concealment.
10. Cuticle.
11. Church service.
16. Fish.
18. To revi...
22. To answer.
23. Underground worker.
24. Very warm.
25. A constellation.
27. To damage.
29. To mature.
30. To cut.
35. To withdraw.
36. Kinship.
37. Piece for one.
38. To determine.
40. Hair (plural).
42. Arctic.
43. Devitalizes.
44. Medicinal plant.
46. Sour.
47. Rents.
49. Borrowful.
50. Cooking vessel.
53. To act.

**Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle**




**TOONERVILLE TROLLEY** By Fontaine Fox

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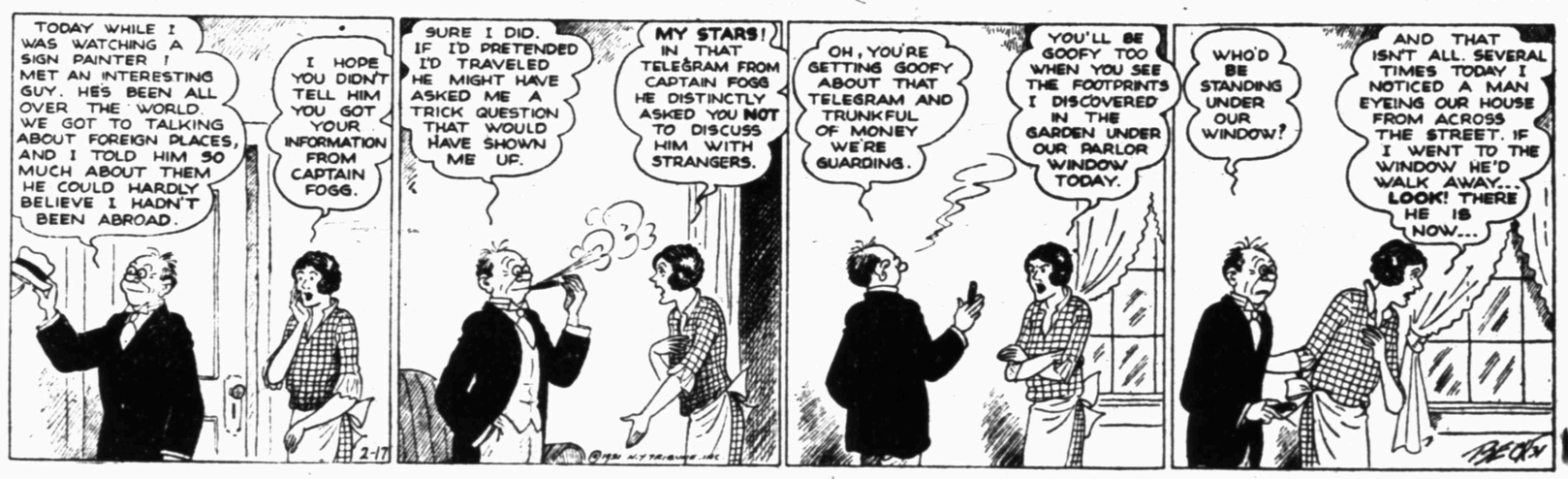
**GAS BUGGIES** By Frank Beck




**THIMBLE THEATER** Starring **POPEYE** By E. C. Segar

**THE NEBBS** By Sol Hess

**TAILSPIN TOMMY** By Glenn Chaffin and Hal Forrest

# 300 OF STATE'S BEST GOLFERS COMPETE AT HOUSTON TODAY

## The Rambler's Corner

By FRED THOMPSON

There's one candidate for a job with the Spudders who believes in playing safe. His name is Roy Idom, allegedly a baseball star, who hails from Vivian, La. Recently he signed the dotted line with the Spudders, but lo, it has been discovered that he also has signed a contract with the Fort Worth Cats!

We have heard of this Idom before. Last year the Spudder offices received several letters, supposedly from Idom's loyal friends and followers in Louisiana, saying that said Idom was the hot okra, a demon of a slugger, and fielder.

Well, the Spuds took a chance and signed him. He arrived in the spring training camp. He had no sooner taken the field than Skipper Carl gave him a pink slip and the Louisiana marvel returned home.

It might be asked why the Spudders should bother with signing him again this year. Here is the reason. It appears that Idom, returned to his semi-pro ball playing, and really turned out to be a whiz. The Shreveport papers, according to Spudder officials, have given him some recognition. So again the Spudders are taking a chance on Idom being what he's cracked up to be.

That is, they'll take the chance if Idom shows up here, Idom, apparently wanting to be doubly sure of a job, contracted with the Cats in addition to accepting Spudder terms, and that has muddled things somewhat.

However, the sages of baseball have designed ways and means of smoothing out the boneheads committed by their faithful employes. In cases where a player is foolish enough to sign with two clubs, the club which first gets its contract in the hands of J. H. Farrell, secretary of the National association of Professional Baseball leagues, is conceded ownership.

**Another Good Man Down**

Secretary Guy Airey, the bustling efficiency expert in the Spudder office, couldn't stand to see all the honors go to the Rambler, so he had to have an operation too.

However, I've still got him beat a mile. To have an appendix carved out is a great social honor these days, a thing that has some measure of dignity about it. You can call on your friends and talk about it for hours, in fact, until they throw you out. Even after the subject of the operation is exhausted, you can describe how you felt for days afterwards and what kind of scar it left, and, if worst comes to worst, you can actually expose the scar.

But Guy merely had his tonsils removed. Such a slight operation is hardly worth mentioning; in fact we who have been butchered with gusto are inclined to look down on that sort of operation as being about as serious as eating a piece of candy. Tonsils? Gracious, don't talk to me about so trifling a thing; I'm interested in the serious things in life. A scar less than two inches long won't interest me whatever.

Well, Guy's friends told me to add their thoughts to mine when I wrote that I wish him the best of luck and a quick recovery. The slight manipulation of the knife took place at the Wichita Falls Clinic hospital Monday morning and the docs reported a successful operation.

**The Morning Mail**

Gordon Swaner of Munday writes to ask who the captain of the Spudder baseball team was last year.

The team did not have a captain, and has not had one, officially, since the second year the club was owned by J. Alvin Gardner.

Nearly every year, however, there has been one man on the team who was trusted with keeping things going in the absence of the manager. Last year this man was Howard Fitzgerald. He was not referred to as captain, but he had acquired the nickname of "Lieutenant," and this he retained. When Williams was out of the city, Fitzgerald it was who jerked pitchers and conducted affairs generally. Also, he acted as the skipper's assistant in the training camp.

## Pacific Coast Playoff Scheduled Next Week

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 16. (AP)—The playoff for the Pacific coast conference basket ball championship between the northern and southern division winners likely will be held in Seattle early next month with the University of Washington representing the northern section.

The Washington huskies cinched at least a tie for the northern title Friday and Saturday nights by defeating Washington State college in a two-game series. Washington now must win only one of its four remaining games to capture the crown.

The play-off likely will see Washington competing against either California or Southern California for the Pacific coast championship. The two southern schools are tied and will wind up their regular schedule next Saturday.

## TEXANS MUST MEET INVADERS

### Entrants Finish Practicing And Await Start

HOUSTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—A big field eyed the Houston country course today, where the 17th annual invitation tournament begins tomorrow. The greens and fairways were wet this morning after yesterday's rains, but the sunshine had about dried them out this afternoon. There was an official forecast of fair weather tomorrow.

The championship flight, which starts the tournament tomorrow morning, will number more than 100 first class golfers.

The second and third flights, most of whose players will begin competition Wednesday, will boost the total number of entrants to around 300. It originally was intended to have all second and third flighters start Wednesday, but it was decided late today to start as many of them as possible tomorrow, due to the size of the field.

Johnny Dawson of Chicago, the defending champion, was out today as were several others who expected to try to take him into camp. Dawson shot at 69, two below par, to duplicate the faultless game he exhibited yesterday.

Edwin McClure, the brilliant Shreveport, La., youth, took to 70 in his practice round. Others shot par golf.

The cream of state talent will compete with the best of the invaders—Dawson, Johnny Goodman of Omaha and Jimmy Manion of St. Louis. W. C. Hunt, the veteran state champion; Ossie Carlton, winner of many state contests; Gaston Peek of Galveston, nosed out by Hunt last year for the amateur title, and others. Bud McKinney of Del Rio, the young former caddy who makes the galleries gasp with his unorthodox style, will be on hand, as usual.

**Wichitan to Play**

Among the pairings for championship flight players:

Leonard Attwell, Houston; Edwin McClure, Shreveport; Bryon Nelson, Fort Worth.

Gaston Peek, Galveston; Glen Crisman, Orange; Dick Nauts, Houston.

Willie Maguire Jr., Houston; John Goodman, Omaha, Neb.; A. K. Newby, Houston.

Jack Dold, Houston; Reuben Albaugh, San Antonio; Bud McKinney, Del Rio.

Gus Moreland, Dallas; Jimmy Manion, St. Louis; Ossie Carlton, Houston.

George Bush, New Orleans; Johnnie Dawson, Chicago; W. C. Hunt, Houston.

Joe Russell, Houston; Dudley Golding, Wichita Falls; C. A. Tucker, Houston.

Dennis Lavender, Abilene; Charles Qualls, Post; E. W. Robinson, Austin.

## Coyotes Outfight Church Loopers

With the second string doing most of the playing Wichita Falls High school Coyotes defeated the First Southern Presbyterian cagers of this city on the Coyote court Monday night 29 to 28. Both teams played fast, aggressive basket ball throughout the entire contest.

A defensive game marked the play during the first half, the Coyotes leading 15 to 9 at the intermission. The losers rallied late in the game, but the game was already on the ice as the result of the high scoring of Mitchell Scarbrough who gathered eight points. Raymond Allen was close behind with a half dozen points. Roberson led the attack for the church team with seven points.

The score:

| COYOTES (29) | G. | F. | T. | PRESBY'S (23) | G. | F. | T. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Withrow,f | 0 | 0 | 0 | Roberson,f | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| Munday,f | 2 | 0 | 4 | O. Reeves,f | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Reeves,f | 2 | 1 | 5 | Hallie,f | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| Greenwood,f | 0 | 0 | 0 | Flechtner,c | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Allen,c | 3 | 0 | 6 | C. Reeves,g | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Estes,c | 2 | 0 | 4 | Anderson,g | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brandon,g | 0 | 0 | 0 | Taylor,g | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Decker,g | 0 | 0 | 0 | Denton,g | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Scarbrough,g | 4 | 0 | 8 | | | | |
| Holton,g | 1 | 0 | 2 | | | | |
| Totals | 14 | 1 | 29 | Totals | 9 | 5 | 23 |

## District Three Champs Defeat Obrien Cagers

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Texas, Feb. 16.—Crowell High school, district three basket ball champions, handed the O'Brien cagers their second defeat of the season here tonight by the count of 50-25. It was a fast game and replete with thrills from start to finish in spite of the overwhelming margin of victory.

Lanier led the attack for the winning Wildcats with a total of 21 points. Walsworth and Johnson led the charge of the O'Brien five with nine points each.

Crowell won the district three title Saturday night and will play the winner of district four tourney which will be played in Wichita Falls Feb. 20-21.

Monroe county, Missouri, will celebrate its centennial next summer at Florida, its oldest town and birthplace of Mark Twain.

## Heavyweight Title Bout Between Max and Strib Seems Probable

CHICAGO, Feb. 16. (AP)—A world heavyweight championship fight will be held in Soldiers field between Max Schmeling and W. L. (Young) Stribling, June 19, if the proposition continues to gain momentum at the pace it set today.

William F. Carey, president and general manager of Madison Square garden, said before leaving for New York he was "reasonably certain" the fight will be held in Chicago. He added, however, that further conferences would be necessary before a definite decision could be reached.

Reports and rumors had declared Chicago out of the picture as a site for the battle, with Detroit, Cleveland and New Jersey as more likely prospects. However, Carey visited over the week-end at the home of Sheldon Clark, vice president of the Sinclair Oil company and until recently president of the Chicago Stadium corporation, and was said to have conferred with George F. Getz, who acted as resident-promoter for the late Tex Rickard in staging the Dempsey-Tunney fight in Soldiers field in September, 1927.

The fight would be staged as a New York milk fund show by the Madison Square Garden corporation of Illinois, a subsidiary of the New York garden organization, which promoted the second Dempsey-Tunney match.

Even if it is formally decided to present the bout in Soldiers field, difficulty may be encountered by the promoters. Edward J. Kelly, president of the South Park board which controls the huge lake front arena, has said that Soldiers field will not be available unless Chicago charities share in the profits.

**BOXING SLUMPS IN CALIFORNIA**

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—The ancient business of thumping chins has tumbled to a new low in California but along the upper reaches of the Pacific coast the boys in charge have found ways of keeping boxing on a healthy basis.

Business was fine in the Sunshine state, there was little thought of depression, and the future was as rosy as a California sunset until Max Baer, a clouting young heavyweight, collided with Frankie Campbell in San Francisco last Aug. 25. Max battered the veteran helpless and the next day Frankie died. That blow, added to the death of a preliminary boy a week earlier, crippled the game and sent gate receipts tumbling to the lowest levels since boxing was legalized in the state in 1924.

**1930 Was Prosperous**

The first eight months of 1930 were lined with gold for the fisticuffers. In February young Corbett and Jackie Fields in the San Francisco section, full of welterweight enthusiasts, drew a $55,599 gate and threatened the record of $63,340 set by Jim Jeffries and Jim Corbett in 1903. Primo Carnera and Leon Chevalier in April staged one they still argue about in Oakland and the proceeds were $227,872. Another fine welterweight gate was the $31,807 return on the investment of young Corbett and young Jack Thompson July 4. The unfortunate Baer-Campbell match in August drew $35,022, but this death, like another out of the fables, shut off the supply of golden eggs.

Since the August night Campbell crumpled, San Francisco promoters have fought the depression, but without success. At least 75 per cent of the fights have lost money. One San Francisco club that ranged from $3,500 to $31,000 a show dropped to a scale between $820 and $1,343. At Oakland, after the Carnera-Chevalier fiasco, a couple of cards drew $895 and $748 respectively. Two shows in January brought a net profit of $24.

**Wrestling Booms**

Strangely enough professional wrestling, sweeping across the country with increasing force, boomed during the worst boxing months in California and in San Francisco and their shows have outdrawn the cuffers two-to-one in the last three months. Los Angeles, hailed by the grunters and groaners in all sections as a "wrestlers' town," turned out about 225,000 customers at biweekly tugging matches during the year, while the fisticuffers in 1930 played before 123,390 during 50 fight cards. Fight attendance for 1929 in Los Angeles was about 180,000.

**JAILED FOR THEFT**

Two men entered pleas of guilty to charges of theft over $5 before Judge Irvin J. Vogel in the county court at law Monday and received jail sentences of 15 and eight days, respectively, plus court costs, according to County Attorney Louis V. Abernathy.

## Leaders Idle In Bowling Matches

COMMERCIAL LEGAUE Standings

| | G. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Texas Electric Service | 15 | 12 | 3 | .800 |
| City National Bank | 15 | 12 | 6 | .667 |
| Bldg. and Loan Assn | 19 | 10 | 8 | .556 |
| Parfet and Martlew | 15 | 8 | 7 | .533 |
| Wolff Brothers | 18 | 9 | 9 | .500 |
| Staley's | 18 | 8 | 10 | .444 |
| Montgomery Company | 18 | 5 | 13 | .278 |
| First National Bank | 18 | 5 | 13 | .278 |

While the Texas Electric Service, leaders of the Commercial Bowling league, were idle because of a postponement, the City National Bank team, runnersup, took two out of three from the Building and Loan association representative. Wolff Brothers took a like number from the First National bank quintet and Staley's won the same number of games from the Montgomery.

Gene Montgomery, of the Montgomery company bowling team, led the bowlers of, the night with a three game total of 550 pins and a single game sum of 246 pins.

The scores:

Building and Loan Association

| Players— | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lundien | 158 | 132 | 220 | 510 |
| Bryce | 126 | 116 | 161 | 403 |
| Phenix | 136 | 82 | 147 | 365 |
| Hale | 158 | 139 | 122 | 427 |
| Laughlin | 172 | 167 | 189 | 848 |
| Handicap | 16 | 16 | 16 | 48 |
| Totals | 754 | 672 | 865 | 2291 |

City National Bank

| Players— | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Straw | 168 | 136 | 179 | 483 |
| Graham | 136 | 127 | 188 | 451 |
| Reynolds | 148 | 147 | 141 | 436 |
| Smith | 159 | 136 | 150 | 445 |
| Allen | 160 | 150 | 166 | 476 |
| Totals | 771 | 696 | 824 | 2291 |

Montgomery Company

| Players— | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Montgomery | 194 | 110 | 246 | 550 |
| Foy | 99 | 126 | 117 | 339 |
| Adams | 133 | 133 | 124 | 376 |
| Boswell | 148 | 130 | 114 | 392 |
| Lowe | 157 | 143 | 183 | 483 |
| Handicap | 72 | 72 | 72 | 216 |
| Totals | 776 | 714 | 866 | 2356 |

Staley's

| Players— | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Haley | 156 | 185 | 128 | 447 |
| Burch | 158 | 172 | 197 | 527 |
| Hall | 133 | 164 | 113 | 430 |
| Anthony | 184 | 163 | 174 | 521 |
| Reynolds | 162 | 168 | 147 | 477 |
| Totals | 793 | 852 | 757 | 2402 |

Wolff Brothers

| Players— | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Roberts | 144 | 167 | 162 | 473 |
| M. Wolff | 107 | 92 | 86 | 285 |
| Sloan | 142 | 160 | 117 | 439 |
| H. D. Wolff | 122 | 111 | 138 | 371 |
| Katz | 179 | 167 | 174 | 520 |
| Handicap | 34 | 34 | 34 | 102 |
| Totals | 728 | 741 | 711 | 2180 |

First National Bank

| Players— | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hill | 169 | 146 | 121 | 436 |
| Thompson | 137 | 158 | 130 | 425 |
| Leggett | 144 | 113 | 184 | 441 |
| Ragsdale | 108 | 138 | 153 | 399 |
| French | 135 | 150 | 180 | 465 |
| Totals | 691 | 705 | 770 | 2166 |

## Travellers Smother Fraternity Quintet

Avenging a previous defeat, the Travelers, local independent cage team, handed the Pi Delta Koppa fraternity five a 21 to 17 beating on the Floral Heights Presbyterian court Monday night. The winners were never far in the lead and were forced to fight for every point. Herman Paul, new guard for the winners, played a great game.

The score:

| TRAVEL'S (21) | G. | F. | T. | FRATERNITY (17) | G. | F. | T. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hawthorne,f | 2 | 2 | 6 | Cole,f | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| Massey,f | 1 | 2 | 4 | Moss,f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kelley,c | 2 | 0 | 4 | Young,f | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Paul,g | 0 | 0 | 0 | Hobbs,c | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Richards,g | 3 | 1 | 7 | Aston,g | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson,g | 0 | 0 | 0 | Finnell,g | 2 | 3 | 7 |
| Totals | 8 | 5 | 21 | Totals | 6 | 5 | 17 |

## Annapolis to Continue Spring Grid Training

ANNAPOLIS, Feb. 16. (UP)—Spring football practice, banned in numerous eastern schools, will be continued at the United States naval academy, it was announced today by Capt. Henry D. Cooke, director of athletics. Practice will start March 26 and continue for several weeks.

## GRID CODE TO BE UNCHANGED

### Only One Change In Rules Is Put in Effect

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—The football rules, except in one relatively unimportant particular, will remain the same in 1931 as they were in 1930.

Reporting today on the result of the week-end sessions of the rules committee at its seashore retreat at Absecon, N. J., E. K. Hall, chairman, reported the committee in agreement to let the recodified code jell at least for another year.

The one change was to remove the arbitrary award of point after touchdown, making the penalty for an offside the same as if the foul had been committed during any other scrimmage. Under the new rule, if the defendant team infringes on the rules, it will be penalized half the distance to the goal line and the point tried over. If the attacking team is at fault, it will be penalized the usual five yards for offside play and again try the point.

The coaches themselves, the one group in the country qualified to give an expert opinion on the subject, recommended just such action as was taken. A majority of them, however, responding to a questionnaire circulated by Lou Little for the Coaches association, also urged abolition of the rule which makes a blocked kick dead at the point of recovery by the defending team. The rule which gives only the kicking side the right to run with the ball was retained.

## Western League Season To Open Two Weeks Later

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Feb. 16. (AP)—Western league baseball magnates have arranged a 1931 schedule beginning April 30, two weeks later than usual, in deference to night play which probably will be the rule at six of the eight parks.

The schedule was announced Sunday after a long night session of owners and executives in attendance at the regular winter meeting. Following drafting of the schedule the club representatives returned to their homes.

President Dale Gear also announced play would end Sept. 23. The late opening was agreed to because owners thought mid-April nights too chilly to find favor with the fans.

The request of Pueblo and Denver for home series of four games before going south for the official opening contests, was not allowed.

## T. C. U. Baseball Team's 1931 Schedule Completed

Special to The Record News.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 16.—Coach Dutch Meyer's Horned Frog baseball nine will open its 1931 campaign at Dallas Tuesday, April 7, with the Mustangs of Southern Methodist. The season will close for the Frog baseballers with the same opponent in Fort Worth on Monday, May 11.

The curtailed schedule for the present season, just announced, gives the Frogs 10 games—five at home and five abroad. The games come, three away from home, two at home, two away, then three at home. The complete schedule is as follows:

| Date | School | Place |
|---|---|---|
| April 7 | S. M. U. | Dallas |
| April 10 | A. & M. | College Station |
| April 11 | Rice | Houston |
| April 16 | Baylor | Fort Worth |
| April 18 | Rice | Fort Worth |
| April 24 | Texas | Austin |
| April 25 | Baylor | Waco |
| May 1 | Texas | Fort Worth |
| May 11 | S. M. U. | Fort Worth |

## Selecting American Teams For 1932 Olympics Presents Formidable Task

By HENRY McLEMORE
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Some eighty-odd men will represent the United States in track and field events at the 1932 Olympic games at Los Angeles and according to Lawson Robertson, head coach of the American squad, the election of these men constitutes a most formidable task.

Before the final 80 are named and ordered to the Pacific coast, thousands of jumpers, hurdlers, vaulters and sprinters must pass in review and be clocked and measured by A. A. U. officials. This is to insure this country of the strongest possible representation.

**How to Do It**

Which is the best method to pass the hopefuls in review?

"Two plans have been suggested," Robertson told the United Press. "The first calls for naming the squad a year in advance. Proponents of this plan point out the adoption would eliminate many strenuous trials immediately before the games, thus precluding the possibility of some of the men going stale from overwork.

"The other plan calls for sectional try-outs, the winners meeting in a final try-out shortly before the games. There would be six try-outs under this plan. Two of them would be the national collegiate association meet at Chicago and the intercollegiate meet somewhere in the East. The other four try-outs would be held in different sections of the country."

**Favors Last Plan**

The second plan, which Robertson is inclined to favor, would seem to be a much more Democratic sort of selection. As the famous coach pointed out, it is quite possible a number of stars of Olympic caliber would be developed in the year preceding the games, and it would be quite unfair to deprive such men a chance to carry America's colors in the Olympics.

Under the second plan, the final try-outs probably would be held at Soldiers field, Chicago, in June of 1932. Athletes selected would be assembled at Los Angeles three or four weeks before the games opened. This procedure, Robertson said, would eliminate the question of over-competition.

Robertson was asked what truth, if any, there was in statements made after the last Olympics in Amsterdam that several American athletes broke training rules and indulged in beer and other stimulants.

**Subs Made Whoopee**

"On every large squad you nearly always have one or two men who will break training and drink, but generally speaking, athletes who have brought themselves to the peak of physical perfection and who have a chance to win a world's championship, will not jeopardize this opportunity by drinking intoxicants.

"In the past when a number of substitutes were carried along there might have been occasions where one or two of those chaps stepped over the line. They did not expect to compete and probably figured it didn't make much difference whether they kept in shape or not. Now, however, with substitutes ruled out, there will be no such problem."

## CHURCH TEAMS PLAY TONIGHT

### Methodists and Christians In Feature Game

For the first time since Jan. 6, the undefeated First Methodist church team and the First Christian cagers will clash Tuesday night in a church league game on the gymnasium of the Floral Heights Presbyterian church, Buchanan and Avenue J.

The First Christians have rolled up a total of about 50 victories out of 55 games played, and are in hopes of breaking the winning streak of the Methodists. The Methodists have conquered some of the strongest teams in this section, including the Thalia cagers, West Texas champions. In addition to looking with ardor on the prospect of winning the city championship, the team, according to its manager, Ross Edgemon, will make a strong bid for the 1931 West Texas championship.

The Methodists have lost Jim Levey, former Spudder star, who was ordered to quit the game by his new employers, the St. Louis Browns, but a strong lineup is still on hand.

In addition to the game between the two leaders, two preliminaries are on the card which are expected to prove entertaining. The First Presbyterians will play the Ray Community Presbyterians, and the Iowa Park Christians will play the Highland Heights Baptists.

Wednesday night the Methodists will play the Wichita Falls High school Coyotes. It probably will be the last practice game for the Coyotes before the district tournament which opens here Friday.

## Bartlesville May Get Joplin Club's Franchise

TOPEKA, Feb. 16. (AP)—Dale Gear, president of the Western Baseball association, said today he would go to Joplin about Wednesday of this week to look over the baseball situation following a suggestion by the Joplin owner, William Fleischaker, that the franchise be shifted to Bartlesville, Okla.

Gear and Fleischaker conferred recently in Kansas City but Gear said nothing definite was decided. Gear said final decision as to a transfer of the franchise would have to be decided by representatives of all league clubs.

## WOMEN TIE IN FLORIDA MEET

### Britisher and Detroit Golfer Share Top

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 16. (AP)—Miss Diana Fishwick started an invasion of the United States by British women golfers here today by scoring a 78 to tie for the medal in the Florida women's championship.

Mrs. Stuart Hanley of Detroit made a similar score and she and the English girl will head the first flight as match play begins tomorrow.

Miss Virginia Van Wie, Chicago, who twice before has won the tournament, was two strokes behind the leader with a 41—39—80. She was followed by Miss Helen Hicks, Hewlett, L. I., with an 81. Miss Peggy Wattles, Buffalo, winner of two women's crowns in Miami during the last eight days, also had an 81.

Miss Fishwick played with cool assurance throughout the 18 holes qualifying round. She got off to a good start on the outbound nine with a card of 36 where par is 34.

Drives that gained distance from Miss Fishwick's peculiarly powerful swing combined with well calculated work with the irons and on the greens to hold her score down on the outward trip. The return, with a rising wind affecting the play, gave Miss Fishwick greater trouble as she needed a 42, eight over par.

Doubling previous budgets, Wyoming will spend $5,180,000 for highway construction and improvement during 1931.

## A Daniel come t' Justice!

"Mort Pine is suing the proprietor o' the new Babylon hotel for servin' five cent cigars at the recent Lodge Whoopee and Convention.

"He contracted to supply the best smokes in town your Honor, said Mort on the stand. An' what kind did you git asked Judge Moran.

"They wuz rocky fords answered the plaintiff.

"Then it's time you learned to distinguish quality from price roared the Judge. Case dismissed. An' I ain't so sure you hain't contempted the Court."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# Cotton

DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port Movement

| | Mdlg | Rcpts | Sales | Stock |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Orleans | 10.67 | 5,907 | 979 | 780.190 |
| Galveston | 10.35 | 2,635 | 627 | 631,994 |
| Mobile | 10.10 | 966 | .... | 215,002 |
| Savannah | 10.45 | 1,018 | 290 | 338,004 |
| Charleston | .... | .... | .... | 169,572 |
| Wilmington | .... | 243 | .... | 17,718 |
| Norfolk | 10.50 | 126 | 129 | 92,341 |
| Baltimore | .... | .... | .... | 1,410 |
| New York | 10.95 | .... | .... | 227,919 |
| Boston | .... | .... | .... | 2,900 |
| Houston | 10.30 | 2,902 | 1,375 | 1,390,586 |
| Minor ports | .... | .... | .... | 206,820 |
| Corpus Christi | .... | 466 | .... | 95,859 |
| Total today | | 13,178 | 3,400 | 4,171,260 |
| For week | | 24,140 | | |
| For season | | 7,782,831 | | |

Interior Movement

| | Mdlg | Rcpts | Sales | Stock |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis | 9.60 | 3,110 | 2,900 | 346,832 |
| Augusta | 10.31 | 990 | 116 | 111,558 |
| St. Louis | .... | 1,322 | .... | 16,969 |
| Fort Worth | 9.70 | .... | 674 | ..... |
| Little Rock | 9.50 | 16 | 350 | 45,269 |
| Atlanta | 10.45 | .... | .... | ..... |
| Dallas | 9.70 | .... | 2,032 | ..... |
| Montgomery | 9.70 | .... | .... | ..... |
| Total today | | 5,438 | 6,072 | 522,528 |

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—Price changes in cotton here were confined within comparatively narrow limits today and the volume of business was small. At the outset there was a moderate decline that carried the May position to 11.08; or 4 points below the previous final in sympathy with lower Liverpool cables than expected; but subsequently prices rallied, May advancing to 11.19 and closing at a partial reaction at 11.13, or 1 point net higher, while the entire list was steady at 2 lower to 2 higher.

The strength in the stock market seemed to be interpreted as an indication of a more optimistic feeling relative to business conditions in general. This served to discourage aggressive operations on the selling side, even though a good many traders professed to look on the statistical position as an obstacle against any material advance. Reports from the textile trade showed improved sales last week while the settlement of the labor difficulties in Manchester and hopes for early peace in India were considered as promising factors relative to the foreign situation.

There was further March liquidation in progress during the day but at prevailing differences March contracts were rather readily taken apparently by spot houses. The rains caused some hesitation about buying the new crop months but after declining to 11.61, the October price advanced to 11.70 and closed at 11.66.

Liverpool cables said Bombay was buying in that market but there was hedging and continental liquidation, with an improved cloth inquiry from Egypt and the Near East. Exports today 31,425, making 4,781,250 so far this season. U. S. port receipts 14,178.

Futures closed steady, 2 points lower to 2 higher. Spot quiet; middling 10.95.

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| March | 10.91 | 10.83 | 10.85 |
| May | 11.19 | 11.03 | 11.13-14 |
| July | 11.42 | 11.33 | 11.37 |
| Oct. | 11.70 | 11.61 | 11.66 |
| Dec. | 11.86 | 11.80 | 11.84-85 |
| Jan. | 11.95 | 11.88 | 11.91 |

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16. (AP)—Trading was somewhat quieter here today owing to pre-holiday influences and the market here will be closed tomorrow for Mardi Gras. Although New York and Liverpool will be open as usual, there was the usual disinclination to enter new commitments. As cables came in lower than due the market here started slightly down and eased off further in the early trading on liquidation, losing 4 to 6 points. Later, prices rallied with firmer stocks and on trade buying due to very favorable cotton goods reports, the advices claiming that sales of cotton textiles for the past week greatly exceeded current production. Prices advanced 8 to 10 points before noon to levels 4 points above the previous close. The market turned rather quiet all afternoon trading being held in check by the impending holiday. Prices fluctuated narrowly within the earlier range and mostly about mid-way between the highs and lows and closed steady with the general market showing one point net up to two points down for the day.

Port receipts 14,178; for week 29,160; for season 7,782,931; last season 7,703,195. Exports 31,425; for week 36,664; for season 4,641,578; last season 5,112,758. Port stocks 4,171,260; last year 2,336,861. Combined shipments at New Orleans, Galveston and Houston 74,904; last year 128,615. Spot sales at Southern markets 9,472, last year 12,367.

Futures closed steady, 1 point net up to 2 down;

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| March | 10.91 | 10.83 | 10.86 |
| May | 11.19 | 11.09 | 11.14 |
| July | 11.42 | 11.34 | 11.37-38 |
| Oct. | 11.69 | 11.61 | 11.62 |
| Dec. | 11.85 | 11.79 | 11.82* |
| Jan. | 11.91 | 11.90 | 11.91 |

*11.83 bid, 11.84 asked.

Liverpool Cotton

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16. (INS)—Spots cotton was quiet at the opening today with prices barely steady. Sales amounted to 6,000 bales.

At midday, middling fair sold at 7.11d, strictly good middling at 6.66d, good middling at 6.31d, strictly middling at 6.06d, middling at 5.96d, strictly low middling at 5.76d, low middling at 5.46d, strictly good ordinary at 4.91d, and good ordinary at 4.51d.

Futures were quiet and steady with March at 5.80d, May at 5.90d, July at 6.01d, and October at 6.12d.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, unchanged. Sales 979; low middling, 9.17; middling, 10.67; good middling, 11.17; receipts, 5,807; stock, 780,190.

DALLAS, Feb. 16. (AP)—Middling cotton, 10.10; Houston, 10.70; Galveston, 10.75.

Chicago Cotton Futures

CHICAGO, Feb. 16. (AP)—Cotton futures closed: March 10.95b-10.97a, May 11.23, July 11.46.

TEXAS SPOTS

GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 16. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady; unchanged. (15-16 Inch).

Low ordinary 6.50; ordinary 7.25; good ordinary 8.09; strict good ordinary 8.75; low middling 9.50; strict low middling 10.25; middling 10.75; strict middling 11.10; good middling 11.25; strict good middling 11.35; middling fair 11.50. sales, spots 127; f. o. b. 500.

# New York Bonds

BOND AVERAGES

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| | 10 Ind'ls | 10 Rr's | 10 Ut'ls | 30 Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Monday | 90.0 | 104.5 | 99.8 | 98.1 |
| Previous day | 90.0 | 104.6 | 99.6 | 98.1 |
| Week ago | 89.7 | 104.3 | 99.8 | 97.9 |
| Month ago | 89.1 | 103.8 | 99.7 | 97.6 |
| Year ago | 91.0 | 105.0 | 98.1 | 98.7 |
| 2 years ago | 94.6 | 108.7 | 99.0 | 99.1 |
| 3 years ago | 97.1 | 108.7 | 100.8 | 102.2 |
| High, 1931 | 90.4 | 105.7 | 100.6 | 98.7 |
| Low, 1931 | 86.8 | 102.7 | 98.4 | 96.3 |
| High, 1930 | 94.9 | 109.8 | 101.4 | 101.9 |
| Low, 1930 | 83.2 | 97.3 | 94.3 | 92.6 |
| High, 1929 | 96.3 | 104.0 | 99.8 | 99.9 |
| Low, 1929 | 90.4 | 100.8 | 96.0 | 96.3 |

Foreign

| | |
|---|---|
| Argentine 6f 50 June | 91 |
| Austria 4½s | 61½ |
| England 37, 5½s | 109½ |
| France 7½s | 126½ |
| Germany 7s | 102 |
| Italy 7s | 98⅝ |
| Japan 6½s | 104⅝ |
| Panama 5s A | 87 |
| Poland 8s | 88 |

Domestic

| | |
|---|---|
| Am Ag Chem 7½s | 104½ |
| Amer Smelt 5s | 102¼ |
| Amer Sugar 6s | 104 |
| A T & T 5½s | 108⅜ |
| A T & S F Gen 4s | 99⅝ |
| B & O Rf 5s | 103⅜ |
| Beth Steel Rf 5s | 103⅝ |
| Can Pac Deb 4s | 104¼ |
| Chic Corp 5s | 100⅜ |
| C & O Rf 4½s | 101 |
| C & G W 4s | 69¼ |
| Erie Rf 5s | 83 |
| Gen Motor A C 6s | 103¼ |
| Goodyear 5s | 90¼ |
| Great North 7s A | 111⅜ |
| Hud Man Rf 5s | 77½ |
| Humble Oil 5s | 101⅞ |
| I & G N Adj 6s | 63 |
| Int Match 5s | 91⅝ |
| Int T & T 4½s | 92⅜ |
| K C S Rf 5s | 101⅜ |
| Loews Inc 6s | 98¼ |
| N E T & T Adj 5s A | 94½ |
| N Y C Rf 5s | 104½ |
| Nor Pac 6s B | 112½ |
| Phil Pet 5½s | 88⅛ |
| Pure Oil 5½s | 92 |
| Sinc Oil Col 7s | 99⅝ |
| Sou Ry Con 5s | 100 |
| Southwest Bell 5s | 106⅝ |
| U S Rubber 5s | 72 |
| West Elec 5s | 105⅝ |

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK

Stocks strong. Auburn crosses 200.

Bonds irregular, U. S. governments reactionary.

Curb strong, utilities at new 1931 high.

Foreign exchanges strong, sterling and franc lead recovery.

Cotton steady, firm stock market.

Sugar steady, trade buying.

Coffee easy, disappointing Brazilian advices.

CHICAGO

Wheat easy, beneficial rains Oklahoma and Texas.

Corn easy, liberal receipts and increased visible supply.

Cattle steady to higher.

Hogs higher.

# Aggressive Bull Sponsorships Lifts Market to New High Level

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (US)—Despite widespread expectation that the stock market's progress upward would be impeded by Washington developments prices today entered new high ground for the present recovery.

Aggressive bullish sponsorship for numerous stocks overcame all efforts of the bears to extend the setback of Saturday. It was widely recognized that a more lesiurely advance would be welcome under prevailing circumstances in general industry and trade, but apparently the technical position of the market permitted continued activity against the shorts.

In some of the volatile issues, drastic punishment was meted out to the bears, particularly in Auburn. The stock market seemingly has become reconciled to the soldiers' bonus, although the price of government bonds slumped on the practical certainty of adoption of a plan which may demand a billion dollars or more new financing.

The fact that the week-end brought no signs of a broad pickup in business failed to squelch the ardor of the bills, who were relying solely on the technical aspects of the market. Aside from the securities markets, the most interesting development of the day was a slump in silver to a new historical low price.

If the bears hoped for relief in view of the sustained advance of last week, this hope was quickly dispelled when Auburn resumed its skyrocketing. It climbed above 200, at one time being up over 20 points and retaining 19 points to the close. Obviously, this sensational further advance in Auburn reflects the difficulties of the short interest, but the bull pool gained support from disclosure that the company's production now averages 150 cars a day, six days weekly. The Auburn pool quite naturally realized some profits as the stock advanced, but seemingly it retains complete control.

Case Threshing machine also witnessed a severe drubbing for the bears. It was disclosed here that a powerful group had been formed in the stock last week to carry on the work of a previous pool which successfully advanced the stock almost 30 points.

The new group commenced operating today and advanced the stock more than eight points, carried it into new high territory for its present recovery from the extreme low and forced heavy short covering. It is recognized that fundamentals affecting the company are hardly conducive to any further price appreciation, but the technical position in Case affords the basis for the current aggressive bullish activity.

Foster-Wheeler was anbther outstanding issue, achieving a new high price on buying which was based chiefly on knowledge of the company's growing earnings. This has been one of the most persistently advancing stocks of all the specialties, and the latest developments in connection with the proposed embargo on foreign oil importations heightened the enthusiasm of its sponsors.

An embargo, it is argued, may greatly enlarge demand for Foster-Wheeler products, which are closely allied to the oil industry, particularly in the refining branch.

The entire market was stimulated by the continued strong performance among the speculative issues. Averages of both industrial and public utility stocks entered new high ground for the year, while railroads also spurted more than a point and closed near their former high.

The entire motion picture group of stocks, led by Warner, which was the day's most active issue, enjoyed an advance, and it was reported that Fox still harbors an extensive short account which may provide the basis for aggressive bullish sponsorship.

Broadness of the day's price improvement can be gauged from the fact that every one of the 15 most active stocks of the day closed higher. Mail order shares joined the general adavnce and profit-taking was well-absorbed in these stocks.

Although reports were circulated that the big mail-order enterprises will show little or no profits for the first quarter this year, it was pointed out by competent authority that the last half of the year is always the most profitable, with the first quarter seldom showing very substantial returns. Incidentally, the mail-order concerns have witnessed of late a slight betterment in all sections of the country excepting the South.

Westinghouse advanced across 100, but reacted to close up 1⅝ points at 98⅝. The short interest in this stock is proving very stubborn and the interests on the bull side are taking every advantage of the strong technical position.

Earnings of Westinghouse are known to be exceedingly disappointing, with the probability that in the last quarter of 1931 the dividend requirement was only 50 per cent earned. Some of the largest bear operators are short of Westinghouse.

Vanadium advanced to the highest price in weeks as the new interests who recently entered its market, as disclosed here, continued to harrass the bears. Under 450 a share, a terrific battle was waged between the opposing factions in Vanadium, but the bulls gained added support from the new interests and have been successful in advancing the stock very sharply the last 10 days.

Strength in the stock encouraged revival of the stories concerning the company's titanium resources, with one private estimate going so far as to estimate potential earnings of $15 a share from this source alone. The Vanadium bulls have been greatly helped by the general market strength.

STOCK AVERAGES

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| | 50 Ind'ls | 20 Rr's | 20 Ut'ls | 90 Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Monday | 133.3x | 104.9 | 183.6x | 137.7 |
| Previous day | 132.2 | 104.0 | 179.9 | 136.3 |
| Week ago | 130.7 | 103.5 | 177.8 | 134.7 |
| Month ago | 129.7 | 98.3 | 161.4 | 124.7 |
| Year ago | 176.1 | 131.4 | 244.7 | 182.2 |
| 2 years ago | 201.8 | 132.6 | 296.9 | 191.0 |
| 3 years ago | 143.8 | 118.3 | 132.9 | 137.8 |
| High, 1931 | 133.0 | 106.5 | 181.4 | 137.2 |
| Low, 1931 | 118.0 | 98.2 | 168.3 | 122.8 |
| High, 1930 | 203.4 | 131.4 | 244.7 | 182.2 |
| Low, 1930 | 112.9 | 86.4 | 146.5 | 174.7 |
| High, 1929 | 252.8 | 167.8 | 353.1 | 253.7 |
| Low, 1929 | 141.3 | 117.7 | 156.3 | 140.2 |

xNew 1931 high.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ahumada Lead | 2 | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Alleghany | 453 | 12¾ | 11¾ | 12 |
| Al Chem & Dye | 71 | 169½ | 164 | 166½ |
| Amerada | 1 | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| Am Can | 371 | 120⅜ | 118 | 119⅜ |
| Am & For Power | 967 | 44½ | 27½ | 28 |
| Am Internat | 88 | 22⅛ | 21¾ | 22 |
| Am Metal | 3 | 20 | 19½ | 20 |
| Am Pow & Lgt | 45 | 54½ | 52¾ | 53½ |
| Am Rad St San | 359 | 19½ | 18½ | 19⅛ |
| Am Roll Mill | 238 | 34 | 30½ | 33⅜ |
| Am Smelt & Ref | 18 | 50 | 49¾ | 50 |
| Am Sugar Ref | 2 | 52 | 51½ | 52 |
| Am Tel & Tel | 45 | 195½ | 192 | 194½ |
| Am Wat Wks | 143 | 67¾ | 63¾ | 66⅛ |
| Am Wool pfd | 13 | 34¼ | 33½ | 33¾ |
| Anaconda Cop | 173 | 37¾ | 36¼ | 36⅝ |
| A T & S F | 14 | 201 | 198 | 199½ |
| Atlantic Ref | 68 | 22½ | 21¾ | 22⅛ |
| Baldwin Loc | 255 | 24 | 23 | 23⅝ |
| Balt & Ohio | 66 | 84¼ | 82¾ | 83 |
| Bendix Aviat | 197 | 23 | 22 | 22⅛ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 201 | 60¾ | 59¼ | 60 |
| Briggs Mfg | 102 | 18⅝ | 17⅝ | 17½ |
| Burr Add Mch | 14 | 29¾ | 29¼ | 30½ |
| Calumet & Arts | 1 | 39½ | 39½ | 39½ |
| Calumet & Hec | 4 | 9¼ | 9¼ | 9¼ |
| Canadian Pac | 42 | 44⅝ | 43¾ | 44¼ |
| Cerro de Pasco | 10 | 26⅜ | 26 | 26 |
| C C C & St P pfd | 50 | 13⅝ | 13⅛ | 13⅝ |
| C & N W | 6 | 43⅝ | 42¾ | 43⅜ |
| Chrysler | 572 | 21¼ | 20½ | 21 |
| Col Fuel & Ir | 25 | 29 | 27¼ | 28 |
| Colum G & E | 19 | 41¾ | 39¾ | 40¾ |
| Colum Graph | 818 | 10½ | 10½ | 11¼ |
| Consol Gas | 96 | 96¼ | 94¾ | 95½ |
| Conti Can | 113 | 56¼ | 54 | 55⅝ |
| Conti Oil Del | 17 | 11 | 10¾ | 10⅞ |
| Conn Prod, as | 40 | 148 | 148 | 148 |
| Curtiss Wright | 99 | 4⅝ | 4½ | 4⅝ |
| Drug Inc | xd13 | 70¾ | 69½ | 70¼ |
| Du Pont de Nem | 70 | 95¾ | 93¾ | 94⅝ |
| El Pow & Lgt | 360 | 54½ | 53¼ | 53¾ |
| Erie R R A | 16 | 36⅜ | 34½ | 36⅛ |
| Fox Film A | 379 | 38 | 35¾ | 36¾ |
| Freeport Texas | 18 | 36⅜ | 36⅜ | 36⅜ |
| Gen Am Tank | 93 | 70¾ | 68¾ | 70¼ |
| Gen Electric | 449 | 49¾ | 48¾ | 49½ |
| Gen Foods | 26 | 53¾ | 52¾ | 52¾ |
| Gen Motor | 570 | 43¾ | 42¼ | 43⅛ |
| Goodyear Tire | 54 | 47⅞ | 46 | 46⅝ |
| Graham Paige | 3 | 4¾ | 4¼ | 4¼ |
| Grant W T | 12 | 32¾ | 32 | 32¾ |
| Hartman B | 3 | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ |
| Houston Oil new | 92 | 11¾ | 11 | 11¾ |
| Howe Sound | 3 | 25 | 23¾ | 23¾ |
| Hudson Motor | 50 | 21½ | 21¼ | 21¼ |
| Hupp Motor | 608 | 12¾ | 10¾ | 10¾ |
| Inspiration Cop | 1 | 9¾ | 9¾ | 9¾ |
| Int Comb Eng | 8 | 3⅝ | 3⅜ | 3⅜ |
| Int Harvester | 52 | 55⅝ | 54½ | 55⅜ |
| Int Hydro Elec A | 36 | 29½ | 28¾ | 29 |
| Int Match Pfc pf | 9 | 67½ | 66½ | 67 |
| Int Nickel Can | 116 | 16½ | 16¼ | 16¼ |
| Int Tel & Tel | 583 | 32¼ | 29⅝ | 31⅞ |
| Johns Manville | 114 | 73⅝ | 71½ | 71⅞ |
| Kan City South | 3 | 44 | 43 | 44 |
| Kennecott | 82 | 27⅝ | 26⅝ | 27 |
| Kreuger & Toll | 19 | 24¼ | 24 | 24½ |
| Loft | 11 | 4½ | 4¼ | 4¼ |
| Mack Trucks | 21 | 41¼ | 40⅝ | 41¼ |
| Magma Cop | 3 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| May Dept Store N | xd20 | 35⅝ | 34 | 35⅜ |
| McKeesport Tin | 13 | 81 | 79⅝ | 80⅛ |
| Mex Seab Oil | 74 | 17⅝ | 17¼ | 17⅜ |
| Miami Cop | 1 | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| Midland Steel | 36 | 27½ | 25¾ | 27¼ |
| M-K-T | 38 | 25¾ | 24⅜ | 25¼ |
| Mo Pac | 3 | 43 | 41½ | 42 |
| Montgomery Ward | 384 | 24½ | 23¾ | 24⅜ |
| Nash Motors | 27 | 35 | 34 | 34⅝ |
| Nat Cash Reg A | 42 | 35¼ | 34½ | 35⅛ |
| Nat Dairy Prod | 62 | 46¼ | 45¾ | 46 |
| Nat Pow & Lgt | 112 | 38⅜ | 37 | 38⅛ |
| Nev Con Cop | 23 | 12½ | 12 | 12⅜ |
| N Y Central | 51 | 129⅛ | 126 | 128¼ |
| N Y N H & H | 6 | 89 | 86 | 88 |
| North Amer | 158 | 84½ | 81 | 84 |
| Ohio Oil | xd5 | 17¼ | 17 | 17½ |
| Otis Steel | 9 | 14¼ | 13½ | 14⅛ |
| Pacific G & E | 28 | 48 | 47 | 47¾ |
| Packard Mot | 143 | 10¾ | 10¼ | 10⅝ |
| Pan-Amer Pet B | 1 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Panhan P & R | 1 | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ |
| Paramount Publix | 347 | 49⅞ | 48⅝ | 49⅛ |
| Penn R R | 51 | 63¾ | 61¾ | 63 |
| Phillips Pet | 169 | 14¾ | 13¾ | 13⅞ |
| Pub Ser N J | 35 | 86¼ | 84⅝ | 85½ |
| Pure Oils | 6 | 10⅝ | 10⅜ | 10⅝ |
| Radio | 912 | 19 | 17⅝ | 18⅝ |
| Radio Keith Orph | 771 | 22⅝ | 20¾ | 22⅛ |
| Rem Rand | 43 | 16⅜ | 16 | 16¼ |
| Repub Steel | 338 | 22½ | 19⅝ | 22 |
| Rio Gran Oil | 8 | 8¾ | 8½ | 8¾ |
| St L San Fran | 17 | 39 | 36 | 39 |
| Sears Roebuck | 100 | 34½ | 33½ | 33½ |
| Shell Union | 29 | 9¾ | 9¼ | 9¼ |
| Simms Pet | 2 | 9½ | 9¼ | 9¼ |
| Sinclair Con | 51 | 13 | 12¾ | 13⅜ |
| Skelly Oil | 5 | 10½ | 10½ | 10⅝ |
| South Pac | 8 | 107 | 105½ | 107 |
| Stand Brands | 173 | 19½ | 18⅝ | 19 |
| St G & El | 60 | 72⅜ | 70 | 71½ |
| Stand Oil Calif | xd33 | 50 | 48¾ | 49⅜ |
| Stand Oil N J | xd158 | 50¾ | 49½ | 50 |
| Stand Oil N Y | 22 | 25¾ | 25¼ | 25⅝ |
| Stewart Warner | 36 | 16⅝ | 16⅛ | 16½ |
| Stone & Webster | 49 | 42¼ | 41 | 42 |
| Studebaker | 35 | 23 | 22¼ | 22⅝ |
| Texas Corp | 43 | 34⅝ | 33¾ | 34⅛ |
| Tex Gulf Sul | 19 | 52⅞ | 50⅝ | 52¼ |
| Tex Pac C & O | 6 | 5¾ | 5¼ | 5¾ |
| Tex Pac Land Trust | 79 | 17½ | 16¼ | 16¾ |
| Timken Det Axle | 14 | 11⅝ | 10⅝ | 11⅜ |
| Union Carbide | 171 | 64⅞ | 62¾ | 63½ |
| Union Pac | 11 | 202 | 201½ | 202¾ |
| United Aircraft | 531 | 33⅝ | 32⅝ | 33¼ |
| United Carbon | 44 | 27¾ | 26 | 26½ |
| United G & Im | 138 | 30½ | 29¾ | 30½ |
| U S Steel & Im | 442 | 33⅝ | 32⅞ | 33¼ |
| U S Rubber | 37 | 14⅜ | 13⅝ | 14⅛ |

MONEY QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—Call money easy, 1½ per cent all day.

Time loans easy; 60 days 1¼@1½; 3-4 months 1⅝@2; 5-6 months 2¼@2½ per cent.

Prime commercial paper 2½@2¾.

Bankers' acceptances firm; 30 days 1⅝@1¾; 60-90 days 1¾@1⅞; 4 months 1⅞@1¾; 5-6 months 1⅞@1¾.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—Foreign exchanges strong; Great Britain in dollars, others in cents:

Great Britain, demand 4.85 19-32, cables 4.85 23-32. 60-day bills 4.83; France, demand 3.91 13-16, cables 3.91 15-16; Italy, demand 5.23⅛; Belgium, 13.92; Germany, 23.75; Holland, 40.11¼; Norway, 26.72½; Sweden, 26.79; Switzerland, 19.48; Montreal, 99.98⅛; Mexico City, gold peso, 46.10.

# Records

DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk

James M. Morton et ux, 10 acres out of W. Harvey survey, abstract 94, to J. A. Horn.

Lock Lowrance, 60 acres out of section 27, Tarrant county school lands, to Ethel Lowrance.

W. W. Ross et ux, blocks 7 and 47, John F. Kiel subdivision of part of the C. L. Harrison and John Thomas surveys, to John F. Kiel.

Continental Southland Savings and Loan association, lot 2, block 10, Sunset Heights addition, Wichita Falls, to P. F. West.

Lorene White et vir, lot 5, block H, Kemp Fair addition, Wichita Falls, to Herbert T. Wales.

Anderson Building Supply company, lot 4, block T-A, Highland addition, and lot 14, block 83-A, Highland addition, Wichita Falls, to W. E. Anderson.

R. A. Durham, lot 11, block 56, Southland addition, Wichita Falls, to E. D. Dunham.

R. E. Schoolfield, lot 11, block 20, Kemp's West Side addition to the Floral Heights addition, Wichita Falls, to North Texas Building and Loan association.

NEW SUITS FILED

Mrs. A. R. Eichelberger, District Clerk

Frank A. Kennedy vs. Lillie Kennedy, divorce.

Mrs. Minnie Kahn et al. vs. Schlenberg-Quicksilver Co., Inc., debt.

A. A. Horwitz vs. Greer Wichita Oil company, debt.

Joe Meadows vs. Wilson-Baxter Inc., et al., salary and damages.

K. K. Tire and Storage company vs. Ford-Holt Co., Inc., damages.

W. D. Irvine vs. Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 1, damages.

Erin M. Sanson vs. M. R. Sanson, divorce.

J. B. Sisk vs. J. C. Hunt Grain company and City National bank, Wichita Falls, damages.

F. H. Hood vs. Anna Hood, divorce.

NEW AUTOMOBILE LICENSES

Arthur C. Howard, Tax Collector

E. K. Longan, Wichita Falls, Willys sedan.

C. C. Westfall, Wichita Falls, Chevrolet coach.

DECLARATION OF INTENT TO MARRY

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk

Major Lewis H. Brereton, Fort Sill, Okla., and Miss Ivy V. Larkin, Wichita Falls.

TEXAS CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, Feb. 16. (AP)—An improved tone was visible on the cash grain market as the week started. Estimates on receipts included wheat 20 cars, corn 11, oats 6 and sorghums 11. Fair demand continued and the fairly light offerings were reported easily sold.

Basis carloads delivered Texas common points, freight paid, quotations ranged as follows:

Wheat—No. 1 hard, of any protein, 77½@80c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 69¼@70½c; No. 3 white, 73@74c; No. 2 yellow, 73½@73½c.

Oats—No. 2 red, 43@44c. (Dealers also quoted No. 3 white delivered Texas group 1 points at 42¾@43¾c.)

Sorghums—No. 2 milo, per 100 lbs., $1.31@1.33; No. 2 kaffir, $1.17@1.19.

Cane seed, bulk country run red top, per 100 lbs., depending upon type, germination, origin and clean-out, $2.60@2.95.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 16. (AP)—Grains suffered material price breaks today owing largely to spilling up of United States stocks of wheat and to widespread moisture alleviating drouth. Forecasts pointed to more rainfalls tonight over domestic winter wheat territory, including Nebraska. A decrease of almost 32,000,000 bushels in official estimates of the Argentine wheat harvest failed to act as a counterbalance.

Wheat closed nervous, unchanged to 1¼ cents lower, corn 1¼@1½c off, oats ⅛@⅝c down, and provisions varying from 5c setback to a shade advance.

Efforts to rally wheat proved almost futile in the face of 2,078,000 bushels increase of the United States visible supply to a total of 194,053,000 bushels, contrasting with 159,052,000 at this time last year.

Acute weakness of corn intensified the downward trend of wheat and other cereals. Visible supplies of both corn and wheat showed increases, with the corn market tumbling to almost the season's bottom price record.

Accompanying corn price setbacks were reports that farm use of corn was much curtailed by the open winter and by substitution of other feeds.

Provisions were steadied by upturns in hog values.

Closing indemnities: Wheat—July 67⅛@67¼c, 65⅜c; Sept. 66⅞@68¼c; corn, May 64⅛@64⅜c, 66⅝@66¾c. Sept. 64¾@66½c.

| Corn— | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| March old | .63⅜ | .61⅛ | .61¼ |
| March new | .63⅜ | .62⅛ | .62⅜ |
| May old | .65½ | .63⅝ | .64⅜ |
| May new | .65½ | .63⅝ | .64⅜ |
| July | .66⅛ | .64¼ | .64¾ |
| Sept. | .67⅛ | .65½ | .65⅞ |
| Sept. | .66⅛ | .65¼ | .65⅝ |
| Wheat— | | | |
| March old | .79¼ | .79¼ | .79⅝ |
| March new | .79⅜ | .79⅜ | .79⅝ |
| May old | .82⅝ | .82 | .82⅜ |
| May new | .82⅝ | .83¼ | .83⅜ |
| July | .69⅜ | .67¾ | .68⅛ |
| Sept. | .69⅛ | .67½ | .67⅝ |
| Oats— | | | |
| March old | .33¼ | .32⅝ | .33 |
| May old | .33⅜ | .33⅛ | .33¼ |
| May new | .33⅜ | .33⅛ | .33⅜ |
| July | .32⅞ | .32 | .32⅜ |
| Sept. | .32½ | .31⅞ | .32 |
| Rye— | | | |
| March old | | | .39 |
| May old | .41 | .40 | .40⅜ |
| July | .41¼ | .40⅝ | .40⅝ |
| Sept. | | | .43⅛ |
| Lard— | | | |
| March | 8.15 | 8.12 | 8.12 |
| May | 8.37 | 8.25 | 8.25 |
| July | 8.42 | 8.40 | 8.42 |
| Bellies— | | | |
| May | .... | .... | 10.65 |
| July | .... | .... | 10.70 |

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 16. (AP)—Wheat—No. 1 red, 79@79½c; No. 2 northern spring, 78¾c; No. 1 mixed, 79c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 64c; No. 2 yellow, old, 65c; No. 2 yellow, 62@62¼c; No. 2 white, 65½@65¾c.

Oats—No. 1 white 32½c; No. 2 white, 32½c.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 16. (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 dark hard, 66¼c; No. 2 hard, 69@70c; No. 2, red, nominally 72@73c; May, 73¼c; July, 61¼c.

Corn—No. 2 white, nominally, 54@55c; No. 2 yellow, 55c; No. 2 mixed, nominally 52½@53½c; May, 39¼c; July, 60¼c; Sept. 61c.

Oats—No. 2 white, nominally, 33½@34c; No. 3 nominally, 33@33½c.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 16. (AP)—An improved tone was visible on the Fort Worth cash grain market as the week started. Estimates on Monday's receipts included wheat, 20 cars; corn, 11; oats, 6, and sorghums, 11. Fair demand continued and the fairly light coverings were reported easily sold.

Basis carload delivered Texas common points, freight paid, quotations ranged as follows:

Wheat—No. 1 hard, of any protein, 77½@80c.

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Oats—No. 2 red, 43@44c. (dealers also quote No. 3 white delivered Texas group one points at 42¾@43¾c).

Barley—No. 2 57@67½.

Sorghums—No. 2 milo, per 100 pounds, $1.21@1.23; No. 2 kaffir, $1.17@1.19.

Cane Seed—Bulk country run red top, per 100 pounds, depending upon type, germination, origin and clean-out, $2.60@2.95.

COTTONSEED OIL

DALLAS, Feb. 16. (AP)—Prime cottonseed: North and East Texas $23; West Texas $23@25.

Prime cottonseed oil, 6½@6¾.

Prime cottonseed meal, 43 per cent, $27.

Prime cottonseed hulls, 10.

Linters average mill run, 1½@2¼.

Cottonseed Oil

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady; prime summer yellow, 7.10; prime crude, 6.12½@6.25. Feb. 7.15, March 7.16, April 7.21, May 7.26, June 7.30, July 7.36, Aug. 7.40, Sept. 7.45, Oct. 7.50.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady; prime summer yellow, 7.25; prime crude, 6.12½@6.25.

DRY GOODS MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—Good inquiry and fair sales in print cloths featured coarse yarn gray cotton goods market today. Sheetings and other goods were in improved demand. Inquiry for fine cotton gray goods and rayon fabrics was fair with sales light. Prices were unchanged to firmer. Moderate demand for coarse count cotton yarns developed. Multifilament rayon yarns were in fair demand. Burlap markets were nominally unchanged with cables from Calcutta late. Wool fabrics mills were increasing production. Spot raw silks were quiet and unchanged, with weakness developing abroad. Heavy silk crepes were selling for spring. Silk hosiery situation was unsettled.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—A more confident tone prevailed in the wool market as the result of the broader demand during the past, especially since expansion of trading extended to the 56's and 48, 50's grade, which had been neglected for many weeks. Quotations are steadier than a week ago, on 56's and lower qualities and slightly firmer on 58, 60's and above. Receipts of domestic wool during week ending February 14 amounted to 265,400 pounds as compared with 415,700 pounds during previous week.

# Livestock

MIDWESTERN LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 16. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—Moderate activity developed today on the lighter weights of hogs at strong to 20c higher prices but butchers scaling above 220 pounds failed to show any appreciable amount of strength. The top of $8.00 was paid both at Chicago and St. Louis. Offerings were around 136,800.

A liberal run of sheep tended to slow up trade on fat lambs and prices were weak to 25c lower. Some weakness also was reported on aged stock. Choice lambs in Chicago cleared at $8.75@8.90 while at Omaha fed wooled lambs made $8.35. The supply approximated 85,500.

Receipts of cattle were estimated at 54,500. With the aid of a fairly broad outside demand killing classes cleared at prices unevenly steady to 25c higher. Good to choice fed steers with weight and light yearlings scaling under 750 pounds showed the most upturn. Chicago scored $11.75 on choice 998-pound yearlings and secured $10.70 for the best heavy steers. Stocker and feeder classes found a slow outlet at values steady to easier with late last week and 25@50c lower than a week ago. Stocker and feeder steers cash from $6.00@8.00 with the most of feeders downward from $7.50.

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Feb. 16. (AP)—U. S. D. A.—Hogs—Receipts 1,400, 10@20c higher; top $7.50 for better grade truck hogs; bulk 170 to 235 lbs., $7.30@7.50; rail butchers, $7.45; packing sows, $5.50@5.75 or steady; two loads common pigs unsold.

Cattle—Receipts 3,600; slaughter steers, yearlings and she stock fully steady; steer sales, $5.75@7.00; fat yearlings, $6.75@7.50; cows, $4.25@5.00; stocker steer calves, $7.25; medium grade stock yearlings, $6.75; slaughter calves, steady; better grades heavies, $6.50@6.75; good lightweight vealers, $7.50.

Sheep—Receipts 1,600; steady; fall shorn lambs, $7.40; fall shorn lambs, $7.25; few yearlings, $6.00; aged wethers, $5.00; fleshy wooled feeder lambs, $6.50.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16. (INS)—Hogs—Receipts 55,000; 10@15c higher; top $8.00; bulk $5.90@7.90;

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Ads accepted for afternoon paper up until 11 a. m. same day.

Morning paper up to 6 p. m. for the following morning.

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Same copy in both papers.

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The Times reserves the right to classify all Classified Ads under the appropriated headlines and to revise or to withhold from publication any ads deemed objectionable.

### 3-A. BATHS

SULTAN Turkish baths, 708 Travis; experienced operators; open nights and Sundays. 2-4668.

### 4. BEAUTY PARLORS

FRENCH OIL WAVES, $2. Mrs. Hansard, 204 Bluff. Phone 2-4972.

PERMANENT waves, two for $5.00. Mrs. Rexford, 500 Travis; phone 9878.

FRENCH oil waves, $2.00. 2203 Grant, 8082. Mrs. Lehmann.

1414 TWELFTH street, shampoos 50c; marcel 50c, wave set 35c and 50c. Phone 6332.

SPECIALS FOR SHORT TIME ONLY
Permanent waves, $3 to $10. Malone's Bob and Beauty Shop. Phone 5873. Basement Staley building.

SPECIAL—Free shampoos with wave set, 50c. Mr. McGinty. 2-4910.

### 5. LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—Black female German police dog; name "Dutch." Phone 8181 or 2-9055. Reward.

LIBERAL reward for return of tools taken from Packard automobile on Burkburnett highway Thursday night. No questions asked. I cannot replace them. Edd C. Beach. Holt hotel.

LOST—Box containing fishing tackle, had name R. B. Broadwell on side. Reward. Call 4191. Langford Motor Co.

LOST—Yellow and white female Persian kitten; child's pet. Dial 6612 or 9245.

### 6. MALE HELP WANTED

DO YOU WANT A REAL JOB?
Then learn to become a linotype operator, monotype operator, machinist operator, compositor-typeman, or pressman at the Southwest Vocational school. No previous experience required. Courses open to both men and women. Training is given by experts. Our graduates are in constant demand at from $100 to $140 per month on their first job. We also provide training in a number of other skilled trades. Let us train you for success. You may enter at any time. Write for free catalog, stating course desired. SOUTHWEST VOCATIONAL SCHOOL, Chamber of Commerce Building, Dallas, Texas.

### 8. FEMALE HELP WANTED

TWO-ROOM furnished servant house. Money rent. 1312 Taylor.

### 13. SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE

14-YEAR-OLD boy wants work for Saturdays and evenings. Phone 2-4786 or call at 1307 Twentieth street.

### 14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

NURSE WITH hospital training desires employment as child's nurse or anything considered. Prefer to stay home nights. Phone 2-1894.

PRACTICAL nursing by responsible lady. Phone 2-4786.

WHITE GIRL must have work; will do housework or care for children. Phone 2-9486.

FAMILY BUNDLES washed, starched, dried, 5c pound; quilts, blankets, 25c. Delivery service. Phone 2-1318.

YOUNG LADY wants work in dentist or doctor's office. Box 77 Times.

LADY AND daughter want housekeeping for elderly couple or in motherless home. Phone 2-4351.

### 16. ROOM AND BOARD

NICE, CLEAN bedrooms, with meals, $7.50; garage, 2007 Ninth street.

CLEAN bedrooms, meals if desired, garage. 1206 Austin.

NICE SOUTHEAST front bedroom, for couple, with meals. 548 month. Phone 6851.

### 17 BEDROOMS FOR RENT

NICELY furnished bedroom, private front entrance. 1627 Lucile; phone 5388.

KEMP KORT—Attractive bedrooms, steam heat, walking distance. Phone 8473.

FRONT SOUTHEAST bedroom, adjoining bath, private home. 1312 Taylor; phone 4953. Mrs. J. M. Sweeten.

### 17 BEDROOMS FOR RENT

COMFORTABLE bedrooms, good beds, reasonable rent, private home. 1195 Alma.

NICELY furnished front bedroom. 906 Austin.

NICE FRONT bedroom, near carline, garage. 2015 Lucile; phone 2-4276.

TWO BEDROOMS, newly papered, convenient to bath, gentlemen; car line. 2305 Ninth. Phone 2-2385.

### 18 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

TWO NICELY furnished rooms, $4.50 week. 2106 Yale.

TWO FRONT rooms, furnished, also garage apartment, $16 monthly, close in. 904 Fifteenth.

TWO LIGHT housekeeping rooms. Also one front room. 308 Burnett.

TWO FURNISHED housekeeping rooms in rear. Phone 2-5974. 1413 Seventeenth.

### 19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT headquarters. G. T. Tully Co., 812½ Scott; phone 9902.

FURNISHED apartments; apply basement office, 1504 Eighth street. Call Franklin, 2-4785 or 3960.

NICELY FURNISHED efficiency apartment. Frigidaire, bills paid. Garage. 702 WARFORD.

KEMP KORT—Furnished or unfurnished apartments, steam heat, rents reduced. Phone 5473.

NICELY furnished apartment, and garage, 1404 Austin. Phone 9421.

TO COUPLE—Nicely furnished apartment, built-in features, private bath; garage. Apply 1908 Eighth street. Phone 8488.

DUPLEX—Three-room apartment, nicely furnished; rent reasonable. Apply 1310 Eighth.

NICELY furnished three-room apartment, private bath; garage. Phone 8723.

NICELY furnished 3-room duplex apartment, 1310 Eighth.

TWO OR THREE-ROOM furnished apartment. 1213 Taylor. Phone 5531.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, with garage. 1708 Bluff avenue.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment, with extra roll-away bed, $30. 1301 Kemp; phone 9211.

1808 SEVENTH, furnished, four large rooms, entire second floor, exceptionally good, $30. 5480.

TWO-ROOM apartment, nicely furnished; new and clean. All bills paid. $5.50 week. 2013 Tilden. Phone 6311.

VERY DESIRABLE furnished duplex apartment. 1407 Fillmore. $30. To adults. For appointment phone 3176.

EXTRA NICELY furnished apartment, 5-room duplex. Phone 3768. 1655 McGregor.

TWO FURNISHED room apartment, private, close in. 1309 Burnett; 5867.

NICE THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, reasonable; adults only. 1604 Thirteenth.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, with garage. 2142 Avenue G.

FURNISHED apartments. 1406 Monroe. Also 502 Austin. Bills paid.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, $5 per week; bills paid. 2128 Princeton avenue; dial 2-4019.

COMPLETELY furnished apartment by day or week. 702 Warford.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, garage; bills paid; $27.50. 2400 Ninth.

FURNISHED garage apartment, $6.50 week, bills paid, couple only. 705 Baylor.

FOUR-ROOM furnished garage apartment. 1818 Lucile.

HALF DUPLEX, nicely furnished, garage, on pavement, adults. 1205 Holliday.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment, on pavement, garage, bills paid, $30. Phone 5436-8080.

NEWLY decorated apartments, comfortable, quiet, close in. 1204 Grace.

UNFURNISHED large 4-room brick, tile bath, double garage. 1406 Eleventh.

FOUR-ROOM duplex, unfurnished, 809 Bluff. Apply 1302 Burnett.

BRICK DUPLEX, nicely furnished or unfurnished, four rooms, bath and garage, on pavement. Phone 9093.

INVITING little furnished apartment, bedroom, kitchenet, private bath; in private residence. 1501 Giddings. Dial 9654 or 2-1613.

NICELY furnished one two and one-room apartment, close in, opposite library. 907 Fourteenth street.

THREE ROOMS, unfurnished, breakfast nook. 1212 Clark. Phone 3600.

NICELY FURNISHED three-room apartment, $22.50. 1504 Twelfth street.

THREE-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, bills paid. Phone 7060. 1602 Twelfth.

NICE DUPLEX unfurnished apartment, at 2016 Fillmore. Phone 6909.

LARGE THREE-ROOM furnished apartment; worth seeing; on carline, 1802 Collins. Phone 7536.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, with garage. 1908 Tilden street.

BARGAINS—Nicely furnished four-room apartment, 2107 Taft. $25. Phone 6878.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished 4-room brick, duplex, modern apartment, 704 Warford street. Dial 3866.

EAST HALF of duplex, $20. 1665 Collins; phone 6211.

FOR RENT—Four-room modern apartment, unfurnished, $15. 1208 Holliday; call 4420.

LA PERLA apartment, furnished, bills paid. Phone 4454 or 7680.

NICELY furnished duplex apartment, 1907 Pearl; phone 6264.

FOR RENT—Right-room duplex, unfurnished. Call 3009.

UNFURNISHED apartment, four rooms, bath and dressing room. 1628 Eleventh; dial 7893.

NICELY furnished two and three-room apartments, close in, 304 Fourth, garage, bills paid, $5, $5.50. Phone 2-5450, 4642.

1306 THIRTEENTH STREET—Three-room furnished apartment, garage.

### 20. HOUSES FOR RENT

HOME RENTAL SERVICE. Call Jimmie Brannan. 1111 Holliday. Phone 4519.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, 1313 Burnett. Phone 6551.

SEVERAL choice houses, also lovely furnished place. Call Ammann-Jordan.

NICELY furnished 5 rooms and breakfast room, all built-ins, double garage; $30. Phone 4484-3746.

NICELY FURNISHED five-room house and garage. Shown by appointment. 1909 Elizabeth. Dial 6813.

SPLENDID 6-room home, excellent condition. 2106 Garfield, $50. Call 8521.

REST BARGAIN in town, a home-like place you would be proud of; five rooms, hardwood floors, redecorated and light fixtures installed, close to carline, good neighborhood, reduced to $32.50 to responsible, permanent party; 1625 Lucile. See this today and dial 5363 or 9406.

FIVE-ROOM house garage, pavement. 1010 Fourteenth street, $30. Phone 3084.

NICELY furnished four rooms, breakfast nook and bath. Phone 4406.

FIVE-ROOM house, garage, pavement. 2302 Grant, $20. Phone 3749.

FOR RENT—3011 Avenue E, five-room house, breakfast nook, modern, convenience, apply H. Stout, 1314 Thirteenth street. Phone 2-5031.

UNFURNISHED five-room modern home, 2304 Tenth, $30. Phone 4519.

MODERN 4-room furnished house, with garage. 1704 Harrison.

EXCEPTIONALLY nice 6-room stucco residence, hardwood floors, tile bath. 1207 Eleventh; $50; no less. Phones 5198-5216.

FURNISHED five rooms and breakfast room, servant house and garage. 1910 Collins; 4613, 2-2888.

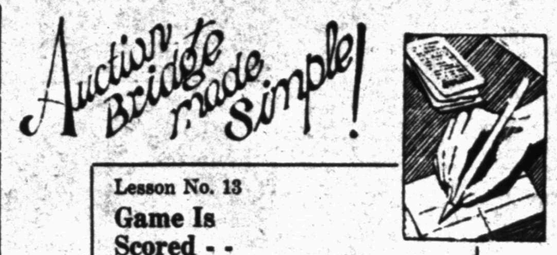
FOR RENT—House at 402 Bluff. Phone 5414.

2112 BUCHANAN—Five-room modern house, $15; garage. Phone 3632.

TWO-STORY brick, seven rooms, hardwood floors throughout, double garage, servants house, $50. 1700 Tilden; phone 2-1293.

2155 AVENUE F, newly papered; others; reasonable rent. 9237-6471.

FIVE-ROOM cottage, pavement, near Junior college and Benjamin Franklin school, 2112 Jolins street. Phone 2-1346.




Lesson No. 13

## Game Is Scored - -

IN Auction Bridge when either side scores 30 or more points by tricks won, and then a line is drawn under the score of both sides. This cuts off any partial score which opponents may have up to that time and prevents it from counting toward the next game.

Only ONE game can be won at a time—no matter how many points are made in a single hand.

("Failure to Make Bid" tomorrow)

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### 20. HOUSES FOR RENT

FIVE-ROOM house, 1636 McGregor; phone 4694.

NICE, CLEAN 5 and 6-room houses. Twelfth and Broad.

EXTRA NICE five rooms and breakfast room, built-ins, fireplace, double garage. 2007 Jones, phone 9357. Mrs. W. H. Downing.

FOR RENT—Furnished brick home, six rooms, nice yard; phone 4451.

FIVE-ROOM house, 2910 Avenue L; in Crockett school district; phone 2-3412, 5482.

1514 WESTLAKE—Lovely, nearly new, five rooms, $40. 5480-9870.

### 22. FARMS FOR RENT

FOR CASH RENT, chicken and turkey farm, 40 acres, good house, six chicken houses, mules and farm tools for sale or will rent with place. Dial 7856.

### 29. FURNITURE FOR SALE

DON'T BUY furniture, either used or new until you get our prices. We exchange. Phone 7123, E. F. Riley Furniture, 514 Indiana.

WE BUY or trade for used furniture, E. F. Riley Furniture, 514 Indiana. Phone 7123.

GET OUR prices before you buy new or used furniture. Popular Furniture. 714 Seventh.

### 30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

QUILT SCRAPS, assorted prints, all fast colors; four pounds $1. Postage prepaid. Texas Scrap Material company, P. O. Box 2236, Dallas, Texas.

### 33. RADIOS

FOR SALE—Radio cheap; leaving town. 700 Jefferson.

### 34. WANTED TO BUY

WANT to buy house to wreck or move. Phone 2-0618.

WANTED—English White Leghorn setting eggs from 200-egg hens, mated with high-er bred cockerels. Send price and description. Ross Cox, Route 1, Seymour, Texas.

WANTED—Battery radio set without batteries. Ross Cox, Route 1, Seymour, Texas.

GOOD USED wicker baby sulky. Call Brittian, Gulf Production Co., Burkburnett.

### 37. OFFICE SUPPLIES

SIX COLUMN adding machine; roll-top oak desk; bargains. Call 2-0212.

UNUSUAL bargains office desks, tables, chairs, typewriters, adding machine, cash registers, book and show cases. See us before you buy office equipment. Exchange, 810 Lamar; phone 2-2636.

### 42. LIVESTOCK

THOROUGHBRED O. I. C. pigs, $10; bred gilts $30. Pedigree furnished. Cap Stewart, Bowie, Texas.

### 43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK

OUR HATCHERY is now in operation. Central Chick Hatchery, Fifth and Indiana; phone 9270.

BABY CHICKS, custom hatching. Ray's Hatchery, 2610 Grant street. Dial 4638.

YOU DON'T need money to hatch chicks with us. Bring your eggs anytime. Get your chicks now. Phone 19972. Burkburnett one mile south Burkburnett. Wichita Chick Hatchery, box 643, Wichita Falls, Texas.

BABY CHICKS—Custom hatching. Hatch-Rite Hatchery, 3350 Iowa Park road. Phone 2-4324.

PETERSINE custom hatching; day old and started chicks; priced right. Cotterly Hatchery, Iowa Park road, six miles. Phone 2-8731.

GET YOUR chicks at Berry Seed and Feed Store, 925 Indiana. Phone 3726.

### 44. DOGS

L. I. LUCEY veterinarian. General practice. Henrietta road. Phone 4984.

### 46. FEED

GOOD ALFALFA and sorghum hay cheap. 1909 Hayes. Phone 2-5789.

### 50. FLORIST-NURSERYMEN

SPECIAL SALE—Lombardys, eight feet 15c; Sycamore or hackberry, 14 feet, 40c. All shrubs 25c; Amoor privit, 18 inch, $2.75 per hundred; grapes 5c. All evergreens 25 per cent off. Wichita Nursery. 1806 Tenth. Phone 8354.

ROSES—Dozen, $2.95. Large healthy plants. Free catalog. Tytex Rose Nurseries, box 522, Tyler, Texas.

BARGAINS THIS WEEK
20-inch hedge plants 2c each; extra heavy 2-year roses, 25c each; papershell pecan trees, 50c each; flowering shrubs, 10c each. Bargains in shade trees and evergreens. Kerr Nursery Yard, 2011 Grant street. O. L. Phillips, representative. Phone 2-1857.

### 51. REPAIRING

GENE'S REPAIR SHOP—Furniture and stove repairing. Phone 2-5381.

ALL KINDS carpenter work, painting and papering, estimates free. Leach & Johnson. Phone 3044.

### 52. MOVING AND STORAGE

FOR EXPERT moving or crating call experienced men. Cost no more. Phone 7123. E. F. Riley Furniture.

### 53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

RED FORDE, equipped for all repairing. J. H. Castledine, phone 4420.

### 53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

GEORGE W. DIMOCK—Prices cut to $1.50 per hour; new work on installment. 1500 Eighth. Phone 6515.

C. M. BARKMAN your plumber; master and state license. A shop on wheels at your service, $1 per hour. Phone 9497.

### 54. DRESSMAKING, SEWING AND MILLINERY

MRS. NELSON, formerly of Kimbertin's, dressmaking, alternations, hemstitching, covered buttons, buttonholes. Cinderella Bootery. Phone 2-4644.

SEWING, all kinds, reasonable. Coat relining a specialty. 1202 Holliday; 8789.

### 58. PAINTING-PAPERHANGING

SPECIAL PRICES on paperhanging this month. Work guaranteed. Thomas. 2-5635.

PAINTING, papering, $2 to $5 room. 2-1482.

PAINTING, papering, guaranteed. 1931 wall paper cheap. Galloway. Phone 2-3024.

### 66. MATTRESS RENOVATING

MATTRESS RENOVATING—We call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co. Phone 9412.

MATTRESS RENOVATING—One day service, furniture taken in exchange. Patton Mattress & Furniture Co., 402 Indiana. Phone 9930.

SPECIAL mattress renovating, art ticking, $3.40. American Mattress. Phone 9473.

### 70. AUTOMOBILES FOR EXCHANGE

1927 CHEVROLET coupe, good shape, trade for equity in six-cylinder car. Phone 2-4594 between 8 and 11, mornings.

### 71. AUTOMOBILES WANTED

WE PAY cash for late model used cars. Western Auto Exchange. 1010 Scott. Phone 2-1771.

### 92. HOUSES FOR SALE

BEAUTIFUL 6-room, modern home for sale at bargain. Owner leaving city. Inquire 1608 Polk.

FOR SALE—New five-room brick house, Marborough Place addition, 3215 Milby street, furnished or unfurnished.

FOR SALE—By owner, modern six-room house, furnished or unfurnished, 2137 Avenue J; phone 4500.

FOR SALE—We have several nice, small homes on pavement, newly painted and repapered for sale at foreclosure prices with reasonable terms. Will merit your sincere investigation. Wichita Falls Building and Loan association. Phone 5050.

### 100. HOTEL, ROOMING HOUSES

FURNITURE for 14 rooms for sale, building for rent. Phone 9563.

### 101. SUBURBAN TRACTS

FOR SALE—Four and half-acre tract, irrigated and under cultivation, on Seymour road, only 15 minutes from business district; modern eight-room house, 80 bearing fruit trees, and many other improvements. A real bargain. Investigate. Call 2-1843 or 5050 and ask for Cureton.

## Friberg News

Special to The Record News.

FRIBERG, Texas, Feb. 16.—Miss Maurine Leissler was hostess to the members of the Friendship club Wednesday afternoon in one of the most delightful meetings held in recent weeks. The short devotional opened with the song, "He Keeps Me Singing," with the president, Mrs. Troy Hurdt presiding. During the brief business session, the secretary, Miss Ollie Roediger, gave a report on the committees.

Following this the first of an interesting series of study based on articles appearing in a current magazine was led by Miss O. Roediger. The lesson was so enjoyed that the members agreed to continue it at each meeting. The pleasant afternoon closed with two intriguing games conducted by the hostess.

In the valentine word contest Mrs. Fred Lovell and Miss O. Roediger tied for honors and following a draw Mrs. Lovell was awarded the prize. In the scrambled heart contest, Miss Hazel Roediger drew the prize.

Miss Leissler, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Luther Leissler, served a dainty plate lunch to Misses Katherine Singletary, Bernice Bryan, Eloise and Maybelle Leissler, Millie, Ollie and Hazel Roediger, and Mesdames Troy Hurdt, Fred Lovell, John Lovell, Ethel Bryan and A. F. Hensel.

Mrs. Frank Lovell who underwent an appendicitis operation at the clinic hospital in Wichita Falls more than two weeks ago is improving nicely according to report and is soon to be brought home.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Snarr returned home to Elgin, Okla., Saturday following a brief three days' visit with relatives here. Rev. and Mrs. Snarr were en route home following a delightful seven weeks' visit with relatives of Reverend Snarr at Orlando, Fla. They also visited other Florida cities of interest and report a wonderful trip.

# BURK P.-T.A MEETS TODAY

## Founders to Be Honored In Program

Special to The Record News

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Feb. 16.—An interesting program carrying the theme of Founder's day combined with child training will be presented by the Parent-Teacher association in the grade school auditorium on Tuesday, Feb. 17, at 3:30. This meeting will start the attendance records for prizes for the remainder of the year.

The pupils of the low and high fourth and low fifth grades will present a program in keeping with the Founders day motif. The play will be entitled "Mrs. Briny's Dream Comes True." These pupils will be presented by their teachers who have supervised the playlet, Mesdames Glen Bear, C. E. Mitchell and Miss Sadie Flemming.

Two musical treats are in store for the members and guests when the Lions club quartet is presented and little Miss Katherine Houser will play the ukulele and sing. Little Miss Polly Wiggins will entertain with a tap dance.

Miss Treasie Dillard, primary supervisor, will speak on "Helping Our Children Succeed in School."

A nursery will be provided for the children and will be in charge of a capable nurse.

# Council Gives Gas Rate Views

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achievement until present franchises expire.

"Nor is the city council disposed in any way to retard any movement of the citizens of Wichita Falls to go into the business of supplying their own utilities, gas or otherwise, if they desire to do so. But with reference to the problem of gas rates, which is receiving immediate attention, our careful study of the matter has convinced us that nothing can be done at the present time. Observing the experience which a sister city had recently in such a situation, we should not be disposed to obligate the citizens of Wichita Falls for a heavy expenditure of funds in a legal action whose defeat is fore-determined."

R. O. Harvey, C. E. McCutchen, E. H. Eddleman, J. M. Spoonts and J. N. Prothro, comprising the council; Mr. Fairtrace and Mayor Nelson were signers of the statement.

# Archer Assault Hearing Brings Five-Year Term

Special to The Record News.

ARCHER CITY, Texas, Feb. 16.—A. B. Smith, 25-year-old married man, was sentenced to five years imprisonment here today on charges of criminal assault upon his 8-year-old sister-in-law.

The little girl took the stand in district court here Monday morning to describe an alleged attack near Newport on Nov. 9, 1930. Smith denied the charge brought by his wife's little sister.

The case, called this morning by Judge Allen D. Montgomery, was tried in record time and the jury returned its verdict of guilty, with the minimum sentence, after a brief deliberation.

# Fall Takes Life Of Dalham Leader

Special to The Record News.

DALHART, Texas, Feb. 16.—T. W. Timmerman, 52, pioneer business man and a leader in the development of Dalham county, Sunday succumbed to injuries suffered in a fall from a windmill tower at Perico last Wednesday night. Mr. Timmerman died in a hospital at Clayton, N. M. Funeral services will be held in Dalhart Thursday afternoon. A widow, three children, his father and eight brothers and sisters survive.

Mr. Timmerman, a Perico business man, came to Dalham county 15 years ago. He was instrumental in the success of the irrigation project just completed and has been widely active in the affairs of the county.

# Aged Electra Man Claimed by Death

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Feb. 16.—J. L. Kinnedrew, 73, died Monday at the home of his son, Tom Kennedrew, 407 East Gilsson, after a brief illness.

Born in Mississippi, Mr. Kinnedrew came to Texas with his parents at the age of 12. After a few years in Marlin county, he lived for 30 years in Goldthwaite. Two years ago he came to Electra to make his home with his son.

Surviving him are his widow, four sons, three daughters, a sister, and eight grandchildren. The sons are Tom and John Kinnedrew of Electra, Leonard, Fort Worth, and Herman, radio operator on the S. S. Baxter off the California coast. Mrs. Addie Parkin, San Francisco; Mrs. Bina Gregory, Grandfield, Okla.; and Mrs. Leona Gilmore, Dallas, are his daughters. His sister is Mrs. C. H. Tenable of Central Texas.

Funeral arrangements were not complete Monday night.

# Cattle Theft Re-Trial Slated at Archer City

Special to The Record News.

ARCHER CITY, Texas, Feb. 16.—The second trial of C. T. Guess, charged with killing a cow on the J. T. Richardson ranch, is scheduled in district court here Tuesday morning. In his first trial Guess pleaded guilty and asked for a suspended sentence. The jury hung on the question of the suspension. It was reported Guess would plead not guilty Tuesday morning.

# What's On The Air Today?

The Kukuna Hawaiians will give a 15-minute program of Hawaiian music over KGKO as a special feature of Tuesday's program. They will broadcast from 8:45 to 9 o'clock on the evening program. Additional features will include selections by the All-American Minstrel and by the Radiolites orchestra.

7:45-8:00—News flashes.
8:00-8:30—Pep club.
8:30-9:30—Shopping hour.
9:30-9:45—Paul Cooper.
9:45-10:00—Stella North Couch, astrology.
10:00-10:15—Moments with the masters.
10:15-10:30—"Morning Glory."
10:30-11:15—Church of the air.
12:00-12:45—Nat Brusiloff commercial hour.
12:45-1:00—News flashes.
1:00-1:30—Agricultural hour.
3:30-4:00—The bulletin board.
4:00-4:30—Eugene Ormandy.
4:30-4:45—Advice from Betty Burns.
4:45-5:15—Twilight serenaders.
5:15-5:30—Stella North Couch.
5:30-6:00—Sleepy Time travels.
6:00-6:45—Dinner hour concert.
6:45-7:00—Raidolites, weather report.
7:00-7:15—Fireside melodies.
7:15-7:30—World book man.
7:30-7:45—Songs of the flowers.
7:45-8:00—Ship O' Melody.
8:00-8:30—Chevrolet Chronicles.
8:30-8:45—North Texas Building and Loan program.
8:45-9:00—Kukuna Hawaiians.
9:00-9:30—All-American minstrel.

## Southwest

288.3—KRLD, Dallas—1040

6:00-7:00—Sunrise prayer service.
7:00-8:00—Exercises and organ program; organ program; morning minstrels.
8:30-9:45—Morning Moods; Aunt Mary's chat; Melody parade; Novelty Musicians.
10:30-11:15—Senator Arthur Capper, "Our Government"; Three Men in a Tub; Paul Tremaine and orchestra.
12:30-2:00—Kassel and orchestra.
2:00-3:00—Columbia Salon orchestra; KRLD-SMU College of the Air.
4:00-5:00—Rhythm Kings; adventures in words; Bert Lown and orchestra; Tony's scrap book.
5:00-6:30—Ted and Jack, entertainers; flashes, lost and found ads; Harry Tucker and Hotel Barclay orchestra; Sleepy Time Travels; Curtis; The Capitvators; spotlight reporter.
7:00-7:30—Topics in brief; Lorna Fantin.
8:00-9:00—Health talk; Art Kassel and orchestra; symphony orchestra.
9:00-10:00—Events in the lives of Jo and Vi; Richie Craig Jr.; radio playhouse.
11:00-12:30—Call for missing men; the Palm Islanders; Art Kassel and orchestra; program from local theater.

288.3—KTHS, Hot Springs—1040

6:00-6:15—Jake and Lena, Quaker Early Birds.
6:15-6:30 a. m.—Studio features.
10:00 to 10:15 a. m.—"Your Child Chat."
10:15-10:30 a. m.—Radio Household institute.
11:30 a. m.-12:30 p. m.—Phil Cook.
7:00-7:30 p. m.—Barrett Arcadians.
7:30-8:00 p. m.—Florsheim frolic.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-11:00 p. m.—Arlington Hotel orchestra, Paolo Grosso, director.

374.8—WBAP, Fort Worth—800

8:30 a. m.—Bob and Mack.
9:00 a. m.—Markets.
9:15 a. m.—Frances Ingram.
9:30 a. m.—Dr. A. H. Flickwir, director of public health and welfare.
9:45 a. m.—Helms program.
10:00 a. m.—Bob Calen.
10:15 a. m.—C. A. M. A. highway report, markets.
12:30 p. m.—Organland.
12:55 a. m.—"Port of Missing Men."
1:00 p. m.—Markets.
1:30 p. m.—Edna Wallace Hopper.
2:00 p. m.—Los Tocadores.
2:30 p. m.—Markets.
2:30 p. m.—Joyful Jesters and Marie Pierce.
5:00 p. m.—B. C. A. club.
6:00 p. m.—Fireside melodies.
8:00 p. m.—Texas Electric Service company concert.

## Central

416.4—WGN, Chicago—720

7:00-7:15 a. m.—"On the 8:18."
7:15-7:30 a. m.—Morning devotions.
7:30-8:00 a. m.—Cheerio.
9:45-10:00 a. m.—Tom, Dick and Harry.
10:00-10:30 a. m. "Jimmy and Maw."
10:30-10:45 a. m.—Tonecasters.
11:15-11:30 a. m.—Everybody's hour.
11:30-11:40 a. m.—Painted dreams.
11:40-12 a.—Everybody's hour (resumed).
12:15-12:30 p. m.—Larry Larsen.
12:30-12:30 p. m.—The Town Farmer.
12:30-1:45 p. m.—Luncheon concert.
2:00-2:30 p. m.—Luncheon concert (resumed).
1:45-2:00 p. m.—"Sisters of the Skillet."
2:30-3:00 p. m.—Women's club; Allan Grant, pianist.
9:00-3:10 p. m.—Women's division of President Hoover's committee for employment.
3:10-3:20 p. m.—Teatime musical.
3:30-4:00 p. m.—Bridge game.
4:15-4:30 p. m.—Teatime musical (resumed).
4:30-4:40 p. m.—Bob Greer in "Down in Dixie."
4:40-5:00 p. m.—Teatime musical (resumed.)
5:00-5:30 p. m.—The Bookworm.
5:20-5:45 p. m.—Coldyke program.
7:00-7:10 p. m.—WGN Syncopators; Bulova correct time.
7:30-7:30—WGN Syncopators.
9:45-10:00 p. m.—Lawrence Salerno.
10:10-10:30 p. m.—Allan Grant.
10:30-11:00 p. m.—WGN Symphony orchestra and WGN Syncopators.
11:00-11:30 p. m.—WGN Syncopators.
11:30-12:15 a. m.—Verne Buck's Drake Hotel orchestra.


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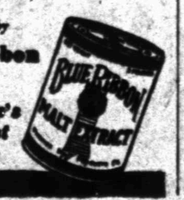



# BOOSTERS HEAR C-C MANAGER

## Good Business Waits Those Who 'Go After It'

"Organizations like the I. O. Boosters club, because of its spontaneous optimism, are among the community's greatest assets," John Boswell, manager of the chamber of commerce, said before members of the club at its weekly luncheon Monday noon at the Y. W. C. A.

Formed to promote the interests of its own section of the city, Mr. Boswell said, the organization has escaped the frequent fate of "being a dumping ground for a disgruntled element," remaining constructively optimistic in its activities.

**Wealth in Section**

Confidence in the future of Wichita Falls was voiced by the speaker in discussing current conditions, and potential trade possibilities. Complimenting the pioneers of this district, he declared that practically all Wichita Falls men who are directing industrial activities now in other places are leaving their families here, or are planning to resume their permanent residence in this city as soon as "the opportunity for making quick money in other places" has passed. Security of Wichita Falls' future, he said, depends only upon its citizens "maintaining that faith for which the city is widely famous."

Far-seeing optimism which looks ahead in terms of months and years, instead of in days and weeks, was prescribed by the speaker as a potent aid to correcting the remaining residue of "business depression."

"One of the finest promises we have in this section of participation in a general business revival during the coming months is in our agricultural resources," said Mr. Boswell. "A trip through this section will reveal to you today a tremendous acreage of small grain. Regardless of what the price of wheat may be during the next year, this crop is going to increase the buying power of people in this territory prodigiously. A flight over the section in an airplane would convince you even more surprisingly of the potential yield. There is enough season in the ground now almost to mature a crop. With even less rain than we normally may anticipate here, we are assured a big wheat crop."

**City Gets Small Percentage**

Mr. Boswell urged that more attention and recognition be given to agriculture and livestock raising as the major activities in the territory of which Wichita Falls is the center. While oil produces $60,000,000 worth of new wealth annually in this block of 42 counties, he said, livestock and agriculture produce $229,000,000. If this city should grow to handle from 20 to 30 per cent of the wholesale and industrial business of this territory, instead of its present five or six per cent, the speaker continued, a city of 100,000 population would be profitably maintained here.

"No organization by itself can bring about such changes," said Mr. Boswell, "Neither your club, nor other clubs, nor the chamber of commerce, can be a cure-all. In fact, I've never seen a cure-all for everything that ever cured anything. Courage to look far down the road, and build confidently if slowly, is our chief requisite."

For the purpose of making members of the club more familiar with each other's business enterprises, short vocational talks will be given frequently on future programs, it was voted. David Erickson, Alvin Breeden and Al Flack were named as a committee to schedule such features.

Miss Peggy Jean O'Hara and Kenneth Spell entertained those present with readings. They are pupils of the Knickerbocker Art studios.

Visitors Monday included J. P. Lusk and S. B. Jackson of Iowa Park. E. C. Jordan was introduced as a new member. Monday's attendance was the largest in the history of the club, numbering 35 persons.

## Highland Heights W. M. S. Has Circle Meetings

Circles of the Highland Heights Baptist Woman's Missionary society met Monday afternoon. Members of circle one met at the home of Mrs. J. F. Williams when Mrs. E. L. Horner gave the devotional. Following a prayer by Mrs. C. A. Bivens, plans were made to make quilts for the relief home in New Orleans. The lesson was taught by Miss Fetna Bivens.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Kit Cowan, C. W. Parham, J. F. Williams, A. J. Holder, F. R. Riley, Ella Miller, M. L. Payne, C. C. Cult, J. C. Mitchell, C. A. Bivens, E. L. Horner, S. R. Ludolphus, H. M. Hines, H. R. Wood and Miss Fetna Bivens.

**Circle Two**

Circle two met at the home of Mrs. E. A. Woody. The devotion was given

# CRASH BLAMED ON PARKED CAR

### Services for Victim Await Arrival of Relatives

Funeral arrangements for W. S. Blandin, about 30, of Fort Worth, who was fatally injured Sunday night in an automobile crash on the Henrietta highway near Jolly, are being delayed pending word from out-of-town relatives, according to information given by the Dalton-Powell Funeral home. Mrs. Blandin arrived here early Monday morning from her home in St. Louis.

Mr. Blandin, who was division sales manager of the National Telephone Directory company at Fort Worth, was on his way to Wichita Falls when his automobile collided with an Empire Transportation company gasoline truck and trailer driven by Sam Moreland of Wichita Falls.

It was erroneously stated in The Record News Monday morning that the truck belonged to the Empire Gas and Fuel company. This was in error, the owner being the Empire Transportation company.

A second passenger car containing four men also collided with the truck. All three machines were hurled into ditches along the highway and the two passenger cars demolished. Blandin died before he could be rushed to a hospital in Wichita Falls. W. T. Martin and Fred Gideon, both of Burkburnett, sustained painful although not serious injuries when their machine upturned in a ditch and pinned them with two other passengers under the wreckage. Officials who investigated expressed the belief that the crash was caused by an automobile parked without lights on the highway, Blandin swerving his machine around it into the path of the truck.

Blandin's relatives possibly will arrive here Tuesday morning, it was said.

### Prison Agent Takes Five to Huntsville

Five men were taken from the Wichita county jail Monday evening by Prison Agent Bud Russell for transfer to the penitentiary at Huntsville along with nine others brought from Childress, Vernon and Archer City, according to Sheriff Perry Browning.

Robert Davis, Freddie Lee Davis, Roy Grundy, Thomas Ribble and Alfred Jennings comprised the quintet of prisoners turned over to Russell here, it was said.

**NEGRO HELD FOR THEFT**

A negro was placed in the county jail Monday afternoon by George Garrett, deputy sheriff, for theft of an overcoat and brief case from E. H. Kent, a salesman for the Magnolia Petroleum company.


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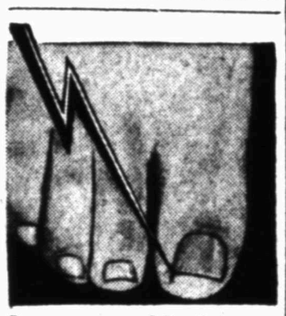

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# RECORD NEWS
## CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

(Secretaries of civic and industrial organizations in the city are invited to use this calendar for the daily announcement of regular or special meetings to be held within 30 days from the date of first announcement.)

Feb. 17—Ad club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Musicians club program, Parish house, 8 p. m.
Feb. 18—Optimist club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Lions club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Feb. 19—Ignace Paderewski, 8 p. m., Memorial auditorium.
Spring automobile show, Wichita Falls Automotive Dealers association.
Rotary club meets noon, Kemp hotel.
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Feb. 20—Woman's Missionary federation meets at Episcopal parish house, 2:30 p. m., for world day of prayer for home and foreign missions.
Feb. 21—Junior chamber of commerce George Washington ball.
Feb. 23—Masonic Washington program.

## Today — At the Theaters
By ELEANOR FLEMING

**MAJESTIC: "The Southerner" with Lawrence Tibbett, Esther Ralston, Cliff Edwards and Stepin Fetchit. Flip the Frog cartoon, Charlie Chase comedy and sound news.**

**STRAND: Marie Dressler and Polly Moran in "Reducing." Andy Clyde comedy, cartoon and sound news.**

**STATE: "Men on Call," with Edmund Lowe. First chapter of "Leather Pushers," comedy and sound news.**

**GEM: Spencer Tracy in "Up the River." Comedy.**

### *WHAT NEXT?*

### Wichita Attorney Surprised When He Lands In Jury Box

We may expect to see—
Our favorite barber using a safety razor at his trade, or
And after-dinner speaker who isn't reminded of a story, or
A flapper's face innocent of cosmetcs, or
The sun rising in the West, —for
A practicing attorney sat as just one of 12 jurors in district court here Monday—and in an ordinary civil suit. While there are innovations, progress can not be dead.

The pioneer thus surprised by acceptance on the jury was George Smoot, of the law firm of Smoot & Smoot.

# OFFICERS NAB GIANT STILL

### 550-Gallon Plant Carried To Archer City

One of the largest stills ever taken in this section of the country was captured about midnight Sunday near the Wichita-Archer county line by officers of both counties, according to Sheriff Perry Browning, the equipment boasting a capacity of 550 gallons.

Discovered about one mile south of the line which divides the counties by Sheriff Browning and Deputies E. L. Kincaid and Ben Smith, the still was inactive, it was said. Sheriff Fred McDaniel of Archer county and Deputy Carp Curlee were notified at Archer City. A man who showed up at daybreak, it was said, was apprehended when he prepared to fire up for the day's activities. Officers of both counties joined in removing the elaborate equipment to Archer City, according to local officers.


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# ROAD MEETING AT MARIETTA

### Wichita C.-C. to Aid Plans For New Highway

Several members of the chamber of commerce here will go to Marietta, Okla., Tuesday to attend a highway meeting there during the afternoon. The meeting is called by the Marietta Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of organizing a highway association to arrange for the construction of a new highway to branch off the Durant highway near Madill, from where it is proposed to extend the route westward through Marietta, Courtney, Grady, Ryan, to the meridian bridge and on to Wichita Falls.

The gathering is to convene at 2 p. m. Those to attend from Wichita Falls are Dudley B. Foy, assistant manager of the chamber of commerce, Wilburn Page, secretary of the Junior chamber, and R. E. Shepherd.

### Hecht Named Chairman Of Civic Improvements

A. L. Hecht was named chairman of the Junior chamber of commerce civic improvements committee Monday by Maurice Cheek, president. Mr. Hecht has called a meeting of the group for Tuesday noon, Feb. 24, at the Holt hotel.

Among the first undertakings will be a "clean up-paint up" campaign, and a campaign to encourage the planting of trees and flowers, Mr. Hecht said. Another campaign will be put under way to create goodwill toward Wichita Falls.

Other members of the covic improvements committee are F. W. Work, vice chairman; J. P. Akin, Dr. Otto C. Egdorf, R. O. Jonas, Dr. T. H. Myers, R. C. Rockwell, Howard Renfro, Edmund Coffey, C. E. Deaton, Horace Downing, Steve Ford, Harold Storey, H. I. Kiefer and W. D. Lacy.

**GAS INQUIRY ORDERED**

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 16. (AP)—A legislative investigation of rates of the Oklahoma Natural Gas corporation in Oklahoma was ordered today by the Oklahoma house.


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# AUTO SHOW PLANS READY

### Dealers to Move Cars Into Booths Thursday

Moving of automobiles and trucks into the show room, also installation of various booths, will start early Tuesday morning for the annual automobile show, which opens Thursday afternoon, Feb. 19 and to continue through Saturday, states D. L. Fritz, president of the Wichita Falls Automotive association.

**ATTENDANCE PRIZE**

D. L. Fritz, president of the Automobile Dealers association announced Monday that a $25 cash prize will be awarded to the town or community which registers the largest number of persons at the automobile show, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. These persons of course must reside outside of Wichita Falls. The intention of the fight is that the community or town earning it will use it for charity. The registrations will be taken at the chamber of commerce booth. The show opens at 4 o'clock Thursday.

The number of exhibitors has increased and it is expected that others will sign for space Tuesday. The show promises now to excell any show the local automotive association has held in many years. One thing for a fact, the cars to be displayed are the smartest ever manufactured.

The following automobile firms will display the latest models: Davidson-Hamilton company, Chryslers; Fritz Motor company, Buick, Cadillac and LaSalle; Fox Chevrolet company, Chevrolets; Key Motor company, Willys-Knights; McFall Brothers, Dodge; Northwest Motor company, Ford; Victory Motor company, Hupmobile; Wichita Falls Motor company, Wichita; Nash-Wheat company, Nash.

Firms dealing in automobile accessories, also oil and gasoline, will be represented by the following organizations: Gaines Motor company, Wichita Falls Battery company, Atlantic, Pacific and Gulf Oil company; Rio Tire company, Wichita Falls Oxygen company, Boardman Oil company, Leslie Brothers, Dixie Tire company, Panhandle Refining company, Stirman & Lane company, Wichita Cycle company, Copeland refrigerators, Pioneer Refining company, Texas Electric Service company, Archenhold Auto Supply company, Auto Spring and Supply company, R.-F. Finance company, Randle Auto Supply, Waggoner Refining company.

The show will be held in the Pierce-Arrow building, corner Lamar and Sixth streets. The show rooms are being artistically decorated. The show will be given a preview by the automobile dealers of Northwest Texas and Southwest Oklahoma Thursday at which Nathan Adams, president of the First National bank of Dallas, will be the principal speaker.

The show will open Thursday afternoon. There will be music and other entertainment features. There will also be music and entertainment each evening.

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### Denver Train Merger Expected Feb. 23

Consolidation of the two night passenger trains of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad between Dallas and Amarillo will not be effected before Monday, Feb. 23, it was announced Monday. Permission to consolidate the two trains each way was granted the Denver recently by the state railroad commission, effective Feb. 15 or later. The schedule for the consolidated service is not yet complete, it was said.

### House Regrets Death Of Bellevue Man's Father

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)—A resolution expressing regret at the death of J. S. Sherrill, speaker of the house of representatives in the 28th legislature, was adopted by the house today. He was the father of Representative C. J. Sherrill of Bellevue.


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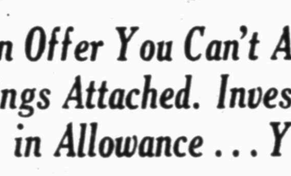
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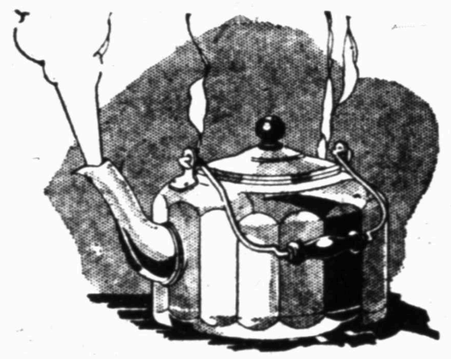
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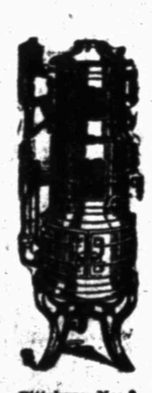
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