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PIED PIPER OF HAMLIN FACES WICHITA RIVAL

Sleepless Victims of Nocturnal Rat Frolics and Angry Housewives Called to War Upon Rodent.

Half Million Dollar Board Bill Paid for Rats Here Every Year; City Organizes to Destroy the Pest.

BY BOB CURRAN.

Every cat has his day.

We Wichitans are going to join them 50-50 in an entente cordiale against their ancient enemies who frolic in the garret and cellar at night and murder sleep. For Dr. Mike Walker, "the big stick" of the health forces of Wichita Falls, says they shall die en masse February 22, Washington's birthday.

Cats are invited to sing an overture of "meows."

The whole gang is going into no man's land, over there east of the railroad tracks, to make war upon the furried tribe that day. The town bells will sound the alarm. Every Wichitan, hotel or residential victim, big and little, married or "engaged-to-be," will bring his broomstick or any other kind of housewively armament to the battle.

Old Haunts to Go.

Reconnaisance forces will blaze the trail. All the old piles of lumber and trash that shelter rats will be removed.

The crowds will be divided into squadrons, each with a captain brave. Sailing to the right of them, beating to the left of them, they will march through the haunts of the rodent army and deal death.

Theirs will be more than a patriotic spirit, even if February 22, the day of the excursion, is Washington's birthday.

Rat Board Bill $500,000.

Madame Housewife and Poor Pa will be the real "bad men" on this day. Pa's paying $4.88 per year to board every rat in Wichita Falls. The government says that's what rodents eat and destroy. Dr. Walker hasn't met all the cheese wreckers yet, but he has it doped out that if

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SECRETARY COLBY HAS CONFERENCE WITH PRESIDENT

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Secretary Colby conferred with President Wilson for a considerable time today, going to the White House shortly after 11 o'clock and remaining over the time Mr. Wilson usually takes luncheon. It was the first time Mr. Colby had seen the president since the former returned from the South American trip.

Later the secretary said he had given the president an oral report of his visit to South America and had discussed a number of other subjects. The proposed Japanese treaty was not discussed at the conference, he said.

GUATEMALA FACES POLITICAL REVOLT

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Further political disturbances in Guatemala are described in unofficial advices received here today. A mob gained such headway January 25 in Guatemala City, it was stated, as to burn down the school of medicine before the police could get control.

Former President Estrada Cabrera has been removed from the place where he has been detained since his deposition to the old fortress of San Jose, on the outskirts of the capital. The reason given by authorities for the transfer was that it was believed he would be safer in the fortress.

Tick Inspectors Are Called to Conference

By Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 29.—Dr. Harry Grafke, inspector in charge of the federal bureau of animal industry work in Texas, announced today a conference of all United States inspectors in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana will be held in Little Rock, Ark., February 10 to discuss the progress of cattle tick eradication in the Southwest.

M'ADOO LEAVES FOR MEXICO

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 29.—William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury and director general of railroads, accompanied by Mrs. McAdoo and his secretary, left Los Angeles today for Mexico City. He said he was going for a "brief pleasure trip."

The Weather

West Texas: Sunday and Monday, fair.

Oklahoma: Sunday fair, colder; Monday, fair.

News in Rhyme

They've asked Judge Jones and Prescott to resign
And rumor has it that they can't decline
An invitation given with such spirit,
Until the court has had a chance to hear it.
The grand jury too has quite a lot to say
And tells us why the crime wave held such sway.
There's nothing new about the hoped-for well
Except the stock that some will buy and others sell.
Upon the roads to Burkburnett nothing shall be spent
According to Judge Martin, not even one red cent.
Until the courts of justice shall declare
What they consider strictly fair.

HAWKINS SUCCEEDS DAVIDSON

Waxahachie Jurist Named for Criminal Appeal Court Bench

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 29.—Judge Frank L. Hawkins of Waxahachie was appointed a judge today in the court of criminal appeals by Governor Neff to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge W. L. Davidson. The appointment was announced late today by Private Secretary Walthall following a long distance conversation with the governor at Waco.

DAVIDSON FUNERAL HELD

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 29.—The funeral of Judge W. L. Davidson, late presiding judge of the court of criminal appeals, was held this morning at 10 o'clock from the University Methodist church, and attended by a large number of friends of the dead jurist. Interment was in the state cemetery.

Hold 16-Year-Old Youth on Murder Charge

By Associated Press.

ARDMORE, Okla., Jan. 29—Thedford Fuller, aged 16, is in the Carter county jail here today charged with the killing last night of W. F. Carl, 60 years old, a merchant of Provence a small town near here. The boy's father and a friend, said to have been with him at the time of the shooting, also were brought to the county jail.

HOME OF IRISH AUTHOR SEARCHED BY ROYAL ARMY

By Associated Press.

BELFAST, Jan. 29.—Termonbacca house in Londonderry, which was occupied by Lord Dunsany, the noted author and playwright, during the war, was closely searched by military forces last night. The house now is the property of the Sisters of Nazareth.

Lord Dunsany was arrested on Wednesday, when a quantity of shotguns and other sporting arms were found in Dunsany castle in County Meath. He was later released, but on Thursday was re-arrested and taken to an unknown destination.

ELECTRA WEALTH PER HEAD, $1,443

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Jan. 29.—Statistics compiled by the Electra Star show that the per capita wealth of Electra is $1,443. This estimate is reached from tax valuations of 1920, combined with the bank deposits and community wealth.

The valuation of city property was $4,000,000, the bank deposits amounted to $2,000,000, and $800,000 community wealth was divided among the schools, churches, lodges and city property. E. T. Kelly, city manager, says that there was nearly a million dollars' worth of buildings completed last year that will come under valuation in 1921, which will materially increase the per capita wealth. The bank deposits have declined about 15 per cent as compared with last year.

Chicago Suburban Jeweler Is Robbed

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Five men entered the jewelry store of J. M. Cieger in Chico, a suburb bordering Chicago on the west, ordered the proprietor to hold up his hands, selected $6,000 worth of Mr. Cieger's choicest stock and drove away.

CLEVELAND GETS KIWANIANS.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—The national convention of Kiwanis clubs today was awarded to Cleveland, Ohio. The convention will be held June 21. Arrangements have been made for an attendance of 75,000.

Teaches 'Em to Skate



Miss Bunnie Miller, caught in a difficult skating pose.

Miss Bunnie Miller, pretty Chicago girl, has been appointed by Mayor Thompson as the official ice skating instructor for the Chicago schools. Miss Miller is an artist on ice skates and can whirl and dance with as much ease as most accomplished dancers do on the stage.

Camp Pike Is Given Orders To Economize

By Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 29.—Instructions calling for strictest economy at Camp Pike, due to lack of funds for financing the army for the remainder of the fiscal year, have been received by Brigadier General E. M. Lewis, commanding the camp, and as a result, it was announced today, practically all civilian employes at the camp will be replaced by enlisted men.

One half of all passenger automobiles and a third of the trucks now in service will be withdrawn, it was said, and insofar as possible trucks will be replaced by animal drawn vehicles.

DRY ENFORCEMENT OFFICER IS HELD GUILTY OF MURDER

By Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—De Armand Stewart, former prohibition agent, was found guilty of second degree murder here today and sentenced to ten years imprisonment for the killing of Theodore W. Hope, a watchman in a downtown office building the night of October 28.

Hope found Stewart loitering in the building and ordered him out. Stewart left and returned a few minutes later and shot the watchman. Stewart pleaded temporary insanity.

Legion Committees Will Confer on Jap Land-Holding Bill

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 29.—Special conference of the members of the legislative and Japanese colonization committees of the state organization of the American Legion has been called to meet here tomorrow morning in response to the members of the Rio Grande Valley for the purpose of discussing the Japanese exclusion bill introduced in the senate yesterday by Senator R. P. Dudley of El Paso.

Demonstrate Tractors And Tools at Electra

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Jan. 29.—A three days' demonstration of up-to-date farming implements and tractors will be held in the rural districts around Electra next week for the benefit of farmers who are interested in progressive methods. Five factory men and a number of local dealers will be included in the party. Efforts are being made to encourage more farming in this district.

TRIPARTITE ELOPEMENT IN FAMILY

Father and Two Daughters Sneak Away and Marry on Same Day.

By Associated Press.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 29.—A triple elopement, involving three members of one household, none of whom knew of the others' intention, was disclosed today with the announcement that William M. Chase, retired New York manufacturer, and his daughters, Edith and Evelyn, had married their respective mates within 24 hours.

Miss Edith Chase started the matrimonial race yesterday by slipping away from home, ostensibly for a shopping trip. She was married to Robert Crofts. Mr. Chase quietly left home to marry Mrs. Elizabeth Obergfelt.

On returning home they were greeted by Mr. Chase's other daughter, Evelyn, who had become the bride the day before at Greenwich, Conn., of Donald Riddle, eldest son of former Mayor William Riddle.

RECORDS OF THREE POILUS SHOT FOR DESERTION CLEAR

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—The good records of six French soldiers shot after a summary courtmartial in December, 1914, were restored by the court of appeals here today and charges that they abandoned their posts in the face of the enemy were quashed in an action brought against the government to rehabilitate the memory of the executed men.

The court awarded life annuities of 2,000 francs each to the widows and annuities of 1,000 francs to each of their children until they reached their majority. All the awards are retroactive to 1914.

Mexican Agricultural College Professor Is Visiting Utah School

By Associated Press.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 29.—Ernesto Martinez de Alva, representing the department of agriculture of the republic of Mexico, is investigating facilities at the Utah Agricultural college at Logan, preparatory to reporting to his government the advisability of Mexico educating large numbers of its young men there.

Oklahoma Insurance Commissioner Quits

Special to The Record News.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 29.—A. L. Welch, state insurance commissioner for Oklahoma since 1913, resigned today, and E. W. Harding, present secretary of the state insurance board, was appointed to take his place. Mr. Welch stated he did not consider the $2,500 yearly salary sufficient.

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BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE

Grand Jury Indicts County Officials

Scores Members of Commissioners' Court for Alleged Loose Handling of Public Monies.

Scoring the county commissioners court for their practices in handling the finances of the county and condemning their apparent present methods in approving accounts and bills of various kinds without knowing in a sufficiently well informed manner whether they really approved them or not, the grand jury Saturday in their final report to Judge H. F. Weldon of the 30th district court, declared that they do not believe, due to the present handling of finances that the county is "getting a dollar's worth for a dollar," and that in the interest of the people of the county they were compelled to suggest that the proper action be taken to remove J. P. Jones, judge of the commissioners court, and Lee Prescott, commissioner of precinct No. 2, from office.

The members of the grand jury making this report are: T. P. Adams, foreman; S. L. McDowell, J. Will Gray, R. F. Abernathey, Dan F. Stearns, L. L. Belote, M. J. Gardner T. W. Roberts, W. T. Willis, W. W. Silk and N. O. Monroe.

The report states that due to the congested condition of the criminal dockets, they did not have sufficient time to look into the condition of the finances of this county and that they were not altogether satisfied with the brief way in which they were compelled to make a report on the matter. Commenting upon the commissioners court, the grand jury in the report said:

The commissioners court appears for some time to have been approving accounts and bills of various and sundry kinds, many of them reaching into large amounts, without even merely reading or having them read to them, or in fact, knowing what they were in a sufficiently well informed manner as to know whether they really approved the expenditure or not.

"Much of the money appears to have been paid without any formal approval of the court at all; each party in his turn rather being taken to stand sponsor for his own items; and the accounts passed by no objections being raised, rather than by a vote being taken.

"We may be in error, but in a county that is receiving so much money and spending so much at a time when finances are in such condition that it has been necessary for the people of the county to be bonded heavily to raise much of this fund, we do not believe that this manner of spending money and guarding the public treasury could be approved. We do not believe, in other words, that it amounts to the old policy of getting a dollar's worth for a dollar.

"This grand jury expresses serious regret that it should have to return charges against J. P. Jones, the county judge of this county for very apparent misconduct in office, and also charges against Lee Prescott, commissioner of precinct No. 2, for very apparent misconduct in office. These charges do not amount to felony charges, but in the interest of the whole people, the interest of the other members of the commissioners court, and in fact the interest of the officers themselves, impel us, as grand jurors, to suggest that these charges, together with apparent utter reckless disregard for careful conservative performance of their duties as officers of this county, would justify proper action by the proper officers of this county to have them removed from their respective offices."

KANSAS CITY WARS ON CRIMINAL CLAN

By Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Acting upon orders of the new police commission here to rid the city of its criminal element, squads of detectives late today began extensive raids throughout the city. Early tonight more than 50 men, most of them, the police said, with criminal records, had been taken to headquarters.

Smuggling Increases, Collector Declares

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Smuggling of goods into the United States is being carried on to a greater extent than ever before, declared a statement today from the collector of customs for the port of New York, R. R. Newton. Customs officials seized $1,000,000 worth of commodities last year, much of which was found to be smuggled, he said.

CHARGED WITH BREAKING VOLSTEAD "DRY" LAWS

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29.—Mrs. Volberg Erickson Costello, arrested here Wednesday on a charge of having conspired in Washington, D. C., to violate national prohibition laws, was released today under bond of $3,000, said to have been provided by New York friends.

Judge J. P. Jones, county judge, against whom the grand jury returned a misdemeanor indictment Saturday, and whose removal from office they recommended, is on his way back to Wichita Falls to answer these charges.

This information was obtained by the Record News as a result of a wire to Hot Springs, Ark., where he has been spending the past ten days with Mrs. Jones, that he had left there in the afternoon. The wire of the Record News was one asking Judge Jones for a statement of his side of the transaction mentioned in the indictment.

ASK SHERIFF TO INCREASE BOND AMOUNTS

Blames Much of Crime Wave to Ease With Which Offenders Get Out on Bail.

Belief that the present crime wave in Wichita county is partly due to the ease with which criminals effect their release on bond after being apprehended for an offense or crime; and that the effectiveness in the fight against crime is greatly hindered by this condition, with reference especially to the "loose and careless manner" in which bonds are often accepted and approved by the sheriff's office, characterizing the whole procedure as a farce, was expressed by the 30th district grand jury in their final report Saturday.

Reporting the return of 101 felony indictments and four misdemeanor indictments since convening Jan. 3, the grand jury said:

"Your grand jury has used its time and every effort within its power—limited, of course, by brief time—to check the crime wave in our county, and they verily believe that one hindrance in the effectiveness in the fight against crime is the ease with which criminals obtain their release.

"Grand juries may indict, officers stand ready to prosecute, courts eager to execute the law, but as long as the man who has committed a serious crime can release himself on a bond that is nothing short of his own recognizance, and is worth scarcely more than a dollar, we see very little reason why he should worry.

"We refer especially to very loose and careless manner in which bonds are often accepted and approved by the sheriff's office in this county. We express a hope that the present sheriff will see to it that this abuse is stopped and that no man is released who does not comply fully with the law that a

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ITALIAN MUNITION WORKMEN DECLINE TO MAKE FIREARMS

By Associated Press.

TURIN, Italy, Jan. 29.—The employes of the Fiat automobile factory, which also manufactures firearms, today notified the management of the works that they would henceforth refuse to turn out arms for foreign countries. In order to prevent this decision throwing men out of work, the employes determined to reduce their working hours from eight to six daily.

FIND $50,000 OF HOPHEAD SUPPLIES

By Associated Press.

VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Jan. 29.—Police today are searching for the owners of $50,000 worth of narcotics and 258 cases of Chinese liquor discovered last night in an unoccupied house.

MADE PRESIDENT OF PENN STATE

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Dr. John Martin Thomas, retiring president of Middleburg college, Vermont, today accepted the presidency of Pennsylvania State college, to begin his duties not later than July 1.

Peruvian to Try Flight to Gotham

By Associated Press.

LIMA, Peru, Jan. 28.—Juan Leguia, son of President Leguia of Peru, announced here today he had completed arrangements for an airplane flight from Callao to New York city. He said he will make stops at Guayauquil, Buenaventuras, Panama, Savana, and two United States ports.

He is chief of the school of aviation which has been inaugurated here by the president.

EAST WICHITA BAILING OIL REPORTS SAY

Considerable Showing Made When Bucket Is Run in Honaker Farm Test Near the City.

Reports of Showing Send Stock Aviating to New High Mark on Local Exchanges.

The bailer was run several times at the East Wichita test on the Honaker farm, three miles east of the city Saturday afternoon and considerable oil was obtained each time. A large crowd was present.

The showing at the test increased the interest here in the latest wildcat development of local oil circles.

The Central Stock Exchange which opened Friday night because of the showing of the test, reported several sales at the morning and afternoon calls and with a packed house Saturday night sold a large amount of the stock from 100 to 125.

Numerous private sales are reported in stock, although so far as known no sales of lease on adjoining tracts have been made.

Oil was secured every time the bailer was run. Samples indicate a fine oil of lower gravity than that found in the Burkburnett and other fields of this immediate section.

According to reports storage will be erected at the test at once. It is understood that it will not be drilled in until a special liner is received and the 28 feet of open hole is cased off. No other developments were reported from the test Saturday. Large crowds visited the test during the entire day.

In addition to the activity in the East Wichita stock, the evening call was featured with several sales of the stock of the Checkerboard Oil company. The holdings of this company are located south of Lake Wichita on the divide between the Big and Little Wichita rivers. A wildcat test on this lease was supposed to have been abandoned around 2,000 feet several months ago without a showing of oil in commercial quantities.

The Checkerboard test will be drilled deeper, according to rumors, in the hope of picking up the 2,450-foot depth at which the East Wichita is reported to have struck the sand. The test is several miles southwest of the East Wichita test. The sales of the Checkerboard were made at 10.

Prescott Says He Will Fight Ouster Proceedings; No Basis to Charge of Malfeasance.

Lee Prescott, county commissioner of precinct No. 2, for one, will fight—and fight hard—the accusations made in indictments charging malfeasance in office which were returned against he and County Judge J. P. Jones Saturday by the grand jury, in connection with which, the grand jury in its report suggested that they be removed from office, as indicated in a statement from him Saturday night, in which he declared the charges to be "absolutely without foundation" and "insufficient upon which to base a recommendation for his removal from office."

"The very same charges which the grand jury has preferred against me," he said, "were thoroughly investigated by a court of inquiry and later by the county attorney several months ago, and dismissed. It can end in no other way this time, as I have done notaing unlawful, and they will find it so if it is taken to court.

"I do not think they can take my office away from me on those grounds," he concluded.

In its report to Judge H. F. Weldon of the Thirtieth district court, just prior to adjourning, the grand jury expressed serious regret that it should have to return charges against Judge Jones and Commissioner Prescott for "very apparent misconduct in office."

Although the charges are not of a felony grade, but are misdemeanors, the grand jury reported that for the interest of the whole people, the interest of other members of the court, and the officers themselves, they were impelled to suggest that these charges, together with apparent utter reckless disregard for careful, conservative performance of their duties as officers of the court in expending the money of the people of the county, would justify "proper action by the proper officers of this county to have them removed from their respective offices."

The indictment against Judge Jones, containing three counts, charges that while acting in the official capacity of judge of Wichita county on August 1, 1919, "unlawfully, willfully and fraudulently became pecunarily interested in a certain trade and sale of contract with Wichita county, by and through its commissioners court, which was then composed of J. S. Fore, Lee Prescott, H. H. Haynes and E. A. McClesky," by selling to the county an Oakland automobile, which was alleged to have been his personal property, for a consideration of two Ford automobiles and $400 in cash.

The second count of the indictment charges that when he sold the automobile he represented it to be the property of Ed Montgomery, and that he used Montgomery's name for con-

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BROWN APPOINTED PROSECUTOR FOR CLARA HAMON CASE

By Associated Press.

ARDMORE, Okla., Jan. 29.—H. H. Brown, Ardmore attorney, has been appointed by District Judge T. W. Champion as special prosecutor in the trial of Mrs. Clara Smith Hamon, charged with murder in connection with the death recently of Jake L. Hamon.

Announcement of the apointment was made here today by Judge Champion.

SENTRIES' COURT FINDS LANGDON'S DEATH PARDONLESS

By Associated Press.

TOKIO, Jan. 29.—The preliminary report of the Japanese gendarmes to the courtmartial in the case of the sentry who recently shot and killed Lieutenant W. H. Langdon of the U. S. cruiser Albany, has found the sentry's action contrary to the regulations and unjustifiable, according to a Vladivostok dispatch to the Jiji Shimpo.

Stamford Women Form Auxiliary

STAMFORD, Texas, Jan. 29.—The women of Stamford, with the cooperation of the American legion, are organizing an auxiliary. There were 15 charter members, and about 25 others taken in at the first regular meeting. J. Willis Stovall, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, made a short address on "Women and the Great War."

WOOL GROWERS PROTEST.

By Associated Press.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 29.—The National Wool Growers association and the Utah Wool Growers association have protested to Senator William King of Utah against his reported action in delaying the vote on the Fordney tariff bill.

Uses Wireless Phone to Land Dallas Place

By Associated Press.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Jan. 29.—Getting a job half way across the United States by wireless telephone is no longer a dream from James Johnson, machinist of Cincinnati, Ohio. Johnson got one last night.

Clarence Selby, an amateur operator here, picked up a message from Johnson, who signs as Number 4-Z-M saying he wanted a job. A few minutes later Number 8-X-P, a Dallas operator, replied that there was a job in the Texas city such as Johnson wanted.

Johnson accepted.

THREE ARRESTED FOR ROBBERY OF SYRIAN SHOE MAN

By Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 29.—Two men and two boys are under arrest at Norman, Okla., south of here, as suspects in the robbery early yesterday of Ellis Bishara, Syrian shoe repair shop proprietor, according to information received by the police today from Norman. Bishara told the police he had been robbed of $32,000 in cash and about $10,000 in diamonds.

State to Close Case in Peete Trial Tuesday

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 29.—Completion by Tuesday of the testimony to be offered by the prosecution in the trial of Mrs. Louise L. Peete for the alleged murder of Jacob Charles Denton, mining promoter, was predicted today by the district attorney.

Counsel representing Mrs. Peete said he would require fully a week to present her defense. No court session was held today.

ITALIAN PARTIES CLASH.

By Associated Press.

FLORENCE, Italy, Jan. 29.—Clashes between socialists and members of the Fascists, or extreme nationalist party, occurred here this morning and shops and restaurants were closed. This afternoon, however, calm was restored and the stores re-opened. A call which was issued for a general strike was not responded to by the workers generally.

INJUNCTION GRANTED ON ROAD FUNDS

Instructions in the form of an unofficial temporary restraining order to refrain from paying out further money from the county road fund until a settlement between litigants has been effected were issued County Auditor Pat Murphy Saturday by Judge P. A. Martin in Eighty-ninth district court after hearing motions in the injunction suit of city of Burkburnett against Wichita county and the county commissioners court.

The suit is to restrain the commissioners court from paying out money from the road fund until they have fulfilled the contract which Burkburnett claims to exist between them, providing that the county shall appropriate aid to the amount of $56,000 for road construction and improvement in the downtown section of Burkburnett.

In the original petition it is claimed that the commissioners court has paid only $6,000 of its prorated share in the project and that since that time they have devoted a major portion of the road fund to work on other roads.

At the preliminary hearing Saturday Judge Martin overruled a general demurrer filed by the defendants, asking that the suit be dismissed on grounds that the contract was not a legal instrument. The court next passed on the legality of the contract and sustained the plaintiffs' original petition.

PIED PIPER OF HAMLIN FACES WICHITA RIVAL

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there are only a hundred thousand here it's costing Wichita Falls a half-million dollar annual board bill for their account.

"How fast do they multiply?" Dr. Walker was asked.

"One pair of rats will make a million in five years," he replied. Then the doctor admitted that that was "going pretty strong," but he insisted that they are very prolific.

Wanted—A Pied Piper.

"How about offering a reward for a local Pied Piper of Hamlin?" the doctor was asked.

"Haven't heard of any musicians around here who claim to the art the old piper had of cleaning the town of rats by luring them in the wake of his siren music," he said. "But if anybody thinks he can, I'll get the reward."

Opportunity knocks but once, Musicians club members.

In all seriousness, Dr. Walker declared that the business and professional men of Wichita Falls have determined that the rat must go, whatever the cost may be. His destruction and disease-breeding and carrying powers are too great to be tolerated, civic leaders declare. Beaumont suffered from bubonic plague rats carried.

Committee Appointed.

A committee appointed by the business council of the Chamber of Commerce met with Dr. Walker and Dr. A. H. Douglas, city sanitary officer, in the office of Judge A. H. Britain Saturday and organized to carry on the campaign.

Dr. Walker was made chairman of the drive; Dr. Douglass, vice chairman. The committee to assist the general chairman in working out details of the campaign consists of J. C. Hunt, J. M. McFall, W. D. Cline, A. H. Britain, I. H. Roberts Jr. and J. W. Chatham Jr. Dr. Walker and Dr. Douglas are ex-official members of the committee.

Clubs Represented.

The following representatives of clubs and organizations were appointed on a committee to co-operate in rat extermination:

P. A. Rogers, Wichita club; C. C. Randle, Rotary club; W. J. Daugherty, Ad club; Burton Stayton, Retail Merchants association; Mrs. M. H. Glover, Civic league; Miss Florence Jackson, Y. W. C. A; Frank Keim, Auto Dealers association; Lee Clark superintendent of public schools; H. A. Taylor, Boy Scouts; C. I. Francis, Bar association; Dr. A. D. Patillo, Wichita County Medical association; Dr. H. D. Knickerbocker, Pastors' association; J. L. McClure, fire department; M. T. Junker and B. P. Hathorn, railroads.

Dr. Walker has called a meeting of the original committee and chairmen of the various clubs and organizations at the Wichita club Thursday night at 7 o'clock to outline the plan of procedure.

Attending the meeting Saturday morning were Judge A. H. Britain, J. M. McFall, Dr. M. M. Walker, Dr. A. H. Douglas and J. W. Chatham Jr.

Carolina Solon Given Glad Hand and Watch

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Representative Stedman, democrat of North Carolina, was given an ovation and a gold watch by the house today in celebration of his 80th birthday.

Representative Bankhead, democrat of Alabama, noted that Mr. Stedman was the only member of congress who had served in the Confederate army. Members of the house rose and applauded their white-haired colleague, who campaigned with Lee and was wounded three times.

Field Worker Assaulted at Burkburnett

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 29.—The condition of Jess Martin of this city who is said to have been struck on the head by a club by a fellow employee in the shallow oil field near this city Friday night, was reported as serious here tonight by attending physicians. Martin is still unconscious and it is believed that his skull is fractured.

E. S. Suggs was arrested otday by Constable Lane. A complaint of attempt to kill was filed against him by L. M. Martin, a brother of Jess Martin, the injured man. Following the hearing, Suggs was sent back to jail without bond by Justice of Peace Throne. There is considerable feeling among friends of both men here and it is believed that Suggs was sent back to jail to avoid further trouble. He will probable be released on bond Sunday.

Martin and Suggs are employed on the same drilling rig in the shallow field, but on different shifts. It is said that there has been consderable feeling between the two men. According to the story told by the friends of Martin, Suggs attacked him a short distance from the well shortly after Martin had gone off his shift Friday night.

ECHO OF OLD ROBBERY AIRED DURING TRIAL

By Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 29.—Clarence Simmons, alias Jackson J. Smyth, on trial today in federal court here for stealing a horse from an Osage Indian camp near Bartlesville, Okla., in 1903, while alleged to be a member of the once notorious Martin gang, testified his real name was Simmons but he left Oklahoma before the robbery was committed.

Simmons testified he was in Oklahoma in 1902, and that he had known the Martin boys, and gone to school with them. He said he had been married in 1902 and staked a claim near Bartlesville, and the Martin boys came to his house.

Believing they would get him into trouble, he said, he abandoned his claim and left his house in their possession, going to Jacksonville, Fla., where he said he was at the time of the robbery of a horse by the "gang" in 1903.

"I changed my name to get away from the Martin boys and my wife," Simmons said. "I chose Smyth because I wanted an uncommon name." Here the court room tittered. Silence was called for by the judge.

Simmons' first wife testified Simmons left Oklahoma before the robbery was committed. Depositions from Jacksonville, Fla., residents tallied with Simmons' story, some of them describing the sort of hat he wore. Witnesses of the alleged robbery described the way the cartridge belt of the robber who stole the horse in 1903 was worn. They explained in detail, different fastenings, and trappings, declaring Simmons was known to wear his belt that way. The jury was dismissed by Judge Wade at 6 o'clock until Monday morning.

G. O. P. Members Of Committee To Keep Posts

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Members of the republican national committee and other officials of that party, from Chairman Hays down, will be kept in their political positions for a time after March 4, regardless of cabinet and other federal appointments, according to definite announcement made today by officials at republican headquarters here.

It was regarded as certain, they said, that Chairman Hays would be appointed to the cabinet, but this would not affect his political position within the party, at least not for a time after the new administration comes into office.

The plan had been agreed to, it was said, because of the necessity of keeping the party machinery intact immediately after the inauguration of President-elect Harding. A great deal of work remains for the national committee, including the raising of funds to meet the deficit incurred during the recent campaign.

The deficit of $1,600,000 which the party faced after the campaign has been materially reduced, it was said today. The $2,000,000 floating debt has been paid and $400,000 has been collected by letters of solicitation sent out by the committee to republicans throughout the country. The deficit today is approximately $1,000,000, officials said.

Obituary

LUTHER BOLLING

Funeral services for Luther Bolling, one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bolling, of the Stock Yards addition, who died Saturday morning at 4:10 o'clock, were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence, Rev. A. J. Holt, pastor of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church, officiating. Burial was at Riverside cemetery.

HUNGARY NOW HAS "FUEL LINE" AS WELL AS BREAD LINE



Scene showing people of Budapest standing in line to receive a small bundle of brush for fuel.

The need of fuel is so great in Hungary that the government has gathered what available brush wood can be obtained and is doling it out in small bundles on the banks of the Danube. The people stands hours in line to receive enough wood to cook a warm meal. The great forests of Hungary were in that district, but were cut off by the diplomats at Versailles.

SHIPWORKERS OFFERED JOBS AT LOWER PAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Decision as to acceptance by between 60,000 and 75,000 skilled workers in American shipyards of a reduction of from 10 to 20 per cent in wages as a means of reviving the industry today was put up to the men by officials of labor organizations, including most of the yard employes in their membership.

A general referendum was obtained on wage reduction proposals of the Atlantic Coast Shipbuilders association and the Bethlehem Shipbuilding corporation. Labor leaders here were unable to forecast the result, which, they say, would not be known before the middle of February at the earliest.

With decreased labor charges proposed as the initial move to cut production costs in order that American yards might compete with foreign builders it was suggested by some leaders here that the workers would be more likely to acquiesce in a wage cut if assured that the employers would accept a smaller return on investment.

Ask Sheriff To Increase Bond Amounts

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bond shall be good, sufficient, and solvent.

"We do not care to be personal in our remarks, but to illustrate what we mean, On Dec. 4, one Fields made bond in a felony case for $2,000; on Dec. 13, the same party made bond in a felony case for $1,500; and same party in December made another bond for $1,500; and on Dec. 25, an examining trial bond for $2,500. Again on Jan. 11 in a murder charge by indictment, same party made bond for $2,000.

"All of these were felony charges and bonds were all signed by the same parties, with some aaithional name here and there; the bonds were all signed by power of attorney and not sworn to as to solvency, but were approved by the sheriff's office as good and sufficient.

"Our examination of the records disclose that at least 10 of the different parties who have signed these different bonds have not rendered one cent of property for taxes and some of them not even a poll tax. It also discloses that they have an established system of making an attorney a power of attorney and they themselves never see the bonds, but the attorney executes them, and, in one instance, one power of attorney was given to a confederate and he in turn was the only party who ever saw the bond.

"Practically the same parties make all bonds, and we especially say to the court that the whole procedure is a farce and that there is no injustice for any man to be required to give a good and solvent bond; but an examination discloses that many of them are absolutely insolvent."

Bank Savings Enough to Give Each One $13

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Every man, woman and child in the world would have $13.58 from an equal distribution of all the money in deposit in mutual, stock and postal savings banks of the globe, it was estimated today by the Savings Bank association of the state of New York.

There are 146,277,394 holders of small savings accounts in the world, the association's estimate shows, who haveon deposit $23,123,285,677, a sum greater than the combined wealth of Germany, Austria, Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria. The average deposit account the world over is $158.08.

Unignorant Interviews

BY Z. ROWE.

That crowds on Saturday night have thought above the mundane aspects of this terrestrial sphere, sometimes soaring to the indistinct musical notes o' Pan's lute—that the last day of the week, although being pay day, bath day, et cetera, still has a place for music, were the discoveries of the ignorant reporter in his search for information.

The corner of Indiana and Ninth streets, with its crowds, bustling, jostling, happy and hurrying, was selected as the point of attack. Five men, picked at random from the passing throng, were asked the following question, "What is your favorite song?"

Shelby Dew, salesman, was the first to be questioned. "'Margie,'" he replied, "is my choice of the popular songs, although the haunting melody of 'Avalon' is hard to beat."

S. G. Raley, traveling salesman, did not take the query seriously, or else believes that songs, like good "likker" improve with age. "'It's Everything" and "Every Little Movement Has a Meaning All Its Own" were his favorites.

Just then a shine boy from the shop across the street ambled up toward the drug store, probably to buy some additional polish to take care of the Saturday night rush. "Here would be a sounding of the natural musical instinct," thinks the boob with the pencil, so he stops him. "You tell 'em, cap'n, 'Blues My Naughty Sweetie Gives to Me,'" was the boy's reply, with flashing teeth. "That music makes mah feet jus' want to hunt a slick place to slide on." This record for sale at all music scores.—(Adv.)

Bill Evans, bookkeeper, "'Wonderful' is my favorite, especially as a dance number. But the ballad 'Old-Fashioned Garden' has something about it that appeals to me." And he walked away humming the last mentioned tune.

A few more passed, then came Guy Airey, chief clerk of the production department of the Gulf Production company. Here the selection was a little different from the rest. "'To Spring,'" Mr. Airey answered, "is my favorite piece of music, for its wonderful composition and soothing melody. In the realm of so-called popular music 'Tripoli' comes the nearest to my notion of real music."

Try these on your Victrola or Edison—as the case may be

BATTLESHIP WITHSTANDS BOMB ATTACK

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Bombing experiments conducted recently against the old battleship Indiana, have demonstrated the "improbability of a modern battleship being either destroyed or completely put out of action," according to a report made public by the navy department today. The report was from Captain W. B. Leahy, director of gunnery exercises.

The department has accurate information, held as confidential, regarding the number of hits that may be expected against a vessel at sea by aerial bombs, the report said. In the Indiana experiment no effort was made to drop live bombs on the vessel, but bombs of different design and weight were placed about the decks to determine the amount of damage that might be expected from an aerial bomb, the statement said. Dummy bombs were dropped from aircrafts to determine the percentage of hits.

Naval officers were much exercised today over the testimonies of Brigadier General William Mitchell, director of training and operations of the army air service, before the house appropriations committee to the effect that the aeroplane had made the navy virtually useless. Secretary Daniels said he knew of no development of the world war or experiment since that would justify such a conclusion.

Grand Jury Indicts County Officials

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summating the deal, when it was not his property. It alleges that the automobile was the property of Judge Jones and that Montgomery received none of the proceeds from the sale.

The third count charges that when he sold the automobile to the county it was in a wornout and practically worthless condition, and that when the payment for the automobile was tendered to Montgomery, who is alleged to have been represented by Judge Jones as its owner, it was in turn transferred by Montgomery to Judge Jones.

Prescott is accused in two counts in an indictment with "unlawfully, willfully and fraudulently, while acting as commissioner of precinct No. 2 continuously from February 8, 1920, to October 1, 1920, becoming interested in a certain contract by and between Wichita county as one party and contracting through its authorized agents, the commissioners court, with W. F. Underwood and Jim Broderick, acting for Prescott, as second party" by having his three teams work on county roads in precinct No. 2.

It is further charged that he rendered the teams in the name of Underwood and Broderick, and that they drew money in compensation for this work, which was, in turn, paid over by them to Prescott.

The second count charges that he led the commissioners court to believe, by false and fraudulent representation, that the teams were the property of Underwood & Broderick; that he hired the teams for work on public roads in the county and received payment for the work through Underwood & Broderick, whereas they were his own personal property and he received the proceeds for the work on the road.

When tried on the same charge before Justice R. V. Gwinn, Prescott was acquitted. A misdemeanor case, filed soon afterward in county court at law against him, making the same charge, was dismissed on motion of the county attorney.

Both officials are serving their second terms in office.

COURT NOTES

Judge P. A. Martin Saturday in Eighty-ninth district court dismissed the suit of City of Wichita Falls against Earl McClutchey and others.

The suit was for injunction restraining the defendants from interfering with workmen engaged in laying sewer. Temporary restraining order was issued by the court on the date of filing of the suit.

Proceedings in the bankruptcy petition of Max Weitzman, local baker, were heard Saturday by Ben G. O'Neal, referee in bankruptcy, at a meeting of 37 main creditors in the courthouse.

Weitzman remained on the stand the major portion of the day and was subjected to questioning by the creditors.

M. E. Stevens was appointed trustee in the proceedings.

Bail bond of $1,000 was set Saturday by United States Commissioner J. A. Lantz in the case of "Shorty" Shelton, charged under federal complaint with theft from an interstate shipment.

Shelton was arrested Thursday night by the police while alleged to have been about to assist in carrying off a quantity of merchandise which had been thrown from a box car in the Denver yards.

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

BANKS RE-OPEN

By Associated Press.

BISMARCK, N. D. Jan. 29.—The State Bank of Tokio, which closed about two months ago, reopened for business today. Its accounts are in good shape, D. E. Loftus, state bank examiner, said tonight.

Town Topics

Chief of Detectives Boyd left Saturday for Waco where he has been called as a witness in a case now pending in the district court of that city. He will return here Monday night.

Charlie Dodgen, ex-deputy sheriff, left today for Fort Worth to attend the bedside of his brother who is recovering from an operation in a hospital there.

United States Deputy Marshal Jim Allen will leave soon for Beaumont with his wife.

Robert Goodfellow, head of the Goodfellow Detective Agency, has returned from a trip to the Southwestern part of the state on agency business. Mr. Goodfellow reports a very successful trip. He had expected to be present at a special conference in Austin presided over by the late Judge W. L. Davidson, but was prevented by the untimely death of the judge.

The local offices of the Keene and Woolf Oil Company, located in the Bob Waggoner building, were closed Saturday. The offices are being moved to Eldorado where the company are making preparations for an extensive drilling campaign on their holdings in that section. D. K. Taylor, who has been in charge of the company's operations in this county for several months, will go to the Eldorado office. The company's holdings in the K. M. A. field will be operated from a field office.

Mrs. A. M. Sherman of Clarinda, Iowa, who has been the house-guest of Mrs. N. H. Martin, has returned to her home.

Miss Goldie Willis of Chicago, is spending the winter, the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reid.

Fred E. Chamberlain, cashier of the Donley County State Bank of Clarendon and Mrs. Chamberlain, are spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCutcheon.

T. J. Fannin, city detective on the night shift, handed his resignation to Police Commissioner Bralley Saturday afternoon, effective immediately. Fannin, who has been doing investigation work for the past five years in Wichita Falls on various city, county and Federal staffs, announced that he had accepted a position with the Shelton Detective Agency.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hawkins left Saturday for Olney for a visit.

Ward Bell and Shelby Owens motored to Vernon Sautrday.

J. T. Montgomery is in Austin for the week-end.

H. M. Munger of Dallas, is in the city on business.

Julius Livingston, of the Livingston Oil Corporation of Tulsa, is here on business.

Harold Keim, a student at the University of Dallas, is spending Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Keim.

Mrs. W. E. Rutledge left Saturday for Sedalia, Mo. where she was called by the serious illness of her mother.

The Austin School Mothers' club announces a "See America First" evening at the First Baptist church on Friday, February 4. A chicken pie dinner will be served and a musical program given. A nominal sum will be charged, the money to go to the Austin School Mothers' club treasury.

Kansas City Financier To Be Buried Monday

By Associated Press.

OKMULGEE Okla., Jan. 29.—The funeral of Dr. L. S. Skelton, financier and manufacturer, who died Friday morning in a Kansas City hospital, will be held at the Methodist church here Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Members of Dr. Skelton's family are accompanying the body from Kansas City. The funeral party is expected to reach this city early tomorrow morning.

DETECTIVE KILLED ON AUTO CHASE

Operative Employed to Look for Missing Woman in Smash-Up.

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29.—Detectives employed by O. S. Witherell, president of an investment company, to search for his young wife, Gladys Witherell, who disappeared from her home Tuesday night, were following an automobile here today when the machine ran into a street car and Witherell's former business partner and former stenographer were killed, according to Nicholas Harris, head of the private detective agency concerned.

The former partner of Witherell was Charles Beverly and the former stenographer was Mrs. Eleda Westrem Tenny. Witherell and Beverly dissolved partnerships about a month ago, it was said.

Harry Glazier and Miss Mary Worthenberg, friend of Beverly and passengers in the automobile, were seriously injured.

Detective Harris did not explain why his operatives were following the Beberly car which was returning to Los Angeles from Vernon, a suburb, the police reported.

PACKER BILL HEARINGS ARE VOTED ENDED

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, aJn. 29.—In a public session marked by heated exchanges between members, the house agriculture committee refused today to grant any more hearings on the bills dealing with packer regulation. By a tie vote, a motion to substitute a house bill for the senate measure, creating a live stock committee, was defeated, and after an all-day session the committee adjourned until Monday with only three pages of the senate bill read.

Several representatives, in urging the hearings, contended that the construction of the word "packer" as defined in the senate bill had led shoe manufacturers and other industries to fear they might come within the provisions of the measure.

Proponents of the senate bill said no such construction of the measure was justified, and Representative Young, democrat, of Texas, opposed anything which would delay reporting the measure to the house. He was joined by others in urging the report of the measure as it passed the senate. All efforts to amend the bill were defeated, often by tie votes.

BOAT CRUISE IS COMPLETED BY HARDING

By Associated Press

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 29.—President-elect Harding completed his houseboat cruise down the Florida coast today and lingered over night at the winter play grounds on Miami beach before starting his fishing expedition among the Florida keys.

The houseboat Victoria, on which he made the trip here from St. Augustine, set him ashore at mid-afternoon at the pier of one of the Miami beach hotels, and after a luncheon and a game of golf he changed his plans to permit him to remain for the week-end there. He was quartered for the night in a winter cottage fronting Biscayne bay and will not start for the fishing grounds until tomorrow.

With the party of friends who accompanied him along the coast, he took luncheon at a hotel, played golf on the Miami beach links and spent the rest of the day making himself at home among the winter colony there. He had dinner privately as the guest of former Governor Winfield T. Durbin of Indiana, and Fred Upham of Chicago, treasurer of the republican national committee.

Plans for an official reception were adanboned at Mr. Harding's request but a reception committee met the Victoria and escorted her up the bay. Crowds gathered at the causeway draws to cheer the president-elect and the fleet of pleasure craft lining her course gave the houseboat a loud ovation.

One of the first to call and pay his respects to the presidential party was William J. Bryan, who has a residence here. It is understood that Mr. Harding accepted an invitation to call at the Bryan home some time before he bids goodbye to southern Florida.

The Victoria went into drydock as soon as she had completed her week's run from St. Augustine and when Mr. Harding leaves for his fishing trip tomorrow, he will go aboard a fast vessel provided by the Miami Beach Yacht Club. He will establish headquarters on a small island, where he expects to remain in seclusion at least two or three days.

Details of the fishing trip have not as yet been completed, and he may decide to stay most of the week. He has an engagement in St. Augustine February 7.

Harry M. Daugherty, of Columbus, Ohio, Mr. Harding's close friend and adviser, and Senator A. B. Fall of New Mexico, who were among the Victoria's company, will return north tomorrow to attend to business affairs. Otherwise, the personnel of the vacation party will remain intact and will be augmented by the presence of Mr. Upham, who tonight accepted an invitation to go along to the fishing ground.

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TURKS MODIFY RESTRICTION ON RELIEF WORKER

By Associated Press

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—First cable advices in two months from Harpot, Anatolia, to the Near East Relief, made public here today, indicated that recent stringent Turkish nationalist restrictions of American relief work have been modified.

The personnel of the Near East Relief headquarters at Harpot was reported safe by Dr. and Mrs. Mark H. Ward of Newton Center, Mass., and Stanley E. Hopkins, who were said to have arrived there to replace Dr. and Mrs. Henry Biggs, in charge of the station.

Mail advices from Dr. W. S. Dodd of Montclair, N. J., who, inspecting interior relief stations in Turkey for the Near East relief, arrived at Angora, Turkish nationalist capital, described "heavy taxation" on American relief institutions. After visits to Sam Boon, Marsovan, Sivas, Harpot and Angora, Dr. Dodd wrote that all relief supplies, hospitals, orphanages, schools and clinics maintained by Americans, are subject to tax levies and that the American relief workers are required to pay an income tax to the nationalist authorities.

In Harpot three of the American orphanages have been seized by the Turkish vali, or local governors, and an order has been issued forbidding the sale of food supplies for the 6,000 orphans under American care to the American relief workers, lest such "large buying" raise local prices, Dr. Dodd reported.

Halideh Hanum, Turkish nationalist woman leader, and her husband, Woman Bey, Dr. Dodd said, are the "bitterest fanatics in the Turkish nationalist government." She is particularly violent toward Armenians, he added.

Dr. Dodd said recent cabinet changes in Constantinople are regarded in Angora as "paving the way for some compromise or agreement with some modifications of the treaty of Sevres."

Childress to Urge Farmer To Diversify

M. B. Oates, agricultural agent of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad will take part in the diversification crop campaign that will open Monday in Childress county under the supervision of the county agent of that county.

The campaign which will continue for four days will be featured by several meetings throughout the county at which the advantages of the diversified crops will be brought before the agriculture and business interests of the county.

J. W. Ridgeway, former professor in A. & M. college and now connected with the Nissley Creamery company of Fort Worth, C. C. French of the Fort Worth Stock Yards company, and A. K. Short of the extension department of A. & M. college will also aid in the campaign.

On February 14, 15 and 16 a similar campaign will be held at Memphis according to information received at the local office of Mr. Oates. During the last week Mr. Oates accompanied by Mr. French and Mrs. Short, has held several meetings with agricultural and banking interests between this city and Fort Worth.

MIS JO MILLER HEADS TRIANGLES

Mi Jo Riley Miller was elected president of the Triangle Girls, a missions organization of the First Christian church, at the organzation meeting held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hendrom, 1715 Eighth street. Other officers elected were: Miss Pearl Painter, vice-president; Miss Charlotte Keevil, secretary.

In addition to missionary activities a division to be known as the Girl Scouts was organized. The organization will meet on the last Saturday afternoon of each month.

The first coinage of money in this country was made by the Virginia company, five years after the founding of Jamestown, the coin being minted in the Bermuda Islands. Previously to that time tobacco and beaver skins exchanged as money.

Oil Companies Fail to Slice Workers' Wage

If the pay received by the oil field labor employed in the Wichita Falls district is any indicaton of the expectation of these companies on the future trend of the crude oil market, then the market dope of the big companies is considerably mussed up.

Only a few days ago one of the larger companies operating in this field made a substantial readjustment in the pay of their oil field workers on the basis it is believed of expected continuation of the lowering of crude. Another company, which was expected here to follow suit, failed to reduce wages a nickel, according to reports received here.

A moderate increase in the price charged its field workers for board, which has always run below actual cost, was the only change. Other companes are still marking time. Their future actions will be watched with considerable interest.

RAIL CHIEFS HAVE PLAN TO REDUCE COSTS

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Railroad executives, after a two day conference behind closed doors tonight had outlined a tentative plan of action designed to make such readjustments as the railroads consider necessary for efficient and economical operation. The labor committee of the American Association of Railway Executives was still conferring tonight on a program involving the association's 171 member roads, but with prospects of action Monday.

No announcement was forthcoming from any member of the committee.

Exclusive in close touch with the conference, however, declared that failure of the roads to gain expected earnings and the present decline in business had forced them to take immediate action. An officer, who refused to be quoted, stated that the whole railroad action was aimed at the present national agreements between the roads and their employes. It was indicated that the first step proposed by the railroads in reducing operating expenses would be immediate abrogation of the national agreements.

The agreements now are under fire before the United States railroad labor board. Three weeks already have been consumed in presenting evidence with the end nowhere in sight. Immediate action is urged by the railroads and the conference of the last two days have been directed toward that end.

It was generally agreed by the conference, according to those in touch with the committee that operating expenses must be cut between $400,000,000 and $500,000,000. Abrogation of the national agreements and a cut in shop operating expenses would materially reduce this figure. If further reductions were necessary, it was said, an adjustment of wages involving some wage cuts, would bring the payroll down to what the railroads consider the proper figure.

CALOMEL LOSING OUT IN SOUTH

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TAX PAYERS TO BE GIVEN ADDED TIME

Those who have waited until this late date to pay property taxes will be given a little more leniency than has been shown in the past, according to a statement Saturday from County Tax Collector L. M. Tittle in announcing that his office will remain open until midnight Monday to receive payments.

Qualified voters of the county will also have the same length of time in which to purchase their franchise for the coming year in the form of a poll tax receipt. Collector Tittle stated positively, however, that no extension of time past midnight will be granted and has issued repeated warning that no excuses can be advanced whereby this ruling will be altered.

Property tax payers who have not made settlement with the county for their 1920 obligations will be considered delinquent on the stroke of one minute past midnight and an added tax of 10 percent will be assessed against them.

At the time of closing of the office Saturday afternoon it was estimated that only slightly more than one-half of the $1,500,000 in total taxes had been paid, although no figures were available.

Deputy Tax Collector V. W. Meadors, in charge of tax collections for Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 1, said that he will extend his office hours Monday night but would not keep open until midnight. According to his figures, $32,026.49 is still unpaid on the improvement district taxes. Until closing time Saturday, only $48,500 had been collected. The total tax in the district is $80,526.49.

DAKOTA BANK CLOSES.

By Associated Press.

STREETER, N. D., Jan. 29.—The First National Bank here closed its doors today. Recent bank closings in this vicinity resulted in steady withdrawals from the First National bank, creating a deficiency in reserves, according to W. E. Barringer, president.

FORDNEY TARIFF BILL FOUNDERS IN UPPER HOUSE

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The Fordney emergency tariff bill had reached the foundering point when the senate adjourned tonight until Monday.

Republican leaders held a conference late today and agreed to endeavor next week to obtain an agreement for a vote, and, if unsuccessful, to attempt cloture.

With two-thirds vote necessary to invoke cloture, something which, republican leaders admitted, probably could not be obtained, the vote on adopting cloture would come under senate rules next Wednesday.

If the cloture is voted down, the republican manager said that it would be demonstrated that passage of the bill would be impossible. With this situation, it was said that the republican leaders would be prepared to charge its defeat to the democratic opponents and be ready to lay aside the measure and proceed with the appropriation bills.

There are thousands of child narcotic addicts in New York, according to the New York state narcotic control commission. Where the parents are addicts the children living with them are almost sure to be addicts, too, it is asserted.

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HONORABLE MENTION

The names of all contestants who submitted lists containing over 2,000 words are shown below:

H. C. Burge, city mail carrier No. 1	3805 Words
Mrs. S. E. Arnold, Exchange National Bank	3633 Words
Mrs. L. W. Dorbandt, 1652 Lucile St.	3246 Words
Mrs. J. S. Garlington, 1005 Austin	3150 Words
Mrs. R. M. Sims, 2514 Kemp Blvd.	3016 Words
Mrs. W. A. Baber, 1911 Eighth St.	2993 Words
Mrs. Tom Whittaker 2509 Ninth Street	2786 Words
Mrs. E. S. Goodner, 904 Broad St.	2770 Words
Mrs. Vaughn Buchanan, 1206 Polk St.	2770 Words
Minnie Eakins, Box 981 Electra, Texas	2306 Words
Reba Ireland 507 Mississippi St.	2264 Words
Geo. L. Allen, 1601 Grace	2255 Words
Mrs. Olive Magee, 1401 Britton St.	2232 Words
Mrs. William L. Rhodes, 1304 Filmore	2123 Words
Lena M. Davis, 1207 Eleventh St.	2107 Words
Gertrude Vermillion, Waggoner Bldg.	2090 Words
Mrs. Burch Murphy, 1308 Burnett	2020 Words
Ita Barksdale, 1629 Eleventh	2105 Words
William H. Davis Jr., city	2802 Words
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The list of the winner, as well as all other lists will be on file, in our office and the public is cordially invited to come to our office and examine all of the lists.

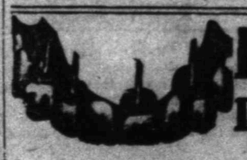
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AT LEAST HE IS CHEERFUL.

According to Dr. Carstensen, rector of Holyrood church, this city, the young people of today are neither wild nor immoral. So he told the students of St. Stephens' college, up in Annandale, and he also told them that "the average student in college today is at least twice as clean, twice as honest and twice as hard a worker as was the average collegian of fifty years ago."

This is encouraging news, and in pleasing contrast with a great deal of current talk about modern youth. There is some difficulty, however, in believing that the young of the human species has apreciably changed in the last fifty years, or in the last 5,000, for that matter, and still harder is it to escape the doubt that anybody has a large and really intimate knowledge of any college students except those in the small group of which he was himself a part in his own college days.

The confidences of youth to old age, or even to maturity, never were apt to be complete, and they are not so now any more than in the past. On the other hand, there is not, and never was, any such person—or animal—as "the average college student," there having been always, and being, as many kinds of them as there are students, and incommensurables cannot be averaged

That college students now are cleaner, in the literal sense of that word, than they were in the not very remote days when bathtubs with running water were unknown in college dormitories—that is probable, but it is not certain, for such bathing facilities are a convenience rather than a necessity in the maintenance of personal cleanliness, and for more than fifty years collegians have not been open to much adverse criticism on that score.

In crediting the college of today with more honesty and industry than that student's father and grandfather had, Dr. Carstensen may have been right, but it is unlikely that he could prove the contention—or that anybody else could prove the opposite. Again one runs against the unchangeableness of human nature, no matter how much customs and manners may change, and again against the endless and wide diversity of human beings. There were honest, hard-working students always, and one sadly must admit that always there will be students who are dishonest and idle.

As for another belief of Dr. Carstensen that the students in small colleges have a higher standard of honor than those in the great universities—he may have been misled by the fact that the larger institutions attract more students not seriously interested in getting as much of education as they can for their money than do the smaller ones, but even after due allowance has been made for this peculiarity, perhaps the ratio of the sober-minded to the frivolous is about the same in both.

It is not to be forgotten, however, that in the big colleges the poor student can find the more opportunities for supplementing his scanty resources, and that therefore those colleges have their full share of students who, as the saying is, are working their way through. And they are hard-working enough—often too much so.—New York Times. (Ind. Dem.)

The ex-crown prince confesses to a longing to be a farmer; in his case the desire is regarded as part of a back-to-the-fatherland movement.—Philadelphia North American.

Some of the visitors at Marion, Ohio, are suspected of issuing advertisements, "Advice given", when what they really mean is "Situation Wanted."—Washington Star.

Gilbert Chesterton is now in New York and New Yorkers are pointing proudly to the fact that he's not even as big as Irvin Cobb.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Anti-tobacco reformers had better keep quiet or congress will pass a law telling them what styles they may wear.—Arizona Republican.

There are many novel features about the new cars, but they all require the same old-fashioned mortgage on the house.—Baltimore Sun.

The last rum to go will be the rum in nostrum.—Boston Herald.

LOAVES AND FISHES.

It is quite certain that the Republicans do not propose to sacrifice any of the loaves and fishes of politics acquired at the recent election. Several thousand nominations sent to the Senate by President Wilson will remain unacted upon and will expire with the expiration of the Sixty-sixth Congress on March 4. Exception is to be made in the case of 5,535 army officers appointed to the service from civil life on merit, these being in the main men who served in the late war and made excellent records.

But more than 2,000 postoffice nominations and scores of others, including members of the Interstate Commerce Commission and other important Federal places, will be allowed to expire March 4 without action. If President Harding continues the executive order of President Wilson placing all postmasters under the civil service, the postmasters whose names have been sent in by the latter eventually will be confirmed and retained in office, but it is the intention of the Senate to let their cases rest until Mr. Harding has had an opportunity to mark out his policy in this respect.

This removal of postmasters beyond the pale of partisan politics has been heralded by Postmaster General Burleson as one of the great accomplishments of his administration. It has the approval of many serious-minded people, who are of the opinion that the postal service will be improved if the postmasterships are not included in political patronage. But it appears that the present administration did not adopt this reform until it had been entrenched in office for several years and had the offices filled with loyal Democrats, whereupon the incumbents were covered into the civil service. It is possible that Mr. Harding may wish to change the political complexion of the postal service before placing the seal of permanency upon it, or he may prefer to open all the jobs to competitive examinations and allow Democrats and Republicans to contest for them.

No criticism is raised by the Democrats against their successful opponents for retaining control of the political places, for it is in accordance with the rules of the game. It is recalled that when President Taft was about to retire he sent to the Senate several thousand nominations which the Democratic senators held up and allowed to expire with the Congress. These places were filled by Democrats after the advent of the Wilson administration.

A retiring President should not attempt to load down an incoming administration with appointees, especially when the new administration is of the opposite political faith. Not only is the successful party entitled to the spoils of war, but so far as possible federal appointees should be in political harmony with the party that has been commissioned by the voters to take charge of the government. There are exceptions, of course, such as army and navy nominations and instances where the public service demands an immediate appointment. But in Mr. Harding's case it should be remembered that he was elected by more than 7,000,000 plurality, and with the emphatic mandate of the voters his party should not only have the privilege of naming the appointees, but it should assume the responsibility for so doing. In the light of the election results it would be a farce to attempt to fill several thousand federal positions with men of opposite political belief.—Washington Post.

Men, as a rule, are not downcast. They look that way merely because so many of them are engaged in discovering the percentage of woolen stockings on female calves.—Nashville Banner.

Senator McCormick beat it for the gang plank when the Imperator anchored off quarantine. "Urgent business in Washington," he said. Can it be shirts?—Chicago Post.

State osteopaths will ask the legislature to prohibit the sale of high heels. This is a prohibition movement that is not believed to have been inspired by a spirit of uplift.—Detroit News.

Several eminent Americans have volunteered to investigate conditions in Cuba at their own expense.—Vancouver Province.

The University of Cincinnati is to have a tanning department. Boy, page the o. f. schoolmaster.—Nashville Tennessean.

And now a woman has been shot for bootlegging. Well, they would insist on equal rights.—Wheeling Register.

Not only the beautiful Danube but everything around it, is rather blue just now.—Minneapolis Tribune.

A Detroit meat dealer has failed. Maybe he has been giving away suet.—Rock Island (Ill.) Argus.

"Give a Tammany officeholder time and rope," but give him "time" anyway—Wall Street Journal.

The grade of a suit of clothes is determined by the survival of the fit—El Paso Herald.

On the Spur of the Moment

TO W. G. H.

Dear Warren:
If you want to make a big hit,
Right at the start-off
Take a quiet little tip
From a guy who isn't
After any job or anything.
If you want to be sainted
By a hard-ridden people,
The first thing you do,
When you get into office,
Take a large, heavy bludgeon
And soak the Income Tax thing
Right square on the bean
And knock it out forever.
It's a burden on the rich,
It's a burden on the poor.
And outside of that
It's a darned nuisance.
There are enough hold-ups
Without the government
Remaining in that business.
Never mind the cabinet,
The ambassadors or
The league of nations.
Give us poor ginks a chance
To save a little something
For our old age.

For the benefit of our readers, we are glad to announce that our long search for the solution of one problem which has been uppermost in the public mind for several years has been successful. Mrs. Bosworth, an Ohio woman, who is an authoress and who knows both the parties involved, writes us that Woodrow Wilson and Mrs. Wilson Woodrow are cousins.

THE OPTIMISTIC INNKEEPER.

Dear Roy—A saloonkeeper in my neighborhood, who is making some alterations to his place is displaying a placard announcing "BUSINESS GOING ON AN USUAL."

I suspected it, but now I know it.
—J. C. K.

David Wark Griffith, the screen wiz., says he has played but one game of poker in his life and then he made the mistake of trumping his partner's ace. We wonder if David foozles his approach when he plays tennis.

If any person wants to be mentioned in the headlines he had better get busy within the next month, for after that time the first pages will all belong to Babe Ruth.

The earth has had 141 quakes in the last twelve months, not counting the one that struck the White House in November.

SPURLOS VERSENKT.

They sank two choruses especially composed by Cantor Rosenblatt in the traditional manner.—Katherine Spaeth in N. Y. Evening Mail.

We note that two women were taken to the hospital this week suffering from exposure. Judging by the styles during the past few years, we had gained the impression that the members of that well-known sex had got miles beyond any such danger.

A Boston laundress who died recently left $32,000. She must have saved her money for a whole year.

Civilization is advancing, slowly. Once in a while now there is a millionaire who does and leaves his money to his own wife.

The "orgy of spending" does not seem to org any more.

The demon Greed has invaded Utopia. Russia has a strike.

DINNER STORIES

"Willie Jones," said his teacher accusingly, "youve been fighting again."

"I couldn't help it, teacher. Honest I couldn't," replied the boy. "Tommy Higgins said his father could make better home brew thap mine could."

Instructor at the woman's training camp—Reville would sound each morning at 5:30. Every lady must turn out at that time. The only exceptions will be in favor of those who have bad complexions and need their beauty sleep.

"Where's Scribson?"

"He went into the mountain districts to get some local color for his next novel."

"Did he find what he was looking for?"

"I should say so! He was mistaken for a federal enforcement officer and in forty-eight hours he absorbed enough local color to last him a lifetime."

"What are you cutting out of the paper?"

"About a man getting a divorce because his wife went through his pockets."

"What are you going to do with it?"

"Put it in my pocket."

"Where is your husband tonight, honey?"

"He said he had to sit up all night with Jack."

"Did he say Jack who?"

"No, dearie."

"Then it must have been Jack Pot."

Asbestos was known to the Romans 2,000 years ago.

A Checking Account with the City National Bank of Commerce will supply you with a simple and effective personal accounting system, your stubs recording what you pay out and your cancelled checks serving as legal receipts. The bank will welcome your account whether it is small or large.—Adv.

Editorial Digest

THE JOB OF CITIZENESS.

While newspaper "colyumists" are much interested in the effect of the Nineteenth amendment on woman's right to an equal share in street car straps and similar problems, their more serious editorial colleagues are discussing two other questions growing out of enfranchisement—citizenship and jury service. Proposed changes in naturalization laws to require alien women to become citizens in their own right are entirely approved by the press, and the corresponding provision that American women shall not lose their citizenship when married to aliens is greeted as a means of righting an injustice. When it comes to jury service, however, there remains some echo of the old familiar anti-suffrage arguments about "emotions" and "sweet unreasonableness." On the whole, though, the press is willing, in some cases even glad, to let the women of the country add to their emancipation the civic responsibility of jury duty.

In giving "due weight to the new political status" of women by a revision of the laws governing naturalization, the Washington Post (Ind.) believes that citizenship will thus be placed on "a higher plane by abolishing some of the haphazard and illogical methods by which it is at present acquired and lost." The extent of haphazardness in present practices is shown by the Chicago Journal (Dem.) thus:

"It takes a court of record to naturalize a man, but any chance justice of the peace or clergyman can naturalize a woman by the simple process of performing the marriage ceremony which makes her the wife of a citizen."

It is obvious to the New York Herald, (Ind.) "that the historic practice of conferring her husband's nationality on a wife should be changed to accord with the duties and privileges which result from the Nineteenth Amendmen," especially in view of the fact, as the Salt Lake Telegram (Ind.) points out, that this custom grows out of 'the old theory that as head of the family man is in control of its affairs . . . and is expected to exercise full control over an alien wife."

Under the changed political status of women, the Telegram continues, the citizen husband no longer controls "but shares the voting privilege" and the alien wife "should be equally qualified."

On the other hand the provision that American women shall retain their own status as citizens irrespective of marriage, except under specified conditions, regarded by all as "removing some long-standing injustices," to quote the Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph (Rep.) However, objection is made to the proposal contained in the bill that American women who marry aliens and reside outside the United tSates forfeit their citizenship after a given period of time. The Scranton, (Pa.) Times (Dem.) notes that "a male American citizen does not lose his citizenship by mere residence abroad, no matter how long he may remain out of the country," and in the opinion of the paper, any revision of naturalization laws should give women "equal citizenship rights with men." The New York Tribune (Rep.) makes the same objection to this provision, and holds that "citizenship and naturalization for women on the same terms as former, is the proper course.

Since, under our institutions, citizenship carries with it the obligation to serve on jures, the question of the adaptbility of the new citizens to this duty naturally arises. Editorial discussion of this matter is provoked by the opinion recently expressed by Judge Talley, a New York judge who opposes woman jurors on the time-honored' premise that "woman approaches the problems of life with her heart and not with her head," and that "her emotional strain will dominate her rational processes." To the Louisville Post (Ind.) "such rot" is far beside the point in a discussion of jury service for women, because "the long and the short of it is that "an intelligent woman will make a good juryman: an unintelligent woman will not." The New York Evening World (Dem.) also regards as silly any "doubts at this late day as to woman's mental or moral fitness" for jury service. The whole matter, as the World sees it, "is purely a question of the most sensible and economical allocation of the tasks of the community among the citizens of the community" and so far as "the wise and expeditious settlement of disputes" is concerned, "what else does the mother of a happy family of wrangling children do all day long but sit as juror and judge?"

Judge Tells Husband To Protect Home With Some Cave-Man Stuff

AKRON, O., Jan. 29.—"A hickory club, wielded by a strong right arm, is the best means of dealing with the man who invades another man's home and robs him of his wife's affections."

This was the opinion handed down by Judge H. C. Spicer of Domestic Relations Court, after he had listened for an hour to the recital of how Thomas Korneluk sought to drive, by law and gun route, John Novikis from his home.

Novikis said Korneluk first had him arrested for beating his wife and that a justice in the southern part of the county sent him to the workhouse for six months. He was released in nine days and came home, only to be ordered out of his own place on threats of being shot to death. Novikis told the Court Korneluk informed him that hereafter Mrs. Novikis would be his wife.

"You go home and get a hickory club and drive him away," was Judge Spicer's parting advice.

At present there is no metal currency in Turkey.

STUDYING THE "DISARMAMENT" PROBLEM

ARMAMENT IN NATURE—AS WELL AS MAN-MADE—MEANS CONTINUAL STRIFE FOR EXISTENCE—AND SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST



BUYING PUBLIC HAS CASH BUT IS HOLDING BACK FOR FURTHER PRICE REDUCTIONS

By W. H. ATKINS.
International News Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—"Consumers' strikes" against profiteers will not be broken until retail prices slide further downward, according to Governor Harding and his associates in the federal reserve board. They also found, in a review of the bank reports, the spending power of the public is strong, but is not being exerted. The public is waiting for prices to show "real reductions" to more nearly correspond to big cuts made some time ago by wholesalers in many lines.

Retailers, officials find, are not deluding the public by pronouncements that they are losing money in present price reduction sales, which are highly specialized and have not been extended very widely. The reserve board's hopeful view is that the public has a big cash reserve, is in need of commodities and ready to buy, but stung so often by conscienceless extortion, buyers are found extremely cautious.

The caution shown by consumers in restricting their buying to actual needs, Governor Harding thinks, is one of the best signs of the times. His advices from the Governors of the twelve big reserve bank districts over the country say it reflects general economy and a growing desire by the public to save and use its available funds judiciously. Savings bank deposits steadily increasing also denotes that the era of extravagance is passing.

Business More Firm.

New bank reports reflect that business men are getting upon a firmer foundation, and generally have started the new year under favorable conditions. The holiday trade and isolated reduced prices sales brought enough money from spenders to enable merchants to liquidate some of their loans to the banks. By liquidating some of the money merchants thus had tied up in stocks the reserve board is of the opinion that within the next sixty days, or, at most, ninety days, there will be pronounced revival of activity in business lines. This it is said, will have a tremendous effect in speeding up operations in the big mill and factory districts now affected by suspensions, part time schedules and much unemployment.

Accurate reflection of what the retail traders are doing is found in the reports of wholesalers to their various bank connections. A glance at a few of the figures and facts brought out by the federal reserve board's inquiry shows the extent of the "consumers' strikes," and the effect which the waiting attitude of the public has had upon business.

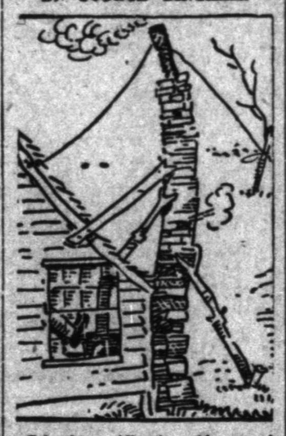
Retailers Holding Back.

Retailers are not proceeding with their plans for restocking, as in former years, expecting a better price level may be reached. Declines in wholesale lines, in consequence, are very general, the board is informed. The wholesalers have few unfilled orders, in contrast to the heavily booked business of other years. Representative wholesale dry goods firms which usually at this time of year report unfilled orders running into millions of dollars report their books clear of orders. The same story is told to bankers by big dealers in many lines, dry goods, boots and shoes, hardware, furniture and groceries. The declines in business vary in percentages all the way from 5 to 80 percent according to the class of commodities. For example, falling off in dry goods sales shows a drop of 50 per cent in many reserve districts. In some districts there is a drop of 80 per cent in demand for furniture.

Governor Harding states this apparently stagnant condition in some lines of business is a "healthy process" through which business is passing. War prices and war methods of carrying on business had to be changed, he says, and the community will benefit from the readjustments now so widespread. He is highly confident the public will show its spending power again within a brief period.

DOG HELL PARAGRAFS

BY GEORGE BINGHAM.



Columbus Allsop's chimney is again leaning. He propped it up good last fall and thought it would stay that way through the winter, but he had a whole lot of company this winter and the strain has been too great on it.

Silo Kildew looked into a cistern this morning and talked back at himself until he almost got mad.

Cricket Hicks continues to gain renown as a foot-racer, and by spring he hopes to be able to challenge any swarm of yellow jackets in the neighborhood.

Held for Advertising Bitters Having 'Kick'

PUEBLO, Col., Jan. 29.—A. Fuschino, prominent Pueblo business man, apparently wanted to let his thirsty friends in on a "good thing," so he advertised prohibition enforcement officials charge, that a mixture of a certain kind of bitters and soft drink had a real "kick." He was arrested by United States officials on a charge of violating the Volstead Act.

The bitters, according to federal officials, were advertised as having an alcoholic content.

The case is said to be the first of its kind since the enactment of the Volstead Act, and will be prosecuted as a "test."

'As I understand it," said United States District Attorney Bock, "there is no claim on the part of the government that Fuschno violated the law in advertising the alcoholic content of the bitters. The violation, if there was any, was in suggesting the combination of the bitters and the soft drink, the implication being that the result would contain a 'kick.'"

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In these chapters Helen Hartnett, a cultured daughter of an old New York family, tells the story of her downfall in a most candid fashion. She tells how she became a raffles and how she assisted Raymond Canfield, the master thief and burglar in his many thrilling exploits.

The author of these revelations served a sentence and now is in another country where she will try to "live down" her past and start life over again.)

In the following revelations the writer does not give the right names of the persons and places mentioned.—Editors note.

By NAZARIENE KANNIBELLE.

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'What were you discussing with the Hungarian, Salamon "Gordon," on the steps of the National Gallery late in June, 1914"? asked Raymond Canfield a few nights after our last escapade.

When I had recovered my breath I told him why I had spoken with Mr. Salamon Gordon.

It was like this:

It was a students' day, and I had just finished copying a corot I parparticularly admired. The Hungarian had evidently observed me, for just as I got outside the doors he came up to me to praise my attempt, which he considered, "ekthellent." He then asked me if I would copy a "foreign master" he had "at home." As I did not know Mr. Salamon Gordon I politely declined, but with the persistence of his race he handed me his card and said—

"If any time you should change your mind, and will drop me a postcard, I shall be pleathed. I pay very well. Perhapth yen you neet a leetle pocket-money you will remember my name an' addreth."

"You never communicated with him?" said Raymond.

"Never. And have never seen him from that day to this. Who is he, What is he, and what has he to do with the subject we were talking about?" I asked. "That subject appeared to be the necessity of my earning a large income. What has Mr. Salamon Gordon got to do with a burglary project?"

'He might be the first stepping-stone," said Raymond. "He'll want you to copy some of his 'masters' as originals."

"Copies as 'originals'?

"Yes. That's one of his numerous 'games.' He knows better than any man how and where to sell a 'dud' picture. And he knows where to buy a genuine one," said Raymond significantly.

"Is he what is called a receiver, a fence?"

"You've hit it, though he does legitimate businesses as a 'blind.'"

"Are police headquarters so obtuse, then?"

"In the case of Gordon, yes. There is nothing against him in this country, nothing at all. He's not done much during the war either. Feel like renewing his acquaintance?" said Raymond, with a smile. "You might write the post card now. Suggeset calling on him at 9:30 in the working on 'a business matter.' He leaves for his dingy little office in the city about ten."

Preparing the Trap.

I wrote the postcard, as Raymond suggested. He placed it on his mantelshelf, saying that he would post it himself.

"You might tell me why you appear so anxious that I should cultivate this Gordon," I said.

"Well," returned Raymond, "Salamon Gordon is a person whom I should like to despoil. He is an enemy to society—a parasite—one of those who toil not, neither do they spin.

"You see," he continued, "this Gordon has amassed his five hundred thousand in this country. He never made a tithe of it honestly—he could not. But what will happen to his wealth? I will tell you. Now that the war is over, he is going to dispose of his pictures, his antiques, all his 'stock -in trade," which at present repose in his private mansion called River Court.

"I know for a fact that in the next year or two he intends to retire to his estate in the South of France, and there, with occasional visits to Monte Carlo and other Continental gambling places, he will eke out the remainder of his days with an unruffled conscience. And as he had neither wife nor chick his money will go to charities."

'But how could you do him down?' I asked.

"I have ways and means," replied he, lowering his lids a little, his eyes probing mine, nevertheless, "and you can help me."

"Let me tell you what you would wish me to do," I interjected. "You are anxious for me to copy pictures for Mr. Gordon because it may give me some opportunity of inspecting his private residence. You want me to 'spy out the land.' In short, you want to know what valuables are on the premises and where they are kept and the number of servants in the house, the means taken to prevent those valuables disappearing through human agency, by door or window, in the dead of the night."

"You need not go on. Half that information would be quite sufficient" interrupted Raymond. "I could even work on less."

"Now tell me what particular articles you fancy—furniture, pictures, bric-a-brac, or what?" I asked Raymond.

"Anything that is small and valuable—things that you could carry in the pockets of an overcoat for preference. He has some priceless trinkets and snuff boxes, cameos and tablet cases some valuable miniatures. Expect they'll be in a safe, though, not a glass case."

"Any further instructions?"

"No. Immediately you've found out anything worth while at River Court let me know."

In River Court.

At exactly half-past nine next morning I tugged the bronze bell handle of River Court, a large Queen Anne structure. Presently the door was answered by a middle-aged man whose build and bearing suggested a retired policeman.

On giving my name—without the titular prefix—he escorted me to a door on the left hand side of the entrance hall, and I soon stood in the presence of Mr. Salamon Gordon, who glanced up from his morning paper and motioned me to a chair.

"Yeth. I remember you tid de Corot ekthellen," he said before I had time to explain why I took the liberty of calling on him. "You haf com to copy me a piether—goot. I haf one, two or three, or more you could do. I can gif you plenty of vork. The paints I vill supply you with. Coam upstairth an' I will show you vat I vant."

Obediently I followed Mr. Gordon up the oaken staircase to the second—and top—floor, where, opening a heavy door on the right, he preceded me into a small room windowed on to the large garden at the rear.

He now unlocked an oak cupboard the doors of which I noticed were lined with steel. On shelves set wide apart, and divided perpendicularly into narrow compartments, I saw the edges of numerous unframed canvases standing upright. From a receptacle number 17 he carefully picked out a picture—a river scene by James Maris. "Could you copy this for a start?" asked the Hungarian in his croaky voice. I replied that I would do my best.

"I will give you twenty-five dollars if you will too as goot a copy as te Corot." His offer, needless to say, I accepted immediately; and it was soon arranged that I should do my work in that room; that the picture would be handed to me each morning by the man who had answered the door, the same person to receive it back from me each evening as the light failed.

As I studied the Maris painting, which I felt sure I could copy with fair fideelity, the Hungarian observed. "Yoost do it exactly as you can. Let us nod know te odder from vich; vit te sign-manocol te same. I vill myself varnish te piether.

"No," he continued, as if divining my thoughts. "I am not goin' to sell id as an oritchinal. It is yoost a copy for a friendt."

Spying Out the Land.

I need not in detail describe my "investigation" of River Court during the day I spent there.

But I am pretty thorough in my methods. In odd moments I sketched the plans of the various floors of the house, though these rooms, and their contents, remained unknown to me—for the simple reason that their doors were always locked. One thing I did not discover—the position of the safe, which very likely had its habitation in one of the locked rooms I have mentioned.

There was no doubt that River Court contained a potential fortune. The place was literally stacked with priceless stuff—Chippendale, Sheraton and Louis XVI. chairs and mirrors; armour; Gobelin and Mortlake tapestries, and goodness knows what all.

On the afternoon of the ninth day of my labors at River Court, after 'phoning Raymond, I called at his apartment, satisfied that I had all the information he required. To finish the "James Maris," I told him, would take me another three days. I then asked how I could help him further; how he intended to relieve the Hungarian of some of his treasures; and what other part I had to play in the episode.

"There's a fog coming on," said Raymond, looking out of the window and ignoring my questions. Presently he drew down the blind and switched on the lights. "The fog will last forty-eight hours," he continued. "It simplifies matters immensely. Down by the river it will be particularly dense."

"Excuse my asking you an irrelevant question," he went on "but how is River Court heated these cold months?"

"By electric stoves. There is only one coal fire, and that is in the kitchen in the basement."

"H'm. Your room is not over the kitchen?"

"No. I'm on the left side of the house; from the front the kitchen is on the extreme right." I then showed Raymond my drawings of the interior of the house, upon which he complimented me.

"There is a large tree on the right side of the building, and you work on the left hand side, back room, second and top floor?"

Ready for Action.

"Yes, I have marked it on my drawings 'my wardrobe.'"

"Pardon. Yes, I see," said Raymond, glancing at my handiwork again. "You couldn't leave your window open tomorrow, say at 12:30?

"You must be in your room tomorrow notwithstanding at anyrate between twelve and one."

"Why?"

"I shall need your assistance during that hour."

"Now, please tell me again the chief articles of value, say, in the dining room on the ground floor."

I enumerated them one by one.

"Quite good." ejaculated aRymond, "but you missed one important item —"

"What about the small brass bound box? It's somewhere in the dining room, I fancy. There's a ticket on it marked 'Lot 147.'

"Well," I returned. "What was the use of my mentioning the dirty old box, when I don't know even if there's anything in it? And how did you come to learn of its presence there?"

"Quite simple. Gordon bought it only a week ago at an auction sale, and I happened to overhear him instruct his clerk to take a taxi with it to River Court and tell Grimes, his caretaker, to put it in the dining room."

"But Gordon the same day might have had it removed from the dining room to one of the locked rooms upstairs."

"Oh, quite. But it was in the dining room last night. I saw it as Grimes moved the curtain a little when he was closing the steel shutters and you had long gone home.

"You reconnoitered the premises?"

"Yes, back and front; quite simple. There's no beastly dog, thank goodness."

"And now this beastly box. What is in it?"

"A Greek gold vase, first century A. D., value $5,200."

"How romantic!" I cried.

Telegram Lure.

"Yes, it is. And now to business. I'll give you the procedure. Tomorrow morning about ten I shall be in the city, and having ascertained for sure that Gordon is in or about his office, I shall send a wire to Grimes at River Court, as from Gordon—this, of course, if the fog persists, which it will. 'Danger—Keep back doors fastened as well as front. Shall be back 1:30 exactly." That will be the message."

"Sounds stupid, especially if you're operating between twelve and one."

"Now, about twelve Grimes will go as far as the——for his usual beer Gordon is a very punctilious person. When he says '1:30 exactly,' he means it. Grimes understands that; he will therefore see no reason why he should break the 30-year-old habit of a morning glass. I know his machinery. You must listen for Grimes' noon exit. Then, watching your opportunity, get the brass-bound box upstairs into your room. Wrap it up with brown paper and string. Is there anywhere to hide the box pro tem?"

"I can drop my great coat over it, but what then?"

"Simply sit still and listen. Do nothing—until I tell you."

"How will you be able to tell me?"

"Never mind. When I've got hold of the box remain at your work as usual till Gordon returns. I shall wire him from——'Return home at once. Important.—Grimes.'—as soon as I'm away with the box.

"And when it is missed I shall be suspected at once."

"You won't be suspected. I want to bring Gordon back to River Court while you're there—and the box isn't. If I did the business at night, after you had gone, you might possibly be suspected. As it is, you won't be."

"They won't. Come on here to my apartment as soon as you leave River Court. Be sure you're not followed, that's all. Leave the rest to me—and the fog."

Our Scheme in Action.

Next morning the fog was just as sulphurous as the previous day's.

Somewhere about eleven I heard the bell ring in the basement, and two rapid double knocks boom on the front door. The telegram had arrived!

Noon seemed a long time coming, but it came, to find me again on the landing. Sure enough Grimes was going out as usual, for I heard the shrill of his spouse utter the domestic cism "Don't forget the vinegar"; but I did not hear her bolt the back door after him.

Now, for about the ninth time I experienced burglarious excitement as I crept down the staircase in quest of the brass-bound box. The dining room door was ajar. I stole inside, quickly picking up the box, and leaving the door just as I found it, reached my room on the top floor in safety. There, after wrapping it up in brown paper I covered the box with my coat, closed my door, put down brush in hand, and listened as Raymond had bidden me.

A quarter to one. I was getting anxious, and then I heard a scraping as if someone were rubbing a file against the outer wall. The scraping continued for some minutes, then ceased.

Suddenly there was a faint metallic sound, followed by a rustling that seemed to suggest the presence of a mouse. I glanced all round the bare floored room till my eye was arrested in the empty fire grate. There a very animated piece of white paper was dancing about. On close approach I discovered handwriting on the paper, which was pinned to some strips of canvas. Further scrutiny revealed a hook dangling from a stout cord. Eagerly I scanned the writing on the paper—Raymond's "fist."

"Tie up the box quickly. Not a moment to lose. The fog's lifting. Hook to one end."

In no time I had my parcel tied round with the canvas strips, and firmly secured to the hook, gave the cord a tug by way of signal, and on my knees called up the chimney, "right." In an instant the Greek gold vase was on the move, and the box was lost to sight; nor could I see, on account of the grey mist in the chimney, the hand or face of the recipient aloft. How Raymond had clambered on to the roof I could not guess; then his voice came down the shaft, sounding strangely hollow—

"See you later. Ta-ta."

For the moment the levity of the remark caused me to smile; the whole proceeding now struck me as being so odd and ludicrous that I was almost tempted to laugh aloud.

Sudednly there was a furious ringing in the basement of the sonorous front door bell, the result of a series of violent tugs. Grimes was unlocking and unbolting. Gordon's voice! A torrent of un-understandable words. Then the same voice—"Vell I god your delegram. Vat 'as been daken?"

Telegram, sir," I heard Grimes echo. "Taken?"

"You send me delegram—'Redurn 'ome.' I am here (an' you nod knew in te tining-room a bane of glass 'as been cud out?")

Gordon's voice was now muffled; he had evidently entered the dining room.

"Te gold vase is gone—vat else?" I heard Gordon cry.

"Bolice," I next heard Gordon roar. "I do not vant te bolice callt in. Tey are stoobit plockheads as you. I vill pe mine own boliceman."

Presently a loud rap on my door, and in strode Mr. Salamon Gordon scowling.

In his left hand I noticed he carried a small boy's dirty cap.

He did not wish me "good afternoon," but, to my immense relief, so soon as I glanced at him he smiled, and said, "Ow is he bainting goin' on?" Then he looked over my shoulder. "Veery goot. Id is ekthellen. You haf nearly done!—Goot. You can haf a sheck veneffer you like."

Somehow the little boy's cap, still in Gordon's hand, fascinated me. He noticed that my glance reested on it. "Vat you tink," said he, "tis blace 'as peen purgled yoost now, an by an exbert tief. A small bane cud out; lettle boy got trou', and take sometings vort $10,000, an' leaf 'is cab in eggselange."

Of coure I expressed the greatest astonishment. "Gordon then asked me to follow him downstairs "an' see for yourseluf."

The Broken Window.

Truly enough, a pane, some sixteen inches by twelve, had been clean cut out, and there were finger-marks in blood on the framework and the pane adjoining. I ventured a platitude. "Why take only the box" I asked.

"Teth," returned Gordon, "te tief must haf known vat te box contained."

"Have you informed the police?" I inquired naively.

"No. I need nod trouble tem," he answered. "Whoeffer took te vase vill nod meld id. 'E vill sell id as id is; an' I shall know vere. Tat is 'ow I shall cadch 'im."

When I met Raymond at his apartment that evening I had Gordon's "scheck" for twenty-five dollars in my handbag, although I had not quite finished the picture—a fact which was at once some guarantee that the Hungarian had no suspicion that I was implicated.

"When I observed Grimes depart down the road with his beer jug," Reggie explained, "I quickly cut out the pane of glass; with a piece of butcher's meat stained my fingers, and left smears of blood about—but no finger prints. Then I threw a boy's cap in the room. Going round to the side of the house I climbed the tree I mentioned to you, swinging by a bough on to the roof which has little slope, and was not difficult to 'walk' in my rubber-soled shoes. Locating your chimney pot I found it needed little effort to lift it out of the stack, after loosening the mortar a bit.

"The chimney, I knew was wide, and I suspeceted that it was sootless. Before I let down the rope I heard you cough slightly. I knew you were there, and alone. When I had hauled up the vase I replaced the chimney pot in its socket, leaving no sign of its disturbance. Having fixed the box across my shoulders with the rope—well, I just departed the same way I came, and not a moment too soon, for the fog was rapidly clearing."

"Gordon says that if the vase is sold he can trace it." I said, although I had said it before.

"It is sold already," said Raymond, "and already on its way out of this country. He will never trace it."

The Secret.

"But tell me why the telegram? The cut-out pane and the boy's cap I understand—false clues for the police."

"So are the telegrams. And now," he went on, "here is your share of the swag—$2,600 in notes, whose numbers are as 'innocent' as a newborn babe. Coung them."

"But I hardly like to take the money. Ive done nothing for it really."

"Nonsense. We go halves. We're going to get rich quick. Why not? You, your birth, social eminence, your services to your country, your sacrifices—entitle you to it. I am not far out of the same category. Why should we two live from mouth to hand while alien and plebian upstarts all round us are revelling and rolling in wealth?"

"Am I to remain on when I have finished the 'Maris'?" I asked.

"Yes, I should for a time. The occupation, I take it, is pleasant and the remuneration fair. Besides 'River Court' is an easy crib to crack. If things move too slowly for us—and they might for a time—it is something to fall back on."

"What," I cried. "Burgle old Gordon again."

"We may. Why not? As you see, it is child's play. More, he deserves it. And I have a very shrewd suspicion that in no case would Salamon ring up police headquarters. He is too cute for that."

(Another of these remarkable experiences will be related in the next chapter.)

Tevis Funeral Will Be Today

Funeral services for Coleman G. Tevis, local lumberman, who died Friday, are to be conducted by Rev. J. Lem Keevil, pastor of the Christian church, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the family residence, 1708 Burnett. Burial will be made in Riverside.

The pallbearers will be B. F. Strube, C. M. Miller, S. D. Jacks, Harry Henson, T. T. T. Reese, C. B. Moore, J. A. Richolt and W. B Harrison.

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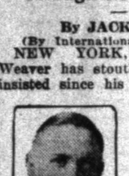
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BUCK WEAVER STILL INSISTS HE WILL BE BACK WITH SOX

Has Persistently Denied Complicity in 1919 World Series Gambling Scandal Though he Kept Silent.

By JACK VEIOCK
(By International News Service.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Buck Weaver has stoutly and consistently insisted since his indictment in connection with the 1919 world's series scandal that he is innocent of the charges made against him.


JACK VEIOCK

Weaver's indictment in connection with the fixing of the White Sox-Cincinnati series like that of Eddie Cicotte, was a particular surprise to fandom. Weaver was always classed as a pepperbox of the diamond who would rather win a ball game for his team than anything else one could imagine. And when the indictments were returned, sensational though they were in each case, fans everywhere remarked:

"It's hard to believe about Weaver and Cicotte!"

Fandom was noticeably interested, therefore, in a report from Chicago recently, quoting Weaver, who is said to have offered to wager $500 that he will be with the Sox next summer.

"I have a contract with the White Sox that has not yet expired. I can and will prove my innocence of the charges against me and I will be a member of the Chicago team next summer," he was reported to have said.

There appears to be pressure from certain quarters favoring Weaver's return to baseball. It is pointed out frequently that his playing in the 1919 world's series was unquestionably on the up-and-up, and that he of all the Sox players indicted, deserves a chance to clear his name and return to the pastime.

But regardless of any argument that may be advanced in Weaver's favor there is one point that stands out boldly.

In the public mind Weaver stands convicted of having consorted with the gamblers who engineered the "crooking" of the Reds-Sox series.

The fact that he may have been innocent of any part in throwing games and even though he did not accept any of the bribe money makes little difference.

Weaver Remained Silent

The fans can't forget that Weaver apparently stood in silence, knowing all the while that White Sox supporters were being double-crossed.

Why did Weaver keep silent? He had the opportunity to make himself one of the biggest men in baseball if he had gone to the National Commission and made a clean breast of the things he is supposed to have known.

His silence, therefore, aided and abetted the crooks in putting over their nefarious frame-up, and though he may prove himself innocent of actual participation in the abominable incident he will be unable to erase this fact from the minds of the fans.

Judge Landis made it plain to the magnates at the recent meeting in Chicago that "there can be no association with any player as long as an indictment hangs over him and is undetermined and even if he is cleared of charges against him by a jury he will still have to make good with the commissioner. Juries sometimes make mistakes."

Landis means every word of it. He is the "word" in baseball now and if he takes the course he is expected to take, not a one of the eight Sox players will ever wear a big league, let alone a minor league uniform, as long as he is baseball's high commissioner.

When the baseball conclave was held here in December, Judge Landis emphatically stated that if he accepted the commissionership he would see to it that the White Sox players under indictment were prosecuted. He has been given a fund of $10,000 to use in cleaning up and keeping baseball clean. And he will do that very thing.

Wheeler Wins Canadian Ice Skating Title

By Associated Press.

MONTREAL, Jan. 29.—Russell Wheeler of Montreal today won the honors in the Canadian skating championships with a total of 90 points. Charles Jewstraw of Lake Placid, N. Y., finished second with 80 points and Charles Gorman, St. John N. B., and Like Goodman, Winnipeg, Man., tied for third with 70 each. No new records were made.

Americans won five firsts, including two boy events, were second to two events, and third in five events.

Buff Hurler Purchased by Sioux City

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Jan. 29.—Joe Lotz, former St. Louis pitcher, has been purchased by the Sioux City Western League team from the Houston club of the Texas League. Lotz was sent to the majors from the Omaha club. He was sold to the Houston club a year ago, but refused to report.

IOWA 25, WASHINGTON 21

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—Iowa State College defeated Washington University 25 to 21, in a Missouri Valley conference basketball game here today.

See those new patterns of dishes in our window this week only. Wichita Hardware Co.—Adv.

WILL FOHL SUCCEED WHERE SE VEN OTHER MANAGERS FAILED?



The eight managers of the Browns to date. Left to right, above: Lee Fohl, new pilot; George Stovall, Branch Rickey, Jim McAleer. Below: Bobby Wallace, Fielder Jones, Jack O'Connor and Jimmy Burke (the gentleman with the large smile).

The Browns have been struggling in vain since the club entered the American league in 1902 to win a pennant. And so far the gonfalon has eluded their grasp. It hasn't been because the club owners lacked initiative or ambition, however. Eight men have been called upon to try to turn the trick. Lee Fohl, new manager recently signed, is the eighth. His predecessors were: Jim McAleer, Jack O'Connor, Bobby Wallace, George Stovall, Branch Rickey, Fielder Jones and Jimmy Burke. Will Fohl turn the trick where the others failed?

HI BASKETEERS TAKE ONE FROM ELECTRA TEAM

Running a five-man defense that completely baffled their opponents, the Wichita Falls Senior High quintet took its first game of the interscholastic district championship series by a decisive victory Saturday afternoon over Electra High, to the tune of 29 to 8.

On the defense Coach Cantwell's goal tossers would throw their entire team around their goal and succeeded in keeping the county champions so far from the goal that only four baskets were earned by them.

On the offense Harper, Senior High forward, was a continuous bright and shining star, throwing eight of the twelve field goals and four of the five goals from fouls scored by Wichita Falls. In the last half Brannon, Senior High center, stepped into the limelight, scoring three of the four field goals thrown in the second period.

The game was clean, harder fought than the score would incidate, and remarkably free from personal fouls, of which only three were reported. In each case these were due entirely to over-eagerness of players to get after the ball.

Before leaving, Superintendent Linsmore, who is coaching the Electra boys, declared to Coach Cantwell that his team would be prepared to pierce the new defense of the Senior High boys, when they meet next Saturday afternoon for the second game of the series at Electra.

High school authorities declared Saturday afternoon that the win over Electra is a long step toward the district championship, and in the belief that a winning team is hard to stop are expressing strong hopes that Senior High will cop the district flag.

The line-up and scores for the Saturday game were:

Electra—Wright, Gossage, Richart and Holmes, guards; Thomas and Platt, center; Stearnes, Crass, Gillispie and Houser, forwards.

Wichita Falls—Anderson and Coffee, guards; Brannon, center; Harper and Johnson, forwards.

Referee, Viner; umpire, Michael; timekeepers, Vaughan and Henderson; scorekeepers, Hall and Dickey.

Summary: Wichita Falls, field goals, Harper (9), Brannon (3); goals from fouls, Harper (4), Johnson (1); personal fouls, Harper (1). Electra, field goals, Stearnes (1), Crass (2), Gillespie (1); personal fouls, Crass (2). Score: Wichita Falls, 29; Electra, 8. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

TAD'S TID-BITS

THE HARDEST HITTING LIGHTWEIGHT

Today we print a picture of Aurelio Herrera, of Bakersfield, Cal., the hardest hitter the lightweight division ever saw.



It was around 1900 that this Mexican attracted the attention of San Francisco promoters. He had been going like wildfire in his home town, knocking out every opponent the fight promoters of the south could dig up.

Herrera at this time was a featherweight and Terry McGovern was cock of the walk.

Jim Coffroth saw the drawing power of a match between the pair and put them on. The fight was held in Mechanics' Pavilion and those who saw it will never forget that night.

Sam Harris almost turned gray that night and Joe Humphreys, who was also with Terry lost half his hair. The other two he still has.

McGovern won in the fifth round with a K. O. It was Herrera's first defeat.

It was a gala night. Mexicans, ranchers, cowboys and business men from Bakersfield crowded the pavilion to bet on and cheer for their man. It was a most exciting affair. Sam Harris bet McGovern's end on his man and had no trouble finding betting men.

It was a slam bang affair from the start, Terry trading with the Mexican and getting by with an even break. Near the close of the fourth round Herrera caught McGovern with a right on the ear. Terry's knees sagged and he grabbed the ropes to save himself from falling.

The place was a madhouse. McGovern, groggy and ready to fall, tried to grab his opponent to clinch. The latter wildly swung a right that grazed the champion's chin.

THE BELL.

McGovern heard it but stood still. Sam Harris rushed over and pulled Terry from the ropes and led him back to his corner. Terry reeled like a drunken man. He barely made the stool. He was soused with water and rubbed, given smelling salts and fanned.

He just did come around for the start of the fifth.

Still dazed he tore in and during a mixup dropped the Mexican in his own corner. He knocked him stiff.

McGovern didn't recover fully until an hour after the fight. It was the nearest thing to defeat that Terry had met up to that time.

In his very next fight he was knocked out by Young Corbett.

With a bit cooler head that night Herrera would have been world's champion featherweight.

A wonderful fellow this Herrera. He trained hard for fights but drank whiskey like a Forty-niner.

He won more than half his fights with knockouts. He engaged in seventy-six battles and forty-four of them ended with his opponent on the floor.

Among his victims were Toby Irwin, Kid Broad, Eddie Santry, Kid Abel, Benny Yanger, Kid Farmer, Young Corbett and Jack Clifford.

He fought Bat Nelson and lost the decision, but in one of the early rounds hit the Dane on the jaw and the latter hit the floor HEAD FIRST. He landed right on top of his head, but he managed to get to his feet again before ten. No one but Nelson could have recovered from such a wallop.

There was something lacking in Herrera though. He had the punching power but he couldn't control himself. A champion must have something besides the punch.

King Albert Offers Cup for Yacht Race

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—King Albert of Belgium, has offered a cup for an ocean race from Sandy Hook to Ostend, Belgium, open to sailing yachts of the world, Baron de Cartier, Belgian ambassador to the United States announced here today. The race under the provisions laid down by the king, is to start July 2 next.

Open Golf Finals To Begin July 19

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The dates of the open golf championship tournament of the United States, to be played over the course of the Columbia club here, were announced tonight as July 19 to 22.

A YEAR AGO IN SPORTS



JAN. 30—JOE STECHER WINS WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP IN NEW YORK — DEFEATING EARL CADDOCK.

St. Louis Net Stars Declared Best in Valley

By Associated Press.

KANISAS CITY, Jan. 29.—St. Louis was awarded the 1921 singles and sectional doubles tournaments of the Missouri Valley Tennis Association at the annual meeting of the association here today.

Drummond Jones of St. Louis was elected president of the organization to succeed James Cravens of Kansas City.

The dates for holding the tournaments were left to St. Louis district officials, who said that they probably would be held the week before or after the National Clay Court tournaments at Chicago.

At the meeting today, Jack Cannon of Kansas City, was elected first vice-president; E. L. Isaacohn, Sioux City, second vice-president and Roland Hoerr, St. Louis, secretary-treasurer.

Kansas and Oklahoma vacanies on the executive committee were not filled.

Malleteers To Practice

A practice game of polo among local players is announced for Sunday afternoon. The game will be called at 3 o'clock on the Call Field polo grounds.

Payers announce that the teams will be chosen by team captains after the well known manner of sand lot baseball, except that the handle of a polo mallet will be used, rather than a basebal bat.

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TEXAS NINTH WITH INCOME TAX PAYMENTS

BY B. N. TIMMONS
Washington Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The wealth of Texas is successfully shown by the statistics of income taxes paid by the citizens of that state for 1918, announced today by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Although the names of taxpayers are not revealed, the law requiring that income tax returns be held confidential, the report shows that one person in Texas paid taxes on an income of more than $1,000,000 and less than $1,500,000. The record return for 1918 on an income was for the highest class under the law, $5,000,000 or over.

Other large returns from Texas include one in the class of $750,000 and $1,000,000; one in the class of $400 000 and $500,000; and three in the class between $300,000 and $400,000. The above returns have been grouped to conceal the net income and the identity of the tax payer.

Other Large Incomes.

Other classes which were not grouped, showing large returns from Texas include three in the class of $250,000 to $300,000; seven in the class of $200,000 to $250,000; ten in the class of $150,000 to $200,000; 25 in the class of $100,000 to $150,000 and 18 in the class of $90,000 to $100,000.

The largest number of returns from the state were those in the class of $1,000 to $2,000 numbering 25,278, whose personal exemptions and dividends exceeded their net nicome. The largest number of tax payers in the state in a single class was 20,346, who filed returns on incomes between $2,000 and $3,000.

Of the 4,423,114 persons who filed income tax returns in 1918, 114,500 live in Texas, or 2.59 per cent of the total for the nation. The total net income of Texas men and women making returns as $329,975,557, which was 2.47 per cent of the total income for the entire country during that period. Texans paid a total tax on personal income, after exemptions of $21,575,479. This was 1.91 per cent of the total.

Number in Texas Grows.

A remarkable increase in the number of Texans filing returns is shown by the figures for 1916, 1917 and 1918. In 1916, before the United States entered the war, only 10,514 persons filed returns. In 1917, the first year of the war, 95,416 Texans filed returns, and in 1918 the total swelled to 114,500.

The net income of Texas men and women as shown by personal returns has grown from $113,278,837 in 1916 to $350,297 537 in 1917 and to $392,975,557 in 1918, an increase of $279,697, 520 in the three years. The percentage of increase the first year was 215, which dropped to 12 in the last year. The total taxes yielded from these incomes increased from $2,643,697 in 1916 to $13,447, 453 in 1917, and to $21,575,479 in 1918, an increase of $18 931,782 in that period.

Statistics of the sources from which the incomes in Texas were derived show that $179,120,318 came from wages and salaries, and $87,-971,920 from business. The other sources given in the table are: partnerships, estates and trusts, $39,804,-321; profits from the sale of real estate, stocks and bonds, $19,495,-477; rents and royalties, $47 915,260; dividends, 1913-1917, $3,512,480; dividends 1918, $36,110,023; interest an investment income, $27,213,076, making the total income $441,143,-431. With general deductions, the net income was $392 975,557.

Texas Ranks Ninth.

Texas ranked ninth among the states in tax yield, being exceeded only by California, Illinois, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Jersey, New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Texas corporations filed returns showing net incomes for the year 1918 of $1244,123,481. This added to the $392,975,557 personal returns makes a total of $517,099,038, or 2.13 per cent of the total net income of the nation. The total net income tax feturns paid by individuals and corporations in Texas amounts to $56 035,068, or 1.31 per cent of the nation's total.

The year 1917 was the banner year for Texas corporations, the 1918 figures showing a decrease both in the number of returns, the net income and the tax paid, and but a slight increase over the figures for 1916. The money of corporations filing returns in 1916 was 8,693, in 1917, 9,039 and in 1918, 8,198. The net income of corporations reporting in 1916 was $123,581,835, $208,191,-837 in 1917 and $124,123,481 in 1918.

Corporations Show Gain.

The tax yield from Texas corporations showed a marked increase during the last year, which of course can be accounted for in the increased tax rate. In 1916 the taxes paid amounted to $2,852,067, in 1917 $36,-004,391, and $34,459 589 in 1918.

The number of joint returns of husband and wives, with or without dependent children, and husbands whose wives, though living with them, filed separate returns from Texas, was 74,734, with a net income of $293,557,872. The number of single heads of families, was 7,605 net income of $20,320,217. ber of single women, heads , was 3,089, with a net $12,281,875. All other ling returns numbered net income of $45,-other single women with a net income of number of wives turns from their with a net in-997.

KILBANE READY TO GIVE CHANEY AND CO A CRACK AT HIS FEATHERWEIGHT TITLE



Kilbane, at right, and Andy Chaney, in center, and Charlie Beecher, who want a chance at Johnny.

Johnny Kilbane, who has held his featherweight title for eight long years, has just completed arrangements with Tex Rickard in New York to risk said crown against the pick of the latest crop of aspiring feathers. He has signed for three fights at Madison Square Garden against any opponents Rickard picks. The last time New York especially and some other sections decided Kilbane had held the title long enough they decided George Chaney could turn the trick. Kilbane K. O.'d Chaney in three cantos. Now Johnny's eastern "friends" believe Andy Chaney, Sammy Sieger or even Charlie Beecher, whom Chaney recently beat, can drop Johnny. One or more of this crew will get a chance.

ALLIES AGREE ON ALL POINTS TOWARD HUNS

PARIS, Jan. 29.—Full agreement on reparations, German disarmament and all other important questions before it was reached by the supreme council of the allies when it adjourned this evening to meet again in London Feb. 21.

The greatest result obtained was, as M. Briand, the French premier, expressed it, "maintenance by the allies of a front as united in making peace as it was in waging war." Count Sforza, the Italian foreign minister, and M. Briand said the conference had resulted to the satisfaction of everybody concerned.

A protocol was signed approving the reparations scheme as agreed by the special committee appointed by the council to consider the subject and also the report on the disarmament of Germany as presented by the military committee.

Under these arrangements Germany must disarm by July 1, disbanding all her civic guards not provided for in the Versailles treaty.

Germany will be called upon to pay in 42 annuities on a sliding scale 226,000,000,000 gold marks. Her exports will, in addition, bear an export duty of 12 per cent that will go to the allies. On the basis of last year's exports this would give the allies 1.250,-000,000 gold marks, or 12 per cent of whatever money in which the exports are paid for. Thus, it is estimated the first payment made by Germany will be 3,250,000,000 gold marks, the export tax being paid entirely in cash.

It is pointed out that, besides being a sure method of collection of the reparations, it will act as a protective tariff in countries that are neighbors of Germany, which are likely to be flooded with goods, made in Germany, at a very low cost of production, because of the relatively low value of the mark and which consequently can be offered in foreign markets at very low prices in foreign money.

The penalties agreed upon by the council for violations by Germany will apply to all the agreements alike—reparations, disarmament and coal deliveries. A strong feature of the reparations plan, from the French point of view, is that it associates the allies in the benefits of Germany's prosperity.

According to the terms of the arrangement, the annuities and export taxes are payable semi-annually. Discount for advance payments will be 8 per cent for the first two years, 6 per cent for the third and fourth years and 5 per cent thereafter. Germany is forbidden to establish foreign credits without the approval of the reparations commission.

The supreme council's decisions were communicated to Germany tonight.

In the attempt to aid Austria it was agreed that the allies should forego reparations, the cost of the army of occupation and certain other Austrian debts to the allies, in order to enable Austria the more easily to obtain outside aid. It was also decided to convene, in the neighborhood of Triest, a conference of Austria and adjoining countries for the purpose of endeavoring to improve economic, commercial financial and political relations between the central European states.

Approval was given to M. Loucheur's proposal for a 2,000,000,000 franc corporation to assist Austrian authorities in which the different governments may participate. A commission will be appointed to inquire into the conduct of the Austrian administration with a view to suggesting economies and improving the various services.

The British prime minister expressed lively satisfaction over the fact that the allies had maintained their solid front. In taking leave of his colleagues, he said:

"We shall be glad to try to give you in London as cordial a welcome as we received here and we hope that you will be able to confront the London fog all the more courageously since the fog of the conference has been dissipated."

Varsity Club Is Promised Good Program

since the organization of the University club is promised members and citizens who may become members at the next regular affair at Tuesday noon, when a "programme extraordinaire" will feature the entertainment.

The committee in charge of publicity refused to give a full list of numbers on the program, saying that fuller details will be made known in the Tuesday morning edition of The Record News, and urge that every member come and bring at least one new member or friend and encourage him to become a member.

Members say that the last regular luncheon broke all records for attendance and that in a few weeks the club is expected to become the largest and most active organization of its kind in the city.

The partial program for the Tuesday luncheon, as announced, is: An address by A. H. Britain, "The Common Law Trust:" address by H. L. Hunter of the Empire Mortgage company, "Farm Loans:" vocal solo by Mrs. F. C. Barron, with Mrs. A. H. Britain as accompanist.

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The location of all games scheduled on Sept. 16, 17 and 18 is left to the clubs leading on Sept. 10, receipts to be split.
Wichita Falls vs. Houston at Corsicana June 30. Galveston at Houston May 21, split 50-50. San Antonio at Houston June 4, split 50-50. Galveston at Beaumont June 4, split 50-50. San Antonio at Dallas, June 21, split 50-50. Dallas at Wichita Falls Aug. 15, split 50-50. June 6 off day for Wichita Falls and Shreveport.

SPORT SNAP SHOTS
BY JACK KEENE

No boxer presented with a license to operate under the Walker boxing law in New York state ever created such an impression in filling out his reference blank as did Bob Martin, the A. E. F. and interallied heavyweight champion, whose application for a permit to box in that state was approved by the boxing commission and licensee committee recently.

In accordance with the rules laid down in the blanks, a boxer must name five men who will sponsor him as regards character and ability. Martin's application contained the names of President-elect Warren G. Harding, General John J. Pershing, United States Senator Howard Sutherland of West Virginia, David Marvin Goodrich of the Goodrich company, former A. E. F. colonel and member of the advisory board of interallied games, and Scotty Montieth, manager of boxers.

General Pershing complimented Martin upon his knockout of Captain Cougill of the Australian forces in the final contest staged in the Pershing stdium on July 4, 1919, when he won the A. E. F. heavyweight championship. General Pershing was present at Camp Custer December 1919, when Martin knocked out Bill Bresnahan in one round. The army champion became acquainted with the president-elect during the latter's campaign for the presidency.

Charles "Babe" Adams, the veteran Pirate hurler, is the oldest pitcher in the major leagues today, in point of years of steady playing and age. Despite his age—he is thirty-seven years old—he seems to be improving with each year of playing for he shows more control of the ball as one season laps the other.

For instance, last year he took part in thirty-five games, pitched 263 innings and permitted only eighteen bases on balls, a little over one-half a pass per game. "Old Man Control" as he is referred to around the big circuit, faced 1,035 batsmen during the season and permitted only one in every fifty-eight to get to first base by the pass route. Even this was an improvement upon the previous year when he pitched to 1,017 batters and walked twenty-three. This is a record of forty-one passes in two years or less than many a p[illegible] has for only half a season.

In one stretch during the 1920 season "Babe" ran fifty innings without giving one passport to the first sack.

Not even Christy Mathewson in his best days made such a control record as Adams holds. And Big Six was known as the greatest of all in controlling the spheroid.

Only once during the entire season did Adams show any wildness at all. This was against the Giants when he was having an off day. He permitted three passes, one-sixth of his total for the entire year.

Adam's control and his knowledge of opposing batters made him one of the most valuable pitchers in the National league. He ranked next to Grover Cleveland Alexander in efficiency, allowing only 2.12 earned runs per game.

Back in 1909 Adams, almost single-handed, won the world's series for Pittsburgh, beating the Tigers in three games.

In 1909 Adams, besides his other achievements, also was high man for shutouts, with eight to his credit. Alexander was second with seven.

Bill Friel to Run Tulsa Club Entry

By Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 29.—Bill Friel, former manager of the American Association baseball clubs at Columbus, Milwaukee and St. Paul, announced here today that he had signed a contract to act as business manager this season for the Tulsa, Okla., club of the Western League.

Sioux City Club Turns Down Bid

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Jan. 29.—An offer of George Segrist of Sioux City to purchase Sioux City's franchise in the Western League was refused by the board of directors of the Boosters' Athletic Association today.

It was unanimously voted to keep the club under the present owner.

GOVERNMENT WILL GIVE GARDEN SEED UPON APPLICATION

Free government garden seeds may be obtained by any citizens who applies by mail to Congressman Lucian W. Parrish at 171 House Office building, Washington, D. C., according to a letter received Saturday by The Record News from the congressman.

The communication said that, due to the limited supply of seeds on hand, packages will not be indiscriminately mailed to every resident of the district. There are plenty of seeds to supply those who really desire and will use them, according to the letter.

OIL STANDING IN NO. 1 WELL SEAY-CRANFILL

Oil was standing half way up the top of the hole in the Larkin, Seay & Cranfill No. 1 Burnett Saturday evening, according to late reports from the field. This is the second well in the new 950-foot sand, opened up by the Gulf.

The cement plug was drilled out Saturday afternoon, and the hole was barely cleaned out when the oil began rising in the hole. Those coming from the well Saturday night were of the opinion that the oil would be running over the top of the casing within a few hours.

This well was drilled into the sand with a small bit to the depth of a foot before the casing was set. The drilling in will take place today or Monday, it is stated, the well being shut down Saturday evening as soon as the hole was cleaned out.

Saturday night reports showed the Gulf's second test, 460 feet south of the discovery well, to be beyond the depth for this sand, the depth being reported 985 feet Saturday. The discovery well got the sand at 977 feet, but the elevation accounts for the difference between this and the Larkin et al. well, sand depth, 953 feet. The Gulf's second test is lower in elevation, but the derrick was said to be built off the ground in such a manner as to account for several feet difference. However, with all these allowances the present depth is such as to make it appear improbable that this sand would be found. Drilling is continuing for the 1,400-foot sand, which is usually found on the Burnett ranch, wherever the shallower sand is found.

W. B. Larkin's No. 1 Parker, offsetting the Gulf well to the north, was drilling Saturday evening around 350 feet, and reports from the Hammond test, a half mile to the southeast of the discovery well, show it drilling around 400 feet Saturday. The test of Sam Kruger and Ryner & Bailey, a short distance southwest of the two producers, is also reported drilling around 400 feet.

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DAILY FINANCIAL, OIL AND MARKET NEWS

GRAIN COTTON

EGGS DECLINE $1 PER CASE ON LOCAL MARKET

Eggs continue shaky in the local wholesale market, a drop of $1 a case in the selling price to retailers being reported. This makes the present price $16.00 a case. All of the eggs now on the market are fresh, there being none of the candled variety offered.

Poultry continues very active with a strong market. No changes of any importance in other lines in the local jobbing circles are reported.

The following prices were obtained at the opening of the day's business from representative sources and can be relied upon as accurate, although subject to constant fluctuation.

Fresh Vegetables.

Selling prices in Wichita Falls to retailers: Celery $1.25@1.50 a dozen; cauliflower, 16@18 cents a pound; egg plant 20 cents a pound; spinach, 10@12½ cents a pound; lettuce, $4.50 a crate; turnips, 4 cents a pound; cabbage 2½ cents a pound; yams, 5 cents a pound; onions, 2½@3½ cents a pound; parsley, 75 cents a dozen bunches; mustard, 80 cents a dozen bunches; potatoes, $2.20 a hundred pounds.

Fresh Fruits.

Selling prices to retailers: Bananas, 9 cents a pound; limes, $1.50 a basket; lemons, $6.00 a box; grapefruit $6 abox; oranges, California naval, $5 and $5.50.

Flour and Meal.

Selling prices to local retailers: Flour, extra high patent, $11.00, basis 192 pounds; high patent, $10.50; 192 pounds; bakers, $10.00, 192 pounds; meal, 70 cents a 25-pound sack.

Canned Vegetables.

Selling prices to local retailers: Asparagus, fancy quality, No. 1, round tips, small white, $3.00; small green, $2.75; large No. 1, round, white, $3.35; green, $3.10; stringless beans, No. 2 fancy, $2.50; No. 2 standard, $1.65; corn, extra fancy, No. 2 $2.20; standard, No. 2, $1.40; kraut, fancy No. 2, $1.75; sweet potatoes, extra fancy, No. 2½, $2.35; tomatoes, standard, No. 2, $1.10; No. 2½, $1.50; okra and tomatoes, fancy No. 1, $1.10; No. 2, $1.75.

Sugar and Syrup.

$6.15; Sorghum, No. 10 cans, $5.95; No. 5 cans, $6.10. Cane blended, No. 10 cans, $5.75; No. 5 cans, $6.00.

Beans and Rice.

Selling prices to local retailers: Dried beans, California navies, small, white, 5½ cents a pound; California pink beans, 6 cents a pound; blackeye, 8 cents a pound; pinto 5½@6½ cents a pound; limas, 8@8½ cents a pound. Rice, fancy head, 8 cents a pound; Blue Rose, 7 cents a pound.

Canned Fruit.

Selling prices to retailers: Sugar, beet, $8.00 a 100 pounds; pure cane $9.50 a 100 pounds; Louisiana plantation, $9.50 a 100 pounds. Syrup, Louisiana pure, No. 10 cans, $6.00 a case; No. 5 cans, $6.25 a case; No. 2½ cans, $6.50; Georgia pure cane, No. 10 cans $7.00 a case; No. 5 cans $7.75; corn syrup, No. 10 cans, $4.80 a case; No. 5 cans $5.00; No. 2½ cans.

Selling prices to retailers: Apricots special extra, No. 2½, $5.50; No. 1 tall, $3.00; extras, No. 2½, $6.00; extras, No. $5.50; standards, No. 2½, $4.90; No. 1 tall, $3.50. Cherries, Royal Anne, special extras, No. 2½, $6.60; No. 1 tall, $3.75; extras, No. 2½, $6.50; standards, No. 2½, $4.75. Pears, Bartlett special extras, No. 2½, $6.60; No. 1 tall, $3.70; extras, No. 2½, $6.50; No. 1 tall, $3.70. Peaches, yellow cling, halves, special extras, No. 2½, $5.75; extras, No. 2½, $4.75; No. 1 tall, $3.15; sliced yellow cling, special extras, No. 2½, $5.75; extras, No. 2½, $4.75; No. 1 tall, $3.15. Grapes, Muscat extra, No. 2½, $3.45. Red raspberries, No. 10 solid pack, $21.50.

Evaporated Fruit.

Selling prices to retailers: Apples, California extra, 50-pound boxes, 12½ cents a pound. Apricots, choice, 30 cents a pound. California peaches, 25-pound boxes, choice, 23 cents; fancy, 24½c; extra fancy, 25½ cents. Raisins, 15-ounce choice, 27 cents; 1-pound, floated Muscatels (nearly seedless) 25-pound bulk, 24 cents; Thompson's bleached seedless, 25-pound boxes, choice 24 cents. Prunes 40-50s, 25 cents a pound; 50-60s, 22 cents a pound.

Canned Milk.

Evaporated, baby size, 6 dozen a case, $4.50 a case; 3 dozen a case, $6.00; tall, 4 dozen a case, $6.65. Compound, baby, 8 dozen a case, $4.60; 4 dozen, tall, $4.75 a case. Sweetened, condensed, 2 dozen $6.50 a case; 4 dozen, $9.50 a case; No. 10 confectioners' milk, ½ dozen to the case, $5.40.

Oil and Shortening.

Shortening, Tierces, 13 cents; 100-pound metal drums, 13½ cents. White oil, tanks, 10½ cents. Peanut oil, tanks per pound, 15½ cents.

Onion Sets and Seed Potatoes.

Onion sets, $1.50 to $1.75 a bushel. Seed pottoes 3½ and 4½ cents a pound.

Canned Fish.

Selling prices to retailers: Salmon, fancy Alaskan sockeye, 1 pound, a dozen $5.40; ½ pound, $3.40 a dozen; fancy red, 1 pound, $4.10 a dozen; ½ pound, $2.65 a dozen; tall pink, 1 pound $2.10 a dozen; tall chum, 1 pound, $1.80 a dozen. Sardines, California, oval cans, 1 pound, $5.00 a case; ½ pound, $4.20 a case; Maine quarters in oil, keyless, ¼-pound cans, a case, $5.25; smoked, with keys, in cartons, $11.00 case; Norwegian, ¼-pound, in olive oil, $17.00@19.50 a case. Tuna, white meat, 1-pound, 6:15 a dozen; ½ pound, $2.60 a dozen; ¼ pound, $2.10 a dozen; albacore tuna, ½ pound, $1.75 a dozen; ¼ pound, $1.15 a dozen.

Dairy Products.

Prices to local retailers: Butter, creamery 50 cents a pound; cottage cheese, 15 cents a pound; milk, 65 cents a gallon; buttermilk 40 cents a gallon; single cream $2.40 a gallon.

Poultry and Eggs.

Prices paid by local jobbers to interior shippers: Hens, 24 cents a pound; roosters, 12 cents a pound; broilers, 30 cents a pound, turkeys, 35 cents a pound; ducks, $4.00 a dozen; geese, 15 cents a pound; eggs, 45c a dozen.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Butter lower; creamery extras, 46½c. Eggs lower; receipts 6,845 cases; firsts 51½@54c. Poultry alive, unchanged.

NEW YORK COFFEE

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The market for coffee futures was slow today with fluctuations correspondingly lower. The opening was three points lower and the close was net unchanged to 2 points higher. January 6.36; March 6.61; May 7.03; July 7.43; September 7.80; October 7.92; December 8.15.

Spot coffee was reported in fair demand with prices unchanged at 7 to 7 1-4 for Rios 7 and 9 3-4 to 10c for Santos 4s.

The official cables reported to the Rio market unchanged to 25 reis lower and Santos unchanged to 125 lower. Brazilian port receipts 34,000; Judiahy receipts 22,000; Victoria cleared 6,700 and Santos 45,900 bags for the United States.

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Stock	Number of Sales	Last Sales
xBid.		
xAmerican Beet Sugar		48
American Can	5100	32¾
American Car and Foundry	100	124¼
Amer. Hide & Leather, pfd.	500	45½
Amer. International Corp.	1900	46¾
American Locomotive	500	85
American Linseed	1900	62
Amer. Smelting & Refining	1900	40½
American Sugar	200	93¾
Amer. Sumatra Tobacco	800	81¼
American Tel. & Tel.	2100	99¾
American Woolen	400	67
Anaconda Copper	700	39¼
Atchison	700	82¾
Atlantic Coast Line	300	85
Atl., Gulf & West Indies	300	69¾
Baldwin Locomotive	2400	89¾
Baltimore & Ohio	900	34¾
Bethlehem Steel "B"	1800	57¾
Canadian Pacific	1800	118
Central Leather	500	41
Chandler Motors	800	72½
xChesapeake & Ohio		59½
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	500	28¾
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	2900	27¼
xChino Copper		22¾
Coca Cola	300	23¾
xColorado Fuel & Iron		29
Corn Products	200	72¼
Crucible Steel	1800	94¾
Cuba Cane Sugar	200	22¾
Erie	300	13½
General Electric	600	128¾
General Motors	3800	15
Great Northern, pfd.	1500	75¾
Gulf States Steel	1600	35¾
Illinois Central		90
Inspiration Copper	400	35
xInt. Mer. Marine, pfd.		54½
International Nickel	1100	15¾
International Paper	900	s 61¼
Kennecott Copper	900	19⅞
Louisville & Nashville	100	101½
Mexican Petroleum	8600	158¾
Miami Copper	100	18⅝
Middle States Oil	5100	13½
Midvale Steel	200	31½
Missouri Pacific	900	19¼
New York Central	500	72¾
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	1900	31⅝
Norfolk & Western	200	101½
Northern Pacific	9400	86¼
Oklahoma Prod. and Refining	700	7⅝
Pan-American Pehroleum	600	75¼
Pennsylvania	500	41¾
Pittsburgh & W. Va.	200	20¼
Pure Oil	1200	35¾
Ray Consolidated Copper	400	14⅜
Reading	5700	67
xRepiogle Steel		74⅝
Rep. Iron & Stel	1000	67
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	1200	66¾
St. Louis and San Fran	600	22⅛
xSeaboard Air Line		6⅝
xSeaboard Aid Line pfd.		11⅜
Shell Trans. & Trad.	400	42⅝
Sinclair Oil & Refining	6600	24⅝
xSloss-Shef. Steel & Iron		53
Southern Pacific	1000	93½
Southern Railway	1300	23
Southern Railway, pfd.	100	59
Standard Oil of N. J., pfd.	100	108¾
Studebaker Corporation	17400	58¾
Tennessee Copper	200	9
Texas Co.	1600	43
Texas & Pacific	8900	21½
Tobacco Products	4600	55¾
Transcontinental Oil	600	10
Union Pacific	900	119¾
United Fruit	2600	103
U. S. Food Products	3600	26
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	500	69½
U. S. Retail Stores	300	56½
xUnited States Rubber		69¾
United States Steel	5200	83¾
United States Steel, pfd.	100	110½
Utah Copper	3400	57
Vanadium Corp.	900	37⅛
Virginia Caro. Chem.	300	24¾
Western Union	300	86¾
Westinghouse Electric	300	45
Willys-Overland	2700	8¼
Total Sales 288,200.		

COTTON FALLS ON WEEK-END LATE TRADING

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 29.—Small advances were made in the early trading in cotton today, after which the market fell off until it stood at small net declines, mainly because of week-end liquidation from the long side. While the offerings from this course were small, they came on a market that had little buying power. Last prices showed net losses of 3 to 8 points.

The early demand was due, for the most part, to a favorable opinion of the course of international politics and to the clearance from Galveston of 41,672 bales of cotton for foreign export. The strong rise in French exchange and signs of an easier money market in this country also helped values.

Later, however, the ring was able to absorb only small offerings, as the result, apparently, of unfavorable comment regarding the apparent falling off in the inquiry in domestic cotton goods markets.

NEW YORK COTTON.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The cotton market was quiet today, with fluctuations irregular. There may have been a little buying early on the announcement that the allies had agreed on the German indemnity, but it was not an important factor in the immediate market, and much of the business was attributed to evening up for over the week-end, or switching from March to the later months. The general list closed barely steady at an advance of 4 points to a decline of 18 points.

The market opened firm at an advance on the strong early ruling of foreign exchange, which, traders thought, might be connected with the news from Paris. There was some trade and Wall street buying as well as covering, but the demand was supplied by Southern and Liverpool selling and prices soon turned easier. The earlier week selling of March was followed by some covering this morning and that position was relatively steady, while July sold down.

Week-end reviews of the goods market confirmed recent reports of less active business. Sales of print cloths at Fall River were estimated about 100,000 pieces, considerable falling off as compared with recent totals. Mill curtailment was placed at only 110,000 pieces, however, and many mills are supposed to have booked enough orders earlier in the month to keep them running until the first of April. Manchester advices reported buyers holding off.

Read Wichita Hardware ad in this paper. They are selling a carload of dishes at cut prices.—Adv.

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COARSE GRAIN GOES TO NEW LOWER LEVEL

CHICAGO, Jan. 29—Coarse grains sold at a new low figure today as the result of depressing economic and financial reports. The failure of an Argentine bank, combined with a failure in Washington and the general condition of business was the main influence in making the lower range. The sentiment was very bearish and with a lack of support, the break easily was attained. At the finish, wheat was off 2½c to 3 1-4c, with March $1.62 3-4 to $1.63 and May $1.50½ to $1.50 3-4. Corn was 1 1-8 to 1 3-8c lower and oats declined 5-8 to 3-4c. January pork closed 77½c higher, while all other provisions ranged from 12½ to 22½c down.

Wheat was around 4c at the low point as compared with yesterday's finish, with numerous sharp rallies. There was some buying power in evidence, but on the break, more or less profit-taking by shorts developed. The government's report on wheat stocks as of January 1 continues to puzzle the trade.

Reports indicated that the movement of coarse grains was to let up as indicated by a decreased call for cars, arrivals at terminals are still comparatively large, with primary receipts of the past week the largest of the season.

Provisions were easier with grains which more than offset the effect of an advance in hogs.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
Mar.	1.62	1.64¼	1.61	1.62¾
May	1.51	1.53	1.49¼	1.50¼
CORN—				
May	.65¾	.66¼	.65¾	.65¾
July	.67½	.68¼	.67¼	.67¼
OATS—				
May	.42¾	.43¼	.41⅝	.41⅞
July	.42¼	.43⅜	.42	.42¼
Pork—				
Jan.				22.50
May				22.70
LARD—				
Jan.	12.97	13.00	12.87	12.87
May	13.62	13.65	13.50	13.50
RIBS—				
Jan.	12.00	12.00	11.75	11.75
May	12.45	12.45	12.25	12.25

KANSAS CITY GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Cash wheat: No. 1 hard $1.61@1.65; No. 2 $1.61@1.64; No. 1 red $1.55; No. 2 $1.50@1.52.

Corn: No. 2 mixed 56c; No. 2 white 56c; No. 2 yellow 57c.

Oats: No. 2 white 43½c; No. 2 mixed 43c.

Rye: $1.45.

A bad wound, burn or cut should be cleansed of dirt or impurities and dressed with Liquid Borozone. It heals the flesh with marvelous speed. Price, 30c, 60c and $1.20. Sold by your druggist.—Adv.

SELECT ISSUES MOVE FREELY ON EXCHANGE

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Movement of selected issues mainly upward comprised the only diverting features of today's dull and uncertain stock market. Oils, equipments, motors and chemicals were most conspicuous at gains of 1 to 4 points. Investment rails failed to follow up their spirited advance of the preceding session. Easing on profit taking and standard industrials, including United States Steel, were sluggish.

Individual features of strength embraced Associated Oil, Mexican Petroleum, Chicago Pneumatic Tool, Continental Can, Pressed Steel Car, Gulf States Steel and United Fruit.

There was a further accumulation of New Orleans, Texas & Mexico at a substantial gain, and Louisville & Nashville, Texas & Pacific and Denver & Rio Grande preferred were moderately strong.

Sales amounted to 275,000 shares.

French and Belgian rates of exchange were active and materially higher, their advances being attributed to the reported agreement on the reparations Germany will have to pay to her former enemies. Dutch and Spanish rates also rose, but sterling bills were unchanged.

The clearing house report showed a decrease of almost $63,000,000 in actual loans and discounts, a decrease of about $13,600,000 in reserves of members at the federal reserve bank, a decrease of slightly over $80,000,000 in net demand deposits and a moderate loss of excessive reserves.

The bond market was of the usual week-end character, liberty issues easing with moderate strength on rails.

Total sales, par value, $6,476,000.

Old United States government bonds were unchanged on call for the week.

RESERVE BANK STATEMENT.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Resources and liabilities of the 12 federal reserve banks at the close of business Friday, January 28, were reported tonight by the federal reserve board as follows:

Resources:

Total gold held by banks, $664,692,000.

Total gold reserves, $2,106,137,000.

Total reserves, $2,319,974,000.

Total earning assets, $2,908,853,000.

Total resources, $5,561,727,000.

Liabilities:

Total gross deposits, $2,238,317,000.

Total liabilities, $5,861,727,000.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Prime mercantile paper 7¾@8; exchange firm. Sterling 60-day bills 3.81¾; commercial 60-day bills on banks 3.91¾; commercial 60-day bills 3.80⅝; demand 3.85; cables 3.86⅝.

Francs, demand 7.18; cables 7.20.

Belgian francs, demand 7.51; cables 7.53.

Guilders, demand 38.97; cables 34.07.

Lire, demand 3.73; cables 3.74.

Marks, demand 1.74; cables 1.75.

Montreal 10⅝ per cent discount.

Government bonds easy; railroad bond steady.

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xBid.	
xU. S. 2s, registered	98
xU. S. 2s, coupon	99
xU. S. 4s, registered	102
xU. S. 4s coupon	102
American Smelting & Refining 6s	77½
American Tel. & Tel cv. 6s	94¼
Atchison gen. 4s	78¾
xAtlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	79
Baltimore & Ohio cv. 4½s	69¼
Bethlehem Steel ref. 8s	85½
xCentral of Georgia Consolidated 5s	82
Central Leather 5s	92¼
Chesapeake & Ohio cv. 5s	82⅝
Chicago, B & Quincy joint 4s	87¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. cv. 4½s	69
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. ref. 4s	
City of Paris 6s	96¾
Colorado & Southern ref 4½s	74
xDenver & Rio Grande consol. 4s	64
xDominion of Canada 5s (1931)	87½
Erie gen. 4s	42⅜
Illinois Central ref. 4s	78½
Int. Mer. Marine 6s	81¼
Kansas City Southern ref. 5s	75
xLiggett & Myers 5s	83¼
Louisville & Nashville un. 4s	82¼
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	59
Missouri Pac. gen 4s	25¾
New York Central deb. 6s	91
Norfolk & Western cv. 6s	101
Northern Pacific 4s	78
Pennsylvania gen. 5s	89¾
Reading gen 4s	81¼
xRepublic Iron & Steel 5s (1940)	84
St. Louis & San Fran. adj. 6s	65
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s	25¾
xSouthern Bell Tel. 5s	81½
xSouthern Pacific cv. 5s	93¾
Southern Railway 5s	68
Southern Railway gen. 4s	61
Texas & Pacific 1st	89¾
Union Pacific 4s	83
U. King. of G. B. & I 5½s (1937)	87
U. S. Steel 5s	94¾
xVirginia Car Chemical 6s	93
xWabash 1st	88
xWilson & Co. cv. 6s	86

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s $2.00; first 4s $7.70; second 4s $6.50; first 4¼s $7.20; second 4¼s $6.76; third 4¼s $8.92; fourth 4¼s $7.00; Victory 3¾s 97.56; Victory 4¾s 97.34.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—There was no change in local raw sugar prices which are quoted at 3 7-8c for Cubas c. a. f., equal to 4.89 for centrifugal but the undertone was unsettled, and there were further offerings at quoted prices without finding buyers. The market for refined was quiet with trading of a hand to mouth character, as buyers were inclined to be cautious, owing to the unsettled conditions in the spot market. Prices were quotably unchanged at 7.50 for fine granulated.

Sugar futures were a little steadier, although there was only a small trade, as operators generally were inclined to hold off owing to the unsettled conditions in both the raw and refined markets. Closing prices were 2 to 5 points net higher. January closed at 4.03; March 4.09; May 4.23 and July 4.40 all bid.

It Spain women have had the right to study at the universities since the thirteenth century, but it is only in recent years that they have availed themselves of that right to any extent.

RECEIPTS AT FORT WORTH ARE SMALLER

FORT WORTH, Jan. 29.—Receipts of both cattle and hogs were small today and the market was not put to a quotable test. Only 100 head were on offer in the cattle yards and nothing good was included in the showing. The trade was a nominal affair. Hogs sold at prices that looked fully steady. A few head of a choice sort went at $9.50 and other deals were within a general range of $9.00@9.50. Pigs sold at $5.00@7.75; steady values. Hog receipts including pigs reached about 12.50 a head. Nothing was on sale in the sheep house.

For the week heavy steers are steady. Light steers look 25 to 35c lower, cows and heifes and yearlings are steady; bulls shows a decline of 25c; light calves have gained 50 c and heavy calves show a steady trend. The hog market is 50c higher, but pigs are unchanged. With the exception of an advance of 25c for ewes the sheep and lambs trade remains steady. Quotations follow:

Cattle—Beeves $5.00@7.50; stockers $5.00@6.50; cows $3.00@6.50; canners $2.00@3.00; heifers $3.00@7.50; bulls $3.50@5.25; calves $4.00@10.00; yearlings $5.00@6.75.

Hogs—Light $9.40@9.55; heavy $9.25@9.40; medium $9.00@9.25; mixed $8.50@9.00; common $5.00@8.50; pigs, $5.00@7.75.

Sheep—Lambs $5.00@10.00; yearlings $5.00@8.00; wethers $5.00@7.25; ewes $2.00@6.00; culls $1.00@3.00; goats $1.00@3.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Cattle 250 head. For week: Beef steers mostly 25@40c lower; better grades she stock 50@75c lower; others steady to 25c lower; canners steady; bulls 25c lower; vealers steady; stock calves and heavy killing calves weak to 50c lower; stockers and feeders mostly 25c@50c lower.

Hogs 500 head; active, generally steady; part loads to traders $9.50; top to packers $9.45; bulk of sales $9.40@9.45.

Sheep 500 head. Compared with a week ago: Sheep and yearlings weak; lambs 25@40c lower.

ELECTRA PICKS WICHITA FALLS FOR C. C. MEET

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Jan. 29.—In answer to a referendum from the Texas Chamber of Commerce as to where the next annual meeting will be held, the local organization voted for Wichita Falls. It is the belief that the meeting of the state chamber should be held in Wichita Falls, in order to bring about a better spirit of co-operation between East and West Texas.

J. T. Lick, a local jeweler, is advertising for a first-class safe-cracker. He turned the inner combination of his strong vault several days ago, and experts from Dallas have not been able to reach the inner sanctorium, where he has couched his finest jewelry.

A deal has been closed between W. P. Lincoln and Prince Brothers whereby the latter purchased a lot 50 by 150 feet on Main street, where they will erect a modern brick building. The new building will cost around $15,000 and will be occupied by the J. F. Robertson Motor Sales company, which will be a new business firm for this city.

One hundred and thirty Mexican farm laborers have been brought here from South Texas to be used in picking the cotton for farmers in this territory, by the Chamber of Commerce. Funds to finance the picking of 600 bales were raised among the business men of Electra and are advanced to the farmers without interest.

A committee is conferring with cotton brokers over the country to find a market for the cotton, which is principally of a low grade, due to staying in the fields so long. It is estimated that the move will save over $25,000 worth of cotton that would otherwise have gone to waste.

The grain fields of France are to be battle grounds for mortal combat between the icerya, an insect which is threatening to devastate large cultivated areas, and the Australian ladybug, known to scientists as the vidalia cardinelis, which proved its fighting capacity against the icerya in California, where Mr. Riley, now of the California department of agriculture, used it to save harvests. The greatest difficulty in destroying the icerya pest is that the female are more prolific than the Australian ladybug, and lay as many as 150,000-000 eggs a year.

Thugs was the name of a religious fraternity in India known as far back as 1290, which committed murders in honor of a famous wife of a king and lived on the proceeds of their plunder, receiving protection from local princes by a division of their spoils.

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Mr. Allen and Mr. Foster are now drilling their second well and it is their intention to eventually drill a cable test to the deeper sands.

The location of this new strike is more than favorable for a NEW BIG POOL and it is believed by old timers to be only another link in the chain of pools connecting the old Electra pool with Petrolia's Great Gas pool. Take your map and follow me through the following pools from the Piper west of Electra and we find Piper, thence east Sec. 15 H. & T. C., Waggoner, Stringer, Bywaters, Woodruff-Putnam, (where the discovery well was drilled), Honaker, Red River, Sunshine Hill, South Clara Pool (sometimes called Ramming pool), Schultz Farm and many other pools comprising the Electra-Burkburnett and Texhoma fields—the latter the last field east in this chain running clear across Wichita county and extending a great distance into the adjoining counties both east and west.

Now will the Ashland pool prove as prolific as these others, Five noted geologists went on record before the Ashland was discovered, in saying so. Dr. Johnson paid his dollars for this ranch, believing so. Reese S. Allent went strong enough to drill a well, and every one's belief became a reality. The question is how large is this pool. Five eminent geologists believe this big dome on the Ashland ranch contains the mother pool that has been feeding the small pools in this vicinity. The well is estimated to be making better than one hundred barrels per day at approximately 1330 feet; better than $300 per day, or $10,000 per month.

Mr. Allen is an old timer and has shown his faith by his works. The very fact that he is now going to drill a cable tool test will make these leases advance as the drill descends. The real oil man likes for his leases to line up. Take your map and see if this new extension does that.

Prices will be made to anyone interested and will be subject to change from time to time as conditions warrant. Remember there was no effort to dispose of this acreage until after we had a real oil well. The acreage being sold is Mr. Johnson's portion. He hasn't the time nor the experience to develop his property. The prices will be conservative in order to get development, for it is the royalty that he wants.

I have, in addition to my city office, 602 City Nat'l. Bank Bldg., opened a temporary office at the well, realizing the sale of these leases requires personal inspection of the property itself. Parties may get in touch with me at either of the above offices or at 814 Kemp Hotel.

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

GENUINE FORD PARTS
Why take a chance on inferior parts when you can get genuine Ford parts from us. We carry a complete stock of everything used on a Ford and can supply your every want. Call us when in need of service of gasoline for our delivery car carries an extra 40-gallon supply at all times. We back our solgan; "YOU MUST BE SATISFIED.
Motor Supply Co.
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USED CARS FOR SALE
Five Ford touring cars.
Five Ford roadsters.
One Ford roadster (tool pusher.)
One Ford speedster.
Three Ford one-ton trucks.
These cars are all in good shape and are sold under our usual guarantee.
"You Must B Satisfied"
Motor Supply Co.
Phone 6857 Sixth and Indiana.

1920 FOR touring, excellent bargain for $390. Deans Motor Co., 607 Ohio. Phone 6328.

WANTED—Ford roadster; will trade 3-stone diamond ring. Dean's Motor Co., 607 Ohio.

7 HELP WANTED—MALE

COLORED men, $2.00 pants offer; $5.00 suit offer. Write for free samples and styles. Knickerbocker Tailoring Co., Dept. 1115, Chicago.

BE A detective, $50 to $100 weekly; travel over world; experience unnecessary. American Detective Agency, 628 Lucas, St. Louis.

WANTED—Two A-1 salesmen, permanent position; call in person Room 217 American National Bank Bldg. Monday and Tuesday after 8 a. m.

MEN wanted for detective work, experience unnecessary. Write J. Ganor, former U. S. government detective, St. Louis.

10 Situations Wanted—Male

WANTED—Work; eight years experience bookkeeping, pay master, purchasing agent for contracting firm. Address Box W-31, care Record-News.

YOUNG man, reliable, energetic and with some experience around machinery, wants position; now employed; best of references. Address 123, care News.

EXPERIENCED salesman desires permanent position with a reliable firm; have had eight yeas grocery, two years, hardware and one year furniture experience. Can furnish best of references. Rex Brinson. Write B. L. Rettig, or call at 721 Ohio for particulars.

11 Salesmen & Agents—Wanted

WANTED—Salesman to travel Wichita Falls and Amarillo territory; strictly on commission basis; no advances until ability is shown; commissions payable weekly on accepted orders; high class American manufacturer's china ware line. Apply Monday, B. M. Wilzin, Room 311, Kempt hotel.

SALESMAN WANTED—Selling supplies to shoe repair shops; commission basis; majority salesmen earning an average $60 weekly; exclusive territory if satisfactory. Dallas Leather Shoe Finding Co., 504 N. Harwood St., Dallas, Tex.

LADY or gentleman agent wanted in the city of Wichita Falls to sell the genuine J. R. Watkins medicines, spices, extracts, toilet preparations, etc. All or spare time. A wonderful opportunity to get into business for yourself. Write today for free particulars and samples. J. R. Watkins Co., 60, Winona, Minn.

TEN salesmen wanted. Texfield Oil company, 721 Ohio. Call 2 p. m.

WANTED—Live wire agents for Accident and Sickness Policy; total cost $18 per year; no assessments; no dues. Policies issued to men and women between the ages of 16 to 65 years in all occupations; liberal commission. For further information, write Box 866, Iowa Park, Tex.

12 DRESSMAKING

PLAIN and fancy dressmaking; work guaranteed. 302 Fifth St.

HEMSTITCHING and picoting attachment; works on any sewing machine; easily adjusted; price $2.50, with full instructions. Gem Novelty Co., Box 1031 Corpus Christi, Tex.

FANCY dressmaking, remodeling and tailoring. 911 Eleventh. Phone 2136.

DRESSMAKING—All work guaranteed. Telephone 5929.

GUARANTEED sewing. Phone 2069.

13 PERSONAL

MONEY to loan. Booth 11, Basement American National Bank Bldg.

CANCERS, Tumors, sores, Goitre, piles, fistula. Write for testimonials of cures. Box 917, Dallas, Texas.

14 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE or trade—Tailoring and cleaning and dyeing business, well located in Wichita Falls and making money. Must sell immediately as out of town business needs my attention. Will show receipts as to amount of business done. Address Box 4444, Record News.

WANTED—Short loan of $3,000; will pay 25 percent for 90 days; best of collateral as security. If you have not got the money don't answer. Box W-25, care Record News.

15 WANTED—Houses & Apts.

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

17 ROOM AND BOARD

TENTH STREET.
For rent to married couple without children, attractively furnished east front bed room in quiet modern home, adjoining living room, bath and telephone. Lovely meals in private home; only 2 blocks away; garage if desired. Phone 2295.

ARCHER INN, 1104 Scott street, is open again under new management. Nice rooms and a good place to eat.

VIRGINIA ROOMS—Rooms for working men; home-cooked meals; individual beds, with or without meals. 1209 Ohio Ave. Phone 2294.

20 Rooms For Rent—Furnished

IF YOU desire a nice bedroom with bath and all conveniences in private home, call 6486-W Sunday or after 5 on week days.

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, with or without garage; phone and bath; walking distance; also on car line. 1202 Burnett.

FOR RENT—Bedrooms, fire and bath connected. 1308 Broad. Gentlemen.

FURNISHED room—Large front room adjoining bath; modern; for one or two people; walking distance; also street car. 1208 Broad. Phone 6140.

TWO nice furnished bedrooms in modern home on car line. 1717 Ninth.

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished bedroom, outside entrance; on car line at 2209 Ninth St. Phone 2480.

NICELY furnished front bedroom in private home; privilege of using kitchen. Phone 2608.

ROOMS down town, $7 and $8; wardrobes, gas stoves in every room; hot water at all hours; 5 doors east of St. James hotel. Pullman hotel, 607½ Seventh St.

DESIRABLE bedroom for gentlemen or employed couple; garage; on car line. 2411 Ninth St.

FOR RENT—One or two well furnished bed rooms for two or four gentlemen; bath and telephone—1504 Fourteenth St.; rent very reasonable.

FOR RENT—Nice front bedroom in private family, close in. 1101 Lamar.

FOR RENT—A nice furnished bedroom with all conveniences. 705 Eleventh. Phone 6632.

FOR RENT—Two nice bed rooms; board if desired. Phone 6576.

LOVELY front bed-room and garage; half block of pavement. 1406 Polk. Phone 2069.

FOR RENT—Bedroom; also garage. 1406 Scott. Phone 2086.

FOR RENT—Elegantly furnished room, 104 E. Seventeenth street, just off Lamar; $5 per week for one or $7 for 2. Phone 6653.

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FOR RENT—To married couple without children, attractively furnished east front bedroom in quiet, modern home, adjoining living room, bath and telephone. Lovely meals in private home only two blocks away. Garage if desired. Phone 2295.

FOR RENT—Furnished, desirable, upstairs bedroom, hot and cold water; use of phone; gentlemen only. Phone 6294, Bluff St.

NICE front bedroom nicely furnished; modern; garage if desired. Phone 6922.

FOR RENT—Modern bedroom, close in on pavment; all conveniences, telephone etc. 1000 Burnett.

NICEST furnished rooms in town, all rooms connected with baths, close in, very desirable; garage if desired. 706 Travis. Phone 6084.

22 Light Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Two nice housekeeping rooms, modern, to couple without children, garage if desired. Phone 2654. 1606 Holliday St.

22 Light Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Servant house and garage, equipped with gas and electricity. Phone 2596.

FOR RENT—One large front room furnished for light housekeeping, reasonable price. Address 208 Travis.

THREE light housekeeping rooms, close in. Phone 6141.

FOR RENT — Three-room furnished apartment, modern, front and back entrance; close in. 1011 Seventh St.

NEW MELBA—Two connecting furnished rooms suitable for housekeeping, modern conveniences. 705 Bluff St.

FOR RENT—Small house furnished for light housekeeping, lights, gas and water furnished. Apply 312 Lee St.

DESIRABLE room with housekeeping privileges, to refined couple. 2306 Ninth St.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping room. 604 Scott Ave.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, one $15 per month, one $20 per month. 201 Travis.

23 Houses & Apts.—For Rent

TO RENT you a house furnished or unfurnished. Call 5895, or call at 810 Ninth St.

FOR RENT—Nine-room furnished home, completely furnished, linen, silver, etc.; garage, servants; on car line. Phone 5148 Ingo & Lovelace.

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished apartment over double garage. Phone 6603. Call at 512 City National Bank.

FOR RENT—Four-room furnished home on best part of Eighth street, one block from car line, $30 per month. Phone 5143. Ingo & Lovelace.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished, new modern, 6-room home on Fillmore, garage and servant quarters, $75.

Six room modern, with garage, on Tenth, completely furnished, $100.

Three rooms, unfurnished, with bath, on Seventeenth, $40.

Helgeron Bros., 914 Scott. Phone: Office 5404. Home 2476.

FOR RENT—Six-room house at 1606 Taylor street; has good garage; house in splendid condition. See D. M. Hardy. Phone 5328.

FURNISHED five-room modern house, one block Southland street car and pavement, for rent to responsible people. 1405 Britton.

FOR RENT—New five-room house, one block car line, one block paved street. 2216 Buachanan. Also new six-room, strictly modern duplex house. 2205 Eighth St. C. C. Jones. Phone 3675.

SIX-ROOM house, 1103 Lamar, for rent. C. McGuire & Co., Basement City Nat'l.

FOR RENT—Good, strictly modern house 709 Travis. Phone 5618. W. E. Friese.

HOUSES FOR RENT—Seven-room house, shady yard, 205 Lamar, $45 or 3 months for $150 in advance. Other small houses for rent or sale. Phone 2256 evenings or Sunday.

FOR RENT—One 5-room house on Austin, partly furnished and one unfurnished. Phone 6532.

TENTH STREET
For rent—To married couple without children, elegantly furnished 3-room (bedroom, dining room and kitchenette) apatment, south and east exposure, quiet modern home; living room and bath privileges; garage, if desired. Phone 2295.

FOR RENT—Feb. 1, six-room, modern house, close in on Austin street; party renting house can get the furniture at less than half price. Terms. Phone 6972.

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment adjoining bath, front and back entrance 1004 Lamar.

FOR RENT—Three-room, modern apartment furnished; private bath, front and rear entrance, close in. Phone 6926.

25 Business Locations—For Rent

OFFICES in Harrison Everton building at 714 Seventh street, for rent. Inquire Office No. 6.

FOR RENT—Store room 906 Indiana Ave., next to Olympic theater, where Electric company is now, will be for rent Feb. 1. M. O'Reilly, 714½ Ninth St.

26 FOR RENT—Miscellaneous

STOCK pasture eight miles west of town. Phone 2286.

28 POULTRY, EGGS, SUPPLIES

BABY CHICKS from select pure bred stock; single comb White Leghorns (English), Anconas, single comb Reds, Barred Rocks; also table chicks, Brooks Hatchery, Denton.

BABY chicks, eggs; pure bred Leghorns, Rocks, Reds, Orpington, Wyandottes; best laying strains, postpaid, reasonable prices. Catalogue free. Missouri Poultry Farm, Columbia, Mo.

29 Wanted To Buy—Miscellaneous

IF YOUR home, automobile or lot is for trade, rent or sale phone 5143.

WANTED to buy—First class rat Terrier dog; must be well trained ratter and reasonable in price. Answer P. O. Box 444.

WANTED—We have several buyers for lots not to exceed $5,000 in price, with reasonable cash payment. Phone us at once if you want to sell. Curlee & Johnson. Phone 6521.

WANTED to buy—Small rooming house, 12 rooms or more; must be close in and desirable location. Phone 5895. Call at 810 Ninth St.

HAVE two buyers with $700 to $1,000 cash as first payment on modern 5 or 6 room home. Phone 5895, 810 Ninth St.

WANTED—To pay cash for Dodge, Buick and Ford cars worth the money; have White truck for sale or trade. Douglas & Robertson. Telephone 6202. 1005 Lamar St.

WANTED—Roll top desk, used, cheap for cash. Box R-26, care Record News.

WANTED TO RENT
We want to rent your property for you. We bring the customer to you in person and our charges are small.
CURLEE & JOHNSON
Phone 6521

30 MISCELLANEOUS—For Sale

A LIVE rat trap trained ferrets for sale. We guarantee them to work or refund money; bank reference. Write J. J. Shine, 959 S. Wichita St., Wichita, Kan.

SHOW CASES—STORE FIXTURES
Latest models, lowest prices; quick delivery; ask for prices. Superior Show Case Co., 2200 Browder St., Dallas, Tex.

FOR SALE—Good saddle horse 6 years old this spring, weight between 850 and 900 pounds; saddle included. Inquire Sinclair Oil and Gas company, Bob Waggoner Bldg.

A. O. HANSON, 1106½ OHIO
will make your razor and shears cut. Safety blades reground, best grinding in the southwest.

31 Furniture & Household Goods

PHONE 6902 when you want to buy, sell or exchange furniture and stoves. The same O. L. Ross that bought, sold and exchanged furniture with you for two and one-half years at the Star Exchange Furniture Co., 819 Indiana.

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

32 MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Spinning wheel to be used in a play. Will pay for use of same. Phone 2329.

WANTED to rent—Furnished house. Phone 5895. 810 Ninth St.

FOR SALE—Two (2) good tool houses for sale. Tel. 2788.

A NEW harness store; harness, collars, saddles, gloves at wholesale prices. Factory Outlet Co., 815½ Indiana Ave., Wichita Falls.

33 MACHINERY AND TOOLS

HAVE two first class rotary rigs; will put in one or both on drilling wells in uniform territory, percentage basis. Room 425, American Natl. Bank Bldg.

WANTED—Three standard rigs in Burkburnett or Northwest field. W. W. W. Fresor, 816 City National Bank Bldg. Phone 5071.

TANK BUILDERS
We dismantle as well as erect; get in touch with us. We can sell your tanks dismantled; tools now on ground at Burkburnett. Phone, write or wire THE GARRISON-LEE SUPPLY & CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC.
PHONE 4617 606 MARKET ST.
SHREVEPORT, LA.

HAVE a car of 4½ EB tubing; will sell at cost. Phone Landon at 6523, or call 424 Commerce Bldg.

FOR RENT—ONE 4ET HYDRAULIC JACKS—Either 30 or 100 ton adjustable; with spider and slips for all size pipe.

FOR SALE—Three sets of rig irons, all new, $1,500 cash; also several str-ngs of 3½-inch cleaning out and swabbing tools. PHONE 56, BURKBURNETT, TEXAS. Henry M. Ray & Son, 113 W. Main St.

FOR SALE——4-INCH PIPE 48c; 3-inch, 35c; 2-inch 1.800 test, 17c; 2½ tubing, 45c; 5 3-16, 35c; 4½-lbs, 2-inch tubing, new, in any amount. Call us before buying.
BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO.
Phone 176. Corner Fifth and Ave. B.

WANTED to buy—1,800 feet 4-pound, 2-inch tubing; will pay 10 cents for used tubing; also want to buy 40 acres shallow lease with 3 or 4 wells. Address Box T-10, care Record News.

34 OIL—GAS—MINERAL

CAN YOU certify a $2,000 check Monday? Two shallow oil wells with proven acreage for $8 more; will guarantee profit or resale or furnish drilling rig for part interest. 308 City National Bank Bldg.

BEST BUY in Wichita today. Texfield Oil company stock. 721 Ohio Ave, 1,000 shares $70.

WILL SELL oil and gas leases in 10-acre block, on big structure, where two wells are drilling and contracts let for two more. This acreage received for geological work. Four 10-acre blocks one mile from well; price $15 per acre; four 10-acre blocks two miles from well; price $8 per acre. If interested, write or wire at once, Joe Jicha, Rocky, Okla.

FOR SALE—Four shallow producing wells, Electra field, offsetting Magnolia company famous Piper lease; attractive price; good terms. Lyons & Kleinman, 202 City National Bank Bldg.

WANTED—Oil production in Burk townsite and Northwest Extension. If you are interested in cash, call phone 2419 or address us, Apple & Brandeberry, 421 American National Bank Bldg.

BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO. PHONE 176, ON AVE. B AND FIFTH ST., PAYS HIGHEST PRICES FOR CASING, LINE PIPE, JUNK PIPE, CORKED TUBING. SEE US BEFORE SELLING.

HYDRAULIC JACK FOR RENT; ALL SIZES SLIPS, BEST EQUIPMENT IN THE FIELD.
ROY CALVERT.
222 OHIO STREET. PHONE 2885. 423 AVE. B, BURKBURNETT, TEX.

35 OIL LAND LEASES

FOR SALE—Forty-acre lease, 7 producing wells 250 feet deep, producing from 4 to 8 barrels daily, per well; deeper wells producing on both sides of property; prices and terms right; complete drilling outfit on property; just the thing for company needing production. Seeowner B. T. Tuckett, 214 Oil Exchange Bldg.

SACRIFICE 60-acre oil lease east of Electra, $25 per acre; 40-acre lease south of Clara, $15 per acre. Louis Bernstein, Westland hotel.

A LIVE one with money, an automobile or a spudder can really deal with owner on sure shot shallow production. Start something. Box 1481, City.

WILL drill wells on percentage basis in proven territory. You furnish acreage, we the money. Ask for McKee, Room 425 American Natl. Bank Bldg.

HAVE some desirable acreage around East Wichita well; will sell cheap. 806 Eighth St.

FOR SALE or lease—3 lots in southwest quarter Section 31, 2½ miles southeast of Electra, surrounded by productions. What do you offer me for them? Address P.O. Box 186, Kingston, Tex.

FOR LEASE—Right next to the Joyce or Ashland Co. well, plenty of acreage. See C. Dean, Rt. 2, Box 61, for particulars. C. Dean.

20-ACRE lease, 2 years to run from December, form $8, $1 acre rentals. Wichita county between K. M. A. and Mattie Parker shallow production; all around for $1,000, worth 10 times that. R. HADDAWAY, North Fort Worth. Phone Prospect 534.

WILL SELL 5,000 acres about one mile west of Kouri well, at real bargain. Call at room 909 Kemp Hotel.

LISTEN! Owners wish to sell at once 20-acre lease, two wells in shallow producing field; room for many more wells where production is certain. Room 4, Hines Bldg. Tel. 2494. Wichita Falls, Tex.

38 Farms & Ranches—For Sale

MISSOURI—$5 down, $5 monthly buys 40 acres truck and poultry land near town southern Missouri. Price $240. Send for bargain list. Box 169, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

FOR SALE—Black land farm of 174 acres in Cook county, Texas. For further particulars write Box W-100, care Record News.

40—REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Lot 50x150; two 3-room houses all newly painted and neatly finished; lot all fenced; some shrubbery and ideal garden spot; located on east side. A dandy home for little money. This is without a doubt the cheapest place in the city at $1,650, $550 cash will handle, balance to suit. J. A. McElyer, rear 302 Mississippi St.

FOR SALE—Four-room modern house at 1600 Magnolia street. Phone 2758 or apply on prem ses.

FOR SALE—House and six lots in Sibley-Taylor; priced right; terms. Phone 2788.

AM LEAVING the city. I will sell at a bargain the complete furnishings of our three-room apartment. Practically new, gray painted breakfast room; Reed living room set; ivory dressing table and chiffonier and draperies, rugs and dishes included. Phone 6622, 1707 Eighth St.

FOR SALE—Residence and rooming houses, farms, vacant lots, in and out of Wichita Falls; some to trade for Wichita property, and Wichita property to trade for outside property. Some Oklahoma farms to sell or trade for Wichita Falls property. Some good Wichita Falls property to exchange for 5 or 6 room house, well located in Dallas or Fort Worth. If you have anything to sell or exchange, or you want to buy you should see C. B. Wolf, 1014 Kemp Blvd., or phone 2027.

SHALLOW PRODUCTION.
28 acres Texhoma field, 3 wells producing 12 barrels daily.
10 acres Petrolia field, 7 wells producing 10 barrels daily.
38 acres, Petrolia field, 18 wells making 809 barrels monthly.
$300 acres, Electra field, absolutely proven, offset by producing wells.
10 acres, Petrolia field, 4 wells making 8 barrels daily.
These properties are priced right and will give leberal terms. C. A. Parker, Room 16, Hines Bldg. Phone 2256.

WANTED—Direct from owner a modern 6 or 7 room home, must have three bedrooms, must be on desirable paved street and, above all, must be priced right for all cash. If you want to sell, phone us early. CURLEE & JOHNSON, PHONE 6521.

$15,000, NINTH ST. paved; 7-room, modern, 2-story stucco home; hard wood floors; built-in features; French doors; large closets; nice lawn, trees; garage; servant house, modern. Will make good terms or trade this place for larger place and pay difference. Phone 5143 for appointment. Ingo & Lovelace, 610 Eighth St.

PAIR east front lots on Hays street, 140x150 feet $3,000. Ingo & Lovelace. Phone 5143.

$5,500 MONROE street—6-room modern home on pavement; all the latest built-in features; large closets; garage; nice east front lot, $2,000 cash; can't buy lot and build for the price. Phone 5143. Ingo & Lovelace, 610 Eighth St.

$3,000—Four-room modern home, plastered, on good part of Seventh street; brick fireplace, mantle; will make terms to suit any purse. Phone 5143. Ingo & Lovelace, 610 Eighth St.

EXCEPTIONALLY good buy, 24-room rooming house close in; good money maker, reasonable rental; can make some excellent terms. 5895. 810 Ninth St.

44 LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.
The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Robert Burns by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next term of this court and answer herein, for judgment dissolving the marriage relation now existing between them for absolute divorce, cost of suit and general and special relief. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 27th day of January A. D. 1921.
A. F. KERR, Clerk District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By EUNICE JACKSON, Deputy.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the matter of the receivership of Roger Oil corporation, in cause No. 34,766, style C. A. Otis et al. vs. Roger Oil corporation, pending in District court of Tarrant county, Texas, the court has entered its order requiring all creditors to intervene and file claims with I. T. Valentine Esq., master in chancery, Nos. 604-616 Wheat Building, Fort Worth, Texas, on or before and not later than Feb 24, 1921, or forever be barred from prosecuting or probating such claims.
All creditors, general and lien, are therefore notified to file said claims duly verified on or before Feb. 24, 1921, or be forever barred.
WALTER L. MORRIS,
Receiver Roger Oil Corporation, 605 Wheat Building, Fort Worth, Texas.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.
The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be posted for 10 days, exlusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof) in three of the most public places in Wichita county, one of which shall be at the courthouse door, and no two of which shall be in the same city or town, copies of the following notice: The State of Texas to all persons interested in the welfare of Worth Bradley Pettit, aged 18, Malcolm Curtis Pettit, aged 16; Hawley Murrah Pettit, aged 11, all boys, and Lottie Pauline Pettit, aged 14, girl, minors; Know ye that Mrs. M. C. Pettit has filed in the county court of Wichita county, an application for Letters of Guard anship of the person and estate of said minors which will be heard at the next term of said court commencing on the first Monday in February A. D., 1921, at the courthouse thereof in the City of Wichita Falls, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minor, may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so. Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court this writ with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, Jan. 24, A. D., 1921.
W. T. HARRIS, Clerk County Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By M. F. YEAGER, Deputy.

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You are hereby commanded to summon Laura Virginia Rose by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in March, A. D., 1921, the same being the seventh day of March, A. D., 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the eighth day of January A. D., 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 9937-B, wherein O. L. Rose is plaintiff and Laura Virginia Rose is defendant, and said petition alleging: That plaintiff and defendant were married Nov. 4, 1888, and lived together until Nov. 1, 1916, when by reason of incompatible temperaments they were separated and since that time have never lived together as man and wife, and that they have been separated for over three years. Wherefore plaintiff prays for divorce, cost of suit, etc. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 13th day of January A. D. 1921.
A. F. KERR, Clerk, District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By BONNIE ZETZSEHE, Deputy.

Spot Cash
For Oil in Storage
WRITE
Box 984
Burkburnett, Texas

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RECEIVER'S SALE
The State of Texas, Wichita County:
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order made by the honorable districte ourt of Wichita county, Texas, in the 78th district court by Hon. Judge Ed Napier, judge presiding on the 21st day of January, A. D., 1921, appointing J. M. Williams as receiver of the Iona Drug store, in the above entitled and numbered cause, and directing him as such receiver to sell at public sale between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. for cash, all the goods, wares and merchandise, now owned by the Iona Drug store, Burkburnett, Tex; also the equity in lease on the said drug store. On the 1st Tuesday in February A. D., 1921, same being the first day of said month, and to make a report of said sale into the court during its present term for approval, stating the name of the purchaser, and the price received for same.
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DIPLOMATIC BILL STRIKES OPPOSITION

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—A growing wave of discontent over the new system of framing big appropriation measures broke in the house today with unexpected fury.

The upshot of it all was the virtual riddling of the eight million dollar diplomatic and consular bill. The bill was cut to pieces on points of order, which eliminated funds intended for conduct of the American business abroad.

There was no general attempt to wreck the bill. Members simply sought to register violent opposition to the manner of its framing.

The attack served as a warning of what may be expected next week when the house begins consideration of the army and the navy appropriation bills. It gave leaders cause for serious thought as to whether the supply measures could be put through before the close of the session.

Heretofore, the diplomatic bill has been prepared by the foreign affairs committee in intimate touch with needs and requirements of the service. The same rule applied to other committees, but under the new system, the ranking republican and democratic members of the foreign affairs committee, for example, were transferred to a consolidated appropriation committee of 35 members.

This method virtually eliminated the chairman of the committee so far as he was authorized to take any personal part in a supply bill's preparation. The republican member transferred became head of the particular sub-committee on appropriations which tended to make him a more powerful figure on the floor than his former chairman. Jealous of their old powers, some chairmen and committeemen, it was said, made no attempt to conceal animosity or desire to take a whack at the bill.

Palestine Man to Head 'Older Boys'

By Associated Press.

COLLEGE STATION, Tex., Jan. 29.—Earl Selman, Palestine, was elected president, Lawrence Moore, Houston, vice-president and John Brazelton, Corsicana, secretary-treasurer, at a business meeting today of the

JOHNSON IS OPPOSED TO JAP TREATY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29. — Open attack on the proposed agreement between Japan and the United States as to the status of Japanese in this country, was made by Senator Johnson of California, today in a statement criticizing what, he said, was provided for in the tentative plan worked out here by Ambassadors Shidehara and Morris.

The plan is now before the two governments and has not been made public in Washington or Tokio. Senator Johnson declared, however, on the basis of statements "from authoritative sources" as to its provisions that its result would be "a continuance of Japanese immigration and increase in the Japanese population in the west."

Secretary Colby, who conferred during the day with President Wilson, refused to make "casual" answer to the senator's statements. The Japanese agreement, he said, has not been discussed during the White House conference, and he added that Senator Johnson, while "undoubtedly sincere" was "proceeding from a number of erroneous assumptions" in what he said.

Mr. Colby has just finished reading the draft agreement submitted by Ambassador Morris. The two ambassadors completed it during his recent visit to South America.

Senator Johnson said the plan would in effect "abrogate and destroy" the alien land law recently voted by the people of California. It would, also, he said, provide as to Japanese exclusion for another "so-called gentlemen's agreement which does not exclude."

Such a situation, the California senator said, was "intolerable," and he added:

"Consummation of such a plan will be resisted."

Decorated With Bright Red Rose Engraved on Face

Sporting a bright red rose with eight painful petals engraved on his cheek by a woman"s finger nails the proprietor of a downtown drug store has sworn off shaving for one week, according to his own declaration. Being questioned concerning the cause of the decoration the wearer refused to divelge whether it was a fad, a brand from some new and strange secret society or inflicted unexpectedly.

A woman employe of the drug store declared, however, that the "rose" was inflicted by an elderly woman during a battle in which the proprietor of the drug store was vanquishing an employe of the woman. She declared that the wearer of the decoration had his opponent down on the sidewalk and that the woman entered the fray in the defense of her employe.

Turn Back Three Players to Enid

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Benny Martin, outfielder, and John Kerns and Pete McQuire pitchers of the Kansas City American Association club, who were taken from the Enid Western association team last year on approval, were turned back to Enid today, according to John Savage, secretary of the club.

Wilson to Receive Debs' Pardon Plea Data Monday

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Attorney General Palmer's recommendations on the question of a pardon for Eugene V. Debs, now serving a term at Atlanta for violation of the espionage laws, were expected by department of justice officials today to reach President Wilson Monday.

Ad Leaguers Will Debate On Open Shop

"Resolved, That the Movement for the Open Shop Should Be Supported by Public Opinion."

With the above as a subject, students of the Wichita Falls High school will take part in a debate before the members of the Ad club at that body's regular meeting at the Kemp hotel Monday noon. Joe Bashara and Mortimer Clopton, who upheld the negative side of the question so capably last week against the debating team of the Oklahoma City High school, will advance the affirmative arguments, while Hollis Clark and Will McClure will try to convince the Ad club members that the negative side of the question is correct.

The Phonograph shop, 803 Indiana avenue, will furnish special music during the luncheon, with C. A. Rogers in charge of the program. All members of the club are urged to be at the Kemp promptly on time, as a big attendance is expected.

DAKAN NAMED CHIEF DEPUTY FOR SHERIFF

Announcement of the appointment of H. C. Dakan to succeed H. T. Lanier as chief deputy under Sheriff Fred Smith was made Saturday by County Attorney John Davenport.

Dakan will be sworn in on the first of the month and will at that time assume full charge of all detail work in the sheriff's department. Keeping of all records and service on papers from the various courts will be under his direct supervision.

It was reported that Lanier will be placed in active duty with other deputies of the department.

Dakan has made his home here for a number of years and is well known in local fraternal circles. During his time here, he has been identified with the mechanical end of the newspaper business and at one time was interested in a job printing plant.

He served for some time as office deputy under ex-Sheriff Bob McFall, and is said to be well fitted to manage the affairs of the department.

During the past several months he has been connected with a newspaper at Eastland, later serving as assistant chief of police there.

Wagers Shows Will Not Be Opened Today

"Yes, I'll take him for his $5, and will even go him $10," declared Tom Smock, acting chairman of the Wichita county committee working on funds for the relief of the starving children in Europe.

Tom's statement was with reference to a wager, which, it was reported to him, was advanced by a Wichitan, who is inclined against Sunday picture shows, and who offered to bet that the Sunday shows for the benefit of the starving children to be given today would not take in enough in the free will offering to pay expenses, had there been expenses.

The shows will start at 3:30 p. m. Only one show will be given. The shows will be given at the Olympic, Majestic and Gem theaters.

Implicated in Holdup; Given 5 Years in Pen

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—An indeterminate sentence of from 10 to 21 years was imposed in Kansas City, Kan., today on Joseph Miller, found guilty of implication in the holdup August 6 last of a messenger of Wilson & Co., packers. The bandits obtained $3,179.

SOMETHING PRETTY IN NEW NEGLIGEES



Something decidedly new in the negligee line is shown here. It is built on the lines of a cloak and is made of crepe meteor satin trimmed with novelty ribbon called "cloud o' glory" because of its shading. The ribbon forms the edging of the hem and front, quaint little sleeves and a soft cowl-like collar.

OLD ADMIRAL DIPS FLAG TO GRIM REAPER

By Associated Press.

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 29.—Admiral Edward T. Taussig, retired, died at the naval hospital here today after a long illness. He was 74 years old and was born in St. Louis.

Rear Admiral Taussig was graduated from the United States naval academy in 1867 and a year later was commended for service during an earthquake at Arica. During the latter days of the Spanish-American war, while a captain commanding the Bennington, he took possession of Wake Island for the United States. He afterward served in executive posts in the Philippines.

During his term of shore duty, Rear Admiral Taussig had commanded the Pensacola, New York and Norfolk navy yards. He was retired in 1909.

ALAMEDA IS SELECTED AS WESTERN BASE

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—An agreement definitely recommending Alameda, Calif., as the site for the new Pacific base and for location of other subsidiary west coast naval bases, was reached today by a subcommittee of the joint congressional committees considering Pacific bases.

Controversy over locating the general fleet of Alameda was settled and the sub-committee completed its report for presentation to the full committee next Monday.

The sub-committee also confirmed previous recommendations for location of an aviation base at Sand Point, Washington, a submarine base at San Pedro Calif., and destroyer and aviation bases at San Diego.

Casinghead Gas Man Now Has His Hour

The hour for the casinghead gas man has struck and keeps on striking in the Northwest pool, and in several of the older sections in the Wichita Falls district. At one time looked upon by many operators, careless in the big returns for big investments, and thinking little of the moderate returns from the casinghead gas, as a sort of person to be easily accommodated and gotten rid of by allowing a connection between his vacuum plant and the wells of the producer, he is now considerable in demand. The decreasing rock pressure in the field is responsible. As the rock pressure does down in proportion to the life of the field the pressure of the vacuum plant becomes more necessary for the maximum production.

If the producer's neighbor has a vacuum with a greater pressure than his own, the producer's neighbor gets the producer's oil, or a portion of it, in addition to his own.

So the casinghead plants are being literally besieged with applications for connections, some at considerable distances further away than they have ever operated before, and even at distances further than they can operate from their vacuum plants. Verily, this industry is now in a flourishing condition.

MAN KILLED WHEN AUTO TURNS OVER

J. V. Chears, aged 25, cashier for the Manhattan Producing company, 801 Commerce building, this city, was instantly killed Saturday night at 11 o'clock, when the automobile in which he with another man and two girls was riding, turned over in the ditch four miles out from Burkburnett, according to a party giving the name of A. L. Armstrong, of the Kansas and Gulf company, who came upon the party immediately after the accident occured.

The dead man's body was taken to Burkburnett, Mr. Armstrong stated. None of the other members of the party, who refused to give their names, were injured, outside scratches and bruises, it is said. One of the girls was understood to have been driving, and the car overturned on a curve in the road.

Mr. Armstrong was coming to Wichita Falls in a roadster. Several automobiles going to Burkburnett, stopped shortly after he reached the scene of the accident, he said, and the dead man and the other members of the party were taken to Burkburnett in one of these cars.

FISCAL REPORT SAVES COUNTY MANY DOLLARS

The fiscal year report system, which was inaugurated by County Auditor Pat Murphy in 1919, requiring all county officials to render a report of finances at the end of each year, has not only saved Wichita county several thousands of dollars during the past year, but has also been a real source of revenue, according to a report Saturday from Auditor Murphy showing that approximately $20,000 has been paid into the county treasury during 1920 in excess fees.

This is the first time in the history of Wichita county that money has been paid into the treasury by county officers, the report stated.

The $20,000 in excess fees represents all fees from the various county offices left over after officers salaries, employees salaries, and current expenses of the office have been paid from the revenues of the respective offices.

In accordance with the system, the excess monies will be turned over to the county treasurer to be placed in the general fund, out of which the current and running expenses of the courthouse and the county farm are paid.

Auditor Murphy established the system in December, 1919, the first fiscal year reports ever required by the county, and since that time it has met with success beyond all expectations.

His report Saturday also showed that $780,000 was the total expenditure of the county from all funds during the fiscal year ending December 1, 1919.

Debs Forsees Unification Of Populace

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 29.—Eugene V. Debs, several times socialist candidate for president and now serving a ten-year sentence in the Atlanta federal penitentiary for violation of the sedition laws, sees in the movement for feeding the children of Europe another "tendency towards the unification of the whole human race."

In a statement given out today by permission of the prison authorities, he declared that "since America went into the war, she is partly responsible for its results, and the deplorable conditions among the innocent children of central Europe are part of the inevitable aftermath of war which cannot be avoided or turned aside."

"Horrible as conditions are over there," he said, "I regard the situation as hopeful in one way—the old systems have been subjected to a trial which they cannot stand. We are on the eve of a new world."

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 1921

Appears in Concert



Miss Berenice Jackson, talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jackson, 906 Denver, gave her first concert program in Wichita Falls since her graduation from the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music last summer. Miss Jackson is the pupil of the noted Signor Tirindelli, and has received praise from music critics, both during her conservatory work and her study in New York, also with Signor Tirindelli.

ACCOMPLISHED LITTLE MISS



—Photo by Nossett

Miss Nell Lynn Gardner, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gardne, 1806 Elizabeth. Mr. Gardner is superintendent for the Gulf Production company in the Wichita Falls district, and his interest in oil is evdently shared by the young miss, who has picked an oil weekly to learn her alphabet from. Her accomplishments are many, despite her very tender years, and she dances, or sings to her own accompaniment, played on her "baby grand."

Prominent in Musical Circles



Mrs. Alex Britain is the director of the extension department of the Musicians club, and secured the organization of the Wichita Falls Symphony Orchestra as an allied department of the club, after months of preliminary organization. In addition to her musical and literary club work she keeps up her piano study and is recognized as one of the most able soloists and accompanists in the city.

Luncheon Wednesday Will Take Place of Civic League Meeting

A luncheon in the Kemp Hotel banquet hall will take the place of the February meeting of the Civic league, the luncheon to be held at 12 o'clock Wednesday, Feb. 2.

A program of novel features to supplement the business session is being planned by the entertainment committee of which Mrs. J. W. Stone is chairman. The musical numbers are being arranged by Mrs. Walter S. Robertson, a member of the entertainment committee.

A short business session, in which the department chairmen will outline their plans for the years work, will be held, with Mrs. T. B. Smock, the president in the chair. Mrs. Smock issues an invitation to all members of the league to turn in written suggestions as to work that the organization should undertake during the coming year. These suggestions will be discussed at the meeting. A general participation in this feature is urged.

Renewal dues for 1921 can be paid at this meeting, and also membes owing back dues are also asked to pay up. The new members who joined during the League's membership drive last fall are paid up through this year, the dollar payment at that time being applied on the 1921 dues.

Members may bring guests to this luncheon, it is announced, but all reservations must be in by Tuesday evening. Each member will pay for her own plate and for her guest, or guests. Reservations may be telephoned to either Mrs. J. W. Stone or Mrs. J. M. Isbell.

Baptist T. E. L. Class Entertained Thursday

Members of the T. E. L. class of the First Baptist church were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Whitten, 2306 Eighth street with Mesdames Whitten and J. R. Brunson as joint hostesses.

An informal program was given which included a song by Mrs. H. M. Young and a reading from O. Henry by Miss Bruce Dickson, both numbers being much enjoyed by the guests. In the short business session it was voted to launch a membership contest which will run three months with Mesdames Featherstone and Fred Carter as captains of opposing sides. The hosteses asisted by Mesdames J. L. Fox, A. W. West and Jim Grady, served a delicious salad plate to: Mesdames J. R. Brunson, teacher of the class; J. E. Ward class president; G. O. Howery, secretary; W. W. Murray treasurer; J. S. Dodd of North Carolina, R. C. Miller of Tulsa, Okla.; A. W. West, Jim Grady, Haddox, Wid Phillips, R. M. Wilhite, C. D. Whittty, Raymond Sherly, G. O. Howery, Bert King, V. E. Wrather, C. A. Henderson, Fred Morris, E. J. Bartells, Paul A. McMurdy, W. M. Scott, A. A. Norris, N. A. Baber, W. R. Little, R. E. Porter, B. M. Hester, C. H. Featherston, A. P. Barnett, H. R. Spencer, W. L. Ponder, Sheldon, G. P. Russell, R. L. Strawsbery, H. M. McClung, H. M. Young, F. D. Stout, L. E. Thomas, J. B. Neeb, Wolf, J. T. Abbott, George Coleman, A. W. King, H. N. Pounds, O. L. Powers, J. F. Moore, Gene Lynskey, Parker Simison, Tom Pearce, W. L. Scott, R. F. Carter, Ira B. Craig, L. P. Amason, J. C. Walkeer, Dave Sheepherd, W. E. Carter, R. D. McIver, E. B. Clifford, C. D. Shamberger, W. C. Ashford, J. W. Hunt, and J. A. Dixon, Miss Bruce Dickson.

Parents and Teachers Invited to Pie Social

Mrs. J. A. Pierce invites the parents and teachers of the Sam Houston school district to attend a pie social Tuesday evening at her home, 2407 Grant street. The women are asked to donate the pies which will be sold for one dollar each, the proceeds to be used to help buy a stove and dishes for the new school kitchenette, that the mothers' club may serve hot lunches to the pupils of that school. Various games will be played during the evening and a request is made that as many of the mothers and fathers will be present as possible.

Musicians Club Has Delightful Meeting

A splendid enthusiastic assembly greeted the Musicians club Thursday evening at its monthly open meeting at the Wichita club.

The program which was under the direction of Mrs. A. H. Britain was a well balanced one, and brought forth unrestrained applause throughout the evening.

The piano duo, "Don Juan Fantasie" by Lysburg-Mozart, which opened the program was given by Mesdames Van Woermer and McKnight and was a most pleasing number.

John Martin, local baritone favorite, in the rendition of the selection from Bruno-Huhn, brought forth much applause which demanded an encore.

Miss Marion Maer, one of the younger artists of the club rendered a violin number "Canzonettia" from Concerto, Opus 35 by Tschallowski which was well received. Piano solos 'Spanish Caprice" by Moszkowski rendered by Miss Annette Walsh and "Barcarolle" Opus 29, No. 1 by the same composer, were both beautiful interpretations and brilliantly executed.

Mrs. Fred C. Barron gave a dramatic rendition of Schubert's "Earl King" which was especially pleasing and well received. The stringed trio numbers "Andante Melodique" and "Serenade" with Mesdames Bruce Greenwood, violinist, A. H. Britain, pianiste and Mrs. Ellis, celloist, and the violin trio number, "Un Soiree en Famille by Leybach, by Misses Marion Maer, Raley and Greenwood, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Britain were pleasingly rendered and especially entertaining.

The dramatic version of "Madam Butterly" by Long interpreted by Mrs. E. L. Fulton was a wonderful partrayal of that character in the popular opera by that name and her singing and acting on "One Fine Day" by Puccini added much to the interpretation given.

The vocal duett, "Come Mllika" from the opera Lakme by Delies, given by Misses Dean and Roper, received favorable comment from the artists and the guests.

Miss Berenice Jackson, violinist, who renlered the "Hungarian Aire" by Tirindelli, displayed exquisite touch and expression and contributed much to the success of the splendid program.

Accompanists for the evening were Mesdames A. H. Britain, O. J. McKnight and Ernest Katz.

Girls Friendly Society Entertained at Dancing

The Girls' Friendly society of the First Episcopal church, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reid Thursday evening with a delightful dancing party.

The reception suite was beautifully decorated with pink and white carnations and the music was furnished by Prof. Frank L. Loew, local pianist.

Sandwiches, coffee and after dinner mints were served, with cigars for the men. Punch was served throughout the evening.

Those who enjoyed the affair were: Misses Gladys Roberson, Ruth Johnston of San Antonio, Faye Garrison, Dorothy Toney, Ruth Newman, Ethel Raney, Margaret Watson, Ruth Balkuna, Kodekeh, Lillie Corum, Violet Davis, Florence Jackson, Jenny Roberson, Florence Sammons, Florence Brown, Willis of Chicago and Gussie Kell. Messrs. Sayles Leath, Charlie Nolen, Carl Waelder, Charlie Paskins, Charlie Toney, Fast, McIntosh, Gurnsey, Goochman, Henry Robertson, Robert Nolen, Nick Carter, Getaler, Andrew, Joe Farabee and Chapman.

Friday evening at 8 o'clock, the girls will hold a business meeting at the parish house.

Mrs. Culp Entertains With Party for Nephew

Complimenting her nephew, Master Herbert Price, Mrs. A. W. Culp entertained a group of his friends with a matinee party at the Wichita theater Saturday afternoon followed by a pretty refreshment course served at her home 1610 Tenth street.

The table was tastifully decorated with the valentine motifs with red Kewpies forming an attractive center surrounded by hearts strewn over the table and red ribbons reaching from the guest plates to the chandelier. Dainty valentines were given for guest favors.

Refreshments consisting of red brick ice cream frozen in heart shape with cakes trimmed in the red were served to the honoree and Misses Doris and Reva Rae Brown, Kathryn Weeks, Lois Franklyn, Genevieve Shaw, Margaret Hines, Marjorie Lewis, Simmons, Mabel Drinkard and Doll Shubert. Masters Mack Thomas Jr., Ralph Harvey, Lester Evans, Walter Cline Jr., Joe Staley, John Harrell, James Protho, Robert Gohlke, Jimmy Mytinger and Erwin Cameron.

Mrs. Sherman Guest At Matinee Party

Mesdames J. C. A. Guest and W. J. Grisham entertained Tuesday afternoon with a matinee party, honoring Mrs. A. M. Sherman of Clarinda, Iowa who is the house guest of Mrs. N. H. Martin.

The party enjoyed the pictures at the Majestic theater, featuring Norma Talmadge in 'Pathea" after which they were served with refreshments at the Kemp hotel.

Thursday "500" Club Is Entertained by Mrs. Taylor

Mrs. Mack Taylor was a charming hostess to the "Thursday 500" club at her home 1406 Tenth street Thursday afternoon. In the interesting game that was played, Mesdames Clyde Gilcrist and Charles Preston won the favors. The hostess assisted by Miss Faye Green, served a delicious refreshment course consisting of sandwiches, Lady Baltimore cake, peach melba with whipped cream and hot tea to Mesdames R. N. Webb, Hill, Clyle Gilcrist, W. D. Gant, Grandberry, C. E. Clark, Charles Preston, Harry Jenkins, Misses Thelma and Stella Hill and Fay Green.

Announcements

The Ladies Aid society of the First Christian church will meet in regular socia session Monday afternoon atthe home of Mrs. W. L. Smith, 1909 Lucille at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. J. V. C. T. Christensen's division will be joint hostesses with Mrs. Smith and plans have been made to entertain 100 members and friends of the society.

The woman's auxiliary of the Central Presbyterian church will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for bible study.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist church will hold their regular business meeting at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Monday afternoon will be "Visiting Day" for the members of the woman's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church and there will not be a meeting of the women at the church. The auxiliary members will call on other members of the church instead.

Mrs. W. H. Alexander of Childress, Texas, presbyterial president of this district was the guest of honor Thursday at a luncheon given at the Kemp hotel by the executive board of the woman's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church. The honoree was presented with a beautiful corsage bouquet by Mrs. E. W. Nicholson in behalf of the Auxiliary board.

The Beta Delphian club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. S. Curlee, 2506 Tenth street Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The lesson subject will be "The French Opera."

The Major Francis Grice chapter of the D. A. R. will meet Saturday afternoon February 5 at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. W. Beaver at 2013 Huff avenue.

Miss Faye Garrison Wed to Carl Waelder

One of the prettiestand most interesting weddings of the winter was that of Miss Faye Garrison and Carl J. Waelder, which was celebrated with much beauty of detail Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Church of the Good Shepherd. The impressive ceremony of the Episcopal church was read by the Rev. Fred T. Datson, the rector. The altar was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns, smilax and cut flowers and the Lohengrin wedding march was softly played by Mrs. O. E. Maer, who also played the accompaniments. R. E. Shepherd sang the pre-nuptial solo, Cadman's "At Dawning."

The bride, who was given to be married by her twin brother, D. Ray Garrison, had a very charming group of attendants including her sister, Miss Mabel Garrison, maid of honor, and Misses Gladys Roberson, and Ruth Johnson of San Antonio, niece of the groom, bridesmaids. Mr. Waelder had for his best man, Charles Nolen. The ushers were J. Sayles Leach and Henry L. Bonlanz of Dallas.

Miss Garrison, the maid of honor, wore a pretty gown of turquoise blue taffeta with hat to match and carried a colonial bouquet of pink sweet peas. Miss Johnson wore a golden yellow taffeta gown embroidered in the raffia cornflowers, her bouquet was of corn flowers and yellow daisies. Miss Gladys Roberson wore a taffeta gown of the American beauty shade trimmed with embroidered baskets of violets in the raffia; both wore hats to harmonize. Miss Roberson carried a colonial bouquet of sweetheart roses and violets.

The bride was prettily gowned in white satin broadcloth, trimmed with silver ribbon and chantilly lace, with a court train lined with silver cloth. She wore a veil of illusion trimmed with lilies of the valley and carried a shower bouquet of brides roses and lilies of the valley.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. Garrison and has been private secretary to C. W. Snider for the past two years. She is popular in both business and social circles in the city. The groom is a popular business man and interested in the Franklin agency of this city.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ehlert of Dallas, Miss Emily Waelder of New York city, Mrs. Fred J. Johnson and daughter, Miss Ruth, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Waelder of Monroe, La., and Henry Bonlanz of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Waelder left for a two weeks' wedding tour, which will include New Orleans and San Antonio, after which they will be at home at 1617 Tenth street.

B'Nai Brith Will Have Celebration Tomorrow

The B'nai Brith, Noah lodge, I. O. B. B. No. 784 will hold a celebration in which a program will be rendered Monday evening, Jan. 31, at 8 o'clock at the Temple Israel. The program follows:

Piano duet, Misses Sophie Wolfson and Minnie Goldberg.

Welcome in behalf of Temple, J. L. Art.

Vocal selections, Junior Council chorus.

Welcome in behalf of lodge, Arthur Lyons.

Song of welcome, audience.

Introducing the speaker, Rabbi David Goldberg.

Address, Rabbi Martin Zielonka, El Paso.

Vocal solo, Abe Schein.

Piano duet, Art and Pink.

A Child's Prayer, Helen Sylvia Lebenson.

Refreshments in basement of Temple.

Study Club Has Two Meeting During Week

The Study Club under the leadership of Mrs. C. J. Barney, met Tuesday morning at the Y. W. C. A. and Welnesday afternoon at the Kemp Public Library. The Tuesday program consisted of an analysis of part of the novel, Louis Rand, from a technical standpoint. The work for Wednesday consisted of tracing the character portrayal and conscious background mingled with the love interest of classic Greek fiction.

Members precent included Miss Clara Schultz, Mesdames B. J. Bean, T. E. Allday, A. O. Scharff, G. T. Drinkard, C. F. Spencer, W. S. Robertson, E. T. Huff, J. C. Crane and Mark Moore. The club will meet Tuesday morning at the Y. W. C. A. at 9:45 o'clock instead of the usual hour, on account of business pertaining to the City Federation of Woman's clubs which will be brought before the members.

B. O. P. Class Guests At Party Wednesday

Mrs. P. S. Richardson was a pleasant hostess Wednesday afternoon to the B. O. P. class at her home in Floral Heights. The entertaining game of "42" was played throughout the afternoon with the high score favor won by Mrs. Paul Cotner. At a late hour, a delicious salad course was served to 14 members of the class and Mesdames Richardson, T. C. Hadley, J. B. Stokes and Miss Zula Stokes, guests.

Large Audience Hears Artists in Recital

At the second public recital given by Frank F. Loew Friday evening at the First Presbyterian church a large and appreciative audience greeted the artists, F. F. Loew, pianiste; R. E. Shepherd, tenor, and Mrs. George Thorburn, soprano.

The program was opened with "Evening," by Paderewski, when Mr. Loew displayed his powers on the brilliancy of soft touch. He was enthusiastically applauded. The Russian ballet "Ruses de Amon," by Glazounow, a spontaneous type of composition which is noted for its modern treatment of a weird bass effect with the left hand, was also well received.

R. E. Shepherd followed with two solo numbers which were rendered with authoritative understanding. He responded to repeated applause with a ballad. Mr. Loew then gave his second group of piano numbers, opening with "La Cascade," by Herz, which took one into the mountains named, and concluded the group with a fiery and masterly performance of the huge "Wagnerian Dream," a paraphrase on Wagner's celebrated operas. Both numbers received an ovation.

Mrs. Thorburn presented three charming vocal selections, "The Star," by Rogers; "A Spirit Flower," by Campbell-Tipton, and "Will o' the Wisp," by Spross. Her numbers were well received, and, after insistent applause, she responded with a dainty encore number.

The program was concluded by Mr. Loew with two compositions of his own and "The Blue Danube" transcription, all of which received hearty applause.

Accompanists for the evening were Mrs. Mary B. Adams and Mr. Loew.

Wesley Girls Make Plans For Furnishing Church

The Wesley Girls of the Floral Heights Methodist church, enjoyed a pleasant meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ray Hanks in which were discussed for the furnishing of the class room in the new church, and fancy work furnished the diversion.

During the social hour, a tempting refreshment course consisting of quail on toast, salad, pickles and coffee was served to Mesdames Harry McCarty, Mary B. Adams, Clay Crowell, Mahoney, T. H. Boone, Harvey, Lester Jones, Fisher, Preston Lea and Loran Taylor.

The class will meet Friday, February 4 at the home of Mrs. J. A. Fisher, 1200 Taylor street.

Hostesses to Members Of Fowler Bible Class

Mesdames Swanson and Vincent of 1308 Austin were pleasant hostesses Thursday afternoon to the Fowler Bible class of the First Presbyterian church, which met in a social session.

A short informal program was enjoyed, which was opened with a song by the class. Miss Bruce Dickson contributed a reading, "By Courier" from O. Henry; Miss Andrew a piano selection, and Mrs. Joe D. Harris a vocal number, "By the Waters of Minnetonkia," an Indian war song. Little Miss Vincent gave a reading, after which a delicious luncheon, consisting of chicken salad, a sweet sandwich, chocolate muffins, brown bread sandwiches and coffee, was served to Mesdames N. F. Grafton, Lee McDowell, E. H. Nicholson, Frank Kell, J. A. Harris, Ellis, Thompson, Ultz, Boyd, E. T. Duff, Hull, Gaffeney, Joe D. Harris, Robertson, Hines, Grayson, Charles Naylor and Misses Templeton, Dickson and Andrews.

The class will meet again February 17 at the home of Mrs. L. M. Boyd at 1820 Ninth street.

"The Piper" Studied at Meeting of Unity Club

The Unity club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Daugherty and studied for the lesson, "The Piper" by Josephine Preston Peabody, with Mrs. Daugherty, leader. "The Poetic Drama" was the subject of a paper prepared and sent from California by Mrs. H. B. Patterson and read by Mrs. J. C. Hunt. Mrs. J. C. Berney gave a paper on "The Newer Tendencies of the Drama."

Following the study program, a dainty salad course was served to Mesdames J. C. Hunt, J. A. Kemp, P. P. Langford, O. E. Maer, W. N. Maer, W. L. Robertson, Eugene Sherrod, Marvin Smith, Claud Woods, H. C. Young, A. Zundlewitz, J. C. Berney and W. S. Langford.

Cypher Club Entertains With Monday Night Dance

The Cypher club dance given at the Kemp hotel Monday evening was an enjoyable social event of the week and was enjoyed by a large crowd of the younger set. The Doc Ross Jazz Bandits furnished the music and those present included Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hollinger, Misses Grace Rubottum, Mildred Nettle, Marie Gates, Mabel Shaw, Pauline Taylor, Marion Maer, Hazel Murphy, Lillian Evans, Genevieve Goff, Virginia Parks, Sylvester, Mary Smith, Lurline Shappell, Mary Colquit, Margaret Fisher, Louise Bass, Nancy Jane Harlan, Lucille Elems, Florence Devers, Nina Gutzler and Ethel Moran, and Messrs. T. A. Bradley, Jack Williams, G. W. Oechner, E. C. Koch, Glenn Burnett, Joe Mears, Tom Payne, E. C. Dillon, M. E. Nutt, Guy Ariey, Shelby Den, H. T. Kirkland, John Albritton, Harry L. Carter, Chick Nolen, Protho, L. T. Taylor, P. B. McCoy, Roma Bullington, Fred Hecht, Bill Evans, S. K. Heyers, C. B. Curtner, H. L. Haney, E. T. Barker and R. J. Marlin.

The club will give informal dances at the Kemp hotel during February as follows: On the third, ninth, and tenth.

Dramatic Club Will Present Three Plays

The Dramatic club of St. Mary's academy, assisted by the music department, will give an entertainment Feb. 4, in the Academy auditorium. The program will begin promptly at 8:30.

Three playlets, "The Ghost in the Boarding School," "Pickles and Bonbons," and "Gretna Green," will be presented. Elvia Allman, Elizabeth Carrigan, Mora Lindley, Pauline Culver, Helen Palmer, Mary Foster, Emma Frances McFall; Sadie Badgewell, Frances Ann Saunders, Maxine Pope, Rose Kennedy and Helen Loeb will take part in the program.

This is given for the benefit of the Alumnae association of the school, and a general admission of 35 cents will be charged. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Wichitans, Guests at Burk Masonic Dinner

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 29.—The Joint banquet given by the Burkburnett Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star Chapter was attended by over 200 guests, 20 of whom were from Wichita Falls. Rev. T. J. Furness was toastmaster. Responding toasts were made by the following: A. G. Dunn, Dr. Terrell Haymes, Col. B. F. George, Dr. B. M. Jones of Burkburnett, J. I. Staley of Wichita Falls who built the Masonic Hall of this city, Mrs. Fisher, district official of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Young, grand matron of the Wichita Falls Chapter and Judge Dave Thorne, who gave an account of the history of the Masonic order in Texas.

A bountiful feast was served by the local Eastern Star chapter of which Mrs. T. J. Furness is Most Worthy Matron. The object of the function was the general social welfare of the local Masonic organizations.

The marriage of B. H. Alexander, business associate of the Collier Bros. Furniture Company and Miss Ruby May Bounds was performed in this city Thusday night at 8 o'clock by Judge Dave Thorne.

The benefit dance at the Oscar Fry Post, American Legion of Burkburnett Thursday night, was a success, considering the number of other attractions. About $100 was realized for the European Relief Fund.

The gray-green beetle, destroyer of trees, has much to do with the paper shortage.

The Churches

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.
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Holy communion, 8 a. m.

Sunday school, 9:45.

Splendid graded classes for all. A fine adult class where discussions are held on vital subjects. First class kindergarten and primary classes in the Parish House. Your children will be well cared for here.

Morning prayer, 11:30.

The rector's sermon subject will be "Law and Liberty," a vital question of the hour. Good music: Reverent Worship, and a real message.

Evening service, 7:15 at Palace theatre. Please note the change of place from the Olympic theater to the new Palace theatre, seating 400 more. We turned that many away last Sunday. This is a service of song, worship, instruction and good cheer. Everybody always welcome to everything that the Episcopal church has.

FRED T. DATSON, Rector.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Tenth and Travis streets.

Bible school, 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship with sermon, 10:30 a. m.

Young Peoples Christian Endeavor socity, 6:30 p. m.

Evening Worship with Sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Special music will be featured at each services. Everybody cordially invited to attend. If you want to hear good music and the gospel preached do not miss these services. Come early and hear the fine music at Sunday school by the 15-piece Sunday school orchestra. All visitors in the city are cordially invited to attend.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

The subject of the morning sermon will be: "The Time Limit." Miss Veale will sing at the morning hour. In the evening the Christian Endeavor society will have charge of the service. The young people have an interesting program and it will be worth hearing.

N. F. GRAFTON, Pastor.

FLORAL HEIGHTS METHODIST.

Pending completion of our new church all services are held in the enclosed tabernacle at Tenth and Denver. Fine Sunday school and Epworth League. Special anthem and other good music by choir. Pastor's evening subject is "Christ's Hold on the Human Heart". Begin now to worship with us. We believe you will be pleased.

W. L. TITTLE, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.
Corner Tenth and Austin.

Bible school at 9:45 a. m.

Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Subject Sunday night will be: "Why We Sing and Do Not Play in the Worship of God." The minister will also speak of the tendency to secularize and carnalize religious service and to reduce to a level with mere worldly entertainment.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.
Cor. Ave. G and Kemp Boulevard.

Preaching at 11:00 o'clock, subject, "The Gospel."

Community Sunday school organization will be completed at 9:45 a. m. If you live in this neighborhood and do not attend Sunday school you will receive a glad welcome here.

GEO. R. McMACKIN, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

I. O. O. F. hall, Swarts-Wood building, 603 Scott avenue. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Lesson sermon 11 a. m., subject, "Love." Testimonial meeting 8 o'clock Sunday evening. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. Pupils up to the age of 20 years are welcome to the Sunday school.

FLORAL HEIGHTS BAPTIST.
Cor. Tenth St. and Kemp Boulevard.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Chas. H. Smoot, superintendent.

Regular preaching services 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunbeams at 4:00 p. m.

Junior B. Y. P. U. at 5:30 p. m.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend all these services.

J. W. LOVING, Pastor.

FLORAL HEIGHTS B. Y. P. U.
Cor. Tenth St., and Kemp Boulevard.

Meeting at the church at 6:30 p. m.

Subject, Life of Dr. John A. Broadus. Leader, Miss Lola McMurtrey. At the conclusion of our program our pastor will give us some interesting facts concerning the life of this great scholar and teacher. The public is urged to be present and especially all members.

ROY ERWIN CARTER, Pres.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m., W. C. Ashford, superintendent. Our Sunday school is moving along and we have efficiency in attendance every Sunday. We give you a cordial invitation to become a member of one of our classes. The pastor will preach Sunday morning on the Holy Spirit. A solo will be sung by Mr. J. Z. Martin at this service. At the evening service a special address will be given to the young people on the "Power of Vision." Miss Anna Morris will sing for us. You are cordially invited to be present at all of these services.

O. L. POWERS, Pastor.

Any business firm or individual seeking a dependable banking connection with the assurance of a personal interest in his success on the part of the bank's officers, will find it of advantage to consult with the men at the head of the City National Bank of Commerce.—Adv.

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"FLYING GRANDMAS" DELIVER ELECTORAL VOTE AT CAPITOL



Left to right: Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock of Nebraska, Mrs. H. H. Wheeler, Mrs. Draper Smith and Representative C. Frank Reavis of Nebraska in front of the capitol.

The two modern grandmothers, Mrs. H. H. Wheeler and Mrs. Draper Smith of Omaha, who started for Washington, D. C., by airplane to deliver the electoral vote of their state for the presidency, delivered the votes safely at the capitol although they were forced to abandon the airplane for the Pullman coach en route. Their attempt to make the trip by air earned them the title of "the flying grandmas." They are shown above with two of the Nebraska congressmen.

OUT-OF-TOWN SOCIETY

BURKBURNETT.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Strange of Clara were visitors in the city Wednesday.

Chas. Van Loh came over from Iowa Park Wednesday on business interests.

Earl Duval left this week for the new Eldorao, Ark., oil field and contemplates opening an up-to-date restaurant in that city.

Mr. Davis of Fort Worth is in Burkburnett this week looking after the opening of the new Gas Company's office on Main street.

The friends of George Measley regret to learn that he has been unable to find any trace of his new Buick car that was stolen several nights ago from his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Minick of Graham, Texas, were greeting former friends in Burkburnett Wednesday, who are pleased to see Mrs. Minnick's improvement in health.

Guy (Red) Morgan has returned this week from a visit among the home folks in Portland, Oregon.

F. W. Tinsley has returned from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Clay Wilson who was one of the organizers of the Burk-Waggoner Oil company came in from his large ranch home near Clayton, N. Mex., Tuesday and will spend a few days on business and greeting old friends in Wichita county.

Mrs. Joe Walling is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Cannon on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brame spent a few days in Gainesville among relatives this week.

Mrs. Buchanan returned Tuesday from Eldorado, Ark., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Mills who recently left Burkburnett for the new oil field in that state. Mrs. Buchanan bears a favorable report of oil and business prospects in Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pou who have been living in Duncan, Okla., have returned to Burkburnett and are guests for a while in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnston. Mr. Pou and wife will soon reestablish a permanent home in Burkburnett.

Mrs. E. E. Badger and children have returned from Walters, Okla., where they have been visiting her parents in that city.

Mrs. W. F. Billingslea and daughter, Miss Vivian Billingslea came over from Sherman for a few days visit with her husband, editor of The Star.

Rev. T. J. Furness made a business trip to Corsicana Monday, having been called by wire Sunday afternoon. His sabbath evening sermon to young men was postponed until next Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Roland are visiting friends in Healdton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gilmore of Breckenridge are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Denham.

J. W. Alexander and J. B. Collier returned this week from Eldorado, Ark., where they went in the interest of the new olld field.

J. M. Hayworth has returned from a prospecting visit to Eldorado. It is reported that the Hayworth homestead lease will be drilled by the local company organized sometime ago by Mr. Hayworth and other citizens.

W. H. Ankor, who bought the noted Sneed ranch near Clayton, N. Mex., was greeting friends in Burkburnett this week.

B. F. Cook of Marietta, Okla., who owns the old home farm of Ex-governor Love of Oklahoma, spent a few days in Burkburnett recently shaking hands with former friends.

A. K. Gillis and J. M. Williamson of Denton, Texas were here this week on business and paying taxes.

The many friends of Hyman Jacks will be glad to learn that he has recovered from his serious injury, and will leave the Wichita hospital in a few days.

Mrs. C. O. Walling will be hostess to the special meeting of the Missionary socity of the Baptist church ladies Monday afternoon. As this is the fifth Monday meeting, a special social hour will be observed when a few outside guests will be entertained with the company of church workers.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Waller, who moved to Wichita Falls a year ago, have returned to Burkburnett and established their permanent home on Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Covington have as their guest Miss Della Covington this week in their home on Ninth street.

Miss Janette Eargle is spending a few days this week in Iowa Park.

Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Martin, Dr. Shepherd, Dr. and Mrs. Pritchard attended the medical meeting in Wichita Falls, Tuesday.

Joe H. Davis and W. L. Walker returned Tuesday from a business trip in Oklahoma city.

Roy Compton is in Breckenridge on business for a few days.

Mrs. Joe Davis and Mrs. Will Walker visited friends in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

The musical number of the Y. M. C. A. Dixie Lyceu mcourse was pronounced a great success Tuesday evening at the Methodist church. The violinist was an artist of unusual ability and every one appreciated the splendid numbers rendered by the fine vocalist and pianist.

In celebration of his birthday Tuesday afternoon, Clinton Arvin Griffin entertained a number of his little friends and neighbors at his home on Second street. A jolly round of games and fun were enjoyed and refreshments were served. The guests were Misses Gladys O'Neal, Orion Dunn, Melba Cures, Vita Lee Alderson and Edna Griffin, Master Othel Hogue.

Mrs. J. G. Griffin, Mrs. W. S. Denton and H. R. Griffin were visitors in Wichita Falls Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Polston of Wichita Falls visited her mother, Mrs. J. G. Griffin in this city this week.

On Wednesday afternoon at six o'clock the marriage of Miss Jewell Sides and Floyd Combs was solemnized by Justice Dave Thorne in his office in this city. Mrs. Combs is a daughter of one of Burkburnett's oldest families. The young people will make this city their permanent home.

In the home of Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Furness the marriage of Miss Georgia Bell Plummer and E. D. Sanders was solemnized on Sunday Jan. 23., Rev. Furness officiating.

Willard Wade and Miss Fannie Mann were married Sunday, Jan. 23. by Rev. T. J. Furness at the latter's home on Fourth street.

Captain Ragan of the local Salvation Army post has completed his Service Hall, formerly the Hill store building on corner of D. avenue and Second streets, where he invited the public to attend religious worship following the open air street service. Captain Reagan is to be congratulated on his work in Burkburnett.

On Friday evening Mrs. W. D. Utts and Mrs. W. R. Hill as joint hostesses entertained the N. M. club and their friends with an old fashioned "Tacky Party."

The costumes afforded unending amusement. The guests were received by two little coal-black pickaninies, the Gold Dust Twins, little Miss Evelyn Montgomery and Nancy Favors. Tea cups of buttermilk and ginger cake was the first refreshing treat served. The gypsy lady, Mrs. R. A. Favors, sent every one from her magic cave happy over the promise of good fortune, long life and success in love. Then the old fashioned games started, including "King Dido" "I Bring Back What I Borrowed," Clap-in and Clap-out" and many others ending in "Each Gallant With His Lady Fair" out for a promenade. Returning to the parlors, other games were enjoyed stunts were rendered, and dialect reading given by Nancy Favors. Prizes were awarded to Miss Sara Majors as the tackiest lady; Bob Favors as the tackiest gentleman. A closing favor was a refreshment course of cake and custard. The following guests were present: Misses Margaret Robertson, Georgia Page, Leah Hays, Susie Bruce, Sara Majors, Odell Majors, Jane Hollingsworth, Alice Vaughn Pauline Faley, Jimima Smith; Messrs Bob Holt, Caspry, I. B. Loe, Clyde Mason, Joe Walthorpe, Claude Hooper, A. S. Irvin, and Rex D. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Boren, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Favors, Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Montgomery, Mr. and Will Van, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Utts, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hill. Little Misses Nancy favors and Evelyn Montgomery.

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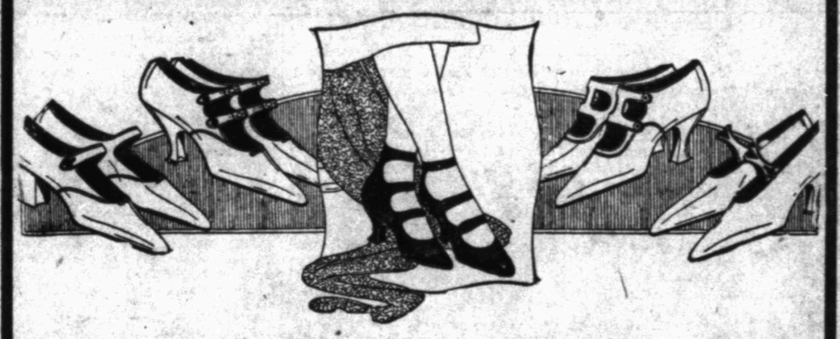
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WITH THE WOMEN OF TODAY

BY JESSIE E. MORIARTY



DR. ALICE L. GOETZ

Dr. Alice L. Goetz of Santa Barbara, Calif., has the unique position of educational hygiene specialist. She is working under the social hygiene bureau of the California state board of health. Her duties mean for the most part lecturing to mothers on how to give the proper training and instruction to their children in regard to the preservation of their health, addressing the men and women in all industrial plants, department stores, settlement houses and boarding clubs in regard to "right living" and organizing hygiene classes in women's clubs throughout the state.

Dr. Goetz is unique in that she is the only woman on the Pacific coast who is giving these vital talks for the good of the rising generation. She asserts that she is just in the very beginning of her work and that new developments will grow out of her job which will broaden its scope. She thinks other states should adopt the same methods of hygiene education.

ODD JOBS FOR GIRLS

The New York Y. W. C. A. has an excellent plan for helping out in the present business depression. They have started the "odd job" department. Miss Bertha E. Meade is head of the "odd job" department of the Y. W. C. A. employment bureau.

"My jobs are odd," she says, "but I think they are varied enough to suit everybody. First on the list is a poll parrot who needs care when his mistress goes south.

"Then there are several debutantes who are chaperonless. Strange to say every one thinks this the most irksome of jobs, but I know of a little woman we placed as a chaperone who telephoned the other day and said she was having the time of her life taking 'bebbies' to week-end parties.

One of our best jobs is assistant to a physician. Another is club work in a settlement house. There are tired mothers who will pay well to have their children taken out in the parks during the afternoon. Blind people want walking and reading companions. If you like to mend and sew on buttons you can be a visiting lady's maid."

According to Miss Meade's philosophy, a job is a job, and while sewing on buttons may not exactly be your forte, still it rides over until the real job bobs up on the horizon.

SPEAKING OF ODD JOBS

Mrs. Amelia Earles of Chicago, a representative of Ringling Brothers' circus, recently returned to New York from Europe, where she has been touring about, looking for dwarfs for the side shows. She is now manager of an internationally famous team of dancing midgets.

Norton, Kan.

Women state legislators are taking their seats in so many of our state capitols that it is hard to keep track of them all. Every one of them is a history maker and a pioneer. They have a great work before them, a great responsibility, and great odds to work against. All eyes are turned to our women in public office, for their mistakes will be magnified and their accomplishments may be underestimated.

Mrs. Ida M. Walker of Norton, Kan., is the woman representative of Norton county, who must be the pioneer in the Kansas state legislature. Mrs. Walker is past president of the Kansas Federation of Womens' Clubs and helps her husband edit a newspaper. She took an active interest in the equal suffrage campaign when Kansas women secured the ballot. Her achievements make her the logical woman to blaze the way for other women legislators.

"It is a wonderful privilege to be a legislator," is her opinion.

To Teach Internationalism.

A summer school to "educate women in internationalism" will be held in connection with the Congress of the Women's International League, to be held in Vienna during the first two weeks in August.

Ellen Terry Playing at 72.

Despite her 72 years of age, Ellen Terry is still on the stage and is playing nightly in a theater in the suburb of Hempstead, England.

A recent invention is a clay phonograph needle, made from a dark red or chocolate-colored shale.

Household Hints

MENU HINT.

Breakfast.
Prunes with Lemon.
Broiled Mackerel. Baked Potatoes.
Thin Corn Cake. Coffee.

Luncheon.
Shrimp Soup.
Apple and Cranberry Pudding.
Custard Sauce.

Dinner.
Stuffed Baked Fish.
Potato Cake. Pickle Sauce.
Buttered Squash.
Fruit and Sponge Cake Trifle.
Coffee.

TESTED RECIPES.

Cranberry Fruit Salad.—Allow one-half banana, two orange sections, a few Malaga grapes to each person. Seed and halve the grapes. Peel bananas, cut in halves and cut in thin slices crosswise, not disturbing banana shape.

Place on lettuce or endive. Place orange sections on one side, grapes on other, after marinating well with plain French dressing. Pour over all a cranberry dressing, made by stewing cranberries with sugar. Serve cold. This is not as much work as it sounds and is unusually good.

Eggless Caramel Pie.—With eggs so high and scarce, this recipe for caramel filling without eggs will be wanted.

Line a pie plate with crust. Put in one-half cup flour and one cup brown sugar; mix together, then add one-half cup milk or cream and take a fork or spoon and mix. Then take piece of butter size of hickory nut and cut in small pieces over top. Bake as you would custard pie.

Whip cream may be put on top afterit is baked, if wanted.

Yorkshire Pudding.—One egg, two cups flour, one teaspoon baking powder, one teaspoon salt, milk for a thin batter. Place a cup in pan to hold meat up after it is roasted, then pour batter in and bake twenty minutes.

FOR MEATLESS DAYS.

Creamed Salt Mackerel—Wash the mackerel, cover it with cold water which should be changed three or four times and soak for several hours. Let it boil gently for thirty minutes. Flake the freshened fish and place in a well oiled baking dish a layer of mackerel, a layer of white sauce, a second layer of mackerel, a second layer of white sauce. Cover the top with buttered bread crumbs and bake in a moderate oven thirty minutes.

Fish Loaf—One cup shredded fish (any kind may be used), five boiled potatoes (which have been put through a ricer), one cup cooked rice, one cup of finely diced celery, two eggs one quarter cup milk, one teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon paprika. Combine the ingredients in the order given. Place in a well oiled bread pan in the form of a loaf. Bake in moderate oven for thirty-five minutes. Serve with a cheese sauce.

Scalloped Fish—One and one-half cups of fish, one and one-half cups of cold boiled rice, one cup of grated cheese, one cup white sauce. Any kind of fish may be used for this recipe. If dried, salted or frozen fish is used, be sure that the method suggested for preparing each for cooking be used. After cooking the fish, shred it and arrange it in alternate layers withthe rice and white sauce in a well oiled baking dish. Over each layer of the mixture sprinkle a layer of the grated cheese to which seasoning (salt and paprika) has been added. Cover the top of the mixture with grated cheese and bake until the top layer of cheese is well browned.

Judge Allows Bland Motion For New Trial

Motion for new trial in the case of George Dewey Bland, who was convicted here Tuesday of complicity in the murder of A. E. Berlin at Newtown and sentenced to serve 17 years in the penitentiary, was granted by Judge H. F. Weldon Saturday in Thirtieth district court.

Counsel for the defense based the motion on grounds that the jury had employed the quotient method in agreeing upon a punishment after arriving at their verdict of guilty. The court of criminal appeals has held that this method, or "quotient verdict," as it is more commonly termed, is a reversible error.

It was proven by counsel, upon examination of three jurors who served in the trial, that the jury voted on the number of years' confinement to be assessed against Bland, and that, failing to reach a definite decision in this manner, they agreed to add the number of years decided upon by each juror and divide the sum total by 12.

According to ballots cast by the jurors, the years of confinement ranged from 10 to 99, the total of which was 204 years. This, divided by 12, gave the quotient of 17.

Entertains Friends With Dancing Party

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hull entertained a jolly group of friends Friday evening in their home on Ninth street with a delightful dancing and card party. At a late hour a dainty refreshment course was served to Messrs. and Mesdames G. P. DeLisle, C. H. Francis, S. J. Campbell; Mrs. I. P. Childsey, Mrs. Kavanaugh and Miss Betty Hull.

Since the establishment of the City National Bank of Commerce many depositors who started with very small accounts have built up very substantial balances. What others have done you can do, and the bank cordially invites your patronage.—Adv.

Relief Map to Depict Kessler Planning Here

A large map showing the plans for the future development of the city, as recommended by George Kessler, city planner, will be sent out this week in connection with the publication of the February edition of the Better City, official publication of the Chamber of Commerce. C. F. Carter, publicity manager of the Chamber of Commerce, has had several hundred copies of the map made from the sketch, which shows in detail the recommendations made by Mr. Kessler.

By a study of the map members of the Chamber of Commerce and others that are interested may obtain a comprehensive idea of the plans that will govern future progress in all phases of civic development, if the recommendations of Mr. Kessler are made official by action on the part of the city council.

The Kessler maps have been gone over in detail by several city officials and members of the school board and several are known to have expressed the opinion that only minor changes should be made in the Kessler plans.

City officials are anxious that the plans should be carefully studied by members of the Chamber of Commerce and other civic bodies and make recommendations as to alterations in plans at once, if they have any to suggest. Action by the city probably will be taken by the city council either for or against the plans within the next month.

Youth Held on Pistol Charge - Is Given Bond

Clyde Peltz, a youth, was released under $1,000 bond Saturday by Judge Guy Rogers in county court at law pending hearing Tuesday on charges of joyriding, carrying a pistol and theft of a pistol, and Roy Doolin and Harry Evans were unconditionally released, following their arrest Friday night by the police in connection with the theft of an automobile from Dr. M. M. Walker, city and county health officer.

Charges were not filed against Doolin and Evans after it was shown that Peltz did not apprise them of the fact that he had "borrowed" the car until they were a short distance this side of Henrietta. Peltz, they both claimed, invited them to make the trip with him.

When arraigned before Judge Rogers to enter a plea, Peltz desired to plead guilty and pay the fines which usually are assessed as penalties in the offenses. Judge Rogers, however, declared that he was determined to use every measure at his command to put a stop to the "joyriding" which has become so prevalent here during the past several months and warned him that if he pleaded guilty he would be assessed with a maximum penalty.

Upon being advised that the punishment would involve payment of a fine not exceedding $1,000 and confinement in the county jail not to exceed one year, Peltz withdrew his original intention and asked that he be allowed to procure the services of a lawyer to defend him. This request was granted by the court and his case set for hearing Tuesday.

Commenting upon the case, Judge Rogers said that a jury might reach an agreement on a punishment not quite so heavy as the one he had decided upon and for this reason he was giving the boy a chance to enter a plea of not guilty.

To drive out worms that are eating away the strength and vitality of your child, use White's Cream Vermifuge. It expels the worms without injury to the child. Price 35c. Sold by your druggist.—Adv.

The passing bell was rung in English pre-Reformation times for the dying as well as after death.

SINCLAIR OIL BEGIN MOVING HERE MONDAY

Heads of departments of the Fort Worth office of the Sinclair Oil and Gas company, which, as recently announced in The Record News, is being moved to Wichita Falls to be consolidated with the district offices here, will begin to put in an appearance Monday, it was announced at the local offices of the company Saturday morning.

Among the principal officials who will move to Wichita Falls, according to Don O. Long, head of the office in this district, are R. W. Garrett and P. J. McDermott of the legal department, W. M. Blake and Ed Lockard of the land department and Charles Mercer, chief clerk.

The Sinclair offices will again occupy the full suite, practically half the floor, originally leased by them on the seventh floor of the Bob Waggoner building.

Some insects live only a few hours, others for weeks. The toad lives about fifteen years.



Chic Spring Hats

For Milady of Fashion

SPRING IS HERE, although it's cool enough for winter furs, The time to don your gay bonnet has come. They are here in alluring arrays, fresh from New York and Paris.

The newest hats will be of gray and copper color, Batavia's faille silks, hair braids and many other attractive colors and braids all in harmony with the spring.

HATS FOR KIDDIES, TOO!

For many months mothers have been seeking for hats for the little ones, attractive, becoming hats, and now we can gladly say that we have just what you have been wanting. This year our children's hats have received careful attention in the eastern market and we have the best in style and quality.

Mrs. Mary Gross
MILLINER
BALCONY, TENTH AND INDIANA AVENUE

Perkins-Timberlake Co.
ASSOCIATED STORES
9th and Indiana 9th and Indiana

First Deep O' Spring

It's really interesting to watch the New Spring Fashions as they put in their appearance in our

Second Floor Garment Salons

Hundreds and hundreds of dainty things which Dame Fashion decrees to be the mode for the Spring season just around the corner.

Our buyers now in the Eastern Markets are sending us the newest garments every day. You too will become enthused over the gorgeous new things.

The Season's Loveliest Dresses

A feature of our Spring showing is the beautiful array of exquisite Dresses which arrived last week—Exclusive Styles are in evidence.

Many little style touches that delight the feminine taste.
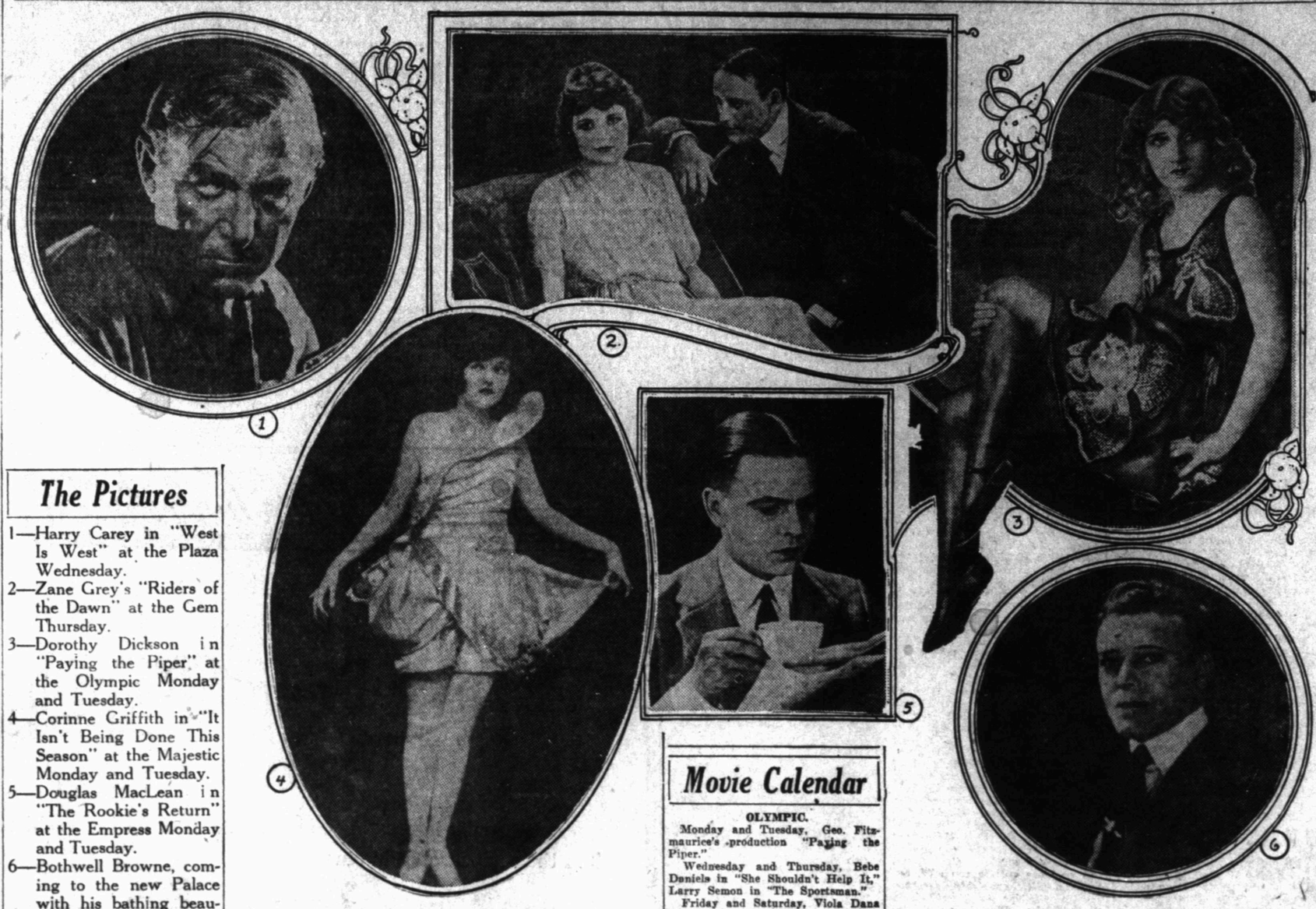
The Bouffant effects maintain a magic slimness because the elongated snug fitting bodice makes them look slender no matter how much the skirts persist in puffing themselves out in sheerings, folds, panniers and tunics.

Brown, Blues and Grays seem to lead in color—and are truly wonderful creations of youthful winsomeness.



Perkins-Timberlake Co. Ninth and Indiana Perkins-Timberlake Co.

AT LOCAL THEATERS THIS WEEK



'PAYING PIPER' IS SEQUEL TO 'ON WITH DANCE'

New York, ever-changing, ever-fascinating and gay, is the locale of the latest George Fitzmaurice Paramount production, "paying the Piper," which will be displayed at the Olympic theater Monday and Tuesday. It is an original story by Ouida Bergere, who wrote the continuity for that other Fitzmaurice masterpiece of New York, "On With the Dance," and it possesses scenes, characters and situations just as convincingly real as did its predecessor.

For "Paying the Piper," the authoress chose persons typical of New York—Wall street millionaires who have heartlessly marched to the top; their spoiled, reckless offspring: ambitious hardworking professional people who find their defeat or success in the great metropolis. Around them she has spun a theme showing that money cannot buy the happiness or the most desired things of life.

Dorothy Dickson, the famous dancer, makes her screen debut in this picture. Others in the cast include George Fawcett, Robert Schable, Alma Tell, Reginald Denny and Rod LaRoque.

Farmer's Hobby Is Cows; Dies A Millionaire

WAYLAND, Mass., Jan. 29.—Talking cows, driving cows and trading cows, with a few hours' perusal of newspapers in the evening, made up the life of Jonathan Maynard Parmenter, Wayland's eccentric millionaire.

When Mr. Parmenter's will was filed it was found to the surprise of neighbors nd friends, that he left an estate valued at $1,227,000.

For eighty-nine years Parmenter lived a narrow, provincial life in the farmhouse in which he was born and died, his sole interest being in the cattle business, which he entered when a young man, together with his brother, Henry.

Although the bulk of the Parmenter fortune was not made in the cattle business, but in Southern cotton mills, Mr. Parmenter manifested but little interest in this source of income, concentrating his attention on cattle, in which the foundations of his prosperity were laid.

According to W. F. Earl, president of the Harvard Trust company, of Cambridge, who in recent years has been Mr. Parmenter's fiscal agent, the Parmenter fortune has doubled itself in the last ten years.

He never drank or smoked and but seldom attended a theatre, according to Howard W. Parmenter, a second cousin.

Mr. Parmenter made public bequests amounting to many thousands of dollars, in which the town of Wayland was the chief beneficiary.

Character Is Revealed By Breathing

PARIS, Jan. 29.—"Show me how you breathe and I will tell you what you are," is a new theory advanced by Doctor Maingot, of the French Academy of Medicine, who says he can tell a person's character by X-raying his or her respiratory organs. Dr. Maingot states that handwriting often reveals a person's character, but points out that handwriting is taught and is therefore the fruit of one's education while breathing is one of the natural gifts of life.

In breathing, according to the French doctor, inspiration spells activity and expiration that of rest. He has submitted various patients to his X-rays and on the spot has been able to tell them their character and their faults. To a young man of twenty-two he said: "You are timid and often undecided. You have great difficulty in getting out of bed." To an older peson he said: "You are sentimental and easly moved and yet you are capable of heroic actions." In both cases the patients realized the truth of these statements.

Dr. Maingot is attempting to introduce "Phresnocopie" at the courts, and asserts it would be useful in revealing the character of criminals and witnesses.

Expert Drinks 'Hooch' In Court; Some Wallop

CLEVELAND, Jan. 29.—Assistant City Chemist D. S. Cowles believes a straight line is the shortest distance between two points. Summoned to make an analysis of "evidence" secured in a raid and alleged to be intoxicating, Cowles told the court it would take two days to report the result of his tests.

"There is a shorter and easier way known to good chemists," he explained and reached for the bottle.

A long draught from its contents and the new Solomon removed his lips to say:

"It's intoxicating."

A second test, then—

"It can be used for beverage purposes."

And as Cowles left the courtroom the roomful of spectators eyed him enviously.

The elephant uses both his trunk and lungs in calling, making a variety of sounds.

The Pictures

1—Harry Carey in "West Is West" at the Plaza Wednesday.
2—Zane Grey's "Riders of the Dawn" at the Gem Thursday.
3—Dorothy Dickson in "Paying the Piper," at the Olympic Monday and Tuesday.
4—Corinne Griffith in "It Isn't Being Done This Season" at the Majestic Monday and Tuesday.
5—Douglas MacLean in "The Rookie's Return" at the Empress Monday and Tuesday.
6—Bothwell Browne, coming to the new Palace with his bathing beauties for week beginning Wednesday.

Wire Bedsprings Are Useful in Catching Wireless Flashes

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BERKELEY, Jan. 29.—Wire bedsprings in any room above the first floor make a satisfactory receiving station for wireless messages, declares Miss Barbara Burke, eighteen-year-old freshman student at the University of California, who has just received a government license as a commercial operator. She is the daughter of Professor J. D. Burks, graduate of the university, and special advisor to President David E. Barrows. Miss Burke started her wireless work while a student at the Hollywood High school and later worked in the radio division of the Bureau of Standards at Washington.

She intends to complete a literary and scientific course at the university and then take up wireless work.

If You Drink Home Brew Don't Visit This Girl

BERLIN, Jan. 29.—Reports of a child with magnetic powers are causing great excitement in the village of Diertersheim, in Bavaria.

The child, a girl of nine, is declared to have a power of putting lifeless objects into motion without any intervention on her part.

These miracles are reported:

When she enters a kitchen, for instance, logs of wood from the kitchen fire move about and roll off after her. A large cooking pot jumped from the fire and flew against the wall. Potatoes, boiling in the pot jumped out onto the hob, while a pair of wooden clogs became so agitated that they went straight through the window.

Medical science, in the persons of Dr. Rohn of Sturnburg; Dr. Max Schrench, and Dr. Aigner, has examined the child before five witnesses, and, according to their statements the child posses the powers of a medium.

The child and her mother were persecured by the local peasantry, being charged with witchcraft.

U. OF MICHIGAN BADLY OVERCROWDED

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 29.—Students crowded into a dissecting room so closely that there is no room for tables to lay their books on, a maternity hospital equally crowded and the doctors hardly able to make their way between the beds, accommodation in the engineering department so limited that many of the students who expected to graduate in 1923 will be kept another year to make up their course, and a museum containing a pricess collection housed in a fire-trap, these are some of the conditions that exist at the University of Michigan and which caused the president, Marion Le Roy Burton to declare at a luncheon of the Exchange Club that "It was a disgrace to Michigan."

There are 6,000 students in literature, science and art, he said, but there has been but one new building in fifty years. The rhetoric class is in a building that was condemned years ago and is a veritable trap, said Mr. Burton. His daughter is there, and he could not sleep at nights thinking that at any minute she might be burned to death.

Ireland spends less per capita on drink than any other part of the United Kingdom.

BIG TIME "VODVIL" WILL FURNISH PREMIER FOR NEW PALACE THEATER WEDNESDAY

Bothwell Brown and his twelve bathing beauties will headline a bill of especial merit that has been booked for the opening performance of the new seven act vaudeville of the Dye, Ford and Rogers Enterprise Co., when the curtain is rung up Wednesday afternoon on the first of the bargain matinees, that is to feature the Palace theatre bills. The bargain matinees will be given each afternoon of the week, excepting Sundays. The overture is scheduled to begin at 2:15 and the performance at 2:45 o'clock each afternoon.

The management announces that patrons desiring some particular seat for the performances may book a season reservation on one seat for any night in the week they desire. The overture for the evening show will begin at 8:15 and the performance at 8:45 o'clock.

Music for the new enterprise will be furnished by a seven piece orchestra, directed by Francis W. Edler, who is well known to theatre goers of Wichita Falls as leader of the orchestra at the Wichita theatre.

In addition to vaudeville acts short news reels and topics of the day will be thrown on the motion picture screen.

In obtaining the new seven act vaudeville enterprise the citizens will now be able to see the same show that visits Fort Worth and Dallas one week ahead of Fort Worth patrons and two weeks ahead of Dallas.

Large numbers of reservations both for the opening performance and for the season are reported by the management as an excellent token that Wichita Falls citizens are desirous of obtaining real big time vaudeville.

Insuring the comfort of patrons the new theatre building is fitted with an automatic heating device that keeps the room at the correct temperature for winter months, and with an air cooling system that can serve for ventilation in the winter and to keep the building thoroughly comfortable in the summer.

The electric sign before the Palace theater is reported to be an exact replica, on a slightly smaller scale, of the electric sign above the Palace theater in Chicago.

Best Dressed Man.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The Daily Graphic votes the title of "best dressed man in London," to the Prince of Wales, expressing the opinion that he outshines certain well-known matinee idols who dress their part off stage as well as on. In addition to the various forms of "civies" in which he excels, he can wear uniforms of various kinds with high distinction.

Movie Calendar

OLYMPIC.

Monday and Tuesday, Geo. Fitzmaurice's production "Paying the Piper."

Wednesday and Thursday, Bebe Daniels in "She Shouldn't Help It," Larry Semon in "The Sportsman."

Friday and Saturday, Viola Dana in "An Off-shore Pirate."

MAJESTIC.

Monday and Tuesday, Corinne Griffith in "It Isn't Being Done This Season."

Wednesday and Thursday, "The Son of Tarzan," "The Vigilantes".

Friday and Saturday, Buster Keaton in the feature comedy, "The Saphead."

EMPRESS.

Monday and Tuesday, Douglas MacLean and Doris May in "The Rookies Return."

Wednesday and Thursday, Owen Moore in "The Chicken In the Case."

Friday and Saturday, Mm. Russell in "The Cheater Reformed."

THE GEM.

Monday Hobart Bosworth in "His Own Law."

Tuesday, Metro all star cast in "Clothes."

Wednesday, Dorothy Dalton in "Other Men's Wives."

Thursday, Wm., Russell in "The Man Who Dared."

Friday, Zane Grey's famous story, "Riders of the Dawn."

Saturday, all star cast in Western Comedies and News topics.

In 1914 there were 1,500,000 ostrices in South America. These are now reduced to 300,000.

TWO-THIRDS OF CARS STOLEN HERE IN JANUARY FALL INTO JOYRIDER "BORROWED" CLASS

Put 'tushes," rather than mere teeth in the prosecution of joy riders who steal automobiles expecting to use them for a night of rollicking and then park them on some deserted street, is the recommendation given by Wichita Falls policemen for calling a halt to the recent series of automobile thefts.

Of thirty-two automobiles reported stolen since Jan. 1, 1921, police declared that twenty-five have been recovered and that about twenty of this number were found to have been stolen by joy riders.

The joy riders usully range between eighteen and twenty-five years of age, police say and in practically every case subject the car to extremely hard driving, which usually winds up with burned out bearings, the car being so thoroughly racked and shaken that its life is materially shortened.

Influence of friends who prevent the car owner from pushing charges and, in other cases, failure of the car owner to push the charges through sympathy for the thief, because of his youth, leave the impression that little punishment need be expected for stealing an automobile "just for a few hours," officers contend.

One peculiarity of the joyrider is that he never picks a cheap car. The more expensive and imposing appearing the car, the more likely that the joy rider will pick it for his evening excursion, said one policeman.

MAN'S THOUGHTS ARE REVEALED BY CAMERAMAN

With the discovery by portrait protographers that atmospheric pictures could be taken by adjusting the lens to give a dim effect, art photography became a nation wide vogue. And as the results in the art of still portraits became known to cinematographers, the dim screen photograph has come into its own.

Its use has been more atmospheric, for it often suggests an undecided state of mind. For example, in some of the opening scenes of the J. Parker Read, Jr., production of "His Own Law," in which Hobart Bosworth is featured, the star is seen after a night's tour of San Francisco's saloons (before the eighteenth amendment was thought of) in a very hazy mental condition.

Formerly, this state of mind was presented sharply by the camera. But today, the uncertain state of the character's mind is suggested by the use of the soft focus lens. The audience sees him as he sees the world—in dim, moving outline only. And this impression comes closer to reality and to art than any previous method of photography has been able to achieve.

"His Own Law," which is distributed by the Goldwyn company, is excellently acted throughout, and contains many lovely outdoor scenes of arresting beauty. The photoplay will be presented at the Gem theatre Monday.

Stenographers' Skirts Shock Delegates

GENEVA, Jan. 29.—The league of nations couldn't settle the disarmament problem, but at least it has ruled on the length of a woman's skirt.

Some of the older delegates at the recent session of the league assembly here complained that young French, English and Italian stenographers who tripped up and down stairs at league headquarters wore their's entirely too short. The league secretariat thereupon instructed the girls that skirts must fall at least six inches below the knee.

Many old frontier saloons in the west are being rebuilt into parsonages and churches.

Plaza Theatre
MONDAY
Pete and Bud
ORIGINAL BLACKFACE MUTT AND JEFF
NOW WITH
Pete Pate
AND HIS
Syncopated Steppers
16 PEOPLE—16
PICTURES
Chas. Chaplin
—IN—
"The Fireman"
—AND—
"Barbarous Mexico."
A picture that is alive with action from begining to end.
MATINEE 2:30 P. M.

A modern knight with fists for his broadsword, sheer grit his armour, conquering a mountain his crusade



and with a code of honor put his loyalty to pal above written laws; who could lay down even his love for a friend

See This Great Picture
HOBART BOSWORTH
—IN—
"HIS OWN LAW"
Special Added Attraction
Juanita Hanson in "The Phantom Foe"
GEM THEATRE, MONDAY

EPISCOPAL COMMUNITY SERVICES
Sunday, January 30th.
7:15 P. M., SHARP
Olympic Theatre
NOTE CHANGE OF PLACE
Rev. Fred Datson Will Preach
and the
Motion Picture
"FIRED"
We can seat 400 more people in this theatre than in the Olympic; still we advise you not to come late if you want good seats.
Other Services of Episcopal Church
Tenth and Burnett
Holy Communion ..... 8:00 a. m.
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00
A WELCOME FOR EVERYBODY.

OLYMPIC
INDIANA
MONDAY AND TUESDAY
ADOLPH ZUKOR presents
George Fitzmaurice Production
'PAYING the PIPER'
with DOROTHY DICKSON ALMA TELL GEORGE FAWCETT and ROD La ROQUE
A gorgeous drama of life and the lights of New York. As if the very soul of Broadway danced, laughing, across the screen.
A Paramount Picture.



REDUCTION MATINEE PRICES
12 to 5:30, 20c and 30c
Nights 20c, 30c, 50c.

HASKELL GOES STEADILY AHEAD WITHOUT BOOMS AND BUILDS ON FARMS AND BUSINESS CONCERNS

By HAMILTON WRIGHT.
Record News Staff Correspondent.

HASKELL, Jan. 29.—Years ago the vague maps of Texas bore a tiny speak of black with a horizontal line of still blacker type that spelled out the dual name Rice Spring. That was the name by which Haskell then went. The town received its title at the instigation of a Mr. Rice, who found running springs on the bank of Spring branch. The name fas changed when the county was organized in January, 1885, 36 years ago, this month.

The town then had a meager 200 persons who tended store and bar and helped in the rounding up and ranch work. The physical town was made up of rude, uninviting shacks, whose fronts were trysting places for the lounger from the range and for the occasional tenderfoot from the effete North. In the distance could be seen an occasional pretentious ranch house with sleek cattle dotting the undulating landscape.

In the good old days when the county was holding its first organized court the ranches and the village barkeep had only to step into the offing and shoot an antelope or a prowling coyote.

No Booms Help.

In the thirty-five years of its existence as a town designated as a small round blackspot on the geography of West Texas the dot itself has not grown larger, but the town itself has had a consistent growth, until today it boasts of 3,500 inhabitants. There have never been booms here. It has been a convenient, keeping-up development commensurate with the spirit of the large agricultural section which it serves.

Among the more better known concerns, industries and utilities in Haskell, the following are mentioned to indicate how the town fares from the business standpoint: Two banks, two lumber yards, three barbershops, five garages, five large cotton gins, one $100,000 modern cotton oil mill, one mattress factory, one modern flouring mill, one steam laundry electric light and power plant supplying not only Haskell but five adjoining towns with electric light and power, two bakeries, four hotels, five restaurants, one large grain elevator and plans laid for the construction of another; four hardware stores, seven groceries, six drygoods stores, one novelty and three drug stores, two up-to-date tailor shops, one photographing shop, one hospital, seven practicing physicians and two dentists, waterworks and sewer system, one produce house and a permanent county poultry association showing semi-annually; a symphony club. Masonic, Odd Fellow, W. O. W., M. W. A., K. P. and Elks clubs.

To Pave Public Square.

More than two miles of sidewalks have been built in the city in the last two months. The city is also about ready to contract for the paving of the public square. Haskell county in the last eighteen months has constructed forty miles of graded highways and more than eighteen miles of this has been completed with concrete culverts, dips and bridges.

Haskell has a modern, linotype equipped weekly newspaper, five churches and a magazine club building. The Methodists and Baptists have handsome modern edifices costing several score thousand dollars. The Christian church has just broken earth for a handsome brick house of worship. The school system stands out as a shining light in this section of the state.

Superintendent Minatree has made it conspicuous for its utility by his untiring work. He has the utmost cooperation of the school patrons In connection with the high school he has established a junior Chamber of Commerce which has more pep than many chambers of older heads in the larger cities. The school plant consists of one two-story brick and one three-story cement building, employing twenty instructors. The school term is nine months and the institution is affiliated with the various state colleges.

Home of Club Leaders.

Haskell is the house of Mrs. J. U. Fields, state chairman of civics. Her work has been spectacularly brilliant among not only her home town folks, but has been recognized throughout the state. It is also the home of Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, chairman of fire prevention, whose unselfish energy is worthy of honorable mention in any writeup of Haskell.

Haskell has a woman's magazine club which owns one of the most attractive brick club rooms to be found in the Southwest. It was built from proceeds of entertainments which the club members gave in Haskell. Mrs. J. F. Posey is president. The women of Haskell excell the men of the town in the advancement of civic achievements—an assertion which in nowise detracts from the splendid public spiritedness of the latter.

Haskel county has two railroads traversing it from the north to south providing excellent transport facilities. Another railroad crosses the southwestern corner of the county. Two highways cross the county from east to west and from north to south, interconnecting all important towns and communities and giving easy access to Haskell city.

Adapted to Farming

The county has itself long been noted for its superior soil for producing practically all the products for which the state of Texas is noted. This section is especially adapted to diversified farming. Among the products which Haskell county excels in are corn, oats, wheat, rye, peanuts, cowpeas, some alfalfa, all the grains and sweet sorghums, many varieties of fruits, vegetables and the whole family of melons.

Of recent years experimentation with barley has proved that it is destined to become one of the main crops. Last year the production was sufficintly large to demonstrate the accuracy of the view. The county also has large herds of registered cattle, hogs, poultry, and some sheep.

Haskell has a large trade with the surrounding country. It has become the marketing and distributing point for the entire county of Throckmorton to the east, which is without railroad connection or facilities. Haskell itself is situated 100 miles south of Wichita Falls, on the Wichita Valley railroad and fifty-five miles northeast of Abilene.

Nearly a million acres are planted that supply the canneries of California.

DRAFT EVADER SEEKS GERMAN CITIZEN SHIELD

By Associated Press

EBERBACH, Baden, Jan. 29.—German citizenship papers for Grover C. Bergdoll, American draft evader, for which he applied a number of days ago, have been made out and are ready to be issued as soon as the technical state of war between the United States and Germany has been ended. His chauffeur, Isaac Stecher, has already been granted citizenship papers.

Bergdoll has a cousin here, but he and Stecher have virtually been living in Bergdoll's automobile, spending but one night in each place visited. The authorities and all the citizens are very friendly to Bergdoll, and resentment against the Americans who participated in the attempted kidnaping of Bergdoll and Stecher is intense. The fact that a woman was shot through the head during the attempt has added to the excitement.

Carl Neuf and Frank Zimmer, alleged American detectives, who took part in the attempt against Bergdoll, are being guarded carefully, and no one is permitted to see them. It is understood the charge lodged against Neuf and Zimmer of disturbing the peace now has been changed to attempted homicide. The present whereabouts of Bergdoll is not known.

In the woods of India are found many small brown bears that are known as the honey bears, because of their love of honey and their continued search for the hives of wild bees. These bears are fitted by nature to get the money, two of the upper incisor teeth being missing, and their lips are very extensile.

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The complete Majestic bill of seven acts will be shown for the first time in Wichita Falls with the opening of the PALACE THEATRE, Wednesday, Feb. 2.

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WALES PRINCE WILL GIVE AID TO BOY SCOUTS

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Convinced that the Boy Scout movement is the best means for combatting Bolshevism, the Prince of Wales is appealing to his fellow-countrymen throughout the world for funds.

"The Prince does not feel that he is justified in asking for financial assistance from America," said Sir Baden Powell, chief of the Boy Scouts. "At the same time he realizes what a big asset in the movement America is and how cordially it responds to the "Jamboree' at Olympia this year."

"This is entirely a personal suggestion of the Prince himself. We are not handling it in way. All monies collected are to be sent to the Prince of Wales at St. James' Palace and will be acknowledged by him."

"Had it been thought advisable to appeal to America the International News Service would have been the bearer of his message. Still we wish, through the International News Service to send the message to Canada and we hope that the response from that part of the Dominions will be good.

"If any generous hearted American people think that the introduction of the Boy Scout movement into the United States is in any way a result of my work and they would like to show this appreciation by subscribing to the Prince of Wales fund, of course, such subscriptions would be most gratefully received.

"The Prince is the Chief Scout for Wales, and any communications on this matter should be addressed to him as such. In addition, his sister, Princess Mary is one of the leaders of the Girl Guides."

The appeal, which is being sent out to all Boy Scout organizations in the Empire, is written on the Prince's personal notepaper and is signed by him at the foot. It is as follows:

"ST. JAME'S PALACE, S. W.

"During my recent tours I had an opportunity for seeing the strength of the Boy Scout movement; it has spread to every land and corner of the Empire, and its possibilities for the future, both at home and overseas are very great.

"There is an erroneous impression abroad that the work of the Boy Scouts is carried on without money; unfortunately, this is a complete misconception of the position. Considerable sums are required to meet the expenses of the association. At least 200,000 pounds is essential in order to 'carry on' and to put the movement on a sound footing.

"On all sides I hear of grateful admiration for the men who have voluntarily carried out this work for their younger brothers during the past twelve years. I want to suggest that everybody who feels with me should express it by subscribing to a fund which we could then offer to the Scouts' Association as a mark of appreciation for its splendid work.

"The movement as I have seen for myself is healthy and growing steadily; last year it increased in numbers and efficiency beyond all expectation.

"Will you help us to double 'ts numbers this next year?

"(Signed) EDWARD P.
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JUDGES ARE VAMP PROOF, THEY ASSERT BUT BABY STARE CAN WIN JURY OF MEN

Interesting Court Opinions are Brought Out to Refute Statements of Dr. Katharine Davis.

Written by Margery Rex for the International News Service.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Can a judge be vamped?

When Dr. Katherine B. Davis, New York's former Commissioner of Correction, told Philadelphia the other day that a judge is but a mere bit of injudicious wax which melts before the warm gaze of a feminine offender a low moan was heard to come from the Liberty Bell. It did seem for a moment to mean the end of women's rights—rather, her privileges.

"I have seen many a pretty girl, dressed in fine clothes escape with a light sentence or gain her freedom by smiling at the judge," Dr. Davis said, and adding that the baby stare was efficacious in making crime lose its meaning as far as the court was concerned.

At which Independence Hall shuddered to its very foundation of freedom and several of the judicial of the City of Brotherly Love talked back.

Judge Raymond McNeille, of the Municipal Court, says that if even the Queen of Sheba ever comes to Philly to commit her crimes her "good morning Judge," would have no more pull with him than if the greeting were passed by a sober Mennonite maid or a demure little Quaker garbed in gray.

What New York Judges Say.

The question of the Sheban Queen's future standing in a Philadelphia court having been defined, if somewhat loosely, we turn to what observations of women prisoners and litigants two New York supreme court judges have culled from years of experience.

One of them, Justice John Ford, defends women and her wiles, yet makes it clear that the only complete judgment of a woman is that verdict which comes from members of her own sex.

"Who knows? Who can tell when a woman is employing her wiles. Eh? Well, another woman, perhaps! "One of the critics of Dr. Davis replies that he 'couldn't be vamped by a Queen of Sheba.' I consider that an egotistical statement for any modern judge to make, because old Judge Solomon succumbed to the wiles of that lady, you know.

"I suppose there never was a man yet, from St. Anthony down, who was not influenced by women's beauty. He may be entirely unconscious of it, too.

"I have always advocated the presence of women on juries, particularly in cases where there are women witnesses or where either or both parties to the suit are women."

Erlanger for Women Jurors.

Like treatment to insure justice for women is recommended by Supreme Court Justice Mitchell L. Erlanger, who believes in the woman juror. He said:

"In my opinion no woman, whether plaintiff or defendant, has ever succeeded by her arts or beauty in influencing any judge."

"Jurors have been influenced by sympathy in favor of women, but the records of our courts show that wherever such a result was reached—and I am now speaking of civil cases—the verdict has been set aside on the theory that chivalry has not yet been engrafted on the laws of our state.

"There is no separate justice for women.

"They are treated exactly as the male sex is.

"If results can be brought about by such means as Dr. Davis suggests, the fault lies with the jury. The only remedy is to empanel a jury of women who will judge their sex strictly in accordance with the merits of the claims."

No Doubt About Influence.

But to go back to the question of women's influence, especially as exercised in times of crisis, Justice Ford says:

"God, in his wisdom, gave to women the power to hoodwink, befuddle, befog and wheedle men. It has to do with the primitive relations of the sexes. In the old days women had no other defense but her power to influence men.

"And no matter what new fields woman may invade that power over men will never diminish.

Never was there a man who was not moved by feminine beauty.

"There is no harm in this power of women. If God gave women this quality of responding to it. It is right and fair that women should be able to sway by this force. They have always had a harder life than men.

"It is not altogether beauty, either; it's a quality found in children of the tenements as well as in Fifth avenue belles. It's a feminity that appeals.

"Now as far as this quality getting a woman 'off' in court with a light sentence, or none at all, let me explain how this has come to be believed.

"If the evidence is closely balanced and it is difficult to make a decision, a woman is often apt to be dismissed where a man might be held by the law. These are practically cases—most of our cases are that sort. The cases that are not closely balanced can be settled outside of a court."

Dr. Davis said that pretty girls with "fine clothes" were able to win a judge's favor. Judge Ford does not agree with her.

"It is not clothes, not the coquettry of splendid dress. Women who attempt to bedazzle by their apparel nearly always overplay the part by making a garish appearance.

Simple Court Dress.

"In the notorious Thaw trial everyone was affected by the sight of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, the defendant's wife, who was simply gowned in some dark dress with a plain white collar and a flower pinned to her waist. That was not the attraction of fine clothes but an appeal by an effect of simplicity and feminity.

"Wasn't it a carefully careless effect—a premeditated simplicity?" I asked.

"I repeat," smiled Judge Ford, "Who knows?"

"Men should try and be on guard in such cases. I often have examined myself, after a session of that sort, where a woman was involved, to see if I was exactly just or was even slightly influenced."

Now Justice has always been represented as a large blindfolded lady holding lopsided scales. If woman is unfair to woman, as is sometimes believed to be the case, then perhaps fair defendants in litigation have done better to woo Lady Luck through man's magnanimity than take a reckless chance by dealing directly with the lady whose eyes are covered.

"How does anyone know justice is blind?

Perhaps that eye sash is a bandage made necessary through the ages by the wrath of a woman who got introduced to justice through her own sex.

In any case, women juries will find out what secrets hide under the bandage.



Many of the Armenian girls who were forced into Turkish harems during the war and became the involuntary wives of Turks and Arabs are now unwilling to leave their husbands, according to entente and American officials who are attempting to restore them to their families. Many fear the hardships of the old life among their fellow countrymen who knew of their servitude, and others have become attached to their present husbands, and thy declare they prefer existing condition to those prior to the war. Where the women have children the complexity of the situation is even greater.—Chicago Tribune.

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Special to The Record News.

SOUTH BEND, Tex., Jan. 29.—Two months ago South Bend was nothing but the proverbial "wide spot in the road." Today it sports a live and aggressive Chamber of Commerce, headed by F. E. Page and O. A. McBrayer, an electric light system, telephones, water works, 'nevrything practically which goes to make up a modern, progressive, hustling and bustling town.

Several months ago the road to South Bend was hardly ever traveled. Today heavy travel to and from this youngest of oil towns marks practically every hour of the 24, the cars carrying operators, field men, scouts, lease hounds and all other classes to be found in the oil field, as well as teams and trucks which haul casing, and other oil field supplies and paraphernalia, forming practically a stream of traffic.

South Bend is counting heavily on the extension of the Wichita Falls and Southern road to that place from Newcastle, through Graham, and going on South through Eliasville into Breckenridge. Realty prices are reported to have soared to fancy figures for the new town since the coming of the railroad was assured, principally through the efforts of Manager Clark of the South Bend townsite company.

Building activities are reported going on with a rush, the large number of carpenters hammering away on buildings for homes, stores and offices making such progress that the South Bend of one day is hardly recognizable for the South Bend of the next.

The date for the completion of the Southern extension into South Bend is June 15 next. Five grading outfits, according to reports from that place, are held at Newcastle in readiness to go into immediate activity with the receipt of the building permit expected now any day from the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The single bank now in South Bend, which has for the past three months operated as a private bank under the style of the J. T. Coleman Banking Co., has been re-organized under a state charter as the Guaranty State Bank. Mr. and Mrs. A. O. McBrayer, the community's oldest residents, have been running the bank, but under the new organization J. T. Coleman will be president, A. O. McBrayer, vice president and J. O. Miller, cashier. The capital stock is $15,000.

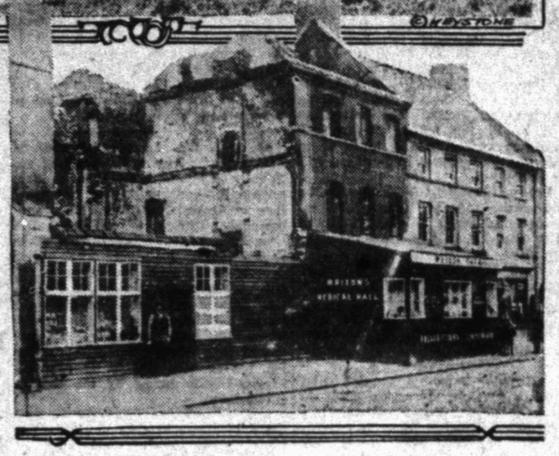
Some of the heaviest drilling operations now in progress in the Mid-Continent are being carried out in the section immediately surrounding South Bend. At least three scores of tests are reported to be in various stages of completion in this section. The daily production is continually climbing, and has been well into four figures for some time past.

The names of the following widely known oil companies and operators figure in the operations carried on in this section: Prairie, Roxanna, Shamrock, Empire Oil & Gas, North American, Cosden, Seaboard, Texas, Mid Kansas, Danciger, Oklahoma Petroleum and Gasoline, Panhandle and Colcord.

South Bend is ten miles south of Graham and is situated in one of the most fertile sections of this part of the state, on the south bank of the Clear Fork of the Brazos.

WIDOW'S HOME WRECKED BY SOLDIERS IN REPRISALS IN IRELAND





Daughter of Widow Brown in Mallow, County Cork, Ireland, standing beside furniture outside wrecked home and, below, tin shops which have replaced stores wrecked in Mallow.

These photos show graphically the conditions in parts of Ireland as strife continues there between the Sinn Feiners and the British military. Above is shown what is left of the home of a widow, Mrs. Brown, in Mallow, County Cork, Ireland, after soldiers carried out reprisals. Before blowing up her home the soldiers moved out her furniture. Below is shown how Mallow merchants, whose stores were destroyed during riots, have built temporary tin stores in front of the wrecked buildings.

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. G. Larsen, Fort Worth.
F. W. Michel, Electra.
C. W. Herring, Burkburnett.
C. A. Strump, Tulsa.
G. H. Malsted, Fort Worth.
J. H. Morh, Fort Worth.
. H. Morh, Fort Worth.
G. Shanl, Fort Worth.
C. B. Moncrief and wife.
G. Shanl, Walters.
J. C. Holmes, Electra.
W. P. Brooks, Fort Worth.
A. M. Kine, St. Louis.
Wm. McDonnell, St. Paul.
S. P. Brian, Houston.
George C. Testerman, St. Louis.
O. M. Luther, St. Louis.

ARGONNE

A. A. Boyle, K. M. A.
A. L. Hemmer, K. M. A.
C. A. Shulte, Milwaukee.
L. F. Monken, Dean, Tex.
Charles Myers, Elk City.
B. C. Clayton, Elk City.
W. E. Munson, Vernon.
Dick Waller, New York.
C. J. Kigin, Indianapolis.
H. M. Muse, Henrietta.
J. R. Shields, Wichita.
W. O. McDaniel, Detroit.
J. S. Roberts, Kalamazoo, Mich.
J. A. Ritchie, Potsdam, N. Y.
Ora Hinton, Burkburnett.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crook, Amarillo.

Harding Drives Willys-Knight

Long famed because of its popularity with royal families of Europe, added distinction has been given the Willys-Knight car by reason of the fact that President-elect Warren G. Harding has used a Willys-Knight 20 sedan for the past several months.

President-elect Harding acquired the Willys-Knight sedan early in the campaign for election to the Presidency on the Republican ticket. Despite the fact that his was a front-porch campaign, the President-elect used the car extensively for short trips in and about Marion is to the effect that the car, because of its dependability, its smoothness of operation, its high quality and fine appointments, made distinct appeal to Mrs. Harding.

From a popular moving picture film as many as 250 to 275 prints have sometimes been required.

The men who direct the affairs of the City National Bank of Commerce—by reason of their ability, integrity and financial standing—give the bank a personality which inspires confidence. The steadily growing list of the bank's patrons is one indication of this confidence.—Adv.

Alley Polisher Makes Getaway From Chain Gang

The city lost another "vag" Saturday.

One of Tom Taylor's corps of alley "polishers" made a getaway while Tom was lighting his pipe on the windless side of a building.

This is the second time that escapes have been made by the "vags" since Uncle Tom of the sanitary department was deputized by Chief of Police Huff to give daily "airings" to the "vag" inmates of the city jail by using them to clean up alleys in the downtown district.

"What difference does it make if they do get away?" declared the veteran member of the sanitary department when asked about the incident. "We're working 'em to get rid of, them, ain't we?

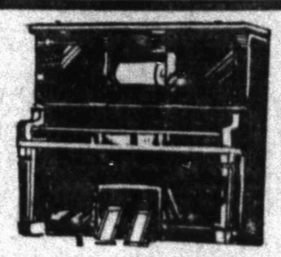
"That bird that got away today wasn't worth a dang to work, no how."

Chief Huff was satisfied when Uncle Tom assured him that at the rate he left the vag would be in Fort Worth by night.

One of the investigating scientists of the American Forestry Magazine says the polar bear is a great swimmer, quite as good as the seal, and enjoys a plunge in the cold seas and a trip on floating ice. Some scientists claim to have seen polar bears swimming eight miles from land.

The great dome of St. Paul's Cathedral, London, is supported on eight underground piers.

Take a supply of French pastry home with you today. Tempting, tasty cakes, made by a pastry artist in a spotless kitchen. Kemp Hotel Lunch Room.—Adv.



Extending Your Opportunity

To Get That Piano For Your Home On Our Price Reduction Offer.

For a few days longer the Big Saving Prices will be in force. These prices have enabled many to obtain pianos during the past two weeks, and we are keeping the opportunity open for a short time longer.

	Regular Price	Now
PLAYERS		
Webster	$850	$680
Hamilton	$775	$650
Lagonda	$700	$550
UPRIGHTS		
Jesse French	$550	$447
Lagonda	$465	$387
BABY GRANDS		
J. & C. Fischer	$1100	$912
USED PIANOS		
Concerto	$675	$425

This is slightly used; other used pianos, $60 and $250.

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ANNOUNCES NEW ARRIVALS IN
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Whether it's a "chic" little hat for afternoon, street attire—a snappy sport hat for the golf links — or something "dressy" for evening, you will find the new Spring creations most captivating.

We are happy to announce that we have obtained the services of Miss Jane Slater, formerly of "Cheney's" of Fort Worth. Miss Slater comes with an established reputation as an expert milliner. She has the knack of adding those artistic touches, often slighted, yet so essential to make Milady's headwear really become her.

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New Models in Taffeta Dresses at..... $29.5[illegible]

ALWAYS THE BEST PLACE TO TRADE
Fall Suits 1-2 Off



Prices range from ..... $27.95 to $59.95
A few more Boys' Suits; values .....$4.95 to $22
We have a limited number of Children's Fall Coats we are closing out at unheard of prices
Ask to see our new Buster Brown Hosiery, silk and silk lisle; prices .....50c to $2.65

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For scientific treatment of chronic, nervous and special diseases of both sexes, catarrh of all mucous membrane, stomach, liver, kidney complaints, blood and skin diseases. Hemorrhoids and prostatic complications treated without the knife, by a safe and humane system of scientific office treatment.

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Those who have wasted time and money, and failed to get rid of their ailments, are especially invited to consult FREE. I am giving the benefit of over 30 years' honorable experience; some of my cures are truly wonderful, yet I do not work magic; I do not make the old younger, nor the blind see; I simply apply the knowledge my years of honorable experience have given me, and I do this honestly and intelligently.

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SCOUTS GIVEN MERIT BADGES FOR EXCELLENCE

One first class scout, four second class scouts and thirty-seven tenderfoots were awarded badges at the monthly session of the court of honor of the Boy Scout organization held Friday night at the First Baptist church. Lee Clark Jr., was awarded the first class badge making a total of twelve scouts of that rank in the local scout organization. Clark is a member of Troop 6.

Homer Anderson of Troop 2, Robert Diggs of Troop 2, Teddy Brown of Troop 6 and William Powers of Troop 3 were awarded second class badges.

The following scouts divided among the several troops are now rated as tenderfeet due to the action of the honor court: Earl Bruner, Welch Wyatt, George Montgomery, Jack Kadane, James Grace, Lavine Grace, Jack Thurman, Morris Caraway, Lloyd West, Dudley Kelly, William Panaretis, Gene Culver, Edmond Coffey, Charles Willenborg, John McMahon, James Pierce, Paul Hull, Willy Ballard, Murrell Trevathan, Verna Ballard, Robert Peckham, Ford Chauncey, John Ditmore, Adolf Gouchie, Marvin Pollard, Ben McClabary, Travis Young, John Craig, Pierpont Brand, Roy Rogers, Wayne Ferguson, Otis McConley, Thomas Person, Herbert McClentick, LaVerne Gradd.

In the absence of Judge A. H. Carrigan who was out of the city, Mayor Cline addressed the mass meeting of the scouts at the First Baptist church which followed the regular scout meetings and the presentation of the badges by the honor court. Mayor Cline expressed appreciation for the work that the scouts had done in aiding the city government in several civic improvements and expressed the hope that they would continue to cooperate in all municipal improvements that might be carried out in the future. He also spoke for a short time on the benefits to be derived from scout work.

In connection with the announcement of awards, Scout Executive Taylor stated that the efficiency troop contest for the last quarter of 1920 had been won by Troop 6. The troop was awarded the scout flag of parade size. The flag will be held by the troop until won in quarterly contest by another troop. For the first quarter of this year, Troop 1 is leading.

Paderewsky to Continue Seat As Pact Member

MORGES, Switzerland, Jan. 29.—Former Premier Paderewski of Poland announced today that he had resigned as a member of the Polish delegation, but declared the report of his resignation as Polish delegate to the League of Nations was incorrect. (A Warsaw dispatch of January 28 carried this report.)

Paderewski said he wished to be relieved of part of his work because of his indifferent health. His coming trip to America, he said, would be of a private nature and purely for rest and he expected to return to Switzerland in September to resume his functions as Polish representative to the League of Nations.

Speaking of reports that he might resume his public appearance on the concert stage, the famous pianist declared he would never play in concert again, although he had received many excellent offers from America. His American trip would be undertaken about the end of February, he said, and he would first visit California, where he has many friends.

Ballad Singer Would Build in Heart of Rose

"I'd Build the World in the Heart of a Rose."

That's what Tully Brown, one of those warbling persons who will appear in the Elk Minstrel Monday and Tuesday night at the Wichita theater says, he'd do. The contractors are naturally a bit jealous of this form of construction. They are afraid it would fall away rather rapidly. All of which doesn't bother Tully one bit. He's going to warble his little old scheme of changing things entirely.

Happy Thomas thinks a rose bower would be a nice thing for his troubles. He's all the time cooing to himself, "Sweet Mama, Papa's Gettin' Mad." Charles Neal has a similar girl trouble, only not so far advanced. His refrain is something about "I've Got the Sweetheart Blues."

George C. Taylor and the minstrel quartette take that sentimental like. It reminds them of "Dead Old Dixie Moon."

The whole gang chimes in on that note. They chorus about, "Down the Trail to Home Sweet Home," "In the Dusk" and "My Home Town Is a One Horse Town." Robert A. Ray sings a "Blue Jeans," Mell Bernstein of "Swanee"; Dave Paul, "Tripoli"; R. S. Richardson, "Marimbo"; J. W. Akin, Jr., "Biddy"; Paul Von Allman, "On Miami Shore."

J. Wilkie Talbert don't know what to make of the whole shenanigan and so he talks about, "Long Gone."

Joe Marlow has a specialty in the way of buck and wing dancing. Joe learned that stunt on the lone prairie where the coyotes howl around longhorn steers.

Lone Derrick Long Waits on Bare Hill for Challenger to Seize Winner-Take-All Purse

A lone derrick, stood on a bare hill, in a gaunt country.

Its loneliness represented a silent challenge.

Its owners, who also held some 3000 acres of land surrounding the derrick offered inducements to the driller who would obtain oil beneath the derrick floor but offered nothing to he who should fail.

As in a Jack Dempsey challenge match real aspirants were none.

The lone derrick stood so long that its weather beaten sides resembled those of a Southland car and the first norther that came threatened to end its solitary existence. Still its derrick floor was not molested with the drilling rig of the challenger.

Finally he came. With a faithful crew he drilled and drilled some more.

Oil shot up into the lone derrick one day after a number of days of drilling. An oil covered derrick is never alone so this ends the story of the lone derrick.

This is oily romance the greatest of all romance. It has been stalking around local oil circles for several days but it has been so long absent that operators have been slow in recognizing it.

It has to deal with the latest wildcat well of the section. The lone derrick belongs to Dr. J. T. M. Johnson and Reese Allen of this city, who constructed it shortly after they purchased the 3,000 acres of land on which it was located, two years ago. The land is known as the Ashland ranch, eighteen miles northeast of this city.

Ed Foster, well known in local oil circles, is the challenger. He has a large interest in the wildcat well and surrounding lease which has produced better than seventy-five barrels of oil daily at shallow depth for sevdays. The new field gives promise of larger production at a deeper depth.

The faithful crew of four were brought to this city Tuesday and given brand new clothes of a well known make.

Old man Hard Times has dealt oily romance a mighty blow but it has not obliterated it.

ELECTRA PAY REPORTS TWO COMPLETIONS

H. A. STROUD.

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Jan. 29.—A number of new locations and a considerable pick-up in activities in the new south field were the principal points of interest in the Electra fields this week. Two completions were reported in this district, which is about the usual number that has been made for several weeks. In spite of the inclement weather, operations have been going right on and there is plenty of water to keep work moving.

The completions were the Gladiolus company's No. 4, which is now swabbing about 100 barrels at 960 feet, and the Bryan Oil corporation has the other in the 1,400-foot sand with an estimated production of around 200 barrels. Several wells are testing sands, or are nearing one of the four that have been found in this district. The Gulf Production company is nearly down with its 13-A Burnett in the east end of section 1, offsetting its discovery well that was a sensation a few weeks ago. The Gulf company has also erected a derrick for their third well, which will be 14-A Burnett, in the same section. Lincoln McDannald et al., are testing a sand at 990 feet.

Other activities are as follows:

Barr Davis Oil company, No. 8 Burnett, in section 6, drilling at 1,150 feet. No. 10 rigging up.

Gladiolus Oil company No. 10 Burnett shut down for orders on the new sand at 1,017 feet.

Winkoorth & Harris have spudded in their No. 1 Harris in section 5.

Armstrong et al. are drilling at 200 feet in their No. 1 Burnett, section 5.

Texas Interstate Oil company, No. 4 Burnett, is drilling at 600 feet.

Larkin et al., No. 1 Burnett, in the northeast corner of the west half of the west section 1, are standardizing at 970 feet to drill in.

E. A. Dale, No. 1 Parker, section 13, is rigging up.

Hammond et al. have spudded in their No. 1 Burnett in section 12.

Purina Dealers Will Meet Here February 7-8

Between 50 and 75 dealers from Northern Texas and Southern Oklahoma are expected to be present at the annual convention of Ralston Purina Chow dealers to be held at the Kemp hotel here February 7th and 8th, according to information received by O. P. Maricle, of the Maricle Coal and Feed Co., from J. C. Philo, of Gainesville, district representative of the Ralston Purina Company of Texas. The convention will be in the nature of an idea swapping gathering and hints as to securing an increase in business will be exchanged.

Preparations will be made by the local dealer and the Chamber of Commerce to advertise Wichita Falls and show the visitors the city during the two days.

Last year's convention was held at the Adolphus hotel in Dallas.

Many clergymen in London, it is said, are paid lower wages than streetsweepers.

One dollar is all you require to become a Savings depositor with the City National Bank of Commerce—the largest bank in West Texas. The bank will pay you 4 per cent compound interest and protect your money against all possibility of loss.—Adv.

AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE TO GO TO ELECTRA

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Jan. 29.—A meeting will be held here in a few days of the Wichita County Agricultural conference, an organization composed of representatives of Wichita Falls, Electra, Iowa Park and Burkburnett, for the promotion of agricultural interests in the county.

Members of the conference say that Wichita county has overlooked a wonderful opportunity in agricultural lines and that many farms are now non-productive because of their owners having received large royalties and lease bonuses from oil, which caused them to leave the farms.

The purpose of the organization will be to induce the land owners to again place their lands back on the productive list and to create a better relationship between the farmers and oil men.

Neglect in shutting gates and tearing down fences has become a menace to cattle raising in the vicinity of the fields, and has caused many farmers to sell their herds and quit the business. The commission also plans to promote dairying, poultry raising and truck farming.

Oscar Tokoi, formerly premier of Finland, and leader of a band of political exiles, has settled on a farm at North Temiskaming, in the province of Ontario, Canada. He is accompanied by 39 fellow exiles who have been banished from their native country. Tokio, who was president of the Finnish parliament at the time of Kerensky's rule in Russia, was deposed as a result of the revolution and became a political exile. These men have formed a little colony of thir own at North Temiskaming, having been sent to Canada and provided with farms by the British government.

Prices about half as much as you would expect during our sale of dishes. Wichita Hardware Co.—Adv.

at WOOD'S

There's a Pair of Shoes for You



WE HAVE YOUR SIZE

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AND PRICES, well, this is the sale that stands the acid test. The most seasoned bargain shoppers, those who have survived the recent carnival of price slaughtering unscathed completely capitulate at this sale.

Don't forget this is one of the most sensational Shoe Sales ever staged in Texas

JUST SIX MORE DAYS

THE SOONER YOU COME—THE LARGER THE SELECTION

HERE WE GO—

Your choice of any Ladies' high grade Walking Shoe in store; Calfskin, values up to $20 . . . . . $6.90

Kid Leathers, $21 values $7.90

READ ON—

500 pairs high heel Dress Shoes, all sizes, all widths, brown, black and gray, kid and suede; values up to $21, while they last $3.90

KEEP DRY—

300 pairs Ladies' medium heel Rubber Overshoes, $1.50 values 79c

200 pairs, $1.25 values at 59c

ONE BETTER—

300 pairs of Misses' School Shoes, sizes 3 to 6, black Calfskin and patent; $10 values $3.75

WHO CAN BEAT IT—?

Men's Regal brand Calfskin Shoes at $7.50

Kid at $9.45

Kangaroo at $9.85

CHILDREN'S SHOES—

Buster Brown Dress Welts, 11 1-2 to 2, $9.50 values $5.75

Buster Brown Dress Shoes, 8 1-2 to 11, $7.50 values $4.45

Kewpie Twins Shoes, $8.50 values at $4.90

One special lot of School Shoes values up to $5.50, go for $2.45

MEN'S BOOTEES—

Smoke Elk, $12.50 grade . . . . . $ 4.90

Smoke Elk, $18.50 grade . . . . . $ 9.85

Smoke Elk, $23.50 grade $13.50

MEN'S FRENCH SHRINER AND URNER SHOES—

The highest grade Shoe manufactured in America for Men, $20, $21, $23 values; priced during sale at $12.45

SO MANY VALUES—

Should be listed in this space that we ask you to convince yourself by visiting this sale.

REMEMBER, our entire stock of High Top Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps all included. Now is the time to buy Shoes. Shoes are not so very much cheaper than they were last season. We have just got too many Shoes of all grades and we are going to take our loss and unload. Watch us.

300 Pairs of Ladies' House Shoes $3.75 Values go at 98c

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All Hosiery on Sale Extra Special One lot of Women's $3 Hose pair $1.19

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Sensational Sale of Ladies' Dresses



To close out all our winter styles in Dresses we are putting them on sale at very low prices, these are real bargains and consists of Satins, Tricotines, Georgette Crepe and Foulards.

$39.50 to $98.50
Sale Price Only $15.00

$110 to $169.50
Sale Price Only $25.00

On Sale Monday

You can also buy a very fine winter coat suit, a fine coat or furs very cheap as they are all priced to sell at real bargain prices.

A Real Hat Sale

Starting Monday we place on sale our entire stock of velour and felt hats at the following prices:

$6.00 Hats	$3.00	$12.50 Hats	$6.25
$7.50 Hats	$3.75	$18.50 Hats	$9.25
$10.00 Hats	$5.00	$40.00 Hats	$20.00

Special Sale Men's Union Suits

If you want some real fine underwear at a small price, attend this sale. Good assortment to select from.

$3.70 Men's Union Suits at	$1.25
$4.00 Men's Union Suits at	$1.50
$5.00 Men's Union Suits at	$1.75
$6.50 Men's Union Suits at	$2.50
$7.50 Men's Union Suits at	$3.00
$9.00 Men's Union Suits at	$3.50

The Howell Store

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 1921

Jay Walker, Esquire, Cousin Of Cheerful Ydiot and Kin of Gunne Poynter, Gets in Dutch

Jay Walker, Esq., of Everywhere, U. S. A. This gentleman comes of a very distinguished line. His first cousin on the distaff side is Cheerful Ydiot, who is universally loved for his gallant exploits in rocking the boat. On the other side of the house Mr. Jay Walker claims consanguinity with Gunne Poynter, whose scientific experiments are internationally famous under the head "He Didn't Know It Was Loaded."

In the intimate histories of the present era, which will some day be written, Jay Walker will claim an exalted place. He it is who is boosting the casualty column under the classification of motor vehicle accidents. He is ubiquitous in his operations, knowing no union rules, working earnestly at his chosen task day and night, everyday, everywhere, everyway. To see him leaping lightly and care-free amid the convolutions of modern traffic, brings tears of apprehension to the eyes of all beholders.

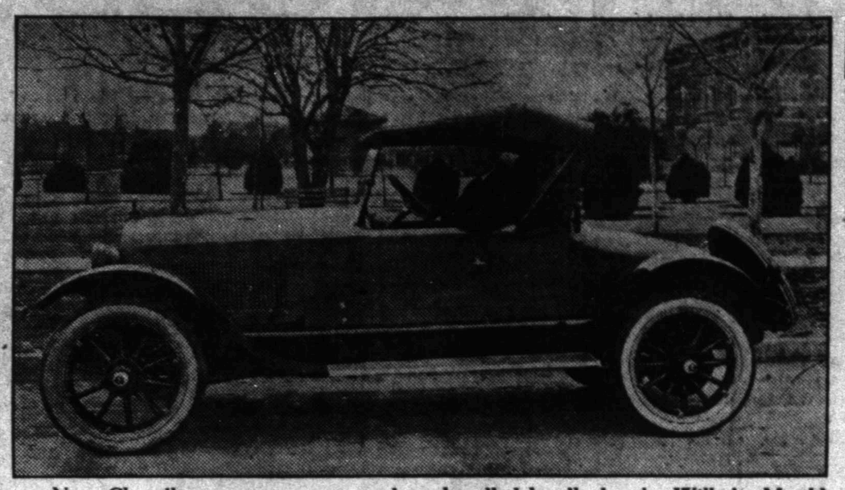
To see him step gracefully from the curb into the street, without once looking to see if any vehicle is approaching, is a lesson in pedestrian insouciance. To watch him cross a crowded street, while engrossing in the pages of his favorite newspaper, takes the punch out of Marshal Ney's claim to the title "bravest of the brave."

Having paid this inevitable tribute to the courage and abandon of Jay Walker, we may look at him briefly from another point of view—as the worst menace existing in modern traffic. The toll of motor vehicle accidents is mounting, as countless authorities have pointed out. It will continue to mount until all traffic is controlled—pedestrian as well as vehicular.

Traffic experts realize that it is impossible for all classes of modern traffic to occupy the same right of way at the same time in safety. Vehicles are not allowed on the pavement and are only permitted to use the streets under control of traffic officers. We cannot forbid pedestrians to use the vehicular section of the streets for crossing purposes, but we can compel them to use them under definite rules of conduct, designed to promote their own safety and that of other users of the right of way.

The sooner this problem is squarely met, the sooner we shall achive reasonable safety for all in modern urban traffic, which at best is existing under conditions never anticipated by our fathers who laid out our city highway systems.—Editorial by Alexander Johnston, in Motor for January.

New Type of Chandler



New Chandler two-passenger roadster handled locally by the Wilhelm-Moulder company, which is a recent addition to the Chandler line. This car is a battleship gray and is the first two-passenger job put out by the Chandler factory in five years

BLOW-OUTS FROM AUTO ROW
BY FLAT TIRE

Prospects for the automobile business are looking better every day, and although the reported sale of new cars has not been very large the past week the prospects are numerous, and the future looks exceedingly bright. Used cars reported sold have been few in number, everyone waiting for the price to drop further, which will be to their disappointment.

King & Weaver, new distributors of the Nash line, are rapidly completing their new show rooms, which will be one of the best in the city. They expect to open the first of next week with a complete line of Nash cars.

A new face was seen along auto row this past week and upon inquiry we found it to be T. S. McCorkle, newly appointed representative for the "Most Miles Per Dollar" factory. Mr. McCorkle will be in and out of the city from time to time in the interest of his firm, and we more than welcome him to be one of us, that is, if he stays clear of that fellow Quelsser of the Motor Supply company.

Among the many dealers who slipped away from the city the past week to attend the auto show in Chicago was our friend F. D. Keim, local Studebaker dealer. Mr. Keim will not only visit the show, but will go to the factories in Detroit and South Bend, Ind., while on this trip, and be back in about ten days.

Among our visitors to the city the past week was Gaylord A. Hoyt of the sales department of the Franklin Motor Car company, J. A. Connelly of the service department, and Dr. W. G. Langley of Dallas, distributor of Northwest Texas of Franklin cars, who spent a day with Carl Waelder, local dealer. These gentlemen were on an inspection tour of this part of the state, and their opinion of this section of Texas, relative to the automotive industry, was very good, indeed. They state that the prospects for spring business are excellent and with a man like Carl Waelder behind their car here they look for big things from Wichita Falls.

D. H. Rubsam of the Marshall Huff Motor Company, left last Thursday for Chicago where he will attend the auto show.

After selling a Packard single six sedan this last week, W. K. Thompson, local Packard distributor, took a flier to Dallas for a few days. Leave it to W. K., to dispose of the autos.

Now if some of the world's fastest drivers should unexpectedly come to town and want to know who held the medal for stepping on it, we would suggest Walter Daugherty or Al Booth, for from what we can gather of that flying trip to Vernon last Thursday, all records were broken for speed.

D. L. Fritz spent a few days in Graham last week and it was not with the Chamber of Commerce either. Fritz says it was a Mormon prospect that drew him to that territory and when he starts after them, we pity the prospect.

The auto dealers of Wichita Falls who are single men, are fastly changing their minds on the question of matrimony and we are at a loss to know what it is that makes them take the step, whether it is a spell of hard luck in their business or the prospects for a good spring business. The last one to commit this act was Carl Waelder of the Franklin Sales Company when Saturday evening he and Miss Faye Garrison were united in marriage. They say it takes a good salesman to sell himself, so look out for Carl when he gets back from that wedding tour.

C. C. Eckman, the man who sells Hups, made a little business trip to Graham last Thursday. Wonder where he got his tip that there was a prospect for an automobile down there.

DEALER URGES CARE OF CAR'S SEEMLY LOOKS

"The pride people take in equipping good-looking motor cars with equally good-looking winshields and other accessories of like nature is second only to the pride the normal motorist takes in keeping his car looking its best," declares Paul Von Allmen of Dickmen & Von Allmen, local Hupmobile distributors.

"Most people prize the appearance of their automobiles very highly and insist on a car that, in addition to having abundant power and thorough reliability, also qualifies as handsome in its appearance. Once they have acquired a good looking car they refuse to go back to one that does not possess this valuable feature.

"The man with a car whose appearance can be correctly termed as 'nothing extra' has no incentive to put high-grade windshields and the like on his automobile. But the man whose car makes a good appearance to start naturally takes a pride in getting the best kind of accessories—the kind which will add to the handsomeness of his machine and not detract from it.

"Everywhere the Moon car is recognized by its strikingly good looking appearance, both from the front and from the side—this in addition to a motor and other parts of recognized standard manufacture. It is noteworthy that Moon owners everywhere take pride in their cars and show this by equipping them with the best grade of windshilds and other specialties on the market.

POINTERS ON WASHING CAR.

The body of the car should be cleaned with castile soap and water. Mud should not be rubbed off, but rather should be washed off by flowing a gentle stream of water over the spot. This floats the mud off without injury to the polished surface. If mud be permitted to remain on a new body until it dries hard it almost always leaves a spot; consequently, removal should be immediate. If spots of road oil get on the body they should be removed by an application of salt butter, which loosens the oil, or by a local application of kerosene. Be careful not to rub them too much. The top should not be cleaned with gasoline or similar liquids. Soap suds and water should be used inside and out. For the upholstery a little linseed oil on a piece of cloth rubbed over it will work wonders.

Model Eight Years Old Rises From Junk Heap to Speedster

One day in the hands of the automobile wrecker to be broken up and sold as junk—three weeks later on the highway, running as quietly and smoothly as a well broken-in new car, and capable of a speed of ninety miles an hour. This information has just been received by Lloyd Weaver, local Hudson distributer, from the Hudson dealer in San Francisco, Calif.

In that one brief paragraph is given the story of a 1913 Hudson, model 6-54, now the property of Ben Harper, an attache of the U. S. Naval Radio Service. It is the story of a car that "came back," of a car that, built fundamentally right, has given proof in its supposed dotage that it is able to perform in a way causing many youngsters in the automotive arena to "go 'way back and sit down."

Not long ago Harper decided that he and his friend, Henry E. Wagner, who is in charge of the Naval Radio service in the Twelfth district, needed a machine for their regular inspection trips between San Francisco and San Pedro. Both men being good automotive mechanics, they agreed that a used car should be procured, generally overhauled and "tuned up" and used as a vehicle for travelling back and forth between this city, San Pedro and other points.

A few days later the two passed the yard of an automobile wrecker in Eleventh street, near Folsom, and saw the ancient Hudson. A cursory examination revealed that while "the old bus wasn't much to look at—in fact, some wreck," to use Harper's language, it was mechanically in fair condition. The price set by the wrecker for the chassis was $165, which they regarded as very reasonable, indeed. Purchasing the "wreck" without further delay, they towed it to their own shop.

Entirely disassembling the chassis, the two mechanics carefully cleaned the parts and then reassembled and adjusted them. Not a bearing had to be replaced, all being merely tightened. The only new parts installed were wrist pins and water pump. They had the wheels cut down from 36 to 32 inch size and put new tires on the rims. The valves were reground and supplemental gas and oil tanks installed. Then a cut-down body was built and placed on the chassis and the "old boy" was ready for a try-out.

"The car has now been driven more than 2,000 miles since we diagnosed its case and prescribed for it" explained Harper. "I wouldn't take a cent less than $1,500 for it, and am not eager to sell it at that figure. Nobody could ask for a faster, more powerful or more smooth running car. We tried it out on a safe piece of road and it will do a little better than ninety miles. The members of what we call the 'motorcycle gang' in the Naval Radio service thought their little motor velocipedes were speedy, but we have their hands up in the air."

From inquiries made in various quarters Harper and Wagner are of the opinion that the car had run about 150,000 miles before it was thought ready for the junk pile.

No Ouija Board Yet to Diagnose Battery Trouble

"Perhaps somebody will get rich one of these days diagnosing battery trouble with the help of a ouija board," says W. J. Maupin, Willard Service Station dealer, "but until then we will have to be satisfied with the slower, or old fashioned methods."

"Its remarkable how simple and accurate these methods are. The hydrometer, for instance, tells the specific gravity of each cell, and in that way the exact state of charge. From this test and another known as the insulation test, the battery man can tell whether a little recharging will put the battery in condition, or opening up for repairs will be necessary."

"Any car owner can make the hydrometer test. All there is to it is taking a sample of solution with the hydrometer, and then reading the figures on the little glass float. If the reading is above 1.250 the battery is properly charged. If below this figure, it should be given additional charge at a service station."

NEW OIL CAN.

An oil can new to the automotive field has for its principal feature its ability to feed under pressure by operating a lever. This actuates a piston at the bottom of the nozzle and forces the oil out with sufficient effort to permit feeding in a vertical position.—In Motor for January.

CALLS UPKEEP WEAK LINK IN ROADS SYSTEM

The weakest link in our American system of improved highways is its method of maintenance. We shall never achieve real progress in good roads development until we remedy this condition.

It is the present habit among road builders in this country to lay down a hard surfaced road and then leave it trustingly in the hands of Providence. This bespeaks a bland and childlike habit of thought which is inspiring, but unhappily it is costing the country a good many hundreds of millions of dollars in premature repair expenses and needless rebuilding costs.

No other product of man's constructional genius is subject to quite as many vicissitudes of wear and exposure as the highway surface. Millions of vehicles of varying weight are passing over the road surface every year. In addition it is subject to constant attack by the elements, rain, snow, sun, cold and heat. All are free to do their worst. And they take full advantage of their license. The total cost of repair and rebuilding operations thereby made necessary would stagger not humanity, but the taxpaying section thereof. If a patrolman is constantly watching any given strip of highway and on the first sign of a break gives first aid or summons the repair gang to do a somewhat more ambitious job, there will be no pot-holes to develop into great gashes that necessitate rebuilding. It is the old saying of the "stitch in time."

Any one of our really effective road surfaces will last for years, enough to make an adequate return on the money invested in it, if it is given proper attention. If the "if" could be eliminated there would be no more stories of highways built from the proceeds of bond issues and rebuilt long before the amortization of the original bonds. And that is precisely the sort of financial wildcatting that makes good roads progress difficult.—Alexander Johnston in January Motor.

FRENCH PATROL ROADS TO TAKE STITCH IN TIME

If we need an object lesson in the importance of road maintenance, we have only to turn our eyes toward France, which has evolved the finest system of keeping up roads in existence. The French maintenance system was installed by the first Napoleon, whose unerring mind realized to the full the importance of good roads, always in good condition. The French system embodies a corps of patrolmen, working constantly on the national roads.

These men have each a given length of road under their care, about four miles to the man. Each one is responsible for the condition of his district at all times. They cover their districts every day. The patrolman drives over the road in a two-wheeled cart, carrying a supply of mending materials, sufficient for any ordinary break.

Every slightest hole in the surface is patched as soon as it appears. If serious trouble arises from any cause, the patrolman notifies his inspector and the repair gang comes to the rescue.

In France the jobs of highway patrolman are usually given to veterans who have retired from army service. The pay is not large, but the patrolman gets a house with a plot of ground, the whole constituting an honorable livelihood.

Might it not be possible for us to follow a similar line of operation. We have some millions of veterans of our armies. Many thousands of them will be glad to secure a permanent means of livelihood, especially in the open air.

It may not be without profit to examine briefly the cost of such a national highway maintenance system. Suppose our hard surfaced highway system eventually comprises 300,000 miles. A patrolman with a small motor car to carry his tools and materials could handle ten miles of road, going over his district every day and making any needed repairs.

A force of 30,000 patrolmen would cover the entire road system. If we placed the wages of these men at $1,000 per annum, our total expenditure would be $30,000,000. If we double this sum to include the cost of running a car, supplying materials, etc., we have a total of $60,000,000 not at all a disproportionate expenditure when we consider the return.

We spend far more than this every year in making extensive repairs and doing rebuilding that the patrol system would obviate. It might even be possible to furnish the highway patrolman with a cottage and garden plot, after the French custom, and make the job attractive to men with families.

MOTORCYCLE RUNS PAPER.

Probably never before in the newspaper business has a motorcycle been used to furnish the power to run linotype machines. With the juice off, necessity became the mother of invention, and Charles Schuyler, a Trinidad (Colo.) printer, offered to rig up his Harley-Davidson and take a chance that its 16-horsepower engine would prove equal to the task. Belts were shifted around, the motorcycle placed in position and the gears thrown in high. The machine responded nobly, setting the two linotypes upstairs in motion and enabling the paper to reach its readers on schedule time.

SUN AUTO FILERS .. ..
Auto Ferries Self Across.

For ferrying automobiles across rivers, a Massachusetts man has designed a flatboat upon which a car can be run and connected to a propeller and rudder to navigate the craft across the stream.

Chase Raccoons On Coast Cycles

A seventy-five mile strip of tide land along the California coast was recently the scene of strange raccoon-hunting expeditions. At low tide one evening, two motorcyclists appeared at one end of the beach, their machines linked by an old tennis net. Lights out, and with as little noise as possible, they rode slowly down the wet sand, one behind the other. At length the leader sighted a raccoon at the wather's edge, intent upon his evening meal of succulent shell-fish. Immediately both machines darted forward at full speed, directly between the raccoon and the safety of the pine forest.

Alarmed, the raccoon made for the forest, but, halfway, found his path blocked by the net. The second hunter leaped from his motorcycle with an end of the net in his hand, and soon had the quary nicely entangled. So the hunt went on for two nights. Of fifteen sighted, seven escaped, two were shot and six were caught alive, to be sold later to a film company which had offered $150 for six live raccoons.

Tractor Erects Poles.

For the use of electric companies a tractor has been designed that quickly drills holes in any kind of ground and then hoists and sets poles in them.

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THE PLANT GOES ON

HORACE DODGE DIES IN SOUTHERN HOME

Surviving Brother of Famous Firm Succumbs After Long Decline—Had Never Recovered Shattered Health—The Business an Imposing Monument.

Horace E. Dodge, surviving member of the famous firm of Dodge Brothers, died at his winter home in Palm Beach, Fla., December 10. Cirrhosis of the liver was given as the immediate cause of death. "H. E. has gone to join J. F.," seems to the immediate circle of friends and associates a more sufficient statement of the circumstances.

Inseparable in life, the two brothers are now joined in death. That is as Horace wished it, and wished it every waking moment since his elder brother passed away last January. He died, not of a broken heart, but of a heart utterly crushed. It was one of those cases in which the physician is sometimes tempted to feel that he is little more than a helpless spectator to the fulfillments of the universe.

Horace, always seemingly the less robust, as well as the more retiring of the two, was the first to be seized with the violent influenza which within a few days brought both of them to death's door last winter. John, declining to leave his brother's side, was similarly stricken and passed away on January 14. Had the younger brother, then lying on the verge of death in an adjoining room of their hotel in New York, fully recovered and lived to assume the strongly individualized position which his business environment and social potentialities demanded it would have been a rare and almost peculiar occurrence.

His tremendous constitution, however, enabled him to survive and in time brought him a measure of strength. With frequent and more or less protracted absences for rest and treatment, he was enabled to oversee the business. Thus, in what was rather largely an advisory capacity, he was permitted to effect the transformation of the great establishment of Dodge Brothers from its old basis as a partnership to the institutional status which it had been the long-planned purpose of the founders that it should one day possess. The realignment of the organization, following John Dodge's death, was, of course, the work of Horace, and that he felt he had practically completed this undertaking to his own satisfaction and, in a manner of speaking, settled up their joint estate, was known to those about him.

Only ten days before his death, while speaking of the business, an affectionate light came into his eyes and he said, in response to the observation of a friend, "It's a pretty fine bunch of men out at the plant, and I'm proud of the way they're handling matters." He was then on his way to Florida, where he had lately purchased Marina Villa, at Palm Beach, from Charles B. Dillingham.

With business behind him, and apparently on the road to recovery, he was planning a long rest and evidently expected to regain his vigor. For a few days after his arrival in the warmer climate he seemed to improve, so much so that his personal physician left his side. He was again stricken, however, and sank rapidly.

Horace E. Dodge was born in Niles, Mich., in 1868. He was, therefore, 52 years old when he died. More than three years the junior of his brother, to whom he was bound by an affinity such as commonly is attributed only to twins, his personality was largely submerged in the joint career upon which they later embarked. That John spoke and acted for the Dodge Brothers and was so largely accepted as the personification of the pair, was in part the result of his dominant personality. It was, however, no injustice to Horace that was thus brought about. His retiring, almost diffident nature craved no outward display. He was sufficient unto himself and it was always agreeable to him to have a spokesman of his own mind. For John, in his forceful and often laconic way, had the gift of tongues, but Horace had the gift, in some ways greater, of silence. He could listen longer than any man could talk, and few there were who could withstand his unflinching gaze, even though they spoke the truth.

BORN AND BRED MECHANICS

So it came about that these two sons of a machinist in Niles played together and fought together, learned their trade side by side in the father's shop, separated now and then as youths and young men, but always came together again as the bond between them grew stronger and their natures became more and more complimentary. Their joint career, traced only eleven months ago, is still perhaps fresh in mind. It was then, however, the career of John and Horace. Now it may be reviewed in a mellower light, for things may not be said about the living which are freely spoken after they have ceased to be concerned with this world's affairs.

It is only justice to the late survivor of the partnership, therefore, to say that where the elder brother became the outside representative, in the sense of conducting negotiations and attending to business matters, the younger became more and more the philosopher and technician, the "inside man," in the sense of evolving and solving the many mechanical problems on which at first their livelihood and later their successes depended. Where one brother became a great industrial leader, therefore, the other became a master among manufacturers. He knew his machinery as few men do, and where existing mechanisms failed him he was always creating new ones. Thus in the development of this unique twin personality the role of the younger became that of the confidential and almost unseen power and, in many ways where physical achivement was concerned, the creative power. At the same time the powers of both were balanced. Neither proceeded without the advice of the other and there were few undertakings in which, despite this seeming division of activity, they did not participate share and share alike.

PARTNERS FOR THIRTY YEARS.

All of this, was, of course, the crystalization of thirty-odd years' association and experience. Horace Dodge, at 19, went to work for "Tom" Murphy, at the old Murphy Boiler Works, in Detroit, where John was already employed. Work in that line, and in those times, was in both social and physicl aspects a strength test. Only the fittest survived and the unfit fell quickly. To their last days the Dodge brothers retained the rugged impress of those rough and ready days, as they did the fondness for practical mechanics which was bred in them there.

Three or four years later they crossed over to Windsor and entered the employ of the Canadian Typograph Co., where their experience in the building of bicycles—they had already devised and put together one of their own, as youngsters, the first to be seen in Niles—led to their first invention and their first important business venture. The invention was a ball bearing, which was used by the bicycle maker—under a royalty arrangement. The business experience, somewhat less satisfactory, was the leasing and operation for a time by the Dodge brothers of the concern itself.

In 1901 they returned to Detroit and opened a machine shop on Beaubein street. This was their first undertaking in their own name, and it prospered, though modestly at first. Later, with more business than they could handle, they moved to a larger establishment on Monroe street. Much-needed equipment was procured at a critical time when the affairs of the old Canadian concern were wound up, the Dodge brothers, as creditors, taking, in settlement of their claim, some of the very machinery which they had formerly been employed to operate. For a time it was something of a struggle getting on.

ALWAYS CLUNG TO THE BUSINESS.

It seldom happens that men continue their primal interest in the details of their business after attainment comes to them, even in moderate degree. It was, above all things else, the distinguishing characteristic of the Dodge brothers, therefore, that they remained, throughout their lives, expert machinists, with the craftsman's passion for mechanism and for working in metal. While this was true of both, it was, in a sense, a more significant element in the make-up of Horace than of his brother.

Neither reached at any time the point where he was content to leave the details of factory operation or of products in which they were interested to other minds and other hands. Where many another manufacturer graduates from the factory the moment it begins to pay, and becomes an executive, a financier, a man of affairs, a dilettante in art or letters, or enters public life, this dream of avarice never came to these two. With the comparative leisure of later years, and the affluence that was theirs, each went his way, and they were different ways, but only as an incident. The main business life was to contrive and build the best machinery that could be built along the chosen lines, and then to contrive ways of building better machinery.

The rare trait in both of them of making their business their hobby carried them past the critical point where so many men cease to be successful and become mere executives. For in 1902 Dodge Brothers was a successful machinery manufacturing business, successful enough, at all events, to be entrusted by the Olds Motor Works—first producer of low-priced automobiles in quantities—with the building of 3,000 transmissions. They then possessed the ability to build, not only good machinery, but to duplicate it in large quantities. For it must be understood that the building of 3,000 transmissions was about the largest order within the giving of the automobile industry in those days.

Later in the same year, when Henry Ford and C. Harold Wills had developed the first Ford car, Dodge Brothers built it, and still later, upon the organization of the Ford Motor Co., became owners of a ten percent investment in its stock. Thereafter their interests were merged with Ford's in some degree, and a great rivalry sprung up, as Ford's own organization grew and his industrial ambitions blossomed forth. It was a perpetual question which of the two outfits could build a given part better and at less expense.

Many and involved were the ensuing controversies, and it is eloquent testimony to the prowess of Dodge Brothers, machinists, that they continued to supply the Ford Motor Co., and to grow as it grew, until they became Ford's principal source of supply, and Ford their sole customer. The significance of this statement is borne out by the reflection that Ford never was guilty of signing preferential contracts, being always dominated by the obsession to build the greatest number of cars for the least money. Dodge Brothers competed against the world and Henry Ford in building parts to Ford's own specifications.

Others did likewise, and likewise grew, but in time found Ford outbidding them and learning from them how to improve upon their own methods. Being, by now, first class business men, as well as first class mechanics, Dodge Brothers felt a growing insecurity in their economic situation. And so, in 1913, came the terse and business-like offer, as the phrase is, "to buy or sell." A year later Ford decided not to buy and Dodge Brothers embarked on the adventure of creating and building their own car, in their own name, and according to their own ideals.

The Monroe street plant had been occupied in 1905, when the automobile business had begun to assume proportions of magnitude. The big plant at Hamtranck was started in 1910. By 1915 it was occupied solely in the production of Dodge Brothers motor cars, and practically from its inception it has never ceased growing. In 1919, when, after legal proceedings, the minority stockholders suceeded in securing a division of the spoils, Dodge Brothers parted from the Ford Motor Co., owners of their own business, which was then fully established and well on its way toward its present position in the topmost ranks of the industry's big producers, besides being richer by some $27,000,000 cash in hand.

NEVER RETIRED FROM BUSINESS.

So great an achievement would have spelled retirement for many men, but Dodge Brothers were still engrossed in the building of motor cars. The war had brought an interlude, during which they had turned to the building of recoil mechanism for rapid-fire guns. How they first mastered the mechanism and the way to make it, then erected a plant and had it in operation within four months from the time of breaking ground, and how finally, within eight months more they had attained a rate of 35 complete mechanisms a day, is an inspiring chapter in the history of that lamented conflict.

This great enterprise was entirely a side issue, however, though for many it would have represented a life's work. Yet, neither at that time, nor until now, was it known that the invention of the special machinery used in building the recoils, as well as improvement in the mechanism itself, was the work of Horace E. Dodge, at all times the gifted but painstaking and patient inventor.

HORACE THE MECHANICAL GENIUS.

At the factory, it was the office of Horace that was literally a museum of parts, past, present and prospective, for Dodge Brothers cars. It was Horace who was perpetually scheming improved details, new processes, new methods, and forever building new machinery.

He lived in a paradise of mechanism, and whether it were a lock on a door that needed "fixing," a gun to be taken apart, examined, cleaned and criticized in the fewest possible words, or an intricate machine tool of his own devising, the plans for which were spread before him, he was never far from the art that was his pastime. He never lost the craftsman's touch, could never let machinery alone. His eye would light up and his whole manner change as he fondled a bit of metal. The atmosphere of the shop, as he entered it, would cause a visible change in his bearings. Outside, in the office, in the places where men gather, even at home, he was quiet, reticent, the victim of a shyness of which few except his closest friends—and they were few—were ever aware. But the shops were his home. Within their four walls he was the taciturn yet unquestionable master of the business.

That other side of Horace Dodge, which few men knew, proved him a gentle soul and one of the sweetest and most lovable characters that ever lived. A music lover to his finger tips, he would sit for hours at the great pipe organ in his palatial home at Grosse Pointe, playing far into the night, either alone or for the pleasure of the friends that he always had at his fireside.

Every man's nature is a composite of contrasts, and the stronger the nature, as it often happens, the stronger the contrasts. The boy, who never outgrew his fondness for machinery, the mechanic who became a manufacturer, the magnate who remained a craftsman—these are consistencies. But who can define these other facets of the crystal?

An ardent hunter, an enthusiastic curler, an all around man's man. Horace Dodge was, besides, even more than a mere patron of the arts. An incident associated with his connection with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra proves this.

He had been one of the original patrons of the orchestra, had backed it through its struggling days, and was one of those who insisted upon the acquisition of the accomplished leader through whom it won its place in the musical world. All this he might have done as a rich man, giving of his wealth for the betterment of the community of which he was an important member, but the incident proves otherwise.

Dodge was hunting with friends in the northern Michigan woods, last year, when he learned that the current symphony program was to include a concerto in which he was much interested. Thereupon he chartered a special train to Detroit and journed back all alone, arriving half an hour before the concert opened. He sat unnoticed in the back of the auditorium until his concerto had been played, and then returned to his train and so back to his friends in camp.

The fondness of many automobile men for yachting is well known. It may be a coincidence, or it may not, but at all events Horace Dodge was a yachtsman and a thorough one. Two of his boats, Nokomis and Nokomis II, were taken over by the government during the war. The second Nokomis, built in Boston, was the largest of her kind ever to pass through the Welland canal. His present boat, Delphine, named after his daughter, is a magnificent craft, the finest on the Great Lakes, while he had building a 257-foot steel yacht, in which it had been his intention to cruise around the world.

AN ARDENT YACHTSMAN.

Society, in the conventional sense, he despised. The making of new friends in a class other than that in which he was born and reared did not interest him. It was one of his very few boasts that his friends of today, ninety percent of them, were the people he had known for thirty years, and the chief uses of his wealth were to share the pleasures it brought with those who were near and dear to him. He had a deep and abiding contempt for the inefficient and helpless, and a loathing, amounting to a positive horror, of a liar.

Courtesy itself, considerate and kind, yet when aroused, he could become terrible in his wrath. Immaculate in dress, scrupulous to a degree, he rarely forgot or forgave an injury to himself or those in whom he was interested.

When his brother died, during the automobile show last winter, Horace Dodge became a changed man. He felt the hand of death upon him, and he did not want to live. His brother was to him his all and his one thought was to join him and lie beside him.

The attachment of the two, a tie so strong it seemed at times a well-nigh physical bond, was an embodiment suggestive somewhat of the "Brothers Cheeryble," portrayed by that great delineator, Dickens. They lunched together daily at the home of one or the other. At least five nights a week they were together. When one was away the other was restless and distraught; when one was ill, the other abandoned everything and remained by his side. In matters of importance, neither ever acted without the other. It is a sad but touching accomplishment of prediction that one could not even live without the other.

In the great business Dodge Brothers had built, Horace had his full share. After the passing of "J. F.," he turned a deaf ear to the hordes of bankers, promoters and would-be buyers who beseiged him with numberless schemes. To all profiteers and propositions his emphatic reply was that Dodge Brothers, as an institution, would stick by the men who had stuck by it and its founders; that the business had a duty to perform to the men who comprise it and who have made it their life work.

Thus, Dodge Brothers, the institution, remains, though "H. E." has followed "J. F." into the grave and the Dodge brothers, humanly speaking, are no more. But could ambition crown an honest career with a nobler reward, or a greater monument do honor to the rare fellowship in toil and achievement of these twain?

Dodge Brothers, the institution, is to go on along exactly the same lines and following the same policies as those which were laid down by its founders. This pledge to the trade was given out this week by F. J. Haynes, general manager of the company, following the passing of Horace Dodge, as an acknowledgement of the many messages of sympathy and loyalty which have poured in on the organization. Much of the work of Horace Dodge, the surviving founder, during the past year has been to the end of shaping the business and the organization at its head so that it might assume the truly institutional character. This, he felt, he had accomplished, and the knowledge of this feeling lends assurance to the promise which is given now by the organization itself.

"Knowing that each member of our organization will wish a word from us at this time," the statement declares, "and as an acknowledgement of the messages of sympathy and loyalty received from everyone, we wish to say that the founders of the business built it upon such a rockbed foundation of honesty, integrity and good will that not even the passing of our dear president, Mr. Horace E. Dodge, will in the slightest degree affect the community or policies of the business. In faithful accord with his expressed wish every policy and principle around which the business has grown will continue to dominate it for all time.

"Under the express authority of the owners of the business we wish to say there will be no pause nor hesitation. The business will be continued as John and Horace had planned. The plant goes on."

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MECHANICALLY PERFECT BODY SOUGHT IN CAR

Acording to the generally accepted rule, when there is keen competition, there is greater engineering advancement than in times when sales resistance is nil. The past year has seen a vast amount of development work. It is plain to see that mechanical excellence is beginning to be the chief aim of the builder. Body work is better, to be sure, but for some time the chassis has been neglected so the car may be made better looking.

Changes in body lines are but slight compared with 1920, but body detail has been bettered all through. The cars as a whole are larger and one disappointing feature is that the average car is somewhat heavier. There are more four-cylinder cars than there were last year, more sixes as well; the engines show slightly greater power and more attention has been paid to carburetion.

The vacuum fuel feed and battery ignition remain standard. Improvements are to be noted in cooling system and in lubrication. The plate and disc clutches have gained again. Hotchkiss drive has made an increase and three-speed transmissions located apart from the engine have gained slightly. Frames are stiffer, springs about the same with improv- mountings and wire and disc wheels accepted by more makers for standard equipment.

The engine characteristics, as a whole, have changed somewhat. The average power output is greater, around 53 horsepower at 2270 revolutions per minute. . . . Engine oiling systems have been given a lot of study and a great deal of attention has been given to better balance and a reduction of engine vibration.

Faithful Using Needed to Gain Battery's Best

"Every once in a while," says Jack Spegle manager of the local 'Exide' Service Station, "you'll see an ad or read some artlele about a starting and lighting battery to whose life there just doesn't seem to be any limit. And immediately after the appearance of any such publicity I am literally drowned by a deluge of questions from my customers wanting to know why they can't get some such everlasting service from their batteries.

"As a matter of fact, I don't know why they can't—if they will really give their batteries honest and unfailing care. This stuff about a short life and a merry one, that the pessimistic motorist is forever pulling about his battery, is mostly bunk. Starting and lighting batteries will live and do their work a whole lot longer than most people think, if, as I said before, they're given a fair chance. I've got a bunch of letters in my ofifce now —reprints of originals sent to the home office—testimonials from all sorts of people from all parts of the country in which 'Exide' batteries that have been giving bang-up performance anywhere from three to six years are mentioned. Of course, no firm can guarantee anything like that any more than the seedsman can guarantee his seeds coming up—results are so markedly dependent on the user and the local conditions. But I will say that anyone who buys an 'Exide' Battery, and backs that battery up with a faithful using of 'Exide' Service, is surely going to get his money's worth—and then some every time."

Manufacturer Says to Keep Wheels Going

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Put the United States on three eight-hour shifts and keep the wheels turning twenty-four hours a day. This is the idea of Fred H. Perkins, of Shrewsbury, a manufacturer.

"Let the state or the United States harness the water power and give us heat, light and power from the water going to waste," he says.

"Make the working day twenty-four hours long, on three eight-hour shifts.

"Put factories, shops, railroads, stores, banks, educational institutions, recreational agencies and other activities on such a schedule.

"What would be the result? Buildings now a loss for sixteen hours out of the twenty-four would be in use all the time. Overhead expenses would be cut. Millions of dollars would be put in circulation.

"Business men I have talked with usually praised my plan.

"It would triple the number of workers, increase production, decrease living costs, decrease production costs and lessen the social ills that follow unemployment."

HOW DOES 76 MILES PER GALLON SOUND TO YOU?

Pretty good, doesn't it? That is the actual record of a solo motorcycle cycle driven, under official supervision, by Mr. G. J. Coleman in a reecnt Economy Run. In fact, to be exact the mileage was 76.9. This is at the rate of 2.5c per mile for gasoline, which certainly speaks well for the economy of the modern, high powered two-wheeler.

WIVES OF U. S. OFFICIALS AWARD BLUE RIBBONS AT BIRD HOUSE EXHIBITION



Above, Mrs. Cary Grayson, awarding blue ribbon to schoolboy for his bird house. Below is Mrs. Newton D. Baker, another judge in the contests, with Jack and Peggie Baker.

Mrs. Cary Grayson, wife of Admiral Grayson, the president's personal physician, was one of the judges in the bird house building contest conducted by the American Forestry Association throughout the schools of the country. Blue ribbons were offered by the association for the best houses. Mrs. Newton D. Baker, wife of the secretary of war, was also one of the judges. Jack and Peggie Baker were two of the entrants in the exhibition. The contest was national.

AUTO SHORTAGE IN SPRING SURE TO COME--KEIM

"Will there be another shortage of automobiles this year?"

Had this question been asked a few months ago when virtually every motor car manufacturer was announcing price reductions it would probably have been met with an emphatic "No!" Now, however, it is becoming a question that is causing the motor car dealer to lay awake nights, for the rumor that there will be an acute shortage of motor cars during the big spring selling season of March, April and May has become more than a rumor—its a fact.

Here is what an automobile man, F. D. Keim, local Studebaker, distributor has to say on the subject.

"A forecast of the automotive industry's market in the United States can only be made after a cerful study of each year's history of that market since the inception of the industry. If one will take the time to make such a study he will find that since 1913 the demand for automobiles has exceeded production. But what will surprise him even more is the fact that during the last few months the number of cars eliminated—junked—has actually exceeded the number of cars manufactured.

"The first big demand for motor vehicles this year, as in the past, will be the demand resulting from the replacement of cars. The demand for motor car vehicles from new buyers is just beginning to show itself and is of course, an unknown quantity. However the experience of the past is the only means of arriving at a reasonable conclusion.

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EXPERT URGES SUB-GRADE OF ROADS BE O. K.

The taxpayer's search in the past year for an answer to the question "Why Roads Fail" has led to the discovery that whatever may have been done in the past to insure proper sub-grade, more must be done. There is no denying the fact that short haul traffic is changing over from the railway to the highway.

Recently the Ocean Shore Railroad (a California line) filed an application with the interstate commerce commission for authority to quit business. The plea made was that the "motor truck has seriously and adversely affected our freight revenues, and the general increase of the use of the public highway has affected also our passenger revenues." In trying to stem the rising tide of highway traffic, short line railway stockholders in this instance had assessed themselves seven times and then gave up the ghost."

Whatever may be given as the immediate cause for short line railway troubles, the underlying fact is that the community owned highway is becoming a public utility, with the direct result that the road is being loaded with new tonnage to a degree unexpected by the public.

It now appears, under the impact of increasing tonnage, that providing a rigid surface on the road is not sufficient, that however, well that surface may be built, the tendency of the road is toward failure far too rapid to permit its saving capacity to earn its way out before reconstruction becomes necessary, unless—and this brings us to the peak development of 1920—due care is given to the construction of the sub-grade.

In addition to the work under way by the federal highway council along this line, attention is being given to the same subject by the engineering division of the National Research council. Out of these two organized principles in sub-grade construction, there is promise for a long step forward in the science of highway engineering in the future.—James W. Brooks in January Motor.

RECORD ATTENDANCE AT YELLOWSTONE PARK

Good roads, the rapid development of the automotive industry, and "See America First" brought 79,777 tourists to the Yellowstone National park last summer, 20,000 more than ever visited the park before in one season. Altogether, 13,586 motorcycles and automobiles entered the park, 3,000 more than in 1919.

Compulsory military training is proposed in Mexico.

Motorcycling One Of Safest Sports Screen Stars Say

That the public is beginning to look more and more favorably towards motorcycling as a safe and enjoyable sport is evidenced by the fact that the best class of people are joining the ranks of its followers. Well-known screen stars, such as Wallace Reid, Mabel Normand, Jack Mulhall, Kathryn Adams, and others, keep themselves in condition by motorcycling and the outdoor life which goes with it. Fred Fulton, prominent pugilist, and H. H. Van Loan, playwright and nationally known magazine writer, are also ardent motorcyclists.

William Dorsett, Jr., aged 12, is probably the first boy of his age to undertake a 1,000 mile motorcycle trip. William's home is in Alton, Ill., and his trip included a visit to the Harley-Davidson factory at Milwaukee, from where he drove to see the Marion, Indiana, International Motorcycle race, and back to Alton. Mr. Dorsett, Sr., who accompanied his son in the sidecar, is perfectly confident in William's driving ability and says the entire trip was made without the least accident to mar it.

About 10 Million Cars in America

With the coming of the new year a certain genial gentleman, slangily known as Uncle Samuel, has out his day books and his ledgers and is taking stock of his worldly estate. Among his computations is one relating to the number of motor vehicles in use throughout his dominions. The number is pretty close to 10,000,000. Consider for a moment what this means.

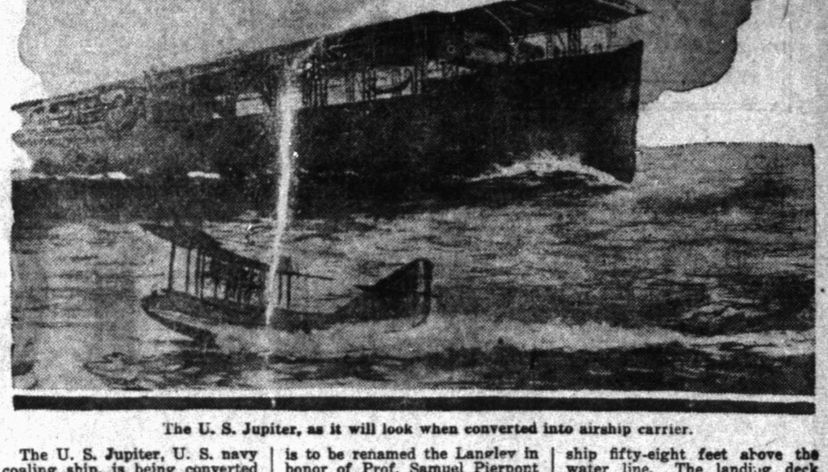
Primarily it means that 35,000,000 people in this sometimes united land habitually ride in motor cars. One person in every three is a motorist in his own right. Soon the majority of our people will be supplied with their own transportation systems. Since the dawn of history no such record as this has ever been achieved before.

Hare's Motors Cuts Kelly Truck Prices

A reduction in the price of Kelly-Springfield trucks announced by Hare's motors, Inc., following very closely the taking over of the Kelly-Springfield line by that company. The reductions in the Kelly-Springfield line range from $100 on the one and a half-ton models to $400 on the six-ton size.

The first whale fishing was commenced at Nantucket, Mass., in 1672.

U. S. NAVY'S FIRST AIRCRAFT CARRIER IS BEING BUILT



The U. S. Jupiter, as it will look when converted into airship carrier.

The U. S. Jupiter, U. S. navy coaling ship, is being converted into a "mother ship" for airplanes and seaplanes at the Norfolk navy yard. It will be the navy's first ship of this type. It is to be renamed the Langley in honor of Prof. Samuel Pierpont Langley, whose experiments with mechanical flights made him widely known. A smooth, level flying deck will cover the entire ship fifty-eight feet above the water line. The landing deck will be 525 feet long and sixty-five feet wide. Catapults for projecting planes into the air will be installed.

Moonlight Dance Is Tabooed and Movie Ball Here

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Now comes the movie ball!

South Shore dancers who were deprived of their "moonlight dances" by the solons up on Beacon Hill are enjoying a quiet chuckle at the expense of the legislators. Little they care for the old-fashioned "moonlight glides" which the lawmakers declared were taboo.

Movie balls are the latest in the Weymouth and South Shore towns. The lights in the hall are dimmed, the latest "Wild West" comedy or love film thrown on the screen and the couples glide over the floor to the tune of a jazz orchestra.

Dancers and dance owners, who have been considerably worried for the past few months over the moonlight dance law, declare that the latest fad is a winner. Even dad and mother are persuaded to come down to the hall and view the pictures from the balcony. They are able to keep one eye on daughter Mary, who is dancing with her best fellow.

Staid old Weymouth was shocked when she heard of the new dances. Movements were started in different sections of the town, asking that managers be compelled to stop the performances. The younger folks prevailed, as ever, and mother and father had to give in to them.

Women Must Take Exercise to Get Beautiful Shape

LONDON, Jan. 29.—In America I found that nearly all women wish to be beautiful, and realize that the first thing is to be healthy, well developed and strong.

"The reason why this is more so in America than it is in England is because they are idolized by their men, and therefore try to be at their best

This declaration was made by Miss Maude O'Dell, who has just returned from a visit to America. She claims to be the world's best proportioned woman.

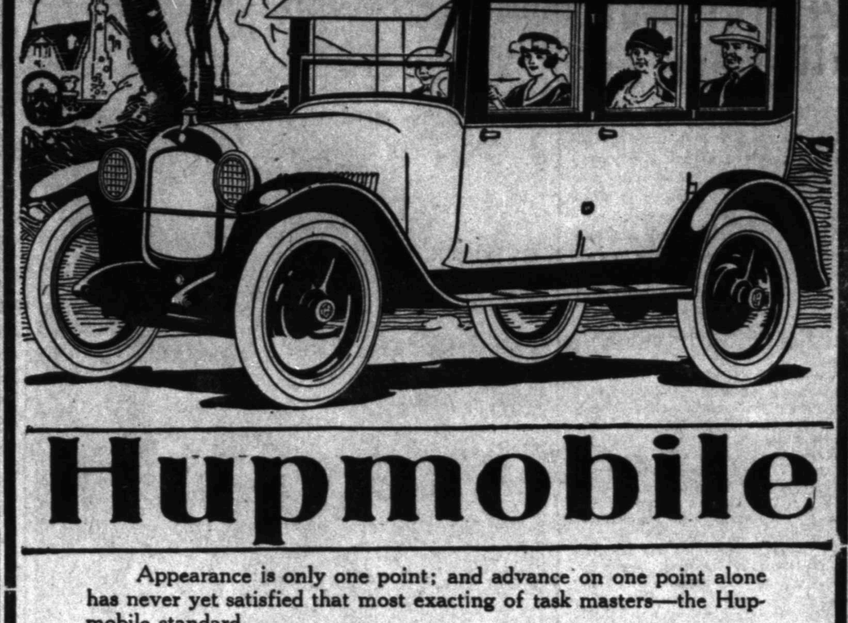
"If every woman gave ten minutes a day to the right exercise, in three months time she would be so well and so changed, that she would not know herself," she said. "It is not easy to tell a woman what to do unless you know her peculiarities, but there is a simple exercise which every woman may benefit from. Many women suffer from indigestion and stomach troubles. This is because they do not exercise the muscles of the stomach.

"A woman's corsets should be made of muscle, not whalebone. These muscles are not used, and hence these troubles from which women usually suffer.

"Practically every woman," she declared, "can have a perfect figure by proper exercise. But she must remember that proportion is everything and she must select her exercises with care and cultivate the right muscles. One part of the body over-developed is ugly and useless."

MANY GIRLS WORK WAY THROUGH WELLESLEY

WELLESLEY, Mass., Jan. 29.—Having all the necessary money is no longer necessary for the girl who would go to college. Such perennial jobs as tending furnaces may still be for men only, but many girls now wait on table, do part time clerical work for the college office, and in many other ways are succeeding in earning all or nearly all of their college expenses. Of the 1,552 girls at Wellesley college, approximately one-fifth are earning either all or a part of their way through. Sixty girls get help from endowed scholarships.



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FARM EXPERTS TO SHOW ISLES LATEST OFFERS

Three representatives of the largest concerns interested in agriculture sailed for the Hawaiian Islands a few days ago to make a survey and analysis of agricultural conditions in the islands off our shores, according to Frank Queisser, manager for the Motor Supply company, local Ford dealers.

A. Branson, representing the Ford Motor company, manufacturers of the Fordson tractor; W. Bennett, of the Oliver Chilled Plow works, and J. H. Benson of the William L. Hughson company, distributors throughout California for specialized power farming machinery for the Fordson tractor, were the men whose task it will be to visit every nook of the Hawaiian territory.

They will introduce the latest designs of power farming machinery to the agriculturists there, as well as addressing the gatherings of those who till the soil and give them at first hand the information and experiences which have been so instrumental in the productivity of California, as well as other sections of the United States.

Actual field demonstrations will be engaged in and every form of tilling the soil will be entered into, with the highest type of efficient power farming machinery, which accompanied the travelers on the trip.

Car Mileage of U. S. Mounts Into Billions

The total annual motor car mileage of the United States is in excess of 22,000,000,000 miles per year. Or, estimated at the rate of three passengers per car, the total passenger mileage is 66,000,000,000 miles per year. These figures are at least 50 per cent in excess of the passenger mileage of all the railways in the United States.

This is the real significance of the automobile. In the short space of twenty years the automobile has become the greatest passenger carrying transportation system in the country. Its service is convenient, instantly available at any time, and absolutely indispensable.

The motor car is the agent of civilization. It has extended to every sphere of human activity. The motor car, and the motor car industry are assured of a permanent future because they contribute so largely to modern civilization and to modern life.

HAIL 1921—AN AUTOMOBILE YEAR

During a period of temporary curtailment wild rumors fly and prophets of disaster gather unaccustomed audiences. As far as pessimism refers to the motor vehicle industry, we have just one basic fact to remember. In 1916 there were built in this country 1,493,000 motor cars. The life of a car in this country is averaged at between four and five years. Therefore, there will go to the scrap heap in 1921 practically 1,500,000 motor vehicles. All these must be replaced and this may be safely accepted as the basis of the demand for motor vehicles in 1921. Add to these 1,500,000 replacement cars, the new owners who automatically step into the breech each year and the lowest possible minimum of demand on the automobile industry during the coming year is going above 2,000,000 vehicles, which will call for the best efforts of our factories to produce. Hail, 1921, the biggest year in the history of the automobile industry.—In Motor for January.

Chinese Pay But One Cent For Cigarettes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The Chinaman is becoming more and more addicted to cigarettes. Most of the 18,000,000 people in Manchuria smoke cigarettes. Men, women, boys and girls are cigarette smokers. American Consul Pontius of Mukden, in an official report said the tobacco habit prevailing so largely among the Chinese is due to large native tobacco production and cheap labor.

The Chinaman buys cigarettes for as low as one cent the package of five and ten cigarettes. He is now going in for fancy cigarettes made of imported tobaccos. Cigarettes of imported American tobacco are sold to the Manchurian for four cents for a package of ten smokes.

PRISON WILL OPERATE ITS OWN COAL MINE

MOUNDSVILLE, W. Va., Jan. 29. An $8,000 mine now nearing completion on the States property just east of this city will eliminate a coal bill in excess of $10,000 annually and eventually aid materially in placing the big West Virginia state penitentiary on an entirely self-supporting basis. Announcement to this effect was made by Warden J. Z. Terrell, who is carrying out a number of other money saving plans, including a strict programme of conservation.

The new coal mine, which will be shaft operated, is now eight feet to a vein of fine coal which underlies the 165 acres of the prison farm. As soon as motors are installed, probably within the next thirty days, the mine will be operating. Little or no expense will be attached to the state for working the mine, as prisoners will do the work and the power for operating will be supplied from the huge dynamos within the walls of the prison.

MONTANA RUM RUNNERS USE TRICK PLANS

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 29.—That whiskey sleuths from the East are persona non grata in Montana is the conclusion of these officers following the arrival of a few special prohibition enforcement agents from Washington to smash the "rum runners' trust" in this region.

They are not welcome, and it is feared in some quarters that if they attempt to round up the Western smugglers who are bringing contraband liquor over the Canadian boundary into the treasure state, they will be "lost in the hills or led astray on the crooked trails."

"Hunting bootleggers in Montana is a different game from trailing box car thieves and city bred criminals," one of these agents said when he heard that Washington headquarters was going to send an additional "dry squad" into this state. "What is needed out here are 'hardboiled' old cowpunchers, former sheriffs and trappers—men who know every trail, every water hole, every stream, road, hole, cattle brand and feeding ground in Montana."

"Through Pipe Line."

Federal prohibition officers are engaged in breaking up what they believe to be the greatest organized gang of bootleggers operating in any section of the United States. In the parlance of the sleuths it is the "Montana Through Pipe Line," and the activities of the bootleggers are not confined to the Canadian-Montana boundary line, but frequently extends along the Canadian-Woming line.

Many raids, accompanied by fierce hand-to-hand fighting between officers and bootleggers, have occurred at border towns recently, and the belief is general that especially qualified "dry" officers must be appointed to cope with the wiespread violations of the prohibitory law in this revlon.

Use Clever Camouflage.

Speed, daring, deception, invention camouflage and cunning combined with nerve of a high order; utilization of every known means of transportation, from the Indian papoose's place on the back of a squaw and packets tied on drifting sheep to speedy scout planes designed for war, are devoted nowadays to delivering liquor purchased in Canada to cities hundreds of miles below the northern boundary of the United States.

Relay stations where cars and men are changed and "goods" carried through on schedule time in broad daylight, were broken up in a recent surprise attack on the bootleggers, when one member of an important "whiskey circle" was left out of the dividends and "squealed" on his friends.

Funerals designed with the artistry of professional stagecraft, calling every member of a large cast to act with ability, were used successfully for a time. Spare tires of automobiles are chesnuts now, as are reserve tanks hidden within gasoline tanks.

John Barleycorn's Funeral.

While much has been said about the death of John Barleycorn, the real obsequies were held in a Montana town which is on the Canadian border. The funeral services consisted of the efforts of three sturdy men to carefully wrap up bottle after bottle of goods and place them side by side in a beautiful casket. After filling the casket with several hundred bottles of convenient "hip pocket" size, the lid was screwed on and the funeral services were started.

A man dressed as a minister arrived at a residence in the Canadian side of the town. Several friends, including "women" heavily veiled and with large hats, gathered around. A brief wake consisting of a smoke and a few drinks, while plans were gone over for the last time, preceded the pallbearers' exit from the house to a waiting hearse at the front gate. There the casket was gently lifted in and the doors closed. The "funeral director" who was the chief actor in the plot, called out the names of mourners' cars which followed the hearse through the town. When it came to the international boundary the procession moved ahead very slowly and carefully with the mourners apparently much affected by the loss of the "dear departed."

Carried to Cemetery.

The cortege proceeded to the cemetery on the American side of the line and there the minister spoke a few words about the great loss which all suffered when their "old friend John was taken away from us by that superior power to which we all bow in reverence." A prayer was muttered and the casket lowered into the grave.

The grave was partially filled in when a strange event took place. The women mourners suddenly took off their hats, veils and dresses and to the command of "work fast, boys," an empty packing case for caskets was left in the grave, the grave filled and the casket placed back in the hearse again and the curtains pulled down on each side. The hearse, before returning to the Canadian side of the town was backed into a small garage and the casket removed.

In twenty-four hours a "new shipment" was being distributed in many Montana cities as fast as automobiles and thirty friends could meet to the disappointment of many peace officers.

Ecuador at the time of the Spanish conquest was a part of the great empire of the Incas.

WILL HARDING REVIVE THE TENNIS CABINET?



The White House tennis grounds being made ready by workmen, and picture of President-elect Harding at tennis.

Complying with an informal request from President-elect Harding's secretary, workmen at the White House are repairing and resurfacing the tennis grounds, which have fallen into disuse the last few years. During the Roosevelt administration Roosevelt spent much of his recreation time on the court and the prominent men with whom he played became known as his "tennis cabinet." Harding is an enthusiastic tennis player as well as a golf player, and, it appears, intends to make use of the court again. The photo shows the White House in the background.

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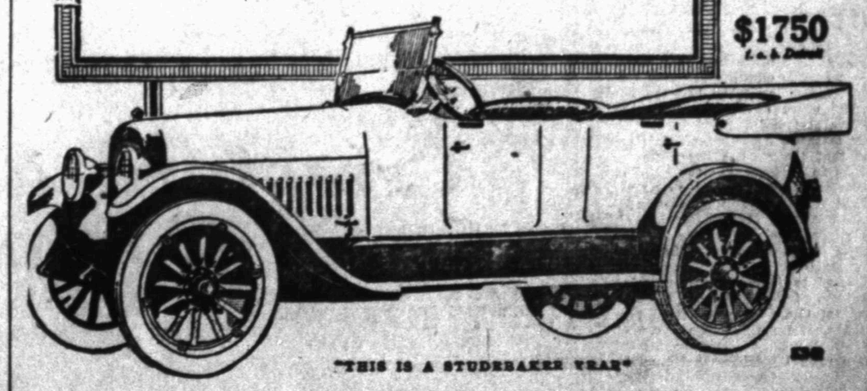
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But the most romantic highway of them all—the Overland Emigrant road from Missouri to California in the days of '49, which as far west as Fort Hall, Idaho, was identical with "The Oregon Trail" (even a more romantic highway)—is practically lost to present day notice.

If the present day Californians would realize that some 50,000 men, women and children, took this trail for California seventy-two years ago; that sickness and untold hardship reduced their number to less than 40,000; that practically this same route was afterward the route for the Pony Express, and afterward the Overland stage, no expense should be spared to keep the highway in public notice as a monument to the enterprise and energy of our pioneers.

SEE GERMANY IN TRADE WAR DURING YEAR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Look out for Germany in the trade war in 1921. The hand of the German trader is beginning to show renewed cunning in world marts. The bold plan of German trade kings is to dump goods at lower prices than domestic makers can sell them. Cheap labor makes it possible for Germany to do this, and her purpose to direct a price-cutting campaign of unprecedented scope in all parts of the world is plainly revealed by latest advices to Government officials from trade and fiscal agents abroad.

England is now feeling the force of this German effort to crowd British goods out of British markets. German commodities in many lines are being delivered in London and other English centers at prices considerably lower than the cost of British manufacture. Secretary of Commerce Alexander was informed by Consul Clairborne that rare laces of German origin are being offered for sale in Nottingham at prices lower than the cost of manufacture in that great center of the British lace industry. German products over a wide range are being sold on British markets at equally low figures. As a result sharp competition is setting in between the British and German makers.

The Germans in many instances are selling below cost to regain some of the trade prestige lost by the war. The drive by the Germans has become so daring that Colonel Clairborne reported that the British Government is giving serious consideration to a plan to bar certain German imports until exchange approaches normal.

Ability of the German manufacturers to dump goods elsewhere and unlersell other competing nations is seen in the fact that German workmen are being paid at the rate of from 250 to 400 marks a week, ranging from $4 to $6 in American coin. Britain plans to protect certain "key" industries against the inflow of German cheap marked products. This is to protect her industries and prevent idleness among her workmen. Slowing down of British industry, has resulted in part from the German importations, and caused many thousands to be thrown out of work.

The treasury department, watching the financial aspects of this commercial drive by Germany, places much importance upon the fact that German industries are gradually recuperating with better facilities for obtaining raw materials. An important factor, too, they say, in the German trade situation is that the unit of productive power among German workmen is higher than that of many leading countries at this time. German employers and workmen, they are advised, find they are no longer able to ask and obtain top prices. An entirely different trade standard in Germany, officials say, will result from the new methods for fixing the wages and profits and individual producers, and with increased ability to secure raw materials and semi-manufactures.

Officials reviewing the German trade invasion in other fields, particularly Britain, declare that while it is a serious question affecting foreign trade polic, it has had the immediate effect of forcing down the artificial commodity level in British home markets. American officials expect that the same German tactics will be in evidence in the United States soon after formal proclamation of peace and full restoration of trade relations. It will present almost immediately an issue of the highest importance for the American Congress to settle. The demand will be raised by industries encountering this severe form of German competition that Congress must act to protect them from ruin. The effect of German "dumping" in the United States upon the labor market might be disastrous, especially in some of the industries in which Germany seeks to regain the pre-eminence she held prior to the war.

MAKES HEIGHT RECORD USING SPECIAL FUEL

Of considerable interest to those following the deevlopment of the internal combustion engine is the report from Dayton that the altitude record of 36,020 feet, accomplished by Major Schroeder some time since, was made possible by a supercharger and a special fuel constituent.

The fuel component is a special compound of the aniline series and is added to the gasoline. Its purpose is to remove the tendency to detonate and to permit the high compression ratios provided by the super-charger.

Ordinarily an airplane loses about 50 per cent of its power at 18,000 feet, due to lack of oxgen. With the supercharger the Liberty engine developed practically its full horsepower at the high altitude and only lost climbing speed because of the atmospheric pressure drop.

While it does not appear likely that a supercharger can be applied satisfactorily to the automobile engine because of the fact that such devices have been found to reduce the fuel economy, there is reason to believe that the invention of a fuel constituent which will prevent detonating may lead to important developments with regard to the handling of low grade fuels.

Canned Blueberries Stolen to Make 'Hooch'

EASTPORT, Maine, Jan. 29.—A large quantity of canned blueberries, for which Washington county is noted has been stolen from a warehouse at Morsepec.

Some are of the opinion that the culprits arrived in motor boats, while others think that the robbery was the work of automobile thieves.

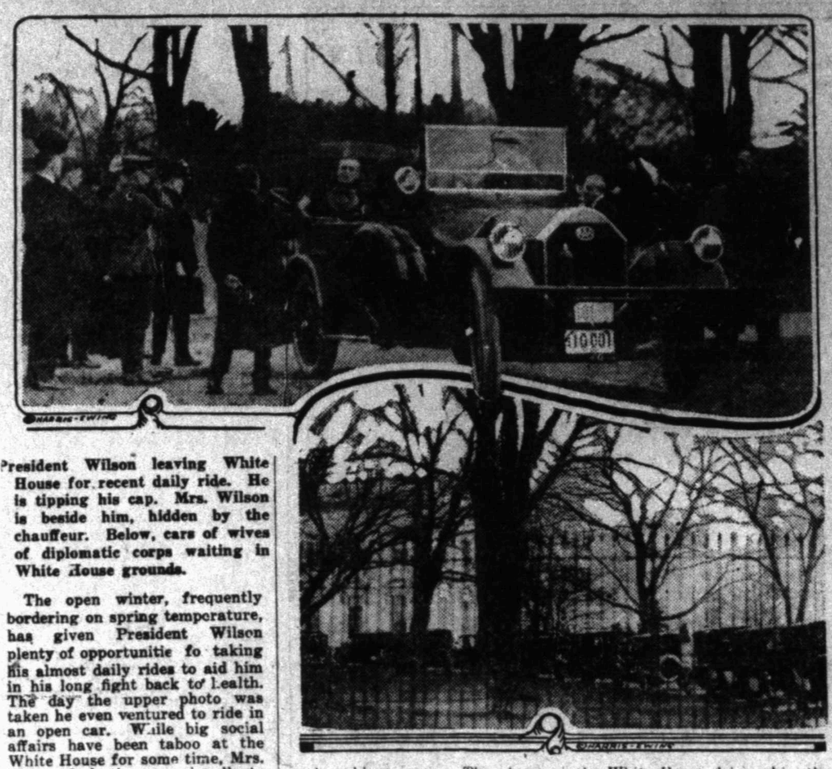
It is evident that some of the party were in an old house nearby for several days and remained long enough to ferment some of the canned blueberries and supplied themselves with an abundance of "home brew."

Fermentation is said to be possible by punching small holes in the canned berries and allowing the cans to remain in the sun until the contents become soured.

Students Like Boxing.

HANOVER, N. H., Jan. 29—"Professor" Edward Shevlin, Dartmouth instructor in boxing, has at present seventy students attending his classes in the manly art of self defense. Instruction is given every afternoon. A boxing tournament is to be held later in the season.

OPEN WINTER ALLOWS WILSON TO CONTINUE DAILY OUTINGS



President Wilson leaving White House for recent daily ride. He is tipping his cap. Mrs. Wilson is beside him, hidden by the chauffeur. Below, cars of wives of diplomatic corps waiting in White House grounds.

The open winter, frequently bordering on spring temperature, has given President Wilson plenty of opportunitie fo taking his almost daily rides to aid him in his long fight back to health. The day the upper photo was taken he even ventured to ride in an open car. While big social affairs have been taboo at the White House for some time, Mrs. Wilson finds time occasionally to entertain the feminine members of the diplomatic, congressional and cabinet sets. The lower photo shows the cars of the wives of the diplomatic corps parked in the White House drive while the ladies were being entertained at luncheon.

TEXAS GETS 63 PER CENT MORE IRON ORE MINED

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS.
Washington Correspondent of The Record News.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Texas and the other iron ore producing states with which she is grouped, while at the bottom of the list in production, last year mined 176,000 gross tons of ore, an increase of 63 per cent as compared with the quantity mined in 1919, according to the announcement today of the United States Geological surveye.

The shipments from mines in this group of states, including Missouri, Maryland, Massachusetts and Connecticut, in 1920 are estimated at 125,000 gross tons, an increase of 16 per cent over last year.

However, lack of quantity was made up for in quality of the ore mined in Texas. The estimated average selling value of the ore was $4.18 a ton, or the average price for the whole country in 1920. In 1919 the average value of the Texas products was $3.99 and that of the entire country, $3.61. Ore in the western group of states this year sold as low as $1.83 a ton.

U. S. Increase Light.

The iron ore mined in the United States in 1920 is estimated at 67,775,000 gross tons, an increase of 12 per cent as compared with the output of 1919. The shipments of ore from the mines in 1920 are estimated at 69,558,000 gross tons, an increase of nearly 24 per cent over last year and indicating that the demand for iron ore made it necessary to use reserve supplies.

About 86 per cent of this ore was mined and shipped from the Lake Superior district, including Michigan, Minnesota, and Wisconsin, in which 58,173,000 gross tons was mined and 68,056,000 tons was shipped, increases of about 12 and 24 per cent, respectively as compared with the quantities mined and shipped in 1919. The stock of iron ore at the mines, mainly in Michigan and Minnesota, apparently decreased from 12,986,000 tons in 1919 to 11,145,000 tons in 1920. The production of iron ore in 1920 was less than 2,000,000 tons below that of 1918 and is exceeded only by that of the war years of 1916, 1917 and 1918. In 1920 shipments exceeded production by approximately 1,785,000 gross tons, but in 1919 production exceeded shipments by about 4,147,000.

Strikes Delay Shipments.

The record of the iron-mining industry in 1920 is the more remarkable when it is considered that shipments were hindered by a strike of ore handlers at the shipping docks early in the season, then by railroad tie-ups, due to a strike of switchmen, and by shortage of coal, cars, and vessels, and later by the closing down of the blast furnaces, which was brought about by the cessation of the demand for pig iron and steel.

It is said that the discovery of photography by Daguerre, 100 years ago, was largely accidental. It is true that he was working in the direction of making a permanent picture of the scene reflected by a mirror, but all his efforts had met with failure until one day, after many disappointments, he left a sensitized plate near a dish of mercury, and when he returned to his shop the next morning the very thing he had been striving to do had been accomplished.

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Pipelines Almost Completely Tie Up Operations in the South Bend District of Young County

Operations in the South Bend district of Young county are still almost completely tied up by the shortage of pipelines, the week-end reports showing the Prairie not yet ready to take the production, and wells that got the oil sand two weeks ago still shut down without completing.

The Gulf Production company's No. 1 M. V. Keller and the Oklahoma Petroleum and Gasoline company's No. 1 McCluskey are the most recent wells in the 2100 foot pool, reported on the rand, and both of these it is reported, are delaying completion for the pipeline. The Prairie has the only line in this part of Young county, and its present connections are inadequate for caring for the production it is stated. The new and larger line was scheduled for completion about two weeks ago, but has not yet been finished, though the reason for this delay is not contained in reports.

New O. P. and G. Producer.

The Oklahoma Petroleum and Gasoline No. 1 McCluskey, the test started by the Young County Mutual Oil company and reported purchased by the Oklahoma concern several weeks ago, was estimated as a 500-barrel producer in reports earlier in the week that old of it's striking the sand. This well is a short distance across the Clear Fork of the Brazos from the Graham producers of the Oklahoma Petroleum and Gasoline company, and is several hundred feet north of the Gulf's Keller well. These two wells form short southward extensions of the 2100-foot pool and are the first producers on the east side of the Clear Fork, outside the Panhandle producers, in the loop that the river forms in the north part of the pool, as at present outline.

The North American Refining company and Roxana's No. 1 Braddock, about two thousand feet south of the Gulf's No. 1 Kellar is reported drilling around 2,400 feet, getting a salt water sand around 2,170 feet. The No. 2 on this lease, in the northeast corner of the lease, on the Clear Fork and offsetting the McCluskey lease of the Oklahoma Petroleum and Gasoline company is reported drilling around 800 feet and the rig is up for No. 3, also in the north part of the lease. The North Texas-Roxana Fratt lease joins the Braddock lease on the west, both being long narrow strips, running up to the Clear Fork.

Panhandle Test.

The Panhandle Refining company's No. 1 McCluskey, on the 2,100 foot sand in readiness to complete more than a week ago, is reported still tied up on pipeline connections as is the W. E. Conner well, west of the Panhandle producers, and across the Clear Fork.

The Kehowa Oil company's No. 1 Stovall, a few hundred feet north of the Panhandle Producers, across the Clear Fork, is reported drilling around 600 feet.

The Shamrock Oil company's No. 1 Stovall east of the Kenowa lease, which failed to get a producer in the 2,500-foot depth is drilling deeper, being reported now around 3,000 feet deep.

The Godley Oil company's No. 2 M. K. Graham is reported setting eight inch at 2,000 feet and the No. 4 is reported drilling around 1,000 feet.

Around Sand Depth.

The Oklahoma Petroleum and Gasoline company's No. 2 M. K. Graham which delayed it's progress to test out the 1,900-foot sand, is reported drilling around the 2,100-foot sand depth. The No. 4 and No. 4 are reported rigging up.

The Seaboard Oil and Gas company's No. 1 Graham, an inside test, is reported waiting on pipeline connections before completing, the well having drilled the sand more than a week ago, and showing up for the usual good producer in this pool. Good progress is reported from the three other tests the Seaboard is drilling on the Graham, and in the River Bed, with two others reported nearly down to the sand.

The Sun company's No. 1 Stovall, east of the McCluskey producers, and just off the bank of the Clear Fork, is reported fishing around 1,800 feet.

The No. 1 M. B. Dooley of W. R. Shankle is reported drilling around 1,000 feet. This test is some distance to the west of the producing pool.

The Heydrick and Spoonts, No. 1 McCluskey, east and across the Clear Fork from the Oklahoma Petroleum and Gasoline company's No. 1 Graham lease, is reported on a fishing job around 1,150 feet.

The three tests being put down by the Danciger interests of this city are reported as making satisfactory progress, though none have yet reached the sand.

Young County Tests.

The test of the Young county Oil and Gas company on the M. K. Graham, a mile to the west of the producing area, is reported with an oil showing around 2,390 feet. This test got an oil showing around the 2,100 foot depth, which failed to materialize into production. Because of its distance from production it has been watched with much interest, and the new reports of another oil showing revive the hopes of an extension here once more. The new showing is to be tested immediately, it is stated.

Wichita Falls, Paradise for Stag, Says Dancing Authority

BY T. ODDLE.

Wichita Falls" is surely the paradise for the stag, in so far as that term, has come to be applied to young men who attend dances without visible feminine escorts. Nowhere in the realm of polite society is the youth who enjoys the diversion afforded by the modern dance without the obligation of bringing a fair flower, accorded the recognition as in this city. Other towns have their customs that frown on the stag, that impose regulations regarding his running at large, but here he is a social quantity that is feared perhaps and tolerated, undoubtedly.

Just what has caused the favorable attitude toward this species one is at loss to explain. Just why the care free youth who incurs no expense incident to "dragging" a date, who is free to come and go when he pleases, can "tag in" at will and without regard for the rights of the escorts of the dancing partners, is on equal footing with the "regulars" is a question that is colored by opinion and prejudice to such an extent that it is difficult to lay down the law. There is no doubt that this condition is local and not a general condition over the country.

Let us for a moment, look into the possible causes for this peculiar local condition, (if it is admitted to be such). Perhaps it is scarcity of attractive girls, due to the large number who are in boarding schools and various institutions of learning outside of the city and state. Understand the writer does not utter a single word in support of this supposition. But there are undoubtedly a large number of girls who make this city their home during vacation who would be eligible as "dates" were they here.

For it is almost an infallible rule that a school girl who does not neglect the development of the art of terpsichore and the most sought after partners in the dance are those who have advanced further in this diversion under discussion than to merely move the feet to measured beats in musical time.

But whatever the cause for the preponderence of stags at local hops it must be admitted that it is a sad condition. All those who have been fortunate enough to secure a date with any of the most popular find after they arrive at the dance that they might as well have stagged for no sooner do they start a dance than they lose their partner. A few such experiences and he too decides, after all perhaps the best idea would be to go alone. And so the number of "chronic" stags is daily increasing.

At a recent dance at The Kemp given by one of the young men's dancing clubs the stags were taxed double the amount charged those with escorts. This seems to be the only real cure. This would place the stag on the same footing in regard to taxation that the government places the bachelor, who must pay a heavier income tax than the married brother. Both undoubtedly sacrifice personal liberty and independence for the good of the majority and are slaves to custom. They should be rewarded.

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INMATES OF GRIM PRISON MEET TO SOLVE PROBLEM OF CRIMES

At Remarkable Gathering of Thousands Whose Careers Are "Shady," Plan Made for Stopping Wave.

By ELLIS H. MARTIN.

International News Staff Correspondent

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—Will the solution of society's age-old problem come from the inside of the stone walls of institutions erected by society to guard itself against the cancer of crime and criminals.

One of the most remarkable meetings ever held anywhere presages this possibility. It was a gathering of the 1,200 prisoners of St. Quentin, California's grim structure of white stone, nestling along the sunny shores of San Rafael.

The meeting—one of the regular weekly gatherings held by the prisoners without the presence of guards—set itself to the consideration of its own problems and those of half a million more men and women confined in penal institutions of the United States.

The California Legislature now has before it a measure which would abolish the indeterminate sentence law.

This topic brought the question of a solution of one of the questions which have baffled sociologists and peace officers alike before the men whose careers have caused society to set them apart and restrain their liberty.

The discussion was free and it was the consensus of opinion of the gathering that a constructive plan be offered prison officials and the legislature as a solution of the problem of handling crime and criminals.

The best minds within the insitution, and concededly there are many bright men there, today are working on the plan.

No great sympathy was expressed by any of the speakers for the hardened criminal during the meeting, those present stated. But to those to whom confinement has brought a new light hope was held out. What shape the proposed plan will take will be determined at later meetings.

Fred T. Eldridge, chairman of the meeting, delivered the keynote of the meeting and declared that ignorance was the root of all social evil. Statistics, he said, show that 75 per cent of all crimes are committed by persons who have never seen the inside of a penal institution.

"Does it not, he asked, "render a terrible indictment against the past and present reformative system in vogue and prove conclusively that modifications of a higher quality must be introduced and maintained before any results worthy of consideration can be accomplished with men who have had the misfortune to be sent to a state prison?

"Until society demands that a more progressive system be invoked in its prisons it must not complain about the production of its present cherished mode of reformation."

No Place for Politics.

One of the first steps toward a solution of the prison problem, Eldridge pointed out, was the placing in the hands of non-political boards all branches of reformation. He said:

"All branches and methods of reformation, from the police department to the penal institution, should be taken out of the hands of political aspirants and henchmen and placed in the hands of qualified thinkers and educators. A psychological treatment should be given to each offender, and these offenders should be kept in restraint only until a thorough investigation has been established, and the powers and functions of mind have been restored or elevated to normal conditions agin; for crime in its entirety is the result of a disease, and a physical punishment will never cure a mental weakness, and any mode or system of reformation which has punishment as its foundation is worse than travesty—it is absolutely worthless."

Law as Defender.

Judge Smith, also a prisoner, emphasized the fact that the law was the very defender of the men whose heavy hand it felt. He spoke in glowing terms of the progress made in prison reform, and pointed out with pride to the fact that such a meeting would have been an unheard of thing a few years ago.

He urged a close study of the prison problem by the prisoners themselves with a view to bring before the public a constructive plan which would work toward their rehabilitation.

Speaking of the present crime wave sweeping over the United States, Prisoner Everest quoted statistics to show the number of thefts robberies and homicides in the United States.

He brought a laugh from the men when he said that during the first six months of last year in Chicago, only 739 automobiles had been recovered out of 4,437 stolen.

Everest was pessimistic over the present situation as regards prisoners, but urged that every man do his bit in helping his fellow convict.

Any business firm or individual seeking a dependable banking connection with the assurance of a personal interest in his success on the part of the bank's officers, will find it of advantage to consult with the men at the head of the City National Bank of Commerce.—Adv.

Girls, Here's New Vocation! Try Embalming

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 29.—The only woman undertaker in New Hampshire is Mrs. B. C. Lambert, pretty, petite and blonde, but a thorough business woman, and the able partner of her husband in business.

She is regarded as one of the most expert embalmers in the state and, with her husband, has built up one of the largest undertaking establishments in New Hampshire.

"I hated the thought of the work at first and was dreadfully afraid when my husband had to care for a body, but I got over that in time and grew so interested that I studied and took out an embalmer's license. Now I frequently work all alone at the Morgue.

DRUG BUSINESS IS ENJOYING BIG BOOM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Is prohibition responsible for big growth in the drug store business in the United States?

Drugs, out of a long list of business groups, stand alone as the only one showing a jump in volume of sales and future contracts.

Drug business is rapidly expanding, while other lines have been under depression, consequent to price readjustments, the federal reserve board said today, in a survey of the business field.

Whiskey sales to retail druggists, by wholesalers legally permitted to withdraw liquor in huge amounts from bond and resell to the trade, account for part of the increase in drug business officials said. In fact, they figured it is responsible for a very substantial amount of this increase.

The board had no figures to show what proportion of the 28,000,000 gallons withdrawn last year went into "drug channels," but admittedly it was large. No figures were separtely compiled to indicate the growth in the narcotic trade, but treasury reports from various collectors' districts indicated that heavier revenues are coming in from that source, accounting in part possibly for some of the heavier business reported by the wholesale drug dealers.

Pastor Scored for Not Teaching 'Hell'

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Professors of the University of Chicago were scored at the opening meeting of the New England Bible conference in Park Street church because they rejected the teaching of hell, when Chicago would be enough in itself to prove that there was one, intimated Dr. Arno C. Gaebelin, of New York.

"There are two questions which the bible answers and no other book answers them," said the speaker. "These questions are: Where do we come from and where do we go to? Let me tell you that no other book tackles these questions. Sir Oliver Lodge tried to interpret them, but he fell short."

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REVIVAL OF EAST WICHITA BOOM GIVING PROSPECT OF MATERIALIZATION FEATURES

The reviving of the East Wichita boom, this time with a prospect of materialization into an oil well, the completion of a fifteen million foot gasser in the Texhoma field, the first in a number of weeks, the completion of a couple of good wells for the Magnolia in the old Burkburnett field, the completion of a 75-barrel well for the Temple and White interests, and the establishment of the Allen and Foster wildcat on the Joyce as a good pumper were events of more than usual interest that marked the passing of the last week in the oil developments of Wichita county.

This week should tell the tale with the East Wichita's reported strike, the drillers stating that the hole was in good condition, and cased to within twenyt-eight feet of the bottom when the sand was struck. A special liner, it is stated by the company representatives, will be set before the sand is drilled into and tested.

Little New Drilling.

The evident determination of producers to meet the pipelines fifty per cent cut in purchases of crude, and 50 cents cut in the price of the product with a shutting down of new operations is responsible for the noticeable scarcity in important developments reported from the county operations this week, and the very few completions.

New Texhoma Gasser.

The past week would have been exceedingly dull as far as completions are concerned, if it had not been for the fifteen million-foot gasser of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company, it's No. 22 Roller. This gasser is remarkable because it has had no water trouble, and the gas is said to be entirely free from any fluid. The gas field in the Texhoma district, while yielding wells of large capacity, has had water as an ever present menace, and the production has been held down considerably as a result. Some of the wells have been temporarily shut in while working to remedy this water trouble, but the oil and gas section deputies, of the railroad commission, who are now working with the owners have expressed confidence that the gassers can be saved, and that new completions can profit by the previous adventures, and use preventativeness to assure the realization of the full value of the gas field.

While the Texhoma pool is sharing in the general slowing up of operations there is still enough activity under way to keep up interest.

On the D. P. Langford tract, south of the Dodson lease of the Gulf Production company, the No. 1 of Ryan and Rogers is reported to have drilled an oil sand around 1,650 feet, and the No. 2 is reported drilling near this depth.

The Wirt Franklin No. 3 Dodson is reported rigging up a star to complete, casing set at 1,200 feet.

The E. M. F. Oil Company's No. 7 Roller, lease B, is reported drilling below 1,200 feet, the sand at 1,150 feet showing for only a few barrels production.

The test of the Gulf Coast Oil company on the Rexford, reported two weeks ago on an oil sand at 1,650 feet, is reported as having set a liner, and now cleaning out preparing to drill in.

Old Burkburnett Well.

The Magnolia Petroleum scompany' No. 5 Holcomb A, in the old Burkburnett pool, is swabbing 120 barrels, according to reports from this field, this being the best completion in this section in some time, if this production holds up. The Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 66 Reilly is reported swabbing forty barrels from the 1600-foot sand. The No. 28, W. F. Ramming of this company is reported drilling again, to be deepened from the 1,700-foot Ramming sand in which it was a failure. The test is now reported drilling below 1,800 feet.

The Gulf's extension of the 970 foot South Electra sand continues to provide a center of interest for operations in this shallow field, and the Larkin and Seay et al No. 1 Burnett, offsetting the discovery well to the west, is being completed now, the schedule calling for drilling out the cement plug Saturday. The sand was found here at 953 feet.

Gulf on the Burnett.

The Gulf's No. 13 Burnett, lease A, offsetting the discovery well to the south, was drilling around 960 feet Friday and feeling ahead for the sand, which can be expected anywhere under 960 feet. Some discouragement was expressed that the sand was not found above the 960 foot depth, but the difference in elevation between the No. 12 and the No. 13 has been offset by the building up of the derrick floor, it is understood, so that the new test should get the sand around 970 feet. Drilling is progressing only a few feet at a time.

The W. B. Larkin No. 1 Parker, offsetting the Gulf well on the north, is drilling around 200 feet, it is reported. Rigs are reported up for the Hammond and Haddock No. 1 Burnett, to the southeast of the discovery well, the J. E. Parker No. 1 Cunningham estate, to the northwest, the Gulf Production company's No. 1 Burnett, lease D, to the northeast, and the Sam Kruger and Ryner and Bailey No. 1 Burnett, to the southwest.

East of Gladiolus

To the east of the Gladiolus lease in section 5, H. T. and B. R. R. survey, the No. 1 Burnett of W. R. Harris et al is reported drilling around 250 feet. There are no new wells reported from the Gladiolus, Barr Davis or Bryan Oil corporation leases in this section, but developments are continuing on all three, it is reported.

Fisher and Gilliland are reported rigging up a rotary for their No. 1 J. A. Fisher, just west of Fowlkes station.

The Texas Virginia Oil company's No. 3 Burnett, which made ten barrels an hour for several hours, from the 1,400 foot sand, is reported cleaning out to set a liner and complete. The holes filled up several hundred feet with cavings it is reported, after the splendid showing was made, and it is believed that when this debris is cleaned out the well will prove an unusually good one. This test is in section 7 of the H. T. & B. R. R. survey, northeast of the Gladiolus, Bryan, Barr Davis and near by producers that have made the 1,400 foot sand noted.

South of the above mentioned test the Virginia Oil association is reported also on the 1,400 foot sand, and preparing to complete.

Temple-White Pool.

Completion of the Tillicum Oil association and Temple & Whtie's No. 3 Parker, making 75 barrels in the 1,300-foot sand, is the only new development of consequence reported, from the Mattie Parker shallow field this past week.

Ashland Well.

The Allen and Foster strike, in Clay county, was placed on the pump the middle of the week, and the owners estimates are for a 50 or 75 barrel producer. Several new tests for this section are understood to be in prospect but as yet no new locations are reported.

FAMOUS OLD LANDMARK IS MOVED IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—A famous old landmark of Boston, the Charles street M. E. Church, built in 1807, is now being moved ten feet, in accordance with the widening of Charles street. Built in 1807, dedicated August 5, 1807, "as a separate church of Christ, by the name of the Third Baptist church of Boston," the structure is noted for its architecture of the Bulfinch period. The church was incorporated in 1839. Since 1877 the building has been owned by the First African Methodist church. The church was built at a cost of $27,000. Cost of moving is $40,000, of which the city will pay $30,000 and the parish $10,000.

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Neither did Superintendent Lee Clark or Secretary W. W. Brown, until they had accepted an invitation to lunch with the girls class in domestic science at the Senior High school.

Speaking of the instruction of the girls, Miss Lucy Martineau declared that aim of the course is to teach the girl from the average family, how to cook, market and choose the proper variety of foods at the lowest cost. She said that the chafing dish method of cooking received little attention in the course here as the primary aim of the domestic science is to be of aid in helping to improve the homes of the future.

In the cooking rooms the girls are each provided with a small gas oven and cooking set in which meals are actually prepared by the girls, under the supervision of Miss Martineau. From here they are taken to a small dining room, where instruction in proper serving, and etiquette is given. To make the instruction practical the girls are served in classes with some as guests, hostess and servants, thus receiving individual instruction in every phase connected with the preparation of a meal, from the market wagon to the dining table, and it might be added the kitchen sink, since every dish and pot must be spotless before being returned to its proper place.

In teaching the proper service for meals the pupils are taugh first how to prepare and serve breakfasts, then luncheons while the dinners are left to the more advanced classes.

Another phase of the struggle of teachers to prepare their girl students for bettering the homes of the future is found in the domestic art rooms, where under the instruction of Miss Sadie Frazier girls are taught to make pattern and stitch their own garments. They are started on the simplest of patterns and stitches and gradually led up through the various classes to costume and millinery designing and the making of their own dresses and in some cases hats.

Water Courses In Montana to Be Hitched Up

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 29.—How much horsepower in electrical energy can be developed from the streams of Montana?

The answer to this question will be determined by members of the United States Geological Survey, under direction of District Engineer W. A. Lamb. Mr. Lamb said that this survey of the state is necessary following passage of the water power leasing bill by congress, which opens a new industry and another natural resource to development in the Western states.

Already Montana's water power is converted through comparatively few dams into the energy which moves all the street cars in the state, lights nearly every city and all of the larger ones, operates the drills and hoists in the deeper mines and pushes huge freight trains over the Continental Divide into Butte and west to Avery, Ida., for 440 miles.

Mr. Lamb said that the efforts of hydraulic engineers of Montana have heretofore been directed toward irrigation development, but now all big reservoirs are being studied from two points of view, irrigation and power development. He said that the western counties of Montana are rich in water power development and the need of the survey is now felt as it never was before with tentative applicants asking daily for more and more irrigation.

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