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MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

BY H. N. F.

Carl Venth is coming. He is "The Music Master." He will be here Monday. He comes with the soloists of Texas Woman College. He comes under the auspices of the Kiwanis club. Kiwanis, as H. N. F. has the definition, is an international organization composed of the representative business and professional men of every community devoted to applying the Golden Rule to their daily business, civic and social life. Kiwanis, H. N. F. has been told, is more than an organization. It is an ideal. It is the religion of business. Kiwanis it is said, has raised the morale of business men and is helping to place business on the high plane of service to humanity instead of merely on the plane of personal profit. Moreover, Kiwanis helps to take men out of the rut of business and make them see life in a bigger and better way. Then it is appropriate that Carl Venth and his colleagues should appear under the auspices of the Kiwanis club. H. N. F. prizes highly the friendship of Carl Venth. It is an old friendship, a sacred friendship, for Carl Venth is more than a music master, more than a composer, more than a teacher. He is a man. He was born under Teutonic skies. His father was a Hungarian of the aristocracy and his mother a baroness. He was educated in the best schools of Europe. He isn't all musician or dreamer. There is a practical side to him and the Golden Rule is his religion. In his sunnier years he established himself in the musical and art centers of the historic lands of Europe. Then he came to America. He is a naturalized citizen and he loves America. He enjoyed the friendship of the kings and the queens of the operatic world over there and the intimate championship of the composers of the world before he ever saw the blue sky of Texas or was introduced to its hospitable and breezy people. New York held him for a time. He won instant recognition as a composer, writer for the leading newspapers on matters musical and as the leader of the Brooklyn Symphony Orchestra he was riding on the crest of the wave of success when the lamented Madame Kidd-Key, founder of one of the greatest schools for girls the country has known, made him a fabulous offer to come to Texas and direct the musical department of her flourishing and widely known college. She builded wiser than she knew—for Texas. Carl Venth repeated his successes scored in the East and in the capitals of the old world. He has hundreds of compositions to his credit. He knows music as a babe knows its mother. He can talk it, employing the technical language of the cult, or he can write it and about it in the simple language of the plain people. H. N. F. is glad he is coming. Carl Venth is a scholar and a gentleman as well as a musician and man of the world. An hour with Carl Venth when he is in the mellow mood is like the reading of an epic poem from the soul of a genius. And yet he is a tireless plodder; he is devoted to his work. He has an acquaintance that is international and his linguistic accomplishments are a delight to the trained ear. This is just a crude pen portrait of the Texas music master. David Warfield, played "The Music Master," Charles Klein who went down on the Titanic, evolved "The Music Master" from his creative workshop. Klein saw Venth, he copied Venth and the imperishable music master of the American stage is a copy of this artist of two worlds who will appear at the Wichita Theater Mon-

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LOAN ON BONUS WOULD BE SAFE ASSERTS GREEN

Statement of Ranking Member of Committee Answers Announcement of Treasury Comptroller.

Declares Banks Are Burdened With "Frozen Securities" on Loans Approved by Crissenger.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 11.—Provisions of the compromise soldier bonus bill relating to bank loans to former service men "have been either misunderstood or misrepresented in some quarters," Representative Green, Iowa, who is ranking republican member of the ways and means committee and who helped revise the measure, declared today in a statement.

While the Iowa member made no direct comment on the announced intention of Comptroller of the Currency Crissinger to advise banks not to accept adjusted compensation certificates as security for loans, it was generally regarded that the statement was a reply to the opinion of the bill's provisions expressed by Mr. Crissinger. Ways and means committee members have been reluctant to take issue with the comptroller and Mr. Green's views were the first definite expression from republicans of the committee as to the stand taken by the currency comptroller.

Coincident with Mr. Green's declaration, republican leaders in the house declared that despite rumors that President Harding was opposed to the present draft of the bonus bill there had been no change in plans which call for a report of the measure on Monday by the ways and means committee and passage of the bill by the house a week later.

Representative Green in his statement said: "When the ways and means committee struck out the cash provisions of the former bill, to which so much objection had been made, it was thought advisable to make some provisions for soldiers who were or should become in need, and for this purpose the bank loan provision was inserted.

"It seems to be assumed by some that all of these loans would run to October 1, 1929, but that date was merely inserted as the very latest which might be fixed for maturity of loans by the banks in order that transactions with the bank might thereafter be closed. It was not intended that the banks would make the loan in the first instances for more than the time usually given on commercial paper although a savings bank might do so. The government agrees to cash these notes if they are six months overdue.

"The mere statement is sufficient to show that the ordinary bank holds little paper so well secured or upon which collection could so quickly be enforced if the maker fails to pay. If the 'frozen securities' now held in large quantities by many banks, the result of loans made with the approval of the comptroller of currency, had been backed by such a guarantee they would have paid long ago."

OFFICERS FAIL TO FIND SOUTH TEXAS BANDITS

By Associated Press.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Mar. 11.—While police were searching through the effects of the men taken into custody at New Braunfels and brought to this city to be questioned concerning the robbery of the New Braunfels State bank yesterday, they found a black mask. The man refused to give any explanation of how he got it, or what use he put it to. A woman whom he said was his wife was held with him for investigation. Just before they were taken to separate cells for the night, the man turned to the woman and was heard to say:

"Stand pat. Keep still. They have got nothing on us." Further than that he refused to talk.

Policemen in airplanes, automobiles and on motorcycles searched the roads nearby all day and late into the night, but have discovered no traces of the robbers. One of the men who entered the bank is said to have worn a white handkerchief over his face. The others were unmasked. A re-check of the bank's securities showed that the thieves got away with about $104,000 in all. Of this, $18,000 was in cash, the rest in securities, about half of which were registered.

SAMUEL GOMPERS LEAVES FOR TEXTILE CENTERS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, left Washington today for the New England textile centers, where he will make a series of addresses before strikers' mass meetings.

WIRELESS TO PLAY PART IN POLITICS, THINKS EDUCATOR

By Associated Press.

SWARTHMORE, Pa., Mar. 11.—The next presidential campaign will be conducted largely by means of the wireless telephone, enabling millions of voters actually to hear the appeals of candidates, Prof. G. C. Aubrey, of Swarthmore preparatory school tonight predicted in an address before the Radio club at the school.

Professor Aubrey said that certain forms of news in the daily and periodical publications will have to undergo a change because of the wireless telephone. "Greater stress," he added, "will be laid on the publication of editorials, photographs and reports relating to physical activities."

ALLIED FINANCE BODY IS AGREED ON WAR CLAIMS

America's Claim Disregarded in Alloting Funds but Is Recognized in Special Clause.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Mar. 11.—The allied finance ministers signed an agreement this afternoon for the distribution of the first billion gold marks of German reparations. The agreement disregards the American claim of priority for its expenses in connection with occupation of the Rhineland so far as the actual sharing of this money is concerned, but recognizes the claim by a special clause, which states that all the agreements on this question are subject to the American rights as the various governments may establish them, the finance ministers considering that they do not have power to decide this question.

The ministers decided, after long discussion that the question was not for the reparation commission to decide, because that body was acting solely under the provisions of the treaty of Versailles, to which the United States no longer was a party. Consequently, it was decided that the question was one for the various governments concerned to settle.

The agreement provides that the expenses of the armies of occupation after May 1, 1921, shall be divided as follows:

One hundred and two million Belgian francs to Belgium; 2,000,000 pounds to Great Britain, and 460,000,000 French francs to France.

The distribution of deliveries in kind by Germany in 1922 will be on the basis of sixty-five per cent to France and thirty-five per cent to the other allies. The Wiesbaden agreement will continue in force for three years, with the reservation that payments will not exceed 350,000,000 gold marks worth of material in 1922.

750,000,000 in 1923 and 750,000,000 in 1924. Other powers besides France, under the agreement, are permitted to conclude arrangements with Germany similar to the Wiesbaden agreement, provided such agreements do not call for deliveries in kind in excess of the total amount fixed by the present agreement.

None of the powers, the agreement provides, will be compelled to turn back any cash as a result of deliveries in kind received in 1922.

The first billion marks paid in cash are to be distributed as follows (leaving out of account the American claim): five hundred million gold marks to Great Britain as partial reimbursement for the expenses of her armies of occupation up to May 1, 1921; 140,000,000 gold marks to France, for the same purpose, and the remainder to Belgium, with the exception of 172,000,000 lire allotted to Italy.

PITTSBURG COUNTY OKLAHOMA SHERIFF ACQUITTED BY JURY

By Associated Press.

M'ALESTER, Okla., March 11.—Sheriff William S. Sanders of Pittsburg county, was today acquitted by a jury in district court on two charges alleging misconduct and maladministration in office. The specific charges were that he was habitually intoxicated and that he released a girl prisoner from jail before the expiration of her sentence.

NEFF COMPLIMENTS GENERAL WOLTERS ON MEXIA SERVICE

AUSTIN, Mar. 11.—In congratulating Brigadier General Jacob F. Wolters, who commanded the martial law area at Mexia, on his work there, Governor Neff said in a letter today that he had not heard of a single adverse criticism of the military forces or their work.

"I have heard many expressions of approbation for the orderly and soldierly conduct of the entire organization, as a group and as individuals," the governor said.

WHY PICK ON PARRISH, BOLD KNIGHT OF THE FREE LANCE?

By H. N. F.

There is a campaign on and a corterie of Texas Democrats are contenders for a senatorial prize. This is the list:

Charles A. Culberson,
Lucian W. Parrish,
Cullen F. Thomas.
Robert Lee Henry.
Earl B. Mayfield.
Sterling P. Strong.
James E. Ferguson.
Clarence Ousley.

Messrs. Culberson, Thomas and Strong are citizens of Dallas. Railroad Commissioner Mayfield is a citizen of Travis. Mr. Henry is a citizen of McLennan. Mr. Ousley is a citizen of Tarrant. Mr. Parrish is a citizen of Clay "and the man from West Texas." Mr. Ferguson is a citizen of Bell.

West Texas never had a United States senator. West Texas never had a governor. Mr. Parrish is campaigning. He began in the lower Panhandle and last week he did some rugged work including the facing of the worst blizzard that Amarillo had known in the life time of Colonel Charles Goodnight. Mr. Parrish jumped from town to town in the lower Panhandle. He paid a flying visit to Quanah where he addressed an audience of Democratic men and women voters. Harry Koch is the editor of the Quanah Tribune-Chief. Editor Koch publishes a spritley and well edited newspaper and the Tribune-Chief devoted three columns to the news side of the coming of Parrish and the writer spoke very laudatory of the "man from the west." On the editorial page of the Quanah Tribune-Chief Editor Koch exercised his free-born American privilege of constructive criticism of the Parrish address. This is what he said:

In his speech Tuesday Lucian Parrish failed to say anything about prohibition or the Ku Klux Klan, two vital subjects before the American people. That he is a pro we readily believe, as he could not have been elected to congress otherwise, but we see no reason why he should have evaded that subject at a time when the last hope of the antis is to secure beer and light wines for their thirst, and the U. S. senate is their court of last resort. Since the withdrawal of Colquit, the antis have only Culberson left to vote for. The latter has been a life-long anti, and might be trusted to comply with their wishes in this instance. Since Mr. Parrish could not hope to gain anti votes, we are surprised at his silence, which can only hurt him with people who want an outspoken champion. About the Ku Klux, any lawyer who does not want to raise his voice when the question comes up whether the law or mob shall rule, is an enigma to us. Ignoring this issue is going to hurt Mr. Parrish's candidacy more than he seems to be aware of. To us the race for U. S. senator has simmered down to Charles A. Culberson, and we do not think any other candidate need be considered.

Now why pick on Parrish? He is a candidate for senator and a candidate for all the votes he can gather on primary election day.

Now why pick on Parrish?

A candidate for office never digs up more snakes than he can kill.

Why pick on Parris hand let the other candidates for senator go unpicked?

Mr. Parrish did not refer to the Ku Klux Klan in his speech. He did not refer to the prohibition issue. But why pick on Parrish because he failed "to say anything about prohibition or the Ku Klux."

Hon. Cullen F. Thomas is a candidate. Mr. Thomas made many speeches in West Texas last week. Mr. Thomas failed to say anything about the Ku Klux. He made his opening speech the week before last. He failed to say anything about the Ku Klux. He has been making speeches for months and in those speeches he failed to say anything about the Ku Klux.

So why pick on Parrish?

Charles A. Culberson is a candidate for re-election. The Record News carried his three column "Looking backward and looking forward" address to the Democratic voters. Mr. Culberson failed to say anything about the Ku Klux. Mr. Culberson is an American senator. He has been an American senator for many years. To date, like his fellow contender, Mr. Thomas, he has failed to say anything about the Ku Klux.

So why pick on Parrish because he has failed to say anything about prohibition or the Ku Klux?

Railroad Commissioner Earle B. Mayfield is a candidate for senator. He has been a candidate for a long time. He made a speech at Iowa Park last summer. He made his opening speech at Waxahachie two weeks ago. He has made many speeches and given the press many interviews since he has announced for the United States senate but he never said anything about the Ku Klux.

So why pick on Parrish because he never said anything about the Ku Klux.

Clarence Ousley is a candidate for United States senator. His formal announcement has appeared in the leading state papers. He has made many speeches. He has given out some few newspaper interviws. But Mr. Ousley has never said anything against the Ku Klux.

So why pick on Parrish because he never said anything about the Ku Klux.

Former Congressman Robert Lee Henry is a candidate for United States senator. His announcement was carried by the state papers. He has given out newspaper interviews but he has never said anything about Ku Klux. He will open his engagement in the city of Waco, Friday night, March 31st, and his second speech will be made at Linden, Cass county, his birth place, but it is a safe prediction that Robert Lee will say nothing about the Ku Klux.

So why pick on Parrish?

Sterling P. Strong, known to the old timers as "Block-All-Legislation" Strong, is a candidate for senate. Long ago his announcement was carried by the daily newspapers of the state. Many times he has given out interviews and made speeches. He never said anything about the Ku Klux until he lit at Denison where he boldly announced himself a Ku Kluxer and confidently predicted his own election as United States senator.

So why pick on Parrish because he failed to say anything about the Ku Klux.

James E. Ferguson is a candidate for senator. He has made his announcement. Newspapers have carried his interviews but he failed to say anything about the Ku Klux. Of course Jim E. has announced time and again that he "has the guts" to say what he thinks, regardless of consequences.

But why pick on Parrish because he failed to say anything about the Ku Klux?

Editor Koch says Culberson and Thomas are the leading contenders. Well, Culberson hasn't said anything about the Ku Klux. Thomas hasn't said anything about the Ku Klux.

Why not pick on Culberson?
Why not pick on Thomas?
Why not pick on Mayfield?
Why not pick on Ousley?
Why not pick on Ferguson?

All the candidates with the exception of Ferguson have accepted prohibition and woman suffrage as settled issues. All the candidates with the exception of Ferguson are opposed to the light wines and beer demand.

So why pick on Parrish because he failed to say anything about the Ku Klux?

Looking at you, Editor Koch. Speaking to you, Editor Koch.

Why not wire Culberson?
Why not wire Thomas?
Why not wire Ousley?
Why not wire Mayfield?
Why not wire Ferguson?

"ARE YOU FOR OR 'AGIN' THE INVISIBLE EMPIRE?" Editor Koch started something when he picked on Parrish.

U. S. SHIP IN PORT ARTHUR FOR REPAIRS

By Associated Press.

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, March 11.—The American schooner Miriam Landis, with cargo ruined, ran into this port today for repair and supplies, after being wrecked on the Spanish coast, and blown off its course, resulting in a along voyage, necessitating putting the crew on short rations.

The Weather

West Texas: Sunday partly cloudy, Monday unsettled, cooler in north and west portion.

Oklahoma: Sunday cloudy, unsettled, probably rain Sunday night or Monday; cooler in west portion Monday.

ANNE MORGAN PLEASED WITH HER RECEPTION

Expresses Gratification at Attendance at Meetings and Responses Made; Is Pleased With City.

To Address Mass Meeting at Olympic This Afternoon; Burkburnett and Electra Monday.

Anne Morgan, here in the interest of the work of the American Committee for Devxastated France, and in the interest of a more sympathetic understanding of the French on the part of the American people, expressed herself as more than pleased and appreciative of the reception that had been accorded her by the people of Wichita Falls, indicated both by the numbers attending the two meetings she addressed Saturday, and the response which had been made following her talk. Miss Morgan at noon addressed a luncheon crowd at the Kemp and at night addressed a meeting of Boy Scouts and their parents at the Strand theater.

Speaks This Afternoon

This afternoon at 3 o'clock she will talk to a mass meeting at the Olympic theater, a meeting at which will be shown motion picture views of the devastation wrought by the German armies in France, and the desperate conditions under which French men and women, and especially children, are fighting to keep their lives and restore their homes.

Monday at 10 o'clock Miss Morgan will address a meeting at the Lyric theater at Burkburnett, and at 3 in the afternoon will address a meeting in the High school auditorium at Electra, according to announcement by J. G. Culberson. In the two meetings addressed Saturday Miss Morgan acquitted herself as an intensely interesting and forceful speaker, one of the most forceful speakers, man of woman, who has visited Wichita Falls in recent years.

While reminding her hearers of one of the purposes of her visit, the getting of funds for the carrying on of the work of the American Committee for another year, Miss Morgan had nothing in her appeal to justify her self-termed state of "banditry." Expressing her appreciation of the conditions prevailing throughout the world, she yet urged her hearers that to make, if they

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SHIREY READY TO COME BACK, SAYS ATTORNEY

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, March 11.—Dr. Guy O. Shirey, former Texas state commander of the American Legion, against a complaint alleging embezzlement of trust funds over $50 was filed in justice court here Thursday, has notified County Attorney John W. Hornsby that he is ready to return to Texas at any time to answer to the complaint, Mr. Hornsby announced today.

Mr. Hornsby said that he had talked over long distance telephone with a person who received Shirey's with a person who received Shirey's offer to return. This person he said asked that his name be withheld and as his reasons satisfied Mr. Hornsby, his request was granted. He also refused to announce Shirey's present place of residence. Shirey is thought to be in California.

Mr. Hornsby's informant said that Shirey had wired for information as to the charges that had been filed against him in Texas. He made no mention of the suit filed in Fort Worth Friday by the American Legion asking judgment for $20,879.05. Mr. Hornsby said his informant requested permission to inform Shirey of the case against him here. Mr. Hornsby told the person to tell Shirey of the complaint here and also of civil suit at Fort Worth.

MAN BELIEVED TO BE FATALLY HURT RESULT FIST FIGHT

MEXIA, Texas, Mar. 11.—J. Pierson, oil tank construction worker, was taken to his home in Cleburne today in a critical condition following an altercation on a tank farm six miles south of here which is said to have resulted from an argument over the number of rivets in a section of steel tank.

A man by the name of People is being held by county authorities in connection with the attack upon Pierson, which he claims was made with naked fists. Pierson's jaw bone is broken, a number of his ribs are crushed and internal injuries are expected to prove fatal.

SOLDIER WHO DIED DURING WAR LEFT A RELATIVE ARMY

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 11.—In investigating the record of Bennie F. Taylor of Crystal Springs, Miss., a soldier who died at Camp Beauregard in 1918, the U. S. veterans bureau believes it has come across something unique in the way of family relationship. Among other facts divulged was that Taylor, exclusive of cousins, was closely related to four per cent of the total population of his home town of 1,395 residents.

Under the new adjustment for the payment of Taylor's $5,000 policy, the step-mother and fifteen brothers and sisters will each receive monthly installments of $1.92.

FIRST ELECTRA TRADES DAY IS GREAT SUCCESS

Crowds Jam Streets and Merchants Co-Operating Do Brisk Business; All Stores Join in Project.

Special to the Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—With crowds reminiscent of boom days, and with brisk bidding at an auction sale of farm tools and products proving a feature of the day, the first trades day held at Electra today was an unqualified success.

Every merchant in Electra co-operated with the movement, and each had two "specials" at highly attractive prices. As around 75 merchants participated, this meant around 150 real bargains to the prospective purchasers—covering a wide range of needs and prices. Good prices for farm products, for pure bred poultry and horses, and for the farm Fords, were obtained at the auction.

SINGLE BULLET INJURES ONE; KILLS ANOTHER

By Associated Press.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Mar. 11.—A single bullet from the gun of Deputy Sheriff McClure of Leflore county, killed Roy Price, 17 years old, and fatally wounded Fred Evans, 25, at a dance at Panama, 15 miles from Fort Smith last night. Evans was brought to a hospital here and died this afternoon.

McClure claims the two men had been drinking and after he had placed them under arrest they refused to go to the Panama jail. McClure says he jabbed his gun into the side of Evans with no intention of shooting. The bullet passed through the body of Evans and struck Price just above the right eye, killing him almost instantly.

DE SILVA GIVEN DEATH PENALTY AT BEAUMONT

By Associated Press.

BEAUMONT, Texas, March 11.—Newt de Silva was found guilty of murder and given a death penalty at 9 o'clock tonight. The jury has been out since Thursday at noon. De Silva was tried on a charge of killing C. Abrahamson, an old sailor, at Port Arthur on Dec. 17, 1921. The defendant was unmoved when the verdict was read.

The case has attracted much attention here. Since it retired last Thursday no word has been sent out by the jury as to how it stood or indicating that it was having difficulty in reaching an agreement.

DALLAS MAN NEW HEAD OF NATIONAL GEOLOGISTS ASSN.

By Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 11.—W. E. Wrather of Dallas was elected president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists at the concluding session of the association's national convention here today. He succeeds George C. Mathon of Tulsa. Max W. M. Ball, Dr. Charles E. Decker of the University of Oklahoma, and Dr. Raymond C. Moore of the University of Kansas, were re-elected as vice presidents, secretary and editor respectively.

STATE ENTERS INTO BOUNDARY CONTROVERSY

Claim Asserts Title to Red River Bed as Well as to Large Portion of Lone Star State.

Supreme Court Undecided Whether to Consider the Case in Connection With Texas-Oklahoma Case.

By Associated Press.

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, March 11.—The part of Texas that Arkansas claims in a petition filed in the supreme court of the United States today is a strip about a hundred miles wide and six hundred miles long, running west from Louisiana along Red river, according to Assistant Attorney General Wallace Hawkins, who is working on the Texas-Oklahoma boundary suit.

The southern boundary line runs through Cherokee, Navarro and Hill counties and turns north in Hommels county to the state line. It includes Dallas, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Abilene, together with the smaller towns north of the south line of the strip of Texas claimed by Arkansas.

Attorney General Keeling had not heard of Arkansas' claim until notified tonight. He said that he preferred to hear all of it before making a statement.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 11.—The state of Arkansas today entered the list of claimants to the bed of the Red river, now in dispute in the supreme court between the federal government, the states of Oklahoma and Texas, and private individuals. Arkansas, under a motion for permission to intervene in the dispute filed by Attorney General Utley, also asserted its title to a large part of the state of Texas. The state declares that it is entitled under the boundaries laid down in the act of admission to statehood not only to the bed of the Red river, but also to that part of the state of Texas lying between the Louisiana boundary and the 100th degree of longitude and north of the thirty-second parallel.

The supreme court will decide later whether it will consider the claim in connection with the Texas-Oklahoma case.

PROPOSE MORE HOSPITALS FOR CARE OF VETS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—An appropriation of $17,000,000 for additional hospital facilities for disabled war veterans is recommended in a bill favorably reported today by the house public buildings committee. As originally introduced by Chairman Langley, the measure authorized a $16,000,000 appropriation, but the amount was increased by the committee to take care of several additional prospects.

The bill as reported does not stipulate where and how the money is to be expended, this being entirely left to the director of the veterans' bureau, who, under provisions of the measure, would have control over all construction work and architectural plans instead of the architect of the treasury department.

SERUM IS THOUGHT TO HAVE CAUSED DEATHS OF THREE

By Associated Press.

WAUKESHA, Wis., March 11.—The death of three inmates of the Westhaven sanitarium following injection of a well known serum for treatment of a blood disease at the institution has resulted in the ordering of an inquest by Coroner L. F. Lee and Governor Blaine has interposed by sending a state physician from Madison to assist in the autopsies.

The dead men are: Captain Roy Baker, 30; Eauclaire; Walter Schuman, 30, Milwaukee and Leon Prudace, Waukesha.

HUGH HARRISON'S WIDOW IS AWARDED DAMAGES OF $6,000

By Associated Press.

PELTON, Texas, March 11.—Damages totalling $6,000 were awarded Mrs. Hugh Harris and her son, Hugh, by a jury in district court today in their suit against the Southwestern Traction company as a result of the accident two years ago when Hugh Harris, former state senator, was killed when a Temple-Belton interurban car struck an automobile in which he was riding. Mrs. Harris was awarded $4,500 and her son $1,500.

ANNE MORGAN BRINGS BACK SPIRIT OF '17

Large Luncheon Crowd Is Fired With Desire to Do Bit for Children Victims of Ruthless War.

Tells How Desire to Avert Repetition of Ruin Leads to Precautions Which the World Misunderstands.

Anne Morgan turned time back four years Saturday at the noon luncheon at the Kemp hotel, and took the hundred and fifty men and women of her audience back to the days of the war, and immediately following the armistice, when the plight of the women and children of devastated France was a subject of interest no less vital than the safety and welfare of the American soldiers.

There was no accusation by Miss Morgan that America, that Texas, that Wichita Falls had forgotten—but there was a plea that it should not forget, and there was a re-vivifying of the spirit prevailing when the youths of both France and America fought a common enemy, and a review of the infinitely better conditions in which the men, women and children of this country, and this community are living, even with the present day pinch which affects all alike, than the people of Northern France, still a country of ruins, after almost four years of peace.

Miss Morgan, since her return in January of this year from Europe, has been touring the United States on the mission of reviving interest in France's devastated departments among the American people. She has been telling of the social service work of the American committee, how it has been helping through these three and a half years since the war ceased, as well as in the last few years of the war, in building up bodies, souls and morals, in establishing clinics, working with the boys of France through organization of Boy Scout troops. She has been drawing pictures of France, struggling to rebuild, almost with bare hands, its fields and villages destroyed by the war. Tragic little stories of mothers struggling to keep families together, with the father dead, the home destroyed, every possession long vanished; of crippled, broken men, almost without hope of little children born during the war, who have known only sadness and grief. And these stories are her gospel, her means of correcting the impressions that have gained ground in America that France is a militaristic, envious, greedy nation; that they hate America.

"You can't imagine how it hurts" she exclaimed, "to come back to America which was once so full of sympathy, so anxious to help France do something, and find the people forgetting, indifferent, hardened. The things that are said about France, that she is militaristic, that they are greedy, that the people are degenerate, that they are not deserving of our help, I want to say that those things are wicked lies.

"The charge that France is militaristic received emphatic denial from the speaker. Their insistence on the maintenance of a large army until her security is guaranteed otherwise, she explained as a result of their invasion on an average of every 18 years for the past 300 years, and the full realization, from shattered homes and the death of some member of practically every family before the eyes of the others, and particularly the children, of what invasion really means. Their insistence on Germany's meeting the treaty terms, she explained, as not due to a desire to cripple Germany, nor to national greed, but to a feeling that it was up to Germany to repair the destruction which she had wrought.

"If you could but see what they have already done for themselves, without any of the German indemnity money yet received; if you could see how they are making homes again, in ruins, in dugouts, with any makeshift possible.

"France, her people, those the American committee are helping rebuild, have not forgotten America. If you could see the annual pilgrimages on their Decoration Day to the American cemeteries, could see the love and reverence with which they care for the graves of our dead still resting on French soil, you would know that France still loves America, and appreciates what the American manhood did for them."

Miss Morgan told of miracles that had been already effected in the restoration of parts of the agricultural areas, with what assistance the American Committee has been able to give. Tractors have been loaned, money loaned, repaid and loaned back, again and again, until fields that three years ago were full of craters and shell holes, are again bearing rich harvests.

"Unless one understands thoroughly the limited spheres of the French agricultural people, and those in the devastated areas are mainly agricultural, there can be no real appreciation of what this rehabilitation work means. For generation after generation, these fields have been cultivated by the same families. Many persons live to a ripe old age, and die without going more than a few miles from the place of their birth. They can do nothing but go on with the same program that their forefathers instituted.

"But, I want to emphasize again, it is not a question of 'doing for France' but of 'doing with her,' for she is only needing assistance, not charity.

"France has turned her back on everything but the future, and is going bravely ahead. The American committee is asking now if it may be permitted to continue its work a short time longer, to get it's hold on the ideals and the home life of the people of devastated France a little firmer, so that in the days to come it will continue an influence.

"Every public health nurse, every child welfare conference, every Boy Scout troop that is already organized is wielding its influence for good. The committee hopes to be able to continue this influence and to widen it."

Miss Morgan voiced her appreciation of the reception which Wichita Falls had given her, stating that the attendance was exceptionally large. Referring to the introduction given by Frank Kell, who mentioned her connection with the most distinguished family of business men of the United states, she laughingly said that it was hard to be reminded that she was of a family of great financiers, when it seemed to be the general opinion that she herself had become a "highway robber."

"People seem to fear that I have sinister designs against their bank accounts,'" she said, "and too often I find that when the time comes for a luncheon similar to this one, the folks we want to have meet with us are either called out of town, have a pressing business engagement or are taken suddenly ill. I appreciate evry much indeed this splendid attendance, and the interest you have shown."

There was no extended appeal for funds, merely the explanation that whatever amounts the individual could decide upon would be very gratefully accepted, either in cash, or in pledges for monthly payments extending through 1922.

G. Clint Wood presided as toastmaster, Mr. Kell and Miss Morgan being the only other speakers. Announcemnt of the Boy Scout program Saturday night, and of the Sunday afternoon mass meeting was made by J. G. Culbertson, member of the Texas committee for the work of the American Committee.

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

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day night under the auspices of the Kiwanis club. There is a Mistress Carl Venth who is an artiste as well as a most accomplished woman, daughter of a Norwegian nobleman and granddaughter of a former commander-in-chief of the Imperial Army of the Nordic Kingdom. She is widely traveled, superbly educated, a brilliant conversationalist and as tireless a worker as her lovable and ever interesting life-companion. Many times the Venths have crossed the Atlantic, many times have they visited New York and San Francisco, many times have they dreamed of a symphony orchestra away down here in Texas that would rival those of New York or Brooklyn or Chicago or San Francisco and some day the dream may come true. Flowers for the living. This bunch of wild posies are tossed toward "The Music Master" and Mrs. Music Master.

An American correspondent abroad says that British and American oil interests in the Persian field have in part substituted co-operation for cut-throat competition, and that negotiations now are under way between the Standard Oil interests and Anglo-Persian companies on one hand and the Persian government on the other for peaceable settlement of th conflicting claims which the two great companies have in that part of the world. To be exact these rival oil concerns have agreed to conduct their affairs in Persia on a 50-50 basis. There is nothing like it. "If you can't lick 'em, jine 'em."

TEXAS BAPTISTS READY GIVERS TO THE CAUSE

They Have Contributed $5,148,743.68 to the Baptist 75 Million Campaign Fund Down to Date.

By FRANK E. BURKHALTER

DALLAS, Texas, March 11.—Of the $30,356,301 in cash received by the Baptist seventy-five million campaign to date the Baptists of Texas have contributed $5,148,743.68, it is announced by the Baptist headquarters in this city. Of the total receipts $28,799,071.15 came in through payment of regular campaign subscriptions and the remaining $1,556,348.25 in special contributions to designated objects fostered by the campaign.

Of the regular contributions throughout the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention, foreign missions has received $5,434,012.63, home missions $3,363,600.67, state missions $4,054,813.20, Christian education, embracing the 120 Baptist schools, colleges and theological seminaries owned and controlled by the Southern Baptists, $7,102,442.79, hospitals, $2,004,009.16, orphanage $2,103,878.33, and the Relief and Annuity Board, which ministers to aged dependent preachers and their families, $799,120.99.

While the larger funds that have come in as a result of the campaign have made possible the strengthening of every Baptist institution and interest within the state, they have also enabled the Baptist churches of Texas to have a much larger share in the world-wide work of the Southern Baptists in which they have always been among the leaders. From their contributions the sum of $724,952.55 has gone to foreign missions, $47,250 to home missions, $104,000 to Southwide educational objects and $130,097.28 to ministerial relief.

Indicative of the larger things which the campaign has made possible in the Baptist work of the state, the sum of $687,594.65 has been invested in state missions, while the following appropriations have been made to various Baptist institutions.

Baylor University, Waco, $173,400; Baylor college, Belton, $121,593.42; Howard-Payne College, Brownwood, $52,012; Simmons College, Abilene, $86,700; Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth, $86,700; Burleson College, Greenville, $17,340; Decatur College, Decatur, $17,340; College of Marshall, Marshall, $17,340, Rusk College, Rusk, $17,340; San Marcos Academy, San Marcos, $17,340, Wayland College, Plainview, $17,340; Orphans' Home, Dallas, $52,020; Baylor Hospital, Dallas, $104,000; Central Texas Sanitarium, Waco, $43,335; Baptist Hospital, Houston, $82,365; Abilene Sanitarium, (projected) $17,340; San Antonio Sanitarium, (projected) $26,010; Brownsville Sanitarium, (proposed), $4,335.

While Texas had paid more money into the campaign than any other state, its subscriptions were also much larger and a statewide campaign is now on among the churches, looking to the bringing the payments up to the highest possible standard by May 1, when the books of the Southern Baptist Convention close for the year. This campaign is under the leadership of Dr. S. S. Gronor, state secretary, of this city.

Civic League Launching Campaign For Members Tuesday Morning; List Of Workers Is Announced Saturday

Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, the membership drive for the Civic League will be launched. The city has been divided into sections each with its chairman, sub-chairman and working staff, the plan being to meet on a corner or at the home most convenient for the committee in the territory to be worked. A membership of 1,000 women is the aim of the campaign.

A small part of the excellent work that has been accomplished by the Civic league which grew from what was called the Cemetery association in the year of 1908, with 15 members and with Mrs. J. A. Kemp, president, to the large club of united active women now known as the Civic league with its many departments numbering approximately 500 members is being reviewed for the benefit of some who do not know about the work.

In the work of city beautification and sanitation which have been outstanding features in the work of the league work, the designing and planting of Bellevue park which has now become a mecca for children, was the first step. One result of sanitation work, which was begun by the Civic league in 1916, a well ordered food inspection department of the city. Beautiful and well ordered yards, the pride of the city are the results in many instances of the prize contests which were launched a few years ago by the Civic league. More recent activity includes the establishment of a successful open market where last season home grown vegetables were sold direct from the grower to the consumer, and the three successful tree sales in which 1,658 trees were sold and caused to be planted. Charity is also a feature of the league work substantial donations being placed from time to time where most needed.

To keep the organization up to what it should be for a city of this size, the membership campaign is being launched for both active and associate new members on a subscription basis of one dollar. Old dues and the collection of 1920 dues will also be a part of the work, according to the announcement. After the campaign is over, those who are not paid up according to the league constitution, will have to be dropped from the list. Workers will report at the Y. W. C. A. at the noon hour for luncheon.

Workers are divided as follows: District No. 1, beginning with Scott to Austin, Third and South to Eighteenth is divided into three sections with Mrs. Hubert Harrison, chairman, and with Mesdames C. E. Bailey and T. M. Conrey, sub-chairman, and a committee of the following workers: Mesdames Bert Bean, Frank Shackelford, C. A. Steelsmith, T. J. Strong, V. H. Shepherd, W. R. Larkin, W. M. Holden, A. C. Price, A. J. Kendall, J. F. Moore, W. R. Duke, E. E. Fisher, Tom Garnett, P. E. Kerr, A. J. Speegele, R. E. Strange, P. H. Pennington, A. C. Parks and Miss Vivienne Railey.

Mrs. R. E. Hilburn is general chairman of District No. 2—which begins with Burnett, west to Brook and from Fourth street south to Eighteenth, divided among workers as follows: Mrs. R. E. Hilburn, chairman; Mesdames A. D. Patillo, M. W. Lewis, C. O. Fritz, A. W. Burnside, S. E. McConnell, W. S. Tyson, Ernest Archambeau, workers; Mrs. M. H. Glover, chairman and Mesdames J. A. Gardner, M. A. Beckman, Stanley McGregor, A. D. Terrell and J. A. Staley, workers; Mrs. W. H. Doak, Mesdames C. G. Manuel, B. F. Nix, P. A. Rogers, D. M. Jones, W. G. Bentley and Joe Mayfield, workers.

Mrs. W. S. Curlee is chairman of District No. 3, beginning at Eighth street and extending south to Wichita Valley railroad and from Brook west to Polk, and divided into three sections, each having a subchairman as follows: Mrs. W. C. Witcher and Mesdames John Davenport, John Marrs, W. W. Silk, Olen Harvey, Ike L. Upchurch, W. C. Riddle, Dave Shepherd, C. U. Daniels, C. R. Haney, workers; Mrs. R. L. Buchanan, chairman and Mesdames Loran Taylor, Billy Davidson, S. M. Jamison, W. W. Anderson, Fred Barron, Julian Bobo, T. H. Lawson, Piner Avis and Porter, workers; Mrs. C. C. Randle, chairman, with Mesdames L. E. Stewart, W. M. Gamble, A. N. Lummus, Milt Gantz, Frank Keim, John Nossett, Parks, Ed Napier, C. W. Beavers, Harry Bray, L. L. Dixon, F. H. Wray, N. O. Monroe, J. L. McClure, Kirkpatrick and J. M. McCallister, workers.

Mrs. J. W. Stone is chairman of District No. 4, beginning on Seventh street, south to Avenue and on Polk and west to Hayes, having three sections with sub-chairman and workers as follows: Mrs. J. W. Stone, and Mesdames T. P. Duncan, J. V. C. T. Christensen, Homer S. Crawford, F. E. Thornburgh, W. W. Cook, D. O. Long, A. R. Bleakley, A. E. Myles, workers; Mrs. B. F. Johnson, subchairman and Mesdames J. R. Clymer, Orville Bullington, C. A. Winfrey, Dan Tipton, W. H. Richardson, R. H. Peterson, McMurdy, E. V. Leslie, workers; Mrs. Charles Pogenpohl, sub-chairman and Mesdames Nat. L. Inge, H. A. Beanes, George Dobie, R. H. Collier, T. C. Van Eckman, Alex Kahn, Charles Crowell and Keim.

Where the Magical Flow of Water Recued Arid Land and Made Homes

By H. N. F.

There are men who exhaust their time and their energies picking flaws in their fellows. There are men who devote all their time and their energies to fault finding, cross-firing or backbiting. There are men who say that there is one God over all and then find fault with those who believe in the Dicty but are traveling another road. There are men who are forever creating strife by appealing to the prejudices or passions of their fellows for financial gain or political or personal advancement. There are men who battle over trifles from the cradle to the grave and then who make the chasing of bubbles the ambition of life.

There are others who are constructive.

There are others who are creative.

There are others who are builders.

There are others who never ask for themselves rights or privileges which they are not willing to freely grant to their fellows. Builders are the men who make civilizations. They are the men who make fields of waving corn where wild grasses erstwhile grew. They are the men who harness rivers for the needs of society and tunnel the mountains for the convenience of train and travel. They are the men who catch and store flood waters that arid wastes, by its magical flow may make rich returns to the tillers of the soil.

George Robinson of the Waco Times-Herald is a moulder of public opinion and a writer of constructive literature. George Robinson never has time to quarrel over the political or religious creeds of mankind. He knows history and knowing history he travels the right road and the Golden Rule is his guide.

J. A. Kemp started something when he began the study of irrigation twenty-seven years ago. George Robinson, philosopher and student, is a tireless investigator. He is strong for irrigation and he tells the reason why. Speaking of the mountain states and the achievements of engineers, Editor Robinson says in his Waco Times-Herald:

> In 1859 the first water for irrigation in Colorado was diverted from Clear Creek to irrigate a garden in Golden, west of Denver. The 1920 census shows an irrigated area of 3,348,385 acres divided into 28,756 farms. A total of $88,302,442 have been invested in irrigation enterprises. There are streams here in Texas admirably suited for irrigation projects. There is the Colorado river; it runs through deep gorges and is just right for irrigation uses, and, we note with pleasure, that a big irrigation project is being promoted in Runnels county. There is the Leon river; it could water thousands of acres of land, and thus insure the maximum of production for grain and cotton and alfalfa and all manner of vegetables. Right here in sight of Waco is the Bosque river, well suited to a great irrigation project. Let us be thinking on these things good people.
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> There are irrigated farms and ranches above and below the Gate City of the west. There are farms below El Paso in the valley of the Rio Grande that produce four crops of alfalfa a year and the most lucious grapes to be found anywhere. There are men of vision in the city of El Paso—men who get in behind constructive programs. Irrigation is working wonders for the Gate City. Editor Robinson, in his Times-Herald, tells of its marvelous growth:
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> > El Paso is a long way from Waco; have you, reader, ever taken note of how far it really is, this city that is a part of Grand Old Texas? El Paso is further from Waco than is Memphis, Tennessee. El Paso is further from Waco than is New Orleans, Louisiana. El Paso is further from Waco than is Kansas City, Missouri. In 1921 the building permits issued in El Paso totaled 1005. The cost of the buildings was $4,280,152, an increase of $985,573 over the year 1920. It is expected that the 1921 record will be broken this year. Bonds have been authorized for the following purposes $500,000 for school sites and buildings; $250,000 for sewers; $90,000 for street extensions and improvements; $150,000 for street and alley intersection paving; $500,000 for water works improvement; $135,000 for drainage; $10,000 for a public library; $100,000 for pary extensions and improvements, and $125,000 for sewage disposal improvements. We note with pleasure the growth of this splendid city of Texas, away out there almost at the headwaters of the Rio Grande.
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> Irrigation has worked wonders in California, Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho and Oregon. They had irrigation ditches, crude of course, in Arizona and New Mexico when there were mound builders on earth before the coming of the American redmen.
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> There were irrigation ditches constructed by the Franciscan Fathers who built the early missions among the Texas tribes of Indians decades and decades before the coming to Texas of Stephen F. Austin. Now they are building modern irrigation plants and ditches everywhere in the lower Rio Grande Valley.
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> Editor Robinson, in his Times-Herald, is urging the building of a series of dams on the Bosque river and as an argument for prompt action he advises his readers fully as to the success of a Pecos river project. It follows:
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> > We like to read about these irrigation projects; they embolden us to go on urging the building of a series of dams on the Bosque river. The Carlsbad irrigation project, on the Pecos river, in Southeastern New Mexico, had a prosperous year, according to the official crop report for 1921 issued by the reclamation service. The details for this report are obtained direct from every farmer on the project. The total estimated value of all crops from the 21,620 acres reporting, was $919,540, averaging $42.53 per acre. Alfalfa hay from 7170 acres produced 21,793 tons, worth $183,766, or $25.65 per acre. The highest return per acre was from sweet, potatoes, at $235.09. The returns from cotton from 9200 acres was $607,500 for the lint, and $59,400 for seed. The average return for lint was $66.03 per acre and $6.45 for seed. The average for Indian corn on 2209 acres was 19.10 bushels and the high yield per acre 40 bushels. The number of farms on the project was 474. Wherever we find an irrigation project, there we also find fine crops. The fields do not fail; they yield to their full capacity. Why not a series of dams on the Rio Bosque?

This reminds H. N. F. that the Wichita Falls irrigation project, the greatest in magnitude and cost, attempted by a community either in the south of west. This reminds H. N. F. that after the completion of the great storage dam and dieversion dam and the conveying canals this section of the Lone Star state should be more inviting to home seekers who are orcharists, gardeners, berry growers, truck farmers, cotton growers and small stockmen than any territory under American skies.

But back to the original proposition: Why fritter your time away quarreling over trifles? Why exhaust brain and nerve energy chasing windmills? Why not be a builder and developer and do something for the people now on earth?

TREATY'S FOES CENTER ATTACK ON UNDERWOOD

Minority Leader Stands in Place for Three Hours Answering Thrusts Directed at Him.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The four-power Pacific treaty, its purposes and possibilities, and the manner of its negotiations passed through another spectacular combat of argument and oratory today on the floor of the senate.

Throughout the battle of wits, the burden of offense was carried by Senator Underwood of Alabama, the democratic floor leader, and a member of the American delegation to the arms conference. Ringed by enemies of the treaty, largely of his own party, the minority leader stood for three hours in his place in the center of the chamber and replied in kind to the thrusts directed at him.

Among the weapons of argument he used was a letter written to him by Secretary Hughes, head of the American conference plenipotentiaries, replying to charges that the treaty resulted from a British-Japanese plan to allay the embarrassments of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. Mr. Hughes asserted that he himself had prepared a draft of the treaty after consultation with the other delegates and that with minor changes, it became the final text assigned and submitted to the senate for ratification.

He further declared there was not the slightest mystery about the treaty or basis of suspicion about it. He described it as a "straightforward document," which attains one of the most important objects the American government has had in view, of the highest importance to the maintenance of friendly relations in the far east upon a sound basis.

"In view of this and in view of the relation of this treaty to the results of the conference," concluded Mr. Hughes, "its failure would be nothing short of a national calamity."

The argumentative duel which followed the reading by Senator Underwood of the secretary's letter and which interposed itself in the senator's prepared address, was fought for an hour between the speaker and Senator Robinson, democrat, Arkansas, who originally had raised the question of the origin of the treaty and who declared that the secretary's letter had not dispelled evidences that the four-power arrangement was inspired from London and Tokio. Other democrats then joined in the questioning of their party leader, including Senators Reed of Missouri, Glass of Virginia, Walsh of Montana, and Watson of Georgia. From the republican side of the chamber their efforts were seconded by Senators Borah of Idaho, and France of Maryland. His support of the treaty, Senator Underwood said, was actuated by the same spirit that prompted him to vote for the treaty of Versailles with its league of nations. He declared no alliance was contemplated, but added that he could see no objection even to an alliance, if it were based on arbitration rather than force and effaced dangers that threaten American interests in the Pacific.

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

ANNE MORGAN PLEASED WITH HER RECEPTION

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could, some contribution, however small, for the need of those whose needs are greater than their own.

Pleased With City

Between the two meetings Saturday, Miss Morgan had an opportunity of seeing something of Wichita Falls and vicinity with J. G. Culberson as a guide. She expressed herself as surprised and pleased by the size and growth of Wichita Falls and its institutions.

Night Meeting

One hundred and fifty Boy Scouts of the city together with a large number of their parents and friends, Saturday night heard Miss Anne Morgan speak at the Strand theater. The talk was largely devoted to telling of the Boy Scout work in the devastated areas of France and the plans of the American relief committee for the boys and girls of that region in the future. Mayor W. D. Cline introduced Miss Morgan.

At the conclusion of the talk it was announced by Scout Executive Taylor that two troops of the local organization had decided to pay the $25 expenses necessary to give one boy in France an opportunity to attend a summer camp this year. Other troops, it was also announced would aid in the work.

The scout meeting opened with a salute to an American flag which Miss Morgan explained had played an important part during the World War in France, after the entry of the United States into the conflict. With Miss Morgan's talk two reels of pictures were run showing the work of the Boy Scouts in France last summer.

The speaker traced the history of the scout organization in France from its beginnings in 1912. She said that due to a three-way division, its growth had never reached the proportions that it had in the United States and in several other countries and ceased to be active during the war because the adults of France were too busily engaged in other work.

She told of the conditions that boys faced who lived in that section of France which was occupied by Germans during the war and which is commonly known as the devastated area at the present time. She said that during the German occupation the boys, without fathers to protect and teach them, were under nourished and had none of the pleasures enjoyed by the American boy.

"They could not work for God and country because the Germans would not let them," Miss Morgan said. "Lonely, under-nourished and ill many times they knew none of the joy of scout work such as yours."

She told of the surroundings of these same boys in the devastated area of today and other boys who with their parents—in many cases without fathers—who have returned to rehabilitate that section of France. The first scout work was done for these boys in 1920. In the summer of 1921 through the aid of the Boy Scouts of America the American committee held two camps at St. Croix Sain-Ouen on Aisne. The scouts of the United States loaned Lorne W. Barclay, national director of education, to direct the work. In the camps boys from each village in the devastated areas were given the scout camp training with the purpose in mind that these same boys would return home and instruct their boy friends.

The camps were not large enough to accommodate all the boys who desired admission and it is planed during the coming summer to enlarge this work and give more boys their first play and the mental, moral and physical development which is the aim of every scout.

Harding Mixes Cruising With Round of Golf

By Associated Press.

NEW SMYRNA, Fla., Mar. 11.—President and Mrs. Harding with their vacation guests, left tonight on the houseboat of E. M. McLean, Washington publisher, on their cruise down the Florida east coast. Just how far the cruise will extend was uncertain, apparently depending upon the weather and the demands of official business.

During the day the party stopped at Ormond for a round of golf and then came here by automobile where nine more holes were played. Those playing with the president have been Speaker Gillett of the national house of representatives, Under Secretary of State Fletcher, Mr. Fletcher and occasionally his secretary, George B. Christian, Jr.

It is now three days since the president left Washington and the beneficial effects of the open air and the reduced pressure of official duties are already evident in his tanned skin and physical vigor.

AN OLD TIMER

"That new girl is an experienced waitress, all right," asserted Heloise of the rapid fire restaurant.

"Ye-ah?" returned Claudine of the same establishment.

"I'll say she is! Why, before wiping off the counter she asked the first man she went to if he was married."

Banking is more a matter of men than of dollars. The City National Bank of Commerce is equipped to afford its customers specialized banking service of every kind and is organized to provide satisfying personal attention to individual requirements. —Adv.

STORMY ROAD ROW IS PROMISED AT MONDAY MEET COMMISSIONERS

Suggestion to Stop All Work for Four Months Expected to Divide Court at Weekly Session.

Opposition From Public to Proposed Shutdown Also Indicated; Would Cost County $30,000.

Another stormy session of the county commissioners court on Monday based on the usual disagreement as to county road improvement matters was evidenced Saturday at the courthouse. According to reports the announced attitude of Judge J. P. Jones and J. P. Jackson, commissioner from precinct 1, favoring the shutting down of all concrete road work for five months until the county can care for its overdraft at a local bank, will probably be opposed by the three commissioners representing the Burkburnett, Iowa Park and Electra districts. Opposition from citizens of Wichita Falls is expected.

According to information from Burkburnett a delegation from the chamber of commerce of that city will be at the meeting Monday to strongly oppose any shut down of road work until the concrete highway to that city now in the process of construction is completed. About four miles of the road in two sections is now completed and it had been anticipated that the entire road to Red river through Burkburnett would be completed some time during the summer.

Discussions by county officials and others who have taken an active interest in the road improvement work discloses a wide variation of opinion. Judge Jones said Saturday that he would propose to the court Monday that the road from this city to Burkburnett be completed but not to the Red river and then the road work shut down until the county special road fund was not overdrawn.

This plan will necessitate a change in the present contract of the county with Potts and Prentice, contractors. In addition to what they have already completed, their contract calls for the paving of the Burkburnett road to a point about six miles north of this city and the road from this city to the Clay county line. Judge Jones proposes to allow Potts & Prentice to pave the road to Burkburnett, as has been planned and then release the county from the contract which calls for the paving of the Clay county line road. The total mileage for Potts & Prentice would be practically the same. Whether or not such an arrangement would be satisfactory to Potts & Prentice is not known, as they have refused to express themselves in the controversy which has arisen among the members of the court.

The fact that Potts & Prentice in a few days will reach the point on the Burkburnett road designated in their contract assures that action of some character must be taken at once. The contractors have two mixers working month. The far mixer is near mile post No. 28 where their present contract for paving expires. It had been planned to allow them to continue to the Red river although no written agreement has ever been entered into between the court and the contracting firm.

Acceptance by the court of the offer last week of local banks to provide for the payment of the $650,000 still due the county from road bond issues in one lump sum instead of monthly payments which would extend until July 1923 is doubtful according to county officials. The legal right of the county to pay the amount necessary to assure the banks against any loss is doubted and it is claimed that the change in payments will cost the county around $30,000. The advantage which would accrue to the taxpayers, it is said, would be the early paving of the roads which otherwise will not be completed until a year from next summer, and from the continued employment during the summer of a large number of laborers.

Representatives of the banks have said that their only interest in the matter was to arrange the payment in a manner in line with the wishes of the court. According to their statements they purchased the $1,500,000 bond issue last August at par and sold them at a loss. They had expected, they said, to offset this loss by the monthly payment plan they having the use of the money without interest until the fund was exhausted. They now propose to turn over the money remaining, charge the county 4 1-2 per cent for the money advanced, and ask that the county care for the $30,000 loss in the sale of the bonds.

Members of the court and other county officials agree that the offer of the bankers is fair and is all that the county could expect under the proposal for the payment of the remaining funds on the lump sum basis.

"The local men and bankers responsible for the purchase of the bonds last year have not and did not expect to make any profit from the transaction, a representative of a local bank said in explaining the attitude of the bond buyers, "they purchased the bonds when it was evident that road work would have to stop unless something was done. All they ask of the county is a plan which will protect them against any loss."

Under the plan of purchase the county received $100,000 a month from the banks beginning September 15th of last year. Beginning January 15, the payments were made in $60,000 monthly installments until May 15 of this year. The remainder will then be paid in installments of $30,000 monthly the last payment being made in July 1923. In making the agreement members of the court had figured that the monthly payment plan would provide all the funds needed to keep the road work in operation.

This it has failed to do primarily because of the letting of sub-contract to complete the road from this city to the Wilbarger line through Electra and Iowa Park. The fund is overdrawn over $250,000 and it is this fact that has led to the desire on the part of the court to change the method of payments on the bond issue.

Payments of state and federal aid have not been paid as had been expected and this fact had added to the complicated situation. At the present time there are still large sums due on the Electra road from state and federal funds and the last aid on the lake road completed over a year ago was received only last week. No definite prediction can be made as to when these payments now due will be paid, and county officials declare that it is futile to figure on these payments other than the fact that they will eventually be paid.

A long session of the court Monday to straighten out a difficult tangle is predicted.

Floral Heights Revival Opens This Morning

Today marks the opening of the Floral Heights Methodist revival, with Rev. J. H. Groseclose preaching until Thursday, when Bishop E. D. Mouzon will arrive to take up the services.

Special music for the revival will be conducted by W. H. Richardson, who arrived Saturday from Fort Worth, and who has already arranged the plan of the musical services. At 4 o'clock this afternoon Mr. Richardson will organize a junior chorus, and the young people in this chorus will assist with the music each evening service of the revival. A 30-minute song serving preceding the sermon will also be a feature of each night meeting. There will be a special orchestra, and a male quartet is to be organized to give variety to the music. Mr. Richardson is also to sing solos. His voice is said to be an unusually splendid bass.

An invitation is extended by Dr. Grosecloss to members of all the churches to participate in the revival services at any time and particularly during the week, when there are no services at their home church.

OFFICIAL OF BUREAU OF STANDARDS DIES

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Dr. Charles W. Waidner, chief physicist of the bureau of standards and widely known for his scientific studies of temperatures and heat measurements and their application, died early today. He was a native of Baltimore. He was a member of scientific organizations and during recent years had written numerous scientific papers.

It's all very well for an insurance official to preach optimism to his solicitors: "Optimism, men, smiles! Optimism like that of the old bartender who still pays his union dues!" But shouldn't the solicitors drop by and sell the bartender an annuity against the day when he may have no job?

Why worry about your meals?

Make your home at

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The White House Market

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FIRST WICHITA FALLS FAIR TO BE HELD IN FIRST WEEK OCTOBER

Wichita Falls' first fair will be given this fall. This was decided at a meeting of subscribers to the fair association's capital stock Saturday morning—an action which was the outgrowth of the contention that the time remaining for a spring fair originally planned, would make it physically impossible to stage the fair on the scale that is believed necessary to fairly represent Wichita Falls. A hurried makeshift for a fair was warmly opposed. The first fair then, will be held during the first week in October.

In the meantime, the campaign to secure the remainder of the capital stock of the association will be pushed to a conclusion with vigor. The trade for the Call Field property will be closed, and funds which are due immediately will be used in repainting, repairing and remodeling the buildings and beautifying the grounds, and doing the bits of work which will be necessary for realizing the full advantages of these grounds, and doing the bits of which will be necessary for realizing the full advantages of these grounds—considered by reason of the buildings, railroad, street car, gas, water, sewerage and electric light facilities, as made to order for the location of a big fair.

The change in plan will enable the fair committee of the Chamber of Commerce a longer time to work on the plans for the fair. A final report on these plans, and of subscriptions to the capital stock of the association, almost half subscribed, will be made to the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce on May 1.

It is not expected that work on the buildings at the field will be deferred this long, however. Some work is expected to start in the near future, and it is likely that some work will be going on constantly there until time for the fair. The decision to start the fair at this time is due as well to a desire to provide employment at a time like this as the feeling that the imminence of the completion of the irrigation project demands the establishment of a representative fair here.

Historic Tree At Capital to Be Hewn Down

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 11.—Workmen today began clearing the site of the house which Daniel Webster occupied while secretary of state to make way for the immense building which is to be the home of the chamber of commerce of the United States.

The celebrated old chestnut tree in the old-fashioned garden, which has been pointed out to thousands of tourists, is to be cut down because it cannot be preserved and moved. The big boxwood tree, beneath which Webster used to sit and read, is to be transplanted Monday to a place on the great greensward at the Lincoln memorial in Potomac park, which is to be dedicated May 30. Both old trees are in the hall of fame for trees with a history of the American Forestry association.

County Judge Solves Mixed Jury Problem

By Associated Press.

MADISON, Wis., March 11.—The problem of quartering a mixed jury of men and women when unable to agree, was settled by Judge A. C. Hoppmann, in Dane county superior court here last night, when he ordered the sexes segregated and given lodging in different rooms of a hotel. Nine men and three women were unable to arrive at a verdict in the case of Everett Westbury, Madison, charged with highway robbery and at 11:30 o'clock last night the judge gave orders that they should be put in charge of Sheriff W. H. McCormick and his wife. While the sheriff watched over the men, his wife who was deputized, stood guard over the women jurors to see that they communicated with no one.

GOVERNOR PRAISES ACTION OF LEGION IN KERRVILLE CASE

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, March 11. — Governor Neff today sent a letter to Maj. Wayne Davis, state commander of the American Legion, congratulating him and the legion in Texas for having paid the state the entire indebtedness arising out of the transfer of the Kerrville memorial sanatorium to the state.

Major Davis this week paid the last of the debt.

"The unanimity with which your department assumed this indebtedness, and the readiness with which it paid it, has demonstrated beyond question that the Texas organization of the legion is living up to the high standard of citizenship embodied in its constitution," the governor said in part.

BILL PASSED EXTENDING RETIREMENT PRIVILEGE

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The senate today passed and sent to the house the bill of Senator Sterling, republican, of South Dakota, extending civil service retirement privileges to employes appointed by executive order. The bill is designed to meet conditions resulting from Attorney General Daugherty's ruling that only employes appointed under competitive examinations are eligible to retirement benefits.

MURDERED MISSIONARY AND FAMILY



The Rev. Dr. A. L. Shelton, murdered American missionary, who fell a victim to robbers in Batang, Feb. 17 and his widow and family.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Dr. Albert L. Shelton, missionary and friend of Delai Lama, ruler of Thibet escaped death at the hands of Chinese bandits a year ago only to find a martyr's death at the hands of Thibetan brigands.

He was slain near Batang February 17, according to official advices received here.

Shelton was the first missionary to obtain permission for a comprehensive missionary expedition in Thibetan territory. At the time of his death Shelton was armed with a special pass from the Grand Lama.

In the summer of 1920, during an expedition into South China, Shelton, his wife, who always accompanied him, and their two daughters, were kidnapped by Chinese bandits.

Through the good offices of Rev. Bailly, a Catholic missionary, his wife and children were able to escape, but the whole power of the Chinese government was necessary to rescue Shelton, after he had been held for several months.

"Mrs. Shelton will carry on her husband's work," Dr. E. E. Cory, New York representative of the United Christian Missionary society, said. "They were of the type which has furnished the evangelists and martyrs for the cause of Christianity throughout the ages."

DEFICIENCY BILL WITH INCREASE IS PASSED BY HOUSE

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The senate late today passed the deficiency appropriation bill, carrying a total of $136,895,000, or $28,358,000 more than was appropriated by the measure as passed by the house. The principal amendment added by the senate was an appropriation of $27,468,000 for use in repayment of illegally collected taxes.

The bill supplies an additional $73,740,000 for the use of the veterans' bureau in vocational rehabilitation of former service men. The measure, which now goes to conference with the house, went through the senate in little more than one hour. Chairman Warren of the appropriations committee, having urged speed because of the need by the veterans' bureau for the appropriation for soldier relief.

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BANQUET FOR BASKET BALL TEAM.

Honoring the members of the Baraca class basketball team, of the First Methodist Episcopal church, who represented the Methodists in the local city basketball league during the season just closed, at a Baraca and Philathea Sunday school class banquet Friday night, the members of these classes united in paying tribute to the team that had carried their colors through the season.

The banquet was held in the basement of the church, corner Seventh and Lamar, and after the affair several toasts were given, first by members of the team, and then by others of the two classes. Dr. Pittenger teacher of the Baraca class, acted as toastmaster, and many were the tributes paid to the gameness and playing spirit of the team, who, though often playing against heavy odds, and under great handicaps, played the game in such a manner that critics were forced to admire their fine fighting spirit and declare them to be gallant in defeat.

The honor guests of the occasion were: Messrs Clarence and Earl Neal, Reid, Ernest Chafin and Carroll Meade. The members of the Philathea class present were: Misses Andree, Anna and Mary Byman, Allen, Carbell, Corkhill, Fultz, Myers, King, Eva and Ruth Meade, Beth and Muriel Scofield, Edith and Bertah Jackson, Underwood, Swain, Simmons, Gladys and Octavia Zetzsche, and Sara, Mattie, and Mabel Watson. Members of the Baraca class were: Messrs Bryans, Miller, Charlie Brooks, Theo Allen, Charles Ross, Ross Seofield, Ward, Wilmer Shackleford, Anton Hoff, Vandigriff and D. A. Shortess. Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Meade, T. S. Pittenger, Earl A. Wyatt, and Mrs. Meade, Byman, Bentley, M. F. Carey and O. W. Ross and Mrs. Inglis.

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LOCAL GIRL HONORED AT WARD AFFAIR.

Miss Mattie Lee Straus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Straus, of 1001 Filmore, a freshman at the State university this term was accorded the honor which is rarely conferred on freshmen, of leading the grand march at an exceptionally delightful ball given by the Arrow Head Social club of the university recently. An account of the affair is given in the Austin American as follows:

A novel idea was adopted by the Arrow Head Social club for an elaborate dance given Wednesday night at K. C. hall. The interior of the hall was converted into a huge Arabian tent of dark canvas. Gigantic figures of Arabian sheiks in snowy turbans and burnouses of pink and blue were placed at intervals along the sidewalls of the tent, each holding in his arms an Aladdin lamp. These lamps, with the help of electric bulbs, shaded in pink and blue, strung across the dome of the tent in four crescents and meeting in the center, lighted the tent. On low divans along the sides of the tent were arranged cushions in brilliant purples, blues, reds and greens.

In the center of the tent was a raised dais veiled in white. The rear of the tent was left open on a realistic desert scene.

Promptly at 9:15 the music struck up and the grand march was led by Lud J. Lincoln of Waco and Miss Mattie Lee Straus of Wichita Falls.

Miss Straus' gown was of gray georgette with silver lace and she wore silver slippers and carried Russell roses showered with valley lilies. From the desert without, into the tent, the advance moved, pausing at the veiled shrine in the center. From the shadows a tall genii came to meet the line of march, in front of the shrine. A few potent passes of his hands extinguished the lights. Then, in a brilliant flare, the draperies of the shrine were drawn apart, disclosing Perry Potter of Dallas, president of the club, and Miss Margaret McLemore of Mississippi, who took the lead in the march, while the genii retired to the shadows from which he came.

Miss McLemore wore a French frock of rose faille silk with bouffant overdrapery and bertha of bronze gold lace and garniture of hand-made roses. She carried an arm bouquet of Russell roses, showered with lilies of the valley.

The cotillon, led by Lud Lincoln and Miss Straus, introduced some new and intricate figures. A novel touch was the distribution of the favors by Miss Milba Kercheville, borne by two Arabian slaves in a hoodah, from the front of which was suspended the genii's ring, which each must touch before receiving the favors, which were vanities concealed in pompons of ostrich feathers.

At a late hour a salad course with coffee was served by Arabian slaves.

The following were patrons of the unique affair: Messrs and Mesdames B. W. Randolph, Roy Rather, Theo Davis, James R. Hamilton, S. Drake, Winston Rowe, E. H. Perry, Fred Pryor, George Nalls, Jud James, R. H. Foster, Dr. and Mrs. Goodall Wooten, and the Mesdames Florence Bell, Alex Rhea and Rosa Dilworth.

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PHILATHEA GIRLS CLASS MEETING.

Members of the Philathea Sunday school class of the First Methodist Episcopal church were entertained at the home of the Misses Byman Monday evening.

After a short business session, an informal program, consisting of vocal and piano solos, and readings, refreshments were then served to the following guests and members: Misses Andree, Anna and Mary Byman, Cook, Corkhill, Clara Carbell, Fultz, Guyer, Jackson, King, Eva and Ruth Meade, Myers, Sullivan, Scott, Swain, Birdie Simmons, Beth and Muriel Scofield, Underwood, Van Deren, Gladys Wisdom, Mabel, Mattie and Sara Watson, Octavia and Gladys Zetzsche, Mesdames Inglis, Pittenger, Traeger, Ward, Wyatt and Mr. Albert Traeger.

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CHRISTIAN WOMEN TO MEET MONDAY

The Ladies Aid society of the First Christian church will meet in divisions Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock as follows: No. 1, with Mrs. J. C. Capron, 1710 Collins; No. 2 with Mrs. T. A. Bradley, 1701 Burnett; No. 3, with Mrs. E. Kilander, 1103 Burnett; No. 5, with Mrs. S. L. Cann, 1026 Elizabeth; No. 6, with Mrs. W. P. Rogers, 1643 Huff; No. 7, with Mrs. L. E. McConnell, 1704 Monroe; No. 8, with Mrs. R. E. Shepherd, 1721 Huff; No. 9, with Mrs. Wilcox, 1103 Monroe and No. 10, with Mrs. L. C. Tyson, 1512 Tenth street.

MUSICIANS' CLUB PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

The Musicians' club will study 'Contemporary French Composers" at the regular meeting to be held at the Wichita club Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The program, which will be rendered under the leadership of Mrs. Robert A. Lyle, will be as follows:

Piano, Les Duex Arahesques, (Debussy), Miss Florence Sammons.

Voice, (a) Les Cloches, (b) Romance" (Debussy), Mrs. W. L. Parker.

Piano, Jardisus sous la Pluie, Miss Bryl Knickerbocker.

Voice, Aria, De pius le jour (Louise Charoentier(Mrs. George Thorburn.

Paper, Saint Seans, Mrs. Lucille Brooks Huff.

Violin, Le Cygne (Saint Seans) Miss Vivian Railey.

Voice, Berceuse, (Godard), Mrs. J. C. Allbright.

Piano, Elegie (Messenet) Mrs. Daisy Almond.

Voice, Ouvre tes Youx Bleus, Mrs. John W. King.

Piano, Impromptu (Gaberal Faure) Mrs. H. A. Waller.

Voice, Obesinatian (H. de Foutenailles) Miss Bessie Lee Bartlett.

Accompanists, Misses Annette Walsh, Blanch Potter and Mesdames Lucille B. Huff and Fred C. Barron.

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MISS SMITH TO LEAD PROGRAM.

Miss Nell Smith will lead the program for the Epworth league at the First Methodist Church, South, Sunday evening, which will be given under the supervision of the fourth department. "The Way of the Crowd" will be the lesson subject, and the program will be given as follows:

Song Service—Led by J. W. Akin, Junior.

Scripture Lesson—Matt. 17:13-23.

Prayer.

Piano Solo—Mrs. J. W. Akin, Jr.

"The Path of Service"—Mrs. A. L. Wilson.

"Jesus and the Crowd"—Mrs. R. F. Ligon.

Saxaphone Duet—Messrs Alfred Schumm and Frank Haley; accompanied by Miss Beryl Knickerbocker.

"Following the Crowd"—Arthur Thompson.

"Conscience and the Crowd"—Miss Amy Taylor.

Reading Selected—Miss Dorthy Reed.

Announcements.

League Benediction.

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RED CROSS EXHIBITION TO BE PRESENTED.

Wichita Falls has received the honor of being one of the twenty cities selected by the Red Cross for the exhibition of the "Health Fairy," which is being shown all over the United States for children up too and including the third grade under the supervision of the Red Cross Nursing department, according to T. B. Smock, chairman of the county Red Cross.

The exhibition will be given here at the First Baptist church on Monday, March 27, at 2 o'clock by Miss Raymond of New York City. The local school board has consented to turning the children of these grades out for this performance that they may attend in charge of their teachers, according to Mr. Smock, and places will also be reserved for the county school children if it is found that they can attend.

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HOSTESSES FOR LADIES' DAY ANNOUNCED.

Mesdames Dan Rubsam, H. F. Sanderford, V. H. Shepherd and W. C. Ray will serve as hostesses for the Golf and Country club on Tuesday afternoon when the regular games of bridge will be played.

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MRS. BREWER GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY.

Wednesday afternoon, the home of Mrs. L. C. M. Blakely at 1408 Third street was the scene of a happy gathering when friends and neighbors met and surprised Mrs. Brewer with a delightful birthday party celebrating her sixty-sixth anniversary.

After Mrs. Brewer's return from being called to answer a "phone call" at a neighbor's, she was met at the door by Mrs. T. C. Hardy and by a group of friends in the living room and escorted into the dining room which was beautifully decorated in lavender and white, where a big white iced birthday cake formed the pretty center of the table, surrounded with sixty-six candles. The record, "That Wonderful Mother of Mine" was played on the Brunswick and for the next two hours and the honoree seated in an especially decorated chair was the central figure of a delightful social.

Little Miss Joe Ann Weakland, in a dainty lavender frock trundled in a big doll buggy decorated for the occasion and filled with birthday gifts from her friends, which were opened and inspected with much interest.

Music and conversation were enjoyed until a late hour when the hostess served the birthday cake with ice cream to: Mesdames Lucinda Brewer, Franklin, Ruth Hollar, Wilbur, Frank Morgan, Murphy, Osteen, Bixby, E. C. Hardy, Walter Franklin, Williams, Alice Riddle, Wilson, Tailer, Weakland and Miss Minnie Baker.

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MRS. SMITH HOSTESS TO UNITY CLUB

Mrs. Marvin Smith was hostess to a delightful meeting of the Unity club, a group of associate members and guests, at the Wichita club Friday with Mrs. G. D. Anderson leader of the lesson study, which was on the one-act play "Overtones." By request of Mrs. Anderson, the Players' club which recently presented it, were asked to give it for the club, which proved an entertaining feature as well as an instructive one for the afternoon. Mrs. Claud Woods read an interesting paper on the "Little Theater Movement in America," and Mrs. Anderson read one on "The One Act Play," which was prepared by Mrs. W. M. Priddy. Mrs. T. B. Greenwood favored the guests with a violin number "Cavatina" by Raff, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. W. N. Maer.

At the close of the program tables were daintily arranged with centers of pretty bouquets of cut flowers, and a two-course luncheon was served to Mesdames Anderson, W. J. Daugherty, E. B. Gorsline, J. C. Hunt, P. P. Langford, O. E. Maer, J. T. Montgomery, Eugene Sherrod, Claud Woods, T. B. Greenwood, A. H. Carrigan, J. C. Berney, A. Zumdelowitz, Carter McGregor, S. D. Lynch, Carrie Joline, J. A. Richolt, Pruitt and Miss Helen Edmiston.

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WOMAN'E AUXILIARY TO MEET MONDAY

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal church will meet in social session at the parish house Monday afternoon with Mesdames H. A. Allen and Joe Shaw, hostesses. Roll call will be answered with facts about the various bishops of the church. A program and refreshments will be a feature.

Notes Vary in New Spring Hats



SPRING HATS—some are new and some are not. That is to say, some are of such a general type that they have been seen for any number of springs past, showing no particular new note; and some are distinctly of this season showing new notes that belong only to the spring of nineteen-twenty-two.

Above are four "new" hats, each with one or more distinct features that stamp it strictly up-to-the-minute.

The first, sketched in the upper left hand corner, is a tri-corne. Its new point are first, that it is a small tri-corne; its brim is turned back smack up against the brim; it is Chinese lacquer red; and it has two long matching quills passing over the snug crown and hanging down the back to the waist. A hat new in size, shape, color, and trim—and very smart to top a blue serge spring suit.

The large hat directly below it has a milan crown and a gros de londres brim on which rest shining black patent leather lillies, as new as anything, and a round dozen of 'em.

Sing a song of black birds—the third sketch shows a chorus of them perched on a milan turban. Not four-and-twenty, but a few that are just as effective. And for their new note, they are lacquered. Birds are going in for this lacquer finish extensively!

The hat in the photo is a picturesque model in visca braid, the millinery star of the season, and was fittingly chosen by Miss Lila Lee, who poses under it, to be worn in "Is Matrimony a Failure?" a Paramount super-comedy. It is trimmed in threo lovely delicately tinted roses, two on the brim, and one under it, and some "old blue" velvet ribbon that matches the straw. The shape is a generous, broad poke, brim slightly turned up at the back. The ribbons are long and can tie under the chin or over the shoulders. Any way at all—and any way it presents a charming ingenue type of hat that ought to be in the wardrobe of any jeune fille.

FLORAL HEIGHTS WESLEY GIRLS MEET

With Mesdames Charles Crowell and O. W. Harvey joint hostesses, the Floral Heights Wesley Girls held an enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. Crowell Friday afternoon when games and contests in keeping with the St. Patrick's day scheme featured the diversion. The house was prettily decorated in the green and St. Patrick's motifs, and at the close of the afternoon a dainty refreshment plate was served to Mesdames W. L. Rhodes, Rhae Howard, Earl Ruffner, Charles Green, S. E. Trevathan, J. Brown Hopkins, Eugenia Wilson, Loren Taylor, F. C. Elkins, Harvey McCarty, J. R. Monroe, Preston Lea, R. L. Dillard, John Hughes, R. C. Prim, W. H. Robinson, E. M. Hughes, Leon Deaton, Carlisle Norwood, Floyd Billingsley, F. C. Corbin, W. B. Gutshaw, Ida Baker and Lester Jones.

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MRS. SHEPHERD HOSTESS TO CULTURE CLUB

Mrs. V. H. Shepherd was hostess to the Culture club at her home on Alma Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. R. Bleakley leader of an interesting lesson on "Living Hours." Mrs. Bleakley gave a review on the book, "Women's Federated Clubs," and during the business session Mrs. D. O. Long was elected delegate to attend the district meeting of the Federation of Women's clubs at Haskell in April, with Mrs. S. M. Gose, alternate. During the social hour Mrs. W. W. Anderson favored the club with vocal selections during the afternoon which was very much enjoyed, and a dainty refreshment plate was served to Mesdames S. M. Gose, Ira G. Craig, L. W. Perham, J. E. H. Ralley, W. W. Anderson, F. D. Stout, J. D. Bright, R. B. Parker, J. M. Stone, E T Sheegog, J. Pat Pope, F. U. McArthur, A. R. Bleakley, and W. C. Malone.

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MUSICIAN'S CLUB TO PRESENT MISS HARDEMAN.

Miss Florence Hardeman, well known violinist with Stuart Willi, accompanist, will be presented at the Kemp hotel Wednesday, March 22, in one of the series of the "Musical Morning" concerts being given this season by the Musician's club. According to advance notices, Miss Hardeman is a popular artist and wins the hearts of her audiences wherever she appears. In addition to her playing, she is also said to possess charming personality.

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BAPTIST WOMEN TO MEET IN CIRCLES

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in circles, and study the book of Exodus and the fourteenth chapter of Numbers, with the exception of Circles 1 and 8 which will meet at 2.

Circle No. 1 will meet with Mrs. White, 1318 Ninth street.

Circle No. 2 with Mrs. W. C. W. Brown, 1205 Austin.

Circle No. 3 with Mrs. Leslie Humphrey, 1808 Rose.

Circle No. 4 with Mrs. T. M. Smyre, 1504 Bluff.

Circle No. 5 with Mrs. J. C. Wharton, 1810 Huff.

Circle No. 6 with Mrs. E. S. Kemp, 1911 Lucile.

Circle No. 7 with Mrs. A. B. Manley, 2510 Tenth street.

Circle No. 8 with Mrs. Henry Hobbs, 1000 Kemp boulevard.

On Tuesday the women of the church will meet for a day of prayer. Mrs. Claud Whitby will open the program at 1030 o'clock with a talk on "Evangelization," and Mrs. Ashmore will talk in the afternoon on "Enlistment."

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ARTIST TO SPEAK BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB.

Emil Hermann, the well known artist, who with Mrs. Hermann, have recently returned from an extended stay at Cleveland, Ohio, will speak at the Business Women's club Tuesday evening on "Picture Appreciation."

MISS HALE GIVEN BRIDGE LUNCHEON.

Mesdames Mary Belle Hale, J. B. Evans and D. L. Fritz, were hostesses at a beautiful bridge luncheon given at the Wichita club Thursday when the announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Vera Hale to Porter W. Jarrett, the wedding to take place Wednesday, March 22, was made. The tables were attractive with high bouquets of spring flowers and ferns forming the center, with borders of the fragrant blossoms arranged in float shape. Miniature cupids holding a telegram for each guest containing the announcement formed the pretty plate favors. A pink and white color scheme being carried out in both the decorations and means of the elaborately appointed refreshment.

Eight tables were arranged for the bridge games which whiled away the hours of an unusually pleasant afternoon, the four handsome prizes won in the final count being presented to the honoree who was also given a beautiful bridal corsage by the hostesses. Individual corsages were given as plat favors.

Out-of-town guests at the luncheon who have arrived for the wedding are Mrs. Frank C. Schuech, cousin of the bride-elect and her daughter, Natalia of Montana. Others present included: Misses Ruby Avis, Mattie Ruth Corlett, Josephine Mayfield, Cuda Willis, Madeline Thomas, Ruth Nolen, Jewell Cummings, Josephine Cummings, Louise Hamlin, Sibyl Kell, Sadie Adickes, Lois Moore, Billie Harper, Gera Davis, Natalia Schuch, Vera Hale, Nancy Jane Harlin, and Mesdames Ike L. Upchurch, Paul Anderson, D. L. Fritz, Abe Marcus, Chester Wynne, Paul Cotner, J. I. Staley, R. E. Shepherd, S. M. Black, Morris, F. C. Schuech, J. B. Evans, P. S. Richardson, Ralph Pond, Frank Shackleford and Joe Stokes.

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ALAMO CAFETERIA NETS SMALL PROFIT

For the past two weeks ending March 10 the total profits in the operation of the Alamo cafeteria were $12.32. Receipts were $355.18, while the cost of operation was $342.86, according to a report given Saturday. The aim and purpose of the cafeteria being to furnish a variety of foods suitable for the children, no article selling for more than five cents. It is the plan of the Mothers' club under whose direction the lunch service is operated to put every cent profit into better food and better service.

At present a small house in the rear is being rented for the cafeteria.

The popularity of the undertaking is evidenced in the fact that no child has brought a written permission to take lunch at places near the school ground since the establishment of the school lunch room, according to the information received.

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FLORAL HEIGHTS LEAGUE TO MEET.

With Miss Hazel Donohoe, superintendent of the second department, leader, an interesting program will be rendered by the Senior League of the Floral Heights Methodist church Sunday evening on the subject of "Happiness." The program follows:

Scripture lesson, Prov. 3:1-4, by Miss Fay Howell.

Prayer.

Talk by Ray Bland.

Vocal Solo—Corinne Whaley.

Piano Solo—Earnest Bartlett.

Story—Miss Mae Cowling.

Mr. W. H. Richardson will conduct song service.

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WESLEY GIRLS HOLD BUSINESS MEETING

Members of the Wesley Girls' class of the First Methodist Church South, held an important business meeting at the church Thursday afternoon in which reports from the various standing committees were heard. Roll call was answered with current events, and those present included: Mesdames Russell, Boler, Hollis, Cheshire, Hanks, Bauch Jr., Cole, Duncan, Connelly, Daugherty, Marrs, Walker, Hammond, Nighty, Glass, Byers, Dorsey, Craig and McCullough. Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. McCullough's girls.

MISS MADELINE THOMAS HONORED WITH LUNCHEON.

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Madeline Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Thomas to Robert E. Nolen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nolen, the wedding to take place April 5, was made at an exquisitely appointed 1 o'clock luncheon complimenting the bride-elect by her mother and sister, Mrs. Terrell Patterson at the Thomas home on Tenth street, Friday. The announcement, while not a surprise, will be of much interest to numerous friends of both young people who have made this city their home for many years, and both of whom are popular in the younger social set, and members of prominent families.

The table was elaborately decorated for the occasion, with a huge basket of sweet peas in the chosen colors of pink and white, with handle tied in fluffy tule, forming the center. Miniature gold wedding rings tied with white satin ribbon bearing on a slip of paper inside, the inscription written in gold ink, "Bob to Madeline, April 5, 1922" told the interesting story. The rings were concealed in miniature white satin bride's slipper nut cups which also served as the dainty plate favors. The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. John W. Thomas in serving a delicious five-course luncheon to the honoree and Misses Suda Willis, Ruth Nolen, Ethel Mae Martin, Cecelia Adickes, Nancy Jane Harlan, Ethel Owen, Mattie Ruth Corlett, Louise Frieze, Ruby and Gretchen Avis, Sadie Adickes, Vera and Mary Belle Hale, Ella Merle Mathis, Josephine Mayfield and Mesdames Ike L. Upchurch, L. A. French, W. J. Nolen and J. L. McDonald of Sulphur Springs, grandmother of the bride-elect.

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CAPTAINS APPOINTED FOR LEGION AFFAIR

At a called meeting of the Auxiliary to the American Legion held at the home of the president, Mrs. A. H. Carrigan, Saturday afternoon, plans for the big carnival benefit to be given at the Legion hall Tuesday evening were perfected. The program with other attractions, will include a delightful playlet, "Manners and Modes," recently presented by the dramatic department of the Business Women's club, and a part of the circus recently given by the Girls' club of the high school.

Women of the Auxiliary are asked to furnish sandwiches and candy to be sold, and red lemonade, cake and other carnival delicacies will be served.

Mrs. Luther Hoffman was appointed to take charge of the decorations and Mrs. L. R. Lucy was appointed general captain of a working staff composed of 14 captains as follows: Mesdames O. T. Alles, S. Y. Ferguson, Peury Hancock, R. E. Hilburn, J. W. Mesdors, Carter McGregor, W. P. Parker, W. L. Rhodes, O. W. Wilson, R. C. Thaxton, T. J. Strong; J. M. Williams, and Misses Anna Chenault and Mabel Wingfrey.

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ALTAR SOCIETY TO SHOW PICTURES

The Altar society of the Sacred Heart church will show a series of Bible pictures during the Lenton season beginning on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The pictures will be shown at the church hall at 1505 Ninth street and an admission charge of 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for children will be made, the money to be used for charity.

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JUDGE MARTIN TO SPEAK TO CLUB.

Judge P. A. Martin will speak to members of the Avoleh club on Tuesday evening at the Episcopal parish house. All members are urged to be present.

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R. D. WAGGOMAN TO WED IN MEXICO

Announcement of the marriage of R. B. Waggoman, president and general manager of the Ranger Times, to Miss Helen Burke, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, has been received. The wedding taking place in Las Cruces on Wednesday, March 8.

FLORAL HEIGHTS WOMEN TO MEET

Members of the Women's Auxiliary of the Floral Heights Baptist Missionary society will meet Monday afternoon in circles at 2:30 o'clock and study "Stewardship and Missions," as follows:

Circle No. 1 will meet at the home of Mrs. Birdwell, 2504 Filmore.

Circle No. 2 with Mrs. Mims, 705 Harrison.

Circle No. 3 with Mrs. Halford, 2016 Filmore.

Circle No. 4 with Mrs. Owens, 1200 Polk.

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MRS. GOSS HOSTESS TO HOMECRAFT CLUB

Mrs. Fred Goss, 1008 Bluff, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. S. M. Murphy was hostess to a delightful meeting of the Homecraft club at her home Thursday afternoon, when the hours were pleasantly spent in sewing.

The house was attractively decorated in the colors and motifs suggestive of St. Patrick's day for the affair, and a feature of the afternoon was an interesting paper read by Mrs. O. P. Maricle on "The Life and Customs of the Women in Turkey."

At a late hour the club members were invited into the dining room where the table was prettily centered with flowers and ferns and a delicious refreshment course of cream chicken in timbals, cream potatoes, fresh peas, cranberry sauce, pickles, hot rolls and coffee with favors of shamrock nut cups filled with salted nuts.

Covers were laid for Mesdames G. T. Drinkard, O. P. Maricle, A. W. West, Frank G. Lewis, C. L. Baum, B. D. Sartib, J. C. Wolf and D. M. Jones.

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MRS. PARKS HOSTESS TO FIDELITY CLUB

Three tables filled with players enjoyed bridge at the home of Mrs. C. P. Parks on Sixteenth street Friday afternoon when she was hostess to a delightful meeting of the Fidelity club. The living room where the tables were arranged, was beautifully decorated with cut flowers for the occasion and hand-painted baskets filled with nuts were passed during the afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. Gamble won the high score favor, a hand embroidered towel, and Mrs. T. B. Couch won the low score and was consoled with a flaconette filled with Houbigant.

At the close of the games a dainty refreshment plate consisting of chicken sandwiches, cheese wafers, date pudding with whipped cream, coffee and mints was served to Mesdames C. C. Randle, F. O. Oberwetter, W. O. Wilson, W. C. Witcher, Robert Hamilton, W. M. Gamble, T. B. Couch, A. W. West, F. A. Ray, L. A. Davis L E. Stewart and L. M. Oberwetter.

The club members will entertain their husbands with a St. Patrick's party and bridge at the home of Mrs. T. B. Couch Friday evening.

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CYPHER CLUB GIVES MASQUERADE DANCE

An affair of the week which proved unusually enjoyable to a group of the dancing set was the masquerade dance given by the Cypher club at the Kemp hotel Friday evening.

Chaperones for the evening included Mr. and Mrs. Aldredge and Mesdames A. Kahn, T. B. Noble and Anderson. Other guests present were Misses Belle Hollinger, Louise Hamlin, Louise Jenkins, Florence Devers, Temple Bray, Polly Crawford, Rose Stampfli, Ruth Shaffer, Mazie Martin, Suda Willis, Bernice Pross, Miss Morris, Tyler, Texas; Flora Lee McCullough, Waco, Texas, Zena Pickle, Ted Ferguson, Joe Cummings, Jewel Cummings, Margurete Wheeler, Nancy Jane Harlin, Sadie Adicks, Billie Harper, Annabelle Jordan, Cecil McCurdy, Josephine Mayfield, Louise Pender; Messrs. Dennie Whitman, E. T. Barker Jr., A. H. Harris, R. H. Hollinger, C. B. Curtner, B. J. Manning, Goyne B. Blackman, H. W. Weldon, C. P. Massie, R. B. Primm, J. F. Riggs, Jr., Raymond D. Rowlton, Norris Ewing, A. W. Allred, Allen Gerock, Lee Haney, John Tancred, Jr., A. D. Montgomery, Frank Nicholson, George W. Gutzman, E. R. Fain, Lamar Fain, John Albritton, J. P. Nolen, Jarrell E. Gose, William Viner, Jack Yates, Charles Toney, R. J. Marin, Leo J. Wilmith, C. H. Angle, R. W. MacEachern, Thomas O. Payne, Roland S. Bond, Charles Cook, C. O. Davis, L. C. Cole, Harvey Bolding, Jerome S. Stone, L. D. Duff, John Moran: Messrs. and Mesdames Ike L. Upchurch, E. R. Matthews Byran Protho and Harold Hanes.

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SAN JACINTO CLUB PLANS BOX SUPPER

Plans for a box supper were made at the meeting of the San Jacinto Mother's club held at the building Friday afternoon to be given on Friday evening March 17. A branch Civic League was also organized at this meeting with Mrs. Bruno president; Mrs. Gordon, vice president; Mrs. Zachary, secretary and Mrs. Winston, treasurer; the first meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Winston.

"Health" formed the subject for a splendid program given during the meeting in which Miss Belle Tibbits gave the opening talk on the subject. Mrs. Bruno talked on "Children's Habits"; Miss Polston talked on "What to Eat"; Miss Parker on "Evils of Sugar"; Miss Martin on "Not So Much Meat" and Mrs. A. O. Scharff on the Civic League, its Ideals and Aims.

The supper will begin at 7:30 o'clock and boxes will be sold at 50 cents each for adults and 35 cents for children.

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MRS. BARNARD HOSTESS TO NEW CENTURY CLUB

Members of the New Century club met in regular session at the home of Mrs. C. J. Barnard Friday afternoon and enjoyed an instructive lesson on "Tolstoi." Mrs. W. J. Grisham discussed "Tolstoi, the Great Socialist," and Mrs. C. W. Gilliland gave the book review of the afternoon on "Anna Karenina." Tolstoi's book "Resurrection," furnished the topic for the club study and, round table discussion.

At the close of the lesson, a dainty refreshment plate was served to: Mesdames Yielding of Birmingham, Alamaba, J. M. Glick of Colorado, Sissons of Elk City, Oklahoma, and W. W. Silk, J. C. A. Guest, W. J. Grisham, W. B. Hamilton, N. H. Martin, C. D. Montgomery, M. D. Rowe, C. W. Gilliland, C. W. Snider and G. D. Whitney.

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JEWISH WOMEN TO GIVE DANCE.

The Council of Jewish Women will entertain the children of the Sabbath school with a dance Tuesday evening in the basement of the Temple Israel at 8 o'clock. Prizes will be given and refreshments served.

SAN JACINTO MOTHER'S COUNCIL MEETS.

A delightful program presented by the pupils, was a feature of the meeting of the San Jacinto Mother's council held at the building Thursday afternoon.

During the business session plans were discussed for securing funds with which to buy play ground equipment and announcement was made that the Barwise school would furnish pictures on two Friday evenings each month for the Mother's club, the proceeds from the performances to be divided equally between the two schools for the fund.

The program rendered follows:

Song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic"—School.

Reading, "Gretchen Schumake."

Piano Solo—Morine Morley.

Reading—William Betts.

Piano Duet—Helen and Allen Calvert.

Reading—Vernon Russy.

Reading—Betty Dowdy.

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MRS. HENRY HOSTESS TO 1922 CLUB.

Mrs. S. G. Henry, 2107 Yale, was hostess to the 1922 Study club at her home Thursday afternoon when a business session was a feature of the meeting. A study course was decided on for the club, and two new members enrolled.

After the session, a parliamentary drill was given.

Ice cream and cake was served at the close of the afternoon to, Mesdames P. R. Curd, L. E. McConnell, J. M. Norton, Earl Ruffner, R. M. Findley, E. E. Fisher, members, and C. E. Bailey and B. M. Norton, guests.

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MISS FORD GIVEN KITCHEN SHOWER.

Honoring Miss Anna Ford whose marriage to Fred Maier took place Wednesday, Miss Lula Mae Roark entertained with a kitchen shower at her home Monday evening. Games and music furnished diversion, a feature being a mock wedding in which Markie Hortense Roark took the part of the bride, and Master Gerald Coleman, the groom; John Maier, acting as the minister, read an impressive ring ceremony.

At the close of the evening, ice cream and cake was served to Misses Anna and Katherine Ford, Emma and Anna Maier, Juanita Hammersley, Louis Fields, Katie Dormaier, Mazdolina Maiers, Fay Thompson, Vivienne Ross, Lillie Sommerfelt, Gladys Huhey, Lora Hammersley, Ida Bell Roark, and Messrs Walter Ford, John Maier, Leonard Bumgardner, Frad Maier, Lowell Cook and Jewell Scott.

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TRAVEL CLUB MEETS FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Luther Hoffman, leader of the Travel club program for Friday afternoon at the regular meeting held at the library, gave a delightful original lecture illustrated in an original manner with photographs of the players, on "News From the Stage and Screen." In the lecture Mrs. Hoffman gave interesting bits of news regarding the new plays being presented in New York City and also in the Little Theaters throughout the country.

After the talk which proved exceptionally instructive and enjoyable, the leader held a contest in which the members were given a memory test in regard to the names of the various plays which have been presented by the Players club since its organization. Mrs. Ben G. O'Neal won the prize, a box of pretty handembroidered handkerchiefs.

At the close of the program, Mrs. Hoffman served home made fudge and divinity. Those present included: Mesdames Will Pagan, Ola Hamlin, Grady England, Leslie Humphrey, T. A. Hicks, Ben G. O'Neal, W. W. Cook, G. L. Shappard, Leslie Stringer, Sam Holliday, F. J. Elbert, Hardwick, E. T. Duff and Miss Blanche Potter.

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STUDY CLUB TO RESUME MEETINGS.

The biography and critical comments on Jane Austin will form the subject of the lesson program for the University Study club which will resume its meeting at the home of the leader, Mrs. J. C. Berney Tuesday morning.

This will be the first meeting held by the club in several weeks on account of the serious illness of Miss Edith Berney.

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MRS. DAVENPORT GIVEN PRETTY PARTY.

Complimenting Mrs. E. D. Davenport, a popular member of the local social set, who will leave soon to make her home elsewhere, Mrs. H. Walker-Harris entertained a group of friends informally at tea Friday afternoon. The living-room and reception suite was attractively decorated in cut flowers and ferns for the affair, and the hostess was assisted in pouring tea and in serving a dainty refreshment plate by her daughter, Miss Peggy Walker-Harris and Mrs. R. F. Healy.

The guest list included: Mesdames Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, Roy Daugherty, Robertson, C. E. Thames, R. T. Crawford, C. W. Reid, M. J. Bashara, O. T. Alles, Joplin; T. Morgan, E. Thompson, R. L. Hargraves, Frank B. Wilcox, T. B. Greenwood, Harwood Stacy, J. R. Aures, A. D. Lynch, George Dobie, Fred Kellogg, R. F. Healy, Will Ferguson, R. H. Graham, Fred Gates, J. O. Ammann, R. Kellogg and Misses Thames, Benedict and Scoffield of New York city.

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KILL KARE CLUB MEETS FRIDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mansker were hosts to a delightful meeting of the Kill Kare club at their home 1313 Filmore, Friday evening, when five tables were arranged for "42." The house was beautifully decorated in shamrocks and cut flowers, carrying out the suggestion of St. Patrick's day.

In the games, Milton Flack and V. A. Prim won the high score favor and P. A. McMurdy and Dr. A. W. West scored low. Mrs. Milton Flack was presented a lovely corsage bouquet as guest prize, and at the close of the evening, a refreshment plate consisting of pimento sandwiches, potato chips, cake, coffee, paradise pudding and stuffed dates was served to Messrs. and Mesdames P. A. McMurdy, W. O. Smith, Ivy, J. C. Walker, C. H. Featherstone, Noble Gray, Dr. and Mrs. West, members, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Winfrey, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Prim and Mrs. Milton Flack.

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L. P. HAMMOND GIVEN SURPRISE DINNER

An event of the week which proved entertaining to a group of men friends was a delightful surprise dinner given in honor of L. P. Hammond at their home Thursday evening. The table was beautifully decorated for the affair, and covers were laid for Messrs. G. Clint Wood, Walter B. Pyron, O. L. Powers, W. A. Freear, C. M. Miller and W. R. Ferguson.

Social Calendar

MONDAY.

Meetings of the various church societies as announced elsewhere.

The Truth Seekers' Bible class will meet at the First Baptist church, evening.

The O. E. S. Study club will meet at the home of Mrs. D. Dellis, 1400 Taylor, at 3 p. m., in an important business session.

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TUESDAY.

The auxiliary to the American Legion will give a benefit entertainment and dance, evening.

The Parent-Teachers' Federation will meet with Mrs. E. P. Haney, 1105 Polk street, 3 p. m.

The Graduate Nurses' association will meet at the library at 2 p. m. All matrons asked to attend.

The Business Women's club will meet at the Y. W. C. A. evening.

The Standard club will meet at the library, afternoon.

Ladies' afternoon will be observed at the Golf and Country club.

The University Study club will meet at the home of Mrs. J C Berney, morning.

The Sibley-Taylor Civic league will meet at the community hall, afternoon.

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WEDNESDAY

Mrs. John C. Kay, 2101 Tenth street, will be hostess to the Beta Delphians, afternoon.

The Sorosis club will meet with Mrs. M. H. Glover, 1826 Huff avenue, afternoon.

Mrs. Leslie Collins, 1300 Burnett, will be hostess to the Lotus Bridge club, afternoon.

The Pieria-Delphians will meet at the Kemp hotel, afternoon.

The Junior Travel club will meet at the library, morning.

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THURSDAY

The Jewish Relief Society will give a benefit dance at the Wichita Dancing Academy, beginning at 8

TWO BRIDES, SAME FAMILY, SAME DAY

After Ceremony Newlyweds Departed for Mexia Oil Fields Where the Grooms Are in Business.

Burkburnett Budget of Business Happenings, Club Doings and Personal and Minor Mention.

BURKBURNETT, Texas, March 12.—The double marriage of the Misses Eley is reported to have taken place at the home of their parents at their home on the McMann lease Sunday afternoon. The contracting parties are given as follows: Miss Lily Eley to Brigham Young, and Miss Margarite Eley to Mack Madison. Both couples left for their future home in Mexia, Texas, where the young men, who formerly lived here, are now employed in the oil industry.

The Joy Class of the Methodist Sunday school met in the home of Mrs. L. E. Parmley, one of the members this week, and a enjoyable session is reported. Much of the time was given over to plans for church work and enterprises among the young ladies and matrons of the church, the most extensive if which, is the "Cap, Apron and Food Sale," to be established Easter week, the proceeds to go to church enterprises of local need and benefits. The guests of the Joy Class meeting were Mrs. Sam Kiker, Mrs. Lulu Majors and Mrs. M. L. Urban. The closing feature of the entertainment was an elegantly served luncheon by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Windham motored to Wichita Falls Sunday in their handsome new seven-passenger Buick car. They were accompanied by Miss Susie and Alice Ammons and Mrs. M. L. Urban. Miss Ammons left on the afternoon train for Fort Worth where she will enter business college.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Methodist church met in business session Monday afternoon at the church, presided over by Mrs. S. J. Mills. Among the many items of consideration, was the appointment of the committee to buy the spring and summer clothing for the orphan girl at the Waco orphanage who is being supported by this band of ladies. The committee is composed of Mesdames Joe H. Davis, M. L. Urban and Charles Wharton.

Personal and Minor Mention.

Miss Susie Ammons left Sunday for Fort Worth, where she will enter business college in that city.

Mrs. Lulu T. Stephens, who has been visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. M. F. Gill, returned to her home in Sulphur, Oklahoma, Monday, accompanied by Miss Pauline Gill, who will visit relatives in that city and also in Wapanncka, Oklahoma, and Denison, Texas.

Mrs. W. P. Martin was a shopping visitor in Wichita Falls Monday.

Miss Alma Jackson, who has been spending the winter with her sister in Dallas, returned to Burkburnett Monday on account of the serious illness of her sister in this city.

Mrs. Fay spent Monday in Wichita Falls on business.

W. H. Patton spent a few days in Dallas this week in the interest of the organization of the Burkburnett Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Mrs. W. J. Webb, and little son, James, left Saturday for Austin where he will enter the Pasteur Institute for treatment, having been bitten a few day previous by a donkey. Positive evidence of rabies was reported from the institution where the head of the animal hog been sent for examination.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Shepherd of Wichita Falls were visitors at the mass meeting Sunday afternoon where the Burkburnett Citizens' Association wes organized.

Miss Thelma Stephens of Sulphur, Oklahoma, who is a guest in the home of her uncle, Joe Youree and family, in Electra, visited friends and relatives in Burkburnett Sunday afternoon.

On Saturday evening the Fidelis Sunday school class of the First Baptist church entertained with a jolly, "little kid" party at the home of the teacher, Mrs. J. W. McGuire. Everybody forgot to be grown-ups for a few hours and all enjoyed a round of real, gigling, jolly kid games and frolics, after which a treat of sweet-milk and corn bread was served. Those enjoying this good time were little Misses Berta Owens, Mary Rigney, Mildred Ellis, Ella Alvey, Beatrice Cain, Thelma Rigney, Jewell Moody, Ina Vinson, Eulala Smith, Cleo Little, Leah Hayes, Pauline Johnson, Hazel Stevenson, Viola Gray and the hostess, "Granny McGuire." The other little "kids" of the party were Jack O. Owens, Jimmie Z. Gray, Billie Nixon, Jack B. Gray and Bobbie P. Paxton.

E. C. Coates of Electra motored over to Burkburnett to visit friends Sunday afternoon.

Miss Beatrice Cain of the Burkburnett high school spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Willis, of Wichita Falls, returning to her classes Monday morning.

Mrs. Jackson of Wichita Falls was a Sunday guest in the home of her Burkburnett friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Beleu, this week.

Mrs. Judd Eley is reported to be very sick at her home in the northern part of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Blum were called to Wichita Falls this week by the sudden death of Mr. Blum's mother, Mrs. Emma Blum.

Mrs. Carl Browning and little daughter who have been in St. Louis for several weeks are expected to return at an early date.

Mrs. Lulu Majors, who has been convalescing from a severe attack of pneumonia during the past weeks, was able to meet with the Ladies' Missionary society of the Methodist church of which she is president.

Mrs. Sweigler attended the funeral of her former neighbor and friend, the late Mrs. Emma Blum, in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

The Young Ladies Missionary society of the Methodist church met in study session last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. D. Montgomery. The lesson of the evening was on Mexico. Plans were made at this meeting for a public entertainment to be given at an early date for the benefit of their pledge fund, for general benevolences.

T. A. Freeze, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., was called to McAllister, Okla., to attend his brother, J. A. Freeze, who is reported to be dangerously ill.

Mrs. C. O. Walling accompanied by her husband and baby, went to Hedley, Texas, Saturday to attend the funeral of her brother, L. T. Hullum, who died in that city from pneumonia, and was interred Sunday morning in the Hedley cemetery. Deceased was 41 years of age and is survived by a wife and one son about 17 years of age. Irs Hullum of this city was with the brother at the time of death. Gus Hullim of Gainesville joined his sister en route to Hadley at Wichita Falls Saturday.

W. L. Bruce returned from Mexia this week where he reports the sale of acreage to a splendid profit on the deals.

A. L. Camp and son A. C. Camp are here on business from Fort Worth.

Jim Snoddy of Block 68 was a business visitor in Burkburnett Saturday.

W. L. Tucker is reported on the sick list this week.

R. W. Kent has returned from a business visit to Caddo, Texas.

Mr. Moniger of the Moniger Oil company of Wichita Falls was in our city in the interest of their oil holdings near Burkburnett.

Clem Saunders is on the sick list.

Mrs. W. H. Lewis of Wichita Falls was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ervin Blum, this week. Dr. Lewis is reported to be convalescing from his recent illness in Mineral Wells, Texas.

John McNeill of Wichita Falls was a business guest in the city Saturday.

F. B. Mashburn, formerly of this city but now residing in Wichita Falls, was greeting old friends on our streets here Saturday.

H. Sanson, Burkburnett's former merchant, made a business visit to the city from his home in Dallas this week.

H. H. Fitzpatrick, railroad commissioner, was in the city from Breckenridge this week.

Sam Holland, who was in the drug business in this city 10 years ago, paid his old friends a visit this week, from his home in Goree.

C. Clendnin, of Cordell, Okla., was a guest Wednesday of relatives and friends in Burkburnett.

Robert Throne left Wednesday to take charge of the history classes in the Cleburne, Texas, high school. Mr. Throne is a graduate of one of the leading universities of the country and was an instructor of credit previous to his move to the south. His Burkburnett friends predict for him a successful career in his new work in the Cleburne school.

Joe Furgason, brother of George Furgason, and N. Mitchell, were business visitors from Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Meuller, near Clara, an eight-pound girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Deeter on Wednesday, a ten-pound son.

Jess L. Jones is reported to be very sick at his home on the Magnolia lease in the shallow field.

Mrs. Jess Ezell, who has been seriously ill during the past few weeks, is reported much better.

Dr. Stripling, of Wichita Falls was in Burkburnett on professional matters this week.

Will Miller, who has been in the city some time in the interest of the sale of special pictures of the great world war, has returned to his home in Illinois.

Miss Maggie Corbell of Wichita Falls was in the city Thursday on business, and contemplates making Burkburnett headquarters for her agency.

The cap and apron sale under the auspices of the Joy class of the Methodist church will begin Wednesday before Easter, continuing through Thursday. There will be no sale during Good Friday; on Saturday cakes, pies and other foods will be sold by the ladies. Some down-town building will be used for this Easter sale, the exact location to be announced later.

On Wednesday afternoon the home of Mrs. Woods on the Invader lease, was the scene of a happy gathering of matrons in informal session of the Wednesday Needle Work club. All members were present except one; there were also four special guests in the company. The usual hour of sewing and embroidery was observed during which a pleasant exchange of needle craft and domestic ideas was enjoyed. A dainty salad course was served in conclusion.

The old Riverdale well No. 2 is reported down 2,000 feet, and has been taken over by private owners who will extend the drilling 2,500 feet.

J. T. Camp of the Camp Oil and Gas company was in the city from his home in Dallas and Fort Worth in the interest of their company.

Jouett M. Bonner of the firm of Bonner & Bonner, came over from Wichita Falls on a business visit Wednesday.

Wayne Holmes, secretary of the Bob Waggoner office, was in the city from Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Chas. Webb, former proprietor of the Everybody's Cafe, returned from Abilene, Texas, where he reports the death of his wife last December. The late Mrs. Webb will be remembered by many Burkburnett friends who regret to learn of her untimely death.

Mrs. Dewey Holcomb has returned from a visit to the home of her mother in Vernon, Texas, this week.

Shallow Field Notes.

Leases in the Shallow field have increased in value from $50 to $175 per acre. All of the surrounding country in this section has been taken up in leases this week. Tom Hunter and others have a new derrick under construction on their 80-acre lease on the W. J. Sides place. The Camp Oil and Gas company closed a deal Thursday for an 80-acre lease on the Hardin property, and will begin drilling next week. O'Neil & O'Neil, drillers, have rig on ground and derrick up for new well on Chas. Hoffman lease. Two other new wells are being drilled on the Dodson lease, just east across from the Cropper wells.

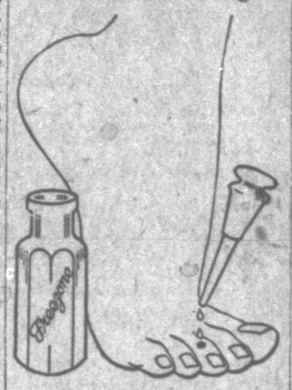
THOMAS' SEYMOUR FRIENDS MAY CALL HIM BACK

Special to The Record News.

SEYMOUR, Texas, March 11.—Cullen F. Thomas, candidate for the United States senate spoke to an enthusiastic audience of about two hundred in Seymour in the district court room. Cold, threatening weather affected the atendance and his supporters may request him to speak here again at some later date.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



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ELECTRA OIL MEN AND A NEW TEST

Electricity Will Be Used for First Time for Drilling Purposes by the Magnolia Petroleum Company.

An Increase of 400 Barrels Daily Last Week; New Locations; Personal and Minor Mention.

By H. A. STROUD.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—Electricity will be used for the first time in the Electra field for drilling purposes and the Magnolia Petroleum company is the concern that will give it the initial test. The location of the well is in the Fowlkes pool and the Duke lease, five miles east of this city.

A seventy-five-horse power motor is being rigged up to a standard drilling outfit and will supplant the boiler and steam engine that usually furnished the motive power. The well will start drilling early next week and local oil men are anxious to see how electricity will work out in this field.

The shortage of water for drilling purposes has led the Magnolia to make this test. The well is only a short distance from the high line of the Wichita Falls Electric company that furnishes power to Electra and the expense of connecting it to the motor was nominal. According to operators who have seen electricity used and know anything of costs, quite a saving can be effected in operating expenses. Some oil men claim that the electricity will be less than water costs alone in this field, while no fuel oil will be used thus cutting down another large overhead expense.

The company plans to keep a record of costs on the well and make an unprejudiced comparison to other wells drilled on the same lease with steam. They have practically agreed to give other operators in the field the benefit of their experiments.

Daily Production of Pool.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—The daily production of the Electra pool for the past week has shown an increase of 400 barrels a day over the report of the previous week. The production has been climbing steadily for the past thirty days and during that time has gained almost 1,500 barrels. A production summary shows that no one company has made the increase but that the pickup is accredited to various concerns. The increase has also been gained from several section of the district, including the south pool, Piper district, Fowlkes and in the old pool.

Following is an estimate of the daily production for the past ten days:

	No. Barrels.
Texas Pipe Line Co.	3,930
Magnolia Petroleum Co.	3,325
Red River Oil Co.	391
Gulf Production Co.	580
Miscellaneous	4,476

Runs from the K. M. A. and Iowa Park districts totalled 4,004 barrels for the same period.

New Waggoner Discovery.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—The new discovery district south of Electra on section 33, Waggoner, is rapidly becoming the interest center and already two more wells have been brought in by the Petroleum Producers' company, who drilled the discovery well. This company developed in their No. 1 a well at 480 feet that broke all production records in the field for the depth. When this well first came in it pumped at the rate of ninety barrels a day for a week, settled to sixty and is still making at the rate of thirty-five barrels after thirty days on the pump.

No. 2 which was completed this week found the sand at a five-foot shallower depth and after going in the sand the drillers stopped drilling. No estimate of the production has been made but the well looks like a sister to the first completion. No. 3 of the same company, two locations away, is also in, having encountered the sand about fifteen feet further up. This well was located in a draw and drillers believe that the descrepency in depths is due to the surface and that the sand is the same.

Enforcement of Law.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—Local officers had a rather busy week, in enforcing liquor laws, when they arrested three men charging them with running a still and a negro charged with the illegal possession of choc beer. The officers found the improvised still in operation when they raided a tent in the outskirts of the city. Whiskey was being made with a five-gallon oil can as a still with a wad of yarn in the spout acting as a condensor. When the vapor accumulated in the yarn the men squeezed it out in a container.

The negro arrested was found in possession of ten gallons of choc beer which was cleverly concealed in a dresser with a false lid. The beer analyzed about 20 per cent alcohol according to officers.

Team for Electra.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—L. E. Sheldon, who for the past three years has managed the semi-professional baseball team of this city, announced early in the week that he was making plans for the organization of a team this season. Sheldon claims that there are numerous baseball players working in the oil fields surrounding this city, and that he believes Electra will have a good team this season.

A meeting is to be held in the next few days to finance the club and soon afterwards remodeling of the park will begin.

More Water for City.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—A meeting was held this week at which members of the city commission and a committee from the Chamber of Commerce discussed plans for the securing of more water for use in the city. The Chamber of Commerce plan that has been proposed, which provided for running an four-inch auxiliary line from the reservoir to Red river had already been approved by the commissioners, but a suggestion was made by the commission in regard to the new machinery to be installed.

Mayor McDannold suggested that one of the triples pumps be moved from the present pump station to the proposed site on the river, while the new modern machinery to be purchased be placed in use at the main pump station.

The city officials have been making soundings on the river in order to see how much water can be secured and as to the best site to establish the auxiliary pumping plant.

A Great Handicap.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—Following the shut down of last week on account of the blizzard, many rigs over the field are now again in operation. The water situation continues to be a great handicap but some relief has been secured in various sections of the field due to pipe lines. In the Fowlkes district the pipe line from Red river has been completed but no water will be run, according to reports, until ditches can be dug and the pipe laid under the ground. The Planet wells, which have been shut down for several days on account of water started up the later part of the week. Several other wells that have been shut down have run lines to various points and are running at least for the time. The snow storm of last week gave no relief to the water situation as the weather moderated so slowly that all moisture evaporated or soaked into the ground.

Following is a report of wells now drilling in the Electra pool:

Completions.

Strawn Bros. and others' No. 1 Burnett completed 320 to 830 feet. Estimate production 10 barrels.

Simms Oil company's No. 6 Burnett, section 5, completed 480 to 495 feet. Estimate production 25 barrels.

Petroleum Producers' company's No. 3 Rio Bravo, section 33, completed 475-78. Estimate production 50 barrels. No. 2, one location east, completed 467-70. Estimate production 50 barrels.

Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 42 Piper, completed 1,803 feet. Estimate production 20 barrels.

Drilling Report.

Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 52, H. & T. C. pulling outside casing to drill into 1,900-foot sand. No. 2-B Duke rigging up electric motor. No. 1-B Duke, drilling at 1,115 feet. No. 1-A Duke drilling at 900 feet.

John O'Neill's No. 1 Roberts drilling at 1,820 feet.

Mona Marie Oil company's No. 2 Roberts shut down at 400 feet for water. No. 4 drilling at 1,400 feet.

Sooner Oil company's No. 1 Roberts shut down 950 feet for water. No. 2 shut down 900 feet, same reason.

Texhoma Oil and Refining company has erected derrick for their No. 1 Duke.

Standard Oil Land and Leasing company has a location for their No. 1 Duke.

Gulf Production company's No. 1 Powell has drilled in 1,800-foot sand and are cleaning out. No. 2 Roberts drilling at 1,650 feet.

Texas company's No. 213 Waggoner cementing casing over sand at 1,585. No. 214 drilling at 1,050 feet. No. 215 drilling at 785 feet. No. 108 deepening old hole, drilling at 1,550 feet.

Brownlee and others' No. 1 Waggoner on the Gibson survey drilling at 650 feet.

Joe Howell's No. 1 Waggoner, Gibson survey, shut down for water at 650 feet.

Griswald Oil company's No. 1 Waggoner on Gibson survey, fishing for tools at 1,90[illegible] feet.

John O'Neil No. 1 Rio Bravo, section 33, is erecting derrick.

Troxel and others' No. 1 Rio Bravo, section 31, has spudded.

Haskell & D'Armout's No. 1 Waggoner, section 6, in Wilbarger county, shut down for repairs at 660 feet. No. 2 in section 14, Wichita county, underreaming at 1,160 feet.

Kentucky Oil company's No. 1 Waggoner, section 13, casing parted at a little less than 800 feet. Reported over oil sand.

C. A. Kolp's No. 4 Waggoner, section 14, drilling at 1,635 feet.

Schultz, Hyder & Richards' No. 1 Waggoner, section 38, has rigged up.

Heydrick and others' No. 1 Waggoner, section 28, is setting up a machine.

McAllister & Grisham, in section 34, a half mile south of the Petroleum Producers company missed to 480-foot sand and are shut down at 750 feet awaiting water.

Carteret Oil company's No. 1 Waggoner rigging up star machine to pump. Locations have been made in sections 33 and 34 for wells No. 2 and 3.

Gladiolus Oil company's No. 45 Burnett drilling at 1,200 feet. No. 46 drilling at 120 feet.

Barr, Johnson & Weaver's No. 1 Waggoner shut down at 765 feet awaiting 8-inch casing.

Beasley, Lincoln & McDannold are testing out a sand at 1,950 feet in their No. 1 Burnett.

Planet Petroleum company's No. 37 Burnett drilling at 650 feet. No. 39 drilling at 1,000 feet. No. 40 drilling at 400 feet.

Stork's Batting Average.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 11.—Twelve boys and fourteen girls was the stork's batting average in Electra for the month of March. This is the first time in several months that the birth report has shown the girls to be in majority. Seven deaths were reported during the month, all save one being people fully matured as to age. This is the highest number of deaths reported in the city in many months but none of these was due to contageous diseases or an epidemic.

Following is a detailed list as furnished by Ed C. Wilson, registar:

Births.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Morris, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Weatherall, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hastings, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Eaton, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Vickers, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Groves, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Lewis, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Anderson, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Heatherington, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Perkins, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dennington, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Taylor, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hudleston, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Venus Washington, boy (colored).
Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Clark, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reid, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Newton, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Vaught, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lewis, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Coates, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Roessler, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Henson, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mann.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood, girl.

Deaths.

Sarah M. Holcomb, age 75.
Bonnie R. Webb, age 2 years.
G. C. Alexander, age 36.
Nona Mae Fillman, age 21.
J. C. Powell, age 46.
Mrs. Nannie Lalk, age 26.
Eldry D. Scales, age 46.

The Churches

FIRST BAPTIST.
(Corner Burnett and Ninth Sts.)
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Junior B. Y. P. U. 4. 5 and 7 p. m.
Senior B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p.m.
O. L. POWERS, Pastor.
Phone 5575.

FIRST METHODIST.
(Corner Lamar and Seventh Sts.)
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
Choir meeting Friday 8 p. m.
Church societies Monday 3 p. m.
T. S. PITTENGER, Pastor.
Phone 2328.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH.
(Corner Lamar and Tenth Sts.)
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
Junior League 4 p. m.
Intermedite League 6 p. m.
Epworth League 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.
Bible study Wednesday 7 p. m.
H. D. KNICKERBOCKER, Pastor.
Phone 6084.

FLORAL HEIGHTS METHODIST
(Corner Polk and Tenth Sts.)
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
J. H. GROSECLOSE, Pastor.
Phone 2203.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.
(Corner Bluff and Tenth Sts.)
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
Junior Endeavor 3 p. m.
Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.
Church societies Monday 3 p. m.
Choir meeting Thursday 8 p. m.
Boy Scouts Friday 7:30 p. m.
N. F. GRAFTON, Pastor.
Phone 6065.

CENTR. L. PRESBYTERIAN.
(Corner Bluff and Eleventh Sts.)
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Junior Endeavor 3 p. m.
Senior Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m.
Church societies Monday 3 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.
Boy Scouts Friday 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART
(Corner Ninth and Holliday.)
Mass at the church every morning at 8 o'clock except Saturday when it is held at the chapel at the Academy of Saint Mary Immaculate. Mass Sunday morning at 8 and 10 o'clock and benediction in the evening at 8 o'clock.
P. BONIFACE, Pastor.
Phone 5288.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST.
(Corner Austin and Tenth Sts.)
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m and 7:15 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:45 p. m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.
(Mo. Synod, Corner Holliday and Eleventh Sts.)
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION.
(Labor Temple, 703 Travis.)
Sunday school 10:30 a. m.
Study hours 11 a. m. and 3 p. m.

East Side Presbyterian.
Sunday School at 3 p. m.
Preaching services at 4 p. m.
Prayer meeting Tuesday at 7 p. m.
C. C. DOOLEY, Pastor.

Wichita Mission.
Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Parsonage, 502 Bridge street, north Wichita. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. First Sunday, Midway church. Second Sunday, Factory church. Third Sunday, Marion church. Fourth Sunday, Northside church. Each Sunday school meets at 10 a. m. W. A. Betts, phone 2318.

Seventh Day Adventists.
Corner Kemp Boulevard and Ave. G.
Bible Study on Saturday at 2:30 p. m.
Preaching Services at 3:30 p. m.
George W. Spies, Pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN.
(Corner Travis and Tenth Sts.)
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Junior Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Intermediate Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Senior Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:45 p. m.
Junior Boy Scouts Friday 4 p. m.
Boy Scouts Friday 7:30 p. m.
J. LEM KREVIL, Pastor.
Phone 2213.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
(Corner Tenth and Van Buren Sts.)
Church edifice, Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Lesson sermon at 11:00 a. m.
Testimonial meeting 8:00 o'clock Wednesday evening. Reading room located in room 11, Jones-Kennedy building, 619 Seventh street, is open from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m. daily, except Sunday and holidays. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN.
Sunday school at 9.45 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Floral Heights Presbyterian.
(1701 Kemp Blvd. and Ave. C.)
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m.
C. C. DOOLEY, Pastor.

FLORAL HEIGHTS BAPTIST.
(Tenth and Kemp Boulevard.)
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunbeam 4 p. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. 5 p. m. Senior Union 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Boy Scouts Friday evening.
J. W. LOVING, Pastor.
Phone 3331.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.
(Episcopal.)
Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45. Morning Prayer at 11. Evening at Olympic theater 7:15.
FRED T. DATSON, Rector.
Phone 6008.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH
(Corner Fifteenth and Broad)
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Senior Y. P. A. at 6:45 p. m.
Junior Y. P. A. at 2:30 p. m.
GEORGE L. TRABANT, Pastor.

LAMAR AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH.
(Fourth and Lamar.)
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Fred Cone, superintendent.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.
Sunbeams at 3 p. m.
Senior and Intermediate B. Y. P. U. at 6:15 p. m.
A. J. HOLT, Pastor.

LUTHERAN TRINITY CHURCH.
(Fourteenth and Bluff.)
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock Lenten services will be conducted in the German language.
H. F. MUELLER, Pastor.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN.
(Eleventh and Huff.)
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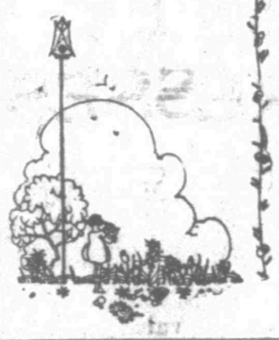
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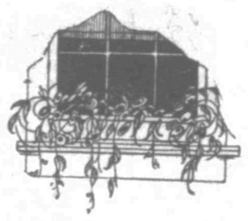
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—Tomorrow the ladies who compose the Beautification Committee of the CIVIC LEAGUE, will offer for sale on the Moore and Richolt lot, corner Indiana and Ninth street

Twenty-Five Hackberry Trees at *$2.00* Each

—It is not the purpose of this committee to make one cent on the sale of these trees. They are offered to the public of Wichita Falls at actual cost. The only interest of the Civic League is to make it easy for the citizens of our city to improve their lawns with the addition of some pretty shade trees.

—The trees which are being offered are the remainder of a lot of 300, which was distributed this year by this committee.

SELECT YOUR TREES TOMORROW AND HAVE THEM PLANTED JUST AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
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—Safe-guard the children's health by giving them a garden set, wheelbarrow, sand pails, etc., and let them play in the open air.

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1c to $1 Stores Co.

Spudders Scalp Cleveland Indians 6 to 3

SALVO OF SIX HITS IN OPENING FRAME DEFEATS VISITORS

Beck Leads the Attack, Making Four Hits Including Mighty Wallop Over Right Field Fence; Steve Mokan and George Knadler Put Up Pretty Exhibition of Twirling.

Oh, the base hits rained by quarts and pecks
From that big yellow bat of Freddy Beck's
And the grounders just cuddled in Sorey's glove
Like cute little messages loaded with love;
Say, I never would have dreamed that Cap'n Buddy Tanner
Could make one-hand stabs in such marvellous manner,
While I 'clare to goodness that guy, Ray O'Brien,
Socked beaucoup hits without half tryin';
And them batters ducked away from Steve Mokan
Like he was the Goblin of the Koo Koo Klan!
Oh, the Spudders had rifles that was free o' rust,
And a dozen Cleveland Indians bit the dust!

By "NICK" CARTER

Oh, just look at the tears in my old eyes! Honest, gang, I haven't felt so contented since my pay was cut! The Sockdolaging Spudders spudded in their 1922 well yesterday afternoon and in an hour and forty minutes drilled a hole deep enough to hold Tris Speaker's Cleveland papooses, all of 'em, very, very comfortably. One thousand and seventeen nutty fans attended the spudding in ceremonies, including the Chief Geologist, "Red" Phillips; Head Driller Walter Salm; Stock Certificate Writer Will Gray, and Inspector of Bits (mostly two-bits) Billy Newell.

Aw, cut out that foolishness, and talk baseball! All in favor say "Aye." The ayes have it.

Well, the final score, gang, was 6 to 3, and the Spudders made a debut for 1922 in the old town that was most auspicious. While honesty compels me to state that the greatest stars of the Cleveland American league staff were absent, still it behooves me also to assert that in the Spudder line-up were only four men who played with the team at all last season, Buddy Tanner and George Bischoff, in fact, being the only players who might be classed as 1921 regulars.

A veritable holocaust of hits in the opening frame wrecked Cleveland's hope of victory. The Spudders opened with a crashing crescendo of six straight base clouts, and chased over four runs before the dazed Indians could get their war bonnets on.

Beck Hits for Four

Fred Beck was a fearful offender; came to bat four times, tried out both knife and forkhand pitching, and banged out four wallops in a row, finally calling it a day's work in the seventh cadenza when he smashed one of Tubb's slants over the right field barrier for the circuit. Woof! but that poor little weakling, Beck, swings a dirty telephone pole!

Ray O'Brien, with two singles and a double out of four times up, wasn't far behind Fred, while Buddy Tanner lammed a two-bagger to left that would have been good for three sacks save for fast fielding by Yuna.

Steve Mokan and George Knadler both showed something on the hill, the twirling of Johnny's brother being especially brilliant during the four innings that Salm kept him on the mound. Steve allowed only three hits. Two were scratchy, Hammond dropping a dinky Texas leaguer in right in the first canto and Sorrell's bouncing an infield hit off Mokan's glove in the third. Steve also struck out Sorrells, Keidel and the veteran George Uhle, and was steady as a rock, walking only one man—all in all, pretty good for a youngster trying to break into a Class A loop, I'll say.

George Knadler, the big righthand spitball flinger, made a big hit with the fans during his five frames of smiling endeavor. The Indians managed to collect seven bingles off of George's delivery, but except for the eighth inning, when they bunched three hits for a couple of runs, Knadler had 'em well under control all the time. And speaking of control, George certainly had that little thing yesterday; something that he lacked sadly when he came to the Spuds late last fall from the Oklahoma bushes. One man only received free transportation to first.

Sorey and Buddy Good

Sorey and Buddy Tanner played that old keystone combination in a highly artistic manner. Twice they reeled off a pretty double play, while the only error chalked up against Sorey occurred when he tried to hurry his peg to first on a similar relay from Buddy. Sorey covered more ground than a good bird dog, and turned in five putouts and four assists as his share of the defense play of the Spudders. Buddy's work was even prettier, in view of the fact that he had a bad piece of ground in front of him. Twice the stocky little shortstop had to make desperate one-hand stabs, and each time he got the pill and his man at first.

Evans, the Colorado youngster, played a clean game at the hot corner, although called on but twice. Fred Beck pulled a couple of errors on first, both of the same kind and both excusable at this time o' year. In each case, Fred dropped a clean peg at his shoe tops—but if you knew as I do how lame the ol' boy is after only two workouts, well you'd wonder he could bend over at all.

O'Brien had to chase a couple to the ground, so did Benny Allen, while Speck Comstock nailed two in the ozone. Benny dropped one fly, I dunno why and I don't care; no one was hurt.

Ray Schmidt and George Bischoff did the receiving. The youngster Schmidt handled the ball prettily, kept up a running fire of verbal encouragement and kept Mokan working slowly and steadily all the time. Bisch also caught a good, steady game snared one high foul out in the middle of the diamond, and contributed a left field single to the attack.

Here's how it went by innings:

First.

CLEVELAND—Jeanes rolled a weak one off the handle to Beck; Sorrells fanned; Hamond with the count three and two, dropped a Texas leaguer in right and then died stealing. Mokan to Sorey. No runs, one hit, no errors.

SPUDDERS—Comstock singled to right; Tanner doubled to left on the first ball pitched; Evans singled to left, scoring Sueck and Buddy; Beck singled to right, scoring Evans who made a pretty slide at the plate; O'Brien singled to center; Allen dumped one down the third base line and beat it out, filling the bases; Sorey went out, second to first, Beck scoring; Schmidt fouled to Sewell, and Mokan lined out to Benedict. Four runs, six hits, no errors.

Second.

CLEVELAND—Guisto was thrown out by Sorey; Benedict went out to Beck unassisted; Yuna was safe when Beck dropped Evans' throw; Uhle struck out. No runs, no hits, one error.

SPUDDERS—Comstock fanned; Tanner died, short to first, and Evans whiffed. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third.

CLEVELAND—Sewell walked; Kiedel struck out; Jeanes hit to Tanner forcing Sewell at second, but Sorey threw low to first, the ball went to the club house and Jeanes went on to second; Sorrells bounced an infield hit off Mokan's glove and Jeanes took third; Mokan tossed out Hammond. No runs, one hit, one error.

SPUDDERS—Beck beat out a single through the box; O'Brien hit into a double play, Hamond to Sorrells to Guisto, and Allen was thrown out by short. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Fourth.

CLEVELAND—Guisto shot a clean single to left; Benedict hit into a two-ply killing, Tanner to Sorey to Beck; Yuna lined to Comstock. No runs, one hit, no errors.

SPUDDERS—Odenwald, a southpaw, went into the box for the Indians. Sorey worked him for a base on balls, and Schmidt sacrificed Sorey to second, going out Benedict to Guisto; Bischoff, hitting for Mokan, also walked; Comstock filed to Jeanes who made a pretty shoestring catch in left. Tanner died short to first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Fifth.

CLEVELAND—Knadler and Bischoff now the Spudder battery. Uhle cracked a single off Knadler's glove; Sewell singled to right, sending Uhle to second. Uhle stole third; Odenwald struck out; Jeanes flied to Comstock, who held the ball to long and Uhle reached home in safety. Sewell went to second on a passed ball and Sorrells fanned. One run, two hits, no errors.

SPUDDERS—Evans fanned; Beck singled to right; O'Brien beat out an infield hit through Odenwald. Beck taking second; Allen singled to center, scoring Beck and O'Brien was nailed at third, Jeanes to Benedict; Sorey popped to short. One run, three hits, no errors.

Sixth.

CLEVELAND—Hammond smashed a single through the box; Guisto hit into a double play, Tanner to Sorey to Beck; Sorey threw out Benedict. No runs, one hit, no errors.

SPUDDERS—Knadler fanned; Bischoff went out, pitcher to first; Benedict threw out Comstock. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Seventh.

CLEVELAND—Yuna rolled weakly to Knadler; Uhle hit to Tanner who made a pretty stop, but Uhle was safe when Beck dropped the throw; Sewell walked; Shinault, hitting for Odenwald, forced Uhle at third, Knadler to Evans; Jeanes lined to Beck. No runs, no hits, one error.

SPUDDERS—Shinault catching and Tubbs now pitching for Cleveland. Tanner flied to left; Evans went out Tubbs to Guisto; Beck busted the apple high wide and handsome over the right field fence; O'Brien socked the pill against the left field fence on a line for two bases; Allen fanned. One run, two hits, no errors.

Eighth.

CLEVELAND—Sorrells was thrown out by Buddy; Hammond singled to left; Guisto hit a wicked two-bagger to left just inside the sack, scoring Hammond; Benedict followed with a double to right center, scoring Guisto; Yuna fanned and Uhle was thrown out by Sorey. Two runs, three hits, no errors.

SPUDDERS—Sorey lined a hot one into Sorrells' glove; Knadler struck out; Bischoff singled to left, and Speck flied to Yuna. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Ninth.

CLEVELAND—Shinault popped to Bischoff; Tanner threw out Tubbs; Jeanes hit to Allen who dropped the ball, but got Jeanes trying to make second, Sorey taking the throw. No runs, no hits, one error.

Box score:

SPUDDERS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Comstock, rf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Tanner, ss	4	1	1	0	6	0
Evans, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Beck, 1b	4	3	4	12	0	2
O'Brien, cf	4	0	3	0	0	0
Allen, lf	4	0	2	0	1	1
Sorey, 2b	3	0	0	5	4	1
Schmidt, c	1	0	0	3	0	0
Bischoff, c	2	0	1	4	0	0
Mokan, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Knadler, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	34	6	13	27	16	4

INDIANS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Jeanes, cf	5	0	0	1	1	0
Sorrells, ss	4	0	1	3	3	0
Hammond, 2b	4	1	3	0	3	0
Guisto, 1b	4	1	2	9	0	0
Benedict, 3b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Yuna, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Uhle, rf	4	0	1	5	0	0
L. Sewell, c	1	0	1	5	0	0
Shinault, c	2	0	0	2	0	0
Keidel, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Odenwald, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Tubbs, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	35	3	9	24	11	0

By innings—
Spudders ..... 400 010 10x—6
Indians ..... 000 010 020—3

Summary: Pitchers' statistics—3 hits and 0 runs off Mokan in 4 innings; 7 hits and 3 runs off Knadler in 5 innings; 7 hits and 4 runs off Keidel in 3 innings; 3 hits and 1 run off Odenwald in 3 innings; 3 hits and 1 run off Tubbs in 2 innings; sacrifice hits, Schmidt; stolen bases, Uhle; two-base hits, Tanner, O'Brien, Guisto, Benedict; home run, Beck; struck out, by Mokan 3, by Knadler 3, by Keidel 2, by Tubbs 2, by Odenwald 2; base on balls, off Mokan 1, Knadler 1, Odenwald 1; double plays, Tanner to Sorey to Beck (2), Hamond to Sorrells to Guisto; passed ball, Bischoff. Time 1:40. Umpire, Lee Magee.

This afternoon's game will start at 3 o'clock.

EXHIBITION BASE BALL

DALLAS, March 11.—

	R	H	E
St Louis Nationals	4	10	1
Cleveland Americans	3	8	2

Batteries: Barfoot, Reviere and Ainsmith, Clemons; Mails, Bagby and O'Neill.

FORT WORTH, March 11.—

	R	H	E
Cincinnati Nationals	1	8	0
Fort Worth, Texas league	0	9	3

Batteries: Donohue, Gillespie and Wingo; Phillips, Appleton, Thomas and Haworth, Griesenbeck.

ORANGE, Texas, March 11.—

	R	H	E
Beaumont (Texas league)	2	4	2
St. Louis Nationals 2nd tm.	9	13	0

Batteries: Scott, Henry and Alexander, Anderson; Sherdel, Walker, Barnes and Perry, Ralston.

SAN ANTONIO, March 11.—

	R	H	E
New York Nationals	5	12	3
Chicago Americans	5	11	2

Game called in the tenth inning account darkness.

Batteries: Benton, Synder and Smith; Acosta, Hodge and Schalk.

NEW ORLEANS, March 11.—

	R	H	E
New York Americans	8	15	3
New Orleans, So. Assn.	7	12	1

Batteries: Jolley, Quinn and Hoffman, Devormer; Thomas, Townsend and Meyers.

MOBILE, Ala., March 11.—

	R	H	E
St. Louis Americans	11	8	1
Mobile Southern Assn.	4	6	0

Batteries: Vangilder, Bayne, Wavis, Prhett and Severeid; Hollingsworth, Roberts, Schulte and Tate.

Chicasha Wins First Round in Franchise Suit

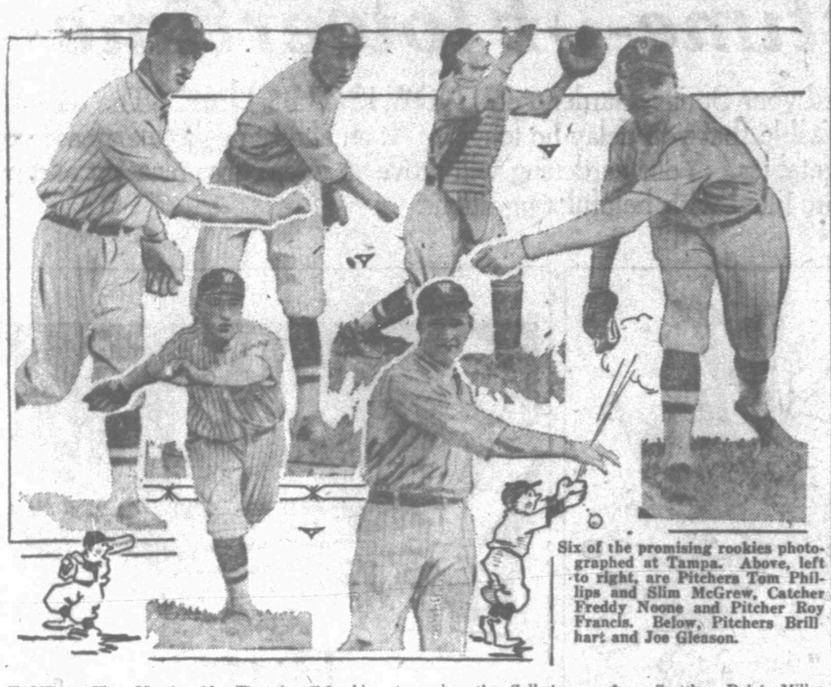
By Associated Press.

CHICKASHA, Okla., Mar. 11.—Chickasha won the first round in its suit to prevent transfer of the Chickasha Western Baseball association franchise to Joplin or any other town in the circuit, when Judge A. S. Wells, in district court today ruled the court had jurisdiction in the case.

Hearing on other points in the case will begin Monday.

Attorneys for the western association had attacked the jurisdiction of the court.

GREAT BUNCH OF ROOKIE HURLERS IN NATIONAL CAMP PLEASING TO GRIFFITH



Six of the promising rookies photographed at Tampa. Above, left to right, are Pitchers Tom Phillips and Slim McGrew, Catcher Freddy Noone and Pitcher Roy Francis. Below, Pitchers Brillhart and Joe Gleason.

TAMPA, Fla., March 11.—The likeliest looking bunch of youngsters that Clark Griffith ever has looked over at the spring training camp is now cavorting under the eye of the Old Fox and Manager Milan here. And the prospects are that out of the group of young men at least one will become a regular and a sensation. That gent is Goslin, a southpaw outfielder from the Sally league.

Some of the experts here have it doped out that Goslin will be one of the regular outfielding trio and prove one of the most talked of youngsters of the 1922 drive. Goslin comes from the Columbia team in the Sally league.

Freddie Noone, a nineteen-year-old catcher, is another lad drawing attention. He has a beautiful whip, a sure mitt and seems to have the necessary speed in grasping the situation in critical moments.

J. B. Brillhart, a southpaw hurler, isn't expected to stick with the club this year, being in need of more seasoning. But Griffith sees in him a comer and will hold a string on the eighteen-year-old lad when he farms him out.

Ray Francis another southpaw, comes from Seattle. Ralph Miller, a brother of the better known "Bing" Miller, comes from Bloomington in the Three-Eye league. He's a southpaw.

Walter "Slim" McGraw, a northsider, has come up from Galveston with a great rep and six feet six inches in height. Tom Phillips, twice tried out by the Indians, is believed to be ripe now after another season with New Orleans in the Southern association.

Joe Gleason, a right-hander, and Frank Woodward are two other good looking hopefuls.

Jock Hitchison Breaks Georgia Course Record

MACON, Ga., Mar. 11.—Jock Hutchison, British open golf champion, broke the record of 71 on the Idle Hour club course today, making the eighteen holes in 69, Hutchison and Jim Barnes, American open golf champion, won their match of 36 holes from Bobbie Jones of Atlanta, and Jack Oke, former Canadian champion, by eleven up.

SPEAKER TAKES ON HURLER NUMBER 19

CLEVELAND, Mar. 11.—Manager Tris Speaker of the Cleveland Americans has added another collegian pitcher to his staff in the person of Bob Bisonette, a left hander, according to advices from the Dallas, Texas, training camp. Bisonette made a good showing when at New Hampshire college and later at Georgetown university. He is the 19th pitcher on the Indians' staff.

RECOVER PART OF EQUIPMENT OF MEAT MARKET

Part of the meat market equipment said by officers to have belonged to a market at 605 Scott street formerly owned by Ed Waggoner, deceased, was recovered by police officers Saturday evening at 1208 Nineteenth street. In connection with the recovery of the equipment, Tom Jones, said by officers to live at the house, was arrested by the officers and was being held at the city jail Saturday night.

The disappearance of the equipment from the market was discovered several weeks after Mr. Waggoner's death. Officers since that time have been investigating the case but it was not until Saturday that any of the equipment was recovered. The officers recovered a meat cutter, meat saws, paper holder and other valuable equipment.

According to officers, Jones is alleged to have said that he secured the equipment from Mr. Waggoner previous to his death in a business transaction between the two. Officers Miller, Shook and Belcher of the police force took part in the investigation.

40 pound, all mattresses, $5.00; all staple cotton, good picking, $11.00. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana Ave. Phone 2930.

Battle Notes

Hammond, the big youngster playing second for the Cleveland yanigans, looks like a real ball player. Scribe Tenney, of the Cleveland Press, told me he expected Hammond to stick, and on his showing yesterday here I'd be inclined to agree with the Cleveland writer. Hammond not only is a neat fielder with a good pair of hands and a powerful arm, but he also shakes a mean wagon tongue.

Benedict, third sacker, is another nifty fielder with one of the finest throwing arms I've seen in years; has a dynamic snap throw that carries the ball on a line from third to first with apparent effort—but the young collegian has a mighty bad habit of pulling away from the ball at the plate.

Yuna was with the Des Moines culb of the Western league last year, and is a fast fielder and a dangerous batter—if he gets 'em up around his neck. Keep 'em low on that bird, gang, or he'll bust one out of the lot today, mebbe.

No kicking over Lee Magee's umpiring. Lee missed a few balls and strikes on both sides, but altogether there have been Texas league umps who called 'em worse not so many months back.

There's one thing pretty about this Sorey's playing; he gets the ball before the ball gets him, gets it out in front. If he lands an infield job with the Spudders this season, I'll wager the hard ones he knocks down won't roll many feet away from him.

Reckon "Lefty" Carmen will open on the hill against the Indians today, with every rookie on the hurling staff ready to send in if it becomes necessary.

To Organize New Posts of Sons Veterans

Organization of the "Rotary Knot Hole Gang" the members of which will be admitted to week-day league games during the 1922 baseball season, will start next Friday night at 7:30.

At that time, all boys under 16 years of age are called to meet at Scout headquarters to obtain their application blanks and have the purposes of the "gang" explained to them. The gang will have its own officers and discipline committee under the general supervision of the Rotary club.

A grandstand for the special use of the gang has just been completed at the baseball park, being constructed with funds provided by the Rotary club. To it will be admitted all boys who have not attained their 16th birthday by April of this year, who will sign a pledge to obey certain simple rules of clean living.

The name of the organization is derived from the fact that the Rotarians built the grandstand to provide for boys who, ordinarily, must look through knot holes in order to see the games. In return for admitting the boys free on week-days, the baseball association gets the use of the grandstand on Sundays.

A similar plan is followed in Houston, though it is not under Rotary auspices there. The movement for the local organization was started by B. F. Johnson.

The successful service of the City National Bank of Commerce is based upon the policy that whatever helps the depositor helps the bank. It is a policy which has proved sound from a business as well as an ethical standpoint.—Adv.

If Doc Landon Hadda Had His Specs, Mebbe He Wooda Did Better

But They Is Only a Few Marksmen Which Understands How to Whoof Clay Pigeons from Behind a Hitching Rack and Hunter Dempsey and Al Deatherage Is Them.

By C. F. C.

Well, I was out to the ball park the other day telling Walter Salm which rookies he should keep and which he should turn loose, me knowing more about stuff like that perhaps than what he does and anyways Walter listens to everything I says and grunts now and then meaning I am right and he is wrong or words to that effect, and so after a while the practice is all over and I goes out back of center field fence to see what kinda dirty work "Al" Deatherage and Jack Nabb is up to at them Gun club traps and so here is where I am going to tell what I seen and done.

When I come up Hunter Dempsey and Jack Nabb and Jay Dillard and Lee Magee and Paul Adams is a whoofin' them clay pigeons something scandalous and so seeing as how perhaps you have never seen how they whoof clay pigeons I will explain; which you take a gun and a box of shells and you go stand in line at a rail like the five of you was horses at a hitchin' rack and behind you is a feller which is standing at along lever and in front of you is a cellar door like you used to slide down when you was a kid and you point your gun at the top of the cellar door and as soon as you have stopped trembling you say in a weak voice, "Pull"—and the feller behind you pulls the lever and a imitation quail shaped like one of them deep coffee saucers that your grandfather and mine used to drink out of comes a-kitin' out from behind the cellar door and tries to beat it to the Red river in one flight. Well, this imitation bird which is made out of black clay, sometimes he is made to fly out straight and sometimes to the right and sometimes to the left and sometimes high and sometimes low, but anyways, always damn fast and so if you are a marksman like what I am you put the muzzle on him and shut both eyes and say the Lord's prayer and pull the trigger—and like as not you are a lucky stiff and whoof him, and he is a dead bird what I mean and they ain't not even his clay tail feathers left to send home to his relatives in the Bridgeport, Conn., factory.

Al Gives Gun Away.

So after I had stood around a while so as to not be gun shy and to get what us shooters call steady to point and steady to fire or something like that "Al" Deatherage comes over and sticks a gun in my hands and says "Nick, you have gotta shoot in the next squad," and so Doc Landon give me the loud horse laugh, and says "I will pay for all his shells if he dast to shoot," and so I am not going to be stumped by no guy what I have seen associating in Bowie with John Hale the Alabama Kid, and I sneers right back at Doc, me saying, "Huh, if I don't kill more of them birds than what you does I will not even keep this gun which Al has just give me," which I must say makes Al Deatherage look a little green around the gills.

So I puts a shell in the gun and snaps the breech-clout shut and tries the trigger and the fool gun blows off right in my hands and by Godfrey I was ready to quit right there! This Deatherage has give me the newest kind of gun which they was not shooting when I was a boy in the Maine woods, which this gun he give me cocks its own trigger, but anyways, he shows me how to get onto this wrinkle of it although he don't let me knock off them little ivory pool balls which he says is the sights, but which every time I look down the barrel I wants to play the 15-ball across corner.

And so finally I takes my place with Doc and the rest of the gang at the hitchin' rack and I says "pull" and out comes a bird and I cracks down on 'er and I guess Doc must have pulled a joke on me and given me blank cartridges because the clay quail didn't whoof a dam bit and this goes on for some time and anyways Doc Landon he ain't doing no better, him laffing at me so's he can't shoot for sour apples and finally I gets mad and begins to whoof 'em and Doc he begins to whoof 'em and we whoof 'em back and forth until all our shells is gone and the official scorer he figures up the times at bat and the base hits and tells everybody what their batting average is and you could knocked me over with a quail's pin feather when the score shows as how I busts 9 out of 25 and Doc Landon he don't bust but only 7—and I guess that guy will not pick me for a sucker no more because if I do say it myself, I am a natural crapshooter or trapshooter which I meant to say, only my tongue slipped.

Big Future Promised.

And I am going out there again some day maybe when Doc Landon has got his glasses with him so's I won't be taking no unfair advantage and you will be hearing next season how I beat Bill Herr, of Guthrie, Oklahoma, with 99x100 in a special exhibition match for a side purse of 500 smackers maybe.

Here is the box score which was give me:

"Hunter Dempsey wins the club prize, also leg on the quarterly prize by smashing 45 out of his possible fifty targets. High northwesterly wind kept the scores down but did not deter the enthusiasm of the big crowd that came out to see the nimrods shoot their dippy-dappy clays. Almost three squads faced the traps as the following scores indicate.

50 SINGLES

Hunter, Dempsey	45
A. G. Deatherage	41
R. W. Ramming	39
Nabb, J. L.	36
Rhodes, Roy	31
Dillard, Jar	30
Paul Adams	31
Kimmel	30
E. P. Bowen	28
Morrow	26
Doc Landon	26
Nick Carter	27

24 DOUBLES

Adams	16
Deatherage	15
Dempsey	11
Ramming	10

"Next week a special prize for the lady members will be given by the club. Three of the best shots in the city have indicated their intention of competing if the weather will permit of their participation in the event. Everybody was pleased with the outline of the club program for the year, and it is expected that some warm contests will be staged before the first quarter has passed. From all indications there will be some mighty good shooters among the new members."

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RECORD NEWS SPORTS

FREE TRIAL FOR FOOTBALL GOAL IS ELIMINATED

Team Scoring Touchdown to Be Given Opportunity to Score From Behind Five-Yard Line.

Drastic Change in Scoring Rules Heartily Commended by Majority of University Coaches.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Abolition of the free trial for goal after touchdown, substitution therefor of a play from line of scrimmage on or back of the five-yard line of a defending eleven and clarifying changes in the rules regarding shift plays, clipping from behind, and substitutions were announced today by the intercollegiate football rules committee.

The action of the committee in abolishing the trial for goal after touchdown, the most radical step taken since the introduction of the forward pass in 1906, had been recommended by the association of football coaches of America, following its meeting here last December.

The revision had been demanded by a majority of football experts for years, and since the abolition two years ago of the punt-out, many of the leading coaches took up the campaign for abandonment of the play. They declared that it was useless as it stood and harmful to the game. It was understood that W. W. Roper, Princeton coach, suggested the play for the point from a line of scrimmage.

In regard to the change in the shift ruling, the opinion of some football men was that it would tend to put a damper on the playing style of some of the leading western college elevens, especially that of Notre Dame, whose weird shifts have puzzled opposing elevens for several years.

The initial kick-off regulation was altered so that if the side winning the toss selects the goal, the other team having the choice of either kicking or receiving. Heretofore when one captain elected to defend a goal the other side was obliged to kick-off.

The darkness rule was altered to allow the referee, with the consent of both captains, to decide between halves to shorten the fourth period or both periods in the second half. Heretofore, a shortening of the time previously agreed upon could be made only before the game began.

Rules governing substitutions were changed so that a player can not return to the field in the same half in which he is removed. It is not necessary that he should return at the beginning of a period.

The "one man in motion" regulation was rewritten so that any player leaving the scrimmage line before play begins, must be at least five yards behind the line when the ball is snapped.

Among the rulings approved by the committee was one that officials should whistle as soon as convinced that the ball had crossed the goal line, or, in the case of forward passes when the pass is completed behind the line.

The committee decided to have interpretations committee printed September 1 each year, and that thereafter interpretations for officials would be made only upon request, their formal approval or rejection to be made later at the annual meeting of the rules committee.

No action was taken on the proposal to make the numbering of players mandatory.

The personnel of the rules committee was not changed. E. K. Hall was re-elected chairman and Walter Camp secretary and rules editor.

ST. LOUIS, March 11.—Abolishment of the free goal was commended by George L. Rider, coach at Washington university and Steve O'Rourke coach at St. Louis university.

"I consider the action of the football rules committee an improvement," Mr. Rider stated. "Often a team which played a far better game throughout, lost at the minute by the kick. This is done away with now. I always opposed the kick."

"In my opinion, it is a much needed," O'Rourke commented. "A new field scoring is opened up. Now a coach can get his head working and have his men score the point in a number of ways, instead of just one way."

LOS ANGELES, March 11.—Claude (Tiny) Thornhill, former assistant line coach of Centre college, and at present assistant coach of Stanford university, commented favorably upon the change in football rules eliminating the free trial for a goal after touchdown.

MADISON, Wis., March 11.—The new play following a touchdown in football games devised to give the attacking team an opportunity to score through any kind of legal play from or behind the five yard line, is favored by Coach T. E. Jones, director of athletics at the University of Wisconsin.

IOWA CITY, Iowa, March 11.—Director of Athletics Howard Jones and Football Coach Ashmore of the State University of Iowa here are of the opinion that the abolishment of the free trial for a goal after a touchdown and its substitute rule is a good thing.

ANN ARBOR, Mich. March 11.—Coach Fielding H. Yost of the University of Michigan, one of the most widely known leaders in the gridiron sport in the country, today declared his opinion that the change in football rules eliminating the free trial for goal after touchdown "would be of no benefit to the game."

MINNEAPOLIS, March 11.—Fred Luhering, athletic director of the University of Minnesota, when advised of the new football rules governing the try for the additional point after touchdown, declared the rules committee is to be congratulated.

AUSTIN, Mar. 11.—The new rule abolishing kicking goal after touchdown is an improvement of football in general but it will cause more tie games, Berry Whitaker, head football coach of the University of Texas, said today. "The rule is an improvement in that it makes for better teamwork and less on the ability and skill of an individual player," he said.

THE WINDMILL



By ROBERT L. RIPLEY.

This is the fighting face of Harry Greb, the Pittsburgh Windmill, who meets Tom Gibbons on Monday night in the most important bout held in this country since the famous "battle of a century," last July.

Greb and Gibbons are billed to battle fifteen rounds to a decision in New York. It should be good.

Usually when this fellow Greb fights, it is good. Greb makes them fight!

Greb fights fast, furiously, and often. He has fought more than three hundred contests in nine years! He averages a bout a week. And as a result training is eliminated as unnecessary. In the ring Greb resembles a windmill. He starts swinging from the gong and keeps everlastingly at it until the finish. He is ceaseless and tireless. He is a perfect hail-storm of gloves—raining them in from all directions.

This tremendously aggressive attack makes him a hard man to combat. Greb's record is very good. He has only lost one battle officially—and that happened the year he began the game.

He holds decisions over Kid Norfolk, Jeff Smith, Charlie Weinert, Billie Shade, Bartley Madden and others, and has whaled the life out of Bill Brennan several times and had the better of Tom Gibbons in their last battle. He forced Johnny Wilson to be suspended in nineteen states, Canada, and Australia rather than go through with a match with him.

Greb weighs a few pounds over the 160 mark and says that he can make the middleweight limit at any time.

The winner of the coming match between Greb and Gibbons in famous old Madison Square Garden may be matched with Dempsey.

RAILROADERS HOPE TO KNOCK 'EM DEAD IN CITY BALL LOOP

Look what that gosh-durn enthusiast, Roy E. Carter, brought in to the "spo'ht ed'tor" for publication. Roy is absolutely convinced that the Railroaders are going to tear through that there City league like gas through a leaky piston ring. Read 'er:

"If you can spare us the space, you might state in tomorrow's paper that the railroad employes held an enthusiastic baseball meeting last Wednesday evening and elected the following officers: M. H. McClure, manager; W. D. Kennedy, captain; A. D. Dodge, secretary.

"Your humble servant was elected sporting editor and official scorer. We have about 25 men to pick from and every position is going to be fought for. Personally I don't see how any team in the City league can beat the one we will have and IF there is such a team they will have to show us."

TOM MARTIN IS GRANTED BOND

Tom Martin, arrested a week ago by officers upon the complaint of a fifteen-year-old girl resident of the city was held under $1,500 bond Saturday by Justice of the Peace Gwinn on a charge of assault with intent to commit a statutory offense.

The girl and her mother were both witnesses for the state in the preliminary hearing. The girl testified as to the alleged offense said to have occurred when she, Martin and another couple were taking an automobile ride. Her mother and the other girl verified in part the story told by the girl. The accused did not take the stand. He made the $1,500 bond and was released.

SEALE RETURNED HERE BY OFFICER

E. E. Seale indicted by the recent session of the grand jury on five indictments charging forgery and swindling was returned here Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Bradford from Shreveport, La., where he was arrested by officers of that city. His bond was fixed at $1000 on each indictment. He was being held at the county jail Saturday night having failed as yet to perfect bond.

It is charged in the indictments that Seale forged names to checks. A Burkburnett bank is said to have cashed the checks.

LO-CAMBELL QUINTET WINS A. A. U. TOURNEY

By Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 11.—The Lowe and Campbell team of Kansas City, won the 1922 national American amateur athletic union basketball championship here tonight by defeating the Kansas City Athletic club five, last year's champions, by a score of 42 to 28.

Third place in the tournament was won by the Southwestern college team of Winfield, Kan., which defeated the Indianapolis "Y" of Indianapolis, Ind., 35 to 22.

South Electra Test Rigging Up to Drill In

The Texas company's No. 213 Waggoner, offsetting the Bridwell and Heydrick No. 8 Waggoner, in the South Electra field, is rigging up a star to drill in, according to Saturday reports from the field. The well is on the 1600-foot sand, from which the No. 212, completed a few weeks ago, is producing. Nos. 214 and 215 are drilling.

CAPITAL SCRIBES PRESENT HUGHES WITH GOLD SHEARS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Washington newspaper correspondents presented to Secretary Hughes at the state department today a pair of gold desk shears in token of their appreciation for his "kindly assistance to them in their work" since assuming office. The gift was said to be the first ever given a cabinet officer during his encumbency by newspaper men.

The gift was appropriately engraved and was presented on behalf of the correspondent, by Matthew F. Tighe, who has been "covering" the state department for more than 40 years.

In his reply, Secretary Hughes took occasion to remind the correspondents the difficulty public officials experienced in maintaining the proper contact with public opinion. "It is not always easy to decide what should be done," he said, adding it had to be realized that the government was not "trying to put something over" when it was found necessary to refuse information on subjects prominently in the public eye.

Bet He'll Find Her Tongue Wasn't Extracted

Mrs. John Boyatt has just had her teeth extracted, and folks, she's a sight. We don't say anything to her teeth any more.—Comargo (Ky.) Cor. McCreary County (Ky.) Record.

GEO. KERRIGAN WINS FLORIDA OPEN TOURNEY

Pat Doyle Is Runner-Up With Gene Sarazen and Cyril Walker Tied for Third Place Honors.

By Associated Press.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 11.—George Kerrigan, Saransworth, N. J., won the Florida open golf title at the Florida Country club here today, with a total score of 297. Pat Doyle of St. Louis with 298 was runner up, while Gene Sarazen, Pittsburgh, southern open title holder, and Cyril Walker, Englewood, N. J., with 299, were tied for third honors.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 11.—George Kerrigan, Saransworth, N. J., led the field at the end of the third round today in the Florida open golf championship tournament here, turning in a card of 73 for the morning round, for a total of 221.

Pat Doyle of St. Louis, Cyril Walker of Englewood, N. J., and Gene Sarazen, Pittsburgh, turned in the next lowest cards of 223 each. Walter Hagen, Detroit, professional titleholder, went around in 71, one below par, for a cumulative card of 225.

Other cards for the morning round: Charles Hoffner, Philadelphia 73-225; Mike Brady, Detroit, 79-228; Pat O'Hara, Staten Island, 73-231; Bob MacDonald, Chicago, 75-231; Freddie McLeod, Washington 80-234.

Ousley Will Speak Here Tuesday Noon

Another senatorial candidate will be a visitor to Wichita Falls this week and will be the principal speaker at the University club luncheon Tuesday. Hon. Clarence Ousley of Fort Worth, college friend of Judge C. L. Bass, will be introduced to the University club members and the public on this occasion.

Announcement of a definite program was made Saturday. Mr. Ousley will arrive in the city Tuesday morning and will be met at the union station by the following committee: Judge C. L. Bass, chairman; Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, Norris Ewing and Bruce Greenwood. After breakfast at the Kemp the visitor will be shown around the city by Judge Bass and other friends.

At the luncheon, President Ewing will preside and introduce as the chairman Judge Bass who will, in turn, introduce the guest of honor and principal speaker.

After luncheon, Mr. Ousley will be at home to his followers and friends for an hour or more on the mezzanine floor of the Kemp hotel and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to renew all acquaintances or form the acquaintance of the senatorial candidate.

Later in the afternoon, Judge Bass and the committee will accompany Mr. Ousley on an automobile drive and the party will motor to places of interest that may appeal to the visitor.

President Ewing of the University club says that on this occasion it will be open house and requests all who wish to attend the luncheon to phone Manager Foerster for reservations. Tickets of admission and luncheon will be 75 cents.

Asks Damages As Result of Former Suit

Damages totaling over $15,000 are sought in a suit filed Saturday in the 50th district court by S. & R. Varner against T. J. Cole, John R. Webb, W. M. Bonner and W. H. Sanford. The latter two are local attorneys.

The suit grows out of litigation in which the defendant Cole was suing the plaintiff Varner for an alleged debt. According to the plaintiff's petition the defendant Cole through his attorneys wrongfully represented to the judge of the 50th district court that he had been properly served with citation papers in connection with the original suit and he having failed to answer their petition, was given a judgment by default.

Previous to the default judgment being secured the petition alleges, that the defendant took over a rotary rig and other drilling equipment belonging to him through a writ of attachment. Following the default judgment the petition relates that the property was sold to Cole at a sheriff's sale for a consideration of $2100 although the property was worth in excess of $10,000.

According to the plaintiff's petition the citation papers were not served on him and the defendants took the default judgment knowing this as was evident from the sheriff's return on the citation. The damages asked are based on the loss of the rig, the price at which it was sold and other actual and exemplary damages.

Judge P. A. Martin granted an injunction to the plaintiff restraining the defendants from selling other property in satisfaction of the judgment which they obtained against him.

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City League Schedule for 1922

	Texhoma	Banks	Gulf	Presby	Railroads	Texas Co.
Texhoma	HOME	Apr 15 H May 20 V June 24	Apr 22 V May 27 H July 1	Apr 8 V May 13 H June 17	Apr 29 H June 3 V July 8	May 6 H June 10 V July 15
Banks	Apr. 15V May 20 H June 24	SPORTS	Apr 29 H June 3 V July 8	May 6 V June 10 H July 15	Apr 8 H May 13 V June 17	Apr 22 H May 27 V July 1
Gulf	Apr 22 H May 27 V July 1	Apr 29 V June 3 H July 8	ALWAYS	Apr 15 H May 20 V June 24	May 6 H June 10 V July 15	Apr 8 V May 13 H June 17
Presby	Apr 8 H May 13 V June 17	May 6 H June 10 V July 15	Apr 15 V May 20 H June 24	IN THE	Apr 22 H May 27 V July 1	Apr 29 V June 3 H July 8
Railroads	Apr 29 V June 3 H July 8	Apr 8 V May 13 H June 17	May 6 V June 10 H July 15	Apr 22 V May 27 H July 1	RECORD	Apr 15 H May 20 V June 24
Texas Co.	May 6 V June 10 H July 15	Apr 22 V May 27 H July 1	Apr 8 H May 13 V June 17	Apr 29 H June 3 V July 8	Apr 15 V May 20 H June 24	NEWS

See the letter "H" and the letter "V" scattered here and there in the City league schedule above? All right; the "H" stands for home team and the "V" for visitors—for example, the Texhomas open the season April 8 as guests of the Presbyterians, while on May 13, the Texhoma nine will be "at home" to the Presbyterians. The location of the third game in each instance will be decided by flipping a coin at the start of the second game.

At a recent meeting of last season's managers, George A. Mobley was re-elected president of the City Baseball league for 1922, and George immediately got busy and put a few wise ideas into execution. The league, unwieldly and difficult to handle last season, will be limited this year to six teams, the Texhomas, Banks, Gulf, Presbyterians, railroads and Texas company. A four months' season will be played, with all games on Saturdays and with doubleheaders the week following postponed games.

The league will hire a paid secretary this summer to keep all records up to the minute, to supervise the work of the umpires and to handle all the routine work. Umpires will be paid for their services also, and will be selected by the president only.

Every team in the loop will be required to furnish its own "park," while the league already has secured Athletic park from the baseball association for May 6 and 7, and June 24 and 25, on which dates exhibition games will be played with a small admission charge. The money will apply on the secretary's salary.

The City league has got off on the right foot this year. One of the wisest things done, perhaps, was the limiting of the number of teams to six, through the consolidation of the various bank nines into one team and a similar consolidation of the railroad teams of last season.

This week a meeting will be called, the time and place to be announced later, of the managers of the Twilight league, to determine on that organization's plans for 1922. The Twilight league went through with its entire schedule last summer, six strong teams being in the loop, and it is expected the "Sundowners" will have another successful year.

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GAMES OF '42 MADE SPIRITED BY CLUBWOMEN

"Conquering the Jungles of Africa," Uppermost in the Minds of Seymour Missionary Society.

Smoker Given by American Legion Post; Program of Unity Club; Death of a Pioneer; Personal Mention

HENRIETTA, Texas, March 11.—Mrs. W. H. Meyers was the gracious hostess to the "Wednesday Afternoon club" on the 8th. Thirteen games of "42" were played, after which delightful refreshments, consisting of charlotte russe, angel food cake and salted nuts were served to the following members and guests of the club. Mesdames H. A. Allen, H. Boody, J. C. Chesnutt, Cyrus Coleman, J. O. Gilliland, W. K. Millsapp, A. J. Oheim, Roy Snearley, L. Thaxton, A. L. Thompson, C. F. Walker, Less Bramer, R. J. Brown, O. T. Liles, Joseph Edwards, Carl Barker, St. Anthony Meyers, J. E. Dale, E. C. Carter, J. S. Dickey and Alvis Fuller.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Christian church met Monday afternoon. The subject was "Conquering the Jungles of Africa." The Bible study was conducted by Mrs. Carl Olsen and an interesting talk was given by Mrs. E. F. Weaver. Plans were perfected for observing the pre-Easter week of prayer and the thank offering boxes were distributed.

The members of the Orrin S. Carlin post of the American Legion gave a smoker Monday evening in their new club rooms. Seventy-five legionaires were present. Delightful refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cakes and coffee were served.

The funeral of Miss Isabel Glasgow, daughter of Mrs. E. A. Glasgow, was held from the residence Friday afternoon.

The "Unity club" met Monday with Mrs. C. M. Worsham as leader. The subject was Joseph Conrad's "The Nigger of the Narcissus." Papers were read by Mrs. S. B. Holly and Mrs. Roy Snearley on the following subjects: "Conrad's Study of the Mind and Emotions" and "The Pleasure and Profit to be Derived a Novel of Emagination." At a business meeting preceding the program the club voted to accept the offer of the State Federation to give an art exhibit. The pictures are furnished by the State Federation and will be on display at the club rooms all of this week. A lecture on art will be given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Douglas to the members of the club and a few invited guests.

The funeral of Mr. J. H. Slack, whose death occurred Monday, was held at the home Wednesday afternoon. The Odd Fellows had charge of the services. Mr. Slack was 83 years of age and had lived for many years in Henrietta. He left a wife, five daughters and two sons to mourn for him.

Rev. Guy Jones, accompanied by twenty other local Masons, went to Bellevue Tuesday evening to be the guests of the lodge there. Rev. Jones delivered an address on Masonry.

Personal and Minor Mention.

Kirk Edwards left Thursday for points in Mexico.

Herbert Caldwell, recently home from a naval hospital, situated at Mare Island, has received an honorable discharge and left Tuesday for Chicago to enter a vocational training school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McKiearnan left Sunday for their home in Fort Worth after a several weeks visit with their brother, J. J. Roberson.

Mrs. J. W. Marberry and Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Allison spent Wednesday in Wichita Falls.

The Parent-Teachers' association is planning a style show to be given by local talent Thursday evening. The merchants will furnish the costumes.

Mrs. J. E. Dale shopped in Wichita Falls Friday.

T. G. Abraham left Saturday for Graham to accept a position as salesmanager for the Texas Oil company there.

Mrs. Mike Kohlman and small son who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hamm, left Friday for their home at Mineral Wells.

Mrs. L. C. Kelley, accompanied her father, A. Snearley, to Wichita Falls Monday where he will undergo medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Morris returned Monday from spending the week-end with Mrs. Morris' parents at Chillicothe.

Mrs. Will Ellis and children of Wichita Falls came Wednesday to visit her brother, J. J. Roberson, and family.

B. P. Schwend looked after business in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graves of Byers are visiting, Mrs. Lilly Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Younger moved Thursday to the house recently occupied by Mr. Clarence Gentry.

Miss Kathryn Hall and Mrs. T. H. Morris spent Thursday in Wichita Falls.

Miss Maggie Reynolds left Wednesday for her home at Gladewater after a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. D. Green.

Rex. Kemper of Byers is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Lilly Graves.

Mr. Joseph Edwards has gone to New Orleans to look after business.

Miss Lois Wantland returned Monday from Waxahachie where she was called on account of the illness of her nephew, Jenks Smith.

W. F. Suddath was in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dale are visiting in Dallas.

Miss Edna Berner of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with her mother here.

Raymond Jasper came home from Quanah Wednesday.

Mrs. R. J. Brown shopped in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Zoe Smith returned from Waxahachie Tuesday where she had been called on account of the illness of her son, Jenks, who is attending college there—Jenks was able to accompany her home.

The movie players have joined to make a "self-defense film" on the subject of real life in Hollywood. The first half of the film will show movie life as gossip has represented it, and the last half will present it "as it really is." If movie life is what the ones on the inside say it is, perhaps the last half should be shown first, to keep the audience from walking out.

Wholesale hangings never stopped murders, but they might bring considerable relief from a wave of murder confessions.

Studio Players Announce Cast For Two Forthcoming Playlets

Announcement of the cast of both "Belinda," and "Will O' the Wisp," the Studio Players' next vehicles for public presentation, was made on Saturday. These plays will be given on Friday, March 31, at the Palace theater.

In "Will O' the Wisp," Mary Colquitt takes the part of The Stray; Sheilagh Cavanaugh, the Countrywoman, Berenice Martin, Jen; Bruce Dickson, the Poet's Wife and Elizabeth Carrigan, Nora.

Mrs. Nat L. Inge takes the title role in "Belinda," and Kathleen Lynch is her daughter, Delia; Temple Shell is Mr. Devenish. Charles Angle is Mr. Baxter and Harold White, Mr. Tremayne; Ella Merle Mathis, takes the part of Betty.

For several of these this will be the first appearance as Studio Players, though all are known as interested in things dramatic. "Belinda" is the most pretentious production the Studio Players have yet given, in point of size, and the other, while shorter, is conceded by critics throughout the United States to be one of the most effective and if properly presented, highly artistic, bits of drama brought out by the Little Theater movement.

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Mr. Parrish's Twenty Three Platform Points for the People

FORT WORTH, Texas, March 11.—Hon. Lucian W. Parrish of Henrietta, candidate for the United States senate, devoted the week to pushing his interests in the Panhandle and Plains sections where he addressed large audiences and county organizations were effected by Democrats who were supporting his cause. His formal announcement or platform was given to the representatives of the press today. It follows:

In announcing for the United States Senate I fully appreciate the responsibilities that go with that great office, and if honored by election, I pledge the very best service of my life in the faithful discharge of the duties of the position. I have been a Democrat all my life and believe the principles of Democracy furnish the foundation rock upon which a government most responsive to the needs of all the people may be perpetuated. I appreciate the fact that the next few years will be fraught with weighty problems of reconstruction, the successful solution of which will contribute most helpfully to the relief of the country from the financial depression now gripping it. While the vision of no man can penetrate the future, neither can we now anticipate all the problems which will demand solution at the hands of the representatives of the people in the near future, yet there are a few which can be foreseen, and I fully and frankly give my views on such issues, at the same time reserving unto myself the right to meet and discuss other issues as they may arise.

First—The problems of reconstruction, both economic and political, are world-wide in their character and, by reason of the recent World's War, the financial affairs of America have become directly interrelated with that of the other nations of Europe, and I believe that in constructive cooperation lies the solution of the fiscal and financial problems now facing the world and is most vital to the prosperity of our people.

Second—The immediate stabilization of money values in the exchange markets of the world is essential to America's foreign trade, and I favor such action on the part of this government as will in co-operation with the other nations, remedy these conditions so vital to American trade and industry, and that will remove all barriers to our foreign trade, to the end that the products of the farm and factory may be freely sold in the open markets of the world. There is no more important problem before the American people today.

Third—I favor the passage of such legislation as will vouchsafe to the producer of the nation the right of collective bargaining and of co-operative marketing of the products of the farm and ranch.

Fourth—I believe in the rigid enforcement of all criminal statutes to the end that profiteering, especially in the sale of the necessities of life, may be stopped and the guilty punished, and I also favor such further legislation as may be found necessary to prohibit the collection of excessive profits in the sale of the vital necessities of life.

Fifth—I strongly urge the creation of a system of intermediate credits, running for one, two and three years, in order that the farmers and stockmen may obtain loans at a fair rate for a sufficient time to enable them to prepare the products of the farm and ranch for suitable markets, and to sell such products when ready and not before.

Sixth—The War Finance Corporation is a temporary measure only, and as soon as possible it should be replaced by permanent legislation, which will provide a system of credits necessary for the efficient development of the life of the nation, including all business or industries vital and essential to the prosperity of our people.

Seventh—The demands of taxation for the support of the Federal Government now lays its burden on almost every home and business in the United States, and I favor the most rigid economy in all governmental expenditures, a sweeping reduction of the present number of Government employes, the elimination of a large number of Government bureaus now in Washington, and the strictest supervision of all public expenditures.

Eighth—Real economy in governmental expenditures can only be accomplished by the elimination of a large per cent of the war budgets, and I, therefore, strongly favor the League of Nations or an Association of Nations that will settle international disputes through the channels of arbitration and that will limit and reduce the amount of money now being spent on the army and navy. This is most vital to the happiness and prosperity of the American people.

Ninth—I believe that compulsory military training is contrary to the traditions and policies of the American government, and I am, therefore, opposed to universal military training in times of peace. My record in congress will show that I have voted against every effort that has been made in recent years to force universal military training upon this country.

Tenth—I believe in state rights and denounce the encroachment of the Federal Government upon the powers and rights reserved unto the States as a menace to our dual form of Government. I favor reserving to the States all rights and powers not specifically delegated to the National Government, and insist on the restoration to the state railroad commissions full power and authority over intrastate commerce heretofore recently exercised by the several state commissions.

Eleventh—I believe in the highest development of the individual initiative of our citizens and that the Government should not undertake any business or industry that can be effectively handled by the individual with due regard to the rights of the public. I am opposed to Government ownership of railroads, and favor private ownership and control of our transportation facilities under Government supervision. To save the business of the country from irreparable injuries, railroad rates must be speedily readjusted and reduced to the end that freight may be moved and commerce restored to its normal efficiency. The over-shadowing domestic question that will have to be solved in the immediate future is that relating to the problem of transportation, and to the just solution of these problems I pledge my very best efforts.

Twelfth—As an aid to transportation, wherever economic and practical, I favor Federal appropriation for the purpose of deepening the rivers and harbors of the Nation, and the judicious expenditure of money in such enterprises will contribute most substantially to the Nation's progress.

Thirteenth—Labor is entitled to a just compensation, and both capital and labor have the indefeasible rights of collective bargaining, and of speaking through representatives of their own selection, but neither class should at any time take any action that would put in jeopardy the welfare of the people.

Fourteenth—Prohibition and Woman Suffrage have become firmly established as a part of the Constitutional and Statutory law of the land and appear to be settled issues, but in order that my position may be clearly understood, I wish to say that I have from the beginning consistently supported both measures, not only as State issues, but as National issues as well.

Fifteenth—I believe that women should receive equal pay with men in all branches of the Federal service in which women are employed, and that they should have full representation on all commissions dealing with the work and welfare of female employes.

Sixteenth—The protection of the health and welfare of women and children through infancy and maternity is essential to the fullest realization of our national ideals, and I favor co-operation with the States for the protection of child life through infancy and maternity care, and urge the rigid enforcement of all Federal laws prohibiting child labor.

Seventeenth—Good roads are most vital to the prosperity of our people, will serve to reduce transportation cost, bring about closer co-operation between the cities and agricultural sections, improve farm marketing and are invaluable as an aid to national defence in times of war, and I favor the most liberal appropriations in co-operation with the States for the construction and maintenance of good roads and national highways.

Eighteenth—I favor the recognition of the Mexican government just as soon as satisfactory guarantees are made that American life and property will be given full protection, and that the existing government is able to maintain law and order and meet its national obligations.

Nineteenth—Irrigation and drainage are essential to the full development of Texas, and I favor such liberal appropriations as will lend encouragement to this great and important work. The Rio Grande, forming the line between Texas and Mexico, must of course be handed from an international standpoint, but I shall insist that when a treaty of peace and amity is concluded between the United States and Mexico, that there will be contained in it a provision under which irrigation projects, international in character, may be constructed, and that the people owning land in the valley of the Rio Grande will have their rights to its waters preserved and permanently fixed.

Twentieth—The unrestricted admission of radical aliens threatens the very foundation of the American Government, and I favor the passage of the most stringent immigration laws, and until such laws are passed by congress I shall favor the restriction of immigrants to persons of known loyalty to our Government, and to desirable members of divided families, some of whom are already residents of this country.

Twenty-First—I denounce the seating of Truman H. Newberry as a blow at the purity of the American ballot box, and favor the rigid enforcement of laws limiting the use of money in political campaigns.

Twenty-Second—The Nation can never repay the debt of gratitude it owes to the soldiers of the late war for the sacrifices they made in its behalf, and I favor the most liberal support of the wounded, sick and disabled soldiers and their dependents and the dependents of those who died in the service, and I also favor a liberal policy of vocational educational training which will remove as far as possible the handicaps imposed upon them by reason of their injuries, to the end that they may pursue gainful occupations and enjoy the God-given privileges of having a part at least in the development of the Nation's resources. As an act of justice, and not as a gratuity, I favor a suitable adjusted compensation for the ex-service man that will in some measure recompense them for the loss they suffered while in the service above those who remained at home.

Twenty-Third—There are three, and only three, well defined views concerning the tariff, and they are:

(1) Tariff for protection; (2) tariff for revenue only, and (3) unqualified free trade. It is unthinkable that a Democrat would subscribe to the Republican doctrine of tariff for protection, because that iniquitous theory of the tariff would enrich a few at the expense of the great body of the American consumers. Considering the great amount of revenue that will have to be raised to support the Government in the years to come the theory of free trade is wholly impracticable. I, therefore, believe in the Democratic doctrine of a tariff for revenue only, but as long as there is to be a tariff even for revenue levied upon the finished products, then I shall ask and insist that it be an American tariff, which lays its burdens equitably and fairly upon all classes, upon all sections and upon all industries, and not a New England tariff, which seeks to protect the New England manufacturers at the expense of the great body of the American people.

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SEYMOUR, Texas, March 11.—Mrs. E. P. Croft was hostess to the Know Nothing club Friday afternoon. Mrs. C. E. Johnson presided and business was attended to in regular order. A salad plate was served to the following: Mesdames H. R. McDavid, Alva Hill, T. J. Bolger, C. E. Johnson, H. C. Fancher, S. S. Knox, H. C. Lankford, Tom Irby, I. B. Davis, A. Power, C. M. Randall, Clyde Kitts of Hubbard and Misses Grace Porter, Neva Merrick and Lucile Rupe.

The Workers' and Teachers' council of the Baptist church met Tuesday evening with the Junior department acting as host. Cake and hot chocolate was served.

The Missionary society of the Methodist church entertained at the parsonage Wednesday evening with a Hawaiian program, which was very highly appreciated. At the conclusion of the program pineapple pie topped with whipped cream and coffee were served. An admission fee of 25 cents netted the sum of $30.

Miss Moselle Fancher was hostess to the R. B. club Saturday afternoon. A lovely salad plate was served to three tables of bridge players, who were: Misses Ethel Britian, Pauline Knox, Irene Baker, Christine Caldwell, Gurlie Dickson, Florence Britton, Gladys England, Grace Brooks Caldwell, Roberta Snyder, De Ray Bryan, Ida Mae Fox and Mrs. Walter Fox of Haskell.

The Merry Maids' and Matrons' club met with Mrs. E. P. Croft Saturday afternoon for "500." Cherry pie topped with whipped cream was served to Misses Jessie England, Lucy Britton, Anita Weis, Sallie Mae Fancher, Grace Porter, Neva Merrick, Lois Daugherty, Mesdames W. T. McWilliams, W. B. Alexander, H. C. Lankford, D. B. Daugherty, Jr., and the hostess.

The Harmony club met with Mrs. J. C. Henson Tuesday afternoon. "Folk Music" was the lesson subject. Mrs. J. A. Wheat played "Bavarian Folk" dance, which was very much enjoyed. The club will meet March 14th with Mrs. Decker at the home of Mrs. Cockerell.

Personal Items.

Misses Violet Heasley and Emma Harrell spent last week-end in Wichita Falls.

Miss Robbie Joe Lively was home from Haskell for a week-end visit.

Mrs. Harley Portwood returned Sunday from Wichita Falls.

Mrs. I. O. Newton and son, Walton, returned Sunday from Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Walter Fox of Haskell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Blocker. She was accompanied by Miss Ida Mae Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilder Kenan were up from Haskell last week.

C. L. Bray spent the week-end in Munday.

Mrs. J. J. Driver and little son, Billie J., have been here from Benjamin.

Mrs. R. T. Dickson and daughter, Thelma, left Monday to consult a specialist in regard to one of Thelma's eyes which was hit by a hard snowball last week.

Mrs. R. L. Coffee of Vernon is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. R. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace K. Jackson have returned from a visit to Hollis, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Goostree of Kendal, Kansas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Goostree.

News Notes For Masons

Hope Chapter Order of De Molay for Boys, has announced a subscription dance for De Molay members and Master Masons, for next Wednesday night at 8:30 o'clock in the Shrine auditorium at Call Field.

The local chapter was instituted on March 1 and this is the first social affair to be given by the boys. Other social affairs will follow, as the boys are very enthusiastic over the new order, its ritualistic and social work. The chapter has 86 members at present, with boys from the towns of Burkburnett and Electra included in the membership. Another ceremonial will be announced at an early date, at which time it is hoped to have a class of over 100 candidates.

The dance on Wednesday is to be given by Hope Chapter, and is not sponsored either by the advisory board or by Wichita Falls Commandery No. 50.

Music will be furnish by Maiacord's six piece orchestra.

At a meeting of the Maskat Temple baseball club held in the Overland sales rooms Friday evening, A. B. Booth was elected manager. A captain for the team will be picked at a later date. The club agreed upon Tuesdays and Fridays as practice days, and practice will commence on those days promptly at 4:30 p. m., on the grounds to the left of Brook street, near the present golf course.

The club has a membership of about 40 Shriners with 25 present at the meeting held Friday evening. The new uniforms have arrived and were on display at the meeting. The colors of the uniforms are white, trimmed with red, yellow and green, with green caps.

The first game scheduled is with the local high school, and will be played on March 24. The first Shrine Temple in Texas to match a game with the Maskat team is Alzafar Temple of San Antonio. They will appear here during the latter part of May for three game series. The games will be played at Athletic park.

Texas Composer Whose Comic Operetta Will Be Featured Monday



CARL VENTH

WALLACE REID WORKS HARD IN NEWEST PICTURE

Popular Paramount Star Has Most Strenuous Role of His Career in the Play, "World's Champion."

Wallace Reid, popular Paramount star, who has been riding racing cars, touring cars, trucks and all manner of vehicles for more than a year and has otherwise breezed through his pictures on cushions, has at last struck a snag. In "The World's Champion," an adaptation of a recent stage success Mr. Reid has drawn the most strenuous role of his motion picture career. The picture will be shown at the Olympic theater, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The worm turns even in motion pictures and Reid has discarded his dress suit for a pair of fighter's trunas, for he plays the role of William Burroughs, otherwise known as "Gunboat Williams," middleweight champion of America. In the picture Wally has two minor fights and a prize ring battle, to say nothing of a tussle with stevedores and a scrap with steamship officers. Out of it all, however, he emerges a suave attorney-at-law and wins the girl in his customary finished and immaculate style.

"It reminds me of the 'Birth of a Nation' days," said Reid in speaking of the role, "I had to fight in that picture, but nothing like in this one. But I like these hard-fisted parts."

Philip J. Rosen directed the picture which was adapted by J. E. Nash from A. E. Thomas' and Thomas Louden's stage play. Lois Wilson is leading woman and leads a strong supporting cast of players.

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Movie Calendar

Gem.

Monday—Earle Williams in "The Silver Car."

Tuesday—Big special first national production, "The Last of the Mohicans."

Wednesday — Big boy "Quinn" Williams in "Across the Border."

Thursday — William Russell in "The Lady from Longacre."

Friday — Doris May and Bull Montana in "The Foolish Age."

Saturday—William Fairbanks in "Hell's Border."

Olympic.

Monday to Wednesday—Wallace Reid and Lois Wilson in "The World's Champion."

Thursday to Saturday — Will Rogers and Lila Lee in "One Glorious Day," and a Christy comedy.

Empress.

Monday and Tuesday—Constance Talmadge in "Search of a Sinner;" also Charles Chaplin in "A Dog's Life."

Wednesday and Thursday — Pole Negri in "The Red Peacock."

Friday and Saturday — William Desmond in "Fighting Mad."

Miller Calls Conference of Culberson Men

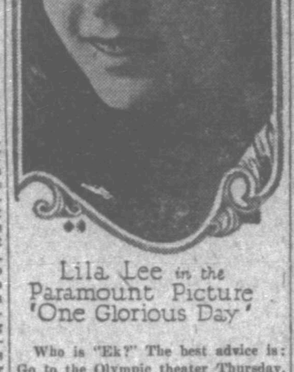
DALLAS, Texas, March 11.—Judge Barry Miller, chairman of Senator Culberson's campaign in Texas, issues a call for the friends and supporters of Senator Culberson, both men and women, to meet with him at Culberson headquarters in Parlor C, Oriental hotel, at eight o'clock Saturday night, March 18th. The purpose of this meeting is to form a Dallas county Culberson club and to make tentative arrangements for other clubs to be formed in different sections of the state, looking to a complete statewide organization. While no formal invitations have been sent to any particular person, yet everyone is cordially invited to attend and participate in this meeting.

SEYMOUR CLEAN-UP DAY WORTHY OF THE WORK

SEYMOUR, Texas, March 11.—Pursuant to a proclamation of Mayor J. A. Britain, March 10 was proclaimed clean-up day in Seymour. All business was suspended for the day, the town divided into sections, the workers in groups under captains, and at an early hour Friday one of the most vigorous and energetic campaigns which has ever been put on in Seymour was waged until a late hour in the afternoon. All weeds and trash were burned and numerous wagons hauled unburnable rubbish to the city dump. Pictures were taken of the squads in the afternoon which will be finished and framed and placed in the archives of the Chamber of Commerce to commemorate the occasion.

'ONE GLORIOUS DAY' IS GREAT FILM COMEDY

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Lila Lee in the Paramount Picture 'One Glorious Day'

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A fantasy, the story concerns a wandering soul looking for an earthly home—an aggressive spirit named Ek. It enters the body of Ezra Botts, an experimenting professor who has caused his own spirit to temporarily absent itself from his body. The new spirit is an aggressive one and causes the body of Ezra to create a panic among his friends. But it brings him happiness and then creeps out and permits the gentle soul of Ezra to return.

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Get a large sixty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest stomach relief known. It acts almost like magic—It is a scientific, harmless and delightful preparation which truly belongs in every home.—Adv.

Minister Goes On Strike When Flock Shrinks

By Associated Press.

ELK RAPIDS, Mich. Mar. 11.—Members of St. Paul's Episcopal church here today were discussing means of breaking "the strike" of their pastor, the Rev. Morton Ross, who has left his congregation with the announcement he would "remain away until the members displayed a greater interest in church work."

Rev. Ross, who also is pastor of the Episcopal church at Traverse City, 18 miles from here, walked over the icy roads from Elk Rapids to Traverse City, because trains were not being operated, due to the recent storm.

Membership in St. Paul's aggregate more than 100 last summer during the resort season, has shrunk to 22, eighteen of whom are women. Preaching to empty pews once a week discouraged the pastor, it was said.

"A Country for a Kipling," says a headline. Richard offered his kingdom for a horse, and didn't seem to be particular at the moment whether his name was Pegasus or not.

It is hard to analyze the processes of the drug addict's mind, and no one seems to know why a man should prefer to confess to a local murder more than a year old in preference to later and more spectacular murders in Los Angeles and New York.

SAYS CALOMEL SALIVATES AND LOOSENS TEETH

The Very Next Dose of This Treacherous Drug May Start Trouble.

You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not salivate.—Adv.

DORIS MAY AND BULL MONTANA PUT ONE OVER

"Foolish Age" at the Gem Friday With "Beauty and the Beast" Is Fast Moving Comedy.

Doris May's first starring vehicle under the R-C pictures banner, "The Foolish Age," is the funniest and fastest moving farce comedy of the year. It is unsurpassable as entertainment, a riot of laughs from start to finish and is the current feature attraction at the Gem theater next Friday.

"The Foolish Age" is a joyful picture and was written and produced with one thought in mind—to give an audience an opportunity to have a really good time and laugh all problems out of their systems.

Hunt Stromberg wrote the story; Bill Seiter, one of the best comedy producers in the country, directed the picture and Miss May's supporting cast includes Hallam Cooley, Otis Harlan, Arthur Hoyt, Lillian Worth, Bull Montana, Billy Elmer and Spike Robinson.

UNAPPRECIATIVE

The Newly-Riches were seated in their handsome drawing room, Mrs. Newly-Riche, at the grand piano, laboriously picking out hymn tunes with one finger.

"Hang it all, missus," said Mr. Newly-Riche, impatiently; "if I buy you a piano that size I expect you to use both fists!"—From the Houston Post.

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MARKET REPORTS

Cotton

NEW YORK, March 11.—Reports of further rains in the eastern belt gave the cotton market a steady tone during today's early trading, but prices sagged off later on the forecast for clearing weather and realising for over the week-end. May contracts declined from 18.18 to 18.03 with market closing easy at a net decline of 4 to 13 points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 3 to 5 points on the weather map showing further gains in the south and over night buying orders. There was some buying here for Liverpool account, but otherwise demand tapered off right after the call and the market turned easier after the publication of the favorable eastern belt forecast. March contracts sold off to 18.32 and July to 17.30 with active months generally showing net losses of 4 to 11 points in the late trading and closing at the lowest. Probably there was some scattered selling on apprehensions that the lookout of British engineers beginning today would have a depressing effect on Liverpool on Monday. The disposition to close out long contracts for over the week-end was also promoted by the failure of week-end reviews to show any improvement in the domestic goods market and uncertainty as to the showing of the census report on supply and distribution due next week. It is apprehended that this will show falling off in domestic mill consumption for February as compared with January, owing to the labor troubles.

Sales of print cloths in the Fall River market for the week were estimated at 100,000 pieces and the curtailment was placed at 125,000. Mill curtailment in New England was said to be increasing and there were continued reports that southern yarn mills were talking curtailment because of poor trade. Except for realizing, however, local brokers reported very little selling and there were reiterated complaints regarding delayed farm work in eastern belt sections. Rumors were circulating that considerable cotton is coming here from the south for delivery in March, but March contracts held relatively steady during the entire morning.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Mar. 11.—The tendency in cotton today was to sag gradually under offerings due to better weather over the belt and to uneasiness over the English labor situation. After making declines of six to seven points around the opening, the market came back and traded 1 to 2 points higher than yesterday's finals on the most active months but a little later it fell off again and finally worked down to levels 9 to 12 points under the close of yesterday. May sold down to 16.70 and closed at 16.74. On the close prices were at net declines of five to 8 points.

The weather map noted no rain in the western and central portions of the belt and while there was rain in the Atlantic states, the weather there was clearing. The forecast called for dry weather in all sections of the belt and was the main influence in the late trading.

Messages by wire to brokers here from Charlotte, N. C., said that spinners in Gaston county had decided upon a drastic cut in their output and this information caused more or less selling, all the more so because of telegrams from spot people in the eastern belt claiming that mills in that section were not showing any interest in the spot market.

COTTONSEED OIL.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Cotton seed oil was featureless with a small even trade. Leading months closed 2 points lower to 5 net higher. Sales 6,100 barrels. Prime crude 10.00, bid; prime summer yellow spot 11.35; May 11.69; July 11.81; September 11.97, all bid.

Metals

NEW YORK, March 11.—The feature in the steel market this week was the advance of $1.50 in plates, bars and shapes by leading independent companies. This has given the whole market a rather steadier appearance while continued buying of structural material and by the railroads gave promise of further expansion in general business. Otherwise, prices are steady with some disposition to anticipate a coal strike.

Pig iron was steady but new business is not as active as expected and in some localities competition is still keen.

In the copper market there has been further improvement. Export trade has shown more activity with British importers more interested, while there has been considerable business for the continent. Buyers for domestic consumption have also shown considerable interest and while the business has not been heavy or general, it has been sufficient to establish the market on a parity with the price views of the larger producers who are taking orders for March and April shipment at the 14c level and asking advances of about an eighth for forward deliveries.

Tin has declined about a cent from the recent high, both prompt and future straits being available at 28 3-4 cents. Large arrivals at New York and easier sterling exchange were chiefly responsible for the reaction.

Lead remains in a firm position due to reduced stocks at the west and a good general demand.

Zinc has ruled steadier with a moderate advance based on a more optomistic feeling because of better reports from the steel industry and reports from abroad of decreasing supplies.

Antimony was steady with less pressure to sell. Demand was somewhat better.

COFFEE.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Earlier week advances were followed by slight reactions in the market for coffee futures here today. The opening was 6 points lower but there was only scattering liquidation for over the week-end and after selling off to 8.96 at the start, December rallied to 9.05. Other months held about steady around the opening figures with the market closing at a net decline of 2 to 6 points. Sales were estimated at about 11,000 bags. Closing quotations: March 8.80; May 8.89; July 8.91; September 8.93; October 8.95; December 9.00.

Spot coffee quiet; Rio 7s 9 3-8 to 9 5-8c; Santos 4s 13 1-4@13 1-2.

Stocks

NEW YORK, March 21.—Stock market sentiment again was decidedly bullish during today's brief trading session, although prices moved uncertainly at the outset as a result of pressure directed against local tractions.

The plan of the Interborough Rapid Transit company to sever relations with its leased lines, caused sharp breaks, partially recovered later.

Motors and their rubber subsidiaries, equipments, independent steels and the copper group were especially strong. Rails and oils lagged by contrast, but made marked improvement before the close. Sales amounted to 500,000 shares.

Reduction of the French bank rate to 5 per cent, the lowest figure since August, 1914, was without favorable influence on foreign exchanges to that country. Paris demand bills falling in sympathy with greater weakness in sterling.

London demand extended its reaction to a fraction under $4.35 and all the leading continentals quotations lost ground. Marks showed great heaviness, presumably on the demand of this country for a share of the reparations money and Austrian, Polish and Czecho-Slovakia, rates continued to decline.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

	Sales in Hundreds	Last Sales
Allied Chemical & Dye	9	58⅜
Amer Beet Sugar	2	40
American Can	21	44½
Amer Car & Foundry	2	155½
Amer H & L pfd	2	68
Amer International Corp	10	44
American Loco	36	110½
Amer Linseed	6	31⅝
Amer S & R	46	50⅜
Amer Sugar	16	72⅜
Amer Sumatra Tobacco	21	30
Amer T & T	35	122¼
Amer Woolen	29	89
Anaconda Copper	40	49⅝
Atchison	23	97
Atlantic Coast Line	3	89½
Atl. G & W. Indies	6	20⅛
Baldwin Locomotive	60	108½
Baltimore & Ohio	10	37⅞
Bethlehem Steel "B"	10	65
Canadian Pacific	12	136
Central Leather	2	35¼
Chandler Motors	38	73⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	14	59⅜
Chi. Mil & St Paul	3	23½
Chi R I & Pac	26	40⅝
Coca Cola	8	44½
Corn Products	21	105¼
Crucible Steel	9	59⅜
Cuba Cane Sugar	24	13⅜
Endicott-Johnson	1	81½
Erie	7	10⅞
Famous Players-Lasky	101	84½
General Asphalt	8	61¼
General Electric	13	156½
General Motors	125	10⅛
Great Northern pfd	35	78¼
Gulf States Steel	11	71⅞
Illinois Central	2	101
Inspiration Copper	22	40
International Harvester	3	92½
Int. Mer Marine pfd	13	70¼
International Paper	6	46
Invincible Oil	70	17
Kelly-Springfield Tire	40	45⅝
Kennecott Copper	30	29
*Louisville & Nashville		118
Mexican Petroleum	88	127
Middle States Oil	46	13⅜
Midvale Steel	13	30
Missouri Pacific	11	22⅜
New York Central	17	81
N Y N H & Hartford	65	18⅛
Norfolk & Western	2	100¾
Northern Pacific	11	81
Okla. Prod. & Ref	4	2½
Pacific Oil	133	49⅜
Pan-American Pet	30	51⅞
Pennsylvania	45	37
Pure Oil	46	30⅝
Reading	6	74
Rep Iron & Steel	6	50⅜
Royal Dutch N Y	23	57⅜
St. Louis & San Fran	2	28⅝
*Seaboard Air Line		4
Seaboard Air Line pfd	2	6⅜
Sears Roebuck	10	67⅛
*Shell Trans & Trad		40
Sinclair Oil & Refining	52	23⅛
Sloss-Shef S & I	2	36⅝
Southern Pacific	18	85
Southern Railway	10	20⅞
Southern Railway pfd	5	52½
Standard Oil of N J pfd	11	113⅞
Studebaker Corporation	180	103
Tennessee Copper	12	15⅞
Texas Co	50	45½
Texas & Pacific	14	31⅝
Tobacco Products	7	99
Transcontinental Oil	53	9⅜
Union Pacific	4	133
United Fruit	1	140
U S Food Products	12	43⅜
U S Ind Alcohol	10	48⅝
United Retail Stores	3	45⅞
United States Rubber	82	61⅜
United States Steel	34	94½
U S Steel pfd	5	117⅞
Utah Copper	35	64⅞
Vanadium Corp	71	37⅛
Virginia Caro Chem	4	35½
Western Union	7	96⅛
Westinghouse Electric	108	57⅜
Willys-Overland	30	5¾

Total Sales 560,000.
*Bid.

CLEARING HOUSE CONDITION REPORT

NEW YORK, March 11.—The actual condition of the clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $30,401,650 in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $42,455,680 from last week.

The statement follows:

Actual condition:

Loans, discounts, etc., $4,343,760,000; decrease, $22,685,000.

Cash in own vaults members federal reserve bank, $63,565,000; increase $2,036,000.

Reserve in federal reserve banks of member banks, $523,184,000; increase $45,102,000.

Cash in own vaults, state banks and trust companies, $7,744,000; increase, $128,000.

Reserve in depositories, state banks and trust companies, $9,265,000; increase, $242,000.

X—Net demand deposits $3,845,132,000; increase, $23,305,000.

Time deposits, $263,368,000; increase, $1,159,00.

Circulation $33,800,000; decrease, $31,000.

X—U. S. deposits deducted, $85,243,000.

Aggregate reserve $540,193,000.

Excess reserve, $30,401,650; increase $42,455,680.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Mar. 11.—Liberty bonds closed: 3 1-2's 96.96; first 4's 97.30 bid; second 4's 97.22 bid; first 4 1-4's 97.40; second 4 1-4's 97.40; third 4 1-4's 98.40; fourth 4 1-4's 97.50; victory 3 3-4's 100.02 bid; victory 4 3-4's 100.80.

NEW YORK BONDS

*U S 2s, registered	103½
*U S 2s, coupon	103½
*U S 4s, registered	105½
U S 4s, coupon	105½
*Panama 3s registered	83
*Panama 3s, coupon	83
Amer S & R 5s	88⅝
Amer T & T cv 6s	114
Atchison gen 4s	87½
*Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	87
Baltimore & Ohio cv 4½s	77
Bethlehem Steel ref 5s	90½
*Central of Georgia Con 5s	95
Central Leather 5s	76⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio cv 5s	86¼
Chi. Mil. & St. P. cv 4½s	64⅝
Chi. R. I. & Pac Ry ref 4s	78⅝
Colo & Southern ref 4½s	87
Denver & Rio Grande con. 4s	73
Dominion of Canada 5s (1931)	98⅜
Erie gen 4s	43⅝
*Illinois Central ref 4s	84½
Int Mer Marine 6s	94¼
Kansas City Southern ref 5s	85½
Liggett & Myers 5s	94½
*Louisville & Nashville un 4s	80½
Missouri, Kan & Texas 1st 4s	70⅝
Missouri Pac. gen 4s	62⅝
New York Central deb 6s	100
Norfolk & Western cv 6s	106
Northern Pacific 4s	85½
Pennsylvania gen 5s	96¼
Reading gen 4s	82½
*Ren I & S 5s (1940)	91¼
St. Louis & San Fran adj 6s	79
Seaboard Air Line adj 5s	19⅛
Southern Bell Tel. 5s	93½
*Southern Pacific cv 5s	95¼
Southern Railway 5s	91
Southern Railway gen 4s	62⅞
Texas & Pacific 1st 5s	92⅜
Union Pacific 4s	90½
U K of G. B. & I 5½s (1937)	99⅜
U S Steel 5s	100⅝
*Virginia Car Chemical 5s	97
*Wabash 1st 5s	94½
Wilson & Co. cv 6s	88¼

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Foreign exchange, easier. Great Britain, demand 4.38 1-8, cables 4.35 3-4; 60-day bills on banks 4.32 5-8. France, demand 8.91 1-2c, cables 8.92c. Italy, demand 5.07 1-2c, cables 5.08; Belgium, demand 8.36 1-2c, cables 8.37c. Germany, demand .38 5-8c, cables .38 3-4c. Holland, demand 37.74c, cables 37.77c. Sweden, demand 26.20c. Denmark, demand 20.93c; Switzerland, demand 19.38. Spain, demand 16.90c. Greece, demand 5.48c. Poland, demand .02 1-8c. Czecho-Slovakia, demand 1.69c. Argentina, demand 36.75c. Brazil, demand 14.25c. Montreal, 96 5-8c.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Mar. 11.—All classes of livestock sold to a good demand on a fully steady basis today. Receipts were 500 cattle, 100 calves, 1,000 hogs and 300 sheep.

The best hogs brought 9.90 and most of the run 9.00 to 9.75. Pigs sold 7.50 to 8.00.

The highest priced sheep of the year appeared, a sale of clipped wethers being made at 8.50. Quote:

Cattle, beeves 3.50@7.50; stockers 3.50@6.50; cows 3.25@5.75; canners 2.25 @2.75; heifers 3.50@7.25; bulls 2.25@4.25; calves, 3.00@8.00.

Hogs, light 9.75@9.90; medium 9.25@9.75; mixed 8.25@9.25; common 7.00@8.00; heavy 9.50@9.75; rough 7.00@8.00; pigs 7.00@8.50.

Sheep, lambs 9.00@15.00; yearlings 7.00@11.00; wethers 6.50@8.75; ewes 5.75@7.50; culls 1.00@2.00; stocker sheep 4.50@6.50; feeder lambs 7.50@11.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Mar. 11.—Cattle, receipts 450; killing calves mostly $1 lower; stock mostly 50c lower; all other classes very uneven but mostly steady; top beer steers 8.90.

Hogs, receipts 1200; very uneven, around steady with yesterday's market; top 10.55; bulk of sales 9.75@10.50; sows mostly 9.00; stock pigs for week mostly 75c@1.50 lower.

Sheep, receipts 1500; today's receipts direct to packers and on through billing; for week: sheep 50@75c higher; lambs steady to 15c higher; top 15.50; feeding lambs 25@50c lower.

Grain

CHICAGO, March 11.—Light changes in prices and general nervousness marked today's short session of the Chicago board of trade. Most of the transactions were by local traders. Wheat finished 1-2 lower to 1-4c higher, corn 1-2 to 3-4c higher, oats unchanged to 1-4c higher and provisions from 12 1-2 to 17c lower.

Wheat opened weak on depressing cables but took on new life when corn showed independent strength and later bulged sharply when local shorts who had sold freely on the opening decline, were driven to cover. With his movement ended there was nothing to interest the market and prices sagged feebly. Within the last 15 minutes wheat touched the low point of the day but scored a recovery of a full cent before the close.

The movement report showing mill and elevator stocks of 73,000,000 bushels was 9,000,000 less than last year but was, nevertheless, construed as bearish as farm reserves of 204,000,000 bushels indicated that there was still plenty of wheat for export.

Local buying gave early strength to the corn market but was not extensive enough to hold it up throughout the session. Outside trade was light and the market towards the last swung into the path blazed by the wheat pit.

Oats were dull. The bulk of the operations were trades in the May and July spread.

There was some eastern buying of provisions but on the whole that portion of the meat market was dull. There was enough scattered selling to make for lower prices.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.35⅝	1.37⅛	1.35⅝	1.37¼
July	1.17	1.18½	1.16⅝	1.17⅝
CORN—				
May	.62	.63⅛	.62	.63
July	.65⅛	.66⅛	.65⅛	.65⅞
OATS—				
May	.39⅛	.39¾	.39⅛	.39⅝
July	.41	.41⅝	.41	.41¼
PORK—				
May				20.00
LARD—				
May	11.37	11.45	11.25	11.25
July	11.62	11.62	11.45	11.45
RIBS—				
May	10.90	10.90	10.85	10.85
July	10.90	10.60	10.52	10.52

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, Mar. 11.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 1.26@1.45; No. 2 red 1.32@1.33.

Corn, No. 2 white, 54; No. 2 yellow 55@55 1-4.

Oats, unchanged.

DRY GOODS

NEW YORK, Mar. 11.—Wide sheetings were revised in prices to a basis of 58 cents for 10-4 goods. Some of the narrow bleached muslins were placed on memorandum with prices to be on a lower basis when made. The demand continued light, although about 5,000 bales of brown sheetings were sold this week for export to near east ports. Yarns were irregular and quiet with curtailment threatened in some mill centers. Linen markets were steady. Staple cotton hosiery prices were made on a lower basis, no change being made in wool or silk goods, underwear was quiet except for a spot demand for light weights. Wool goods were quiet and silk unchanged.

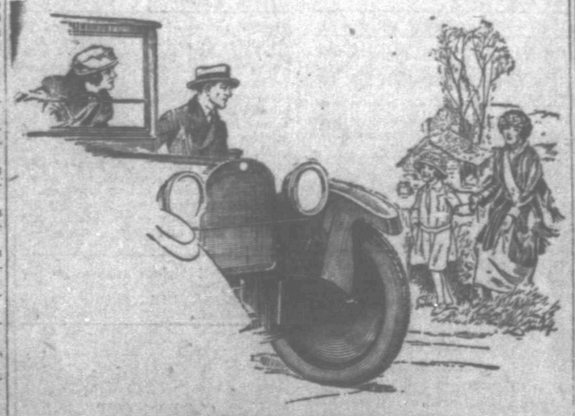
CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, March 11.—Butter, higher; creamery extras 37. Eggs lower. Receipts 18,258 cases. Firsts 22@22 1-4c. Poultry, alive, higher. Fowls 26c. Springs 28c. Roosters 18.

For every dollar that is paid out in currency or coin there are nine dollars handled by check. Do you, like millions of individuals and firms, appreciate the safety and convenience of a checking account? The City National Bank of Commerce places this facility at your command whether you have much or little money to deposit.—Adv.

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TEXAS

CLEBURNE, March 11.—William A. Wells, 52, assistant county auditor and well known Johnson county banker, died at his home here this morning of pneumonia.

FORT WORTH, Mar. 11.—Two bandits entering the Palace theater in the heart of the business district at six o'clock this morning, tied and gagged two negro porters, knocked the combination off the safe and escaped with $850 in cash.

SHERMAN, Texas, Mar. 11.—Wiley Hooper, 42, is dead at a local undertaking parlor, and Cleveland Phoebus, his brother-in-law, is in jail at Tom Bean, a small town in Grayson county, as the result of a shooting which took place at Tom Bean Friday afternoon.

FORT WORTH, Mar. 11.—News was received here today of the killing through mistake at Bristow, Okla., of F. J. Curtis, Fort Worth man. A clerk in the hotel heard a noise, thought he saw a burglar and fired, killing Curtis, who was an oil man on business there.

DENISON, Mar. 11.—A hog and a calf entered in one stock show at Fort Worth belonging to Harry Hart of Okmulgee, Okla., passed over Denison this morning in an airplane, on their way to the Texas exhibition. The pilot landed near this city to feed his charges and replenish his fuel supply.

AMARILLO Mar. 11.—The body of Joe P. Mitchell, traveling salesman for the Gates Rubber company, Dallas, who froze to death in the snowstorm of Thursday night, and whose body was discovered on the main highway twelve miles north of Tulia by W. C. Cowan Friday afternoon, will be brought to Amarillo for burial.

UNITED STATES.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., March 11.—Two young women and two youths were drowned here today when a small closed car ran through the open draw of the bridge between Anastasia Island and St. Augustine.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Positive assurance that the New York navy yard will not be closed down has been given him by Secretary of the Navy Denby, United States Senator William M. Calder, declared in a letter today.

PICAYUNE, Miss., March 11.—Property damage estimated at $50,000 was caused by a tornado which struck here yesterday. The twister left the principal business streets strewn with debris. One person was slightly injured.

BENTON, Ark., March 11.—The Saline county grand jury today reported its refusal to indict James (Jack) Howard, the prisoner who slew Tom Slaughter, noted desperado following their escape from the prison at Little Rock with a number of negroes.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—The hills within sight of San Francisco were covered with snow today. The snow followed a rain that fell during most of the night. The temperature at midnight in San Francisco was 35 degrees above zero, the lowest ever recorded so late in March.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Declaring President Harding had "strongly expressed the wish" that he remain in the cabinet, Secretary Hoover today informed Mayor J. Hampton Moore of Philadelphia he could not accept the director-generalship of the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition to be held in Philadelphia in 1926.

CLARENDON, Ark., March 11.—Sheriff James Ryals and Jack Camp, special deputy, today were shot and William Camp, another deputy and father of Jack, was probably fatally wounded at Monroe, near here, while attempting to arrest two unidentified men wanted on a robbery charge. The bandits escaped, abandoning their automobile.

CAIRO, Ill., March 11.—John Gray, a farmer of Benton, Mo., who was shot approximately 100 times in the head and an indeterminate number of times in the body Thursday afternoon, was still alive this afternoon. Physicians expressed the opinion he would recover. John Merrick, a neighbor, emptied an automatic shotgun at him five times in a quarrel over domestic matters.

FOREIGN

PARIS, Mar. 11.—The Bank of France today lowered its discount rate from 5 1-2 to 5 per cent.

FLORENCE, Italy, March 11.—Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles, continuing their honeymoon tour, arrived in Florence late this afternoon from Paris.

LONDAN, Mar 11.—Twenty-one members of the league of nations have not paid their subscriptions for last year, according to announcement in the house of commons.

BELFAST, Mar. 11.—A settlement of the trouble between the rival forces of the Irish republican army in Limerick has been reached. Under the agreement both parties will evacuate the city.

LONDON, Mar. 11.—According to a message received by Reuters from a Greek semi-official source, the cabinet of Premier Gounaris will resign as the result of the adverse vote yesterday in the chamber of deputies.

MEXICO CITY, Mar. 11.—General Gerardo Reyes, and six of his men were killed yesterday in the state of Vera Cruz during an encounter with the rebel leader, Miguel Aleman, it was learned today. General Guadalupe Sanchez, commanding the federal troops at Vera Cruz, has taken the field in person against Aleman.

SUDDEN AFFLICTION

"Madge wants more diamonds, but her husband won't hear of it."

"Stone deaf, eh?"—From the Boston Transcript.

TO HOLDERS OF VICTORY NOTES AND OTHERS CONCERNED

Notice is hereby given as follows: First call for redemption of three and three-quarter per cent Victory notes. All of these three, three-quarter per cent series of United States of America convertible gold notes of 1922 and 1923 otherwise known as three three-quarter per cent Victory notes are hereby called for redemption on June 15, 1922. Pursuant to the provision for redemption contained in the notes and in Treasury Department circular number 138, dated April 21, 1919, under which the notes were originally issued, interest on all Victory notes of the three three-quarter per cent series will cease on said redemption date, June 15, 1922.

Second—suspension and termination of Victory note conversion privilege in view of the call for the redemption of all three three-quarter per cent Victory notes on June 15, 1922 and pursuant to the provisions of said Treasury Department circular number 138, the privilege of conversion of Victory notes of either series into Victory notes of the other series is hereby suspended from February 9, 1922, to June 15, 1922, both inclusive and on June 15, 1922, will terminate. Victory notes accordingly cease to be interconvertible effective February 9, 1922, and on and after that date no conversions of the notes may be made.

Third—detailed information as to the presentation and surrender of three three-quarter per cent Victory notes for redemption is given in Treasury Department circular number 277, dated February 9, 1922, copies of which are available at the Treasury and Federal Reserve Bank.

A. W. MELLON
Secretary of the Treasury.

February 9, 1922.

OPEN LETTER NO. 2

FOR THE INFORMATION OF TAXPAYERS OF WICHITA COUNTY: ISN'T IT A FACT THAT APPROXIMATELY $1,000 PER MONTH OF THE TAXPAYERS' MONEY IS BEING WASTED ON BUYING SAND FOR THE CONCRETE ROADS.

J. P. Jones, County Judge, County Commissioners, J. M. Isbell, County Engineer

You have not seen fit to reply to our open letter No. 1 published in the daily papers of this city March 4th, 5th and 6th. It seems to us that if our position is not right you would be glad to explain to the Tax Payers wherein we have misinformed them.

We are, in this letter, going to give some additional information regarding the way you are buying sand for the concrete roads you are building in this county. First we want the Tax Payers to know that since the Company has been under its present management at least, it has had no desire to have you buy any of our products without it is first-class in every respect and meets the specifications of the State and Federal Highway Departments, whose specifications you work under in securing State and Federal Aid. To show you our good faith in this respect we wrote you a letter some months ago suggesting that we would be pleased to have you place an inspector at our plant, appointed by you to pass on the quality of our product and the expense of having such inspector to be met by us. You refused to do this and after such refusal we made arrangements with the best consulting engineer in this city to inspect and test every car of our sand before it was hauled to your unloading plant. It was not our intention for any car to be delivered to you from our plant until it had received this very rigid examination. However, we cannot be responsible for samples exhibited when taken by a prejudiced party, as it is entirely too easy for a sample to be taken and "salted" with Wichita County dirt and then tested or exhibited.

We want the Tax Payers to know that several weeks ago we called on you while the Court was in session and brought with us samples of sand taken from cars shipped you from other plants and placed them before you. You were of the impression when these samples were shown you that this sand was from our plant and immediately condemned it, saying that you could not afford to use any such sand in your roads. We think you were absolutely right in this instance, as some of the sand was of very inferior quality, containing clay balls, roots, sticks and other foreign matter, making it a very poor quality of sand. It developed however, at this meeting that this sand had already been unloaded at your plant and was unquestionably used in the road work. In other words it seemed that after you found that it did not come from our plant some miraculous change in quality of same was effected and the sand was entirely satisfactory, according to your judgment, for use. Please understand that the sand we are now discussing is sand that you are now paying 10c per ton more for than we are asking for ours, which will pass the most rigid examination by an unprejudiced and competent engineer.

Another question we would like to ask and have you answer to the Tax Payers of this County is, why are you so anxious to have all the money released by the banks so it can all be spent this year, instead of running over several months into the next year? What benefits, if any, are to be derived by the Tax Payers in having this money spent more rapidly than you first anticipated? Why not give your successors in office a chance to spend a portion of this money and see if they cannot build more miles of road for the same money than you are building?

Since writing our Open Letter No. 1 numerous Tax Payers of this County have written and talked to us about this proposition, all of whom, without exception, have suggested that we, in the vernacular of the baseball fan "Pour It On." And for your information will say that their suggestion is going to be followed until justice and right prevail.

We shall be glad to hear from as many of the Tax Payers of this County as see fit to write or talk to us regarding it and invite either criticism or commendation of our attitude, as all we are asking for is a square deal, which if given to us will mean a saving of many thousands of dollars to the Tax Payers of Wichita County.

WESTERN SAND AND GRAVEL CO.—Adv
911 Scott Ave. Phone 5872

Only 4 More Days to File Your Income Tax

—The government desires that every person avail himself of every credit, deduction and exemption which the law provides. Many new features have been written into the new law and provisions are now made for credits, deductions and exemptions which did not formerly exist. Some of these new provisions are retroactive and may be applied as part payment on taxes for this year.

—You will find it to your advantage to have your income tax return compiled and audited by a competent income tax accountant. The firms listed below are specialists in this phase of accountancy.

Wichita Falls Accountants Are Competent of Making Money at Out Your Income Taxes. Why Not Keep Wichita Home?

AMMANN & JORDAN
Consult us, as we have had years of experience and can prepare your returns correctly. The value of our service lies in the expert knowledge of the law and regulations. The new law provides many important changes.
Offices Wichita Falls and Washington, D. C.
601-2 Am. Nat. Bank Bldg. Phone 3256 Residence 4282

All Income Taxes Must Be Filed on or Before Wednesday, March 15th.

JOHN K. KING
AUDITS—SYSTEMS
INCOME TAX SERVICE
Phone 2410
424 American Nat'l. Bank Bldg.
Wichita Falls, Texas

E. P. Welsh A. T. Kramer
WALSH & KRAMER
INCOME TAX AND AUDITS
602 American Nat'l. Bank Bldg
Phone 2441

CLINTON E. SMITH
AUDITS, SYSTEMS, INCOME TAX
406 Bob Waggoner Building
WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS
Phone 4411

PARFET & MARTLEW
FEDERAL TAX SERVICE
Legal and Accounting
411-13 Morgan Building
Wichita Falls, Texas.

SWITZER & CO.
—Our work in the past is evidence of our ability to prepare your returns correctly.
301 City Nat'l. Bank
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AUDIT COMPANY of TEXAS
102 First National Bank Building, Wichita Falls, Texas.
Equipped to prepare both large and small returns—"None too Difficult"

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All ads for publication on week days must be in the Record News office before 8 p. m. of previous evening. For Sunday issue 8 p. m. Saturday.

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LODGE DIRECTORY

Faith Lodge N. 1158, A. F. & A. M. stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month.
W. Y. HAMMACK, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Secretary.
WORK in the F. C. Degree, 3 p. m. Saturday, 11th. Also work in the E. A. Degree, Tuesday, 14th. Masonic Temple.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
ED. BUNNENBERG, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secretary.
Work in the Master's degree Friday, March 10th at 6:00 p. m.
Work in the Entered Apprentice Degree, Monday, March 13 at 6 p. m.
Work in the Fellowcraft Degree, Tuesday, March 14, at 6 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202 R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
L. I. BENNETT, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Secretary.

Wichita Falls Commandery, No. 59. —Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each fonth.
WILLIAM Y. HAMMACK, E. Commander.
WM. J. WEBB, Recorder.
Drill Tuesday, March 14, at 7 p. m.
Drill Thursday, March 16, 7 p. m.

Maskat Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday of each month at Masonic Temple, Tenth and Scott, second floor. All visiting Nobles invited to attend.
W. D. CLINE, Potentate,
C. O. FRITZ, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 273, of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. VICTORIA FRIBERG, W. M.
MISS NENA FRITZ, Secretary.

Wichita Falls, Lodge No. 1105, B. P. O. E. meets first and third Mondays of each month at Elks Club, corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
A. M. MILLER, Exalted Ruler,
H. C. ENGLISH, Secretary.

Knights of Pythias meet Tuesday nights at 7:30 o'clock, corner Ninth and Travis streets. Visitors are welcome.
M. A. BUNDY, C. C.
IRA D. BROWN, K. R. S.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001 — Regular meetings every Friday night, 7:30 p. m. at 603½ Scott Avenue.
JOHN E. STEPHEN, C. C.
E. D. TREVANTHAN, Clerk, 716 Seventh Street.

2—ANNOUNCEMENTS

PHRENOLOGY—Madam Keys will give advice and consultation for a few days only. Special readings, $1.00 this week. Stratford Hotel, room 3.

2—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Taken from Almo school Tuesday afternoon, boys junior bicycle, almost new, frame painted blue, Ibex is name, $5 reward for return to Mack Thomas 1615 Tenth street. Phone 5522.

3—SPECIAL NOTICES

LOST—Between Y. W. C. A. and Haltom & Friedly's, a ladies' gray suede fur-lined glove. Finder please leave glove at Record News office. Reward.

FLOORS surfaced and finished. Al Brown, Phone 3879.

DON'T CUSS the high cost of living when the Pantatorium Tailoring company will clean and press your suits for 50c. Suits made to measure and guaranteed to fit. Dresses cleaned and pressed $1 and up. Phone 6858. 808 1-2 Lamar.

PLUMBING—Our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You do not have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Caufielne, 1920 Tenth st. Phone 4420.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED —Have your mattresses made new. We will bring samples of ticking to your home. Call for and deliver the same day. Ball Mattress Co. Phone 3812.

Political Announcements

Under this heading will be published the names of candidates for public office. The fees for announcement will be as follows:
For judicial district offices, $15.00.
For county offices, $15.00.
For precinct offices, $12.50.
For city offices, $12.50, except for councilmen, for which the fee will be $5.00.
For county offices, subject to the decision of the democratic primary:

District Clerk—
A. F. KERR.

County Attorney—
E. L. FULTON.

Judge, County Court at Law—
JUDGE GUY ROGERS

County Judge—
JUDGE J. P. JONES.
W. T. HARRIS.
B. D. SARTIN.

For County Clerk—
MISS ELIZABETH HALL.
MRS. R. L. MILLER.

County Tax Collector—
M. L. TITTLE
W. W. (PAT) MURPHY.

County Tax Assessor—
IRVAN DEATON.

County Superintendent—
BURL BRYANT.

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
J. F. JACKSON.

County Sheriff—
JAMES S. MAXWELL
FRED K. SMITH.

Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place 1.—
R. V. GWINN

Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place 2.—
J. F. MAXWELL
C. J. (Dad) ARRINGTON.
OLUFF D. BEAUCHAMP.

FOR CITY OFFICES
Mayor—
J. W. STONE

Street Commissioner:
Place No. 2—
NAT L. INGE

Public Utilities Commissioner:
BURTON A. STAYTON.

3—SPECIAL NOTICES

WANTED—Stock to pasture, 50 acres of Johnson grass to plow up. M. M. Smith, P. O. Box 1064.

SHOES
With a dollar's worth of shoe repairing, we give you a coupon that entitles you to a $5.00 photograph free. See sample in our window.
ANDREW YOUNG CO
Phone 6358 904-A Eighth St.

PLUMBING—The satisfactory kind. Done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes, Phone 2224.

MATTRESS RENOVATED
We make your old mattresses like new; we carry a splendid assortment of ticking to choose from; we call for and return same day. We retail new mattresses and Goose Feather Pillows. All work fully guaranteed.
PATTON MATTRESS FACTORY
402 Indiana Ave. Phone 2030.

PAPER HANGING, painting, varnishing, reduced prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 5193. Charvoz.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey. Phone 5904.

PLUMBING, gas fitting and repairing. Let us repair your water cut-off now and save your having a large repair bill on bursted pipes. Also connect your gas stoves with pipe and stop big gas bills caused by rubber hose connections. Prices reasonable. G. E. (Irish) Moore. Phone 5746.

MORRIS TRANSFER and Storage Co., office at warehouse at 510 Ohio. Phone 5630.

LUECKIE TRANSFER and Storage Co. is now located at 706 Wall St. Phone 2422. (The old McFall Transfer Co.) Piano moving a specialty.

DRAKE TRANSFER AND STORAGE—Phone 5735; residence phone 3650. Heavy hauling of all kinds. We also raise, move and underpin houses, any time, or place. When you want your work done right, call on us at 608 Ohio Ave. Shelby Drake or A. Drake.

WE REPAIR all makes of phonographs in our repair department. Phone 2475. R. G. Ripley & Co., Seventh & Scott.

PLUMBING—Phone 5370, licensed and bonded plumber. Spivey Plumbing Co.

WEATHER strips and awnings. Make home comfortable, avoid worry and inconvenience by ordering early. R. W. Cross. Phone 5769.

LET BROWN'S transfer move you. $2.50 per load. The reliable and careful mover. Office 605 Seventh. Phone 2286.

Mack & Mack Plumbing Co., office rear of 714 Seventh St., Shop 1204 15th St. Pohne 5066-2652.

PLUMBING, gas fitting and repairing done by licensed and bonded plumbers. We know how. G. E. (Irish) Moore. Phone 5746.

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300. 910 6th street.

FOR plumbing, Phone 3644. David Black.

4— AUTOMOBILES AND SUPPLIES.

IF YOU want an enclosed car, or intend owning one, here is your chance to buy nearly new Ford Sedan, 1921 Model at a figure at which you would be surprised. Call and see it.
TOTZKE
1004 Scott St. Phone 3231

BARGAINS
1921 Ford Sedan, nearly new $550
1919 Dodge Touring $250
1920 Nash Coupe $350
1919 Chandler touring $350
1920 Ford truck $225
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 Ninth St. Phone 2015

EXCEPTIONAL USED CAR BUYS
Buick Roadster, $150.00; Chandler touring $500; Studebaker Special, touring, $600; Overland 85-6, $200; Buick touring, this is a beauty. You must see it to appreciate it.
EXCELSIOR MOTOR CO.
605 Scott Phone 2020

4—AUTOMOBILES & SUPPLIES

1921 Model 7-passenger Hudson, Westinghouse shock absorbers, $1,000.00.

Two 1919 Marmon chummies.

One 1921 Marmon 4-passenger.

These cars are all in first class condition and we will be pleased to demonstrate any of the above-mentioned, simply phone or come and see us.
FRITZ MOTOR CO.
Phone 3033 8th and Austin

1920 FORD Rodsters, $230 and $260; 1919 Ford Rodster, $135; 1920 Coupe $350; Oldsmobile Eight, $190; Dodge Sedan, $375; Reo Touring, $175; Chalmers Touring, $250. Dean's Motor Co., 706 Tenth st.

DIXON MOTOR CO.,
USED CAR VALUES
1920 Buick Roadster, everything about it is good from bow to stern, and top to tires, and it will not last long at such a price as we are offering it.

1920 Buick Touring, good as new, motor is a pippin, top tires and paint are very good. Take a tip from us, this car will satisfy the most exacting owner.

1919 Buick Touring, very good mechanical condition, good rubber, and top, and for the price it can't be duplicated.

1919 Buick Roadster, this car is an extraordinary buy, new paint, good top and tires, and mechanically speaking it's perfect. Let's go.
Several other makes. We sell for cash, terms, or trade. Let us demonstrate.
DIXON MOTOR CO.
Phone 4111 808 Scott

FOR SALE

Franklin sedan, $1,950.
Franklin touring, $1,380.
Stutz roadster, $550.

These cars are newly painted and in fine mechanical condition.

FRANKLIN SALES CO.
911 Lamar-st. Phone 5627.

REAL BARGAINS IN FORDS

I have the biggest assortment in town, and the price will suit you.
Six 1921 roadsters.
Four 1920 tourings.
One 1920 Sedan.
One 1920 coupe.

See Barron
Phone 6333 Stouts Garage

WE pay spot cash for used cars. SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO. 712-14 Ninth St. Phone 2015

TUNE UP YOUR MOTOR
Has the motor lost power? If so, it needs expert attention. Let us give it a thorough overhauling now, before the spring season begins. We'll guarantee a good job at a fair price.
NORTON'S AUTO SHOP
Phone 6859 909 Lamar St.

USED CARS AT A SACRIFICE.
Nash touring, 1918 model, good top, tires and battery, newly painted, motor in good shape, cost us $1,100; come look at it and make us an offer.

Studebaker touring, 1918 model, in good mechanical condition with good equipment. A snap for $200.

Oakland touring, model 34-B. In good condition with good tires, top and battery, newly painted, cost us $800; will sell at a sacrifice.

Ford touring, 1916 model, motor has just been overhauled and in good shape—cost $200—make us an offer.

Oakland touring, model 32, motor in good shape; first $150 gets it.

MARSHALL HUFF MOTOR COMPANY,
609 Scott-ave. Phone 2929.
A. B. Huff, Manager.

WE DO high class welding; anything from cast iron to aluminum, including all known metals used by general public. Scored cylinders filled without pre-heating. If it can be welded we can weld it. No job too hard for us. Our work is guaranteed to satisfy. United States Welding Co., Phone 2270. 410 Indiana Ave.

HUGHES Bros., 208 Indiana, will pay cash for your unserviceable cars for parts. Phone 3215.

NOTICE
Phone 4307 1005 Lamar St.
LAMAR ST. GARAGE
First Class Mechanical Work. Guarantee Satisfaction. $1.00 per Hour.
A. H. BEAZLEY, Prop.

6—HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Competent seamstress to sew by the day. Phone 4513.

WANTED—Two good women solicitors, apply Monday, Every-Ready Electric Co. 1106 Tenth.

WANTED—Young lady who can furnish good references, soliciting sales on commission basis, must be familiar with city; good proposition to right party; apply in person Monday morning at 400 Morgan Bldg.

YOUNG ladies to travel and sell business men; thirty dollars per week with commission that will pay expenses. If you can qualify, see Mr. Mock, Room 309, Argonne Hotel.

7—HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Good farmer with team and force. Phone 6564.

BARBER students wanted. Imperial Barber College. 517 Seventh St. Wichita Falls.

WANTED—1000 men to get shaved at Imperial Barber College. 517 Seventh St., Wichita Falls.

7—HELP WANTED—MALE

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

MEN to qualify for firemen, brakemen; also colored sleeping car and train porters; experience unnecessary. Transportation furnished. Write W. Boggess, 260 St. Louis, Mo.

MEN wanted for detective work; experience unnecessary. Write J. Ganor, former government detective, 537 St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—A first class barber immediately. Dad's Barber Shop, 618 Sixth street.

8—HELP WANTED—MALE AND FEMALE

MAIL AGENTS wanted to address letters to auto owners. No canvassing; $30 week easy. Particulars 25c. Auto Link Association, 528 West Third, Dayton, Ohio.

CLERKS—Young men, women, over 17, desiring government positions $123 monthly. Write for free list of positions now open. J. Leonard (former Civil Service examiner), 1202 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C.

CLERKS, young men, women, over 17, desiring government positions, $125 monthly. Write for free list of positions now open. J. Leonard (former civil service examiner) 578 Equitable Bldg. Washington, D. C.

9—SITUATIONS WANTED—

STEOGRAPHER with five years' experience desires temporary or permanent position. Call 4446.

WANTED—Practical nursing. Phone 6113, 1006 Lamar-ave.

11—SALESMEN AND AGENTS — WANTED

$5,000 every year. $2,000 easy in spare time. We share profits with you besides. Sell "Weather Monarch" Raincoats. Ask about "Duol Coat" No. 999. Get sample raincoats free. ASSOCIATED RAINCOAT AGENTS, INC., 446 N. Wells, Chicago.

LIVE AGENTS wanted to handle city trade for genuine J. R. Watkins Products. Write quick for free samples and particulars. The J. R. Watkins Co., Dept 74, Memphis, Tenn.

CAR OWNER representative wanted to demonstrate air filled guaranteed Puncture Sealing Inner Tubes. Priced low, within reach of all. Autoists buy on sight. Enormous profits. Wenstone, 3025 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Illinois.

WE PAY $36.00 weekly, 75c hour spart time selling hosiery, guaranteed to wear four months. Spring line. Big opportunity. Experience unnecessary. Perfectwear Mills, Darby, Pa.

AGENTS finest flowers, fruit, vegetables grown with Wright's Contract Sprays; not a poison; patented, Aphidspara kills insects; 50 cents. Wright, Central Islip, N. Y.

SELL our tailored-to-measure three piece suits for $24.50 with an extra pair of pants absolutely free. The world's fastest selling, biggest paying direct-to-wearer proposition. Commissions paid daily. Special proposition to men writing immediately. Greater Value Cutfitters, Cincinnati, Ohio.

SPECIAL representative wanted in each town on big direct-to-consumer advertising campaign; experience not necessary; good pay. Eastern Company, Dept. H-28, Box 117, North Station, Boston, Mass.

AUTO accessory. Get into accessry business today, $12.00 daily easy. I show you how. Capital, experience unnecessary. Auto owner preferred. Exel, 1065 Hollywood, Chicago.

CRESCO
3 IN 1 and Utility Shopping Bags, Hot Water Bottles., Waterproof Kitchen Aprons. Handle these fast selling articles and increase your income. For nineteen years we have been manufacturing good merchandise. New selling outfit free. Improved Mfg. Co., Dept. 254, Ashland, Ohio.

SELL Holmes Tires and Tubes. No capital required. $100 weekly income. Price sells them, quality gets re-orders. Holmes Rubber Co., 1500 W. 15th., Chicago.

CRESCO RAINCOATS
Sell fast. High quality, low prices. Oldest Manufacturers Raincoats selling direct to consumer through agents. Hundreds of men and women now have steady incomes selling the Cresco line. Big new spring outfit free. Spring season now on. Write today. Improved Mfg. Co., Dept. 253, Ashland, Ohio.

BIG PAY—Man or woman of character to distribute religious literature. Chance to make $600 or more. Full or spare time. No capital or experience necessary. Universal Bible House, Philadelphia.

AGENTS WANTED—Large manufacturer wants agents sell advertised brand men's shirts to wearer. No capital or experience required. Free samples. Madison Mills, 505 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

WANTED—Two salesmen. Apply H. M. Jordon, Hotel Marion.

SALESMAN to cover local territory selling dealers; guaranteed salary of $100 week for right man. The Commercial Radium Co., Fifth Ave Bldg. New York.

12—DRESSMAKING

SEWING done by the day or piece, plain, fancy and tailored. Miss Albright, Phone 3351.

UP-TO-DATE dressmaking. Tenth and Burnett. Phone 4406.

PLAIN and fancy sewing, shirt making a specialty. Phone 6645, 1206 Broad.

DRESSMAKING, alteration, remodeling, ladies tailoring. Phone 6718. Mrs. A. Weaver, 709 Holliday St.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker; can copy any design or picture for ladies or children; no plain sewing. 1318 Eighth St. Phone 3048.

SPRING dresses, tatting, embroidery and stamping all kinds. Phone 3068. 2018 Eighth St.

13—PERSONAL

SPIRITUALIST—For appointment phone 6095.

14—BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE—Elevated greasing rack with cheap lease; good location. P. O. Box 1641.

FOR SALE—Interest in good paying rooming house, Phone 3304.

15—FINANCIAL

FARM LOANS
I am making loans on farm and ranch lands in Wichita and adjoining counties.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First Nat'l. Bank.

MONEY to loan on Ford cars. Address P. O. Box 1437.

NOTES bought and sold. J. Wilkie Talbert, 220 American National Bank Bldg.

17—ROOM AND BOARD

ROOM AND BOARD—$9 per week. 308 Lamar.

WHO said rooms were high? Nice cozy rooms with hot and cold water. Home cooked meals if wanted. Few left. Mrs. Montgomery, 1104 Scott. Phone 6585.

ROOM and board. Three meals a day; $10 a week. Phone 2394. 1200 Ohio. Under new management.

ROOM AND BOARD—In a large, light and well ventilated residence situated at 1108 Travis, about six blocks from the heart of town. House entirely repainted, repapered and rewired. Four rooms with connecting baths and one large double room with private bath. Delicious table board for both lodgers and outsiders. Prices well within line. Phone not yet installed. Call for Miss McSpadden, 1108 Travis St.

NICE ROOMS and board, $8 per week; modern. 801 Austin. Phone 2743.

ROOM AND BOARD—Three meals a day; $10 a week. Also meals served by day or week, 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

ROOM and board $8 per week, 408 4th St. Phone 6289.

18—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS

WANTED—Room and board in private home, centrally located, by four teachers. Phone 6757 at once.

WANTED—To rent modern furnished cottage, on pavement. Phone 6060

20—ROOMS FOR RENT FURNISHED

IDEAL front bedroom, half price to one permanent gentleman. 1517 Ninth St.

FOR RENT—In private family, front bedroom, nicely furnished, $15 per month. 2311 Eighth St. Phone 5513.

NICE clean rooms; reasonable rates. Stonewall Hotel, 818 1-2 Scott Ave.

NICELY furnished room over garage to gentlemen; two beds: modern. Phone 5639.

IDEAL place for a young man to live; steam heat; nicely furnished rooms, $25 per month and up. Bachelor Apts., Phone 5390. Eighth and Travis.

NICE bedroom for rent with kitchen privileges if desired. 1100 Burnett.

TO GENTLEMEN only; 5 nice, clean, comfortable upstairs bedrooms, hot and cold water in each room; bath in connection. $15 to $25 per month. Phone 4043. 911 Lamar.

FOR RENT—Nice bedroom with home privileges in private home. Garage privileges. 1410 Travis. Phone 4081.

NICE respectable young man wants room mate, rent reasonable. Phone 3304.

NICE south and east front room, adjoining bath, on pavement and Ninth street car line. Private home. Phone 2564.

UPSTAIRS south bedroom, close in on pavement, for one or two gentlemen, 1311 Ninth-st. Phone 5119.

UPSTAIRS front bedroom, telephone and garage, 1619 Ninth-st.

FOR RENT—Newly furnished front bedroom, modern, private home, one-half block of car line. Phone 4688.

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom with adjoining bath. Phone 2090.

THE AVONDALE has good, modern rooms, $4 to $6. 714 1-2 Ninth-st.

FOR RENT—Splendidly furnished rooms, all outside, everything new. Rates reduced $10 per week to one or two persons. New Wood Hotel, 911 1-2 Scott.

21—ROOMS FOR RENT— UNFURNISHED

FOR RENT—4 unfurnished rooms in a duplex house; modern; hot and cold water; sink in kitchen; close in. 408 Travis. Phone 2407.

TWO unfurnished rooms, modern, 1605 Magnolia.

22—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—2 south rooms furnished for light housekeeping with garage privileges, on Southland car line. 1702 Holliday.

ONE LARGE housekeeping room, modern, furnished, $6 per week. 308 Burnett St. Phone 2449.

THREE nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, sink in kitchen, bath, 1105 Holliday-st.

23—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2 room furnished cottage to white people only. 1909 10th street.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, 514 Travis St. $40 per month. Phone 2058. Phone early and avoid the rush.

NICE ROOMS and apartments, brick building; ideal location. Phone 6122 or 3822.

FOR RENT — Six-room modern house, good location, $35 per month. Phone 2286.

FOR RENT, sale or trade—2, 3, 4 or 5 room house; will sell $25 down, $25 per month. See Owner at 1919 Eighth St.

HELGERSON handles rentals. Phone 2078.

23—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS FOR RENT

UNFURNISHED
1103 Lamar, six rooms, good condition, $65.00.
806 Twelfth, four rooms, newly papered, $30.00.
1002 Eighth, seven rooms, will paper, $60.00.
706 Burnett, four rooms, $25.00.
1213 North Fifth, Scotland addition, four rooms, $15.00.
805 Lamar, four rooms, $40.00.
1419 Twenty-fourth, Sibley-Taylor, three rooms, $15.00.
1004 Austin, five large rooms, $75.00.

FURNISHED
2906 Tenth, six rooms, completely furnished, piano, telephone and garage, gas, electric and water meters in, $65.00.
Five rooms on Austin, completely furnished, $85.00.
H. G. HELGERSON
Real Estate & Rentals.
Basement City National Bank.
Phone 2573. Residence 2393.

FOR RENT—Space for one car in garage, 1109 Burnett.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment close in, 1205 Scott.

FOR RENT—Two 5-room modern houses; one 2-room house. C. C. Jones Sr. Phone 2572.

25—BUSINESS LOCATIONS— FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Brick building 40x60 feet; two sliding door entrances; good for paint shop, storage, garage or furniture. Phone 6122.

OFFICES FOR RENT
Some very desirable offices can be had in the Harrison-Everton building at 716 Seventh street. First or second floor offices at reasonable figure. See Staley or Phone 3056.

27—LIVESTOCK.

FOR SALE—Full blood pit bull puppies 5 weeks old, $15. Dr. Zimmerman stock. These were shown at Automobile Show. 909 12th St. Phone 6301.

28—POULTRY, EGGS & SUPPLIES

30 RED pullets for sale, laying, $1 each. Tryo Black Minores, full blood, $7. Route 5, Box 92A, White house.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn eggs for hatching, $1 per setting or $5 per hundred. Route 2, box 14, Petrolia road. Phone O 1323. L. B. Bruner.

29 WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To buy house 3 to 5 rooms, to be moved off lot. Phone 5407. 706 Fifth St.

WANTED—To buy a dress form. Call 3351.

WANTED—To buy an Underwood typewriter and typewriter stand; must be bargain. J. N. Sherrill, 502 Morgan Bldg.

WANTED to buy or lease, two-chair barber outfit. Must be cheap. Jack Barker, Mabelle, Texas.

30—FOR SALE— MISCELLANEOUS

SHOW CASES for sale, medium size; call at store at 2007 Seventh St.

HEMSTITCHING and picoting attachment; fits any sewing machine; easily adjusted. Price $2.50 delivered, with full instructions. Gem Novelty Co., Box 1031, Corpus Christi, Texas.

FOR SALE—One gray reed baby carriage. Phone 4513.

FURNITURE BARGAINS
Bedroom suites, $49.50 and up; up. Kitchen Cabinets, $5.00. up.
PEOPLES FURNITURE CO.
Phone 3223 607 Indiana

FOR SALE—Interest in good paying rooming house. Phone 3304.

FOR SALE—Wicker baby buggy. Price $17.50. 1607 Magnolia St.

FOR SALE—Piano and phonograph boxes. Phone 2475. R. G. Ripley & Co., Seventh and Scott.

FOR SALE—Cafe fixtures, one hot plate, cost $150 will sell for $50; one ice box, $20; 12 chairs $1 each; four tables $5 each. Address Cafe, care Record News, Wichita Falls, Texas.

SPECIAL
Now is the time to brighten up your home for spring, and we wish to call your special attention to our big assortment of rare values in wall paper. Also paints, varnishes, stains, enamels and floor finishes. It will pay you to see us before you buy.
WILHITE & TOWNLEY
619 Ohio Ave.

31—FURNITURE & HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FURNITURE PRICED RIGHT
Refrigerators $8.00 to $25.00.
Cabinets, $7.50 to $12.50.
Gas Stoves, $10.00 to $15.00.
1 square Dining table $15.00.
1 round dining table $15.00.
1 rug $4.
1 $175 5-piece Ivory Nursery suite $65.
Rockers, dining chairs, kitchen tables, and other pieces. See us before you buy.
CARLTON FURNITURE CO.
Phone 2666 819 Tenth.

EIGHT rooms of furniture priced to sell quick. Will sell altogether or any part. It will pay you to see this before you buy. Five-piece mahogany bedroom suite, 8 piece oak dining room suite. Wilton velvet rug, body brussel rug, 4 cheap rugs, gas range, 2 four-burner gas cook stoves, 2 kitchen cabinet, 3 piece oak duofold suite, chifforobe, chiffonier, new phonograph and records, Singer sewing machine, Hoover sweeper, odd dressers, beds, springs and mattresses, 2 porcelain refrigerators, 2 cheap refrigerators. Many other things. See these at once and save money, 1518 Tenth-st.

WILL PAY highest cash price for your furniture.
CARLTON FURNITURE CO.
819 Tenth-st. Phone 2666

CLOSING OUT
We are offering our stock of new and used furniture, consisting of several beautiful suites, different designs, at astonishing prices, made possible only by our closing out sale. Terms if desired.
BOLDING & LUNN
Phone 5510 805 Scott St.

31—FURNITURE & HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE—Seven rooms of first-class furniture; will sell all or any part; real bargain. Phone 6757, 1206 Tenth street.

HIGHEST CASH prices for used furniture; will exchange new furniture for old. We sell for less. Cash or trems Phone 6660. John L. Jones Furniture Co., 710 Seventh St.

BETTER be sure than sorry. Buy from us or less, sell to us for more.
MICKS FURNITURE CO.
Phone 5528. 908 Indiana.

WE BUY, sell and exchange, also store your furniture.
EXCHANGE FURNITURE CO.
O. L. Ross, Prop.
Dial 6992 619 Ind. Ave

FOR SALE—One Westinghouse cabinet electric sewing machine, practically new, only $60.
CARLTON FURNITURE CO.
819 10th St. Phone 2666

SPECIAL prices on all new furniture. Exchange new for used furniture.
WINTERS FURNITURE CO.
822 Ohio-ave. Phone 4219.

32.—MISCELLANEOUS

ANDREW YOUNG
Locksmith, Nuff Sed
Phone 6358 904 A 8th St.

NOTICE!

To our classified advertisers: We wish to announce for the benefit of those not knowing that we will display your classified ads with white space above and below, as much as desired, in the future and as we have done in the past at the regular rate.

Call 4381 or 4382 to insert a classified ad or if in business section, solicitor will call for same.

FOR SEED CORN see C. M. Sparkman. He has yellow pearl, 90-day corn; also Mexican June at $1 per bushel. Cashion schoolhouse.

WINFREY, Gun and Locksmith, key fitting and duplicating, general repairing. If it can be fixed, we can fix it. With Collier & Landon, 825 Indiana. Phone 5213.

33—MACHINERY AND TOOLS

FOR SALE—1 6-h. p. Fairbanks-Morse engine, gas engine; price one hundred dollars. Roy Calvert & Co.

FOR SALE—Nearly new power equipped with fifteen h. p. gasoline engine, and union power complete, with house, belt, etc. Price six hundred dollars. Roy Calvert & Co.

FOR SALE—Twelve hundred feet and eight and one-quarter casing just pulled from well. Roy Calvert & Co.

FOR SALE—One Grief Joint, good as new, for one hundred seventy-five dollars. Roy Calvert & Co.

FOR SALE—Two thousand feet fine six five-eights twenty-pound casing. Price fifty-five cents foot. Roy Calvert.

FOR SALE—An extra fine string about seven hundred feet fifty-pound twelve one-half inch casing. The best second-hand pipe we ever saw. Price one-fifty per ft. Roy Calvert & Co. 404 Am. Nat'l. Bldg.

DRILLING RIGS: Have a client who will trade city property for Rotary or Star rig.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First Nat. Bank

WANTED—Good 25 h. p. Fairbanks Morse crude oil engine. Roy Calvert & Co.

DEEP TEST—Let me quote you price on Rotary Rig, good for 5,000 feet, and the casing for same. Good as new. You can't get any better and I will SAVE YOU MONEY. Address Box 301 care Record News.

FOR SALE—1,320 feet 6 5-8 casing, 20 pound; 1,320 feet 6 5-8 casing, 24 pounds. Write Jesse Warren, Iowa Park, Texas, care of Ralston & Smith.

FOR SALE—Two-inch to twenty-inch pipe and all kinds of oil well supplies and machinery. TEXAS IRON AND METAL CO., 205 Mississippi, Phone 6860. P. O. Box 286. mediately. Dad's Barber Shop, 618 6th St.

34—GAS, OIL AND MINERAL

WANTED—Production. Twenty-five barrels or more in the Northwest field. C. A. Parker, 419 Am. Nat'l.

PRODUCTION
23 bbls., 2 wells, 30 acres; 1-4 royalty, Wichita county; 14 bbls., one well, 60 acres, Clay county; 25 bbls., 5 wells, 20 acres, Iowa Park field.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First Nat'l. Bank.

ARCHER OIL:—
There's going to be a play in Archer county. Have 500 acres and derrick up. Have drilling rig ready to move on ground. Need money for labor.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First Nat'l. Bank.

STOP THE LEAK IN WELL—SOMETHING NEW—I can stop the leaks under the casing seat. Let me hear from you. Address Box 300 care Record News.

TEN shallow wells, 50 acres, 5 proven sands, tanks, pipe lines, drilling rig, power plant; located in old Burk field; want partner with $6,000 cash to further develop. Box 412 Burk burnett, Texas.

35—OIL LAND LEASES

South Electra:—
A good looking lease.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First Nat. Bank.

—WANTED—Burk Divide Oil company stock, if offer at bargain. State price first letter. H. H. Withers, Grosebeck, Texas.

MAPS
LATEST map of new Electra oil field, just out. On sale at Kemp news stand.

FOR SALE—25 shares Amarillo Oil Co. stock. Phone 2996 Room 1111 City National Bank Bldg.

36—FARMS AND RANCHES WANTED

WANTED—To hear from owner having farm or unimproved land for sale. John J. Black, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin.

37—FARMS AND RANCHES— FOR RENT

FOR RENT—500-acre dairy farm adjoining city limits. C. P. Fore, R. F. D. 4, Wichita Falls, Texas.

38—FARMS AND RANCHES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—40-Acre choice farm land, no house; one-half mile off paved road between Iowa Park and Wichita Falls. Price $125 per acre. E. A. Hoge, Box 495, Iowa Park, Texas.

39—REAL ESTATE—WANTED

WANTED—To buy house, 3 to 5 rooms to be moved off lot. Phone 5407, 706 5th St.

$1750.00 First lien note on 5-room modern house, walking distance, runs about one year, will discount 10% face.
HAGAR REALTY CO.
14 Ward Bldg.

WANTED—5 or 10 acre tract on Iowa Park pavement, priced right. Phone 4663, Address Box 1697, Wichita Falls.

40—REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

MR. RENTER—I have a good 4-room house, modern, can sell you for $150 cash balance $30 month, on nice lot, close in. See me at once, this bargain. Phone 2107, or call room 12 Bean Anderson Bldg.

$6250.00
A home that is a real home, located on paved street, 5-rooms and breakfast room, modern in every way. Servants house and garage, with some terms.
L. T. BURNS
Phone 2958
224 First National Bank Bldg.

TWO HOMES
No. 1—On paved Monroe, has extra large living room. Breakfast room, sleeping room, tiled bath, garage, shade trees. No. 2—On Ave. F, one block of pavement, 5-rooms and breakfast room. Driveway, garage. You'll find contentment in either. A small payment will handle either or will trade No. 1 for drilling rig.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First National Bank

FOR SALE—Must sell this 5-room house located in Floral Heights addition. If you want to buy drop in and let me show you a buy. Phone 2958 Burns.

NOTICE
I have a dandy 10 room residence located in 1500 block on Tenth St. to trade for a good 5 or 6 room house well located. Phone 3628 and ask for Mr. Kollman.

41—REAL ESTATE—EXCHANGED

FOR SALE—Bargain, 5-room house, modern, furnished or unfurnished, sell—For price and terms apply at 1700 Burnett. Leaving city. Must 1304 Twelfth street.

GOOD brick property down town, paying $6400 annual income to trade for plains land value to $35,000. We also have other trades.
HAGER REALTY CO.,
14 Ward Building.

82 ACRES best black land near Cleburne to trade for farm here. Also have good clear residence in city for farm.
HAGER REALTY CO.,
14 Ward Building

TO TRADE east front lot for vulcanizing plant, car or other property. Phone 5193.

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THE WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY. NOTICE
Wichita Falls, Texas, February 27, 1922.—Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of "The Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company" will be held at the general office of said company in the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, Saturday, the first day of April, 1922, at one o'clock p. m. for the election of a board of nine directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Board of Directors of said "The Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company" will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders' meeting.
FRANK KELL,
President.
C. W. SNIDER,
Secretary.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Jessie I. Flick 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 89th District Court of Wichita County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Wichita Falls, on the First Monday in April, A. D. 1922, the same being the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1922. Then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1922, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 12370-B wherein, Franklin Flick is plaintiff and Jessie I. Flick is defendant and said petition alleges That plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married on the 26th day of April, 1889, and lived together, with exception of short intervals, until October, 1919. Plaintiff says that defendant was harsh, cruel and tyrannical, that she would accuse him of being untrue to her, would accuse him of keeping company with women, all of which she knew was untrue. Plaintiff further says that defendant would curse him, calling him all kinds of bad names, and accuse him of being a thief, and further went so far as to threaten to kill him and did on one occasion get a pistol to kill plaintiff with.
Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that upon final hearing hereof, he have judgment dissolving the bonds of matrimony, as they now exist, for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, both general and special in law and equity, 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 Fal

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"TO THE OWNERS OF PEOPERTY ABUTTING ON ELEVENTH STREET FROM INDIANA TO LAMAR AVENUE, AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED:

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City to proceed with the improvement of Eleventh Street from Indiana Avenue to Lamar Avenue, by raising, and filling same and paving with Concrete and all lots and lands abutting on said street and all lots and land benefitted by means of said improvement, and such assessment, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed, and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.

On the 27th day of March, A. D. 1922, in the Council Chamber in the Morgan Building in the City of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., all such owners and their agents or attorneys, or any other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fully heard by the Board of Aldermen, and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard.

The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owner thereof will be determined and an assessment therefor will be levied.

Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost therefor, and estimated amount of assessment against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.

The estimated cost of the said improvement is $13,467.72.

The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $8,781.92.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.5488 per lineal foot of curb; and

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $13,467.72.

All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board of said time and place.

Done in accordance with resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1922.

GEO. W. THORBORN,
City Clerk.

"TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON ELEVENTH STREET FROM ALLEY WEST OF LAMAR TO WEST PROPERTY LINE OF AUSTIN STREET, AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED:"

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City to proceed with the improvement of Eleventh Street from Alley West of Lamar Street to West Property Line of Austin Street, by raising and filling same and paving with Concrete, and all lots and land abutting on said street, and all lots and land benefitted by means of the said improvement, and such assessment, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed, and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.

On the 27th day of March, A. D. 1922, in the Council Chamber in the Morgan Building in the City of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., all such owners and their agents or attorneys, or any other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fully heard by the Board of Aldermen, and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard.

The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owner thereof will be determined and an assessment therefor will be levied.

Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost therefor, and estimated amount of assessment against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.

The estimated cost of the said improvement is $54,943.47.

The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $43,650.32.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.54488 per lineal foot of curb; and

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $43,650.32.

All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board of said time and place.

Done in accordance with resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1922.

GEO. W. THORBORN,
City Clerk.

"TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON ELEVENTH STREET AND AUSTIN STREET AND GRACE STREET, AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED:"

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the city to proceed with the improvement of Eleventh Street from its present section with the West property line of Austin street, to its intersection with the East property line of Grace Street, by raising, grading and filling and installing concrete curbs and gutters and paving with Warrenite-Bithulithic Pavement on concrete foundation, and all lots and land abutting on said street and all lots and land benefitted by means of the said improvement, and such assessment, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed, and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.

On the 27th day of March, A. D. 1922, in the Council Chamber in the Morgan Building in the City of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., all such owners and their agents or attorneys, or any other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fully heard by the Board of Aldermen, and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard.

The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owner thereof will be determined and an assessment therefor will be levied.

Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost therefor, and estimated amount of assessment against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.

The estimated cost of the said improvement is $13,578.36.

The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $10,368.40.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.5488 per lineal foot of curb; and

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is (a) Indiana to Scott $3,4486 (b) Scott to Lamar $7,1811 per front foot.

All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents of attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board of said time and place.

Done in accordance with resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1922.

GEO. W. THORBORN,
City Clerk.

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ment, and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard.

The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each lot or parcel of land and the owner thereof will be determined and an assessment therefor will be levied.

Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost therefor, and estimated amount of assessment against each lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.

The estimated cost of the said improvement is $2,781.92.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.5488 per lineal foot of curb; and

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and other property for pavement and excavation is $0.0093 per front foot.

All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment thereof, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board of said time and place.

Done in accordance with resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1922.

GEO. W. THORBORN,
City Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable 89th District Court of Wichita County, on the 25th day of February, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of said court against the Texas National Oil and Refining Corporation for the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-four and 50-100 (2844.50) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 11936-C in said court, styled G. W. Whitman versus Texas National Oil and Refining Corporation et al and placed in my hands for service: I, Fred K. Smith, as sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 25th day of February, 1922, levy on certain real estate situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to-wit:

The oil and gas lease and leasehold estate, and all interest owned therein, being an individual one-half interest, together with all personal property thereon situated, as follows:

First tract:

Out of block 88, Red River Valley lands, beginning 1320 feet west and 1258 feet north of SE. corner of block 88; thence west 42½ feet; thence north 120 feet; thence east 42½ feet; thence south 120 feet.

Second Tract:

Out of block 88 Red River Valley lands, beginning 1320 feet west and 1458 feet north of SE. corner of block 88; thence west 42½ feet; thence north 120 feet; thence east 42½ feet; thence south 120 feet.

Levied on as the property of the Texas National Oil and Refining Corporation, and also as to any interest therein of W. D. Eckel, J. A. Dewitt, N. L. Stewart, trustee, H. E. Granville, trustee, J. E. Clark, Dee Conner, Jim Conner, R. A. Hanthorn, E. J. Pope, Alex Johnson and Pope and Co.

And on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1922, at the Court House door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m., I will sell said property at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said Texas National Oil and Ref. Corp. as well as any interest of the other defendants have therein, by virtue of said levy said judgment and order of sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Wichita Falls Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this, the 25th day of February, 1922.

(SEAL) FRED K. SMITH.
Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas.
By F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

NOTICE OF HEARING TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS.

No. 646.

Notice is hereby given, to whom concerned, that the Beaver Creek Water Company, the postoffice address of which is Wichita Falls, Texas, did on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1922, file its application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which it applies for a permit to appropriate of the unappropriated waters of the State, from Beaver Creek, a tributary of the Red River, in Wichita County, Texas, sufficient water for mining purposes, to be diverted by means of a pumping plant, said pumping plant to be located at a point which bears N. 27 degrees 55 minutes W. 2481 feet from the Southeast corner of S. O. Fowler Survey No. A78, on the South bank of the Beaver Creek, in Wichita County, Texas, and in distant in a Southwesterly direction from Wichita Falls, Texas, twenty-five miles.

You are hereby further notified that the said Beaver Creek Water Company is to install a pumping plant, to consist of one 6x6 Triplex Worthington and one 5x10 Duplex, having a lift of 16 feet, operated by one 15 H. P. Gasoline and one 40 or 50 H. P. Crude Oil engine, and to divert therewith not to exceed 300 acre-

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feet of water per annum for the purpose of mining.

A hearing on the application of the said Beaver Creek Water Company will be held by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in the office of the Board at Austin, Texas, on Monday, March 27th, A. D. 1922, beginning at ten o'clock a. m. at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the said Board in Austin, Texas, this the 14th day of February, A. D. 1922.

JNO. A. NORRIS.
(SEAL) C. S. CLARK.
A. H. DUNLAP.
Board of Water Engineers.

Attest:
A. W. McDONALD, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for the improvement of Burnett street in Wichita Falls, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Clerk until 8 p. m. March 20, 1922, and then publicly opened.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK TO BE DONE

The proposed work consists of paving Burnett street from S. P. L. 10th street to 230 feet south of S. P. L. 16th street with reinforced concrete, Warrenite-bitulithic or brick on concrete base, being approximately a total of 17,400 square yards of pavement, 2,900 linear feet curb, 600 linear feet headers, 18,180 square yards excavation.

INFORMATION

All information relative to plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer, Wichita Falls, Texas.

A certified check of five (5) per cent of the bid price must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract in accordance with the requirements of the specifications.

The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject any and all proposals and to waive all technicalities.

Proposals shall be submitted in plain sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for Paving Burnett Street."

GEO. W. THORBURN,
City Clerk.

Publish March 5, 12, and 15th.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.

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And on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1922, at the Court House Door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m., I will sell said real estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said T. O. Brooks, by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this the 3rd day of March, 1922.

FRED K. SMITH,
Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.
By F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for the improvement of Burnett street in Wichita Falls, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Clerk until 8 p. m. March 20, 1922, and then publicly opened.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK TO BE DONE

The proposed work consists of paving Burnett street from S. P. L. 10th street to 230 feet south of S. P. L. 16th street with reinforced concrete, Warrenite-bitulithic or brick on concrete base, being approximately a total of 17,400 square yards of pavement, 2,900 linear feet curb, 600 linear feet headers, 18,180 square yards excavation.

INFORMATION

All information relative to plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer, Wichita Falls, Texas.

A certified check of five (5) per cent of the bid price must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract in accordance with the requirements of the specifications.

The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject any and all proposals and to waive all technicalities.

Proposals shall be submitted in plain sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for Paving Burnett Street."

GEO. W. THORBURN,
City Clerk.

Publish March 5, 12, and 15th.

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GUIDE SHOWS ADVANTAGES OF WICHITA FALLS WHOLESALERS IN SHIPPING TO NEARBY PLACES

Wichita Falls' real advantage over Dallas and other Texas jobbing centers in the matter of freight rates which must be paid by customers of Wichita Falls wholesale houses, as opposed to higher rates on shipments from other points, is graphically disclosed in a table of comparison in the "Shippers Guide" recently published by the Trades Extension Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce, and being distributed to local wholesalers for sending to their customers.

For instance, a merchant at Abilene, buying goods from a wholesaler at Dallas which take a first class rate in less than carload lots, must pay a freight rate of $1.30 1-2 as opposed to a rate of $1.17 if purchased from a Wichita Falls wholesaler.

At Altus and Frederick and Duncan, Okla., and similarly situated places, the comparison is even greater, in the first two instances the goods from Wichita Falls paying less than half the freight. A shipper at Seymour pays less than half the rate from Wichita Falls that he has to pay from Dallas, while a wide margin from Wichita Falls exists as regards Graham and Breckenridge and intermediate points. The advantage exists by reason of the same rates applying to shipments to Wichita Falls from outside markets as to Dallas and other points—all in common point territory. So it costs the local wholesaler no more to ship his goods in than it does his Dallas competitor, but his customers in Wichita Falls trades territory have a distinct advantage in dollars and cents.

This is only one of the advantages of the book, which was prepared by traffic experts under the direction of the Trades Extension Bureau, Chamber of Commerce, consisting of E. S. Goodner, chairman; Jack Barnard, vice chairman, George Gutzman, R. E. Penick, John W. Bradley, Norris Ewing and John W. Thomas.

In addition to the comparison of rates, class rates from the important markets of the United States, showing at a glance the cost to the wholesaler of shipping in a bill, are given; as well as class rates from Wichita Falls to points in Oklahoma; railroad fares from Wichita Falls to nearby points and important cities at a distance are also figured, an aid to houses employing traveling representatives. Finally important passenger traffic regulations are published.

The table showing comparison in freight rates between Dallas and Wichita Falls to points picked at random through the Wichita Falls trade territory follows:

"Station—	Dallas 1st Class	W. Falls 1st Class
Abilene	130½	117
Altus, Okla.	151	77
Amarillo	181½	140½
Archer City	133½	51½
Bowie	90	61½
Breckenridge	130½	90
Burkburnett	130½	42½
Childress	164½	92
Clarendon	173	120
Devol, Okla.	130½	49½
Electra	137	51½
Frederick, Okla.	140½	64
Gainesville	81½	81½
Graham	102	71½
Henrietta	115½	46
Holliday	130½	42½
Iowa Park	130½	42½
Memphis	160	107½
Newcastle	125½	67
Olney	123½	59½
Petrolia	130½	46
Quanah	154	77
Ringgold	100	54
Seymour	137	64
South Bend	121	77
Stamford	150½	94½
Vernon	144	61½
Oklahoma		
Chickasha	133½	108
Duncan	120	93
Terral	102	70
Waurika	112	80½

Representatives Hardy and Davis Tell Shipping Board Members They Refuse to Be "Bound and Gagged"

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Two of the democratic members of the house merchant marine committee, Davis, Tennessee, and Hardy, Texas, replying today to the written suggestion by democratic members of the shipping board to democratic committeemen that they withhold judgment on ship subsidy legislation until after hearings, announced that "they respectfully refused to be bound and gagged."

The letter sent by Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Thompson and Rear Admiral Benson, retired, members of the board, stated that the board had unanimously recommended direct and indirect aid to American shipping as proposed in the bill prepared by the board and introduced immediately after President Harding's address to congress.

Mr. Davis and Hardy conceded that the shipping problem should be "solved upon merit and principle and not upon partisanship."

"It is generally understood," they wrote, "that Chairman Lasker was appointed because of very shrewd and valuable political service rendered during the last campaign; he certainly could not have been appointed on any knowledge of shipping matters."

"Having, as he believes, successfully lined up the republican members of the senate and house committees," the letter added, "Chairman Lasker has apparently assigned you gentlemen the task of lining up democrats on the committees. However, you may tell Chairman Lasker that we are not as easily ensnared as some people he has come in contact with. We respectfully refuse to be bound and gagged, while he and the rest of you advocates of this iniquitious ship subsidy bill industriously disseminate your deceptive propaganda and lull the people and congress to sleep while you complete the job."

Mr. Davis and Mrs. Hardy contended "there is less excuse for ship subsidies now than ever before by reason of the fact that our immense government owned fleet can be purchased by private operators at considerably less than world market prices."

"Yet, the bill you now propose," they said, "would take more than fifty million dollars a year out of the pockets of the taxpayers and put in the pockets of a few private ship lines, after amending the present law, so that the governmens ships may be sold to them at ridiculously low prices."

To Organize "Knot Hole" Gang Friday

New posts of Sons of Confederate Veterans are to be organized in various points throughout the southwest in the next few weeks, according to the plans formulated in headquarters here this week, by Judge Edgar Scurry, commander in chief, and Carl Hinton, adjutant in chief, who is here from Denver for this campaign. Adjutant Hinton is accompanied by Mrs. Hinton, who will make the automobile trip over Texas with the two officers.

This trip will extend over the month of March, and early in April Judge Scurry and Mr. and Mrs. Hinton will go to Richmond to begin preliminaries for the 1922 reunion which will be held in the former Confederate capitol city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hinton are at the Kemp hotel, and are enjoying very much, renewing of friendships formed at the various reunions, with the Wichita Falls Sons and Daughters of the Confederacy.

RANGER SCENE OF PROLONGED PISTOL BATTLE

By Associated Press.

RANGER, Texas, March 11.—Police tonight were on the look out here for the party of masked men last night engaged in a gun fight with Earl Douglas, oil worker, and an associate, about 75 shots being exchanged. No one was reported injured.

Douglas told police today that he had been captured by a group of men on Feb. 18, last and later released, unharmed, after being warned to leave the vicinity. He refused to leave. Last night, he told officers, he saw a body of masked men approaching his house. From his window, he said, he saw the men bind another oil worker to a derrick, apparently to prevent his warning Douglas of their approach.

Douglas armed himself and a companion, and went out to meet the party, according to his statement. During the fight which followed the bound man escaped when the rope holding him gave way.

The town is quiet tonight.

SUES TRACTION CO., ALLEGING CUT FIRE HOSE

The Wichita Falls Traction company was made defendant in a $4000 damage suit filed by Curtis Atkinson, local resident, in the 89th district court Saturday. The same set of facts are alleged in the suit as in those filed the fore part of the week by two insurance companies against the traction company.

In the petition filed Saturday the plaintiff alleges that the residence in which he lived at 1201 Burnett street caught fire on March 12 of 1920. He alleges that the fire department were figthing the fire with a hose connection which stretched across the tracks of the defendant company. The petition alleges that the fire department had the fire under control when a street car operated by an employe of the company willfully drove across the hose cutting off the supply of water.

CHARGE WOMAN WITH ATTEMPT TO KILL MAN

Complaints charging assault with intent to murder and the operation of a bawdy house were sworn out Saturday against a woman resident of the "flat district" in connection with a shooting which is alleged to have occurred at her home Friday evening by a member of the sheriff's department. The woman was arrested by police officers shortly after she is alleged to have shot a man residing in this city.

The bullet struck the man in the knee with only a minor injury resulting. The bond for the two offenses was set at $800. She furnished the bond and was released from the custody of officers.

IOWA PARK AND ELECTRA MASS MEETINGS TO BE HELD THIS AFTERNOON

DALLAS POLICE PROTECT MAN BAND FLOGGED

Chief of Detectives Announces New Clues Have Been Obtained in Rothblum Whipping Case.

By Associated Press.

DALLAS, March 11.—Investigation by the Dallas county grand jury in the Philip Rothblum flogging case will be continued Monday morning, District Attorney Maury Hughes said late today.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothblum arrived here this morning from Little Rock, Ark., where they had sought refuge after Rothblum had been ordered to leave Dallas by the whipping party. They were accompanied by Captain of Detectives Moffett, who assured them of police protection during the investigation. Mrs. Rothblum still declares she can identify one of her husband's assailants, if he is brought before her.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothblum will go before the grand jury Monday morning to furnish what information they may have to that body. A number of witnesses went before the grand jury today in connection with the matter. The jury adjourned at noon, without taking any action.

New clues, the nature of which he refused to divulge, have been obtained by Chief of Detective Gunning, he declared today.

To Perfect Organization of Branches of Wichita County Association; Several Wichitans Attending.

Iowa Park and Electra people have mass meetings scheduled this afternoon for perfecting their organization of branches of the Wichita County Citizens' association, formed for the purpose of openly standing for law enforcement, and for forcing the removal of officers who do not enforce the laws.

While organizations have been functioning in both places since the start of the movement with a county mass meeting here two Sundays ago, no general meeting such as has been held here and in Burkburnett has yet been held. Several of the members of the county executive committee from Wichita Falls have been invited to attend the meetings, and will attend both, as will some of the Burkburnett committeemen.

Frank Boyd, Iowa Park executive committeeman, and elected vice chairman of the county committee, will preside at the Iowa Park meeting which will be called at 2 o'clock and will be held at the Park theater. It was not announced last night who would preside at the Electra meeting. It will be held in the Gem theater at 3:30.

The formation of the association, which is to hold another county mass meeting soon at which there may be "interesting" disclosures, has already been attended by concrete results, in the belief of those active in the movement. The whiskey business, which the late grand jury reported was being carried on openly and across the bars, has been cut in half with the renewed vigilance of the officers since the formation of the association, according to "unofficial" reports.

NEGRO BEATEN AND ONE OF HIS EARS CUT OFF

By Associated Press.

TULSA, Okla., March 11.—John Smitherman, negro, former deputy sheriff and policeofficer, who was seized at an early hour this morning by a band of white men, forced into an automobile and spirited to the country, was found late this afternoon at Claremore and brought back to Tulsa, authorities announced today.

One of Smethermans' ears had been cut off, according to officers, and the negro had been subjected to a terrific beating. No details of Smitherman's punishment were given out by the officers.

The negro was lodged in the county jail for safekeeping.

OSTEOPATHS ESTABLISH A FREE CLINIC

A free clinic for the treatment of children suffering from physical deformities is being established by the osteopathic physicians of Wichita Falls, under the auspices of the League for the Prevention of Spinal Curvature, a national organization directed by osteopaths.

For a time the clinic will be held in the offices of Drs. Scharff and Peterson on the third floor of the Morgan building, twice weekly on Tuesdays and Thursdays. In order to care for more deserving cases the civic and charitable organizations of the city have been requested to select the youngsters who will be treated.

"There are many deformed and crippled children who would have a better chance in life if their parents could afford to have them receive the proper treatement," Dr. Scharff explained yesterday. "Osteopathic physicians all over the country are trying to help these children. Any surgery that can be done in the office will be performed also on all cases that may need such attention."

Interest in the work of the League for the Prevention of Spinal Curvature has been further aroused by an offer from the league of a prize of $1500 to the person found to possess the most perfect spine.

ATHLETIC NEWSIES TO BE GUESTS OF OLYMPIC THEATER

Members of the Newsboy's Athletic club will be the guests of Henry Ford at the Olympic theater tomorrow night, and will witness a showing of "The World's Champion," with Wallace Reid playing the leading role. Douglas Pipes, director of the club, is urging the boys to be at the First M. E. Church, South, at Tenth and Lamar streets, at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening.

DISTRICT MOTHERS' CLUBS TO CONVENE NEXT IN AMARILLO

By Associated Press.

AMARILLO, March 11.—This city was designated as the 1923 meeting place for the annual convention of the first district congress of mothers clubs, at the congress held at Ranger Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. John Sims of Clarendon was elected president; Mrs. M. H. Moore, first vice president; Mrs. Z. C. Stockler, De Leon, second vice president; Mrs. A. M. B. Robertson, Amarillo, third vice president; Mrs. Clyde Attebury, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. D. Young, Canadian, recording secretary, and Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, Ranger, treasurer.

TEXAS COLLEGE MATMEN LOSE TO OKLA. A. & M.

By Associated Press.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, March 11.—The Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical college wrestling team tonight won the Southwestern Conference championship by defeating both the Texas university team and that of the Texas A. & M. college here. Oklahoma's score was 35. The Texas university team won second place with score of 25, and Texas A. & M. won third place with 21. The absence of Captain Gardner, due to sickness, handicapped the Texas Aggies.

The result of meet follows:

115 Pound class—Foster, Oklahoma A. & M., won over Scurlock, Texas U., on decision.

125 Pound class—Foliert, Oklahoma A. & M., won over Gardner, Texas A. & M., by default.

135 Pound class—Matthes, Texas A. & M., won over Frost, Oklahoma A. & M., by decision in a ten minute extension.

145 Pound class—Dale, Oklahoma A. & M., won over Rowland, Texas A. & M., by decision.

158 Pound class—Bistoe, Oklahoma A. & M., won over Shropshire, Texas U., by decision.

175 Pound class—Gorman, Texas U., won over Reed, Oklahoma A. & M., by decision.

Unlimited class—Craddock, Texas U., won over Jarvis, Texas A. & M., by a fall.

BURK LODGE ODD FELLOWS ORGANIZED

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Mar. 11.—Burkburnett Lodge No. 747, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, was organized Friday night with nine charter members. The work was put on by Panhandle Lodge No. 341 of Wichita Falls, and there were 125 Odd Fellows present, including 73 visitors from Wichita Falls, Iowa Park and other nearby points. Twenty-three different lodges were represented.

Officers were elected as follows: William H. Patton, Noble Grand; N. O. Midgett, Vice Grand; C. W. Copeland, secretary; T. L. Griffin, treasurer. The charter members include, in addition to the officers, J. E. Perkins, J. Z. Wilson, P. E. Dutton, Paul E. Fields and John G. Grimes.

The class under instruction numbered 44 members for the Burkburnett lodge. A large number of transfers are to be submitted before the next meeting and it is believed that the membership will reach 250 or 300 before the close of the first year.

The session Friday was extended well into early morning. During a supper recess the party repaired to the City Cafe, where an elaborate menu was served.

Isbell Makes Report of Prices Paid for Sand

In the construction of the 40 miles of concrete road in the county a train of cars approximately six miles in length filled with sand have been used, according to a report made by J. M. Isbell, county engineer, to Judge J. P. Jones of the county court. The distance represents 1064 cars of sand which have been actually received for the road work.

The report shows the comparative costs of the sands used.

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BUILDING HULL GREAT DREDGE NEAR BIG DAM

Begin Assembling Parts of Machine Dismantled on Puget Sound and Shipped Across Country.

The organization of the Puget Sound Dredging company started this past week erecting the hull for the big floating electric dredge which will form the "puddle core" for the storage dam of the irrigation project.

The dredge was dismantled at Puget Sound some weeks ago and shipped across country. It will not get into action until well into the summer, however, as it will be that time before the preliminary work on the dam will be to a sufficient point that it can be closed to a sufficient depth to float the dredge. When that point is reached, the work will be carried out rapidly, the dredge having a capacity of half a million cubic yards monthly.

Preparations for speeding up work on the storage dam are under way on the part of the W. E. Callahan Construction company, general contractors, who have a power steam shovel excavating for the large conduits at present. Another steam shovel is to be put on the work, and a drag line is to be put to work on the embankment.

The muck ditch for steel piling for the embankment of the diversion dam is about complete and the driving of the piling is going ahead rapidly. The drag line which excavated the big muck ditch will be employed in building up the embankment.

Five of the teaming outfits are now at work on the south side canal. Five miles of the big ditch have been completed, and it is under construction up to mile 17. The sixth teaming outfit is at work at the storage dam.

Writer Recalls Moral Menances Of Bygone Days

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Mar. 11.—In the way of moral menace the old fashioned buggy possessed all the potentialities of the automobile, according to a bulletin issued today by the morality department of the national W. C. T. U.

Written by Mrs. Ruth Kimball Gardiner, the article expressed doubt as to whether the modern dance steps and other amusements of the present generation are "proportionately more dangerous than the kissing games of bygone days."

It concluded with a plea to parents "to train yourselves first, then you will be in a position to train your children."

Ghost Hunter Has Suddenly Become Silent

By Associated Press.

HALIFAX, N. S., March 11.—Dr. Walter Franklin Prince, scientific ghost hunter, today withheld news of what happened last night in the "haunted" house of Alex McDonald at Caledonia Mills.

This fact, Dr. Prince's announcement of leaving the haunted house next Monday morning, gave rise to reports that Dr. Prince had captured the ghostly visitor or at least had discovered what or who "it" was.

The investigator applied last night all the ghost bait he could think of. The MacDonald lares and penates were restored to their old places in the house and the MacDonalds themselves, Alex and Little Mary Ellen, their adopted daughter—slept in their old rooms, in their old beds.

W. H. Dennis, publisher of the Halifax Herald, today expressed confidence that Dr. Prince had solved the mystery of fires, ghostly apparitions and mysterious rapping which drove the MacDonald's out.

Dr. Prince wasn't the sort of man who would give up the quest or the ghost so quickly otherwise, Mr. Dennis ruminated.

He said Dr. Prince, who is withholding news of what happened last night, had expressed a desire to be permitted to conclude his investigations in secret. A full report will be published after he has finished the spooky job.

Tonight Dr. Prince keeps vigil with Harold Whidden, Halifax reporter, who claims to have been slapped by the ghost.

Sunday night, Dr. Prince will shoo the reporters out and, singlehanded, dare the ghost to come forth and scare him.

"GHOST" CONTINUES HURLING ROCKS IN CALIFORNIA TOWN

By Associated Press.

CHICO, Cal., March 11.—Chico has a rival of the ghost of Antigonish, only it operates in the daytime and throws rocks instead of slapping wrists and starting fires. Its target is a warehouse and, according to a statement by the police today, it rarely misses.

Yesterday the superintendent of the warehouse sent a workman up to sweep the rocks off the roof. The workman had no sooner gotten under way than a big red brick was hissed by his ear. He ducked, but a barrage of smaller bricks and rocks rooted him out.

Watchers have been set to find the ghost, who has been operating almost daily for more than three weeks, but have found no trace of it. A reward of $200 goes to any one who can solve the mystery.

Must Be Worse Than Leading a Horse to Water

Mr. T. B. Masters was badly bruised about the head and face and one limb on Sunday, while leading a horse out of Water.—Edwin Cor. Mt Gilead Union Register.

Will a Fourth Man Enter the Life of Madalynne and Bring Her Happiness?



Madalynne Obenchain and the three men who have entered and passed out of her life to date. At lower right is J. Beldon Kennedy. Above, at left, Arthur C. Burch. At right, Ralph Obenchain.

Special to the Record News.

LOS ANGELES, March 11.—Will another—a fourth man—enter the life of Madalynne Obenchain and bring to her the happiness which three men, so far, have failed to bring?

Will Cupid show his perseverance by seeking a new mate for her if she is acquitted of the murder of J. Beldon Kennedy, one of three men who have entered her life to date? Arthur C. Burch, another lover, is awaiting trial on the same charge.

Los Angeles is asking these questions following the failure recently of "Steady" Ralph Obenchain, "the man in a million," to take his accustomed place at his former wife's side in the courtroom where she is being tried.

Has "Steady" Ralph, the divorced husband who rushed to her assistance when she was thrown into jail, been tossed into discard?

Obenchain was "the man in a million" when he rushed across the continent to his divorced wife's assistance in answer to her appeal for help after her arrest.

He won the above title but lost a responsible position because of the publicity incurred.

He helped arrange Madalynne's defense and raised the necessary funds by acting the story of his life and love in the movies. He told her he still loved her and she consented to marry him again as soon as she was acquitted.

Now there are vague rumors among court attaches and spectators that she has grown cold toward him.

To queries regarding "Steady" Ralph's absence, Mrs. Obenchain has given studied and preoccupied answers. And she is signing her name Madalynne Donna Connor instead of Dadalyne Connor Obenchain.

These have given rise to the reports that Ralph has been banished.

And if he has, another entered her heart. Los Angeles believes that only the verdict of the trial will tell the story.

Obenchain's sacrifices for his divorced wife began when he allowed her to get a divorce when he found she loved the slain broker. It was then he told her to call on him if she ever needed assistance.

U. D. C. MEETS WITH MRS. BRITAIN SATURDAY

With Mrs. Carl Hinton, wife of the adjutant in chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, and Judge Edgar Scurry, the commander of the S. C. V. as guests of honor, and many other points of interest in the program, the W. R. Scurry Chapter of the U. D. C. held one of the best meetings of the season Saturday afternoon at the home of Judge and Mrs. A. H. Britain, with Mrs. Fred C. Barron, joining Mrs. Britain as hostess.

Roll call was responded to with current events and Mrs. Sutton, a visitor from the Meridian, Miss., chapter, told of the work of the U. D. C. in Mississippi. Judge Scurry made an interesting talk, on various subjects of interest to the Daughters. The program topic was "Texas Heroes," Mrs. Susie Potts giving a sketch of General Sam Houston, and Mrs. E. T. Barker telling of the famous battle of Sabine Pass, and its hero, Daring Dick Dowling.

The musical program was much enjoyed. Mrs. Hinton sang on special request, "Kathleen Mavourneen," accompanied by Mrs. Britain, and Mrs. Jouette Bonner gave two violin selections, Mrs. Britain also accompanying this number. A third number was a vocal selection, "Sing Me to Sleep," by Miss Scott, with violin obligato by Misses Cecelia Adickes and Marian Maer, and piano accompaniment by Mrs. Fred C. Barron.

A tempting refreshment plate was served at the close of the program, and a social half hour then enjoyed. During this time Mrs E. L. Fulton, director of the Studio Players, made the announcement that the Studio Players had been accepted in the Drama League of America, and that a charter would soon be received. Several new sponsor members were received at this time.

Those present included: Judge Scurry, Mrs. Carl Hinton of Denver, Colo., Sutton of Meridian, Miss., Mesdames Potts, Bell, Livingston Fain, B. J. Bean, Pruitt, Jouette Bonner, S. A. L. Morgan, Bond, Geoffrey Shaw, E. L. Fulton, Colquitt, J. C. Carson, Walker, R. S. Healy, O. W. Wilson, B. A. Riddles, Hugh Jones, W. L. Scott, Fred C. Barron, G. D. Anderson, P. A. Martin, Britain, E. T. Duff, S. Y. Ferguson, M. Gaffney, E. T. Barker Granbury, John C. Kay, Lemen, Mollie McElroy, Charles Pogenpohl, J. W. Stone, John W. Naylor, Mack Thomas, Misses Jennie Morgan, Cecelia, Adickes, Scott and Maer.

OFFICERS ESCAPE WITH NEGRO WHEN JAIL IS STORMED

By Associated Press.

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Surely sadness and misfortune shall follow such an one all the days of his life and he will dwell in the houses of landlords for ever; unless, peradventure he decide to follow no more after the strange Goddess of Fickleness but will at once call into consultation Ben Neal, a dealer in real estate, whose phone is 3333 (it's so easy to remember) and whose office is in the building called Waggoner, which is found where Eighth meets Scott.

He will there be advised where he might, with infinite saving, pitch his permanent tent. If such a course is followed, then can it be truly said that wisdom hath not fled to brutish beasts nor hath he lost his reason. Selah!

BUILDING HULL GREAT DREDGE NEAR BIG DAM

Begin Assembling Parts of Machine Dismantled on Puget Sound and Shipped Across Country.

The organization of the Puget Sound Dredging company started this past week erecting the hull for the big floating electric dredge which will form the "puddle core" for the storage dam of the irrigation project.

The dredge was dismantled at Puget Sound some weeks ago and shipped across country. It will not get into action until well into the summer, however, as it will be that time before the preliminary work on the dam will be to a sufficient point that it can be closed to a sufficient depth to float the dredge. When that point is reached, the work will be carried out rapidly, the dredge having a capacity of half a million cubic yards monthly.

Preparations for speeding up work on the storage dam are under way on the part of the W. E. Callahan Construction company, general contractors, who have a power steam shovel excavating for the large conduits at present. Another steam shovel is to be put on the work, and a drag line is to be put to work on the embankment.

The muck ditch for steel piling for the embankment of the diversion dam is about complete and the driving of the piling is going ahead rapidly. The drag line which excavated the big muck ditch will be employed in building up the embankment.

Five of the teaming outfits are now at work on the south side canal. Five miles of the big ditch have been completed, and it is under construction up to mile 17. The sixth teaming outfit is at work at the storage dam.

Writer Recalls Moral Menances Of Bygone Days

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Mar. 11.—In the way of moral menace the old fashioned buggy possessed all the potentialities of the automobile, according to a bulletin issued today by the morality department of the national W. C. T. U.

Written by Mrs. Ruth Kimball Gardiner, the article expressed doubt as to whether the modern dance steps and other amusements of the present generation are "proportionately more dangerous than the kissing games of bygone days."

It concluded with a plea to parents "to train yourselves first, then you will be in a position to train your children."

Ghost Hunter Has Suddenly Become Silent

By Associated Press.

HALIFAX, N. S., March 11.—Dr. Walter Franklin Prince, scientific ghost hunter, today withheld news of what happened last night in the "haunted" house of Alex McDonald at Caledonia Mills.

This fact, Dr. Prince's announcement of leaving the haunted house next Monday morning, gave rise to reports that Dr. Prince had captured the ghostly visitor or at least had discovered what or who "it" was.

The investigator applied last night all the ghost bait he could think of. The MacDonald lares and penates were restored to their old places in the house and the MacDonalds themselves, Alex and Little Mary Ellen, their adopted daughter—slept in their old rooms, in their old beds.

W. H. Dennis, publisher of the Halifax Herald, today expressed confidence that Dr. Prince had solved the mystery of fires, ghostly apparitions and mysterious rapping which drove the MacDonald's out.

Dr. Prince wasn't the sort of man who would give up the quest or the ghost so quickly otherwise, Mr. Dennis ruminated.

He said Dr. Prince, who is withholding news of what happened last night, had expressed a desire to be permitted to conclude his investigations in secret. A full report will be published after he has finished the spooky job.

Tonight Dr. Prince keeps vigil with Harold Whidden, Halifax reporter, who claims to have been slapped by the ghost.

Sunday night, Dr. Prince will shoo the reporters out and, singlehanded, dare the ghost to come forth and scare him.

"GHOST" CONTINUES HURLING ROCKS IN CALIFORNIA TOWN

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CHICO, Cal., March 11.—Chico has a rival of the ghost of Antigonish, only it operates in the daytime and throws rocks instead of slapping wrists and starting fires. Its target is a warehouse and, according to a statement by the police today, it rarely misses.

Yesterday the superintendent of the warehouse sent a workman up to sweep the rocks off the roof. The workman had no sooner gotten under way than a big red brick was hissed by his ear. He ducked, but a barrage of smaller bricks and rocks rooted him out.

Watchers have been set to find the ghost, who has been operating almost daily for more than three weeks, but have found no trace of it. A reward of $200 goes to any one who can solve the mystery.

Must Be Worse Than Leading a Horse to Water

Mr. T. B. Masters was badly bruised about the head and face and one limb on Sunday, while leading a horse out of Water.—Edison Cor. Mt. Gilead Union Register.

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Los Angeles is asking these questions following the failure recently of "Steady" Ralph Obenchain, "the man in a million," to take his accustomed place at his former wife's side in the courtroom where she is being tried.

Has "Steady" Ralph, the divorced husband who rushed to her assistance when she was thrown into jail, been tossed into discard?

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He won the above title but lost a responsible position because of the publicity incurred.

He helped arrange Madalynne's defense and raised the necessary funds by acting the story of his life and love in the movies. He told her he still loved her and she consented to marry him again as soon as she was acquitted.

Now there are vague rumors among court attaches and spectators that she has grown cold toward him.

To queries regarding "Steady" Ralph's absence, Mrs. Obenchain has given studied and preoccupied answers. And she is signing her name Madalynne Donna Connor instead of Dadalyne Connor Obenchain.

These have given rise to the reports that Ralph has been banished.

And if he has, another entered her heart. Los Angeles believes that only the verdict of the trial will tell the story.

Obenchain's sacrifices for his divorced wife began when he allowed her to get a divorce when he found she loved the slain broker. It was then he told her to call on him if she ever needed assistance.

U. D. C. MEETS WITH MRS. BRITAIN SATURDAY

With Mrs. Carl Hinton, wife of the adjutant in chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, and Judge Edgar Scurry, the commander of the S. C. V. as guests of honor, and many other points of interest in the program, the W. R. Scurry Chapter of the U. D. C. held one of the best meetings of the season Saturday afternoon at the home of Judge and Mrs. A. H. Britain, with Mrs. Fred C. Barron, joining Mrs. Britain as hostess.

Roll call was responded to with current events and Mrs. Sutton, a visitor from the Meridian, Miss., chapter, told of the work of the U. D. C. in Mississippi. Judge Scurry made an interesting talk, on various subjects of interest to the Daughters. The program topic was "Texas Heroes," Mrs. Susie Potts giving a sketch of General Sam Houston, and Mrs. E. T. Barker telling of the famous battle of Sabine Pass, and its hero, Daring Dick Dowling.

The musical program was much enjoyed. Mrs. Hinton sang on special request, "Kathleen Mavourneen," accompanied by Mrs. Britain, and Mrs. Jouette Bonner gave two violin selections, Mrs. Britain also accompanying this number. A third number was a vocal selection, "Sing Me to Sleep," by Miss Scott, with violin obligato by Misses Cecelia Adickes and Marian Maer, and piano accompaniment by Mrs. Fred C. Barron.

A tempting refreshment plate was served at the close of the program, and a social half hour then enjoyed. During this time Mrs E. L. Fulton, director of the Studio Players, made the announcement that the Studio Players had been accepted in the Drama League of America, and that a charter would soon be received. Several new sponsor members were received at this time.

Those present included: Judge Scurry, Mrs. Carl Hinton of Denver, Colo., Sutton of Meridian, Miss., Mesdames Potts, Bell, Livingston Fain, B. J. Bean, Pruitt, Jouette Bonner, S. A. L. Morgan, Bond, Geoffrey Shaw, E. L. Fulton, Colquitt, J. C. Carson, Walker, R. S. Healy, O. W. Wilson, B. A. Riddles, Hugh Jones, W. L. Scott, Fred C. Barron, G. D. Anderson, P. A. Martin, Britain, E. T. Duff, S. Y Ferguson, M. Gaffney, E. T. Barker Granbury, John C. Kay, Lemen, Mollie McElroy, Charles Pogenpohl, J. W. Stone, John W. Naylor, Mack Thomas, Misses Jennie Morgan, Cecelia Adickes, Scott and Maer.

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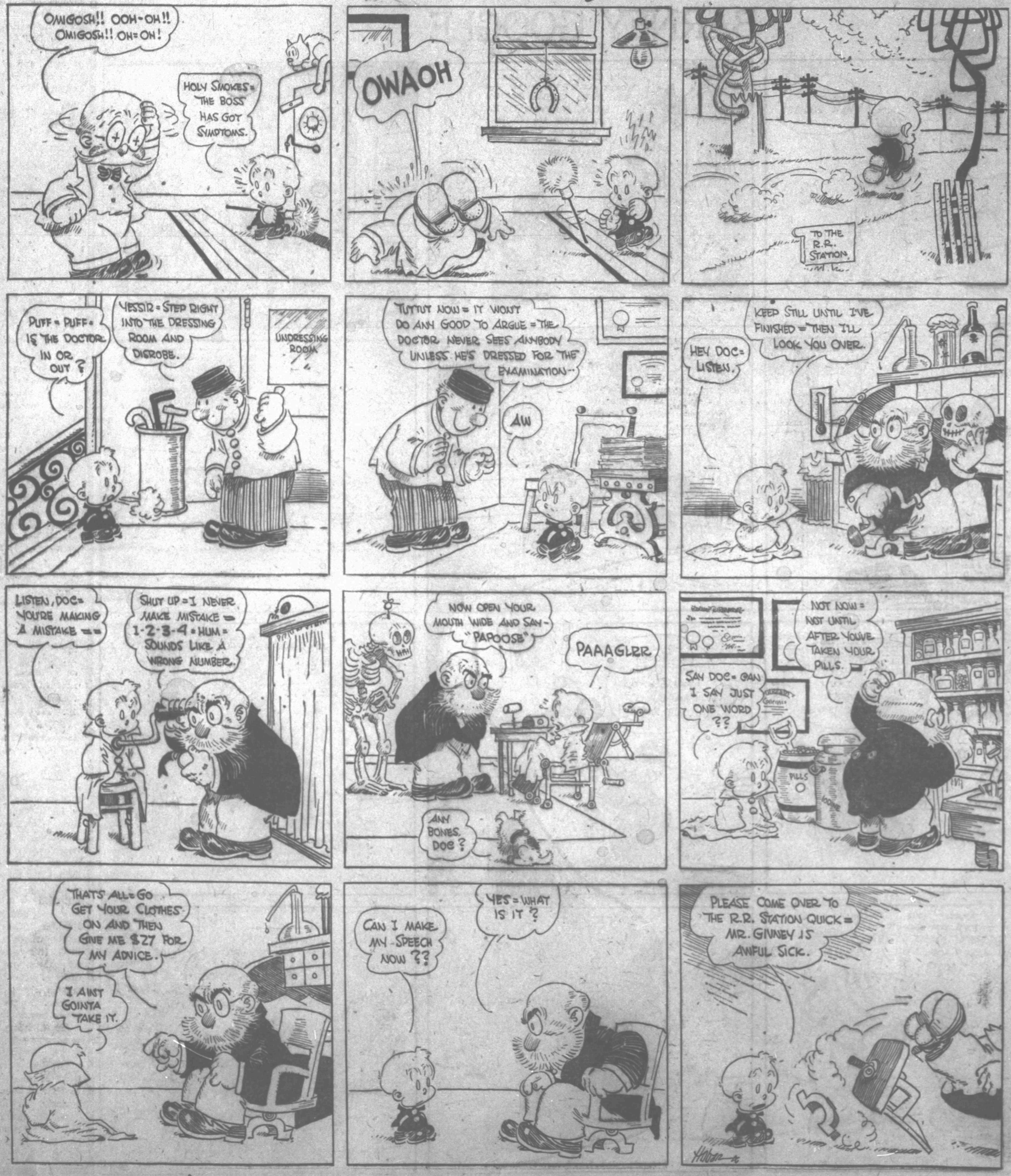
Surely sadness and misfortune shall follow such an one all the days of his life and he will dwell in the houses of landlords for ever; unless, peradventure he decide to follow no more after the strange Goddess of Fickleness but will at once call into consultation Ben Neal, a dealer in real estate, whose phone is 3333 (it's so easy to remember) and whose office is in the building called Waggoner, which is found where Eighth meets Scott.

He will there be advised where he might, with infinite saving, pitch his permanent tent. If such a course is followed, then can it be truly said that wisdom hath not fled to brutish beasts nor hath he lost his reason. Selah!

March 12, 1922

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Jerry on the Job



FEDERAL AGENTS HAVE LEARNED FORMULAE FOR "CORONERS COCKTAILS"

The Moral of the Story Is: If you Must Drink Make the Bootlegger Drink First Half Pint and Watch the Effect—If He Goes Blind Leave the Booze Alone.

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS.
(Record News Washington Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Prohibition is an accomplished fact, and persons who talk of light wine and beer as a means of paying the soldier's bonus or for any other purpose, are barking up the wrong tree, Prohibition Commissioner Roy Haynes today asserted.

Well, not quite accomplished but so nearly so that only political capital may now be made of it by setting up the straw men of opposition for knocking down.

And the fact of the matter is that opposition to prohibition, especially on the part of those who gain or would profit financially thereby, is the greatest aid the federal enforcement bureaus.

One drink of prohibition hootch is oblivion followed by funeral, music, or at least it would so appear, according to the statement of A. A. Spear, chief chemist of the internal revenue bureau, in charge of all samples of intoxicating beverages turned in by agents for analysis.

Approximately 1,500 samples have been turned in during the last five months, Mr. Spear said yesterday, and of this number less than 1 per cent were real whiskey. The remainder, according to analysis made, contained everything from a comporatively harmless quantity of mildly denatured alcohol to wood alcohol.

Deadly Concoctions.

Many of the formulas recited in cases heard recently in the police court sound so deadly, according to the statements of the analytical chemist, that the question is often asked how the drinking public imbibes and still manage to keep interested in thing mundane.

One of the chief ingredients used in the canufacture of prohibition beverages masquerading as whiskey is completed denatured alcohol which is a deadly poison. The denaturing process consists in taking grain alcohol and adding a wood alcohol and kerosene and in some cases mercury bichloride.

In a few instances the drinks handed in for analysis have nodt contained enough poison to kill the drinker, should he imbibe the whole quart but from the effects as noted in the case one sufferer who drank not wisely but too well are powerful enough to make the drinker sick for several days.

Ethel is another ingredient used by those peddlers of prohibition hottch. It is less harmful than other elements sometimes found in the concoctions that reach the hands of the prohibition chemists.

Sweet spirits of nitre can also be found in whiskey. This fluid, it is said, is a slow poison.

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TAKE 2—FEDERAL AGENTS ..

One man, according to Mr. Spear, brought in a bottle of whiskey which was merely wood alcohol with a small amount of caramel coloring to give the necessary coloring to the milky base.

Had the Color.

In another instance, a reddish colored fluid guaranteed by the man who sold it to have come from Canada and a superior brand of English rye, was found to have been made from alcohol denatured with kerosene, wood alcohol and of bichloride of mercury. A quantity of peppermint candy had been dissolved in the liquid, the red stripe imparting color and the flavoring taking away the taste of the wood alcohol that gave the drink its kick.

Even corn whiskey, which is known to be pure by the fact that it is without color, the chemist asserts is hardly safe, as lye is often added in small quantities to clear the fluid in order that it may be sold as triple distilled liquor.

One way that is apt to show the purchaser of liquor whether or not he is buying a passport to the happy lands above in the guise of a quart of whiskey is to add a small amount of water to an equal amount of whiskey or what is alleged whiskey. While not infallible, Spear says that if the beverage is based on wool alcohol or denatured alcohol in which the deadly poison is contained the liquor will lose its color and turn milky and cloudy.

Another test which will in many cases show whether liquor has denatured alcohol in it is to burn a quantity of the liquor and hold a porcelain dish in the flame. If soot collects on the plate it is safe to break the bottle in the back yard.

The samples from which the tests have been made are the result of about as many raids by prohibition officers as there are samples and in this number but a few persons have been cheated out of a good drink by the officer who seized the contraband.

Strong Stomachs.

Many cases have been reported to the police where men have purchased denatured alcohol for beverage use and runk it to their heart's content without apparently feeling any ill effects. One man who was recently sent to jail on a charge of intoxication when arrainged had two pints of completely denatured alcohol in his possession and stated that he had drunk about a gill from one bottle when he remembered no more.

A mode of drinking perhaps somewhat fragrant is that of perfume and hair tonic. Either of the last-named beverages or rather boudoir accessories will in time kill the most hardened drinker as they, too, have certain ingredients that are not good for the lining of the stomach.

Spear when asked if the gin sold on the alley curbs was safe to buy for beverage purposes remarked that from tests made in the laboratories it has been shown that a small amount of juniper when added to denatured and wood alcohol effectively disguises the undesirable taste and passes as a substitute for the genuine article.

The moral pointed out is if you must drink make the bootlegger drink the first half pint. Watch the effect and if the bootlegger goes blind leave the booze alone.

TEXAS OIL OUTPUT IN 1921; TEXAS COMPANY IN LEAD

AUSTIN, Texas, March 11.—Total production of oil in Texas during the last quarter of the year 1921 was 24,103,048 barrels, valued at $33,298,622; total production for the year, 94,130,807 barrels, valued at $139,184,860. The total state gross receipts in tax on oil production for the year 1921 were slightly more than two million dollars.

A total of 780 oil companies reported production, and fifteen companies produced a little less than two-thirds of the total.

The Texas company led in volume of production for the last quarter of 1921, producing 3,320,950 barrels. The Humble Oil and Refining company was second, with 3,340,163 barrels. The Magnolia Petroleum company was third, with 2,468,294 barrels. The Gulf Production company was fourth, with 2,433,462 barrels. These four companies were the only ones producing over one million barrels of oil.

MAY BE ENGLAND'S NEXT TITLED BRIDE



Sybil Hardinge.

Sybil Hardinge, daughter of Viscount Hardinge, is soon to wed Hugh Douglas Pennant, only surviving son of Lord Penryn. The coming marriage is attracting much attention in England.

Overcoat Your Pillow As You Sail Off Mexico At Mauretania Rates

SAN BLAS, Nayarit, Mexico, March 11.—Man proposes when he goes traveling in Mexico. But a lot of other little things do the disposing. He may get where he wants to get if he has time enough and money enough and is durable enough. And, on the other hand, he may not.

This applies to the sort of travelling one does away from the Pullman car route, of course. On the Pullman cars one gets just what one gets in the United States, and just as one gets it there. But I wanted to go to the Tres Marias Islands, which are occupied by a penal settlement, and are ninety miles southwest of Mazatlan.

"There are no boats," every one said.

But there was a boat. It was the Sin Nombre, which means Nameless in English, but is a misnomer. It may have been nameless once but the omission has been rectified. I have seen to it voluminously. It is rated at fifteen tons, is very dirty, has a reliable gasoline motor made in Pittsburgh, a crew of five Indians who are five of the best fellows in the world, and no passenger accomodations whatever. The part of the boat under roof consists of the pilot house and the engine room.

First Cabin Accomodations.

"Where do I sleep?" I asked, plaintively. I had a right to be plaintive. I had paid Mauretania rates.

"On the roof of the engine house," said the captain.

So that was that. A sail was stretched upon the engine house, and under it I camped in comparative comfort. My own overcoat for my head and my own blanket for my bed was the rest of the first cabin accomodations. I shared the roof with another man, who was restless and not always happy, because he had not been attuned to the infinite roll of the Pacific ground swell. On the hatch cover in the rear of the engine house camped a happy little family of Indians—father, mother and two bright-eyed little kids.

"Want loonchy?" asked the mate.

Loonchy is lunch, rendered into west coast Spanish, tinged with Indian. I did. So did the other white man, and the Indian family. We grouped about the galley aft. The galley is the sort of a thing which would have the Sin Nombre condemned without benefit of clergy anywhere else. It is about the size of a drygoods box, with a flat roof, no chimney and open in the rear. Inside is a little furnace built of bricks in which an open fire is kept burnng night and day. There are a few drums of gasoline scattered about and one dugout to serve as lifeboat if anything happened.

Captain Tells Cheerful Tale.

"I lost one boat," the owner told me, just before starting. "She was lost this spring. We never heard anything of her, or the thirty people on board."

It was a cheering thought when I saw the Indian cook at work over the galley. But nothing happened except to our digestions. The food consisted mostly of frijoles, which are beans and good, and tortillas, which are made of the paste of boiled corn ground on a stone and patted into shape by the hand. Then they were moulded around the foot of the mast and dried over the fire on a plate of sheet iron. Dried is precisely right. Inside, the regulation tortilla is as soggy and indigestible as can be imagined by a rarebit fiend.

Also there was rice, served with chill peppers. Once a day we had meat. This had been brought on board by the cook, tied in a string. There were flies on it at the time, and they continued to cluster on it until the fresh breezes of the Pacific blew them off. The breezes had ready access to it, because the meat was spread out on top of the tiny galley. Between the smoke which oozed through the cracks in the galley roof, and the sun which blazed down from the tropic sun overhead it was soon as black and about as indigestible as a twelve-dollar patent leather shoe. From time to time the cook would dust off his hands—or ash off his hands, as you prefer—and pick a piece of this meat into small shreds. Then it was cooked with chillies and served.

The other white man had been born with an appetite. It is his chief pride and joy. He found some bananas on board—left over in the hold from some previous cargo, perhaps—and at them whenever the gnawing became irresistible. The Indians smacked their lips over the meat and chillies and tortillas. They could not have been kinder or more hospitable. What they had was ours. They even tucked in the sail about us when we retired to sleep on top of the deckhouse, lest in a restless moment we roll overside into the sea. The eighteen-inch deck would not have even broken our fall.

The Sea the Universal Cleanser.

The crew slept when and where it could. The boy who would have been the cabin boy, if there had been a cabin, was the jolliest, brightest, happiest youngster possible, with a laugh that would make his fortune if he could transplant it to the stage. He usually slept in the eighteen-inch runaway by the side of the engine house, but he always changed his clothes before retiring to rest in this airy berth. Why he did it no one could ever figure out, but he invariably took off the dirty gingham jumper and small pair of tarry pants which formed his apparel by day to get into a small night shirt and night pants for his rest. Then he laid down on the deck that had never been washed except when a sea came overboard.

The sea was the universal cleanser, by the way. The cook washed the dishes in sea water, the men washed their faces in it, when they washed, the Indian woman washer her babies in it and we washed our hands in the same kindly fluid. The one cask of drinking water was too precious to be used for such purposes. Yet it is no more fair to judge Mexico by the Sin Nombre than to judge the United States by what used to be the Dismal Swamp.

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Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Over two million dollars was paid into the United States treasury in the calendar year 1921 as the result of royalties accruing from the production of oil and gas on government owned lands in the West under the terms of the Leasing Act of February 25, 1921, A. W. Ambrose, chief petroleum technologist of the Bureau of Mines said in his annual report to the director of the bureau. More than 6,000 permits for prospecting or oil and gas have been issued by the general land office, while 267 leases have been granted for producing oil and gas properties.

A statistical statement, summarizing the result of approximately 80 per cent of all reports of production in 1921, shows a total of 8,041,159 barrels of oil produced on government owned lands. Of this, 5,113,972 barrels are credited to Wyoming; 2,923,502 to California; 600,153 to Montana and 4,340 to Louisiana. Production of natural gas amounted to 3,856,618,000 cubic feet, of which 3,665,036,000 is credited to Wyoming and 191,582,000 to California. Casinghead gasoline production amounted to 1,918,722 gallons, Wyoming producing 1,457,177 gallons and California 344,929 gallons.

The government receives royalties on all petroleum and natural gas and their products sold from government lands. The minimum oil royalty rate of 5 per cent is that for land leased as a reward for discovery. Most of the leases have been awarded under a sliding scale of royalties ranging from 12 1-2 to 24 per cent. Natural gas royalties charged by the government range from 12 1-2 to 16 2-3 per cent. The rate on casinghead gasoline is 16 2-3 per cent of the value of the gasoline extracted from the gas produced and sold.

Under the terms of the Leasing Act, the supervision of coal, oil shale, sodium, phosphate and oil and gas development operations on the public lands is entrusted to the Bureau of Mines. Oil and gas operations constitute by far the greatest part of the bureau's activities in this connection. Offices for the conduct of this work have been established at Denver, Col.; Casper and Salt Creek, Wyoming; Bakersfield and Taft, Calif.; Winnett, Mont., and Shreveport, La. The supervision of development work on lands within the Naval Petroleum Reserves in California is included in the bureau's activities.

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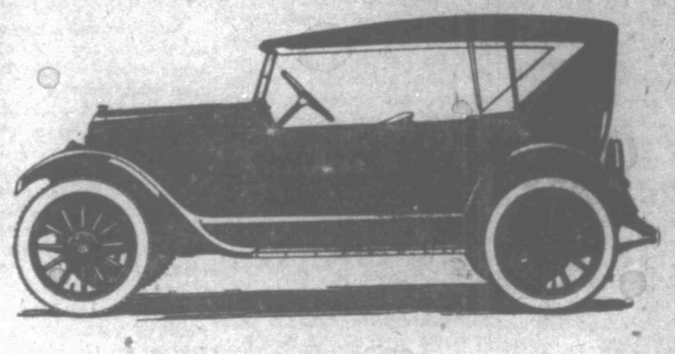
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MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

Roger W. Babson is apprehensive that the farmers of the West, having hit the bottom long ago, are now on the road to penury with Hope dead and Courage eliminated. Governor Samuel R. McKelvie of Nebraska is a hard-headed westerner who investigates conditions before he returns a verdict. H. N. F. has a letter from Governor McKelvie. He says, "Nebraska has turned the corner and is now on the way back to normal and permanent prosperity." He encloses figures which indicates increases in the farm value of agricultural products between November 1, 1921, and March 1, 1922. Per cent increase in corn, 68; per cent increase in wheat, 35; per cent increase in oats, 39; per cent increase in barley, 30; per cent increase in rye, 48; per cent increase in potatoes, 39; per cent increase in alfalfa, 28; per cent increase in wild hay, 17; per cent increase in horses, 7; per cent increase in mules, 5½; per cent increase in cattle, 18; per cent increase in hogs, 38; per cent increase in sheep, 65. In other words the total increased value of these principle products is $65,357,000 and the combined increase in the value of corn and cattle and hogs is over 52 million dollars. Governor McKelvie's tabulation does not include the value of products carried over from the year 1920. In corn alone it is approximately 65 million bushels which figured at the present farm price of 37 cents per bushel amounts to 24 million dollars. He adds that while the prices of farm products have increased the prices of things for which these products must be exchanged have declined. Incidentally, he says, the war finance corporation has put about 12 million dollars in Nebraska since November 1. Demands now upon the corporation are rapidly receeding. Also the Nebraska Agricultural Loan association, an organization of state banks to afford additional credit to agriculture, has already discontinued operations on account of the lack of demand for it. "There is profit now in nearly all branches of farming," writes the governor, "and there is every reason to expect that business in this immediate field will show quite an unusual improvement during the weeks and months to come." Governor McKelvie isn't a politician. He isn't an alarmist. He isn't a visionary optimist. He investigates before he talks.

There is an upward trend all along the line. A reflection of the business revival throughout the country was seen by the postoffice department in reports from 50 of the largest postoffices showing receipts of $20,339,000 for February, an increase of 6.41 per cent over the same month of 1921. Parcel post centers such as Chicago show a decided increase. Of course 50 New York brokerage houses have been put out of business but the law did it. There are many vacant cells at Sing Sing and there are many brokers in the City of New York who should be sent to Sing Sing for the good of the country and the protection of those who are willing to hand their money over to oily tongued scoundrels who live by their wits and on the fat of the land for that matter.

Kansas City is headquarters for the Tenth Federal Reserve District and the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City in its review of February business conditions in the Middle West says: "Advances of more than $2.50 per hundredweight in the price of hogs, strengthening of market values of cattle, sheep and lambs increased in price $2.75 to $3, cash sales of wheat up 25 cents to 30 cents per bushel, corn and oats up 5 cents to 10 cents per bushel—these are among the developments in the few weeks of 1922, now passed, which are gradually improving the financial condition of the farmers and stockmen and speeding up progress toward general economic adjustment in the Tenth Federal Reserve District. The increased prices noted, together with prospects of lower freight rates and reduced farm operating costs, are looked upon as helps toward rectifying the disproportionate relations between prices of products of farms and ranges and prices of commodities which farmers and stockmen must buy. The effect of this improvement, however, is not fully reflected in the reports on business conditions. There are evidences of a general recognition on the part of business and banking interests that further improvement is necessary to place all business and industry on a sure and lasting basis, and this must be worked out by gradual process. Liquidation of loans at banks has proceeded steadily to a point where the banking position at the date of this monthly review is stronger than at any time since the beginning of the war." Roger W. Babson hit the Middle West in high places and made the important discovery that the corn and wheat growers had landed in the camp of the Bolshevists. This discovery had not been made by the long-headed bankers of the Tenth Federal District. R. W. B. must have hobnobbed exclusively with the reactioneries he found at the fashionable clubs in the cities of the Middle West.

Germany may be going on the rocks but the foreign trade figures for the whole year show that in 1921 she took more copper from the United States than any other country, was the second largest importer of our cotton and the third largest importer of our wheat. Nearly forty per cent of the American copper exports went to Germany. American exports of these three comodities—copper, cotton and wheat—to Germany during the whole year are valued at $213,234,000. It may interest the cotton grower to know that American exported 6,474,105 bales of cotton in 1921, and that Germany took 1,528,104 or nearly one-fourth, being exceeded by England with 1,604,371. Watch cotton exports to Germany the present year. They are working and saving over there.

Mrs. Ellen Duane Davis is the Democratic candidate for congress from the second congressional district of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Davis is a great-great granddaughter of Benjamin Franklin, she is the wife of Dr. Edward Parker Davis of Jefferson Medical College and chairman of the women democratic organization of Philadelphia. She has a platform: "I'll go into the fight with clean hands, empty pockets and a pure heart." This great-great granddaughter of Benjamin Franklin is going to be disillusionized. Now just how far will she get with empty pockets and a pure heart in a district which counted a large majority for the late Boise Penrose nominees for a quarter of a century? But the Democrats are to be congratulated. It is worth something to have a brilliant descendant of old Ben Franklin leading the donkey to a fodder place in a benighted Republican district.

Straws are pointers: The F. W. Woolworth company in its February report show sales amounting to $10,095,285, an increase of 10.42 per cent as compared with sales of $9,142,983 for February, 1921. January and February, 1922, showed a very encouraging increase of sales. Buck up. There is trade for those who go after it.

Maine is a rock-rooted Republican state. Maine goes hell bent for the Republican nominees and the Republican cause. Saco is a Republican city, in the heart of Maine. Dr. Laura Black Stickney had an ambition to become the first woman mayor of a New England city. Republicans gave her the nomination. Democrats nominated Walter J. Gilpatrick. He was out of the state and there was no campaigning done for him. Democrats carried every ward. Mrs. Dr. Stickney went down in humiliating defeat. Women went to the polls in large numbers and the total vote was heavy. They saw to it that their sister voter who was a candidate did not get to be mayor of Saco. In addition to her other claims for political preferment Dr. Stickney reminded the voters that she was a member of the woman's division of the Republican State committee of Maine. This did not help her. Gilpatrick made an easy landing. It is a hundred to one shot that the mayor-elect is popular with the ladies. Bath is another ancient town in New England. Mrs. Lois T. McKiever was ambitious to be mayor of the city. She was given a nomination. Joseph Torrey, a mere man, defeated her by one more than an even thousand votes. Perhaps these Maine leaders of the feminine wing of the Republican party adopted the slogan of the Philadelphia woman who is a candidate for congress on the Democratic ticket, "I come to you with empty pockets and a pure heart."

Disarmament statesmen to the Harding conference must have lived on the fat of the land. It cost the taxpayers of Great Britain $200,000 to send the British delegation to the president's association of nations or something equally as good. And this is a dry country.

Stockholders of the White Oil corporation, at a special meeting, ratified the merger of the oil interests of the United Gas and Electric corporation with those of the White Oil corporation. Patrick Justin White, now president of the White Oil corporation, will be made chairman of the board of the consolidated companies and W. B. Emmert, now president of the United Central corporated, will be president of the White Oil corporation with headquarters at Houston. President White and his people have large holdings in the Mid-Continent territory, large holding in Louisiana and are said to be in strong in the Mexia field. Patrick Justin White No. 2, is one of veterans of the oil game; Patrick Justin White No. 2 2 is one of the most successful players of the oil game and Patrick Justin White No. 3 is a chubby handsome lad of six. No doubt he will be president of the White Oil company some time in the years to come.

Production of petroleum crude in Mexico has increased approximately 100,000 barrels a day during the last few weeks and according to the New York Times new production has more than offset the recent loses due to the encroachment of salt water in some of the Mexican fields. As a result of this the question of storage facilities, not only in Mexico but in this country also is a problem which is receiving the serious consideration of producers and refiners of crude oil, that is, if the New York publicity agents are telling the truth. They say although shipments from Mexico have been heavy during recent months much of the record production of that country has not yet reached the American market. They say domestic production is also heavy and that the consumption of refined and crude has been running far below production for some time. They say stocks of crude oil are now at the highest peak in the history of the country, and that facilities must be provided to receive the new oil. Of course they admit the situation will be relieved to some extent as the demand for oil products increases in the spring but temporarilly, they say, the situation from a storage point of view is considered serious. Professional publicity agents are interesting chaps. They go the easiest way. They write the pabulum they are told to write. This is what they are paid for and if they weren't paid for it they wouldn't be writing it. Business is business.

Figures never lie. Total petroleum production in 1921 for the United States aggregated 473,000,000 barrels, a new high record in the history of the country when compared with 443,000,000 barrels in 1920, and 378,000,000 barrels in 1919. Leading producers in 1921 endeavored to curtail production. This curtailment resulted in 12,000 less wells being drilled last year but the new wells brought in were bigger which accounts for the record output. This reminds H. N. F. that the Wilson congress placed oil on the free list. Of course the Wilson congress was largely dominated by Democratic free traders. This also reminds H. N. F. that the Harding congress has kept oil on the free list. Of course this is surprising as the Harding congress is supposed to be dominated by Republican protectionists. Now just when is a Republican protectionist a protectionist?

United States Geologist David White is at it again. He believes the South American continent richer in petroleum in comparison with area than any continent possibly excepting North America. Petroleum resources of the South American continent as calculated by Expert White is just beyond the 15 billion barrels mark and he believes another 50 per cent could probably be added to this figure using the same methods of drilling as are employed at present in the United States fields. Last year all the eminent geologists said that the world was facing a petraleum famine. Now Expert White says petroleum resources of South America are 15 billion barrels and petroleum resources of the United States are 7,500,000,000 barrels. Experts are remarkable men. Is it possible that they are just guessers and let it go at that?

Growth of the mining industry during the past twenty-five years has been remarkable. It is a story of the extraordinary industrial development which gave to the United States those great resources of raw material which have made possible the development of manufacturing and the production of wealth in this country. In 1897 the total value of the mineral production in the United States was $646,992,582. In 1920 the value of mineral production in the United States was $6,707,000,000. The immense increase in the development of the mining industry is well indicated by a comparison of coal production in 1897 and in 1920. In 1897 the amount of coal mined in this country was 178,776,070 tons, while in 1920 the production amounted to 576,431,250 tons. Similarly the iron production in 1897 was only 17,518,046 tons and in 1920, 96,558,000 tons. Copper production in 1897 amounted to 220,571 tons and in 1920, 539,759 tons. Equally remarkable increases are shown in the production of other minerals and today the mining industry ranks as the largest collective industry in the United States. Like agriculture it is a foundation for the entire industrial structure of the country, for it furnishes the essential raw material and the necessary fuel for the maintenance and continuous development of American industry. The year 1922, it is hoped, as the year 1897, will mark a revival of the mining industry and the opening of a great era of industrial prosperity. The signs are already auspicious. A number of the great copper mines in the Western States have resumed production. Basic economic conditions, it is generally agreed, have improved. Demand for production of all kinds is increasing. The readjustment period is almost completed and a new period of general prosperity has commenced.

"I am not going to say that I am not in with the Guggenheims and prediatory interests because it is not necessary, Secretary of Interior Albert W. Fall respectfully passed to on to the Hon. Gifford Pinchot of Pennsylvania, friend of the late Theodore Roosevelt, and the gentleman responsible for the wrecking of the Taft administration.

THE GOLDEN KEY

The Mystic bore three boxes up
From the deep of a crystal sea;
One was open, one was shut,
And the third had a golden key.
He spread them out on the shining sands
With his burning eyes on me.
"Knowledge of life and death," he croaked,
"And the wisdom of gods and men,
The answer to all that a mortal seeks,
And the sum of the years therein.

"In one are the things you never should know
But the things you are sure to learn,
In another the things you never will know
Yet for which your heart will yearn.
In the third—aye, that is the box!" he spoke,
And his eyes were full on me,
"In that are the things that wise men know—
'Tis the one with the golden key.

"It is rarely shown to callow youth
But opes to the hour of years
When the song of life is mellowed down
And tempered with bitter tears."

"Mine is the frost of years, strange sire,
And sorrow has laid me low.
Pray tell to me." I begged of him,
"What is it that wise men know?"
Compassion glowed in his shrunken eyes,
And the snow to his flowing locks,
Anon he turned the golden key—
There was nothing within the box.

"Ah, fraud!" I cried, "that you cheat me thus!
And yet it were well 'twere so.
My Faith is more than your wisdom, sire,
May you take your box and go!"
The Mystic smiled. "'Tis a wise man speaks—
To the crystal sea's bright shores
I take my boxes all and go—
But the golden key is yours."

—Will S. Denham

IN THE MAIL BAG

"WHY NOT ADOPT THE WORDS OF CHRIST?"

To the Record News:

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, March 9.—In the last few months a reverend gentleman seems to have struck the green pastures of Wichita Falls who seems beset with the idea that his mission is to prove that the other fellow is wrong. In fraternal charity I would suggest a change in his plans, namely, instead of proving that the other fellow is wrong, let him prove that he himself is right. In making this suggestion I am prompted by two considerations. The first reason is conservation of energy. The name of wrong like the name of the devil driven out of the man by Christ is legion, while the name of right as that of God is one. If he should prove one to be wrong what has he gained? He has not proven that he himself is right. Let him prove that he himself is right and then any one disagreeing with him is by strict logic proven to be false. This would therefore mean a great conservation of energy.

My second reason for suggesting this change in his tactics is, because it would be more in harmony with the tactics of Christ. The world was full of "issue" at the time of Christ just as is the case at present, but you can not find one instance except in the case where a decision is demanded where Christ says, "You are wrong." If there are any two sentences of Christ of more importance to ministers than others I would say, the most important are, "I did not come to judge" that anyone is wrong, but "I came to give testimony of the truth" to show what is right. If these two sentences were adopted as the program of all the pulpits charity would not be violated and unity for which Christ prays so fervently would be fostered.

Assuming the sincerity until the contrary is apparent of any minister and of any christian of denominations at variance with our own, why should we denounce them for their belief and practices, when they are bound by their conscience to their belief and practices, because everyone is bound to follow even an erroneous conscience? Why not adopt the words of Christ as our words, "Father forgive them for they know not what they do?" I know one man who has been in the ministry for twenty-five years and in heated arguments as often as the next, who challenges the world to produce one instance where he has made disparaging remarks about any denomination at variance with his own. This does not preclude the right to enter the arena in self-defense fighting in the spirit of charity with the weapons of truth and logic.

The announcements of last week for the Floral Heights Methodist church promised an answer to a criticism of a former sermon and a conviction of wrong of the Catholic idea of repentance. Since the affair had been ventilated in public and how the intellectual trouncing was to be administered in the comparative privacy of a church gathering I was interested to find out how many knock-outs would be delivered and hence I asked a friend to attend the meeting for my benefit. As a result I have a stenographic report of Sunday night's event before me.

I must say that the whole sermon is more interesting than enlightening. It contains three parts and the wind-up. The first part might be entitled "Outch! Don't fight so rough." The second part, "A grand exhibition of soiled ecclesiastical linens with spots furnished by private imagination where specially desired." The third part, "A travesty on Catholic doctrine by one who advises his audience to be fair and read nothing but standard authorities."

Under these three headings the Reverend Gentleman's sermon will be used as my text on the following three Sunday nights beginning with the twelfth of March at 7:30 p. m.

A stenographic reporter from my Reverend Opponent will be welcome and will receive all courtesies and I request the same consideration for my reporter in case of further arguments in this case. I promise everyone who attends these sermons that I will use a language which you can understand and print, and when printed you can read provided you have successfully passed our grammar schools, the declaration of last Sunday night notwithstanding. In answer to his closing remark I would say, "I am coming, my dear, dear friend, at your request, to your "four times as much stored up" ammunition and will continue to shoot as long as you load my gun.

—P. BONIFACE, O. S. B.



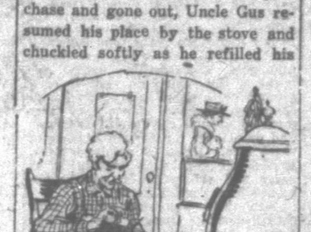
Folks Back Home

Sketches by J. H. STRIEBEL

By Robert Quillen

UNCLE GUS

When the little woman with the sharp voice had made her purchase and gone out, Uncle Gus resumed his place by the stove and chuckled softly as he refilled his



pipe. "That woman," said he, "always reminded me o' human nature. She's plumb full of it. Her an' Sally Scruggs fell out oncet about some missionary society doin's, an' it looked like they wa'n't never goin' to make up no mo.' But she had a sick spell this winter an was right bad off, an' she sent fo' Sally. She told Sally an' them what was settin' by the bed that she was naturally a fo'-givin' spirit an' didn't hold no grudges again nobody, an' she wanted to make up afore she faced her Lord. Well Sally she kind o' cried a little an' said she didn't bear no hard feelin's, an' it looked like ever'thing was fixed; an' then this woman kind o' raised up on her elbow an' said to Sally: 'Sal Scruggs, yo done me wrong in that meetin' an' I ain't never fo'got it. I'm fo'givin' you now fo' my dear Lord's sake, but I want you should understand that if I ever git up from here, things between is agoin' to be just like they was.'

"I'm kind o' that way, myself. I try to fo'give them what does me dirt, an' I pretend like I don't hold no grudge agin 'em; but I don't never fo'get nothin', an' when I git good an' mad at 'em an' start in to cuss 'em out, I go back plumb to the beginnin' an' tell 'em all the low-down things they has done since I've knowed 'em.

"I hear some folks sayin' they fo'gives the' enemies. They mean they'd like to if they could. I reckon maybe it's wicked to hate yo' enemies, but it ain't no mo' wicked to hate 'em than it is to lie about it."

AUNT HET



"I doubt like sixty if a great man ever feels the glow o' pride a good cook feels when the men folks lean back about the middle o' the dinner and unbotton the bottom three buttons o' their vests."

THE GIRL ACROSS THE STREET



The butcher boy may as well surrender, for the girl across the street has brought up her heavy artillery. She romped into our house this morning and stood at gaze to exhibit a new pair of silk stockings. "My first," she declared tragically. "They cost three ninety-eight, and it was like pulling teeth to get the money out of Pa. I told him I'd rather be dead than not have 'em, and he said I ought to have my mind on higher things. Higher fiddlesticks! The boys don't look any higher.....Ain't they nice? And they feel so slick! I didn't know I had such good ones until I got silk on 'em." She twisted in embarrassment and blushed becomingly. "I believe," she concluded, "if I was a boy I'd like me pretty well fixed up like this."

SAFETY VALVES

Here is a true story that has to do with the folly of sitting on the safety valve.

A certain woman named Sarah had a son named John. The son rejoiced in the possession of a good job and a sweetheart, and rejoiced further in the knowledge that he was the apple of his mother's eye. In due season, John and the sweetheart were married and began to look about for a house wherein to dwell. Said Sarah: "Why live apart from me and John Senior? We have room to spare. Come live with us and retain your self-respect by paying half the household bills."

Thus the matter was arranged, and for a time there was peace in the household and all were happy. But when the sweetheart cooked, she used more grease than to Sarah appeared necessary; and Sarah persisted in arranging the living room furniture in a manner that to the sweetheart seemed atrocious. Each, therefore, nursed a grievance.

Now if either had possessed the wit frankly to express her disapproval, an open covenant of peace might easily have been arrived at. But each nursed her grievance in secret, and it rankled within her and grew and grew until it spoiled her digestion and disturbed her sleep.

Day by day Sarah and the sweetheart became more coldly polite, and the men folks correspondingly more miserable until the time arrived when neither woman longer could repress her feelings without danger of bursting and scattering fragments of epidermis throughout the neighborhood. A chance remark ignited the powder, and they hurled adjectives at one another, and made the kind of remarks for the making of which their sex is peculiarly gifted, until each had exhausted her vocabularly and eased her troubled spirit.

Now the families occupy two houses and pay double rent for their sins.

And the moral is this: When a grievance appears, don't thrust it under the cushion and sit on it. Give it a chance to air itself. If you have a sore spot, take it out of your system.

THE "BIG" MAN

"We read that a man in a distant state has done a wonderful thing, and at once we grovel in spirit before him. In our imaginations we endow him with qualities of which we are not possessed. But when chance arranges a meeting with him, we are disappointed. 'He is a mere man,' we say, 'and the general appearance of a hod carrier in his Sunday clothes'."

—From the essay on "Success"

SUCCESS

The prophet is without honor among us because he is so much like ourselves. If he lived at a great distance, we should know nothing concerning him except the wise things he has said and the great deeds he has done. His faults and his commonplace sayings would be hidden from us, and we should think hom a matchless being, having little in common with other men. But while he dwells among us, we observe that his finger nails are black, that his hair needs cutting, that his table manners are not flawless; in some small detail we find him inferior to ourselves, and therefore we laugh in our sleeves and wonder why the fool world honors him.

It is failure properly to appreciate our own worth that explains our inability to appreciate him. If we had the wit to understand that we are divine and worthy of much respect, we would not search out for or demand a peculiar divinity in our prophets.

We have discarded many of our illusions, but we cling stubbornly to the myth that the quality of greatness is a gift of the gods unshared by common mortals. We read that a man in a distant state has done a wonderful thing, and at once we grovel in spirit before him. In our imaginations we endow him with qualities of which we are not possessed. But when chance arranges a meeting with him, we are disappointed. "He is a mere man," we say, "and has the general appearance of a hod-carrier in his Sunday clothes."

Great men whom we know only by reputation are seldom an inspiration to us. But when one of our own number becomes great, our little respect for him causes us to feel contempt for success. "If that wart can succeed," we say, "it isn't such a difficult trick, after all."

If the falure, who now respects himself not at all, would become a success, let him meet successful men. Finding them commonplace, he will learn a new respect for himself; learning at last that success is not difficult of attainment, he will take courage and develop in himself some quality of greatness.

WILLIE WILLIS

Little Willie Willis entertained his friends at a party Wednesday night. He told his mother later that the affair, in his opinion, had been perfect; and added: "Parties are lots nicer in your own home where you don't have to be so polite, ain't they, Mother?"

TOM BURNETT AND HIS RODEO AT STOCK SHOW

Crowning of the Queen of South Opened Exposition; Spectacular Electrical Effects.

Many Agricultural Exhibits From Various Sections of Texas Already Have Been Received.

FORT WORTH, March 11.—Railroad officials in the Southwestern States where the special round trip railroad rate of a fare and a fifth have been granted for the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 11 to 18, are planning to furnish equipment, including special trains in some instances, for the abnormal traffic expected during the annual event.

Exposition headquarters have letters from these railroad heads stating that on account of the "pre-war" rate having been granted and on account of the exposition expansion program, they believe thousands of out-of-town visitors will see the exhibition here.

Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College sixty-three piece band has been engaged for the exposition and will render numerous special concerts. A Fort Worth union band also has been obtained for the week.

Under a $5,000 appropriation for free entertainment, contracts have been let to bring the following entertainers to the exposition: Saxophone octette of Kansas City, Cambrea concert party of vocal artists, Hesel Boyer orchestra of Fort Worth, Vierra's Hawaiians in vocal and string music of the South Seas, Emma Pritchard, jazz dancer, Olive Van Peters, the mask dancer and Alice Duffy, known as the "dancing sensationalist."

Exposition officials promise the most gorgeous automobile show ever seen in the South. It will occupy one of the newly acquired buildings and part of the 300,000 square feet of floor space added by the exposition this year.

Many agricultural exhibits from various sections of Texas already have been received. This is the first year the exposition has announced an agricultural display. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has conducted a campaign in West Texas and Panhandle counties to secure exhibits and the number received indicates it met with success.

"The wildest of the wild" in Western exhibitions is promised by Tom Burnett, well known Texas rancher, who this year is producing the rodeo and horse show. Practically every cowboy and cowgirl who has won a premium at any Western contest of importance within the past few years will compete for the thousands of dollars in prizes offered by Burnett. Eddie McCarty's famous string of wild bucking broncos from his ranch at Chugwater, Wyo., have been brought here for the rodeo by Manager Ray McKinley.

Secretary-Manager M. Sansom Jr. declares that the livestock exhibits will set a new standard in quality and will easily represent a "million dollar show."

Crowning of the Queen of the South opened the exposition Saturday night, March 11. Following the coronation came the royal entertainment for the Queen and Coliseum crowd. Many spectacular electrical effects and waterfalls never before seen in Texas are being arranged.

Invitations have been sent out to 1,400 county engineers, commissioners, judges, city officials and others interested in road building to attend the road show, a new feature of the exposition. This attraction will present miniature roads and bridges of various types. The United States government and the State Highway Commission, as well as about sixty concerns that manufacture road materials or machinery, are co-operating in the program.

Fort Worth jobbers, merchants and manufacturers are planning three special days of entertainment for visiting merchants and jobbers who attend the exposition. This program includes theater parties, dinners, banquets, automobile rides over the city and trips to local industrial and manufacturing plants.

WOMAN CHURCH LEADER TELLS OF HER LIFE WITH "GIFT" SOULMATE



Barker Mosher and "Mrs. Mosher." Mrs. Maud Anteliffe.

Mrs. Maud Anteliffe of Hyde Park, Mass., is now seeking to divorce her legal husband and become the legal wife of Barker Mosher. Until Elmer Antcliffe, her husband, attempted to marry again a few days ago, she had been known for years as the wife of Mosher. Then Antcliffe's arrest revealed the fact that she had accepted a written release from Antcliffe as being the only permission necessary to become Mosher's wife. She has been prominent in church circles.

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WEST WILL THRIVE UNDER IRRIGATION; POSSIBILITIES OF DEVELOPMENT OUTLINED

(Hamilton Wright in Fort Worth Record.)

STAMFORD, March 11.—The success which is bound to follow the completion of the Wichita Falls Irrigation project is calculated to inspire numerous other towns and counties of West Texas to follow suit in the matter of irrigationizing their respective territories.

Wichita Falls has assumed the role of leadership in irrigation in West Texas. When it did so, it probably did not realize that it was setting an example which would be followed in many parts of the state. Many communities are watching this project with a great deal of doubt, though they are sure that it will mean an awakening of interests in the West to overcome in the future the effects of continual drouths. And since irrigation in Wichita Falls and surrounding counties will shortly be a reality, and wonderful stories of agricultural profits will begin to pour in, other towns and counties now somewhat doubtful will be quick to grasp the opportunity to transform their dry gulches and creeks into lakes where can be stored the flood waters of winter and summer rains and later utilized on parched grounds.

Two in Abeyance.

In West Texas at present two other large projects are being held in abeyance, but their ultimate construction is practically assured. We refer to the San Saba basin and the Colorado valley project at Bronte. Both of these projects are practicable, San Saba river dammed would impound a head of water sufficient to irrigate 40,000 to 100,000 acres while the Colorado river project should take care of 200,000 acres of Texas' most fertile farm lands. Over in the Pecos valley other irrigation projects are being considered. Abilene is considering the matter of heightening its Lake Abilene lake dam several feet to triple the contents of the lake to supply water for irrigation in the beautiful Elm valley. Stamford's five billion gallon lake will give some sustenance to lands between the Clear Fork and Stamford.

All this indicates that there has been an awakening in West Texas since the disastrous 1918 drouth. It means moreover that the irrigation of West Texas has just begun. The few experiments now being conducted will beyond all shadow of doubt establish the feasibility of irrigation. And what is more to the point, there are very few communities in West Texas which are without advantages for irrigation. The father west one goes the larger becomes the creek beds and the more easily dammed, so that the light rainfall, covering a large territory, may be conserved and made to prosper the hundreds of fertile valleys which now are available only to bleach the bone of some strayed steer.

Legal Points in Way.

The little technicalities of law which operate to defer irrigation in West Texas must be overcome. Recently it was necessary for the forces working for conservation to attend to an emergency that menaced this interest. It is very noteworthy, that the people most interested in irrigation have selected the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to handle all irrigation matters for them. This organization has an irrigation department with the redoubtable James A. Kemp, "Father of Texas Irrigation," as its chairman. All those persons who are interested in this vital interest should not stint their great body in its operations. It has been recommended that contributions to the cause of irrigation be made to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. In the last few years it has expended large sums for the interests of West Texas, foremost among which has been irrigation.

Irrigation is now a dream. Tomorrow it will be a reality. West Texas today agriculturally is a dream partly come true. West Texas tomorrow will be agriculturally the greatest territory in the world because of irrigation.

Mrs. Borem (buying a railway ticket)—What became of the ticket clerk who used to be at this window?"

Ticket Clerk—He's in a lunatic asylum.

"You don't say so! What was the reason?"

"A shock."

"Shock, eh?"

"Yes, one day last week a woman came to his window, bought a ticket, paid for it and walked away without stopping to ask a string of questions."

PETROLEUM, NEW IN INDUSTRY, OLD IN LORE

It Was Used in Building the Tower of Babel and Pyramids and as Illuminant in Sacred Temples.

Oil Age of United States Had Its Beginning in 1859 When Edwin L. Drake Drilled First Well.

NEW YORK, March 11.—"The discovery of oil," "The first discovery of oil," "The discovery of petroleum" and "Before the discovery of petroleum" are phrases frequently encountered. If a man speaks of the discovery or finding of oil in the Geyser Gush district of Spouter county he is within his rights, but petroleum was known to ancient man as far back in the world's time as records of stone, baked clay and papyrus go.

Ancient man not only knew it, but used it as an illuminant. Bitumen was used in building the Tower of Babel, though in the Old Testament the translators have rendered it as "slime." Thousands of years before Christ the masons of Babylon, Nineveh, Chaldea and all the rest used petroleum in semi-liquid form in bonding or cementing the bricks that went into the walls of palaces, temples and tombs. It was used in building the Pyramids.

Herodotus tells of asphalt and oil. In his erota or Book IV of his World History the ancient Greek historian wrote of "the well which produces three different substances; for asphalt, sale and oil are drawn from it. The asphalt and the sale immediately become solid, but the oil they collect. It is black and emits a strong odor."

Oil from natural springs in Sicily was used in lamps in the Temple of Jupiter at Rome and oil-fed lamps were burned in other temples and in rich men's homes.

Pits or shallow wells for the collection of oil were found in the United States by the earliest explorers and are believed to have been the work of that race which lived here before the Indians came from Asia or Northern Africa or wherever they did come from. Petroleum was well known to the Indians, also, although so far as known they made no other use of the oil than to rub their bodies with it to keep out cold and as a liniment for injuries.

U. S. Oil Age From 1858.

The "Oil Age" of the United States dates from 1858-59, when George H. Bissell and Prof. Benjamin Silliman, Jr., of Yale analyzed crude oil and determined its value for illuminant, and Edwin L. Drake drilled a well at Titusville, Pa., and produced the oil in quantity. Long before that it had been used in various communities, where it was skimmed from creeks and pools as a household remedy for colds, burns, rheumatism, sore throat and other ailments.

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HELLO FIGURES FROM REPORTS FOR OLD YEAR

Europe Has Only Telephone to Each of 100 of Population; United States 2-3 of All Telephones.

Steady Growing Demand for Service and Review Which Shows Good Progress in Constructiveness.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Forty-five years after the invention of the telephone Europe has only one telephone to each 100 of the population, while in the United States with only one-sixteenth of the population of the world has two-thirds of the world's telephones. This statement set forth by President H. B. Thayer in the annual report of the American Telephone and Telegraph company is an indication of the steadily growing demand for telephone service and of the success achieved in meeting the demand.

The year ending December 31, 1921, says the report, has been a year which on review shows good progress in the things which we consider most constructive:

Our stock issue added materially to the strength of our financial structure.

We approached more nearly to the ability to fill promptly new applicants for service.

The quality of both exchange and toll service steadily improved.

The efficiency of the whole operating force increased and is increasing.

The development of the art of telephony by research and invention, and by their application to the construction and operation of plant, was exceptionally noteworthy.

While our gross earnings did not increase as might have been expected had business been normal, our net earnings more than held their own.

We increased and broadened our efforts to bring about a better and more sympathetic understanding of our policies, problems and practices by all of the elements making up the public which we serve.

Value of the Property

The report shows that the value of the property of the Bell System companies is much in excess of the book figures and that the 5 per cent earned last year on the book cost of their plant enabled the American Telephone and Telegraph company, due to the conservative financial structure of the system, to show 11.1 per cent earnings on its outstanding capital stock.

The policy of the Bell System to co-operate with and aid regulatory bodies is reaffirmed in the report on the promise that the real interests of the company and its patrons are identical and that regulation by commission is of advantage to both. Good service, freedom from discrimination and rates that would be just and reasonable were required of the utility prior to enactment of commission laws. The commission statutes provide machinery for correction of the utility if it fails in those requirements.

While the laws provide for rates which will be just and reasonable, they do not prescribe the revenue to be derived from such rates. Although rates which are confiscatory are prohibited by the national constitution and those of many states, a just and reasonable rate is somewhere the bare cost of service and its value to the user. If it is not more than the bare cost, the business cannot continue. If it is not less than the value of the service the number of customers will be restricted and again the business cannot continue. This is the economic law to which all statutory enactments must yield. The fact that the telephone service can be produced at a cost and to telephone users at a price very much less than the value of the service to the subscriber, constitutes the insurance of the stability of the business.

The report points out that commissions must have full information and owing to the complicated scope of their duties should have longer terms of office. Their functions deal with business as well as strictly legal questions.

The American people depend upon the Bell System for a nation-wide service of an intimate nature which must be improved and developed as the discoveries in science permit and which must be extended to meet the requirements of a growing population and a growing use. The rates necessary to provide for the mutual welfare of the public and the business which serves the public are, in the case of the Bell System, well within the limit permitted by law.

Important Matter

Among the important matters covered in the report are the organization of the Bell Telephone Securities company for the purpose of interesting telephone subscribers and others financially in the system; the employes' stock purchase plan in which over 100,000 employes are interested; the development of the loud speaking telephone system which, by means of the long distance lines, carried the Armistice Day exercises to thousands across the continent; the opening of the telephone cable to Cuba; and the development in radio telephony for public usefulness.

During the past ten years, the investment in plant and equipment of the Bell System devoted to public service is shown to have increased 150 per cent.

The expansion of the telephone business in the United States has been enormously greater than the growth of population or general business. In twenty years the population has increased 45 per cent while the number of telephones has increased about 900 per cent.

At the end of the year there were over 13,380,000 owned and connected stations in the Bell System, two-thirds of all the telephones in the world. Any one of these telephones may be connected with any other telephone in the Bell System. During 1921, alone, the net gain in owned and connected telephones was 778,824 and viewed from the standpoint of the value of the service to user, this means that from each telephone connected with the Bell System, it was possible at the end of 1921 to reach over three-quarters of a million more homes and places of business than at the beginning of the year. This remarkable growth in telephone business also bears eloquent witness of the worth of telephone service.

American standards of service and equipment and the facts in respect to telephone plant and station development afford substantial proof that the telephone service in the United States is the best and cheapest in the world.

Earnings and Expenses.

The consolidated Bell System income statement, which represents the business of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and its Associated companies, shows total operating revenues of $497,088,233, an increase of $47,646,118 over the previous year. The total operating expenses were $363,687,283, an increase of $16,867,666. Taxes amounted to $34,512,479, an increase of $6,671,145. There was paid $36,773,968 in interest and $47,848,394 in dividends, leaving a balance for surplus of $10,576,289.

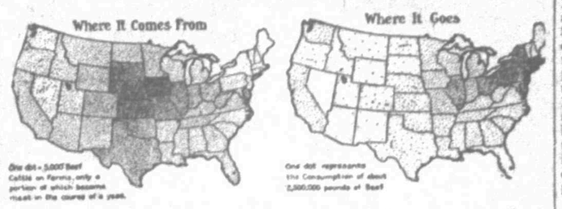
The report shows that the American Telephone and Telegraph company after meeting all operating charges and making adequate provision for depreciation and obsolescence, and for Federal and other taxes had available for interest and dividends $73,526,900.81. The interest charges were $19,524,197.09, an increase of $658,508.65 over similar charges for 1920, and dividends paid to stockholders at the rate of $8.00 per share per year for the first quarter and $9.00 per share per year for the last three-quarters of 1921 amounted to $52,674,403.00. Of the resulting balance, there was appropriated for contingencies $3,000,000, and the remainder ($8,328,300.72) was carried to the Surplus Account.

In the American Telephone and Telegraph Company the number of shareholders of record on December 31, 1921 was 186,342, an increase of 46,804 during the year. The average number of shares held was 29 and there were more women shareholders than men. Of the total number of shareholders, approximately 25,700 are employes of the Bell System.

Of all American corporations this company is first in the number of holders of its stock and has the widest distribution of ownership.

The funds supplied by these investors have been used for the building and extension of telephone plants in every section of the United States.

BEEF DOESN'T JUST GROW; IS PRODUCED IN THE WEST



CHICAGO, Ill., March 11.—Beef doesn't "just grow." It has reached its present standing as a central article in the diet because the men behind the industry put much thought and work and money into the business.

Years ago before our country was settled as thickly as it is today, beef cattle were raised near large cities. Today, according to government figures, eighty per cent of the beef cattle in the United States are raised west of the Mississippi river. Seventy per cent of the beef is eaten east of that river.

New York and New England would have about six beefless days a week were it not that Iowa and her sister states a thousand or more miles away specialize in the raising and fattening of livestock. The middle western farmer thus does his share in feeding the East.

But the middle western farmer would be of no benefit to the meat eater of the city were it not for the fact that between the farmer and the retailer has grown up a long-range industry that takes the western steers and turns them into attractive, clean and inspected meat, and then transports this meat to the city markets.

Only a very small amount of beef is frozen. Most of it reaches the consumer as fresh meat which has been merely chilled so that it will keep fresh and sweet while it is on its journey from the packing house to the consumer.

Not so many years ago, a great majority of live animals shipped a thousand miles in order to feed the eastern states. They shrunk in weight, many were bruised, many died. It was a wasteful system.

Today packing houses located near the producing sections but the live animals, convert than into near, saving all by-products, and then by means of their highly effective distributive organizations, market the meat products where they are desired.

Swift & Company has prepared two maps, one showing where the beef cattle are raised, the other where the beef is consumed. The maps furnish a graphic illustration of the difficulties which would confront both the consumer and the producer if they were forced to depend entirely upon the smaller local packer for their meat supply.

The larger packers have established hundreds of branch houses and many car routes which radiate from supply centers. Most of us know that branch houses are really sub-supply stations which carry packing house products. The car routes are really traveling branch houses; they supply smaller towns and villages where there are no branch houses, and the methods insure a constant supply of fresh meat. A salesman visits each town along a certain line of railroad at least once a week. The orders are sent in promptly. When he has covered his route the orders are loaded into a refrigerator car and this traveling ice-box stops at the towns where orders have been taken; the retailers are thus enabled to get such supplies as they need, in the best of condition.

It is a complicated process but one on which the country has come to depend and take as a matter of course.

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BIG FUTURE FOR PETROLEUM BELOW PANAMA

Dr. David White, Noted American Geologist, Advises Readiness to Participate in Development.

A Fifth of the World's Supply Widely Spread Over South American Continent; Need New Methods.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Dr. David White of the United States Geological Survey, a noted oil expert, said today that he believed the South American continent was richer in petroleum resources, in comparison with area, than any other continent with the possible exception of North America. He predicted a great development there. He suggested that those who wished to take part in opening South American oil fields should make their plans now to be in position to take advantage of opportunities to be offered.

"Geologic exploration," Dr. White said, "is not far advanced in South America, and as yet has been confined to comparatively few regions. Geologists have secured evidence, however, of the existence of high-grade petroleum deposits in the continent, and such deposits seem to be very widely disseminated. In many regions the general geologic conditions are such as to warrant the belief that oil would be found by exploration and drilling."

The petroleum resources of South America, as calculated by Dr. White, are upward of 13,000,000,000 barrels. This he believed to be a very conservative figure, yet it is approximately twice the amount remaining in United States fields. He said this estimate really was too low and that 15,000,000,000 barrels would be nearer correct, using the same methods of drilling employed at present. With improved methods to insure total exhaustion of oil pools before abandonment, Dr. White considered that another 50 per cent, perhaps more, could be added to his figures.

For the entire world the petroleum resources are estimated by Dr. White at about 60,000,000,000 barrels. With these figures other authorities do not greatly differ. Using the lowest figure quoted by Dr. White (13,000,000,000 barrels) for South America, it appears that somewhat more than a fifth of the world's oil supply lies under the surface of that continent and that riches reckoned in billions are awaiting those who will spend the money and do the work necessary to get that oil to the petroleum markets, which seemingly never are glutted.

There is basis for belief, according to Dr. White, that each of the South American republics has oil resources, for all have one or more districts where the geological conditions are just right for oil. In many South American countries the inhabitants are not aware generally that there are petroleum deposits. This is largely because much of the exploration work has been done by geologists employed by oil companies, who report dustries combined, and will be responsible for radical changes in social and economic conditions as well as in the inhabitants' manner of living."

of their reports rarely are made public.

"Most of these South American countries," Dr. White said, "are just at the point of entering into the period of petroleum production. This will mean the opening up in full force of all the various branches of the oil business—production, transportation, refining and marketing. In some of these countries this one business will probably exceed in volume and importance all other in-

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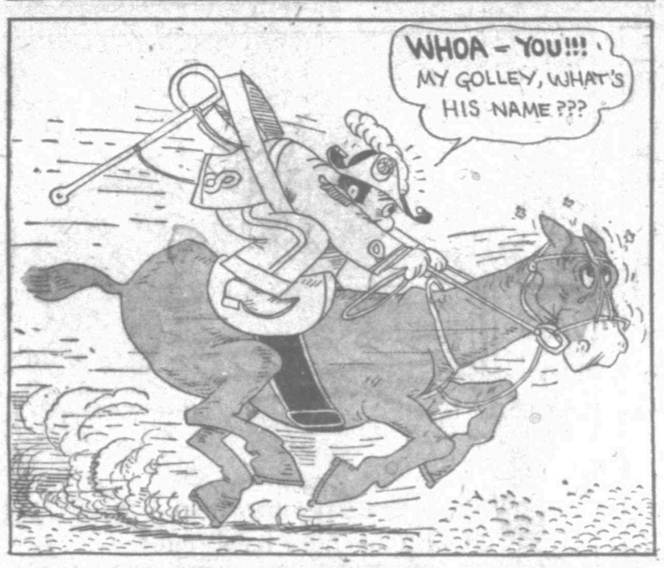
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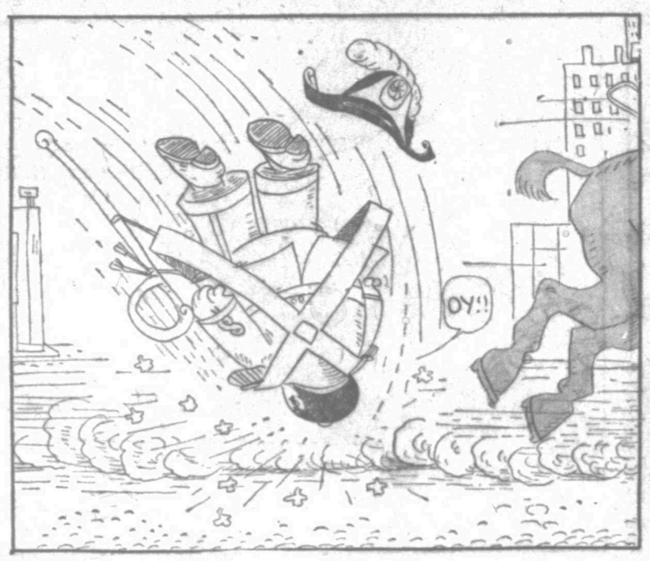
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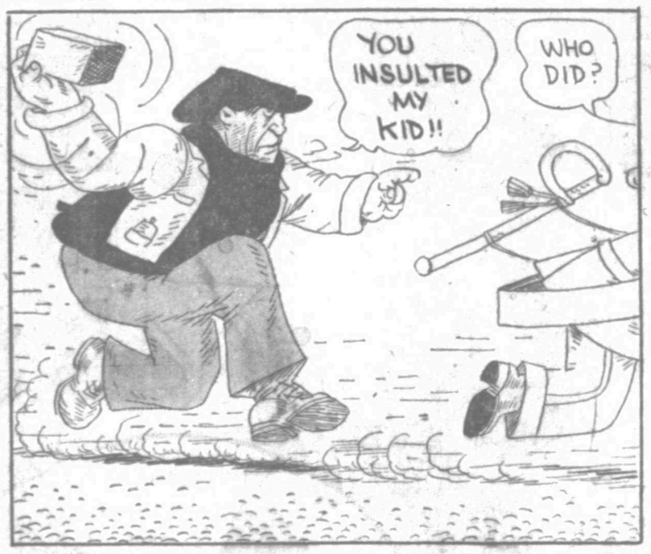










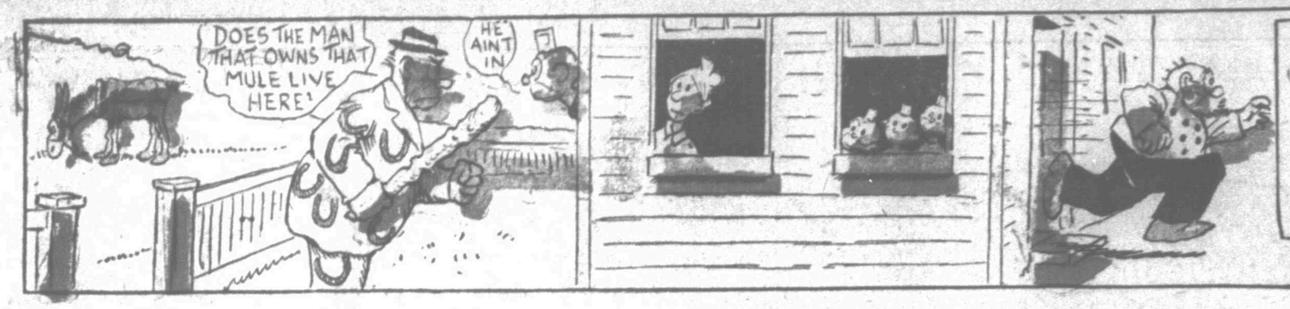












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