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BANDITS KILL FIVE: AMERICANS THREATENED

BRYAN STORMY PETREL AT MEET OF CHURCH MEN

Commoner Slighted When Appointments Are Handed Out

HE REFUSES OFFICE

Plans To Head Committee To Conduct Fight On Darwin Belief

Associated Press Dispatch

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 18.—William Jennings Bryan developed today into a stormy petrel of Presbyterianism when he refused to accept the chairmanship of the committee on home commission of the One Hundred Thirty-fifth general assembly, tendered him by Dr. Charles F. Wishart, who defeated Mr. Bryan yesterday in the race for moderator.

His refusal threatened to precipitate a fight between the liberals and the fundamentalists which will overshadow other work of the assembly.

Bryan Slighted.

A practice of long standing gives the second man in the vote for moderator the chairmanship of the important committee on bills and overtures, the steering committee of the annual meeting.

When Dr. Wishart made up his committee assignments last night, however, he selected Dr. Hugh Walker, of Los Angeles, third in the moderator race, for this post. The bill and overtures committee will pass on the protest of the Philadelphia Presbytery against the doctrines preached by Harry Emerson Fosdick, a protest in which Mr. Bryan is very much interested.

Having selected Dr. Walker for the post, the moderator asked Mr. Bryan to select any other, and after some consideration, the commoner announced he would be satisfied with the vice-moderatorship, but by the time he had reached his decision, Dr. Wishart had named J. Spencer Chapman, a Philadelphia lawyer, as vice-moderator, and sent the list to the printer, giving Mr. Bryan the minor committee leadership.

To Fight Darwinism.

The Florida delegation, of which Mr. Bryan is a member, had named him for the committee on education, where he would have a hand in acting on his expected resolution to bar teaching of evolution from all church schools, colleges and seminaries. Appointment to a committee chairmanship automatically removed him from the education committee, but by refusing Dr. Wishart's appointment, Mr. Bryan got back the other post.

He immediately announced that he would devote all his time to the fight against the Darwinian theory and against the preaching of any doctrine which denied the virgin birth of Jesus Christ, or the other fundamental interpretations of the Bible.

"I think the fight against this doctrine of evolution from a brute is more important than any work I could do on any committee," Mr. Bryan said. "I was willing to accept the vice-moderatorship to show that I accepted my defeat in good spirit, but I spoke too late."

THE WEATHER

West Texas: Saturday unsettled; scattered showers; cooler in the Panhandle; Sunday fair; cooler.

Oklahoma: Saturday showers, Sunday fair; cooler.

East Texas: Saturday and Sunday partly cloudy to cloudy; probably showers; cooler in north portion.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS

The warmest weather of the year was recorded in Wichita Falls Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock when the temperature rose to 93 degrees. Highest temperature recorded previous to yesterday afternoon was 92 degrees several days ago. The sky was clear of clouds and by 10 a. m. there were indications of a warm day and the indications became certainties as the day advanced. The lowest temperature recorded was 67 degrees at 6 a. m.

Although the recent rains have greatly helped the wheat crops in this vicinity and should no more fall a fairly normal yield may be expected, the cotton, which is just beginning to grow, according to the farmers in this district, is in need of rain, as the ground is rapidly losing its moisture.

NEW YORK BARS JESS-FIRPO FIGHT

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 18.—The New State Athletic commission has forbid the proposed match between Jess Willard and Luis Angel Firpo, it was learned tonight, on the ground that Willard's age is beyond the legal limit. Tex Rickard, promoter of the bout, is said to be making plans to stage it in New Jersey, at Boyles Thirty Acres.

DEAD YOUTH'S MOTHER HITS SCHOOL HEADS



MRS. J. L. MOUNT

Mrs. J. L. Mount, mother of Leighton Mount, Northwestern university student whose body was found recently along the lake front in Chicago, complains bitterly of the alleged unfair treatment she has received from President Scott since the disappearance of her son. A grand jury will probe the cause of the boy's death, which is believed to have been due to hazing activities.

SEVERAL CALLED IN LOBBY PROBE

"We Intend To Go To Bottom Of This Thing," Says Member

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 18. — The house lobby investigation committee today began its investigation of lobby activities in the state legislature. At an executive session this afternoon the committee called before it several persons for questioning on lobbyists. Names of those called were not made known.

Representative C. E. Beasley of Sulphur Springs was elected chairman of the committee and Representative Jennings of Canadian, secretary.

Taking of testimony before the committee will continue tomorrow and will be in full swing next week, Beasley stated.

"We intend to go to the bottom of statements and rumors of lobby activities in Austin," a member of the committee, said tonight.

Bringing Hull Youngblood of San Antonio, who was subjected to a legislative investigation recently, before the committee, and the bar of the house if necessary, will be one of the objectives of the investigation.

CARTER B. RAHL FATALLY HURT

Local Oil Man's Skull Fractured When Car Overturns

Carter B. Rahl, local oil operator was probably fatally injured at 1 o'clock Saturday morning when an automobile in which he was riding overturned on the Henrietta road on the second turn beyond the Lamar street connection.

The machine, which was said to have been traveling at a high rate of speed, failed to make the turn and was hurled bottom side up in the ditch at the side of the road.

Rahl was rushed to the Wichita General hospital where an examination by Dr. R. L. Hargrave revealed that he was suffering from a fractured skull and bad cuts and bruises about the body. It was also feared that he was internally injured.

Police reported that several others were in the machine with Rahl at the time of the accident and that one of them was believed to have been badly hurt.

The automobile, a Hudson touring car, was completely wrecked.

Rahl, whose home is at 802 Brook street, is well known in oil circles of this city.

An x-ray examination of Rahl's injuries had not been made at 2 o'clock this morning, but nurses at General hospital declared that the injuries were serious, if not probably fatal.

Fort Worth Man Drowns

Associated Press Dispatch

CUSHING, Okla., May 18.—E. Kretchman of Fort Worth, Texas, was drowned in Coal creek, four miles northeast of here this afternoon, when the automobile in which he was riding turned turtle and pinned him beneath it in about two feet of water.

BILL TO LEVY TAX ON DIVORCE REPORTED OKEH

Marriage License Would Also Be Assessed Under Same Act

INCOME BILL ARGUED

Dinkle Measure Will Be Taken Up In House Monday

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 18.—The Quinn sulphur tax bill and the Culp measure proposing a tax on divorce applications and marriage licenses were reported favorably by the house committee on revenue and taxation this afternoon. Action on the remainder of the 30 revenue bills before it was postponed.

$2 Divorce Tax

The Quinn bill would levy a 2 per cent tax on gross sulphur produced in Texas. The Culp bill seeks to levy a 50-cent tax on each marriage license issued and a $2 tax on each divorce suit filed.

For several hours the revenue committee debated the Dinkle income tax bill and when it adjourned tonight members were practically agreed on the bill. Only one material change was made in the measure, that placing railroads under provisions of the act. Such corporation, however, would be given credit for intangible taxes as an offset. The Dinkle bill will be reported back to the house tomorrow and taken up next Monday.

Quiet Afternoon

The revenue committee's work was the only legislative activity this afternoon. Neither house nor senate was in session. Both held brief sessions this morning. Several new bills were introduced in the house including Collins' occupation tax on chiropractors; Dinkle, substitute income bill; Baker, protecting fur-bearing animals, and Baldwin, levying occupation tax on carnival shows.

In the senate, Senator Rogers introduced a resolution asking congress to investigate fully charges made against Earle B. Mayfield in the contest of his election by George E. B. Peddy. The senate adjourned until Monday.

73 Die When School Burns

GIRL KILLED ON WAY TO PURCHASE GRADUATION DRESS

Associated Press Dispatch

SAN ANTONIO, May 18.—On her way to San Antonio to buy a graduation dress, Miss Maxine Jones, San Marcos high school senior, was instantly killed when a sedan containing the family turned over on the Austin road near Selma at 9 o'clock this morning. She was to graduate next Monday night.

Her mother, Mrs. B. Ross Jones; Mrs. Sallie Jones, a sister; James Jones, a brother, and Albert Hildreth, San Antonio boy who was driving the car, were injured, though not seriously.

CAR QUITS ROAD FOUR DIE IN FIRE

9-Year-Old On Running Board Of Machine Escapes Death

CAIRO, Ill. May 18.—Four persons were burned to death near here late today, when an automobile in which they were riding, ran off the road, turned over, pinning the occupants beneath it, and burst into flames.

The dead, all of Mounds, Ill., are:
L. E. Roach, 24 years old.
Ben Gaffney, 36 years old.
Cecil White, 2.
Millerin White, 4.

The children were nephew and neice of Roach, who was driving the car. Authorities expressed the belief that Roach lost control of the machine.

A fifth passenger, the 9-year-old son of Gaffney, who was riding on the running board of the automobile, escaped death when he was tossed into a clump of bushes when the automobile overturned. The accident occurred between Mound City and Mounds, Ill.

Mothers Perish That Children May Live As Fire Takes Toll Of 73

41 Youths Trapped In School When Oil Lamp Fires Sudden Holocaust.

Associated Press Dispatch

CAMDEN, S. C., May 18.—Seventy-three men, women and children are known to have lost their lives in the fire which late last night destroyed the school building at Cleveland, near here, and a check is being made to determine whether five others perished.

More than half the bodies were placed late today in one grave near the scene of the disaster after open air funeral services had been held.

41 Children Dead.

The exact number of injured has not been ascertained, although five persons, suffering from serious hurts, are in a hospital here. Many others are at their homes, recovering from burns, bruises and in some instances, fractured arms and legs.

Of the known dead 41 were children who were in the crowded school auditorium, witnessing a commencement playlet when an oil lamp fell, setting the wooden structure on fire. Seventeen men and 15 women also perished.

Messages of condolence and offers of assistance poured in today from all parts of the state and nation. Most of them were addressed to Mayor Carrison, of Camden, and to all he returned one answer: "We appreciate your sympathy. No help needed."

Oil Lamp Starts Fire.

The fire, acording to eye-witnesses, started when a hanging oil lamp over the stage fell and burst, blazing oil catching flimsy draperies and quickly spreading. The audience, numbering about 300, mostly children, became panic stricken. Men in the crowd attempted to quiet those who became frightened but a rush was made for the one insecure stairway that led to the ground floor.

A jam resulted, the stairway collapsed and scores were hurled into a closet under the steps. Some were impaled by jagged timbers from the broken stairs. Soon the splintered stairway caught fire. Those not killed by the fall perished in the flames.

Meantime, men and boys who had escaped by leaping over railings or through windows, endeavored to extricate those strapped. Dozens were pulled to safety. Mothers, trapped on the second floor in some instances, hurled their children through windows.

Mothers Give Lives.

With the light of the burning building to guide them, men outside the

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HIT BY BASEBALL TEXAS PHYSICIAN NOT TO RECOVER

Associated Press Dispatch

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Texas, May 18.—Dr. A. F. Payne, well known physician and president of the Farmers' and Merchants' bank at Pickton, 18 miles east of here, was hit on the head with a baseball bat today, while seated in a drug store. He is unconscious and not expected to live. A man is under $2,000 bond, charged with the act.

BAPTISTS PRAY FOR NEW PLANS

June 1 Set Aside For Prayer And Guidance In Work Outlined

Associated Press Dispatch

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 18.—The Southern Baptist convention, in session here, set apart Friday, June 1, or a day as near that as possible, as a day of prayer for divine guidance in the carrying out of their plans.

A resolution adopted requests "all our pastors and churches to spend that day together in prayer, with exposition of scripture and testimony concerning prayer, beseeching God to give us in His own way the money to pay our debts and enlarge the work for the glory of God." The resolution was offered by Dr. A. C. Dixon of Baltimore, Md.

At the close of the morning session, the convention passed a resolution of non-concurrence with a resolution offered yesterday opposing the teaching of evolution in schools. The resolution today declared that it did not dissent "because of the principles involved," but on the ground of "interference beyond the province of the convention."

The Rev. J. P. Jenkins of Louisville, Ky., read a report of the committee of Baptist city councils. It recommended that the home board make a survey of the situation confronting the home missionary society in the cities and report to the convention next year on some definite policy. This report was adopted.

House Of David Bride Jailed For Her Evasive Answers In Trial

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. JOSEPH, Mich., May 16.—Mrs. Elizabeth Julia Stroupe Rowe, one of the young brides of the group marriages of the House of David colony, now the subject of a grand jury investigation, was sent to jail today for 15 days by Judge Harry Dingeman, presiding as the one-man grand jury. She was jailed because of evasive answers and her failure to confirm her former testimony that Etidorpha Smith, another girl bride, sought as a witness, had been at the colony as late as Wednesday of this week.

Man Denies Shooting

Associated Press Dispatch

FORT WORTH, May 18.—A man, suspected of being John Hallum, accused of slaying James Liston Sr., Fort Worth merchant, six years ago, and who was arrested in Sacramento, Cal., in February, will file a habeas corpus proceeding here immediately and seek to prove he is not Hallum. Prosecutors admit now they have little evidence on which to hold the man.

The suspect was brought back here from California last February.

Mann Act Entangles Man From Oklahoma

Associated Press Dispatch

TEXARKANA, Texas, May 18.—George B. Shields, brought to Texarkana from Okmulgee, Okla., today entered a plea of guilty to a charge of violation of the Mann act and was sentenced by Judge Frank A. Youmans to a year and a day in the federal prison at Leavenworth.

Annie Alton and Nellie Cleary of Hope, Ark., found guilty by a jury of violation of national prohibition laws, were each fined $100 and costs.

Solon Stricken

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—State Representative Henry Sackett of Coleman sustained a stroke of paralysis early today and is not expected to live, according to information received here tonight by legislative officials. Sackett had gone to his home a few days ago because of illness in his family.

HE'LL HUNT GOLD OUT IN CANADA



DUKE OF MANCHESTER

Within a few weeks the Duke of Manchester will be digging for gold in Canada. He has formed a family syndicate to search for ore in a 6,000-acre tract near Lake Demontigny, not far from the Hattie and Hollinger mines.

GIRL AVENGES DEATH OF FATHER

She Shoots Merchant After Her Father Is Ambush Victim

Associated Press Dispatch

CARRIZOZO, N. M., May 18.—Bessie Hurt, 16 years old, shot and seriously wounded George Titsworth, 50 years old, head of the Titsworth Mercantile company, in front of his store here this afternoon.

Last January Titsworth's brother, William Titsworth, and Tom Simer, and employee, and Hunt Hobbs were arrested and held for the grand jury under $15,000 bond in connection with the fatal shooting of Thomas Hurt, father of the girl. Hurt, a prominent rancher of New Mexico, was ambushed on the lonely Capitan road the night of January 24.

The girl fired four shots but only one took effect, entering Titsworth's right arm. She was brought here and placed in custody of Mrs. Ed Harris, wife of Sheriff Harris, charged with intent to kill.

SOLDIER KILLS ONE, ENDS OWN LIFE AS WOMAN LOOKS ON

Associated Press Dispatch

EL PASO, May 18.—Horace L. Coulson, 28, of Memphis, Fort Bliss soldier, shot and wounded L. R. Springer of Cisco, Texas, tonight and then shot and killed himself.

The shooting occurred on the lawn of the home of Mrs. H. E. Rolfe as Mrs. Rolfe and Springer returned from town in a taxicab. Coulson formerly lived at the Rolfe home. Springer came to El Paso today, and he and Coulson met for the first time this afternoon.

Carpenters Elect

HOUSTON, May 18. — Officers elected at the closing session of the state council of carpenters of Texas today are: W. A. Walker, Houston, president; W. Lee Wills, Wichita Falls, first vice president; D. E. Mills, San Angelo, second vice president; R. E. Roberts, Dallas, secretary-treasurer.

Executive board is: Tom S. Days of Fort Worth, J. D. Turner, Austin; Roy Wilson, Waco; A. Dillon, Galveston; H. S. Conklin, Galveston; H. E. Welchel, Amarillo, and A. B. Martin of Port Arthur.

The proposal to increase the state per capita tax was defeated.

WATER TANK SPOUT BREAKS MAN'S NECK

TEXARKANA, Texas, May 18.—James E. McDuffie, Cotton Belt special agent working out of Pine Bluff, who was hit by the spout of a water tank at Lewisville, Ark., this afternoon and knocked from the top of a freight train, is in the Cotton Belt hospital here, suffering from a broken back. Surgeons say there is little chance of recovery. McDuffie's home is in Texarkana.

Ransdell For Court

SHREVEPORT, La., May 18.—Speaking before the Rotary club today, Senator Joseph Ransdall, pleaded the cause of the international court of justice, as means to the outlawing of the war. Senator Ransdall declared that the court was not a part of the league of nations. "neither front, back nor cellar door."

CAPTIVES FACING DEATH IF THUGS LOSE DEMANDS

Prisoner Released on Parole To Carry Warning Of Execution

ALL HOSTAGES DOOMED

Americans To Stage Big Mass Meeting In Shanghai Sunday

Associated Press Dispatch

TIENTSIN, May 18.—The Suchow bandits on Wednesday shot five of their Chinese captives and "would not hesitate one moment about shooting the foreigners," according to Marcel Berube, one of the prisoners who arrived at Linchang yesterday on parole.

Associated Press Dispatch

SHANGHAI, May 18.—Unless foreign powers unite in forcing the Chinese government to realize that the Suchow bandits are ready to forfeit their own lives and those of their captives in their determination to have their demands met, "we are doomed" was the word received here today from Leon Friendman, one of the Americans held in the Paotsuku mountain stronghold of the brigands.

Mass Meeting Called

Friendman's letter, which painted a pitiful picture of the captives' condition, has stirred public feeling in Shanghai. The China Press, the American newspaper, backed by a number of prominent Americans, has called a mass meeting for Sunday for the purpose of making urgent representations to Washington.

Fear Safety of Prisoners

The meeting, it is expected, will point out the necessity of the powers guaranteeing that the promises made by the Peking government to the brigands will be kept.

Foreigners here and in other cities in China are becoming increasingly alarmed for the safety of the prisoners held at Paotzuku and the situation is almost the sole topic of conversation in all foreign circles.

PRISONERS TO DIE IF BANDITS LOSE

Associated Press Dispatch

PEKING, May 18.—Marcel Berube of Shanghai was unconditionally released today by the Suchow bandits, according to advices received here.

Marcel Berube, the first foreign captive taken in the raid on the Shanghai-Peking Express May 6 to be freed by the brigands, arrived at Linchang yesterday.

At that time it was stated he was free only on a brief parole and had been sent out with the bandits' ultimatum, that if the Chinese troops besieging the bandits were not withdrawn by next Tuesday, all the American and British hostages would be summarily shot.

BORAH SAYS COURT AND LEAGUE BOUND BY SAME SHACKELS

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—The United States cannot join the international court and remain out of the league of nations, because both institutions are "bound by shackles of binding adamant that cannot be broken," United States Senator William E. Borah, Idaho, declared in an address here tonight.

"You can see at once that the position is an impossible one," Senator Borah continued. "You cannot serve God and Mammon, you cannot serve good and evil at the same time. You cannot be opposed to the league, because it is dangerous, and in favor of the court because it is good, for the reason that the court cannot exist without the league."

Amateur Radio Sends Signals 11,000 Miles

Associated Press Dispatch

HARTFORD, Conn., May 18.—An amateur radio station has transmitted signals 11,000 miles, establishing a new long distance record, according to a communication received today at the American Radio Relay league headquarters. A ship operator reports that he heard the station operated by E. W. Rouse at Galveston, Texas, when he was 100 miles southeast of Ceylon in the Indian ocean.

Men and Girls Don Bathing Suits As Three Hour Rain of Foot, Two Inches At Beaumont Breaks All U. S. Records

Half Million Dollar Loss Reported After Business Houses Are Flooded

Associated Press Dispatch

BEAUMONT, Tex., May 18.—When the city began checking up on the loss sustained today, in the heaviest rain in the city's history, it was found that the loss probably will not exceed a half million dollars.

Virtually every business house sustained some minor loss to stock or fixtures. One hotel lost about $15,000 in groceries stored in the basement. Two flat-roofed framed buildings, just out of the main business district, collapsed from the tremendous amount of water which was not being carried off by the roof gutters as fast as it fell. There was no loss of life.

A record was made for the United States by the rain here today. The government gauge showed that 13.54 inches of rain fell within three hours. All but one-half of an inch of this total fell within two hours, it was said by the observer. In August, 1915, during a tornado, 16 inches of rain fell during a 24-hour period, but the rain was well distributed over the entire period of time. The other rainfall records of the United States were made at Brownsville, Tex., in 1886, when 12.04 inches of raid was recorded, Pensacola, Fla., records 10.17 inches of rain within 24 hours in 1887.

Girls Don Bathing Suits.

Men and girls in bathing suits during the day were common but they did not come to work that way, for no one worked here today except telephone and electric linemen and members of the street gang.

Hundreds were attracted down in town just to see the sights, but there was nothing but water to see. No business houses opened up this morning, as the rain was falling in torrents when time came to open up. The sky began clearing shortly before 11 o'clock and there was bright sunshine in the afternoon, but there was no use to open stores and places of business then, for there were no shoppers in town. The restaurants were on the job, however, and did a good business.

Street car service went out about 7 o'clock in the morning and on about half the lines no wheel turned for the balance of the day. The tremendous amount of water in the business district was caused by the sudden downpour of rushing trash and bits of paper congesting over the manholes of storm sewers, until the water could not get away before the rush of water set in from

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NEGRO WASHED AWAY IN CANAL

Associated Press Dispatch

BEAUMONT, May 18.—A report received here tonight from El Vista, four miles west of Port Arthur, tells of the drowning of Nathan Parish, negro cowboy, working for W. C. Gilbert. Parish was attempting to cross a canal badly swollen by the heavy rain, when he was swept away and the body has not been recovered.

It was reported early today that Henry Franks, an employee of the Magnolia Petroleum company, was a storm casualty. It developed later he was hurt while at work within the refinery grounds and that he stepped into a pool of hot oil. His condition is serious. The accident occurred while the tank of distillate was burning about a mile away.

Bomb Explodes In Building With U. S. Consulate

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The state department late today received official word that a bomb had exploded at 2:30 o'clock this morning in the building at Mexico City occupied by the American consulate general.

The message, which came from Consul General Dawson, said there had been no "noticeably" damage to his own quarters, although a room on the lower floor of the building occupied by a Mexican lawyer had been wrecked. He said there were no casualties.

RED CROSS SENDS $5,000 TO MITCHELL

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 18.—The American Red Cross has appropriated an additional $5,000 for use in relief and rehabilitation work in connection with the tornado of Monday in Mitchell county, Texas, William Baxter, Jr., manager of the Southwestern division of the organization announced at division headquarters here tonight. An appropriation of $1,500 was made previously for immediate use.

Bank Bill Will Be Decided By Keeling

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 18.—The question of whether or not the recently enacted bill which creates a separate banking department can become effective since the insurance department bill failed of final passage, has been put before the attorney general's department for a ruling, it became known today. Bankers who were here today contended that the act can be made effective and that the insurance division would function under the old insurance and banking department.

Motorists Crossing Border Must Carry Identification Cards

Associated Press Dispatch

EL PASO, Texas, May 18.—Orders received today from Washington, effective May 22, require all motorists crossing the border to or from Mexico to carry identification cards issued by the United States customs authorities. The cards, which must be renewed every 30 days, carry a full description of the car, license and engine numbers and list of equipment carried.

The order, it is explained by the collector of customs here, is a result of a recent conference between American and Mexican officials relative to the curbing of traffic in stolen cars between the two countries.

Austin Wants Meeting

Associated Press Dispatch

FAIRFIELD, Ill., May 18.—William Jennings Bryan was requested to come to this city and address the general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, in a resolution adopted at today's session of the annual general assembly which is in session here.

A contest is being waged between Austin, Texas, and McKinzie, Tenn., to obtain the place of meeting for the next general assembly.

COMMISSIONER DIES

Associated Press Dispatch

CORSICANA, Texas, May 18.—J. J. Jackson, 57, county commissioner of precinct 3 of Richland, this county, died today here as a result of injuries received when an automobile in which he was driving turned over.

Rain Ushers In Day Along With Electrical Show

Heavy clouds that had threatened rain an hour or so before midnight opened at 1 o'clock Saturday morning and gave the city a liberal sprinkling. A high wind swirled thick dust clouds through the streets between midnight and the time precipitation started.

A mild electrical disturbance accompanied the shower.

At no time was the rain heavy, but cooled the city in welcome fashion after a day of summer heat.

137 GRADUATES HEAR OF LEE

William L. Smith Addresses Local Senior Class At Wichita Theatre

William Lewis Smith, president of Washington Lee University, was the principal speaker last night at the Wichita theater when 137 seniors from the Wichita Falls high school received their graduation diplomas.

Dr. Smith who lived in the old home of Robert E. Lee, secured the subject of his address from the history of the great southerner.

"I wish to draw from his life history three great principles. The first of these is the lesson of his great decision. The first of these came to him at the beginning of the Civil War, when on April 18, 1861, he was offered the command of all the U. S. forces. On the one hand was ease and comfort, with the leadership of one of the greatest armies in the world at his command and on the other was poverty and on the side of a losing force and yet he never faltered. On the twentieth of April he resigned his command in the United States army, and on the twenty-third he accepted the leadership of the gathering forces of Virginia.

Another Great Decision.

At the end of the Civil War he again was forced to make another great decision. He received the offer to lead the armies of Egypt and received another offer of a great estate in England with a life of ease but he never faltered when he was offered the presidency of a bankrupt college situated in the mountains. There is no nobler figure than Lee doing to give up his life for the young men of America.

"The second principle is the lesson of Lee's christian faith. There are very few people who know anything of his religious life. Born in rich surroundings, leading the life of a professional soldier, spending his life in a camp, cut off from a christian home, church, it is indeed marvelous how a red-blooded soldier could have established such a companionship with God.

"The third great principle was Lee's victory over defeat. His mighty armies were shattered, defeated, his land overrun and subjugated, this great leader chose to supervise a handful of boys in a small country town. His defeat was at Appomattox but records show that Lee was victorious as his character was triumphant."

In conclusion Dr. Smith made an appeal to the young people in the graduating class to "let the old personal honor of our grandfathers remain as a heritage to their descendants. Let their hospitality remain as an incentive to this generation."

Dr. Smith, who in a sense resembles Robert E. Lee with his snow white hair, and the poise of a southern gentleman held the audience rapt bound for the time he spoke and is probably one of the greatest speakers who has ever appeared in Wichita Falls.

Judge W. R. Chauncey, president of the school board, presented Stella Winters, Marjorie Woolsey, Louise Scott, Ray Bland, Joe Basham, and Donald Hallman with monogram W's for their record in literary activities in Texas.

Joe Basham, president of the graduating senior class, presented Jack Storey, president of the junior class for this year, with a muffle bearing the numbers, 1920, 21, 22 and 23. The mantle was taken off of Stella Winters' shoulders and placed on Mary Evans, who is vice president of the junior class.

Scholarships Given.

Donald Hallman was presented with the gold Wilkie Talbert medal for being the best extemporaneous speaker in the high school. Joe Basham won the medal in 1922 and Mortimer Clopton in 1921.

Edgar Bartlett, Lee Clark, and Wade Bartlett, all scouts, received scholarships in consideration for their records in scout work in Wichita Falls. Louise Scott, Marjorie Woolsey, and Stella Winters, also won scholarships to the state university for winning first place at the state meet. Vaugn Buchanan received scholarships to all the leading universities in the state for making the highest record in grades of any senior pupil. Her average was 95.75, which is the highest that has ever been made by any pupil graduating from the local school. Joe Basham, president of the class, also received several diplomas for making the highest record of any boy in the graduating class.

Selections were rendered by the high school orchestra and the high school glee club. Supt. Lee Clark introduced the principal speaker of the evening and Judge Chauncey delivered the diplomas. Hugh Porter presented the scholarships.

Immediately following the exercises the graduates went to the Kemp hotel where they held their farewell banquet.

Those on the honor role were:

Vaughn Buchanan, Joe Basham, Frankie Adickes, Margaret Akin, Elizabeth Carrigan, Alice Copeland, Anabel Couper, Louise Deaton, Edgar Ellis, Lorene Hayter, Marietta Hunt, Margaret Mode, Gene Nelson, Mercer Parks Ruth Sosebee, Lucile Wiley, Ruth Williamson, Stella Winters, Marjorie Woolsey.

Those receiving their diplomas were:

Dorothy Ackerman, Frankie Adickes, Margaret Akin, Milton Archer, Hiram Aynesworth.

Zona Bachman, Stanfill Bailey, Ita Barksdale, Wade Bartlett, Inez Basham, Joe Basham, Preston Beck, Gwendolyn Bennett, Ray Bland, Dora Blank, Al Brothers, Elizabeth Brown, Pearl Bryant, Vaughn Buchanan, Mabel Bundy.

Thelma Cain, James Calvert, Elizabeth Carrigan, Inez Carter, Sears Carter, Lee Clark Jr., Margaret Coleman, Mary Frances Collier, Alice Copeland, Anabel Couper, Anna Crews.

Orion Daniel, Andra Fay Darby, Florence Datson, Burleigh Davenport, Louise Deaton, Onelta Deems, Isabel Delp, Ilene Dunaway.

Lucile Ealy, Edgar Ellis, Lee Erwin.

Elton Feiber, James Fox, Mary Fulcher, Charles Fuller.

Ruth Gaines, Almond Gates, Erich Gefert, Bernice Goldke, Fay Greene, Eleanor Gribble, Ora Gwinn.

Donald Hallman, Lois Hamric, Claude Harris, Clifton Haynes, Lorene Hayter, Elias Hernandez, Ruth Howard, Courtney Howell, Alva Huey, Dillard Hughes, Marietta Hunt.

Gladys Idou.

Louise Jenkins.

John Kavell, Sam Kiker, Katherine Klauser, Helen Knotts, Edna Kuehn.

Gladys Lane, Georgia B. Leath, Sallye Lewis, Myron Lyle, Mason.

Bernice Martin, Mildred Martin, Georgia Maxwell, Tasbing Maxwell, Orville Meek, Ada Medford, Frances Mellwin, Margaret Mode, W. Lee Moore, Arnold Morris, Paul Morton, Helen Myers, Janie MacAlister.

Gene Nelson, W. D. Nelson, Gilmore Newton, Lowell Nichols, Dorothy Nolen.

Bonnie Overstreet.

Mercer Parks, David Perkins, Jack Pink, William Powers, Jeannette Prentiss.

C. C. Randle, Mary Rhadley, Mabel Riley, Verda Mae Riley, Donnie Ring, Bert Ripley, Herschel Roberts, Bessie Rowland, Dorothy Rugeley.

Emma Lou Scott, Louise Scott, Judith Sherrod, Fern Sides, Albert Smart, Edgar W. Smith, Helen Mae Smith, Maude Smith, Raymond Smith, Ruth Sosebee, Beatrice Speer, Robert Allan Stone, Clyde Stroud.

Arnold Thous, Eleanor Thompson, Hazel Wagoner, Lorene Wales, Harold Ward, Lucile Wiley, Jewel Williams, Ruth Williamson, Eileen Willis, Marjorie Winston, Stella Winters, Lloyd Woodall, Marjorie Woolsey.

Ruth Marie Yates.

LeRoy Zeigler, James Zetzsche.

Offensive Against Russia Is Forecast In Red Newspaper

International News Dispatch

MOSCOW, May 18.—Izvestia, one of the official newspapers through which the soviet government makes its public announcements, today issued warning that a "military offensive against Russia is possible."

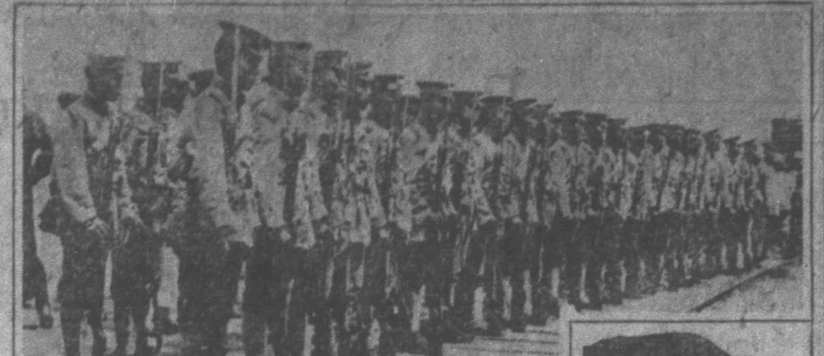
The provinces are pledging their support to Moscow in the event of war. A message from the governments of Turkestan and Tiflis said: "We will use our oil to burn up an imperialistic war."

RISING VOTE OF THANKS FOLLOWS GIPSON'S POLICY

Public commendation by a rising vote of thanks was tendered E. H. Gipson, state representative from Wichita county, for his efficient and untiring services in the legislature when Mr. Gipson appeared Friday noon at the chamber of commerce business council. The action was taken at the suggestion of Frank Kell, who declared to the council members that he knew it to be a fact that Mr. Gipson stood as high in the estimation of his colleagues at Austin as any other legislator in the state.

This statement from Mr. Kell brought a round of applause from the council members.

PURSUING CHINESE BANDIT BAND





Type of Chinese troops in pursuit of bandits who took American, British and other foreigners captive after holding up train. Inset is of John B. Powell, American newspaperman, taken by bandits.

Chinese regulars, in pursuit of the bandit army which wrecked the tourist train and took several Americans, British and other foreign tourists prisoners, have been handicapped in their efforts by the cases of the bandits in using their captives to protect their retreat, John B. Powell, an American newspaperman and publisher of the "Weekly Review" of Shanghai, was one of the Americans captured and held by the bandits.

The capture of the tourists, including Miss Lucy Aldrich, sister-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. has caused an international flurry. Miss Aldrich and other women members of the kidnapped party were released. The bandits first demanded $1,000,000 ransom for prisoners still held. Later they reduced the demand to $50,000.

MOTHERS—

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structure did their best to break the fall of those who jumped. Some of the mothers gave their lives that their children might live, for it was reported that in several instances little ones were tossed to safety just as the floor sank with the mothers.

Four of the cast of eight in the playlet, a comedy, were among the dead. All the players were members of the graduating class. One of them, E. C. Bruce, describing the start of the fire and the scene as the flames spread, said that at first it was believed by those on the stage that the blaze could be extinguished. But the flames ignited scenery and draperies, and in an instant the audience was panic stricken. No announcement has been made whether there will be an investigation of the disaster. Coroner Dixon and his daughter were among those buried late today.

Among the crowd standing alongside the grave was Governor McLeod of South Carolina, who earlier in the day had issued a proclamation calling upon the people of the state to aid the fire sufferers.

The day was a topsy-turvy one for Kershaw county. Stunned at first by knowledge of the extent of the disaster which had wiped out, as in a breath, entire families — fathers, mothers and children—the county quickly turned to the work of attempting to identify the dead, burying them, succoring the injured, and condoling the bereaved.

All day long little was thought of but the fire. Business houses were closed, for not only had many of the county's solid citizens been taken, but thirteen of Camden's own lay wrapped in winding sheets beside the smouldering embers of what for years had been the center of the Cleveland community. On the doors of many homes crepe was hung.

PROBE POSTAL SYSTEM

International News Dispatch

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Inadequacies and ills of postoffice facilities throughout the country were discussed at the White House today after presentation to President Harding of a report on general postal conditions by Postmaster General Harry S. New.

MEN AND—

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the residential district, which uses the same storm sewers.

3,000 Phones "Die"

The Southwestern Telephone company had about 3,000 telephones to go out of commission, but about 2,000 of these had been restored before workmen knocked off work at nightfall tonight. Three basements to business buildings were flooded because of the large volume of water in the streets that was higher than the sidewalk curbing.

The heavy rain extended only a short distance from town. Five miles east and the same distance west, report not more than five inches of rain. The Beaumont-Galveston Santa Fe line annulled its two passenger trains today because of a washout just outside the city limits of Beaumont.

High Island, in Galveston county, 50 miles away reported only a shower. To the north on the Santa Fe, one damaged bridge was reported at Bronson, 100 miles to the north, but rail traffic was delayed only an hour.

Residents of Orange, 20 miles to the east, reported four inches of rain, and that they could plainly hear the roar of the falling waters and the continuous peals of thunder from the dense cloud hanging over this city.

The Magnolia Petroleum company lost about $50,000 in property when lightning struck a tank partly filled with distillate.

Employes Not To Lay Idle After Shop Fire

Associated Press Dispatch

CHILDRESS, Texas, May 18.—Places for the 75 employes in the paint and coach shop of the Fort Worth & Denver City Railway company, which burned yesterday, with an estimated loss of $225,000, fully covered by insurance, possibly will be found in the freight car shop, E. E. Clarity, vice president and general manager of the road, said today.

The plant destroyed is about one-sixth of the value of the company's holdings here. The machine shop, roundhouse, office buildings and material yards were not damaged.

200 Attend Poultry Show At Bowie

Special Dispatch to Record News

BOWIE, Tex., May 18.—Two hundred boys and girls of the agricultural clubs of Montague county attended the poultry school conducted here today under the direction of W. E. Reynolds, county agent.

The necessity of producing infertile eggs during the summer months was stressed by the speakers during the morning session. Interesting talks on the raising and handling of poultry and the production and marketing of eggs were made by Miss Myrtle Murray, poultry specialist of the Texas A. & M. college; M. B. Oates, agricultural agent of the Denver road, and H. Overstreet, of Bowie.

The afternoon was spent in inspecting the Johnson poultry farm, which is one of the largest in the United States. Mr. Johnson explained to the club members the methods used by him in the production and marketing of poultry and eggs.

Dinner was served the boys and girls by the chamber of commerce in the rooms of the chamber during which a special musical program was rendered.

MADRID CHIEF SLAIN

International News Dispatch

MADRID, May 18.—Deputy Regneral, former governor of Vizcaya, was shot to death today. Trutle unionists are said to have done the killing because of alleged persecutions by the officials.

50,000 Business Concerns and Huge Fortune In Investments Totter As Court Hits Loose Delaware Charters

International News Dispatch

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Fifty thousand American business concerns, representing a total investment of at least $2,500,000,000, are affected by a federal court decision here holding void the purchase of stock through personal notes in all corporations organized under the laws of the state of Delaware, International News Service learned today.

The decision, handed down by Judge Robert E. Mattingly in a test case, was based on a clause in the Delaware state constitution which prohibits the use of personal notes in purchasing stock from Delaware corporations.

Revelation of this clause, according to corporation experts here, may lead to the institution of thousands of suits to recover funds paid by investors. Lawyers also predicted it might lead to the collapse of many corporations as a result of recovery suits.

The decision was retrospective and applies to all stock subscriptions, which included a personal note of the investor, even though the note has long since been paid. Suits to throw out such transactions, it was established, may be filed not only by the investor who gave the note, but by any other stockholder in the corporation.

Judge Mattingly's decision was rendered in a double test case between Henry H. Byrne, assistant attorney general, and the Stock Exchange Security corporation. Byrne had purchased $1,500 in the corporation's stock, paying $500 in cash, and giving a note for $1,000. Byrne sued to recover the cash and the corporation sued to make him pay his note, long overdue. Judge Mattingly threw out the corporations' case and in addition, upheld Byrnes' claim for recovery of the $500 cash.

Corporation lawyers here were agreed today that the decision would cause:

1. Elimination of most so-called "wildcat" corporations, which take advantage of the loose Delaware laws to incorporate.

2. A flood of suits by "big" stockholders to drive out "small holders," who used personal notes in purchasing stock from Delaware corporations, whose stock valuation has since been sharply increased.

3. Other suits by stockholders, who gave notes, to recover their investments from Delaware corporations, whose stock valuation has sharply decreased.

4. Additional suits by investors to recover cash paid into unstable Delaware corporations, along with notes which have not yet matured.

5. A barrier to Delaware corporations against collecting on unpaid notes given for the purchase of stock.

12,000 Klansmen March

International News Dispatch

LAWTON, Texas, May 18.—Over 12,000 robed klansmen paraded here tonight in what was declared to be probably the largest initiation and ceremonial of the Ku Klux Klan ever held in this section of the south. The parade extended over a mile and a half and was staged without any disturbances whatever.

Five hundred candidates for admission to the klan marched at the rear with handkerchiefs over their faces and without robes.

The initiation ceremony, with twelve huge, flaming crosses, was an imposing sight.

Seventy-five carloads of klansmen from Wichita Falls and a dozen or more from Burkburnett, Electra, Henrietta and other Texas points were here for the affair.

REDS WOUND POLICE

DORTMUND, Germany, May 18.—Nine policemen were wounded here today in repelling an attack by communists.

Letters to The Editor

Collection Delinquent Taxes.

Editor Record News:

There has been considerable comment during past weeks both as to collection of delinquent city taxes, and also the factor of delinquent taxes in the over-draft on state funds, that is now of much concern in the legislature.

While of course all agree with "due process of law," in the taking of anything, from anyone against their will, it seems there exists an altogether unnecessary surplus of formalities and "red tape" in the filing of tax suits and collection from delinquents.

With but a rare exception, now and then, all tax suits go by default. There seems to exist no justifiable reason why there should be any suits filed. All purposes would be equally served with both economy and efficiency in collection of taxes, and a minimizing of redemption costs, if tax collectors and sheriffs could arrange tax sales after the manner of sales under deeds of trust without foreclosure suits in court.

All property is acquired at any time subject to all taxes levied or that may be levied, and the contract of payment is in all things closed as assessed after sessions of board of equalization have adjourned. There exists, then, no reason for foreclosure suits other than to pile up the costs in collection fees and redemption payments from owners. Why not abolish by law the necessity of suits that are unnecessary? It would both reduce costs and get action in collections.

F. G. SWANSON.

HAVEN PARK OPENS

Announcement was made Friday that Haven park, popular summer amusement resort, is now open to the public. The place will be under the same management as that which has been in control since the park was opened two years ago.

The swimming pool has been thoroughly cleaned and repaired during the winter months and the concession stands enlarged and improved. A full line of cold drinks, sandwiches, confections and tobacco will be for sale on the grounds These stands are to be under the supervision of Otis Grimes.

A free concert by the Taylor Military band has been arranged for Tuesday night and school children of the city are to be admitted to the pool without cost from 3 to 6 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Outside Banks Call Piggly Wiggly Notes

International News Dispatch

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 18.—Clarence Saunders, Piggly Wiggly president, this afternoon announced that banks outside of Memphis had refused to grant time extensions, on his notes and threatened to bring injunction proceedings to stop his operation of the company and depose him as president by attaching his stock.

"Rather than lose the fight at the stage, I will remain as president of Piggly Wiggly without taking a penny for my services," he said.

Oriental poppy and the coca leaf produce about 99 percent of the drug addiction reported by authorities.

SCHOOL CLOSES HERE FRIDAY

Three Months Of Fun Begun By Most Of The Students

Three months of vacation, swimming, camping, hiking, attending ball games and other things that every school boy holds sacred, will be enjoyed by the school children of this city for the next three months as school was dismissed Friday for the summer months. The schools in this part of the state are dismissed early every year and take up early in the fall due to the intense heat that is experienced here in the early summer.

Taken from every standpoint this year's school session has by far been the best experienced in the history of the public schools of Wichita Falls. Several new schools have been constructed this year, including the Carrigan and Franklin schools, and a new addition has been added to the Sam Houston school. The new Junior College building, which will probably be the most modern school building in the state when it is completed, is rapidly being constructed, the corner stone having been laid several weeks ago.

This year also marked the beginning of the Junior College in Wichita Falls the pupils of that institution numbering approximately 65, having held their classes in the high school building, pending the completion of the Junior College building.

Class War Ends

The inter-class trouble between the juniors and seniors, which started so suddenly the first of the week, died just as suddenly yesterday morning, when the leaders of both sides met at the high school grounds and reached an agreement.

The juniors said that they would not interfere with any of the senior activities and the seniors agreed to let bygones be bygones. There was a few handshakings, a few grins, and an acknowledgment from both sides that they had had much fun out of the little controversy, and that there were no ill feelings existing on either side. The majority of the juniors attended the senior exercises last night and rehearsed strongly every time one of the 137 graduates received their diplomas.

No Verdict Reached In E. C. Arbuckle Case

No verdict was arrived at Friday night by the jury hearing evidence in the E. C. Arbuckle case, testimony in which was heard yesterday in the Eighty-ninth district court. The jury was given the case shortly before 5 o'clock and at 10 o'clock last night retired.

Arbuckle is charged with burglary in connection with the theft of three chickens from the yard of a local fancier several months ago. He was tried once before, but a hung jury resulted.

SPECIAL

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday we are going to sell "CHOICE NEW CROP ALFALFA" Hay at $1.00 per bale. 10 bales or more 90c per bale. Morgan Feed Stores, Phones 3726-2528.—Adv.

The fly fungus, a poisonous mushroom, reaches its full growth in 12 hours.



Keeps Him Busy

filling up our shelves with freshly-baked loaves of bread. There's such a steady demand for our bread all day long, our bakers must work in shifts to keep up with it. No wonder our loaves sell so fast—they're too good to keep—they're baked to be eaten.

"ALWAYS FRESH"

PEOPLES BAKERY

214 Seventh St. Phone 5790

HAVEN PARK

Now Open

—The big pool is now full of fresh, clear water and the gates to the park are now open to the public. The trees are clothed in green, and seldom do you find a more beautiful spot.

School Children Admitted Free Monday Afternoon From 3 to 6 o'Clock

On Tuesday night, the 22nd, from 8:15 to 9:30, a band concert will be furnished by Taylor's Military band. No admission charge to the park at any time, band concert free.

Our management will be the same as it has been for the past two years and you will be accorded the same hearty welcome as usual. The cold drink stands will be conducted by Mr. Ottis Grimes, who will always be ready to serve you with refreshments.

Spend your evenings among the trees at

HAVEN PARK

TODAY IS THE BIG DAY AT RICHARDSON BARGAIN BASEMENT SALE

FREE ICE COLD DRINKS ALL DAY

Today at 4 o'clock Somebody Will Be Made Happy—Don't Fail to be On Time

MUSIC ALL DAY

Special in the new addition just added to my store

50c Hind's Honey and Almond Cream	35c
25c Mavis Talcum Powder	15c
25c Colgates Tooth Paste	15c
50c Pebsodent Tooth Paste	35c
50c Nadine Face Powder	35c
50c Mavis Face Powder	35c
$1.00 Coty's Face Powder	75c
15c Peroxide	8c

I am going to build the biggest Bargain Basement in Texas in the basement of the American National Bank Building, corner Eighth and Indiana.

E. E. RICHARDSON

Dress Sale Today



We offer for today's special priced sport dresses in combination silks at—

—$19.50

Dotted Swiss and Printed Voile Dresses worth up to $16.50 on sale at—

—$8.50

Beautiful Linen Dresses, hand drawn, hand embroidered in all the newest colors. Wonderful dresses at—

—$14.95

HAT SALE TODAY

Sport and Trimmed Street Hats on sale at $5.00

One lot at $3.00

Colonna Toggery Shop

ELECTRA LADS STAY IN SCHOOL

20 of 42 Graduates Are Boys; Girls Win As Best Students

Special Dispatch to Record News

ELECTRA, Texas, May 17.—Despite the fact that the five students making the highest average grades in the senior class were girls, 20 of the 42 graduates were boys. This is an unusual percentage, and the general impression seems to be that in the midst of an active oil field the boys usually leave school to make money more than in other places. Contrariwise, Electra's high school senior class seems to have a larger per cent of boys than any other town in Northwest Texas.

Miss Buna Ray is valedictorian. She won this honor over Miss Pansy Langley by a margin of less than three-fourth of one per cent. Miss Ray's grade was 93 11-12, while that of Miss Langley was 93 1-6. The seven students making a general average of more than 90 per cent were Misses Ester Saner, 92 10-24; Miss Nola Fears, 92 2-3; Eugene Banta, 92 3-10; Miss Louise Gaston, 92 7-24; and Miss Bonnie Wilson, 90 1-3.

Scholarships were awarded to Miss Ray for having won first honors, and to Eugene Banta for having highest grade among the boys. These include tuition and fees to practically all of the universities and colleges in Texas, and are valued at from $75 to $125.

President E. M. Friend of the school board delivered the diplomas to Misses Opal Tarlton, Texas Kettue, Louise Gaston, Magdaline McGann, Nola Fears, Bonnie Wilson, Quada Jones, Dona Bell, Pansey Langley, Blanche Gossage, Augusta Aven, Beulah McDonnald, Agnes Hawley, Bund Ray, Addie B. Simmons, Alma Chaney, Ora Chaney, Esther Sainer, Maggie Robertson, Ruth Moore, Lona Cox, Wilmoth Carnehan, and Glynn Haynes, Wayne Gillespie, Wade Smith, Ray Wofford, George Smith, Verlin Gee, Kenneth Watkins, Theo Youree, Herman Gibson, Homer Moss, Joe McCracken, Eland Stearns, Alvin Stearns, Bennet Vaught, Elmer Tiffany, Harry Logan, Francis Autrey, Eugene Ganta, George Hagan, and Harvey Stanford.

The program included "Prelude," Miss Mary Ellen Scott; "Invocation," Rev. C. C. Dooley; "Greeting to Spring," senior class; "Lullaby Moon," high school quartet; "Address," Dr. Henry Louis Smith; "Daybreak," senior class; presentation of diplomas, E. M. Friend, and benediction by Rev. R. B. Curry.

The 42 graduates were seated in the choir loft.

Long before the exercises started a standing-room crowd filled the Methodist church. Many were unable to gain admittance, even though every available chair was pressed into service.

Dr. Smith talked on "Six Great Lessons We Learn from the Gridiron." "This is an age of brains," he declared. "To the trained man every door in America opens."

The first lesson given by Dr. Smith was that "every time you try to carry the ball, there is somebody else trying to keep you from advancing it." Life is a battlefield, he pointed out. "Every town in Texas is a battlefield. Right or wrong, industry and sloth are always in conflict. You need never expect to pick up the ball and lightly go over the goal; and if you carry the ball over by foul play, the great referee will take your victory away from you and rule you off the field. Play square."

"Nobody plays the game alone" is the second lesson. Team work is the keynote of life, as well as in football. The individual who is not loyal to the organization, and who "plays to the galleries," makes a miserable farce of it. "Put out of your life jealousy, suspicion, hostilities and distrust. Cultivathe loyalty to your home, your family, your friends, and to your teammates in the game of business."

The third is the "Lesson of the Coach." "The untrained and ignorant player will ruin the team. It is only the trained man who is worth anything on the gridiron, whether it be at college or out in life."

Fourth comes the "Lesson of the Training Pledge." "The first thing the squad does," Dr. Smith said, "is to put itself under the coach and take the pledge. They can't drink liquor, they can't eat fancy pastries, they must be in bed at a specified time—in fact, the individuals must live only for the good of the team. Personal weakness and self-indulgence will ruin the team's chance, and it will ruin your chance for success in life."

Next is the "Lesson of the Daily Grind." "Ever since January, we have had a squad of men working day after day to get ready for the games coming next fall," Dr. Smith said. "In the game of life your big opportunity will come, but it is the daily grind, the unremitting toil to get ready that will make you able to cope with the big chance."

Sixth is the "Lesson of the Divine Magic of Enthusiasm." "Enthusiasm can turn the daily grind into a daily joy," Dr. Smith said. "Fall in love with your job, and then drudgery becomes a delight."

King Names Him Ulster Speaker



Marquis of Dufferin.

The Marquis of Dufferin has just been named speaker of Ulster and vice admiral of that province by King George of England.

Miss Brown Leaves For Tour Of Europe

Miss Elizabeth Brown, head of the biology department in the Junior College, left last night for her home in Austin where she will spend a few days with her parents and from there will go to New York where she will sail June 2, for England. Miss Brown plans to spend a month in the British Islands, making a tour of Scotland and Wales and spending several days in London, where she will spend most of her time in Westminster Abbey, taking notes and making observations.

From the British Islands she will go to France where she will tour the battlefields in that country and spend several days in Paris. While on the continent Miss Brown will spend some time in Italy, visiting the Alps, in Germany and Spain. She will arrive in New York about the first of September and will probably be connected with the Junior College again next year.

She will be accompanied on her trip by three friends who live in North Carolina and who will meet her in New York prior to the date of her departure from America.

HELP WANTED.

From the Black and Blue Jay.

"Is this the fire department?" yelled the excited chemistry professor over the phone.

"Yes, what do you want?"

"How far is it to the nearest alarm box? My laboratory is on fire and I must turn in the call at once!"

Waurika Personal and Society

Special Dispatch to Record News

WAURIKA, May 18.—There was a splendid Mothers' day program given at the Christian church Sunday night consisting of songs, readings, and a fairy land play, which was very much enjoyed by the large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hollinger and small son Billie, accompanied by Miss Lucile Billinger drove over from Wichita Falls and spent the week-end in the N. A. Burnside home.

E. C. Billinger and wife of Norman, Okla., came Saturday to visit the former's sister, Mrs. N. A. Burnside and family.

P. F. Dawson went to Oklahoma City Saturday night as a delegate from the Knights of Columbus lodge at Duncan, Okla., where Mr. Dawson has his membership. He returned home Monday night.

C. S. Storms went to Liberty, Mo., Sunday to be gone ten days or two weeks. Liberty is the former home of Mr. Storms and he went there to visit old friends and to look after some business interests.

Mrs. Sans Doty of Oklahoma City has been spending a week in Waurika, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McGraw.

William Dawson, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Dawson has been compelled to miss several days of school on account of asthma.

Mrs. W. C. Floyd and small daughter, Marcella Sue of Durant, Okla., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Clifton. Mrs. Floyd will be remembered as Miss Gertrude Kiser who lived here for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ivey and two small sons James Harley Jr., and Marion, of Norman, Okla., motored down to Waurika last Friday and spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wooldridge. They also visited Mr. Ivey's sister who lives near Hastings. Mr. Ivey, formerly a Waurikan, will graduate from the law department at O. U. in June and after graduation will remove with his family to Sayre, Okla., where he has a junior partnership in an old and well established law firm of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Contway of Ardmore, accompanied by their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Contway of Medill, Okla., were Sunday visitors at the A. D. Kerr home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Brunskill of Hastings, Okla., were in Waurika Thursday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Watkins.

W. T. Dilley is in Oklahoma City this week where he is taking medical treatments for abscesses which have been bothering him on the back of his neck for the past few months.

Mrs. Will Aydelotte was called to San Antonio, Texas, this week by a message telling of the serious illness of a sister at that place.

The D. C. D. Highway convention, which has been given a great deal of publicity by the Snyder townsfolk, met on May 16, at Snyder. The following men were in attendance from Waurika: E. B. Ellis, Perry Wade, E. L. Wilson, W. H. Gresham, A. L. Dunkin, E. L. Dillard, Tom Dorsy, and John Chenoweth. The delegation was instructed to "land" the next convention for Waurika.

County Attorney W. F. Shipp has asked the new District Judge, A. L. Pugh, for a term of the grand jury to convene this fall. Judge Cham Jones, who recently retired to act on the supreme court commission had made plans to convene a grand jury and Mr. Shipp feels sure that Judge Pugh will conform with his desires. The chief matter to be taken up deals with "kiting" taxes.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore of Waxahachie came in Friday and spent the week-end with Mrs. Jack Phelps, their niece, and Mr. Phelps.

P. F. Dawson has been awarded the contract for housing the postoffice for the next five years and commenced the building Monday. It will be on the same lots, but back of the big two-story building which is being erected at the corner of Main and Broadway and will be a 40x50 affair and only one story, but is so conveniently located that Waurikans are well pleased.

The ladies of Waurika through the various church, social and study clubs have taken a very decided stand against the custom that has prevailed of playing questionablep ranks on newly married couples, and voiced their unanimous disapproval in a set of resolutions which were adopted in last week's meetings.

Ford L. Marks is building a 25x80 concrete block building on his lots on South Main street. The front will be of brick and the walls of concrete. When finished it will be occupied by Marks and son for a garage.

This week marks the closing of the year's school work. It has been one of the most successful in the history of the school, and the graduating class is also one of the largest and best that has ever been turned out by the school. Following is a list of the twenty-six boys and girls who will receive diplomas Thursday night: Florence Mitchell, Cecil Yoder, Louise Glaze, Elmer Cofer, Eula Mitchell, Leslie M. Stone, Merle Dorman, Don Mitchell, Thelma Peters, Geraldine Haslan, Roy Marmaduke, Lenna Vee Watson, Dorrance Clifton, Myrtle Wilson, Leon Weiss, Ruby Tucker, Elvin Bullard, Rebecca Green, Bernice Curry, Hubert Hodge, Mildred Brown, Colbert Stephens, Beaula Weakley, Glenn Huffman, Robye Cross, Alton R. Dickey.

Miss Rebecca Green won high honors and is valedictorian while Miss Thelma Peters, winner of the second honors will deliver the salutatory address.

Mrs. S. E. Trevathan of Wichita Falls was the house-guest of Mrs. C. A. Martin for the week-end.

Mrs. Dee Baker and two children, Dee Jr., and Marjorie, returned to their home in Fort Worth Sunday after having spent a week in Waurika and Hastings the guests of relatives.

"Uncle Billy" Wilson and Mrs. Wilson left Tuesday night for Colorado Springs, Colo., where they will spend the rest of the summer. They have been making this trip for the last several years as "Uncle Billy" finds relief from asthma, which troubles him so much, while he is in that climate.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cole and nephew Henry Carr Rose returned from Dalls, Texas, Friday where they had been to market and also to visit relatives.

Mrs. Ora Trollinger and Mrs. Fannie Nall drove to the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jamieson, near Hastings Sunday and spent the day.

Ed Anderson went to Oklahoma City, Tuesday on legal business.

J. L. Vertrees, who has been confined to his bed for the past week after being injured by an office chair breaking with him, is able to sit up, but not yet well enough to attempt a trip downtown.

FOOTWEAR
Style Hits
HARRY'S

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ANOTHER WET DECISION

Judge John C. Knox in the United States district court of New York held void those provisions of the Volstead law which limit the amount of liquor a physician may prescribe for a patient to one pint in 10 days. Judge Knox declared in effect that it was for attending physicians and not congress, to decide how much alcohol was needed as a medicine by a given patient in a given case.

Legal experts have declared the decision, if upheld by the United States supreme court, would have a far-reaching effect. The New York Times says that doctors who have led in the fight for a modification of the Volstead law in so far as it has interfered with the practice of their profession were overjoyed at the decision.

They hold that is is a contradiction in law to license a doctor to practice medicine and then have the government tell him how he could practice. Judge Knox held something else—that the Volstead act prohibits the manufacture and sale and importation of intoxicants as a beverage but does not prohibit the giving of alcoholic liquors by physicians to their patrons.

Old John Barleycorn refuses to stay dead. It is a matter of law now and the supreme court of the United States has the last word. If that court holds that the Knox decision is the correct interpretation of the eighteenth amendment then the doctors of America will be the masters of the situation. It will be for them to say if a patient is entitled to a pint in 10 days or 10 pints in one day.

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Federated club women of America are in behind President Harding and his world court movement. There are millions of American women who are not club women. They are democrats and republicans. How will they vote in 1924?

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BAY STATE POLITICIANS

Governor Cox of Massachusetts has signed what is known as the "Baby" Volstead act prohibiting the manufacture and transportation of intoxicating liquors in Massachusetts.

And the lawmakers who passed this act also enacted a measure which provides for a referendum in 1924 on whether the electors favor asking the Massachusetts congressional delegation to urge the repeal or modification of the Volstead act.

Massachusetts lawmakers must be politicians first. They gave the Massachusetts drys one law and then threw a sop to the wets. This reminds The Record News of the saying of a wise old Texan in the long ago: "You can't fool a buzzard."

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ANOTHER VIEWPOINT

"One of the evils of our present prohibitatory system is the liability to punishment twice for the same act or as the lawyers say, 'double jeopardy'," editorially declares the Chicago Tribune. "This is contrary to one of the oldest principles of English and American law. The repeal of the New York enforcement law cures this evil in that jurisdiction. In other states, including our own, a man may be punished once by the federal authorities and again by the state for the same act."

The Tribune is admittedly one of the greatest of American newspapers. In its politics it is independent republican and one of its proprietors, Madill McCormick, is a republican senator from the state of Illinois. This is the conclusion of the Tribune in its editorial comment on the action of the New York legislature.

"Prohibition, if justifiable or expedient at all, is a question of local self-government; and since it is imposed upon New York by national authority, New York refuses to aid the imposition. New York cannot abolish federal authority. It can and should refuse to aid it."

And all along wise politicians have been saying that prohibition is a settled issue, but it isn't settled. It will be a national issue, but not the paramount issue in the persidential campaign next year.

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MAY COME AGAIN

Dunbar is a town in West Virginia. Blue laws of ultra marine hue are being enforced. Two sacriligious individuals indulged in a game of dominoes. This aroused the ire of the mayor of Dunbar and he issued a proclamation that the playing of dominoes would not be permitted in future under penalty of arrest and imprisonment. Why worry? They burned witches in the good old days and may burn them again.

If We Ever Get Rich, We're Going To Establish A Gymnasium Where Sedentary Piano Movers Can Get Some Exercise



NO MAN'S HAND

By Hugh MacNair Kahler

WHO'S WHO IN THE STORY:

Alferd Bleeker, a wealthy, somewhat pompous magnate of the town of Pittland, comes to

Olaf Larsen, chief of detectives, with a story of threats he had overheard against

Phil Corcoran, a young man whom Bleeker has befriended in spite of his wild habits and who apparently is doing his best to keep on the good side of his wealthy patron. Mr. Bleeker says that one night while Corcoran was playing cards with

Carol Bleeker, his young second wife, he had inadvertently caught a telephone message for Corcoran—"You are just begging for a bullet!" and that later Corcoran had received a letter containing the words "Last warning. If you care for a whole skin."

Silvio Fenone, one of Larsen' men, finds that Corcoran made a practice of beating creditors and that he was "a beautiful piece of work in a parlor."

Charlotte Gray, a young woman, is visited by Larsen. She with Larsen himself and

Walter Enfield, a conclentious criminal lawyer have formed secretly what she terms "The justice syndicate." It's purpose is to carry out the principles of Scandinavian criminal practice which unites the accused's lawyer and the prosecution to ascertain jointly his guilt or his innocence. This differers from the American method of having the accused's guilt or innocence established often according to the abilities of the opposing lawyers.

Bobby Rackham, Miss Gray tells Larsen, was wrongfully sent to prison. He had confessed the embezzlement of $8 000.

Amy Weldon is Rackham's sweetheart. She is Charlotte Gray's informant and reveals the fact that Rackham had taken the money to give to Corcoran, his "hero," who had pleaded the sudden need of it, and promised its immediate return. Rackham is about to be paroled and Miss Weldon fears he may seek vengeance on Corcoran. Larsen warns Bleeker of the danger that Corcoran is in from several sources. The police chief sees Mrs. Bleeker and is impressed by her cold beauty.

Defiance.

Carol Bleeker carried herself splendly. Fire fur, her hat, her wrap told him that she throughly understood the art and science of dress.

It occured to Larsen suddenly that she might easily be a factor in the troublesome equation before him.

To do him justice, however, he put the thought out of his mind almost at once. Even the brief glimpse of Carol told him it was absurd to entertain any theory involving sentiment of emotion on her part. Not 20 Phil Corcorans could have shaken that frozen reserve he had seen in Alfred Bleeker's second wife.

He repeated his warning to Bleeker.

"Corcoran should go away and stay away—indefinitely!"

"But that would be equivelant to confession," protested the wealthy man. "If the situation is so dangerous to warrant that advice on on your part, why don't you arrest the man—whoever it is?"

"We have discovered too many people who consider themselves wronged by Corcoran to take any preventative steps as you suggest," said Larsen. "We might arrest one man perhaps, and put him under bonds to keep the peace, but we can't do it with seven of eight. And I might add that if the fear of execution dosen't restrain a man from murder, the fear of losing a little money certainly won't!"

Bleeker considered for a few minutes.

"You make it sound as if the boy had—had behaved rather badly to a number of rather evil-living people. Of course, I knod that this is not the case! I am sure that he's been guilty of nothing except possibly the usual fillies—regrettable but not actually reprehensible—which one learns to expect of youth deprived of proper enviornment and influence. But I assume that you speak advisedly—in earnest—"

"Very much so. I can't make my warning too emphatic. He's really in more kinds of danger than a man can safely face! I don't recall a case in which there have been so many strong indications of trouble ahead from so many different sources."

Larsen shook his head. "Why, Mr. Bleeker, if anything should happen to him, we'd have a mighty hard time choosing among the people who have the motive, at least, and perhaps the means and the opportunity."

"You shock me, Larsen. I had no idea of this. I shall urge him to go abroad. H'm! I might even contrive to—to send him. I could invent a business errand. I shall see what I can do—at once."

Larsen commended the idea, and presently departed.

Walter Enfield, his face lined by the all but perpetual pain he suffered from a crippled leg, smiled patiently at Charlotte Gray's fervor of exasperation.

Close as the two were, the differences between them always amused Larsen—the girl vividly healthy and alive, eager and surrendered to governance of intuition and emotion, Enfield with his translucent skin, his sufferer's pallor, his reasoned speech, his complete reliance on intellect, precedent and law.

They made a queerly mismated partnership, these three now gathered at Larsen's apartments and yet, as their accomplishments had demonstrated, they could work together to excellent purpose, supplementing each other rather than negativing.

"I'm getting pretty well fed up with your precious old laws, Walter," said Charlotte heatedly. "Here we've got a straight out-and-out case of being accessory before and after the fact to embezzlement, and you sit there and say there is nothing to be done about it!"

Enfield shrugged and looked whimsically across at Larsen. "I'm not the district attorney, Charlotte. He says he can't even put the case up to the grand jury. That's what stops us! Rackham's bonding company may bring a civil action against Corcoran; if it wants the satisfaction of a judgment it can't expect to collect! I guess that's all."

"Well, you'd better tip Bobby Rackham up when he gets out to Stillburn to-morrow," said the girl.

"I'm going to have a talk with the boy on the way back," said Enfield. "I'm able to offer him a good job, to hold out the promise of a pardon, restored citizenship, and all that. And then there's the girl. She's willing to marry him at once. Don't worry!"

The Chinese servant who looked after Larsen's bachelor quarters appeared in the doorway.

"Mist' Co'co'an'," he announced. Larsen came to his feet with a jerk.

He gestured to the doors of his little dining room. Enfield and the girl obeyed silently. The justice syndicate never advertised itself.

Larsen was alone when Corcoran lounged in. In spite of his dislike the detective could not help admitting and admiring the man's ease. Corcoran looked exactly like a young gentleman of wealth and leisure, completely contented with life and himself.

He was good to look at, Larsen conceded; he knew how to dress; he carried himself with an easy self-certainty which had its effect even on Larsen.

"What's all this rot about my running off, Larsen," he demanded without a prefactory greeting. "Mr. Bleeker's been at me to skip over to Africa far my skin's sake! I gather that you advised it. Why"

Larsen shook his head. "If you don't know without my telling you it's hardly probably that you will give much weight to anything I might say. But if I were in your shoes I'd make them carry me as far away from Pittland as they could. And I'd do it before to-morrow!"

"Why to-morrow" Corcoran produced a flat leather cigar case, helped himself, and proffered it to Larsen. The detective began a negative headshake, thought better of it, and accepted. It occured to him that he might as well confirm or dispose of a certain random idea concerning those cigars.

They were the same luxurious perfectos which he had seen in Bleeker's humidor. He repressed a grin.

Young Corcoran was very much at home out there evidently. Alfred Bleeker must have bought those cigars with a separate pang for every penny they cost him.

"Simply because to-morrow there'll be a man here with a beautiful reason for blowing your head off."

"You mean young Rackham" Corcoran grinned. "Why, he hasn't a shadow of excuse for being sore at me. Wanted me to invest some money for him. Did it and lost it. Then it turned out that he'd stolen it."

"That's your story. He has a different one. And as long as he feels as he does—well, if I were you—"

"But you're not, you see! And I wish you'd quit frightening poor old Bleeker. The old boy's devoted to me, and he can't sleep for fear I'm going to be punctured all over the shop. There's nothing in this idea of yours—not a thing in the world. Rackham knows I played fair with him. He's kept still about it all along. If he felt injured he'd have talked, wouldn't he?"

"I can only repeat that you are running a risk that I shouldn't care to face," said Larsen.

"Keep your hands out of it! You've made a lot of trouble out of it as it is. Poor old Bleeker's so cut up about it that he doesn't want to—well, that's some more of my private business, but you've almost spoiled a cheerful little plan he had for me by butting in!"

"Suit yourself!", said Larsen. "After all, you're the one who would suffer."

"Of course, I appreciate your interest. Mighty good of you to take so much trouble on my account—"

Corcoran arose, and sloached languidly out without farewells. Larsen watched him go, conscious of a helpless wrath quite his own. He would have enjoyed the relief of a blow on his own account! Corcoran had contrived to insult him so thoroughly during the brief interview that his anger was wholly personal. But the other man had given the detective an inkling of the reason which kept Corcoran in town.

He was hoping to make some money by staying, which he would lose by going away. That was clear enough. Larsen made a mental note to look into the "cheerful little plan" in the morning. His allies rejoined him. The conversation had been audible to them both.

"What's he up to?" Enfield frowned. "He's got his fingers near somebody's money. But whose?"

"Why, that's plain enough, isn't it?" said Miss Gray. "There's nobody else in Pitland who would trust him with a dime! It must be Bleeker."

In the afternoon next day Larsen met Bobby Rackman in Enfield's office. Stillburn had left its marks deep on the young fellow. He slouched a little; his eyes moved restlessly in a motionless face.

When he spoke it was in a rasping whisper, issuing from a corner of his mouth without visible movement of his lips. But he startled Larsen with his attitude.

"Amy misunderstood me down there," he said. "I'm going to square things with Corcoran, of course. But I'm not fool enough to risk going back there on his account. I meant that I'd get the money back, and something extra, and maybe worry him some while I was getting it. I'm going to do that. I see how to do it, I think. But that's all!"

"That's sensible," said Larsen heartily. "But it'd be more sensible to let him alone. He's a pretty shifty article."

"I know that. I've paid something to find it out. But he's got one weak spot. He's in love with himself! He can't believe that there's anyone on earth that wouldn't come when the whistled. And that's where I'm going to hit him." Rackham laughed. "I'm going to hunt him and tell him I know he meant well by me, that I don't blame him a bit, that we'll be friends as though nothing had happened. He'll fall for that. And before I'm done with him, things are going to turn right around. I've got it all framed up!"

"Nothing illegal? Remember you're only paroled—"

"Think I'm apt to forget it? No, sir; this will be absolutely level. Only I wouldn't wonder if Corcoran got into Stillburn before he got through with it. I'm hoping it'll work out that way."

"Better let him go," said Larsen again. "You've regained your liberty, and you've got a fine girl to work for, and pretty soon we'll fix up a sort of pardon for you, too. Revenge is all right, but it generally costs more than it's worth."

"It's not that. Only if that fellow stays where he is he'll keep on doing to other people what he's done to me. I'm thinking of some other kid like me, falling for his line of talk the way I did. And I want to stop that, if I can. You needn't worry. I've learned my own lesson. The law's going to work for me after this."

Amy Weldon, to Larsen's disturbed surprise, agreed with Rackham. She was a queer girl, quiet and repressed, with an effect of high nerve pressure. There was beauty behind her pallor.

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Another installment tomorrow.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

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Neighborly News

TO CULTIVATE RANCH

The famous San Lazarus ranch which extends over 7,500 acres of the territory to be irrigated by the big Wichita river irrigation project, will be one of the points visited by city and county officials, representitives of Dallas newspapers and others, who will go to Wichita Falls Friday night as the guests of the chamber of commerce there. Charles A. Mangold, Dallas hotel man and present owner of the ranch, will be a member of the party.

"In the earlier days every devotee of the turf and race tracks knew of the Lazarus headquarters ranch, where some of the finest blooded race horses of America were bred and groomed for the races," Mr. Mangold said Thursday in speaking of the large tract of ground, many acres of which will be put under cultivation as a result of the irrigation project.

The large canal on the north side of the Big Wichita river courses through the heart of Mr. Mangold's ranch, which is now under lease as a livestock farm. "There are now 900 acres under cultivation at the site, but I imagine that several thousand acres more will be cultivated within a few years," he said.

"Irrigation along the Big Wichita river will add millions of dollars to the value of Texas lands affected. To think of the huge lake to be created, which will be twice the size of Medina lake at San Antonio, ought to make anyone proud of Texas." Mr. Mangold declared.—Dallas News.

Woman Forger Heard

International News Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 18. — In the space of 10 seconds, Mrs. Myrtle Bowman Hayes today entered a formal plea of not guilty to a charge of forging the name of Charles M. Sewrb, multimillionaire steel manufacturer, to a note for $25,000, and hurried out of the criminal courts building to a waiting limousine.

RATE OF DISTILLATION AFFECTS QUALITY OF SHALE.

Studies made by the department of the interior at the oil shale laboratory of the bureau of mines, Boulder, Colorado, indicate that the changes in the quality of crude shale oils produced by varying the rate of distillation may be due to (a) the temperature at which the decomposition took place, and (b) the extent to which the thermal reaction progressed.

The temperature studies show conclusively that the oils produced in the slow rates of distillation are actually produced at much lower temperatures than the oils formed by rapid distillation.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague



SIMPLE JUSTICE.

Any Turk who will not mingle
With the opposition sex,
Feeling destined to keep single
By his bachelor complex,
To the minister's is harried,
All his outcries being vain,
And is very shortly married
To some lovely Turkish Jane.

Not a Turk can dodge the altar,
Never mind how hard he tries;
Soon the matrimonial halter
Some large, burly cop applies,
Meanwhile chuckling grimly, "Neighbor,
The remainder of your life
Will be spent in honest labor
To support your wedded wife."

Every time we see a fellow
With a gloomy, sour face,
Who's been never known to mellow
To a lady's charm and grace,
We would like to take the creature
To some chapel, cool and dim,
And stay sternly to the preacher:
"Make a married man of him!"

Though the Turk is often horrid,
And commits atrocious crimes,
He has brains abaft his forehead,
And he uses them at times.
Disregarding rank or station,
Every couple must be linked,
And throughout the Turkish nation
Bachelors are quite extinct!

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HIS LIMITATIONS

In one respect Shakespeare fell behind the modern dramatist. He could not write an actor-proof play.

THE QUICK WAY

To a correspondent who asks how he can get into the movies, we reply: "First get a job in the cabinet."

FUTILE

We know very well that as soon as we begin to understand Einstein's new new theory he'll spring a still newer one on us. So we don't try.

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Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

MILL WHEELS

Though for many centuries streams have turned mill wheels, even today, when mill wheels are far more efficient than they have ever been, most of the streams of the civilized countries send their great power unused to the sea, where it is lost.

The conservation of energy is just beginning to be understood.

A few more coal strikes and car shortages, seriously cramping the fuel supply, will make its use far wider.

All waste of power is bad economy. For it is power that builds cities and it is power that writes books and paints pictures. The latter is purely intellectual and physical power. But both must be employed if great things are to be done.

As nations waste the power of the streams that tumble down their mountains and rush toward the sea, so the citizens that compose the nations waste the power that is generated within them by the food they eat and the air that they breathe.

And much of that power is wasted because the citizen does not understand the way to utilize the energy that it in him, because, in short, he either has no mill wheel at all, or is using the old fashioned overshot or undershot wheel instead of the modern turbine.

Education, especially technical education, teaches men to use all the power that is in them, and to use it so that it will do the most good.

The educated man is a modern power plant. He has learned how much can be done with the hour that other men idle away. He has learned to use his mind, to put his energy into thought, and to make thought do for him the work that other men are doing by rote.

To get the best out of his energy supply, a lad early in life should embark upon the right pursuit—should, in other words, build the right kind of a mill wheel for the particular stream of energy that flows from him.

For smooth running is necessary to successful operation.

But the important thing is to have the wheel—to be ready to use the power instead of letting it run to waste, over the dam.

When three-quarters of it can be used the efficiency will be high.

When three-quarters of it runs idly away, there is little hope that the owner will grind any valuable grist of thought or achievement.

Ge the most "modern machinery" the college has to sell, if you can. If you cannot, build your machinery yourself, but take your time and do a careful job. Remember, there will be an expensive loss of product with every stop for repairs.

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What Today Means To You

By MARY BLAKE

TAURUS

Today is somewhat favorable astrologically, but your main business should be attended to in the morning. After this time there is an adverse aspect and inauspicious period in which no heavy liabilities should be assumed.

A child born today will be erratic and impulsive, although determined and self willed; and will have a marked talent for art.

If today is your birthday, you should cultivate your faculty of analysis and learn to consider all sides of a problem before you attempt its solution. Superstition is sometimes used as a short cut to avoid hard thinking.

Naturally your mind is quick and active, but it has probably a tendency to be brilliant and superficial rather than thorough and profound. You may safely assume that your second thoughts are better than your first.

You are versatile as your interests are varied and you will find yourself as much of an enigma as you are to others. In fact, yours is a personality which is extremely difficult to analyze tersely as there is almost nothing one could say about it which would not be partially correct! You are in the first place a solidly practical person but at the time you have an acid curiosity and an interest in a great many things which the average material person would regard as entirely fantastic.

You are a good judge of human nature but that is not going to prevent your associating with all manner of fools and philosophers, because there is no human being on earth who would not interest you in some unusual way.

You are fond of society as well as of good things of the earth—particularly when well served at no necessary effort to yourself. Rather than have the best, if you must exert yourself to get it, you would be just as content to take what there is.

You are given to rather serious melancholy at times, but never so serious as you yourself imagine and if the truth were known it is almost enjoyable.

Well known people born on this date are: Richard I. Dodge, author, James O. Broadhead, lawyer, Henry W. Ravenel, botanist.

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A Page of Society and Household News for the Woman Reader

Your Heart and Home Problems Solved By Elizabeth Thompsun

Dear Mrs. Thompsun: I am a young man 20 years of age and have kept steady company with a young lady of my age for two years. A month ago she passed away after a sickness of two days, and naturally her death has left me alone in the world and broken-hearted does not begin to explain my feelings.

What is expected of me now? How should I spend my spare time and evenings. I have gone to shows and would like to know if it would be be out of place for me to go to dances, providing I go with friends, not necessarily "date," but just for a social evening. It is not because I want to be out with a bunch or to forget my dear friend, but because if I stay by my self very much I get to brooding over her and it makes me feel as though I would lose control of myself. I respect her and always will, but wonder if going out would be contrary to that?

My friend lived in my home town some 50 miles from here. The fact that I am alone in this city makes her loss all the keener and also gives me more time to be by myself.

THANK YOU.

People who know about your loss will be sure to think that your sorrow is not very deep and they will say that already you have forgotten your loss and are ready for a new sweetheart. If you don't care what people think and say, follow your own inclinations and go where you will have relief from your suffering. Perhaps your loss is not generally known since you are a stranger in town, and by going to dances you will merely relieve your own loneliness and will not show disrespect for your dead sweetheart. If you were at home you really ought to stay away from dances at least three months.

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Dear Mrs. Thompsun: I am a girl of 17 and I am very much liked by both girls and boys in this neighborhood. I have been going to house parties with one certain boy and another boy thought himself smart and sent an insulting letter to me. I read the letter after school and put it in my coat pocket. However, this this boy I had been going with got hold of it and he gave it back to the one who sent it. Only a few days ago the one who sent the insulting letter ask me to accompany him to a show. Should I go?. My own judgment says I should not.

Last week I was put back in school as I didn't take the examinations. The news nearlybrokemy heart. My boy friend, who is 19 years old, asked me to marry him as that I would not have to go back. I don't think I should consent yet as I don't feel sure that I like him as I should. And anyway I feel too young and I think he is too young. His mother and mine, approve of it, however. I don't know how to answer him. If I say no he will be offended. Please tell me some way so that I won't offend him.

ETTA.

By no means go to the theatre with the young man who wrote the insulting letter. He does not deserve any consideration from you.

I think you and the boy are too young too marry for a year or two. Tell him that you appreciate him wanting to save you from the humiliation of going back to school, but you believe it will be better not to marry until you are older. Also tell him that you like him very much, but do not feel that you are old enough to become engaged.

Go back to school and study harder.

Pleats Are Seen On Newest Gowns



Pleats are not new, far from it, they have been used for years, but it remained for 1923 to bring pleats back as something new and fashionable. They are now shown in capes, frocks, blouses, wraps, and petticoats and one could go even farther for lingerie and handkerchiefs also have their share of pleating in the way of trimming.

Here is a new spring frock made of Lanvin green crepe. Lanvin, by the way is the new shade of green which is greener than an olive and not as green as an apple. The skirt is made of two deep tiers of accordion pleated crepe covered with silver embroidery. This embroidery gives a bordered effect to the material which is very attractive and at the same time deceiving. The low blouse of the gown is caught into a wide belt of self material at the hips. The cape back falls loose and forms the sleeves of the blouse and a sash at the side back completes the frock which is designed for an afternoon in late spring.

SOCIETY

SAN JACINTO MOTHERS SERVE TEACHERS DINNER

Members of the San Jacinto Mother's club served dinner to the teachers of the school Friday at noon and presented Miss August Wisdom, one of the staff, who will be married May 24 to Grover Cleveland Johnson, a handsome silver bread tray. Miss Wisdom, upon receipt of the gift, made a short talk in her usual pleasing manner in appreciation of the club's thoughtfulness, and Professor Jarret, principal of the school, spoke in behalf of the teachers, expressing appreciation for the splendid dinner served them.

AUXILIARY TO HOLD PANTRY SALE

Friends of the Woman's auxiliary to the local American legion are requested to remember the "pantry" sale the women will hold at the Baumgardner building today, when delicacies of all sorts will be sold. Mrs. W. P. Parker and Mrs. D. A. Wilcoxsen will be in charge.

THE SPIDER'S MISSION.

From the World's Work.

Mark Twain when editor of a small town paper, received a letter from a superstitious subscriber, saying he had found a spider in his paper and asking whether it was a sign of good luck or bad. The humorist printed the following answer:

"Finding a spider in your paper was neither good luck or bad luck for you. The spider was merely looking over the paper to see which merchant is not advertising so he can go to that store, spin his web across the door and lead a life of undisturbed peace ever afterward."

American Women Always on the Rush British Feminist Preacher Asserts

EDITORS NOTE: Miss A. Maude Royden, noted English woman preacher, who recently visited the United States, has written a series of articles for the International News Service setting forth her impressions of America. The first of these articles is herewith presented, Miss Royden discussing American women.

By A. MAUDE ROYDEN
(Noted English Woman Preacher.)
Written for International News Service.
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LONDON, May 18.—Shall I be forgiven if I pass very lightly over those attributes of America's women, which are known to all the world? All who know anything know that they are able and efficient, witty and socially gifted; independent and self reliant, without an atom of sex antagonism or self assertion; capable of a delightfully frank and gracious comradeship with men.

These things are the commonplaces of all of us who have the happiness to number American women among our friends. The American woman is as highly valued for her womanhood as the French woman, and far more genuinely respected as a human being.

I am told that she sometimes presumes on this and is selfish. I can't say. I haven't met all the women in America. All I know is that the ones I have met are not like that. Perhaps all the others are. But I don't believe it. I am inclined to think it is the criticism of women by men—to tell the truth—have pre-empted the vice of selfishness and staked out a permanent claim in it. That is how things are in a good many cases in Europe.

But having said this, may I very respectfully say something on the other side. American women are incessantly nervous and over-strained. Much as I liked to admire them, I was painfully impressed by their absence of repose. They "rush" even more continually than their men do. I am rarely unpunctual and can affirm with certainty that, though I was traveling continuously, and in trains whose schedule appeared to have been completely dislocated by the weather, I was never once late at a meeting or other engagement, except when my hostess made me so; yet I was never able to move without being propelled or towed by one or more earnest American women, who seemed unable to belive that I could move fast enough. I shot out of lifts, I rushed onto platforms, I flew along passages and corridors, always with the anxious pressure of an arm or hand to hasten me. I could hardly greet a stranger without being pushed in his or her direction first! I thought this must be because my lameness appeared worse than it really is, but when I found my beloved secretary, six feet tall and athletic to boot, also hurled about, I marvelled.

An American woman talks with her whole face, even her whole person. I felt she must be exhausted after ten minutes conversaiton. She was not. She was not exhausted after ten hours. At least it seemed not. But I wonder! Does life ask too much of the American woman? Almost without help, she runs her house, looks after husband and children, keeps up a high—an extraordinary high—standard of cleanliness, order and efficiency in her home. (I believe American women are the cleanest on the earth! Their houses are lovely to be in). Besides this, she belongs to a literary club votes, takes an active interest in public affairs. It is a staggering achievement. She must have brains to do it. But her nerves?

A quart of milk contains as much protein as half a pound of sirloin steak, say scientists.

Is Worth More Than Fortune To Houston Woman

After Suffering From Nervous Breakdown Mrs. Robinson Is Restored By Stella Vitae

"Positively, I wouldn't take a fortune for the good I have derived from my use of Stella Vitae and be in the same condition I was before I took this wonderful treatment," said Mrs. Carrie B. Robinson, of 2706 Lamar Avenue, Houston, Texas.

"I was on the verge of a nervous breakdown when I started taking Stella Vitae, for I had suffered for some time from a serious trouble that they told me was falling of the womb.

"There was a dull aching pain in the small of my back most all the time and my legs hurt so at times I just couldn't stand it and would have to lie down. After the least little exertion doing my housework I would suddenly weaken and give right out.

"My right side would begin hurting so terribly I would cry out in pain; I was so nervous the least little thing would upset me and I would jump just to hear the scraping of a chair on the floor.

"I heard so much about Stella Vitae that I decided to try it and after taking only one bottle and using the Uterina Tablets as directed I felt worlds better. My nerves are quieter and I sleep like a log at night. This treatment has done me more good than anything else I have ever tried and I gladly endorse it to all suffering women."

Note—Stella Vitae may be obtained from any druggist and is sold upon the positive guarantee that the purchase price will be refunded if it fails to bring relief. Miller's Drug Store, Tipton's Drug Store.—Adv.

Society Personals

Misses Loritta Simmons and Fauhie Tyrie, who have been teaching the past winter in the city schools, have returned to their homes in Weatherford, Texas, for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Martin and their guest Mrs. John Rawls of Rawls, Texas, have gone on a two days' fishing trip to Randlett, Okla.

Porter Graham, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Graham, has gone to his father's ranch, near Amarillo, to spend the summer.

Misses Louise Montgomery and Annette Walsh have returned from a few days' visit with Mrs. John Z. Martin of Breckenridge, Texas.

Mrs. James Greenwood of Houston and Mrs. J. M. Dibrell of San Antonio, who have been the guests of their uncle, Nat Henderson, are leaving for home today.

Misses Lalla Boone and Mamie Crump, who have been teachers in the schools of the city, have gone to their homes in Lubbock for the summer.

Misses Florence Barrier and Iola Burks left this morning for Dallas, where they will visit friends.

Misses Leila Henton of Marshall, Mae Lumpkin of Clarendon, and Anne Spencer of Uvalde, who taught this winter in the public schools, are returning to their home this morning.

Mrs. D. R. Weaver of Fredonia, Kan., is visiting with Mrs. W. R. Gregg.

Mrs. J. E. Mustaine of Dallas and Mrs. R. E. Costello of Woodward, Okla., are the house guests of Mrs. Dan Cullen.

Miss Sheilagh Kavanagh has returned from Austin, where she was the guest of Mrs. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, during the meeting of the International Federation of Alumnae associations, to which she was a delegate from Saint Mary's academy, of this city, and presented the resolutions on memorials. Miss Bettye Hull, who accompanied Miss Kavanagh, remained over in Austin for a few days and will also visit in Fort Worth before she returns.

Average person at rest requires between 1,600 and 1,700 calories of heat.

SPECIAL

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday we are going to sell "CHOICE NEW CROP ALFALFA" Hay at $1.00 per bale, 10 bales or more 90c per bale. Morgan Feed Stores; Phones 3726-2528.—Adv.

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45-in. Pillow Tubing — Regular 50c quality, 3 yards for— $1.00

Printed Crepes — Regular 39c grade. 4 yards for— $1.00

One Lot Ladies' Handkerchiefs — 5c each, 20 for $1.00

One Lot Men's Shirts — Special $1.00

French Ginghams — New stock and unusually good patterns, 2 yards for— $1.00

Country Club Hair Nets — 10 for $1.00

One Lot Men's Hose — Special, 4 pairs for $1.00

Printed Flaxon — Regular 40c quality, 3 yards for— $1.00

25c Florient Talc — 5 cans for $1.00

Piccadilly Square and King Tut Ties — Each $1.00

Men's Athletic Unions — Special $1.00

Andersons' WICHITA FALLS QUALITY STORE

Classy Kentucky Derby Comes Off Today

CREAM OF RACING WORLD SET TO RACE FOR RICHEST PURSE OF $50,000 AT LOUISVILLE

Record Breaking Crowd of 75,000 Which Will Tax Capacity Is Expected At Premier Turf Program.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 18.—Twenty-four thoroughbreds, the cream of 3-year-olds in the racing world, are carded to start in the 49th renewal of the Kentucky Derby here tomorrow. The prize, approximately $50,000, is the richest in international turfdom and outranks the English derby which carried a value of $45,972. Indications point to a record-breaking crowd, approaching 75,000, which is more than the capacity of the huge grandstands and the space between them and the rail.

In the assignment of post position, Chittagong was given the rail, Enchantment in the center and In Memoriam on the outside.

The race is at a mile and a quarter for three-year-olds and carries $50,000 in added money besides a gold plate valued at $5,000. If all 24 horses start, which now seems unlikely, the gross value to the winner will be $55,165, and the plate. The owner of the second horse will receive $8,000, the third $3,000 and the fourth $1,000.

Large Field

The field is the largest in recent years. It includes such horses as Enchantment, the favorite, which is coupled in the betting with Cherry Pie; Chickvale, Rialto and Picketer, the Harry Payne Whitney entry; Bo McMillen, which has a heavy following; Vigil, winner of the Preakness; General Thatcher, In Memoriam and Chittagong, each not unconsidered.

Each horse will carry 126 pounds. Anna M. Humphrey, a filly, has been given her six allowance of five pounds.

GASSERS CORNER SLUGGING BEE

Three Homers Feature Only Game In Texas League

Associated Press Dispatch

SAN ANTONIO, May 18.—Shreveport took today's game 10 to 9. The game was a heavy hitting affair, three home runs being hit. Score:

SHREVEPORT	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Foreman, cf.	6	1	2	0	1	0
Riley, 1b.	6	2	4	15	2	0
Simmons, lf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Jolley, rf.	4	0	2	2	1	0
Wight, 3b.	5	0	2	1	5	0
Snow, ss.	5	0	0	1	5	0
Chaplin, c.	4	1	1	3	0	0
Schilling, p.	3	2	1	2	3	0
Totals	41	10	16	27	22	0

SAN ANTONIO	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Fuller, 2b.	3	1	1	3	5	0
Gross, ss.	4	3	2	3	1	0
Boone, lf.	5	1	1	4	0	0
Galloway, 1b.	4	0	1	8	1	0
Simons, 3b.	4	2	2	1	4	0
[illegible], cf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Todt, rf.	3	1	[illegible]	1	0	0
Henry, c.	3	1	0	5	0	0
Roberts, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Morrison, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Couchman, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rose, x.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Payne, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	9	9	27	12	0

x—batted for Couchman in sixth.

Shreveport	220	204	000—10
San Antonio	202	201	200—9

Stolen bases Todt, Henry. Sacrifices Schilling. Two base hits Sargent, Gross, Schilling, Riley, Todt. Three base hits Simon, Riley, Boone. Home runs Riley, Foreman, Boone. Double plays Simons to Fuller to Galloway; Fuller to Gross to Galloway.

TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT

By "DINK" ADDINGTON

We might have won, and then, again, we might have lost. Take it or leave it.

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RAINY DAYS

When rain prevents the ball game,
And there's nothing else to do;
The players get a deck of cards,
And play a hand or two.

Or some get out the dominoes,
To pass away the time;
And play against their buddies,
For a nickel or a dime.

While others hit the movies,
To see a thrilling reel;
And some will simply sit around,
Until the evening meal.

The tightwad members of the club,
Will spend the day in sleep;
They spend the day and getting more,
They get out mighty cheap.

There's lot of other things they do,
I'd tell you but for shame;
There's lots of funny things occur,
When rain calls of the game.

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Maybe the Spudders will stage a Kentucky derby of their own and make a race track out of the Cat's ball park. All right, just so they get under the fire first.

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TEXAS DERBY

With a horse race down at Louisville,
The Spudders and the Cats;
A pair of ancient enemies,
Will cross their ancient bats.

The Kitties have the inside track,
They're on their own home lot;
But that won't hurt the Spudders,
We're sure they'll mind it not.

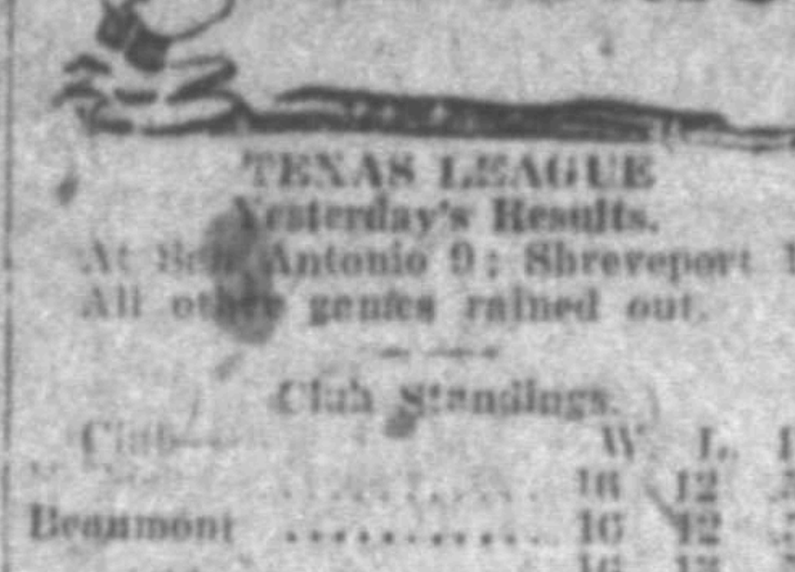
And when the barrier's pulled away,
And the Spudders start to run;
They'll leave the Kitties way behind,
Before the setting sun.

We care not for the derby race,
We have no nickels bet;
We want to see the Panther bunch
Get what they won't forget.

Sergeant William Raper of Fort Leavenworth, who weighs 380 pounds, is known as the heaviest man in the United States army.

SPECIAL

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday we are going to sell "CHOICE NEW CROP ALFALFA" Hay at $1.00 per bale, 10 bales or more 90c per bale. Morris Feed Stores, Phones 3726-2328.—Adv.



TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

At San Antonio 9; Shreveport 10.
All other games rained out.

Club Standings.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
[illegible]	16	12	.571
Beaumont	16	12	.571
[illegible]	16	13	.552
Wichita Falls	15	13	.536
Fort Worth	15	13	.528
San Antonio	16	15	.516
Galveston	13	16	.448
Shreveport	8	21	.276

Where They Play Today.
Wichita Falls at Fort Worth.
Shreveport at Dallas.
Galveston at Beaumont.
Houston at San Antonio.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Pittsburgh 4; Boston 3.
St. Louis 3; Brooklyn 1.
Chicago 100; Philadelphia 7.
Cincinnati 7; New York 0.

Club Standing.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	20	8	.714
St. Louis	17	12	.586
Pittsburgh	14	13	.519
Cincinnati	13	13	.500
Chicago	14	14	.500
Boston	12	14	.462
Brooklyn	11	16	.407
Philadelphia	7	18	.280

Where They Play Today.
Pittsburgh at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Washington 8; Chicago 14.
Philadelphia 4; Cleveland 1.
Boston 6; Detroit 2. (10 innings.)
New York 9; St. Louis 4.

Club Standing.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	19	8	.704
Philadelphia	15	10	.600
Cleveland	15	13	.536
Detroit	14	14	.500
St. Louis	11	15	.423
Washington	10	14	.417
Chicago	10	14	.417
Boston	8	14	.362

Where They Play, Today.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
New York at St. Louis.
Boston at Detroit.

Laslette's Sermon

"The Far Away Look, or the Relative Importance of the Seen and Unseen" will be the theme on which Dr. Laslette of the Central Presbyterian church speaks Sunday morning. It is a timely message to those who, having lost sight of church and religion, are striving to work back into the lost art of meditation and to harmonize spiritual with material things.

Miss Katharine Cooke is to sing at the morning hour. In the evening Dr. Laslette will speak on "The Unavoidable Christ, or the Man Who Lost His Soul Through a Wrong Christ."

A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend both services.

You Scratch My Back, Etc.' Etc.
(From the Indianapolis Star.)

William J. Bryan is proposing Daniels for the presidency and, no doubt, Senhos will even up the score by proposing William.

Ex-Big Leaguers Still Going Good



Harry Coveleskie, left, and George Mullin.

Harry Coveleskie, one time star for the Detroit baseball club and also a former Giant killer, has quit the diamond and is now a member of the police force in his home town of Shamokin, Pa. George Mullin, another former Detroit pitcher, who once helped the Tigers win three pennants, is a policeman at Toledo, Ohio. Stanley Coveleskie, younger brother of Harry, broke into the Major league with the Cleveland team while Harry was still pitching for Detroit.

Southwestern Tennis Meet Gets Going Today

COLLEGE STATION, May 18.—Rain delayed the start of the Southwestern conference tennis meet here today until late afternoon but with only four schools represented, with four men each, it is expected that the finals can be completed tomorrow if rain does not further interfere.

Rice Institute, Baylor University, Texas University and Texas A. and M. are the only schools entered.

The entries follows:

Rice: Coleman, Fitch, Laney and Moore; Baylor: Woodson, Cleveland, Bradley and Buckner; Texas University: White, Thalheimer, Chandler and Taber; A. and M.: Rounds, Rogers, Estep and Hinman.

Babe's Sixth Homer

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—Babe Ruth hit his sixth home run of the season in the seventh inning of today's game between the Browns and Yankees. Dugan was on base and Wright was pitching for St. Louis. It was Ruth's second home run made in the present series here.

Better He Gets the Worse for Her.
From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

Lenin, according to press dispatches, is out of danger, but, that being the case, it is more than can be said of the Russians.

Keeping Pace In The Chess Match

Between Houston And Wichita Falls

Knight to King, 2.

Not caring especially for the society of the Houston Don Quixote and his stable boy, the faithful Sancho, the Wichita knight slips into King 2 and it may be that he will now encircle the Houston windmill biffer and coming up from the other direction, deal either he or Sancho a swift kick in the slats in an effort to budge them from their seeming slumbers.

SPUDDERS' GAME AT HOUSTON RAINED OUT; PLAY CATS TODAY

Turns Down Offer Of $10,000 A Year

Associated Press Dispatch

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 18.—Owen Carroll, Holy Cross pitcher, has turned down an offer of $10,000 a year from the Pittsburgh Nationals to continue his studies for the priesthood, it was announced here. The offer was made by James Johnstone, scout for the Pirates.

"It's very nice of the Pittsburgh club to put such a value on my services," Carroll is quoted in the announcement as saying, "but I am not thinking of professional ball. I want to become a priest."

Coyotes Batter in Seventeen Runs to Eight For Seymour

Special Dispatch to Record News

SEYMOUR, May 18.—The Wichita Falls Coyotes slugged their way to an easy 17 to 8 victory over the local high school here this afternoon in the first of a two-game series.

Wichita's entire team was hitting like wildfire and had a good day in the field, pulling three nice double plays during the contest.

Slattin and Norris featured for the Seymour team with three hits each. Slattin gathered a single and two triples in five trips to the plate.

The battery for Wichita was Glidwell and Ross and for Seymour, Dunham, Waters and Lowry. The second game will be played tomorrow afternoon.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

At Sherman, 3; Corsicana, 5.
At Marlin, 5; Waco, 3.
At Mexia, 6; Austin, 7.

Pitchers Get Rest For Two Games With Atz Crew

Yesterday was a bad day for the coffers of the Texas league. Had it not been for the fact that San Antonio and Shreveport were able to put on a game, the circuit would have been as lively as midnight in a church.

The Spudders were among the six clubs that were idle owing to the friskiness of Jupiter Pluvius and their second game of the series with Houston is still on the books, to be played off at some later date in the summer.

Salm's crew sped it up to Fort Worth, home of the Atz Kittens where they perform on Saturday and Sunday before returning to the home orchard. To date the ancient rivals of the cow city have a game on the locals, having won three of the five games which the two clubs have played.

Relief for Twirlers.

The Spudder pitching staff, which has been having its troubles aplenty, should shed no tears over the rest it was granted yesterday for the crew should be in better shape to tackle the Cats than if they had to use some of their stuff in a game with the Buffs.

Returning home Monday, the Spudders open a long stand, entertaining all the southern clubs for the first time this season. San Antonio, Houston, Galveston and Beaumont visit the local lot in the order named. The Spudders also take on a four-game series with the Dallas Steers before leaving home again.

Feature Foursome At 'Muny' Course For Public Today

Every golfer, veteran or beginner, as well as any who have never even seen a match, are invited to the Municipal course this afternoon when an excellent exhibition game will be played by four of the best players in the city.

Tommy Cochran and Dud Golding, who made their marks in the recent state tournament, the latter being runner-up, will form half of the foursome. Bob Alexander will shoot another stick and either G. L. Heppy or "Red" McDowell will complete the quartette. A better match could hardly be offered to the golfers of Wichita Falls and a large gallery is expected to watch the play.

The match is being staged to intensify the growing interest in the game. It will be the first big feature since the course was opened and next Saturday the players will start off on their handicap tournament for the Nafziger cup.

HOME RUN SWATTERS

TEXAS LEAGUE
Riley, Gassers.
Foreman, Gassers.
Boone, Bears.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Torporcer, Cardinals.
Hollocher, Cubs.
Hartnett, Cubs.
Kelleher, Cubs.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Ruth, Yanks.
Sheely, White Sox.
Blankenship, White Sox.

Ouimet Says Women's Golf Game Is Biggest Surprise in History

WOMEN'S GAME GOLF
By FRANCIS OUIMET.
Former Open and Amateur Golf Champion.

When you stop to think about the matter you must realize this game of golf has surely made phenomenal progress in this country and in Britain for that matter, within the past ten years. A short time ago I was glancing through a golf guide, merely looking at some of the figures of past tournaments which are always so entrancing and so entertaining to me. I was looking particularly at the records of some of the women players. The more I thought about them, the more I was impressed.

It wasn't more than ten years ago that a certain few women dominated the entire field in this country in every tournament. Today there are at least 30 or 50 women throughout the country, practically on a par, who play a really remarkable game of golf. What is more it is faster golf by far than the champions played back in 1906 or even in 1910.

At that time Mrs. Ronald Barlow, Mrs. Caleb Fox, Mrs. H. Arnold, Miss Dorothy Campbell and the Misses Curtis were the top-notchers. In fact these same women are still first-class golfers and I shall have a few words to say about them a little further along.

But I do not believe I am discrediting them in any way if I say that at their best these women never quite equaled the game of Miss Alexa Stirling, Miss Glenna Collett, Miss Cecil Leitch and some of the even newer contenders, such as Miss Louise Fordyce, who are progressing with amazing speed.

For one thing the women of a generation ago or of even ten years back, did not have the power these younger girls have; nor was their style quite as finished or as sound.

The reason for that, as I see it, is that the first class woman player today begins the game earlier—in her youth when she can easily adapt herself to any style of play she is taught. Certainly this is true of Miss Stirling, of Miss Collett both of whom played the game as children and of the other I named.

Another reason is that any young girl starting the game today does so very seriously and in a systematic manner. She first goes to some professional and accepts his advice regarding clubs and is then grounded in the fundamentals so that in two or three years time she has a sound golf swing that will improve the more she plays and which she will not lose easily.

LUQUE BLANKS WORLD CHAMPS

Reds Even Series With 7 to 0 Win Over Giants

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 18.—Cincinnati evened the series with New York here today, Luque shutting out the world's champs 7 to 0. Score:

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Burns, rf	3	1	0	1	1	0
Daubert, 1b	4	1	1	10	2	0
Harper, lf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Roush, cf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Bohne, 3b	4	1	3	1	3	0
Pinelli?, 2b	5	0	0	2	4	0
Caveney, ss	4	1	1	4	2	0
Hargrave, c	4	0	0	5	1	0
Luque, p	3	1	2	1	0	0
Totals	35	7	10	27	13	0

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bancroft, ss	4	0	0	4	4	0
Groh, 3b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Frisch, 2b	4	0	2	0	4	0
Meusel, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Young, rf	2	0	1	3	0	0
Kelly, 1b	3	0	0	11	2	1
O'Connell, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Snyder, c	3	0	1	4	3	0
Bentley, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
xSmith	1	0	0	1	0	0
Jonnard, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	5	27	16	1

xBatted for Bentley in the eighth.

Score by innings—

Cincinnati	000	021	211—7
New York	000	000	000—0

Summary: Two-base hits, Young, Frisch, Bohne 2, Harper; three-base hits, Daubert; left on base, Cincinnati 8, New York 4; bases on balls, off Bentley 6, off Luque 2; struck out, by Bentley 3, by Luque 5. hits off Bentley 8 in 8.

ADAMS CELEBRATES HIS BIRTHDAY

BOSTON, May 18.—Pitcher Babe Adams of Pittsburgh celebrated his 41st birthday today by defeating Boston, 4 to 3.

Score:

PITTSBURGH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Maranville, ss	4	0	1	5	3	0
Carey, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Bigbee, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Russell, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Tierney, 2b	3	1	2	5	6	0
Traynor, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Grimm, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Gooch, c	2	0	2	4	2	0
S. Adams, x	0	1	0	0	0	0
Schmidt, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Adams, p	2	0	1	0	3	0
Barnhart, xx	1	1	1	0	0	0
Kunz, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	4	10	27	14	0

x ran for Gooch in 9th.
xx batted for C. Adams in 9th.

BOSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Powell, cf	4	0	3	2	0	0
Southworth, rf	4	0	1	5	0	0
Boeckel, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	0
McInnis, 1b	3	0	2	10	0	0
Felix, lf	3	1	0	1	2	0
Ford, 2b	3	0	0	3	4	0
Bagwell, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kopf, ss	4	1	2	4	1	1
O'Neil, c	4	1	1	3	1	0
Fillingim, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	31	3	9	27	12	2

x batted for Ford in 9th.

Pittsburgh	000	010	012—4
Boston	010	020	000—3

Stolen bases, S. Adams, Barnhart. Left on bases, Pittsburgh, 6; Boston, 5. Bases on balls, C. Adams, 3; Fillingim 2. Struck out, Adams, 4; Fillingim, 3. Hits off Adams, 9 in 8 innings.

KELLEHER'S HOMER BEATS PHILLIES

Associated Press Dispatch

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—A home run by Kelleher with two on bases broke a dead lock with Phillies today and gave Chicago its second victory of the series, 10 to 7. Score:

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Statz, cf.	4	2	1	4	0	0
Holocher, ss.	5	1	2	1	3	1
Grantham, 2b.	5	0	0	1	4	1
Hartnett, c.	4	2	4	3	1	0
Friberg, 3b.	5	1	3	3	2	0
Callaghan, lf.	3	1	1	1	0	0
Miller, lf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Heathcote, rf.	5	1	1	2	0	0
Kelleher, 1b.	5	1	2	11	0	1
Aldridge, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stueland, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weiss, x.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keene, p.	3	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	42	10	14	27	11	2

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Sand, 3b.	3	1	1	2	2	0
Holke, 1b.	5	1	1	15	0	0
Williams, cf.	2	1	0	0	0	0
Walker, rf.	5	2	2	1	0	0
Lee, lf.	5	1	1	0	0	0
Parkinson, 2b.	4	0	2	1	3	1
Wrightstone, ss.	4	1	2	2	4	0
Henline, c.	3	0	0	6	1	0
Head, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Winters, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Weinert, p.	1	0	1	0	2	0
Hubbell, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	7	10	27	14	1

Score by innings:

Chicago	200	140	030—10
Philadelphia	104	001	100—7

Two base hits Lee, Heathcote, Friberg, Holocher. Three base hits Callaghan. Home run Holocher, Kelleher. Hartnett. Left on base Chicago 8; Philadelphia 9. Bases on balls Aldridge 3; Stueland 3; Keene 3; Head 1; Winters 1; Weinert 1. Struck out by Aldridge 2; Keene 1; Winters 1; Weinert 4. Hits off Head 1 in no innings (none out in first); Winters 9 in 4 2-3; Weinert 3 in 3; Hubbell 1 in 1 1-3; Aldridge 5 in 2; Stueland 1 in 1. Keene 4 in 6.

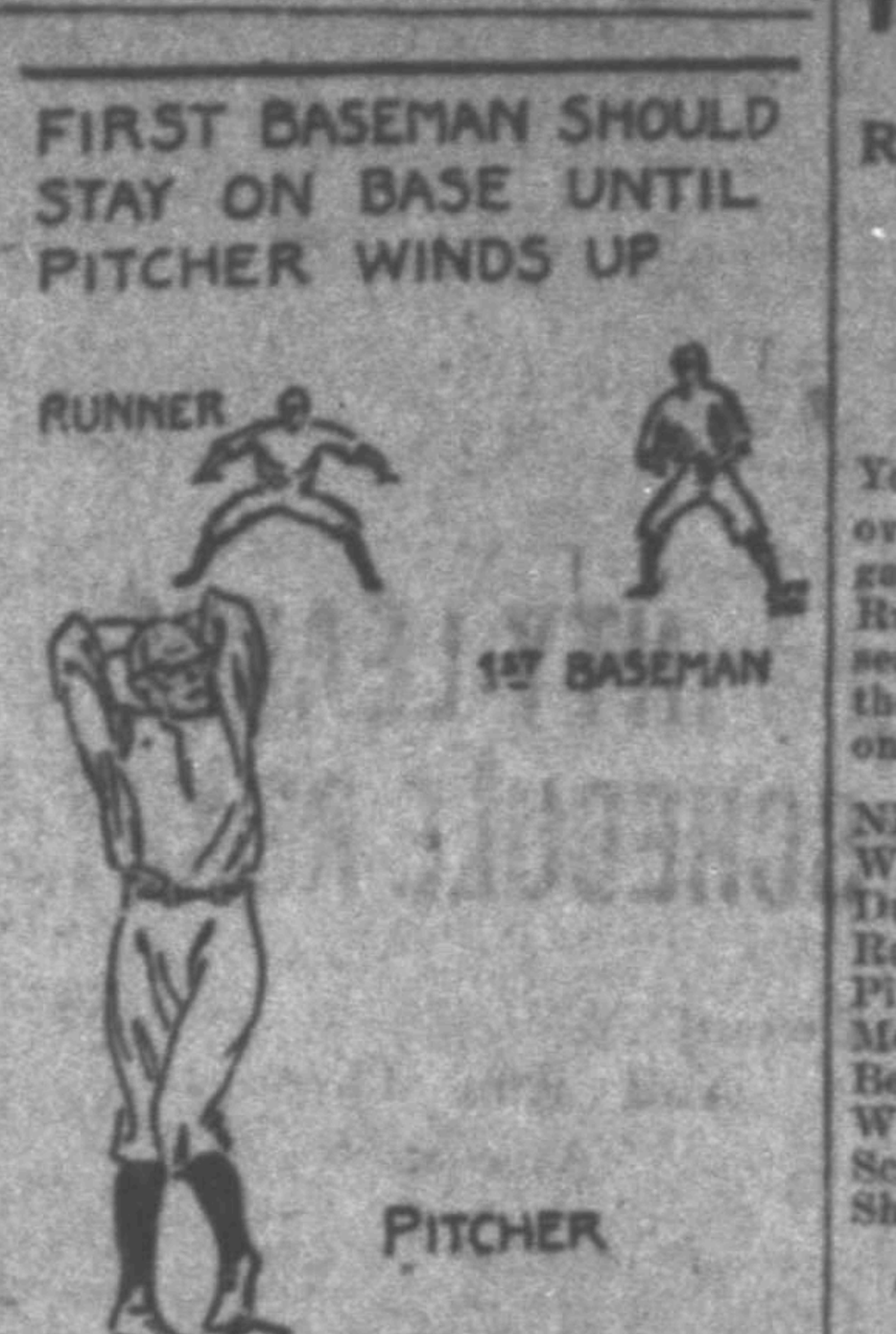
SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Nashville 5; Atlanta 3.
Little Rock 7; Mobile 7. (Called, darkness.)
Chattanooga 8; Birmingham 3.
Memphis 3; New Orleans 2. (Eight innings, rain.)

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE.

At Greenville 3; Marshall 4.
At Paris 3; Sulphur Springs 2.
At Longview 9; Mount Pleasant 2.

LITTLE LESSONS IN Big Sports



Of what importance to a pitcher is the ability to hold men on bases?

Answered by
GROVER CLEVELAND ALEXANDER

Pitcher, Chicago Cubs, National league pitching ace for a period of 11 years, during which he has pitched 80 shut-outs and won two-thirds of all his games.

The ability to hold base runners on the bag is the success of a pitcher. While it looks simple, it requires the hardest kind of practice as it is necessary to develop a deceptive move toward first base which will not be ruled a balk by the umpire. A large percentage of games are saved by a pitcher catching men "sleeping" on the bases.

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BAKERS FORFEIT

Nafziger Fails To Have Men Enough And Pond Takes Game

The scheduled Twilight league game between the Pond Laundry and the Nafziger Baking company was forfeited to Pond yesterday afternoon when the bakers' club failed to put sufficient men on the field to constitute a nine.

FREAK HOME RUN GIVES CARDS WIN

Associated Press Dispatch

BROOKLYN, May 18.—Toporcer's freak home run that bounced into an alley at the end of the right field stand in the sixth inning, after Flache had walked, clinched the game for St. Louis by 3 to 1. Score:

ST LOUIS	AB	R	H	O	A	E
J. Smith, lf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Flack, rf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Toporcer, 2b.	4	1	4	1	4	1
Bottomley, 1b.	3	0	1	15	1	0
Stock, 3b.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Myers, cf.	3	1	1	1	0	0
Freigau, ss.	3	0	0	4	9	0
Clemons, c.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Sherdel, p.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	30	3	7	27	18	1

BROOKLYN	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Neis, cf.	2	1	0	5	0	0
Johnston, 2b.	4	0	0	5	1	0
Bailey, rf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Wheat, lf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Fournier, 1b.	4	0	1	10	0	0
McCarren, 3b.	3	0	1	0	2	0
High, ss.	4	0	1	1	3	0
DeBerry, c.	3	0	0	4	1	0
Vance, p.	1	0	0	0	4	0
Taylor, x.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	1	5	27	11	0

x—batted for Vance in ninth.

Score by innings:

St. Louis	000	002	001—3
Brooklyn	100	000	000—1

Two base hits McCarren. Home run Toporcer. Left on base St. Louis 8; Brooklyn 8; bases on balls Sherdel 6; Vance 6. Struck out Sherdel 1; Vance 4.

EHMKE TAMES TY'S JUNGALEERS

Associated Press Dispatch

DETROIT, May 18.—Howard Ehmke, former Tiger, came back to Detroit, and tamed the Bengals, 6 to 2, in 10 innings. Score:

BOSTON	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Mitchell, ss.	1	0	3	2	3	1
Collins, rf.	5	0	0	2	0	0
Harris, lf. 1b.	5	1	1	6	0	0
Burns, 1b.	3	0	0	11	0	0
Fewster, 3b.	1	2	0	0	0	0
Flagstead, cf.	3	0	2	3	1	0
Reichle, lf.	2	2	2	1	0	0
Leibold, cf.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Picinich, c.	5	0	1	1	1	0
McMillan, 3b.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Menosky, cf. lf.	2	0	1	1	0	0
Pittinger, 2b.	4	0	0	2	2	0
Ehmke, p.	4	1	3	0	4	0
Totals	42	6	13	30	14	1

DETROIT	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Blue, 1b.	4	0	2	14	0	0
Haney, 3b.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Cobb, cf.	3	0	0	5	0	0
Veach, lf.	5	0	0	0	0	0
Heilmann, rf.	4	1	1	3	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b.	4	0	0	4	1	0
Bassler, c.	4	0	2	3	1	0
Kerr, ss.	3	0	0	1	6	0
Dauss, p.	3	1	3	0	5	0
Manush, x.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fothergill, xx.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	2	8	30	15	0

x—batted for Cutshaw in tenth.
xx—batted for Kerr in tenth.

Score by innings:

Boston	000	000	002	4—6
Detroit	010	000	100	0—2

Two base hits Reichle, Picinich, Heilmann, Bassler, Dauss. Three base hits Reichle. Bases on balls off Ehmke 5. Struck out by Dauss 3. Left on base Boston 7; Detroit 12.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Wichita 10; Oklahoma City 1.
Des Moines 9; Denver 3.
At Tulsa 12; St. Joseph 5.
At Omaha 7; Sioux City 3.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

At Dallas: Southern Methodist university 4; Texas Christian university 3.

At Ames, Iowa: Iowa State college 7; Nebraska 6.

YANKS CONTINUE TO BEAT BROWNS

Ruth Gets Sixth Homer As Champs Win, 9 to 4

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—The New York Americans made it three straight over the locals today by taking the game here this afternoon 9 to 4. Babe Ruth made his sixth home run of the season in the seventh, when he drove the ball into the bleachers, with Dugan on base. Score:

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Witt, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Dugan, 3b	4	3	2	1	0	1
Ruth, lf	5	3	2	6	0	0
Pipp, 1b	5	1	3	8	0	1
Meusel, rf	4	0	2	1	1	0
Bengough, c	5	0	0	6	0	0
Ward, 2b	4	1	0	3	1	0
Scott, ss	4	0	1	2	4	1
Shawkey, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	39	9	12	27	7	3

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Tobin, rf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Foster, 2b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Ezzell, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jacobson, cf	5	1	2	2	1	1
Williams, lf	4	2	1	4	0	0
McManus, 1b	5	0	1	10	1	0
Severeid, c	4	0	1	8	0	0
Robertson, 3b	4	0	2	0	1	1
Gerber, ss	4	1	2	3	3	1
Danforth, p	1	0	1	0	1	0
Wright, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Root, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
zDurst	1	0	0	0	0	0
zzSchulte	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	4	12	27	12	3

zBatted for Wright in the eighth.
zzBatted for Foster in the eighth.

Score by innings—

New York	103	020	210—9
St. Louis	002	010	010—4

Summary: Two-base hits, Pipp, Gerber; three-base hits, Meusel, Williams; home run, Ruth; left on base, New York 7, St. Louis 11; base on balls, off Shawkey 1, off Wright 3; struck out, by Danforth 2, by Shawkey 4, by Wright 6; losing pitcher, Danforth.

WHITE SOX ON BATTING RAMPAGE

CHICAGO, May 18.—Chicago went on a batting rampage today, driving out 19 hits for a total of 29 bases, and defeated Washington, 14 to 8.

Score:

WASHINGTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bluege, 3b	3	1	0	1	4	0
Harris, 2b	2	0	1	5	1	0
Evans, rf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Goslin, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Zahniser, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
O'Neil, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brillheart, p	0	0	0	1	0	0
Rice, xx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hollingsworth, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gharrity, c	2	0	1	5	2	0
Ruel, c	2	1	1	2	1	0
Peckinpaugh, ss	3	2	1	1	3	1
Fisher, rf	4	2	1	0	0	2
Conroy, 1b	4	1	0	8	2	1
Mogridge, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Russell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hargrave, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	32	8	7	24	13	4

x batted for Zahnisher in 7th.
xx batted for Brillheart in 8th.

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hooper, rf	5	2	2	3	0	0
McClellan, ss	5	2	2	4	4	0
Collins, 2b	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	3	0
Sheely, 1b	5	1	1	9	1	1
Mostil, cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Kamm, 3b	5	2	1	1	2	0
Schalk, c	5	1	1	7	1	0
Cvengros, p	4	2	3	0	3	0
T. Blankenship, p	1	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	43	14	19	27	14	1

Washington	000	100	250—8
Chicago	000	720	32x—14

Two-base hits, Mostil, Hooper, McClellan, Elsh. Home runs, Sheely, T. Blankenship. Left on bases, Washington, 8; Chicago, 9. Struck out, Cvengros, 5; Mogridge, 3; Blankenship, 1. Hits of Mogridge, 8 in 3 1-3; Russell, 2 in 2-3; Zanhiser, 2 in 2. Brillheart 5 in 1. Off Cvengros, 6 in 7. None out in 7.

MACKS KEEP ON CLIMBING UP

CLEVELAND, May 18.—Philadelphia made it three straights from Cleveland today, winning 4 to 1.

Score:

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Matthews, cf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Hale, 3b	4	1	1	2	2	0
Perkins, c	4	0	1	6	1	0
Hauser, 1b	3	1	1	13	0	0
Welch, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Galloway, ss	3	1	0	0	2	0
McGowan, lf	1	0	0	3	0	0
Dykes, 2b	4	0	2	0	4	0
Harris, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	30	4	7	27	11	0

CLEVELAND	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Jamieson, lf	4	1	1	0	1	0
Wamby, 2b	4	0	1	4	4	1
Speaker, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Brower, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Summa, rf	3	0	0	4	1	0
Sewell, ss	3	0	0	3	1	0
Lutzke, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Gardner, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wyatt, c	3	0	0	6	1	1
Shaute, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Morton, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
Connelley, z	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	1	2	27	14	2

Philadelphia	012	000	001—4
Cleveland	100	000	000—1

Two-base hit, Hauser. Left on base, Philadelphia, 5; Cleveland, 3. Bases on balls, Harris, 3; Shaute, 4; Morton, 1. Hits off Shaute, 4 in 8 innings. Struck out by Harris, 4; Shaute, 4.

Exporters Get New Catcher From Vernon Coast League

Associated Press Dispatch

LOS ANGELES, May 18.—Eddie Kenna, youthful catcher of the Vernon club of the Pacific Coast league, has been turned over to the Beaumont club of the Texas league, under an optional agreement, it was announced.

LEGION MA... WRESTL... DRAW

Finger And Wil... Get Fall In... Hour

Red Finger of Wi... Blackie Wilson of B... nished the main attrac... Legion athletic show ... they wrestled for an ... fall.

Both boys toiled h... and both broke out of ... ing holds. At the e... when neither had ga... bout was halted and ...

Finger, who was ou... opponent, announced ... take him on again in ... getting in better sha... signified his readines... at any time. Finger... challenge to other w... weight class, 142 p... refereed the mill.

Boxing B...

Kid Hunt and Batt... local smokies, put on... boxing exhibition and... draw. Hunt was mo... the first round, when ... hand lick on the nose ... in the second round. ... was the tird man in th...

McCarty, Abe M... Hobson were introdu... of the bout and an eff... to obtain matches for ... shows.

A battle royal, wh... been staged, was ca... three of the principal... up.

Another program w... week when a more l... be arranged. The Le... to work the shows ... where they can offer ... tions obtainable in th...

A fair crowd turne... show, which was give...

The Core—

A psychology lectu... Self Confidence," w... at the National Bus... night by Dr. Julian... noted psychologist o... public is invited to at...

D. O. Johnson, ... purchased the beau... Harry Weeks of th... Weeks, Morrow, Fra... cording to an anno... Friday. Mr. Johnson... session of his new h... street, sometime in ... nounced.

Mrs. J. B. Teele ... visiting her parents, ... C. Nelson, 1416 Se... for a few days. Mr... merly Miss Jesse Nel...

REMOVAL

Dr. Wm. L. Rhod... removal of his offic... goner Bldg. to 611 ... Bldg., where he w... with Drs. Hartsook ... the practice of Eye... Throat.—Adv.

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LEGION MAT MEN WRESTLE TO DRAW

Finger And Wilson Fail To Get Fall In One Hour

Red Finger of Wichita Falls and Blackie Wilson of Burkburnett, furnished the main attraction at the first Legion athletic show last night when they wrestled for an hour without a fall.

Both boys toiled hard in the heat and both broke out of some bad looking holds. At the end of an hour when neither had gained a fall, the bout was halted and declared a draw.

Finger, who was outweighed by his opponent, announced that he would take him on again in 30 days, after getting in better shape, and Wilson signified his readiness to meet him at any time. Finger also issued a challenge to other wrestlers in his weight class, 142 pounds. Markey refereed the mill.

Boxing Bout

Kid Hunt and Battling James, two local smokies, put on a three-round boxing exhibition and fought to a draw. Hunt was momentarily out in the first round, when he took a back hand lick on the nose, but came back in the second round. Pete McCarty was the tird man in the ring.

McCarty, Abe Martin and Jack Hobson were introduced at the end of the bout and an effort will be made to obtain matches for them at future shows.

A battle royal, which was to have been staged, was called off when three of the principals failed to show up.

Another program will be given next week when a more lengthy card will be arranged. The Legion is planning to work the shows up to the point where they can offer the best attractions obtainable in the district.

A fair crowd turned out for the show, which was given in Legion hall.

The Core—No More

A psychology lecture on "Building Self Confidence," will be delivered at the National Business college tonight by Dr. Julian Pennington, a noted psychologist of Denver. The public is invited to attend the address.

D. O. Johnson, local oil operator, purchased the beautiful home of Harry Weeks of the law firm of Weeks, Morrow, Francis & Weeks, according to an announcement made Friday. Mr. Johnson will obtain possession of his new home, 2710 Tenth street, sometime in June, it was announced.

Mrs. J. B. Teele of Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Nelson, 1416 Seventeenth street, for a few days. Mrs. Teele was formerly Miss Jesse Nelson of this city.

REMOVAL NOTICE

Dr. Wm. L. Rhodes announces the removal of his office from the Wagoner Bldg. to 611 City Nat'l Bank Bldg., where he will be associated with Drs. Hartsook and Stripling in the practice of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.—Adv.

HASTINGS BOOSTS CITY BALL TEAMS

Special Dispatch to Record News

HASTINGS, Okla., May 18.—Citizens of Hastings are sitting up and taking notice of the two first ball clubs which have been organized here and which are showing their stuff to nearby towns.

Sunday, the Hastings Shorties poured it all over the veteran Sugden club by a score of 11 to 6. The locals started in early with their scoring and took the jump on the visitors who were baffled by the showing of the Shorties. A triple play pulled off by Sugden prevented other scoring.

Thursday the Walters Indians defeated the locals, 12 to 9. It was a hard-fought game but big Indian Carney came out on the long end of the argument.

The Hastings Rexall boys played the Walters Apache Indians and downed them 5 to 4 in a close and exciting contest.

COUNTY LEAGUE SCHEDULE READY

Circuit Will Open Sunday And Run Through August 5.

A full schedule for the Wichita County Sunday league has been completed and the season will open its gates tomorrow afternoon. Four of the fastest clubs in Northern Texas and Southern Oklahoma have been organized into the league, namely the Wichita Legion, Frederick Boosters, Electra Fraternals and Burkburnett Magnolias.

All clubs ar fully recruited and each report excellent outlooks with teams that would hold their own in any class D league of professional baseball.

The following schedule will guide the clubs for the season:

May 20—Legion at Frederick; Magnolia at Electra.

May 27—Legion at Burkburnett; Electra at Frederick.

June 3—Magnolia at Frederick; Legion at Electra.

June 10—Legion at Burkburnett; Frederick at Electra.

June 17—Frederick at Burkburnett; Legion at Electra.

June 24.—Electra at Burkburnett; Legion at Frederick.

July 1—Magnolia at Frederick; Legion at Electra.

July 8—Electra at Frederick; Legion at Burkburnett.

July 15—Electra at Burkburnett; Legion at Frederick.

July 22—Frederick at Burkburnett; Legion at Electra.

July 29.—Magnolia at Electra; Legion at Frederick.

Aug. 5—Frederick at Electra; Legion at Burkburnett.

Fire On Mill Street Early Yesterday

Fire of unknown origin broke out in a negro cafe and barber shop at 203 Mill street Friday morning at 3:30 and resulted in a $1,000 loss on the building and fixtures and slight damages on adjoining buildings before the blaze could be extinguished. No one was in the building at the time the fire broke out and the fire was burning rapidly before the alarm was given. The building, which was owned by J. M. McFall, was almost a complete loss, the damage being estimated at $750. The proprietors of the barber shop and cafe estimate their loss at $200, both establishments being uninsured.

VISITING CLUBS AGAINST FIGHTS

Big Leaguers Are Cheated Of Coin When Bouts Counter Attract

By DAVIS J. WALSH
International News Service Sports Editor.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Not wishing to bet against its own money as no good gambler will, major league baseball clubs outside of New York are beginning to register a long, piercing, plaintive wail against the business of conducting boxing on a big scale at the parks of the two local clubs. The Giants and Yankees are throat-cutting like a couple of east side clothing merchants, but it is the out-of-town clubs that will pay the doctor.

The Pittsburgh Pirates lost a big Saturday dividend last week when the milk fund bouts were held at the Yankee stadium. Nearly 65,000 customers witnessed the latter attraction, and the Giant-Pirate game, less than a mile away, was called off hastily because a few drops of rain fell before 12:30 o'clock. The national league will foot that bill.

On June 2 it will be the American league's turn to cry. Coincident with the holding of the Carpentier-Kilbane bout at the polo grounds, the Boston Red Sox and the Yanks will attempt to delude intelligent men into watching a baseball game. One might as well try to make tomato soup with a brick. The bout is for world's featherweight championship, the ball game merely one in a schedule of 154.

Two weeks later, the Yanks and their opponents of the day will suffer again. On this occasion, Jimmy Wilde, of England, and Pancho Villa, of the Philippines, will battle for the flyweight championship of the world. The attraction is of sufficient moment to outdraw any ball game, with the exception of a world's series meeting.

Next in order is the Willard-Firpo bout. It involves no title but it will bring out the customers as seldom before. The affair is almost certain to be held at the Yankee stadium, Tex Rickard moving on the date from June 30 to July 7, before the Yanks are at home on the former occasion and away on the latter.

The worst of the boxing situation in baseball parks is the fact that all bouts mentioned are scheduled for Saturday afternoon, for reasons at once obvious and execrations. A Saturday customer always has leisure, to say nothing of money. He has ever been baseball's friend and comforter.

Notice to the stockholders of the Sunshine State Oil and Refining company. Please do not dispose of your stock in our company at a sacrifice price until you have talked to me personally.
(Signed)
Sunshine State Oil and Refining Co.
By G. C. Jensen, President.
—Adv.

CZARIST SLAYS RED CHIEF



Center, M. Vorosky, soviet ambassador to Rome and Lausanne parley delegate, shot to death. Photo taken at first Lausanne meet shows M. Litvinoff on left and M. Joffe on right.

The Russian delegation at the Lausanne peace conference was almost wiped out when Maurice Conradi, wounded M. Ahrens and M. Dibulkowski. Slight hope is held for the recovery of the latter. The shooting Swiss but former Czarist officer, shot M. Vorosky to death and seriously wounded during the supper hour.

Cline Mentioned As President Of Shrine Council

Shop talk around Shrine headquarters Friday was to the effect that W. D. Cline, past potentate of Mosant Temple, was slated for the presidency of the Texas Shrine council, which is in session here today. Considerable sentiment favoring Mr. Cline has been found to exist here, it was reported, and his friends were predicting freely that his election would probably follow today.

With representatives from 10 Texas temples, scattered from Amarillo to the Gulf and East Texas to El Paso, in the city Friday night, a busy day was promised for Saturday. Various problems confronting Shrinedom of the state were to be up for discussion.

Dean Taylor In City Friday

Dean T. U. Taylor, head of engineerig department of Texas University, was in the city for a short time Friday. He delivered the commencement address at Byers high school graduation exercises Friday night, and stopped off here enroute.

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FAITH OPTICAL CO.
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MEDICINE HOUSE FOR HENRIETTA

Mystic Company Will Manufacture 59 Preparations

Special Dispatch to Record News

HENRIETTA, May 18.—The organization and location in Henrietta of the Mystic Medicine company the past month has brought to this city the largest manufacturing concern in Clay county and if plans carry as perfected by the directors of this organization will be of statewide importance.

The company has equipped a laboratory, and a shipping and sales department in the Eustis building in this city, F. O. Wood, general manager of the company, states that 59 preparations are to be put out by this concern but that only six preparations will be manufactured in any great quantities for the time being until more floor space can be arranged.

The preparations now being made by the new Henrietta factory are Woods Mystic Stomach and Liver remedy, Woods throat gargle and mouth wash, mystic beauty cream, laxative wafers and mystic cathartics. These preparations are manufactured daily in the company laboratories and orders are increasing every day from every part of the United States, Canada and Mexico.

The company plans to have a sales force of 10 men on the road the next three months, Mr. Woods states and an extensive campaign is being planned. Numerous testimonials regarding the preparations of the Mystic Medicine company come in daily. Inquiries from druggists and jobbing houses over the country are already coming in asking for many of the preparations.

The Henrietta chamber of commerce and civic interests are solidly behind the new company.

SPECIAL

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday we are going to sell "CHOICE NEW CROP ALFALFA" Hay at $1.00 per bale, 10 bales or more 90c per bale. Morgan Feed Stores, Phone 3726-2528.—Adv.

Texas Charters

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 18.—The Houston Dispatch Publishing company of Houston was Thursday granted a charter. G. E. Kepipe, former managing editor of the Houston Chronicle and others are organizers of the new publication. Capital stock is $100,000 of which $50,000 was paid in cash. Other incorporators are E. Marvin Bailey, and J. V. Scott.

Chartered: Emsco Screen Pipe company of Texas, Houston, capital stock $25,000; incorporater S. P. Farish, R. D. Farish, E. M. Smith.

Montrose Realty company, Houston, capital stock $40,00; incorporators J. M. Frost Jr., J. J. Settegast Jr., T. D. Joiner Jr.

Crosby County Cattle company, Fort Worth, capital stock $20,000; incorporators J. T. Pemberton, Sidney Webb, E. P. Van Zandt.

Farmers Gin company, Lamkin, capital stock $10,000; incorporators M. B. White, J. F. Burt, H. O. Rowland.

Laspamco club, Laspamco; incorporators S. Garza, F. Resendez.

South Side Social club, San Antonio; incorporators A. L. Guttinger, Henry Fest.

Amendments: Dallas Home Building company, Dallas, increasing capital stoc $1,000 to $15,000.

St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church, Fort Worth, changing purpose clause.

Foreign permits: Valentine Stock Farm company, Phoenix, Ariz., capital stoc $250,000; Texas headquarters, Valentine; E. O. Finley, state agent.

A. R. Young Material company, Kansas City, capital stock $20,000; Texas headquarters Houston. J. D. Smallwood, agent.

Not Much, in His opinion.

From the Boston Transcript:

Miss Playne—Papa declares that I am his greatest treasure.

Mr. Blunt—Indeed! Then he isn't as wealthy as I supposed.

MANY TO VOTE ON IRRIGATION

Contract Ratification Is Up Before Districts 1 And 2 Today

A heavy vote is expected today in the balloting of irrigation districts 1 and 2 for ratification of the contract between the two districts. Polls open at 8 o'clock and close promptly at 7. One box in district No. 1, located at the court house, and three in district 2, at the Hirschi, Dennis and Allendale schools, are to be provided.

Statements Issued.

In a statement issued Friday, J. A. Kemp, president of district 1, and C. H. Clark, president of district 2, made an appeal to the voters of both districts for a representative vote. Little opposition is expected to develop toward ratification of the contract, but a large affirmative vote would, Mr. Kemp and Mr. Clark believe, prove beneficial.

Next Saturday, voters of district 2 will ballot on a bond issue of $1,700,000 to be taken from district 1. Funds thus derived will be used in district 2 for expenses incident to the irrigation work.

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Tropical Worsteds

Perfectly tailored to hang right and stay right, soft wool worsteds in tans, grays and blue in plaids, stripes and solid colors. See this big line at $35 and $40.

Other summer suits from $27.50 to $30.

Hand made straw hats in snappy styles from Bonar Phelps at $5 to $7.50.

Brigham-Hopkins high grade straws at $3.50 to $5.

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Increase In Mid-Continent Boosts Production 20,599 Barrels

NORTH TEXAS AT HEAD OF LIST

Tonkawa Field In Oklahoma Continues To Run Wild

International News Dispatch

TULSA, Okla., May 18.—The Tonkawa high gravity field in northern Oklahoma continues to run away and this coupled with increases in daily output in Smackover heavy, North Central Texas and East Central Texas, caused the mid-continent fields to turn out 970,780 barrels a day during the past week, reports the Oil and Gas Journal. This is a increase of 20,599 barrels a day over the previous week.

Field	Week May 12	Week May 5
North Louisiana	67,755	69,115
Eldorado	16,540	16,535
Smackover light	22,050	24,860
Smackover heavy	73,265	54,860
Other Arkansas	6,895	6,050
N. Central Texas	137,642	135,155
E. Central Texas	65,250	60,900
Kansas	81,500	81,500
Cushing-Shamrock	26,500	26,000
Tonkawa	12,232	100,634
Burbank	95,653	98,907
Healdton	17,375	17,400
Hewitt	25,025	25,980
Lyons-Quinn	7,200	7,620
Other Oklahoma	215,000	215,000
Totals	970,780	950,181

The Gulf coast heavy gravity output for May 5 was 102,700 barrels, compared with 103,560 barrels for the previous week.

Freeman-Hampton Extension Looks Probable Now

A half mile extension of the Freeman-Hampton pool is promised by the showing of the Kentucky Oil corporations No. 4 well, on the J. R. Parkey tract, in Archer county, which has hit a rich sand. At 1,600 feet the sand is being cored and looks good for a producer.

The Kentucky Oil corporation's well is located a half mile southwest of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company's Zane Cetti producer, which was an extension of the Freeman-Hampton pool when completed two months ago, being now the farthercst producer on the southwest of the pool. Should the Parkey No. 4 make a commercial well it would open more than a half mile of drilling.

Drilling Below 700

The Kentucky Oil corporation's No. 4 Crudup tract, is drilling past 700 feet, and making hole fast. The well is located in the Denton county school lands, Wichita county.

Bellevue Well Makes Better Than 200 Bbls.

Special Dispatch to Record News

BELLEVUE, May 18.—The Gulf Production company's No. 1 well on the Carl Worsham ranch, six miles northwest of Bellevue, is making better than 200 barrels pumping. The oil is high grade.

The Hargood Ranch well, of the Dunning Drilling company, of Fort Worth, is drilling at a depth of 700 feet. The well is being drilled by J. B. Wilson and J. Knowles.

Location On McCall

The Finley-Minnick Oil and Gas company yesterday made location for well No. 3 to be drilled on section 29, of the Denton county school lands, on the McCall farm. The well will be spudded in soon.

Ward Granted Permit

Julian E. Ward has been granted permit to operate in the oil fields of this section, and will be addressed in Wichita Falls at box 1057.

Texhoma To Put Down Offsets In South Electra

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company has made a series of locations for new wells to be drilled at once, in both the South Electra field and in Archer county. The greater part of the wells are offsets to producers on the edge of pools. The Texhoma company has the largest campaign of any local oil company, with more than 20 wells drilling and 10 more planned to start at once.

On the Waggoner tract location has been made for No. 12 and No. 13, being in the Electra district, both on lease. Also on Waggoner, least A. No. 24 will be drilled; and on lease F. No. 4. In Archer county on lease E. Ferguson tract, S. P. R. R. survey, Nos. 11, 12 and 13 will be drilled. No. 3, Cetti will be near the discovery well on section 1, S. P. R. R. survey. No. 4 will be on the same tract.

Kentucky To Drill

The Kentucky Oil corporation is rigging up on No. 2 well of the Sims Oil company, and will drill at once. The well is located on lease B of the Ferguson tract, in Archer county, and is 300 feet west of the Sims company's No. 1-B.

ORVILLE T. WARRING DIES

PLAINFIELD, N. J., May 18.—Orville T. Warring, 84, one of the original incorporators of the Standard Oil company and a close friend of John D. Rockefeller, died at his home here today.

He is survived by his wife and eight children, one of whom is Richard Warring, of San Angelo, Texas.

SUNSHINE GETS 500 BARREL WELL IN WILDCAT TERRITORY SOUTHWEST OF PETERSON TEST

What appears to be a well good for 500 barrels or more has been drilled in by the Sunshine State Oil and Refining company in a wildcat territory a mile and a half southwest of the Peterson test in Archer county. The Sunshine well, the No. 1 Parish, hit a sand at 1,569 feet and drilled in 18 inches. A strong showing of gas is apparent and the driller believes he has picked up an exceptionally promising sand. Should later developments bear out this prediction, it will prove to be an absolutely new producing section. The Peterson, one and a half miles southwest, and the Artex well, an equal distance due south, are the nearest producing tests.

Boilers were being moved back Friday night and storage facilities were being ordered to the place at the same time.

Canadian Militia Chief Returns From Long Trip



Hon. Sir Edward Kemp.

Hon. Sir Edward Kamp, Canadian minister of militia, recently arrived in New York on his way home after a two months' trip abroad.

Phone Earnings Up

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 18.—The New York Telephone company, largest of the 25 associated companies which, with the American Telephone and Telegraph company, comprise the Bell system, had net earnings of $25,613,006, in 1922, according to its annual report made public today. This compared with $21,303,036 in 1921.

Dr. Cook and His 11 Associates To Be Tried Together

Associated Press Dispatch

FORT WORTH, May 18.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook and eleven of his associates in the Petroleum Producers' association case arraigned in federal court here today, plead not guilty to charges of mail frauds. It was Dr. Cook's second arraignment in 24 hours, he having appeared yesterday in the Reserve Oil company case. Trial dates for Cook and associates will be set Monday.

Those arraigned with Dr. Cook today were:

Thomas O. Turner, Leslie A. McKercher, Fred K. Smith, B. S. Henniger, Arthur Ekman, W. P. Welty, R. L. Maxwell, W. L. Bradish, C. W. Sleete, Ambroise M. Delcambre, and J. E. Burmeister.

F. H. Whaley and R. A. Massey, indicted in the Revere case, were arraigned today and entered pleas of not guilty.

Motions and demurrers in the Cook case were overruled by Judge Bledsoe and all the defendants will be tried together.

WOODBURN MAKES LOCATION

The Woodburn Oil corporation has made location for No. 3 to be located on section 2, Southern Pacific railroad survey, Kemp and Kempner tract in Archer county. The well will be drilled at once.

LIBERTY BONDS

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 18.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s $100.31; first 4¼s $97.22; second 4¼s $97.24; third 4¼s $98.12; fourth 4¼s $97.30; victory 4¾s uncalled, $100; U. S. treasury 4¼s $99.13.

Draw Your Own Conclusions.

(From the Kansas City Star.)

It is wonderful how some men will work at a political job for small salaries, just for love of civil service. Either that or for hate of real work elsewhere.

LOCAL TEACHERS WILL INSTRUCT AT DENTON NORMAL

Special Dispatch to Record News

DENTON, May 18.—It is announced that Hugh Porter, principal of the high school, and W. E. Chalmers and Misses Ima N. Pendergrass and Nelle Kirkpatrick of the faculty of the Wichita Falls city schools, will be members of the summer school faculty of the North Texas State Teachers college at Denton for the summer quarter of 1923. Mr. Porter was a professor of mathematics in the Denton Teachers college when he accepted the position in the senior high school and junior college in Wichita Falls, and he will teach in the mathematics department in the summer school. Mr. Chalmers, who is an alumnus of the Teachers college, taught history in its summer session of 1922, and will teach in that department again. Miss Kirkpatrick is also a graduate of the Denton Teachers college, and during the summer quarter will supply the place of Miss Virginia Broadfoot of the regular faculty in the department of physical education, Miss Bradfoot being on leave of absense. Miss Pendergrass, supervisor of drawing in the Wichita Falls schools, will teach in the fine arts department of the Teachers College.

Auto Wreck Fatal

Associated Press Dispatch

CORSICANA, May 18.—J. J. Jackson, 57, commissioner of Precinct 3, Navarro county, was killed this afternoon, when his automobile turned over, near this city. He was driving alone when he lost control of the car. His body was crushed. He leaves a widow and one daughter.

STUDENTS INJURED

Special Dispatch to Record News

BELLEVUE, May 18.—Alice Rea received a broken collar bone and Lorene Redin sustained a fractured kneecap when they were thrown from a horse they were riding. The accident occurred at a Sunday school picnic, given by Charlie McCraw, at the Douglas ranch. Both girls are improving nicely, following the accident.

GIPSON TELLS OF TAX BILLS

Opposed Appropriation Because He Thought Expenditure Too Great

Never before has a Texas legislature been confronted with so many bills proposing new forms of raising revenue, Representative E. H. Gipson, of this city, declared Friday, on his arrival here from Austin. Mr. Gipson is making a flying trip to this city and some Oklahoma points to look after some business interests and hopes to be back at the state capitol next week.

Mr. Gipson had little to say regarding his work at Austin, except that he did explain his stand on some appropriation measures relating to the schools of Texas. The newspapers, he declared, had credited him with having voted against more money for the schools and that hence he was in opposition to educational advantages.

This, he said, was a long way from being facts, so far as his stand on education was concerned. He declared, as he has done before, that he had voted against the huge school appropriations just made because he believed the state was preparing to spend more money than it could raise, and that he belived in a more conservative policy on expenditures.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 18.—Butter lower; creamery extras 40½.

Eggs, higher; firsts 24@½.

Poultry, alive lower; fowls 24½; broilers 38@42; roosters 12½.

FINANCIAL FEATURES

Day's total sales, 437,000 shares.

Twenty industrials averaged 95.07; net loss .34. High 1023, 105.38; low 95.07.

Twenty railroads averaged 81.33; net loss .25. High 1923, 90.63; low 80.37.

Woman Dies From Injuries In Airplane

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., May 18.—Mrs. Lea Margason of Roswell, who was injured yesterday afternoon in the airplane accident in which Earl Evans of El Paso was killed, died this morning, according to word from Hope, N. M., where she was taken. R. L. Slaughter Jr., of Roswell, the third person in the airplane which fell 800 feet near Pion, N. M., was not injured seriously.

Indian Girl Wins Million Estate Despite Marriage

Associated Press Dispatch

MIAMI, Okla., May 18.—Maude Lee Mudd, a young Indian girl of this city, is entitled to half of the $2,000,000 estate of her aunt, Mrs. Lucy Beaver, according to a decision of Judge F. L. Haynes, in the Craig county court, at Vinita, in a case involving the validity of the marriage of Mrs. Beaver to S. A. Perry.

The court held the marriage illegal, since it was contracted at Kansas City, Mo., less than six months after her divorce in Oklahoma. Perry filed notice of appeal. A brother of Mrs. Beaver is entitled to share the estate with Miss Mudd, the court held.

CHAMBERS BACK WICHITA MOVE

Organizations Fall In Line With Local Opposition To Taxes

Chambers of commerce over the state are rapidly falling in line with the Wichita Falls organization in opposing new forms of taxation and inflated appropriations by the legislature, it is indicated by messages received at the chamber of commerce offices here. Telegrams and letters have been received to the effect that the idea promoted here last week when the directors of the chamber went on record as opposing such action has met with distinct favor among other bodies.

The West Texas chamber of commerce is to take the matter up at a meeting Monday and it is freely predicted that it will join the ranks lined up against the legislature's proposed measures. Greenville has endorsed the action of Wichita Falls and it is indicated that Dallas, Fort Worth, Amarillo and others are in accord on the subject.

OFFICIALS GO TO FIRE

Associated Press Dispatch

FORT WORTH, May 18.—Officials of the Fort Worth and Denver left today for Childress, where fire yesterday did $350,000 damage to the shops. No statement was issued as to when rebuilding would start.

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Suits that present the finest type of summer clothing for men.

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All wool, soft finished tropical worsteds, perfectly tailored in sport and sack styles. Stripes and solid colors in tan, gray.

Striped gabardines of fine quality in tan. Featherweight blue serges in distinctive summer styles.

Sports Suits with belted backs and patch Pockets or sack Suits in two button models may be chosen from the various models in the above assortments.

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Complete stocks of the new, stylish models in straws. Priced from $3.50 to $6.50.

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The new arrivals in white shirts in both collar attached and neckband styles offer fine variety at $3 to $5.

Men, This Season We're Offering Better Values Than Ever Before in



Genuine Palm Beach Suits $13.50

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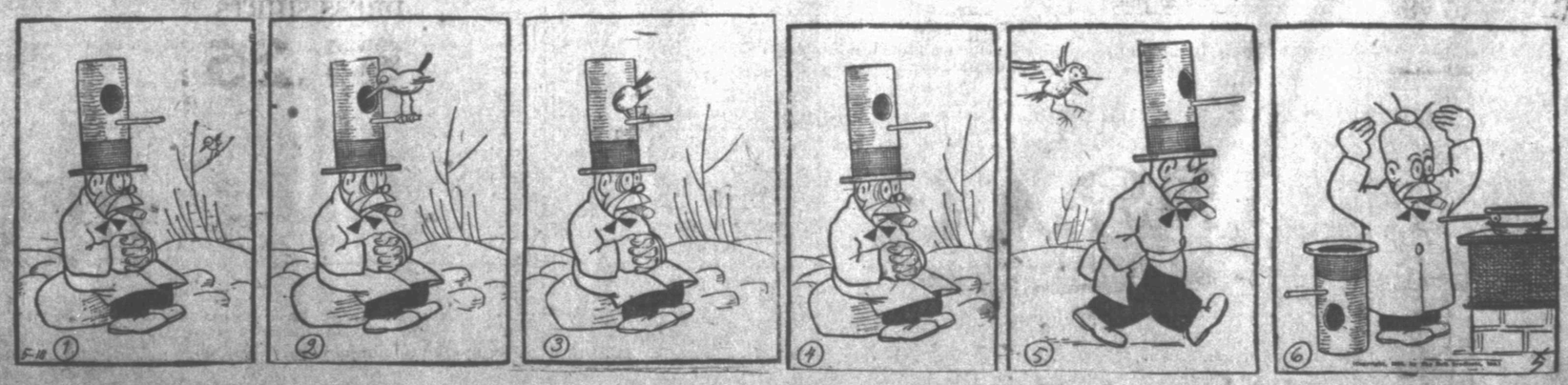


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Train Information

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NORTH BOUND

Fort Worth to Denver and all intermediate points; arrive 4 a. m.; depart 4:20 a. m.
Fort Worth to Childress and all intermediate points; arrive 11:55 a. m.; depart 12:15 p. m.
"Colorado Special" Fort Worth to Denver; arrive 1:10 p. m.; depart 1:15 p. m.
Fort Worth and all intermediate points to Wichita Falls; arrive 10:55 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

Denver to Fort Worth and intermediate points; arrive 3:45 a. m., depart 4 a. m.
Wichita Falls to Fort Worth and all intermediate points, depart 8 a. m.
Childress to Fort Worth and all intermediate points; arrive 1 p. m.; depart 1:15 p. m.
"Colorado Special" Denver to Fort Worth and intermediate points; arrive 2:35 p. m.; depart 2:45 p. m.

M. K. T. of T. LINES
ARRIVE FROM EAST

From Dallas and intermediate points to Wichita Falls arrive 6:15 a. m.
"Texas Special" from St. Louis, Kansas City, Denison, arrive 3:30 p. m.
From Dallas and intermediate points to Wichita Falls, arrive 10 p. m.

DEPART TO EAST

To Dallas and all intermediate points, depart 6:30 a. m.
"Texas Special" to Denison, Kansas City, St. Louis, etc., depart 2:40 p. m.
"Eleven o'Clock Katy" to Dallas and intermediate points, depart 11:20 p.m.

"NORTHWESTERN DIVISION"
ARRIVE FROM NORTH

From Oklahoma City, Elk City and intermediate points, arrive 8:00 a.m.
From Forgan, Oklahoma and all intermediate points, arrive 8:05 p. m.

DEPART TO NORTH

To Forgan Oklahoma and all intermediate points, depart 7 a. m.
To Oklahoma City, Altus, Elk City, and all intermediate points, depart 7 p. m.

WICHITA VALLEY LINES
ARRIVE FROM WEST

From Abilene and all intermediate points, arrive 2:30 a. m.
From Abilene and all intermediate points, arrive 12:59 p. m.

DEPART TO WEST

To Abilene and all intermediate points, depart 12:30 a. m.
To Abilene and all intermediate points, depart 3:45 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM EAST

From Waurika, Byers, Petrolia and Dean, arrive 6 p. m.

DEPART TO EAST

To Dean, Petrolia, Byers and Waurika, depart 9 a. m.

WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN RY.
NORTH BOUND

From Breckenridge, Graham, Olney etc., arrive 12:40 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

To Olney, Graham, Breckenridge and all intermediate points, depart 3 p.m.
G. T. ALLMAN, Ticket Agent.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Wichita Falls Council No. 140 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
GEO. A. SMOOT, T. I. M.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59 — Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month.
OTTO STEHLIK, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. 813 Scott.
P. B. CURD, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Sec'y.
Work in the E. A. degree Thursday, May 17, 7:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
JOHN A. ELDER, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
CHAS. B. SMOOT, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Faith lodge rooms, in Chennault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
FRANK COLLIER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, of the Eastern Star, meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. MABLE SPITZNER, W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ M'GLYNN, Sec'y.

Faith Chapter U. D., order of the Eastern Star, meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month. 813 Scott.
RUTH A. VERMILLION, W. M.
AUGUST WISDOM, Sec'y.
Residence 2213 Ninth. Phone 2836.

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.
J. B. MARLOW, Exalted Ruler.
H. C. ENGLISH, Sec.

Wichita Falls Camp, No. 3001. Regular meeting every Friday night, 8:00 I. O. O. F. hall, Sixth and Scott Ave.
J. M. NICHOLS, C. C.
D. C. BAKER, Clerk.
Phone 6720. 716 Seventh St.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
O. C. BLANTON, N. G.
J. W. BUSSEY, Recd. Sec.

Knights of Columbus, Wichita Falls Council No. 1473—Meets every Monday evening, 1509 Ninth Street. Visiting knights welcome.
C. J. COFFEY, G. K.
1116 City Nat. Bk. Bldg.
CLEM. J. GALLAGHER, F. S.
1404 Holliday.

HOPE CHAPTER ORDER OF DEMOLAY
Stated meetings second and fourth Thursdays of every month. Patrol meets every Tuesday and Thursday night. Master Masons cordially invited.
GEORGE E. ROSE, M. C.
JOYCE WILLIAMS, Scribe.

2—Lost and Found

LOST—White gold cuff links, old English "H." Liberal reward. Phone 6323.

Want Ad Rates
1c per Word

1 insertion, per word 1c
4 insertions, per word 3c
7 insertions, per word 5c
30 insertions, per word 20c

No advertisement accepted for less than 25c for the first insertion.

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Closing Hours

All ads for publication must be in The Record News office before 7:00 p. m. Saturday.

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS when it is more convenient. Our collector will call within 24 hours, and as this is a cash service, only one insertion is permitted without the cash for the order.

PHONE 4121

Notice to Subscribers

Your Record News should be delivered every morning not later than 6:15 o'clock. When your service is not just what it should be you will do us a favor by telephoning your complaint direct to this office.

PHONE 4121

2—Lost and Found

STOLEN—From my residence in Wichita Falls Patek-Philippe openface, thin model watch, with richly carved case; monogram F. P. T. on back; also diamond and platinum Shrine pin. Liberal reward for information leading to the return of either. F. P. Timberlake.

HAVE taken in two goats, owner can have same by giving description and paying for this ad. Phone 013-F-22.

LOST—One gray horse, roached mane, one bay mare, about 6 years old. For information, phone 3233. Reward.

LOST—May 15, Between Electra and Iowa Park, ladies traveling bag. Reward. R. L. Goode, General Delivery, Electra, Texas.

LOST—Bunch of keys on keyring with McClurkan & Co. identification tag No. 209; reward for return to W. B. McClurkan & Co.

3—Help Wanted Male

20 PER CENT discount and our complete banking course free. To the first twenty high school students who enroll with us in the next few days. This means a total saving of $80 on our complete course, and it will pay you to phone us at once. This is your one big opportunity. National Business College, 807 1-2 Tenth street. Phone 5656. F. A. Farmer, President.

I WANT six neat appearing men at once. Men who are not afraid of hard work. If $40 per week will interest you call at 701-B 10th street. Ask for manager.

Boys Wanted

To sell Record News before school hours every morning.

4—Help Wanted Female

WOMAN either colored or white to do general housework. No servant house on place. Apply in person at 1817 Eleventh St.

WANTED—Some reliable lady to make a trip to Alberquerque, N. M., with eledrly lady. Call at employment agency. Phone 2135.

6—Salesmen & Agents

READY money; male, female; sell famous Dolly Madison dustless dust cloths; every house sample, 35c. Address Household Supplies. 106 South Eighteenth St., St. Joseph, Mo.

CITY REAL ESTATE salesman wanted. Must have a car.
STEHLIK & BABER

7—Situations Wanted

DO-YOU-NEED-HELP
PERMANENT OR TEMPORARY—Several members of DeMolay chapter for boys, now, that school is out, are needing employment. If interested, call Bright 4376.

WANTED—Position with wholesale or retail grocery; 12 years' experience in retail store; 30 years old, married. Box 281, Texas.

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position. Furnish local reference. Phone 6018.

WANTED—Carpenter work of any kind. 705 Bluff.

18-YEAR-OLD boy, senior and high school, wishes position; not attending school now. Box 42, Record News.

8—Room and Board

COOL southeast room, in modern private home, on pavement, use of garage, 2006 9th street.

WALKING distance, nicely furnished South bedrooms for men. Phone 6772.

TWO YOUNG ladies wanted to room and board in private family. Call 3897.

ROOMMATE for young man; also lady at 1210 Ninth St. Phone 3521.

ROOM AND BOARD $10.00 a week. 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

9—Bedrooms for Rent

CLOSE-IN front bedroom, private entrance, with every convenience. Rent reasonable. 1006 Lamar.

9—Bedrooms for Rent

NICELY furnished bedrooms for men only. 804 Tenth. Phone 2637.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms, with garage. Phone 6521.

COOL, south bedroom, upstairs, one or two gentlemen; modern conveniences; close in. Apply 1006 Tenth street.

FRONT BEDROOM for rent. 1409 10th street. Phone 2830.

FOR RENT—Furnished bedrooms in private home. Phone 6822.

AVONDALE has modern rooms, $4 to $6 per week, 714 9th street.

10—Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT— Light housekeeping rooms, hot and cold water. Phone 6521.

TWO housekeeping rooms, also south bedroom close in. Phone 6772.

TWO unfurnished modern housekeeping rooms; back and front entrance; sink in kitchen. Phone 3942.

TWO light housekeeping rooms, close in. 408 Fourth St. Phone 6289.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms; no children. 606 Travis.

LARGE front room, with kitchenette, gas, light, water, telephone furnished. Convenient location. Pavement, close in, reasonable. 1400 Lamar. Phone 3034.

FOR RENT—Two-room housekeeping apartment. Phone 6704. 1909 10th street.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM for rent. $5 a week. Phone 4813.

11—For Rent Apartments

FOR RENT—Completely furnished three-room apartment, with use of living room, servants' quarters and garage, on paved street. 75 dollars. Phone 3711.

3-ROOM, unfurnished apartment; private bath, strictly modern; walking distance. Adults only. Phone 3926.

12—For Rent Houses

6-ROOM furnished house. 1315 Fillmore. Phone 5532.

FOR RENT—5-room house on pavement. Phone 2641.

13—For Rent Bus. Location

FOR RENT—Store room at 712 Ninth St. See Ray Puckett at 714 Ninth St.

FOR RENT—Iron-clad garage. 201 Indiana Ave. Phone 2287.

14—Wanted to Rent

WANTED—Well furnished rooming house, 10 to 18 rooms with garage, close in. Box 108 Record News.

WANTED—Three or four-room furnished apartment, would consider five-room furnished house for summer month. Must be in desirable location. Phone 7246.

WORKING couple wants one or two furnished housekeeping rooms. Must be close in. Phone 6660.

WANTED by responsible couple, can give best of references, a three, four or five-room furnished house; will consider one for summer months only. Phone 3048.

15—Miscellaneous

WINFREY FIXIT shop. We repair and recover umbrellas. Phone 5213.

17—For Sale Misc.

MEN'S ALL-WOOL tailored suits, $25. A. A. Young, specialty salesman. Phone 4780, 701-c 10th street.

SPRING is the ideal time to brighten up the home with a new coat of paint, wall paper, varnishes and enamles. We help you to do this at a nominal cost. Visit our store before you buy. We do contracting. Wichita Falls Paint and Paper company. Successors to Wilhite & Townley, 622 Ohio Ave.

FOR SALE—My 45-foot Yacht "Opitsah" 40-H. P. motor. Sleeps eight, good galley, dishes, stove and silverware. Good sea boat and speed ten miles per hour. Must be seen to be appreciated. In first-class condition. Best yacht on Ship Channel for her size. Price reasonable. A. C. Burton, Houston, Tex.

FOR SALE—12-foot dairy binder, with binder attachment, used only one season. S. L. Danier, Box 127, Burkburnett, Texas.

18—Dogs, Cats, Pets

FOR SALE — Full-blood Airdale pups, 209 1-2 Burnett. Cheap.

WANTED—Dogs to board. Blue Cross kennels. Phone 3069.

FOR SALE—Full-blooded fox terrier puppies. 1617 McGregor.

20—Live Stock

FOR SALE—At once at a bargain; milch cow; be fresh in about a week. Phone 2632. 1505 Fourteenth St.

22—Financial

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

23—Loans

FEDERAL LOANS 5 1-2 per cent money on farms and ranches. Why pay more? J. M. Hendricks, Ward Bldg. Phone 5409.

SEVEN per cent money to lend on improved farm land in any amounts, one deed of trust, no commission.
STEHLIK & BABER
Kemp Hotel.

24—Bus. Opportunities

WANT production in northwest field; have a purchaser for producing wells in northwest field. Will deal only through the owners of property. Call between 9 and 11 a. m. Phone 5025.

24—Bus. Opportunities

TRIPLE "XX" ROOT BEER OUTFIT
Anyone in city or state wishing to enter a profitable business on small capital, write General Sales Manager Southern Beverage company, Galveston, Texas.

25—Special Notices

WE WILL move you for $2.50 per load. Brown's Transfer. The Careful Mover, 605 Seventh. Phone 2286.

MACK'S TRANSFER

We move you for $2.50 per load. We move anything, anywhere, any time. Let us figure on your oil field trips. Corner Seventh and Burnett. Phone 3089.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED
We will call for and return mattresses at Burkburnett, Iowa Park and surrounding oil fields, and make them good as new.
PATTON MATTRESS FACTORY
402 Ind. Ave. Phone 2930
Wichita Falls, Texas

PURE goose feather pillows, best grade feather ticking, $2.50 each. Patton Mattress Factory, phone 2930.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising, leveling. Jack Humphrey. Phone 5994.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED; we bring sample of ticking; call for and deliver same day. Mattresses made good as new. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana. Phone 2930.

FOR SALE—45-lb. all new cotton linters mattresses, good art ticking, $8.75; 40-lb. made-over mattresses new art ticking, $6.50. We will take old mattresses or furniture in payment for new mattresses or mattress work. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana Ave., Phone 2930.

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. Castledine, 907 Van Buren. Phone 4420.

DRAKE TRANSFER and Storage. Day phone 5735; night phone 3650; does crating, packing and shipping; local and long distance hauling. Oil field trips a specialty. Shelby Drake, manager.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—Have your mattresses made new. We will bring sample of ticking to your home. Call for and deliver the same day. Bell Mattress Co., phone 2412.

MATTRESSES renovated; have your old mattress made new and saved; rate $5 on each mattress. Called for and delivered. Sanitary Mattress factory. Phone 4783.

PAPERHANGING and painting; prices reasonable; work guaranteed. Call Thomas, 6033.

FOR PLUMBING Phone 3644. David Black.

SPECIAL oil field hauling, heavy and light.
LOWE TRANSFER CO
Phone 4416

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300
910 Sixth street.

26—Personal

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

MRS. RUGE, T. S. S. A., spiritualist, missionary and teacher; reading by appointment from 9 a. m. to 5 p. daily. 607 Lamar. Phone 5854.

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ORDAINED SPIRITUALIST
Crystal gazer. Madame J. Rea Keys is in your city for a few days and will be glad to give advice in all your troubles. She satisfies you as to her ability or makes no charge. Has made thousands happy. Stratford hotel. Room 2. Phone 6322.

N. L. WILLIAMS, spiritualist medium, and healer of rheumatism, paralytics, epileptic fits, tuberculosis, piles, stomach and kidney trouble without patients faith. Guarantee satisfaction. Only here a short time. Labor temple. Phone 2467.

27—Dressmaking

HEMSTITCHING 8c a yard. 1205 Lamar. phone 3871.

28—Wanted Furniture

WE WANT to buy your used furniture.
MICKS FURNITURE CO.
Phone 5528 716 7th St.

OIL STOVES WANTED
Best price paid, cash or trade.
CARLTON FURNITURE CO.
Phone 2666 617 Ind.

WANTED—Second hand ice box, 10 feet long, 3 feet wide and 3 feet deep. Apply 806 1-2 10th St.

THE STAR FURNITURE CO.

Will pay you more for your used furniture.

910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

"WILL PAY CASH"
Wanted to buy, five or six rooms of furniture. Phone 3316.

WANTED TO BUY
We buy all kinds furniture; stoves, rugs, etc. We pay more and sell for less. Phone 6513.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.,
J. A. Deaton & Son. 918 Scott

WE BUY, SELL and EXCHANGE FURNITURE
Oscar T. Doell's Furniture Co.
720 Seventh St. Phone 4720.

WILL PAY the highest cash prices for used furniture.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

29—For Sale Furniture

PHONE us when you want to store, crate or sell your old furniture. Second hand goods taken for transfer work, or we pay highest cash price for them.
E. F. RILEY FURNITURE CO.
Phone 5463.

WE HAVE most anything in used furniture that you need, and at prices you can afford to pay.
MICKS FURNITURE
716-18 7th street Phone 5528

FOR SALE—Office furniture. Rolltop desk, typewriter, steel filing cabinet, adding machine and check protector. Call 2217 Broad.

HIGHEST price paid, cash or trade, for furniture
Stoves or Rugs.
CARLTON FURNITURE CO.
Phone 2666 617 Ind.

31—Musical Instruments

PHONOGRAPH BARGAINS

$200	Edison	$ 85
$150	Brunswick	$100
$100	Brunswick	$ 35
$160	Puraton	$ 65
$125	Starr	$ 50

These are slightly used. Some are as good as new. Terms as low as $1 down, $1 weekly or $5 monthly.
WICHITA MUSIC CO.
718 Ind.

FOR SALE—New Edison with 12 records, $100. Phone 4410.

33—Autos and Accessories

WANTED—2 or 3-ton truck. Must be in good shape and cheap. Electra, Texas. Box 853.

CARS WASHED 75c
Cars greased, gasoline and oil 813 7th. Right across from court house.

THE HOUSE OF OVERLAND
offers
CASH—TRADE—TERMS

1921 FORD TOURING	$225
1920 FORD TOURING	$160
DODGE TOURING	$175
BUICK TOURING	$275
CHALMERS TOURING	$250

OVERLAND MOTORS CO.
Phone 6616 Ninth at Travis

BUY A USED CAR

One that looks and runs practically good as new.

Cole 8, 4-passenger.
Buick, 5-passenger.
Cadillac suburban.
Cadillac roadster.

These cars are in the very best of condition and are priced to sell. Come in and look them over.

MUNGER AUTOMOBILE CO.
816-18 Scott Ave. Phone 6403

1921 Oakland touring, good shape.
1920 Liberty touring.
Two starter model Ford roadsters, $140 and $160.
Two cranker Fords, $35 and $50.
Two 1920 Chevrolets cheap.
LOCKHART CHEVROLET CO.
Tel. 2442. 808 Lamar

DEPENDABLE USED CARS

Ford coupe	$ 175.00
Ford sedan	450.00
Buick 5-passenger	475.00
Buick 5-passenger	400.00
Essex touring	450.00
Essex roadster	450.00
Hudson speedster	750.00
Hudson 7-passenger	650.00
Hudson roadster	850.00
Cadillac 7-passenger	1,500.00

If you are looking for a bargain in a used car we have it.

Terms to responsible people.

LLOYD WEAVER COMPANY
814 Travis Phone 4133

BARGAINS

1922 Ford Coupe	$375
1922 Ford Touring	$325
1920 Buick Roadster	$285
1923 Ford Coupe	$450

SECURITY MOTOR CO.
714 Ninth street Phone 2015

33—Autos and Accessories

WE sell the Armleder truck. TEXAS IRON AND METAL CO., 205 Mississippi. Phone 6860.

We will buy your car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 9th St. Phone 2015.

SUPREME RADIATOR CO.
Repair all makes. Cores installed.
605 1-2 Scott St. Phone 2804.

BARGAIN—Nice sport 4-passenger wire wheels, cord tires, new top and paint. Mechanical condition perfect. B. D. McMillan. Phone 5391.

34—Machinery and Tools

WILL buy your abandoned wells or pull casing on percentage. Can furnish casing in all sizes on short notice. Have on hand 1,500 feet 5 3-16; 1,200 feet 6⅝; 1,000 feet 8¼; all good as new. J. N. Swanson, Iowa Park, Texas.

FOR SALE—7,000 feet, 2-inch line pipe; also 900 feet 4-inch upset drill pipe with tool joints. Phone 787, Electra Pipe and Supply company, P. O. Box 681, Electra, Texas.

USED Casing line pipe and cleaning out tools at a saving. Wanted: abandoned wells, casing and lines.
BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO.
Phone 176.

FOR SALE—Star machine tools from 10-inch down; 35 boiler. See Farris Vaughn, Holliday, Texas.

FOR SALE—About 1,600 feet 6⅝-inch, 24-pound casing; fine condition; some of it new. Phone 5266.

Used oil well supplies of all kinds, pipe, casing, rigs, etc.
Corner Virginia and Pecan Sts.
ROY CALVERT & CO.
Phone 2085. L. D. 51

36—For Sale, Trade or Ex.

37—Farms and Ranches

WOODALL ADDITION
On the Iowa park road, two miles north of town, we are selling the Woodall farm, tracts of from one to five acres, to people who can make a small cash payment. We will arrange balance to suit. Do not miss this opportunity to own your home. It is a real proposition, so call us and we will gladly give you information, or take you out and show you what we have.
WOODALL & MARTIN
Owners.
Waggoner Bldg. Phone 3964

38—Lots for Sale

FOR SALE—My equity in well located residence lot. Easy payments. Phone 3286.

40—For Sale Real Estate

HAVE a buyer for a 6-room modern home in Alamo school district. Must be a snap for cash. J. D. Scott, 1513 7th. Phone 3972.

FOUR-ROOM house, well built. This is a dandy little bargain, only $1,250, $200 down, balance $20 a month and interest. J. D. Scott, 1513 7th. Phone 3972.

FOR SALE—Cheap, choice lot, Rosemont Burial park, being lot 32, section 1. Owner willing to sacrifice, as he has left city. Make offer. Address Box 101, care Record News.

MUST SELL—Owner is leaving city, 5-room modern home completely furnished, including piano. Lot 50x162, small garage. This is an exceptional bargain at $5,800. Reasonable payment down, balance on very reasonable terms. J. D. Scott, 1513 7th. Phone 3972.

TENTH STREET SACRIFICE
5 rooms, corner lot on corner, must be sold this week; $1,000 cash, $50 per month and interest.
"Act quick and save $1,500."
CHATTEL LOAN & BROKERAGE COMPANY.
Basement City Natl. Bank.
Phone 7217.

DIRECT FROM THE OWNER
THREE DANDY ROOMS, $1,250
$175 cash, balance $20 per month. This little home has sewage, lights, water, gas, practically new, rooms are large, paper in fine shape, well built. Must be sold this week. Phone 2107 or come to 2225 Broad street.

BIG BARGAIN—Equity in beautiful lot, with airplane garage on rear. Third door to car line, in 1600 block Polk. Three blocks to new college. Phone owner, 2737.

THIS PLACE MUST GO
$$ below building costs. Four large rooms and breakfast room practically new, modern to the last item, fine fireplace and mantel, built-in features, extra large living room, garage, driveway. A real home, but must go. $400 will handle, balance like rent. Phone 2107 or come to room 12 710 1-2 Indiana Ave. Don't ask for numbers.

44—Legal Notices

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, on the 26th day of April, 1923, by A. F. Kerr, clerk of said court, for the sum of one hundred and fifty-four ($154.36) dollars and thirty-six cents, and one hundred and twenty-five ($125.00) dollars, attorney's fee and costs of suit, or a total judgment of two hundred and seventy-nine ($279.36) dollars and thirty-six cents, under a certain judgment in favor of Edward Schlaffke in a certain cause in said court, No. 13975-C, and styled Edward Schlaffke vs. A. D. Loyd, and placed in my hands for service, I, W. W. Murphy, as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did on the 26th day of April, 1923, levy on certain real estate, situated in Wichita county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:
Lot No. twenty-one (21), block fifty-nine (59), town of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of A. D. Loyd, and that on the 5th day of June, 1923, the same being the first Tuesday of said month, at the court house door of Wichita county, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said A. D. Loyd.
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three successive weeks preceding said day of sale, in the Wichita Falls Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita county.
Witness my hand this the 26th day of April, 1923.
W. W. MURPHY.
Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale at Law issued by the Clerk of the county court of Wichita county on the eleventh day of May 1923, in a certain cause wherein F. D. Keim, is plaintiff, and Frank Holden defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the ninth day of April, 1923 for the sum of two hundred forty-four and 76-100 dollars, ($244.76), with interest thereon at the rate of 8 percentum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, on May twenty-sixth, 1923, at the principal front door of the Wichita county court house, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Frank Holden in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of Frank Holden to-wit: one Buick automobile motor number 532313, state license number 382313 and seal No. 546355.
The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for two hundred forty-four and 76-100 Dollars, ($244.76), in favor of F. D. Keim, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.
W. M. MURPHY.
Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued by the clerk of the county court of Wichita county, at law, on the 7th day of May, 1923, in a certain cause wherein L. I. Bennett is plaintiff, and S. A. Evans is defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 20th day of March, 1923, in favor of the said plaintiff, L. I. Bennett against said defendant, S. A. Evans, for the sum of two hundred, forty-seven and 66-1000 dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, and for foreclosure of a certain chattel mortgage lien, I have levied upon, and will, on seized, levied upon, and will, on the 1923, at the courthouse door in Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of said S. A. Evans, as the same existed on the 18th day of July, 1922, in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of said S. A. Evans, to-wit:
One 45 H. P. oil well boiler situated on the S. A. Evans lease, in the Eves survey, about nine miles southwest of Iowa Park, Texas.
The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for two hundred forty-seven and 66-100 dollars, in favor of said L. I. Bennett, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.
FRANK MORGAN,
Constable, Precinct No. 1,
Wichita County, Texas.
Wichita Falls, Texas, May 11th, 1923.

SHERIFF'S SALE
The State of Texas, County of Wichita.
By virtue of an order of sale issued by order of a judgment decree of the Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, Texas, by the clerk of said court, on the third day of April, A. D., 1923, in a certain suit No. 10820-C, wherein The State of Texas is plaintiff and J. W. Cox, the unknown heirs of J. W. Cox and all unknown owners defendants, in favor of the said plaintiff for the sum of Forty-One and Sixty Hundredths ($41.60) dollars for state and county taxes, interest, penalty and costs, with interest on said sum at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date fixed by said judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of said judgment rendered in favor of said plaintiff by the said Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, on the third day of April, A. D., 1923, and to me directed and delivered as sheriff of said Wichita county, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in June, A. D., 1923, the same being 5th day of said month, at the courthouse door of said Wichita county in the city of Wichita Falls, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita and State of Texas, to-wit: Lot No. 3, in block 141 in the original town site of the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, or, upon the written request of said defendants or attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the rights of the plaintiff for any other or further taxes on or against said property that may not be included herein, and the right of redemption, the defendant or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale by paying double the amount paid for said property, and subject to any other and further rights the defendants or anyone interested therein, may be entitled to, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment, together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
W. W. MURPHY, Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.
Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this second day of May, 1923.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable Eighty-ninth district court, of Wichita county on the 26th day of April, 1923 by A. F. Kerr, clerk of said court, for the sum of one thousand three hundred ninety-six ($1,396.50) dollars and fifty cents, and attorney's fee and costs of suit, under a certain judgment in favor of Mrs. W. B. Babcock in a certain cause in said court, No. 12988-C, and styled Mrs. W. B. Babcock, joined by her husband, W. B. Babcock, vs. J. M. Teagarden, and placed in my hands for service, I, W. W. Murphy, as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did on the 26th day of April, 1923, levy on certain real estate, situated in Wichita county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:
Lot No. twelve (12) Block No. Fifty-two (52), town of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of J. M. Teagarden, and that on the 5th day of June, 1923, the same being the first Tuesday of said month, at the courthouse door of Wichita county, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as property of said J. M. Teagarden.
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three successive weeks preceding said day of sale, in The Wichita Falls Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita county, Texas.
Witness my hand, this the 26th day of April, 1923.
W. W. MURPHY,
Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon J. A. Gibson, whose residence is unknown, by making publication of this citaiton once in 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 Wichita county court, at law, Wichita county, to be holden at court house in Wichita Falls, in said Wichita county, on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 6017, wherein Ajax Rubber Company, Inc., a private corporation, is plaintiff, and J. A. Gibson is defendant, and said petition alleging that the plaintiff is a private corporation, and that its principal place of business in Texas is at 2117 Commerce street, city of Dallas, Texas, and that J. A. Gibson is defendant.
For cause of action the plaintiff represents that on and about December 19th, 1922, at the special instance and request of the defendant, sold and delivered to the defendant certain goods, wares and merchandise, consisting of a shipment of automobile tires and casings as shown by the statements of account attached to said petition and made a part thereof and marked Exhibit "A" for identification; that the total amount due for said casings and goods is a sum of $623.50, which sum was due by the defendant to the plaintiff on April 1, 1923, which sum plaintiff alleges has been demanded of defendant, but that he has failed and refused to pay the same. Plaintiff sues for its debt, for all costs of court and for such relief as plaintiff may show itself entitled to.
Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Witness, ALMA Y. MILLER, County clerk of Wichita county, Texas.
Given under my official signature, at office in Wichita Falls, this the 11th day of May, A. D. 1923.
ALMA Y. MILLER, Clerk.
By M. F. YEAGER, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, on the 2nd day of May, 1923, by A. F. Kerr, clerk of said Eighty-ninth district court, for the sum of eleven thousand four hundred thirty-four and 17-100 dollars, and costs of suit, under a certain judgment, in favor of American National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, in a certain cause in said court, No. 9499-C, and styled American National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, vs. Burk Wonder Oil company and Harry B. Dawson, and placed in my hands for service, I, W. W. Murphy, as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of May, 1923, levy on certain real estate, situated in Wichita county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to the south one-acre of land out of the west five acres of the northwest 10 acres of the southwest 40 acres of block 74, Red River valley lands in Wichita county, Texas, and described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:
Beginning at a point 660 north and 660 feet east of the southwest corner of block 74, of the Red River valley lands, thence running north 600 feet, thence east 330 feet, thence south 330 feet, thence west 330 feet to the point of beginning, the said one-acre being the south one acre of the above described trace, and levied upon as the property of Burk Wonder Oil company and Harry B. Dawson, and that on the first Tuesday in June, 1923, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the courthouse door of Wichita county, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Burk Wonder Oil company and Harry B. Dawson.
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 2nd day of May, 1923.
W. W. MURPHY,
Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the clerk of the eighty-ninth district court at Wichita county, on the eleventh day of May 1923, in a certain cause wherein Sol Meyer and Sol Kiser are plaintiffs and John F. Niland defendant, a which cause a judgment was rendered on the twelfth day of April, 1923 in favor of the said plaintiffs Sol Meyer and Sol Kiser against said defendant John F. Niland for the sum of six hundred sixty and 25-100 dollars, ($660.25), with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon and will, on May twenty-sixth, 1923, at the front door of the court house in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, within legal hours proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of John F. Niland, to wit: one Dodge Brothers touring automobile, 1922 model, motor number 774471, factory number 718007.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for six hundred sixty and 25-100 Dollars, ($660.25), in favor of Sol Meyer and Sol Kiser, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

W. W. MURPHY,
Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Wichita.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by order of a judgment decree of the Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, Texas, by the clerk of said court, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1923, in a certain suit No. 18824-C, wherein the state of Texas is plaintiff, and McCleland Bros., all the heirs of McCleland Bros., and all unknown owners defendants, in favor of the said plaintiff, for the sum of forty-two and 91-100 ($42.91) dollars for state and county taxes, interest, penalty and costs, with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date fixed by said judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of said judgment rendered in favor of said plaintiff by the said Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1923, and to me directed and delivered as sheriff of said Wichita county, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in June, A. D. 1923, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the court house door of said Wichita county, in the city of Wichita Falls, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of said defendants in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot No. 3, in block No. 144, in the original townsite of the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the rights of the plaintiff for any other or further taxes on or against said property that may not be included herein, and the right of redemption, the defendant or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale by paying double the amount paid for said property, and subject to any other and further rights the defendant or anyone interested therein may be entitled to, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment, together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

W. W. MURPHY.
Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.
Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 2nd day of May, 1923.

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by order of a judgment decree of the Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, Texas, by the clerk of said court, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1923, in a certain suit No. 18828-C, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and J. V. Kubena, and the unknown heirs of J. V. Kubena, whose residence is unknown, and all unknown owners and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots, defendants, in favor of said plaintiff, for the sum of forty-six and 74-100 dollars, for state and county taxes, interest, penalty and costs, with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date fixed by said judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of said judgment rendered in favor of said plaintiff by the said Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1923, and to me directed and delivered as sheriff of said Wichita county, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in June, A. D. 1923, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the courthouse door of said Wichita county in the city of Wichita Falls between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of said defendants in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot No. 5, in block No. 143, in the original townsite of the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the rights of the plaintiff for any other or further taxes on or against said property that may not be included herein, and the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale by paying double the amount paid for said property, and subject to any other and further rights the defendants or anyone interested therein, may be entitled to, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment, together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

W. W. MURPHY.
Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.
Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 2nd day of May, 1923.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
COUNTY OF WICHITA.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, on the 20th day of April, 1923 by A. F. Kerr, clerk of said court, for the sum of one hundred and fifty-four ($154.36) dollars and thirty-six cents, and one hundred and twenty-five ($125.00) dollars attorneys' fee and costs of suit, or total judgment of two hundred and seventy-nine ($279.36) dollars and thirty-six cents, under a certain judgment, in favor of Edward Schlaffke in a certain cause in said court, No. 18974-C and styled Edward Schlaffke vs. Glen Williams, and placed in my hands for service, I, W. W. Murphy as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did, on the 26th day of April, 1923, levy on certain real estate situated in Wichita county, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

Lot No. twenty-two (22) block No. 59, town of Electra, Wichita county, Texas and levied upon as the property of Glen Williams, and that on the fifth day of June, 1923 the same being the first Tuesday of said month, at the court house door of Wichita county, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said Glen Williams.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three successive weeks preceding said day of sale, in the Wichita Falls Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita county.

Witness my hand this the 26th day of April, 1923.

W. W. MURPHY,
Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.

Wednesday, the 23rd day of May.

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by order of a judgment decree of the Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, Texas, by the clerk of said court, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1923, in a certain suit No. 18834-C, wherein The State of Texas is plaintiff, and O. B. Roquemore, the unknown heirs of O. B. Roquemore, and all unknown owners defendants, in favor of said plaintiff, for the sum of twenty and 51-100 ($20.51) dollars, for state and county taxes, interest, penalty and costs, with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date fixed by said judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of said judgment rendered in favor of said plaintiff by the said Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1923, and to me directed and delivered as sheriff of said Wichita county, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in June, A. D. 1923, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the court house door of said Wichita county, in the city of Wichita Falls, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of said defendants in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot No. 6 in block 141 in the original town site of the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, or upon the written request of said defendants or attorney a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the rights of the plaintiff for any other or further taxes on or against said property that may not be included herein, and the right of redemption, the defendant or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale by paying double the amount paid for said property, and subject to any other and further rights the defendant or anyone interested therein may be entitled to, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment, together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

W. W. MURPHY.
Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.
Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 2nd day of May, 1923.

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SALES PRESSURE AFFECTS STOCKS

Smash In Chemical Fertilizer And Cotton Oil Hits All

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 18. — Selling pressure exerted throughout the day on the chemical, fertilizer and cotton oil securities resulted in further liquidation in the general list in today's stock market, more than a score of issues recording new low prices for the year. In a few instances, buying support was encountered at the extreme low prices and those shares made slight gains at the close.

The smash in the chemical, fertilizer and cotton oil issues took in almost the entire list, the following from 1 1-2 to more than five points, registering new low prices for the year; Allied Chemical and Dye, American Agricultural Chemical, common and preferred; Virginia Carolina Chemical; American Cotton Oil, common and preferred, and Davison Chemical.

Among the oils new lows were recorded by Standard Oil of New Jersey, Middle States, Trans-Continental, Texas company, Pierce Oil and Caddo Oil.

There were a few strong spots in the market, notably among the sugar and copper shares, the former influenced by reiterated statements to the shortage of the Cuban crop and the latter by a batter demand for the red metal.

Call money held steady at 4 1-2 per cent. Trading in time money was somewhat more active, with the rates unchanged at 5 per cent for the shorter maturities, and a few loans being place dat 5 1-4 for the longer maturities. A small amount of commercial paper entered the market, prime names commanding 5 to 5 1-4 per cent. Adrop of 1 1-8 points in German marks brought the rate to .0020 5-8 cents, or very close to the low record of all times of .0020 cent. Demand sterling was steady around $4.62 1-8, and French francs were easier at 6. 65 3-4.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Allied Chem & Dye	64½
Amer Beet Sugar	30
Amer Can	92¾
Amer C & Fd	169½
Amer H & Lea pfd	49½
Amer Inter Corp	25¾
Amer Loco	135
Amer Linseed	26
Amer S & R	56½
Amer Sugar	74
Amer Sum Tob	26½
Amer T & T	122
Amer Woolen	88⅝
Anaconda Copper	45¼
Atch	99
Atl Coast Line	114½
Atl G & W I	19⅞
Baldwin Loco	127⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	47⅞
Bethlehem Steel B	54⅛
Canadian Pac	151⅝
Central Lea	28½
Chandler Motor	62⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio	64½
Chi M & St P	20½
Chi R I & Pac	28⅜
Chile Copper	27½
Coca Cola	75¼
Con Gas	61½
Con Textile	10¼
Cos & Co	46
Corn Prod	12⅞
Crucible Steel	66⅜
Cuban Amer Sugar	31½
Cuba Cane Sugar	14⅜
Famous Players-Lasky	54⅛
Gen Asphalt	40
Gen Electric	174⅜
Gen Motors	15⅜
Gt North pfd	69⅛
Gulf States Steel	82⅝
Illinois Central	109½
Inspiration Copper	33⅞
Inter Harvester	82
Inter Mer Mar pfd	32½
Inter Paper	43
Kelly Springfield	42⅜
Kennecott Copper	36⅛
Louisville & Nash	90
Middle States Oil	10⅞
Midvale Steel	27½
Mon Kan & Tex (New)	12½
Mo Pac	14⅝
N Y Central	93⅜
N Y N H & Hart	16⅞
Norfolk & West	107
North Pac	71½
Pac Oil	37⅝
Pan-Amer Pet	70⅛
Penns	41
Pure Oil	24½
Reading	73⅝
Rep I & S	70⅝
Reynolds Tob B	65⅞
Royal Dutch, N Y	49⅝
Sears Roebuck	74
Sinclair Oil	30½
Sloss-Shef Steel	51⅝
South Pac	80⅛
South R y	32
South Rv ifd	9⅞
Stand Oil of Cal	52
Stand Oil of N J	34⅜
Studebaker	110⅞
Tenn Copper	10⅜
Texas Co	36
Tex & Pac	22½
Tob Prod A	83½
Trans Oil	8⅝
Union Pac	134⅜
U S Ind Alcohol	56⅜
U S Rubber	51½
U S Steel	97⅛
Utah Copper	64¼
Virginia Caro Chem	40
West Union	108
Westinghouse Elec	53¾

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Tex., May 18.—All classes of cattle were discussed on a generally steady basis Friday. Receipts were moderate and the run did not offer anything that was particularly desirable. Around 2,000 head of cattle and 200 calves made up the supply, much of the run coming in mixed shipments.

Another price revision developed in the hog trade, the market showing a drop of ten cents, but being fairly active at the decline. Only 1,000 head were available. The top was 7.35. Bulk sales ranged from 7.25 to 7.30. Pigs went at a range of 5.50@6.25.

Sheep and lamb prices were in line with the recent advance of around 25 cents on wethers and fifty to one dollar on lambs. Receipts were close to 1,500 head. Wethers brought 7.40.

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Associated Press Dispatch

LIVERPOOL, May 18.—Cotton, spot, small business, prices steady. Good middling 14.04; fully middling 14.84; middling 14.74; low middling 14.49; good ordinary 13.99; ordinary 13.69. Sales 5,000 bales including 2,500 American, receipts none.

NEW YORK BONDS

Foreign Bonds

Argentine 7s	102½
Dom of Canada 5½s 1929	101¾
French Rep 7½s	95⅝
King of Belgium 7½s	100⅜
King of Denmark 6s	97⅝
Swiss Con 8s	115⅝
U K of G B & I 5½s	103⅞
U S of Brazil 8s	96⅝
U S of Mex 5s	50½

Railway and Miscellaneous Bonds

Amer Agric Chem 7½s	100
Amer S & R 5s	80
Amre Sugar 6s	101⅞
Amer T & T cv 6s	114½
Atchison gen 4s	88½
Atl Coast Line 1st 4s	80⅜
Baltimore & Ohio cv 4½s	79½
Central of Geo 6s	100¾
Central Lea 5s	98⅜
Ches speake & Ohio cv 5s	88⅝
Chi B & Q ref 5s	99½
Chi M & St P cv 4½s	65⅜
Chi D I & Pac ref 4s	78
Chile Copper 6s	100
Colo & South reg 4½s	84
Erie gen 4s	45¼
Goodyear Tire 8s 1931	104⅞
Illinois Central ref 4s	85⅝
Int Mer Marine 6s	83
Kans City South ref 5s	85¼
Kelly-Springfield Tire 8s	100
Liggett & Myers 5s	95½
Mex Pet 8s	108
Mo. Kan & Tex pr lien 5s	78
Missouri Pac gen 4s	57¼
N Y Central deb 6s	103⅝
North Pac 4s	84½
Penns gen 5s	100¼
Reading gen 4s	80¾
St. L & San Fran adj 6s	72⅞
Seaboard Air Line con 6s	68¼
South Pac cv 4s	92⅞
South Railway 5s	95
South Railway 6½s	100⅝
Union Pac 4s	90
U S Steel 5s	102¼
Virginia Caro Chem 7½s	77½
Wabash 1st 5s	95
Wilson & Co 7½s	98

COTTON SEED REPORT

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Cotton seed crushed during the nine month period, August 1 to April 30, totaled 3,132,666 tons, compared with 2,922,230 tons, for the same period a year ago and cotton seed on hand at mills April 30 totaled 64,752 tons compared with 46,140 tons a year ago, the census bureau announced today.

Products manufactured in the period and on hand April 30 include: Crude oil produced 962,580,720 pounds, compared with 903,166,622 the same period a year ago, and on hand 37,484,169 pounds compared with 31,848,386.

Refined oil produced 835,584,067 pounds, compared with 790,768,610 and on hand 236,001,125 pounds, compared with 302,079,057.

Cake and meal produced 1,437,229 tons, compared with 1,320,311 and on hand 141,578 tons, compared with 139,810.

Linters produced 380,982 bales, compared with 386,306 and on hand 37,516 bales compared with 123,927.

Export of linters for the nine months ofdated 30,288 bales compared with 98,188.

SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK, May 18.—The raw sugar market continued quiet today. It was believed that buyers would pay 6. 1-8 cents for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 7.01 for centrifugal, while holders asked more. The raw sugar market closed: May, 6.25; July, 6.20; September, 6.25; December, 5.80.

The market for refined sugar continued quiet and prices were unchanged at 9.50 to 9.90 for fine granulated.

The market for refined futures closed unchanged.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—Spot cotton steady, unchanged. Sales on the spot 1,400 bales; to arrive none; low middling 25.50; middling 26.25; good middling 23.75; receipts 781; stock 101,902.

DUNN'S REVIEW

NEW YORK, May 18.—Dun's tomorrow will say:

In commercial channels, as in speculative markets, an undercurrent of uncertainty is now manifest. There seems to be more doubt about the probable course of prices of commodities, and there also is more questioning as to the future of business generally.

The diminution of demand, however, has only come after a period of notably heavy purchasing, with new records attained in various instances and there is a divided opinion as to the real significance of the present change.

Weekly bank clearings $7,354,908,000.

SHARP RALLY IN COTTON MART

Early Decline Discounted By Sudden Rise Of Prices

NEW YORK COTTON.

	High	Low	Closing
May	27.62	26.43	26.79
July	25.68	24.96	25.26
October	23.31	22.93	22.97
December	22.80	22.50	22.58
January	22.67	22.27	22.27

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	High	Low	Closing Bid
May	26.31	25.88	26.05
July	25.75	25.10	25.45
October	22.75	22.35	22.40
December	22.25	22.01	22.09
January	22.13	21.93	21.97

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 18.—An early decline was followed by sharp rallies in the cotton market on bullish crop advices and covering by near month shorts today. July sold up from 24.96 to 25.68, or 37 points net higher before the demand was supplied, but the market weakened later, with July closing at 25.27, four points below Thursday's final quotation. The general market closed barely steady at an advance of 23 points on May, but generally 4 to 30 points net lower.

The open was easy at a decline of 24 to 33 points. May sold off to 26.23 and October to 22.93 during the early trading, making net declines of about 30 to 36 points on the general list. May led the advance, selling up to 27.20, or 40 points net higher. New crop months were comparatively slow to join in the upward movement. Early losses were more than recovered, with October advancing to 23.31, or 7 points net higher, but the demand for both old and new crop positions slackened and the market was nervous and unsettled in the late trading. May eased off to close at 26.79 and October closed to 22.97. Week-end figures were commented upon as rather disappointing from a bullish standpoint, spinners takings of American cotton as reported by the New York cotton exchange being 152,297 against 174,064 last year, and some selling was reported on the easier late ruling of stocks. Exports today were nil, exports so far this season 4,371,166. Port receipts 1,362. United States port stocks 406,118.

COTTON SEED OIL

NEW YORK, May 18.—Except for a little show of heaviness in August at the start, cotton seed oil ruled firm and finished 2 to 13 points net higher. Shorts and refiners were buyers on the bullish census report which indicated that April consumption was 151,000 barrels and that stocks in all positions were but 720,000 barrels. Sales, 19,000 barrels. Prime crude, 9.75 to 10; prime summer yellow spot, 11.50@12; May, 11.55; July, 11.27; September, 11.04, all bid.

COFFEE MARKET

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 18.—The market for coffee futures was quiet again today. Sales estimated at 17,000 bags. Closing quotations: May 9.90; July, 9.40; September, 8.45; December, 8.03; March, 7.90; May 1924, 7.90.

Spot coffee quiet; Rio, 7s, 11 5-8 cents; Santos 4s, 14 3-4 to 15 1-4 cents.

WARM WAVE ROCKS WHEAT

Market Drops Nearly Two Cents; Corn And Oats Fall

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 18.—Predictions of a warm wave led to a decided set back in wheat prices today. The market closed heavy, 1 1-8 to 1 7-8 cents net lower, with July 1.16 1-8 to 1.16 1-4 and September 1.14 1-2. Corn finished 5-8@¾ to 1 cent down, oats ⅝ to 7-8@1 cent off, and provisions varying from 2 to 5 cents down to 10@12 cents gain.

Prevailing generally favorable weather conditions gave the wheat market a tendency to sag in price during the early dealings, but crop damage reports from the southwest, Kansas and Texas in particular, brought about upturns later. A report that Russia had sold a cargo of wheat to Germany for June shipment at a big discount said to be equal to 15 cents under the price of number two hard f. o. b. at the Gulf of Mexico, had considerable to do with emphasizing wheat market weakness near the end of the day.

Corn as well as wheat was bearishly affected by forecasts of a warm wave. Oats were ruled for the most part by the action of corn. It was an irregular market in provisions. Lard declined with hogs and grain, but ribs advanced owing to talk of better cash demand for meats.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.19⅝	1.20⅝	1.18	1.18
July	1.17⅛	1.18⅛	1.16	1.16⅛
Sept	1.15⅛	1.16⅛	1.14⅝	1.14⅝
CORN—				
May	.81⅝	.81⅝	.80⅝	.80⅝
July	.80⅝	.81¼	.79⅜	.80
Sept	.79⅝	.80⅛	.78¾	.78¾
OATS—				
May	.43	.43¼	.42⅜	.42⅝
July	.43½	.43¾	.42¾	.42⅝
Sept	.41¾	.41⅝	.40¾	.40⅝
LARD—				
July	11.12	11.20	11.12	11.17
Sept	11.42	11.42	11.42	11.42
RIBS—				
July	9.15	9.17	9.12	9.17
Sept	9.40	9.40	9.40	9.40

TEXAS SPOTS

DALLAS, May 18.—Cotton quiet 25.50; Galveston 26.40; Houston steady, 26.35.

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KELL ATTACKS INCOME TAX

Defines It As Nothing More Or Less Than Socialism

"An income tax on a graduated scale is nothing more or less than socialism, and that is a thing that will eventually wreck any country," Frank Kell declared Friday noon at the chamber of commerce business council luncheon in an address on tax problems now confronting the state.

His remarks on the tax issues followed an explanation by Representative E. H. Gipson of some of the proposed tax measures now pending before the state legislature, and while Mr. Kell roundly assailed the gross receipts tax, the intangible tax and the inheritance tax, he was particularly vehement against the income tax.

Mr. Kell opened his talk with a warning that the tax questions of the state constituted some of the most serious problems Texas was confronted with today. And in this, he declared, he meant any form of an income tax.

After referring to the failure of the Dinkie bill to go through the legislature, Mr. Kell said it was his opinion that had this measure with any of its amendments passed, "it would have sounded the death knell of industry and commerce in Texas.

At another point the speaker touched on the manner in which a state income tax would militate against the enterprise of youth. "With much of their earnings taken by the state, the initiative of youth would have been destroyed and those who have been starting out to accumulate some capital for themselves, would go back on a salary to get away from the unjust burden."

In winding up his talk Mr. Kell declared that if at any time some of these proposed tax measures became laws he was willing to go ahead with other business men of the state, tie the matter up in the courts and "keep it there for 10 years, or until we create a deficit that might be troublesome to the boneheads who put it through."

Mr. Kell touched briefly on the intangible tax, the gross receipts tax, the inheritance tax and other proposed forms, saying all were unacceptable, but no so bar as the income tax on a graduated scale.

At the conclusion of Mr. Kell's talk, Judge A. H. Britain moved that the business council go on record as opposing the income tax as being unjust and that the matter be taken up by the chamber of commerce with other similar organizations. The motion carried without a dissenting voice.

Maskat Dresses Up In Its Fancy Rags and Amuses Wichita Falls In Royal Fashion With Parade Friday

Maskat Temple knocked off the lid of its spring ceremonial with a bang Friday afternoon, amused Wichita Falls generally with its parade, dealt misery to a large class of novices who explored the burning sands for the first time and enjoyed itself hugely throughout the day. The fun ended last night at midnight with a dance at the Call Field auditorium.

Representatives of nearly all the Shrine Temples of the state were here Friday and are remaining over for the Texas Shrine Council sessions today. The visitors constituted an important feature of the parade.

Section work of the novice class began at 4 o'clock, immediately after the procession disbanded. The second section began its tumultuous journey in the evening. Nobles and their ladies were all on hand for the big dance at Call field.

Heading the afternoon procession was the Maskat band, Police Commissioner Young and Chief of Police Hodgins and officers of the Temple. Potentate Frank Collier, garbed in regal robes that were evidently cosy enough for the day, grinned benignly from his royal chariot as the crowds acclaimed the "Pote."

The Shrine patrol executed its fancy steps constantly and the novices, some chained to a truckload of oil well casing, plodded along in their night dresses and wondered what it was all about. Scores of Shriners and their red fezzes were also in the procession.

"Gambling Joe" Davis of Quanah, "Sally Ann" Riley of Wichita Falls and "Irish" Johnson of Burkburnett, candidates for the Shrine ring, bestrode their fiery plugs and rickety buggies with all the ease and grace of a true son of the soil. Their antics furnished continual amusement for the crowds that lined the streets.

Visiting ladies here for the festivities were entertained by a committee headed by Mrs. R. E. Shepherd and were provided with some form of amusement at all times.

Complete Demonstration Farm In Line For This City, Gipson Thinks

Wichita Falls stands in a fair way to have one of the most complete experimental farms in the state, as a result of the legislative appropriation of $7,500 a year for the next two years, made for that purpose, Representative E. H. Gipson said Friday, on his return here from Austin. Through Mr. Gipson's efforts, aided by the influence of President Bizzell, of Texas A. & M. college, a $10,000 yearly appropriation was originally made for such a farm, but this was later reduced to $7,500 yearly.

The entire bill was killed before a conference, but Mr. Gipson revised it in such a way that it went through the house again, carrying $15,000 for the two years. This will be given with the understanding that a tract of ground for the farm be donated in Wichita county.

All experiments at the place will be carried on under the supervision of A. & M. college experts.

It was suggested here Friday that in view of this city's unequivocable stand against the legislature's appropriation measures that it might be advisable to waive the rights for the appropriation in the interests of a more economic program.

Chamber of commerce directors here have intimated that they would make no objection to this should it be deemed an advisable move. However, it is not anticipated that such a step will be necessary and there is every reason to believe, Mr. Gipson thinks, that the farm will be established without undue delay.

Mr. Gipson was informed, so he stated here, that A. & M. officials believed a demonstration farm here would be of tremendous benefit to all of North Texas and that a practical demonstration of the possibilities of irrigation would result in the promotion of many other projects similar to that here.

Small Boy Bitten By Cat Undergoes Treatment At Austin

Mrs. F. B. Walkup, 1713 Filmore street, has left for Austin with her small son, Billy, who is to undergo treatment at the Pasteur institute there. The small boy was bitten recently by a pet cat, an examination of which showed that it was affected with rabbies.

On advice of physicians, the lad will be given treatment by the experts at Austin to preclude the possibility of hydrophobia infection.

CAR RECOVERED

A Ford touring car stolen Thursday night from County Agent Guy R. Jones was located Friday morning west of the city with three tires missing but otherwise unharmed. The thieves evidently made off with the machine for the express purpose of stripping it.

The car was stolen from in front of Andersons store on Indiana avenue.

MOVIE CALENDAR

Olympic—Marguerite De La Motte and Lloyd Hughes, in "Scars of Jealousy."

Empress—Harold Lloyd, in "Safety Last."

Strand—Madge Bellamy, in "The Soul of the Beast," and "The Harmony Four."

Majestic—William M. McCormick, Marin Sais, and Robert Burns, in "A Son of the Desert."

Gem — Franklin Farnum, in "Texas."

TOUSSAINT TO TRIAL JUNE 20

Witnesses Called To Attend Case Set For Anson In Jones

Henry J. Toussaint, once condemned slayer of his father, O. H. Toussaint, will go to trial before Judge W. R. Chapman, of the Thirty-ninth district court, at Anson, Jones county, on June 20, according to word received here Friday. Announcement of the setting was made in Anson by Judge Chapman and immediately communicated to attorneys here.

Witnesses in the case are being instructed to be in attendance at Anson when the case is called and counsel in this city, interested in the proceedings are making preparations accordingly. Attorney C. C. McDonald and Attorney Luther Hoffman are leading the defense for the defendant.

It has not yet been decided by District Attorney Martin whether his office will conduct the prosecution at Anson or whether it will be left to officials of the Thirty-ninth district court. Local prosecutors will, however, take at least some part in the case, it was indicated.

Toussaint was once convicted and sentenced to hang for the murder of his father, in February, 1921. He was granted a new trial by the court of criminal appeals, however, and after a sensational escape from the county jail here, last fall, and 18 days of subsequent freedom, was returned here from Oklahoma City.

His second trial was called early in April, this year, but after two days had been consumed in an effort to select a jury, the case was ordered transferred by Judge Martin.

Gipson To Stay Here

A flat denial that he planned moving his law practice from Wichita Falls was made Friday by Representative E. H. Gipson, when he returned here for a brief visit. His statements were made in reply to rumors, he said, that had been circulated to the effect that he was to leave this city.

"I certainly have not the slightest idea of moving away from Wichita Falls," Mr. Gipson stated, "and I intend returning here the minute my work with the legislature is finished and taking up my law practice again. Any reports to the contrary are without foundation."

Questions To Be Voted Upon Today Are Outlined By A. M. McPherson

Today the people of Wichita Falls will vote on the ratificatoin of the contract between District No. 1 and District No. 2. This contract has already been adopted by the directors of both districts and is today presented to the people for ratification or rejection.

The people of both districts will vote upon the adoption of the contract, but in addition to voting upon this question, the people of District No. 2 have three other questions before them.

These three questions are:

1. For or against a conservation or reclamation district.
2. For or against the levying of taxes on a benefit basis instead of an ad valorem basis.
3. For or against the uniform assessment of benefits of $35.25 per acre upon all irrigated land in the district and the assessment of $1 per acre upon all non-irrigable land in the district.

Judge J. E. Starley, general counsel for District No. 2, explains these three questions as follows:

Question No. 1—If the people of District No. 2 desire to have taxes assessed on a benefit basis instead of an ad valorem basis, then they must first vote for the establishment of a conservation and reclamation district, because a benefit basis of taxation cannot be established in the district as it now stands.

Question No. 2—If the people desire a definite assessment against each acre of land uniformly over the district, they must vote in the affirmative on this question. In other words, if the land owners wish to have 34 years to pay for their water at the rate of $2.50 per acre per year for irrigable land, and 34 years at the rate of 7c per acre per year for the unirrigated land in the district, then they must vote in the affirmative on this question.

Question No. 3—In to definitely settle the amount that will be assessed against their land for water.

Judge Starley advises that every one who is in favor of irrigation should vote in the affirmative on each question. Each question should have the negative part scratched out.

Negro Building Burns

Fire, of undetermined origin, completely destroyed a negro barber shop and cafe at 203 Mill street, at 3:30 Friday morning. The small wooden structure housing the places of business was a mass of flames before firemen were summoned, and nothing could be done toward raving anything.

WOMAN GIVEN 4 YEARS IN PRISON

Mrs. Edith Berry Must Serve Sentence For Selling Whiskey

A sentence of four years in the state penitentiary was assessed Friday afternoon against Mrs. Edith Berry, 705 Burnett street, when she was found guilty of selling intoxicating liquors. The jury was out but a short time before returning with its verdict.

Mrs. Berry had nothing to say when the verdict was read.

It was brought out at the trial that the defendant had sold a local man a quantity of whiskey on several occasions prior to her arrest. The witness offered testimony to this effect and it was on this that the conviction was secured.

Public Records

SUITS FILED.

Suits filed Friday with Justice of the Peace O. L. Gibbs' court were:

G. H. Park vs. First National Bank of Burkburnett, garnishment.

G. H. Park vs. L. V. Smith, note.

Security National Bank vs. First National Bank, garnishment.

Security National Bank vs. J. W. Smith, note.

J. B. Simmonds vs. J. B. Richards Medical company, damages.

Suits Filed.

Suits filed Friday in the district court were:

First National Bank of Burkburnett vs. C. W. James et al, suit for conversion.

W. G. Merritt et al vs. Cornelius Krull, debt.

Minnie Linville vs. Henry Linville, divorce.

William Moore vs. J. W. Ray et al, debt.

Max Weltzman et al vs. Homer Lee, injunction and damages.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses issued Friday by the county clerks office were:

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Taylor Howard, Wichita Falls; Bessie Brown, Wichita Falls.

Ruel Davis, Burkburnett; Ruth Dehakey, Burkburnett.

L. G. Chiles, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Romola Bond, Wichita Falls.

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