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NEW ORDER STRENGTHENS MARTIAL LAW RULE

Chinese Recapture Village As Heavy Bombardment Opens In Two Sectors

BOTTLE-NECK DRIVE BALKED BY CANTONESE

Defenders Cling Stubbornly To Kiangwan Despite Japanese Rushes

RUSSIA HEARD FROM

Soviet Asks Explanation Of Japanese Activities In Northern Area

(By The Associated Press)

Confronted with a threat by the Japanese to bottle up Kiangwan, the Chinese made a quick short thrust in the darkness of early Saturday and took Miaochangchen, northwest of the bitterly contested Kiangwan. They held on to Kiangwan too.

Shortly before daylight Chinese batteries within Chapei started a heavy shelling of the Japanese positions. The Japanese guns responded but they did not send over nearly as many shells as were coming at them from the enemy lines.

Bombard Kiangwan

Further to the north, however, the Japanese were more active. They started a severe bombardment on the Kiangwan front.

The North China Daily News printed reports that Japanese reinforcements were arriving Saturday.

The Japanese promised a big offensive next week, using bottleneck tactics on Kiangwan, Chapei and Woosung. Coded messages to observers in Shanghai seemed to confirm this. They said the Japanese soon would have a full corps in the field and that one or two divisions were on the way and three more would go later.

Russia Makes Demands

Meanwhile the Siberian border drew attention internationally when the Soviet government told Japan that "white" Russians were being supported and protected in Manchuria by the Japanese. Russia demanded an explanation and also asked what was going on in Manchuria and wanted a description of the new Manchurian government.

The United States, Italy, Great Britain and France asked Japan to move her warships from the Whangpoo river in front of the international settlement, and urged that no more Japanese troops be landed in the settlement.

Washington regarded Great Britain's action in making representations to Japan as an indication that Great Britain was in agreement with American Far Eastern policy.

STIMSON STOPS WRITING NOTES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—A temporary moratorium of notewriting to China and Japan concerning their conflict in the Far East was declared today by Secretary Stimson.

After a protracted conference

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Suggestion Heard That Dollars Be Made Square

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (US)—Many ideas have been suggested to members of congress for a solution of the knotty silver problem, but one arrived today which made all the rest take a back seat.

Chairman Summers, of the house coinage committee, received a letter saying:

"Never mind these theories.

"The thing to do is to make our silver coins square, instead of round, so they would not slip through our fingers so fast."

Excise Tax Plan for Autos Near Abandonment

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—With the house ways and means committee apparently determined to include a manufacturers sales tax in the new revenue bill, it was indicated today that the treasury-proposed excise taxes on automobiles, radios, phonographs and similar items have been abandoned.

Although the committee has not taken a formal vote on these excise taxes, it has ceased to look upon them as big enough sources of revenue to meet the treasury needs.

Amarillo Mayor May Replace Pat M. Neff

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (UP)—Reports that Col. E. O. Thompson, utility-fighting mayor of Amarillo, will be tendered appointment on the state railroad commission to succeed former Gov. Pat N. Neff, could not be verified here tonight. The governor has not yet received Neff's resignation, expected as a result of his election to the presidency of Baylor university. The Texas rail commission supervises oil and gas as well as transportation.

Former Sheriff Held After Liquor Is Seized

OLDHAM, Texas, Feb. 26. (INS)—John Briscoe, former sheriff of Quay county, New Mexico, and two others were being held here today for investigation in connection with the discovery of 30 gallons of liquor in an automobile bearing a New Mexico license.

The men were en route to Amarillo when halted.

Besides Briscoe, those held are "Indian" Joe Taylor of Amarillo and B. B. Harris of Vega.

Japs Shoot Down Yankee Pilot In Fight





Three Japanese battle planes hovered over Soochow. Robert M. Short, 27, shown above, jumped into his U. S. made biplane of the Chinese aviation section and took off for an aerial fight. Half an hour later his plane, riddled with bullets, came down to crash near the secondary defense lines around the provincial city as shown in sketch. He died in a hospital shortly after. Short, born in Steilacoom, Wash., trained as a flier during the world war, but was not commissioned. He obtained his transport license at Los Angeles in 1927. After flying 2,439 hours over American airways he left for China in 1929 where he became adviser for bureau of aeronautics of the Chinese government.

Strong Figures Of Demo And G. O. P. Parties Engage In Criticism Spree

Hurley Takes Raskob to Task for Remarks About Hoover; Garner Continues to Flay President

By D. HAROLD OLIVER
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WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The pre-convention presidential races took a new turn today with President Hoover's prohibition and economic views the hub of spirited debate.

First, Secretary Hurly took John J. Raskob to task for saying he had apparently authentic information that Mr. Hoover would run on a prohibition referendum platform if the Republican party adopted one.

Then, Speaker Garner, who is being boomed for the Democratic presidential nomination, lashed out at the president in a press conference, asserting he had "led us into the greatest panic the country or world has ever known."

Speaker Garner criticized President Hoover "for letting government officials run around the country making political speeches when they ought to be at their work in Washington."

Jahncke Is Target

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Ernest L. Jahncke was Garner's main target for attack, because of his speech at Wooster, Ohio, last night, praising the president's leadership in meeting the economic situation. Garner said:

"The president, instead of asking congress to create four new assistant secretaries as he did in his message last week, had better keep those he now has at home and at their official duties.

"They had better stay here and do what they are supposed to do

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CREDIT RELIEF BILL PASSES

Banking Measure Goes To White House

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Congress sent the Glass-Steagall credit expansion bill to the White House today and President Hoover announced he would sign it tomorrow with comment.

The measure opens the vast resources of the federal reserve to new credit for the banks and the depositors and makes available almost a billion dollars in gold for national use and security.

It bears the hopes of congressional leaders of both parties for a revival of confidence and the promise of the administration that it will keep America on the upward swing economically.

Senator Glass, Democrat, Virginia, who sponsored the legislation, put it through the last step of its record-breaking congressional run today with a brief explanation to the senate of the agreement adjusting differences between the senate and house.

The senate gave formal approval without a word of debate and without a roll call. Its action followed affirmation by the house, where Representative Steagall, Democrat, Alabama, guided the legislation.

White House Consumes Big Quantities of Milk

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (INS)—President Hoover is one of this country's best customers for the milkman, it was revealed today. His annual milk bill is $4,000. Twenty-four quarts of milk and a dozen pints of whipping cream are delivered daily at the White House. The facts were given out by Merrill O. Maughan, executive secretary of the Milk Council, Inc.

Probe Ordered in Sale Of Liquor to Students

EL PASO, Feb. 26. (INS)—A grand jury investigation of charges that bootleggers living near the Austin High school were selling liquor to pupils was ordered today by Judge W. D. Howe of the 34th district court.

Trial May Be Delayed For Arrival of Darrow

HONOLULU, Feb. 26. (AP)—Expressing the belief there was reasonable certainty Clarence Darrow would come to Honolulu to aid in the defense of Mrs. Granville Fortescue and three others charged with lynching Joseph Kahahawai, defense counsel said today the trial set for March 10, probably would be delayed to await his arrival.

Montgomery Winn, who is preparing the defense case, said a motion for postponement would be made if Darrow replied favorably to their invitation. Winn said friends of Mrs. Fortescue had been in touch with Darrow in Chicago and New York; and through their efforts he expected the noted criminal attorney would come here.

Governor Murray Voted Greatest American Alive

MAGNOLIA, Ark., Feb. 26. (UP)—Gov. W. H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray has been voted the "greatest living American" by students at Magnolia A. & M. college here, a court of straw votes revealed today.

Henry Ford was second and Alfred E. Smith third. Others in order were Robert E. Lee, Huey P. Long, Charles A. Lindbergh, Will Rogers, Robert Montgomery (movie actor), and Herbert Hoover.

Officers Stand Guard At Al Capone's Cell To Quiet Rumors He Will Escape

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (UP)—"Stone walls do not a prison make

"Nor iron bars a cage—"

Federal authorities were fearful that there was more truth than poetry in that stanza as far as Alphonse (Scarface) Capone is concerned, so they ordered three deputy marshals today to guard his cell in the ultra-modern Cook county jail.

Placing of federal guards over a prisoner in a county jail sets a government precedent in the mid-West.

United States Marshal H. C. W. Laubenheimer, Warden David Moneypenny and Sheriff Harry Meyering agreed that the special guard was their only means of silencing rumors that Capone has been running his crime syndicate from behind the bars. He is awaiting appeal of an 11-year penitentiary sentence for income tax fraud.

Other rumors had it that Capone hoped to escape from the jail, called crack-proof by the prison architects who designed it. Some of the stories said that his gangster cohorts might storm the jail. Others held that he was to be slipped out with the help of friendly prisoners who would overpower the guards. The reports had him stealing away to Mexico, Canada and Central America, by airplane, boat and automobile.

Several hundred persons a week try to see Capone, said Moneypenny, but none has been allowed to visit him recently with exception of two Catholic priests and Will Rogers.

HOOVER PLANS NEW MESSAGE ON CRIME LAW

President to Submit Ideas On Bankruptcy And Lawlessness

BASED ON REPORTS

Executive Favors Simpler Procedure and Fewer Court Appeals

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—In an effort to plug yawning loopholes in federal criminal procedure and to close breaches in the bankruptcy laws, President Hoover announced today he would submit a new special message to congress early next week.

The document—long awaited as his special law enforcement message—will cite the results of more than two years study by a host of experts.

To List Reforms

It will contain a long list of hoped for reforms—aimed principally at creating deterrents to crime through speeding criminal trial and appeals and at the saving of millions now lost jointly by both bankrupts and creditors.

The president today cited orally to newspaper men about his desk some of the methods designed to diminish the ease with which certain gangsters and others had escaped justice through employment of clever criminal lawyers.

Too Many Appeals

He is known to feel the United States has failed to keep pace with other major powers in swift dispensation of justice by allowing criminals too frequent appeals.

Here are the principal criminal reforms Mr. Hoover will seek:

Increased permission of accused persons to waive indictment by grand juries if they wish to plead guilty.

Elimination of technicalities in the make up of grand juries.

Simpler Procedure

Simplification of the procedure in district courts; tightening of statutes concerning criminal appeals to higher courts.

In still a further move, the president said he would recommend the addition of new federal judges to relieve congestions and the simplification of certain questions pertaining to the diversity of citizenship in the federal courts.

As for the bankruptcy laws, the chief executive asserted investigation by the justice and commerce departments had shown them not only "defective" but also offering opportunities for the exploitation and disregard of the rights of creditors and many injustices to bankrupts themselves."

Robbers Are Caught After Bank Holdup

CHICKASHA, Okla., Feb. 26. (INS)—Two bandits who held up and robbed the First National bank of Alex, 12 miles southeast of here today, were captured shortly afterward by a posse of armed citizens and placed in jail here for safekeeping. Approximately $1,700 in loot was recovered.

The bandits, who gave their names as H. A. Kelly, 21, of Bristow, Okla., and Robert Bailey, 28 of Duncan, Okla., were traced to a farmhouse near Alex and taken without resistance. A bullet-riddled automobile in which the pair made their escape after the holdup led to discovery of their presence in the farmhouse.

Former Leading Texan Dying in California

CULVER CITY, Calif., Feb. 26. (US)—Capt. Ormond Padgett, Spanish-American war veteran and one-time Texas political "boss," today was reported dying at his home.

Reputed to have been wealthy at one time, Padgett began to fail in health three years ago after losing his fortune in bad business ventures. He came to Southern California in 1929.

He was military commander of Galveston, Texas, during the tidal wave of 1900, and in 1898 served as a captain of Texas volunteer cavalry in the Philippine islands.

Numerologist Cites Cure For Ailing Business

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (AP)—The trouble with this country, said an Illinois numerologist, was that Herbert Hoover did not use his middle initial.

In one of the hundreds of suggestions received by the citizens' reconstruction organization, this correspondent argued that the fate of nations as well as individuals was determined by various combinations of letters, figures and dates.

The president's name as he now signs it was bad, the man wrote, but if he would use the initial "C" for his middle name "Clark" things would pick up immediately.

HOUSE BURNS

A blaze of unknown origin wrecked the interior of a furnished house owned by Mrs. Birdie Thomas, Grand hotel, at 1315 Fifteenth street, at 12:30 o'clock Saturday morning. The residence was vacated Thursday by G. L. Dawes. No loss estimate was available early this morning.

DAY IN WASHINGTON

(By The Associated Press)

President Hoover announced he would send congress special message recommending improvements in bankruptcy laws and criminal procedure in federal courts.

Congress sent credit expansion bill to President Hoover who said he would sign it tomorrow and make a statement concerning it.

Representative Cochran, Democrat, Missouri, said four cabinet members had failed to cooperate with congress in efforts at reducing expenditures or consolidation of agencies.

Congressional action was completed on resolution authorizing $10,000,000 revolving fund for revolving fund for loans to agricultural credit corporations.

Senate voted to outlaw "yellow dog" labor contracts, presaging approval of Norris anti-injunction bill.

Secretary Stimson declared temporary moratorium on note writing to China and Japan.

Secretary Hurley scored John J. Raskob for saying he had apparently authentic information Mr. Hoover would run on prohibition referendum platform if adopted by Republican party, and Speaker Garner asserted president had led country into greatest panic country or world had ever known.

DOCTORS HELP SICK GORILLA

Little "N'Gi" Near Death In National Zoo

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (US)—All the resources of medical science were rallied at the national zoological park here today to save little "N'gi," 6-year-old gorilla, stricken with influenza.

A famous child specialist and an expert veterinary diagnostician were in constant attendance, while the Washington Herald had an oxygen chamber installed in an attempt to win the battle against death.

Fine Specimen

N'gi is one of only seven gorillas in this hemisphere, and the less than 15 in captivity in the entire world. He is perhaps the finest living specimen on exhibition, and in his four years in the Washington zoo has become nationally famous.

Today, however, he was a very sick little boy, lonesome and feverridden. Under the white rubberized tent which is the oxygen chamber, he tossed fitfully, his glass eyes speaking pathetic misery. The specialists in charge, however, said he is already showing slight signs of recovery and may live.

Sick a Month

N'gi first fell sick almost a month ago, but his illness did not become precarious until three days ago. At that time Dr. John Eckhardt, child specialist, was called in, and he diagnosed the malady as the deadliest form of influenza.

Late last night the Washington Herald communicated with Dr. Alvin Baruch of the New York medical center, and asked that an oxygen chamber be sent here to aid in the fight. It was on its way two hours later, with two technicians, and was set up in N'gi's cage early today.

Pneumonia and tuberculosis constitute the two great enemies of a gorilla in captivity.

Women Barred From Geneva Arms Parley

GENEVA, Switzerland, Feb. 26. (AP)—Women who have come here as unofficial representatives of dozens of peace organizations will have no part in the official work of the world disarmament conference, they were informed today.

Salvador de Madariaga, head of the Spanish contingent, presented a resolution to create a special commission of women observers as an advisory body to the conference. The steering committee turned it down, reminding the women, in effect, that this is a conference of governments, not of official organizations.

In voting with the majority, the British and American members took the position that delegates to this meeting are representatives of their governments, that there is no distinction between the sexes and that women may be seated as are men, by government appointment.

Chicago Mayor Calls Garner 'Good American'

WASHINGTON, Feb 26. (INS)—Former Mayor William H. Thompson of Chicago was introduced to Speaker Garner of the house today by Representative Henry T. Rainey, Democrat, of Illinois.

Emerging from the speaker's office, Thompson said:

"I know what kind of man Garner is. I used to punch cattle in the Panhandle of Texas. I know what kind of men come out of that country.

"It's time we forget whether we are Republicans or Democrats and decide whether we are Americans.

"Garner is a good American."

Progressives Score Win On Anti-Injunction Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (US)—Progressives scored victories in the senate today in defeating a series of amendments designed to weaken the Norris anti-injunction bill.

The votes indicated final passage of the measure by a substantial margin in the senate next week.

The Norris bill sharply curtails the power of federal courts in injunctions and contempt proceedings.

SLIDES, FLOODS CLAIM 10 LIVES IN NORTHWEST

Man and Son Killed When Break of Dam Frees Big Torrent

MORE BODIES SOUGHT

Four Bodies Recovered In Small Village After Mountain Slide

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 26. (AP)—Floods and snowslides tonight had taken at least 10 lives in mountainous western Washington country in the last two days, and eight or ten more persons were missing.

In the latest disaster, slides early this afternoon roared down off the mountainside and swept four homes into the river at Edgewick, five miles southeast of North Bend in the western Cascades. Within a few hours, four bodies had been recovered from the river, meager reports received here said, and four other persons were unaccounted for.

Crews Search Ruins

Hastily assembled crews were at work digging in the debris, while men were rushed to the little town from North Bend.

In his first hurried report to headquarters, Tom Henry, highway patrolman, gave the names of the four who were known to have been lost as Ira Moore, 60; Mrs. Elwood Claggett, 45, and the two children of Mrs. Marguerite Blades.

Those who still were missing were reported to be Moore's wife, a Mrs. Guy Balder, and Mrs. Blades, with possibly others.

Houses Swept Away

Beginning on the precipitous slopes of Mount Washington, the avalanche swept down onto the little town and carried its wreckage and debris into the waters of the south fork of the Snoqualmie river.

Meanwhile, with spreading of the report, numerous families living in outlying sections of North Bend, who feared more slides, were reported to be flocking to that town.

Dig for Bodies

During the day, also, a hundred miles to the north in the western Cascades, searchers still were digging in the narrow Skagit river canyon for the bodies of four men who were lost in a slide there yesterday morning. The workers frequently were forced to flee from new slides.

At high point, three miles east of Issaquah and not more than 15 miles from Edgewick, swollen creek waters swept away a home early today, killing George Johnson and his son, 10-year-old Gusta.

Rivers Rising

From every part of the state came word of rising rivers, flooded roads and washed out bridges.

When rescuers reached Johnson and his son they found the farmer holding a 4-year-old daughter and another son, 7, above the flood waters. The father died a few minutes later.

The rescued children said the son who was drowned cried: "Don't pay any attention to me, papa. You save the kids!" Their mother and another son screamed for aid for two hours before neighbors arrived.

Ten men in all were buried when the avalanche roared down Diablo canyon on Seattle's city-owned railway to its Skagit river power project. Six were rescued.

International Bank Head Predicts Improvements

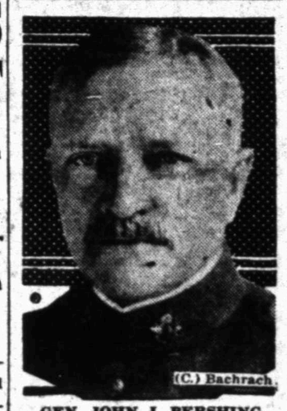
NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (US)—Saying there had been a decided improvement of sentiment here which would probably crystalize into something substantial before long, Gates W. McGarrah, president of the bank for international settlements, returned to his post tonight aboard the Cunard liner Mauretania. He had been here five weeks.

Lawyer Kills Self After Leaving Daughter Money

TIA JUANA, Mexico, Feb. 26. (INS)—A few minutes after he transferred $500,000 in cash to his daughter, Adreana Orci of Los Angeles, Attorney Juan R. Orci, 65, president of the Tia Juana Athletic club, shot and killed himself, officials announced today.

Orci was despondent over the death of his wife six months ago.

In Hospital



(C.) Bachrach.

GEN. JOHN J. PERSHING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (US)—Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of America's war armies, was admitted to Walter Reed General hospital here at 6 p. m. today. Capt. George T. Adamson, his aide, said the general, who had been making his home at the Metropolitan club here, for the last few days had been suffering with an attack of laryngytis. On the advice of his physician, Col. Glenn I. Jones, and friends he was induced to go to the hospital for treatment and a rest cure. General Pershing is in his 72nd year. Physicians at the hospital said that his condition is not in any way serious.

WOMAN KILLED AS 'SQUEALER'

Houston Gangland Atones For Aid to Police

HOUSTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—The theory that the underworld had invoked the penalty of death against an informer was held tonight by police and sheriff's department officers investigating the slaying of Mrs. Pauline Caporina, 25.

The body of the young woman, found in a muddy ditch near here at dawn today, indicated she had been attacked with a dull edged instrument, such as a small hand axe or auto jack handle.

Justice of the Peace C. R. Overstreet, Lieut. B. W. Payne of the police homicide squad and Deputy Sheriff George Andrew agreed Mrs. Caporina had been dead but two or three hours when the body was discovered.

After questioning the slain woman's husband, Joe Caporina, from whom she had been separated about three weeks, and another man who admitted having been in her company often during the past few weeks, the officers turned their attention to the theory that Mrs. Caporina may have been slain because she had been informing officers of certain underworld activities.

A detective who participated in the rounding up of two members of a band of bank robbers about a month ago said Mrs. Caporina, also known at police headquarters as Pauline Johnson, had furnished the "tip" that led to the arrests.

It was learned she had expressed fear for her life because of her cooperation with police in the bank robbery investigation.

Baby Drowns In Tub Of Water At Lamesa

Special to The Record News

LAMESA, Texas, Feb. 26.—A baby was drowned when it fell into a tub of rainwater here this afternoon.

The child, Ethelyn Nelson, 18 months old, was dead when found by the mother. Attempts at resuscitation failed. Playing in the yard while the mother busied herself about the home, the baby fell into the tub, which had been filled by recent rains.

It was believed water immediately filled the lungs of the child when she fell in the tub, as no outcry was heard.

Work on Amarillo Short Line to Start in March

LAS ANIMAS, Colo., Feb. 26. (AP)—Work on the northern end of the Las Animas-Amarillo short line to be built by the Santa Fe railway will begin early in March, local offices of the road announced today.

Hardy Mariner Of Great Lakes Is Awarded Medal For Daring Rescues

CLEVELAND, Feb. 26. (AP)—A bluff old captain who knows his ship, his men and his lakes, beamed satisfaction as he stuck out his chest today to receive a gold congressional medal awarded for his life-saving exploits in 37 years of sea-faring.

Capt. Charles H. Mohr received the medal. On Sept. 26, 1930, he almost foundered his own freighter in a 55-mile southwester taking seven men off the sinking Our Son, last sailing schooner on the Great lakes. Before that he had saved 20 lives.

The presentation was by L. C. Hinslea, attorney and holder of a master's license, before the Cleveland lodge of the International Shipmasters association.

Hinslea said so far as he has been able to learn, Captain Mohr's exploits never have been equaled by a Great lakes shipmaster.

At the time of the 1930 rescue, the captain was having enough troubles of his own. Seas were washing over his decks, pilot house windows were smashed, the stairways to the bridge were carried away, and part of the steel deck had been caved in by the waves when he sighted Our Son flying an inverted flag as a signal of distress.

Capt. Fred Nelson, 73-year-old master who was rescued, said, "It was one of the most daring pieces of expert seamanship in the history of navigation."

MILITIA TOLD TO ENFORCE CONSERVATION

Only Wells Affected By Injunction Not To Be Molested

MORE TROOPS NEEDED

Guards Shut Down Opened Wells With Orders To Shoot to Kill

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (UP)—Gov. Ross Sterling this afternoon issued a new order regulating oil production in the East Texas field, leaving no doubt that the area is still under martial law except for the federally protected wells of E. Constantin and J. D. Wrather.

The order called attention to the federal court ruling filed today at Tyler and instructed troops not to interfere with the Constantin-Wrather wells but to enforce his order of Feb. 4 against all other wells. That order limits production to 75 barrels per well per day.

The original proclamation of martial law, dated Aug. 16, 1931, was ordered kept in "full force and effect subject to subsequent orders and to this order." Earlier, the governor intimated more troops might be sent to the field.

GUARDS CLOSE FLUSH WELLS AT OVERTON

OVERTON, Texas, Feb. 26. (UP)—National guard officers from camps Parrish and Powers sealed three townsite wells of the Murray & Good Oil company here at 6:30 p. m. today, stationing two soldiers at each with instructions to shoot to kill if the wells were molested.

Representatives of the company a few hours before had opened the wells wide and allowed them to flow freely. They escorted George Mullikin, Overton's night chief of police, and other officers to the lease "so they could be state witnesses."

Major Parker and Captain Phillips, national guard officers, soon arrived and closed the wells.

MILITARY AND CIVIL AUTHORITIES JOIN

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (AP)—Civil and military authorities joined hands today, with Gov. R. S. Sterling as a sort of generalissimo, in an effort to hold the East Texas oil field in line.

Governor Sterling insisted that the status of his martial law administration of the field had not been disturbed by a federal court injunction save for four wells on tracts of Eugene Constantin and J. E. Wrather, plaintiffs in a successful suit attacking his authority to interfere with production from their property through military prerogatives.

Military Claims Power

Notwithstanding the Texas railroad commission action yesterday in issuing conservation and proration orders governing the field, Governor Sterling said his military orders in the area still were supreme, except insofar as they applied to the Constantin-Wrather interests.

C. V. Terrell, chairman of the commission, statutory administrator of Texas conservation laws, said that while his group had acted to reassume control of the area, he felt the governor's orders still should be respected in preference to the agency he heads.

Governor Sterling said the railroad commission did not have sufficient men in the field to administer it. Terrell said the commis-

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'Bear Raiders' Called Before Senate Group

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (INS)—A number of New York brokers whom he described to President Hoover today as "bear raiders" in the New York stock market, will be subpoenaed to appear before the senate banking and currency committee tomorrow, Senator Walcott, Republican, of Connecticut, said at the White House today.

The committee will consider various bills designed to prohibit or limit short selling of commodities. Names of the "bear raiders" were not made public.

Relative of Henry Ford Succumbs at Detroit

DEARBORN, Mich., Feb. 26 (US)—Mrs. Mary J. Ford, 56, sister-in-law of Henry Ford, died here today.

WEATHER

OKLAHOMA AND TEXAS: Generally fair Saturday and Sunday. Light to moderate shifting winds on the coast mostly north.

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

Maximum temperature	74
Minimum temperature	48
Temperature at 5 p. m.	68
Precipitation, none.	
Clear.	
South wind.	
Average wind velocity	3
Maximum wind velocity	6
Barometer	29.10

MILITIA RULES IN OIL FIELDS

Sterling Gives Assurance Of Martial Power

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sion forces had been working in the field all the time helping to carry out the military instructions.

Commission Is Subservient

"There isn't any friction between the governor and the railroad commission," Terrell said. "We are cooperating perfectly. Whatever the governor wants done, we shall do, feeling that his orders are superior to ours."

There had not been a clash between the governor and railroad commission as to conservation measures. The governor's last military order fixed the per well daily allowable at 75 barrels. The railroad commission set the allowable at 75 barrels until March 15. After that date, it was stipulated that the field production should not exceed 325,000 barrels daily, all wells in the field to contribute equally to the top allowable.

Way Open for Others

While the injunction applied only to the operators who brought suit, the way was open, under the court decision, for others to institute separate court action to restrain use of the military for any purpose other than to enforce civil jurisdiction.

Governor Sterling said he wanted it understood that his authority in all parts of the field, save on property of the plaintiffs who obtained the federal court injunction, still was supreme and that only his orders were being enforced.

He stated there was more need of martial law in East Texas at this time than ever. He said Gen. Jacob F. Wolters in command of troops in the field, advised him that, if anything, additional soldiers were needed, but that he would try to get along with the men he had.

Appeals to Be Filed

Fred Upchurch, assistant attorney general assigned to the commission as legal advisor, was preparing to resist suits against the civil authority's orders. He was advised that several applications for injunctions already had been filed at Tyler.

E. F. Smith, attorney for Governor Sterling and those enjoined with him—General Wolters and W. W. Sterling, Texas adjutant general—perfected the record of the case in Tyler, where the injunction decree was filed, and left for Washington to ask the supreme court to vacate the court order pending final determination of the suit on appeal to it.

Should the supreme court vacate the order it was expected Governor Starling would renew his military orders to include the Constantin and Wrather interests.

Mrs. Hannah Johnson Succumbs at Electra

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Hannah Johnson, 76, died here Friday afternoon at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Mary Kiselwick of West Wharton avenue.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the First Baptist church. The Rev. W. W. Rivers, the pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in the Electra cemetery.

Mrs. Johnson was a native of Norway. She had resided in Electra for a number of years. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Kiselwick, Mrs. B. M. Eggenberg; two sons, Will and Sam, and 19 grandchildren, all of Electra.

Secretary Explains Why Mrs. Hoover Wore Cotton

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (US)—A somewhat embarrassed White House social secretariat today took occasion to deny reports that Mrs. Hoover is advocating a Japanese boycott because she wore a cotton frock at a recent social function.

The incident was taken seriously because of the fact that a national sorority had urged its members to ban Japanese silk for American cotton.

The White House said that Mrs. Hoover had had the gown a long time and the fact that she wore it shortly after the sorority pronouncement was merely a coincidence.

French Electoral Reform Bill Rejected 193 to 0

PARIS, Feb. 26. (AP)—The electoral reform bill adopted in the chamber of deputies over the opposition of the "lefts," was rejected in the senate today, as had been expected, by a vote of 193 to 0.

The most objectionable feature of this bill in the eyes of its opponents was the proposal to abolish the second ballot in elections to the chamber, employed now if no candidate obtains a clear majority on the first vote.

The senate sent back to committee the provision granting the franchise to women, and the section making the vote compulsory.

Records

DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk

S. L. Fowler et ux, block 82, and east 20 acres of block 89, Red River Valley lands subdivision; outer block . except north five acres; outer block . except north five acres; outer block 3, except north five acres; outer block 4,, except north five acres; outer block 12; 3.29 acres off the north side of outer block 13, all out of subdivision known as "Outer Block of Burkburnett;" outer blocks 5, 6, 7, and 8; 10.6 acres of outer block 9, all in tract known as "Outer Block of Burkburnett;" to J. G. Hammond.

W. L. Whitlow et ux, lot 11, block 46, Floral Heights addition, Wichita Falls, to J. O. Whitlow.

L. S. Lewis, lot 6, block 14, Scotland addition, Wichita Falls, to Mrs. L. S. Lewis.

L. L. Allbritton, lot 3, block 7, Floral Heights addition, Wichita Falls, to Una Steele.

NEW SUITS FILED

Mrs. A. B. Eichelberger, District Clerk

R. Frazier et ux vs. Farm and Home Savings and Loan association of Missouri, injunction.

Mrs. M. A. Love et al vs. Wichita Water Improvement district No. 1 et al., damages.

W. H. Morrison vs. T. R. Lambert et al., transferred from Archer county.

Abilene 'Kind Stranger' Nabbed Here

Wichita Police End Forger's Activity

ABILENE, Feb. 26. (AP)—Representing himself as a prominent Marshall physician, a polished, middle-aged man of professional air, yesterday inspected the plant of the West Texas Baptist hospital here and "upon behalf of his deceased mother-in-law" gave the institution a draft for $2,259.

"This is too good to be true," thought C. M. Collier, superintendent. And a few minutes later he knew it was—the kind stranger wanted to cash a personal check for a sizable amount. He was politely refused and his interest in the hospital ceased immediately.

Ten minutes later Collier was talking over the telephone with the Marshall physician, verifying his suspicions.

Police checked up on the stranger and found he had registered at two hotels under different names. He had had an employe at the collections window at a local bank fill out the draft for him. Trace of the man was lost at a bus station.

IMPOSTER CAPTURED AFTER PASSING CHECK HERE

After cashing a forged check for $10 at a Wichita Falls bank, using the name of Dr. J. C. Carter, prominent physican of Marshall, a man was arrested by police here Friday afternoon. The defendant carried business cards engraved with Dr. Carter's name. Investigation by Police Chief Dick Morris revealed the defendant had served two prison terms on similar charges.

The arrest was made at the Union Bus station by Officers Warfield and Daves after Dr. C. W. Castner of Wichita Falls became suspicious when called by the bank for reference. Dr. Castner is a personal friend of Dr. Carter and called police to voice his suspicions.

The defendant carried a receipt for the $2,259 given as a "donation" to the Baptist hospital at Abilene.

Octogenarian Hopes To Shave His Beard With Democratic Win

POMONA, Calif., Feb. 26. (US)—Its a solemn rite which has taken place only four times during his 87 years, but William (Toots) Martin today declared he has great hopes of removing his beard next March.

The former early-day Los Angeles county supervisor shaves only when a Democrat is inaugurated as president. Twice he emerged from his hirsute concealment in honor of Grover Cleveland, and a like number of times for Woodrow Wilson.

"I'll shave," he resolutely announced, "but I hope the beard grows back fast because I want to wear it into the next world."

Martin believes Speaker John N. Garner is the best choice for the Democratic nomination.

"Not just because Garner's from my home county (Red River) in Texas. We were both born there, near Clarksville. I'd celebrate his nomination because the people had picked the one man in the United States who has done more and is doing more for them than the president."

Martin, Pomona's first white resident, came here from Texas in 1871.

Wichita Falls Folks, Facts, Fancies

At Hospital

Miss Virginia McGee, William-Mary hotel, is a patient at the Wichita General hospital.

Mobeetie Man Ill Here

S. H. Hooker of Mobettie, Texas is resting well at the Hargrave-Walker hospital after undergoing a major operation Thursday.

Waits Operation

Mrs. F. N. Wilcox of Amarillo, was admitted to the Wichita General hospital Friday night where she will undergo a major operation Saturday.

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Paul Avera, 2100 Joline, underwent a major operation at the Wichita General hospital Thursday morning. She was reported resting as well as possible Thursday night.

Thieves Take City Auto

A 1929 model Ford pickup delivery truck owned by the City of Wichita Falls, was reported stolen from Thirteenth street and Lamar Avenue at 8:30 o'clock Friday night.

Boy Sent to Gatesville

County Juvenile Officer J. A. McDonald Friday took to the boys' industrial school at Gatesville a 16-year-old boy recently taken in custody in connection with the theft of several bicycles here.

Escaped Prisoner Nabbed

A man, arrested by Patrolman Long Thursday after a short chase in the business district of Wichita Falls, will be taken to Greenville, Texas, Saturday by a deputy sheriff of that city. He is wanted on a felony indictment there and has been sought since 1928 when he broke jail at Greenville, Police Chief Dick Morris said Friday.

Window Curtain Blaze

A loss of $75 resulted from a blaze at the B. F. Dutton residence, 1500 Harrison, at 11:45 o'clock Friday morning when a window curtain blew over a gass stove.

Your Bicycle

Police officers of Wichita Falls are attempting to locate the youthful owners of two maroon bicycles which have been in possession of the department for several days. Both were picked up in the city. The boys' bicycle is a Latonia make and the girls' vehicle is a Rotarian brand.



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Stimson Quits Writing Notes

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with President Hoover at the end of a day of closely watching developments in the Orient, the secretary of state declared indirectly the administration felt the American position needed no further exposition. He issued a detailed summary of policy Wednesday.

As Stimson left the White House he told newspaper men his conference with the chief executive had centered upon the situation at Shanghai.

Asked if the government would send further notes to Japan, he replied:

"No, no, I don't think you need to stay awake at night worrying about that."

If evacuation of foreigners from Shanghai becomes necessary, it will be effected through one general organization under direction of the entire foreign consular body.

Edwin S. Cunningham, United States consul general at the embattled Chinese city, advised the state department today a general plan had been worked out to avoid the confusion which might result if each of the interested nations tried to handle its nationals separately.

Official Washington's attention was diverted somewhat today from Shanghai to Manchuria by Moscow press dispatches saying Soviet Russia has become uneasy about fighting between Japanese and Chinese along the Chinese Eastern railway between Harbin and Vladivostok and is concerned over activities of White Russians in that section.

Two major wars already have been fought over the Chinese Eastern railway, and disputes centering about it always are watched with great interest by the state department as well as the army and navy.

In the house, Representative Black, Democrat, New York, urged a nine-power conference meeting contemporaneously with the March 3 meeting of the League of Nations.

Spanish Assembly Ratifies Divorce Law

MADRID, Feb. 26. (AP)—The national assembly today formally ratified the new divorce law, the first ever enacted in Spain, by a vote of 260 to 23. It will become effective with publication in the official gazette.

TAX MEETING

With an aim of reducing governmental expenses through elimination of duplication, the economy committee of the Wichita County Taxpayers club will meet at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the courthouse. The group, headed by Judge A. H. Carrigan, will review budget reports of county officies and discuss with city, precinct and county officers practical steps in gaining the end sought.

RITES SUNDAY FOR J. C. DEAN

Member of Pioneer Clay County Family Dies

Funeral services for James C. Dean, 51, of the Dean community, will be held from the Henrietta cemetery chapel at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The Rev. J. N. Hunt, Henrietta Baptist church pastor, will officiate. Mr. Dean died Wednesday afternoon at a Wichita Falls hospital. Burial will be in the Henrietta cemetery near the grave of his mother, Mrs. Lucy C. Dean, who was buried Jan. 30, 1932.

Mr. Dean had resided on the Dean ranch near the community which bears the family name all of his life. The Hines mortuary will direct arrangements.

Survivors include his father, C. Dean of Dean; a sister, Mrs. Carl Shank of Winona, Texas; two brothers, R. S. Dean of Tyler, Texas, and F. C. Dean of Windsor, Conn.

Burglars Raid Bellevue Store

Wichita Falls police officers were notified Friday to be on the lookout for cigarets, tobacco and cigars, valued at $20, taken in a burglary of the Wright Drug store at Bellevue Thursday night. A report from Decatur, said six sides of sugar cured meat had been stolen from a smokehouse, three miles east of Alvord.

T. A. Martin told police an overcoat was stolen from his office in the Harvey-Snider building Friday afternoon. One man was arrested by police officers Friday in connection with theft of an automobile tire. The defendant will be placed in the county jail Saturday pending filing of charges in county court.

The Continental Oil company filling station No. 3, Burkburnett road, reported loss of 442 gallons of gasoline Thursday night, police reports said.

PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (INS)—Butter—Receipts 9,494 tubs; creamery extras, 21¾; standards 22; extra firsts, 21¼@21¾; firsts, 20¼@21; packing stock, 13@14; specials, 22¼@22½.

Eggs—Receipts 15,468 cases; ordinary current receipts, 12½; fresh graded extra firsts, 13¼; fresh graded firsts, 13; dirties, 10@11; checks, 10@10½.

Cheese—Young Americas, 12¾; Longhorns, 12¾; brick, fancy, 11½; daisies, 12½; double daisies, 12; prints, 12¾; twins, 12½.

Live Poultry—Turkeys and young hens, 22; young toms, 17; old, 15; No. 2, 13; hens, 5½ pounds and up, 15½; No. 2, 10; Leghorn springs, 14; spring chickens, 5½ pounds and up, 18; No. 2, 11; Leghorn chickens, 13; roosters, 10; N. 2, 7; ducks, white, 4½ pounds and up, 20; geese, 13.

Potatoes—Receipts 90 cars; on track, 190; U. S. shipments, 947; Wisconsin sacked round white No. 1, 75@80; unclassified, 70@72½; Minnesota early Ohios, 1.00; Idaho russets No. 1, 1.35@1.45.

CASH GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 26. (AP)—Wheat—One-half higher to ½c lower; No. 2 dark hard, 64½@70; No. 2 hard, 53@57½c; No. 2 red, 52¾@53c; close, May 53½, July 54½c, Sept. 56¼c.

Corn—One-fourth higher to ¼c lower; No. 2 white, 36@37c, nominal; No. 2 yellow, 37½@38¼c, nominal; No. 2 mixed, 36@37c, nominal; close, May 38¼c, July 40¼c.

Oats—Nominally, unchaged. No. 2 white, 26@29c nominal.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Foreign exchange irregular. Great Britain in dollars, others in cents. Great Britain demand, 3.48; cables, 3.48¼; 60-day bills, 3.44¾. France demand, 3.93¾; cables, 3.93 11-16. Italy demand, 5.19¼; cables, 5.19¾.

Demands:

Belgium, 13.93½; Germany, 23.78; Holland, 40.34½; Norway, 18.86; Sweden, 19.25; Denmark, 19.19; Switzerland, 19.45¼; Spain, 7.72; Portugal, 3.17; Greece, 1.28¾; Poland, 11.30; Czecho-Slovakia, 2.96¾; Jugoslavia, 1.78; Austria, 13.99; Rumania, .59½; Argentine, 25.73; Brazil, 6.31½; Tokyo, 31.

Shanghai, 24.12½; Montreal, 88.00; Mexico City (silver peso) 27.10.

Note—Demand rates are nominal.

Wichita Falls Markets

Spot cotton lost nine points on markets here Friday.

SPOT COTTON PRICES

Strict middling ⅞	6.49c
Middling ⅞	6.29c
Strict low middling ⅞	6.09c
Low middling ⅞	5.89c

Add 10 points to above prices for 15-16 staple. Prices based on May New York at 7.14c.

POULTRY AND EGGS

(Quotations by Noble Poultry and Egg company)

Hens, heavy	12c
Hens, light and Leghorns	10c
Fryers, bakers and stags	8@15c
Eggs, candled	8c

COTTON PRODUCTS

Quoted f. o. b. Wichita Falls by Wichita Falls Cotton Oil company:

Hulls, per ton	$6.00
Cake, per ton	$16.00
Meal, per ton	$16.00

WHOLE MILK

(Quotations by Lehrack-Ferguson Dairy Products Company)

Grade A, per 100 lbs. 4 per cent basis $1.50

A three-cent differential is paid for each point above or below 4 per cent.

WICHITA FALLS GRAIN

Wheat	38c
Oats	14c

SPOT COTTON

DALLAS, Feb. 26. (AP)—Cotton 6.55, Houston 6.90, Galveston 6.85.

Chicago Cotton Futures

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (AP)—Cotton futures closed: March 7.02, May 7.16, July 7.33.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 4 points down. Sales good middling, 7.27; receipts, 25,915; stock, 2,132; low middling, 6.37; middling, 6.87; 1,112,526.

CHICAGO COTTON

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (AP)—Chicago cotton market held within a narrow range but the close was at or near the bottom for the day, 5 to 7 points net lower. Opening prices were unchanged to 3 points up on better cables than due and early strength in other cotton markets. A moderate decline followed the opening when the stock market eased. After a partial recovery in the late morning prices declined again in the afternoon. Liverpool was about 2 points better than due and sterling unchanged over the night. The spot basis is firm and exports continue to run above last year's figures. The Worth street goods market is quiet. The belt was clear and temperatures were mild and the forecast is for a continuation of favorable weather.

New York Bonds

BOND AVERAGES

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	30 Indis	20 RR's	20 Ut's	60 Total
Friday	68.1	75.0	83.7	75.6
Previous day	68.0	74.8	83.8	75.4
Week ago	68.4	74.9	83.9	75.5
Month ago	63.7	73.7	78.7	74.0
Year ago	89.2	104.2	100.1	97.8
2 years ago	93.0	106.1	98.3	98.8
3 years ago	94.2	103.5	96.8	98.8
High 1932	69.7	76.0	84.8	77.0
Low 1932	64.8	67.7	81.7	71.5
High 1931	90.4	106.7	101.5	98.7
Low 1931	62.3	63.3	80.2	68.5
High 1930	94.9	109.8	101.4	101.9
Low 1930	83.5	97.3	96.6	92.6

Foreign

Argentine 6s Sf 59 June	54⅝
Austria 4½s	49⅝
England 3¼, 5½s	97⅝
France 7½s	116
Germany 7s	62
Italy 7s	87⅝
Japan 6½s	67⅝
Panama 5s A	80¼
Poland 8s	56¼

Domestic

Amer Smelt 5s	90
A T & T 5½s	103⅞
A T & S F Gen 4s	86½
A G & W I 5s	40¼
B & O Rf 5s	68
Beth Steel Rf 5s	94⅜
Can Pac Deb 4s	61⅛
Chic Corp 5s	68
C & O Rf 4½s	89⅛
C & G W 4s	54
C R I & P 4½s	42
Erie Rf 5s	44
Gen Mot A C 6s	100⅝
Goodyear 5s	78
Great North 7s A	95
Hud Man Rf 5s	84½
Humble Oil 5s	97
Int Match 5s	52
Int T & T 4½s	55¾
K C S Rf 5s	67
M K & T Adj 5s A	55
Mo Pac Gen 4s	35⅛
Nat Dairy 5½s	91⅜
N Y C Rf 5s	74
N Pac 6s B	89⅛
Philip Pet 5½s	53
Pure Oil 5½s	72
Sinc Oil Col 7s	83⅜
S P 4½s 68	67⅛
Southwest Bell 5s	99⅛
T & P 5s 80d	67⅛
U P 4½s	80⅛
U S Rubber 5s	42⅛
West Elec 5s	97⅛

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LANDMARK AT QUANAH BURNS

Fire Sweeps Old Building With $20,000 Damage

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, Texas, Feb. 26.—Fire swept one of Quanah's early landmarks here this afternoon and caused damage which probably will amount to near $20,000.

Firemen fought the blaze for three hours before bringing it under control at 6 o'clock this evening. For a while flames threatened the entire block. The one structure, built in 1892, was wrecked and its contents were virtually destroyed.

The building was occupied by the Piggly Wiggly store and the Star cafe on the ground floor. On the second story was the John Garner rooming house.

Stock of the Piggly Wiggly store was valued at $8,000. Fixtures were said to be worth $6,000. Although estimates of the value of the building and its other contents were not available, it was believed the loss would run well above the $15,000 mark.

Origin of the blaze was undetermined, other than that it started in the rooming house on the second floor. The blaze was discovered only after flames had developed great headway.

The many partitions in the top story and the style of structure of the building handicapped firemen in fighting the blaze.

The structure was built by D. D. Swearingen in 1892, of native stone. It was among the oldest buildings in Quanah. It was owned by G. A. Vestal. Frank Hunter was the operator of the cafe which was destroyed.

Rabbit Breeders Elect Officers

F. T. Tipps was elected president of the North Texas Rabbit Breeders association at the regular meeting of the organization here Friday night. Mr. Tipps will serve during the coming year.

Other officers elected were D. A. Fears, vice president; J. T. Highsmith, secretary-treasurer; E. R. Hutson, L. L. Counts and Clarence Fowler, directors; and Clarence Fowler, reporter.

The association went on record as endorsing the application of R. S. Dougerty for a register's license.

State Deaths

J. H. HINES

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 26.—J. H. Hines, for 16 years a resident of Frederick, died Thursday morning at 11:30 o'clock at his home here. Mr. Hines was 73 years old.

An attack of acute indigestion resulted in his death.

Surviving Mr. Hines are his widow and these daughters: Mrs. Lee Oberlander, Mrs. B. C. James, Oklahoma City, Mrs. Al Tabor, Dallas, Texas and Mrs. J. M. James, Walnut. His brother, J. E. Hines is a resident of Frederick.

DEATHS

S. D. GALBRAITH

Funeral services were held Friday at Memphis, Texas, for S. D. Galbraith, 31, who died at a Wichita Falls hospital Thursday. The body was forwarded by the Hines mortuary. The widow and a son, Joe Galbraith, survive.

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under the law, and not run around the country making political speeches. That is not what the government is paying them to do."

Views on Hoover

Asked by reporters what he thought of Jahncke's remark that President Hoover had provided so much leadership he had the Democrats "dizzy," Garner said:

"Since he has been president, he has led us into the greatest panic the country or world has ever known.

"The country will determine the correctness of Jahncke's political speech."

White House officials declined to comment on the Raskob statement, made in an address last night in New York.

Neither would administration leaders talk on the action late today of the Republican state committee of New Jersey in recommending that that state's delegation, yet to be selected, support Hoover for renomination and work for an 18th amendment repeal plank.

Hurley Jobs Back

Several eastern Republicans have been urging the president to stand for a wet or moist plank, but the general feeling here is this will have to be fought out on the convention floor without any commitments from the White House.

Asked by newspapers for comment on the Democratic national chairman's statement, Secretary Hurley said:

"Mr. Raskob is in a position to speak much more accurately of the amount of money that he and his associates have spent slandering and misrepresenting the president than he is as to the president's views on the 18th amendment.

"It appears a little far-fetched for the chairman of the Democratic national committee to attempt to interpret the views of the president on the subject."

Nebraska Surgeon Will Operate Free of Charge

POLDREGE, Neb., Feb. 26. (UP)—After March 1, major surgical operations will be performed free of charge at the Brewster hospital here, it was announced today.

Dr. A. F. Brewster, head of the staff, announced that, due to present financial conditions, he will volunteer his services for any operations done at the hospital.

The patient must provide, however, for payment of hospital fees.

Manner of Letting Mail Contracts Is Criticized

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—"An abuse of power" in letting ocean mail contracts was charged against the postoffice department in the house today by Representative Arnold, Democrat, Illinois.

"In some cases, advertisements for bids are so phrased that only certain favored companies can bid" Arnold said.

Wets Are Nearing Prohibition Vote

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—The Democratic and Republican house wets tonight lacked 23 of the 145 signatures needed to obtain a vote on consideration of a state-control prohibition amendment.

During its second day on the clerk's desk, 14 names were added to the 108 first signers of the discharge petition.

However, Representative Hornor, Democrat, West Virginia, who was announced as among the original signers, said today he had not signed the petition. It was learned the signature of Representative Seger, Republican, New Jersey, had been mistaken for that of Hornor.

Meanwhile the claims committee approved the Schafer bill to give $5,000 to the small child of the late Mrs. Helen Valsilzevic of Milwaukee, who was electrocuted in a wine flooded cellar where federal prohibition agents had been destroying liquor.

Officer Forgets Handcuff Keys

"Now ain't that something!" was the phrase with which a sentenced hijacker welcomed the news that Constable Bud Bickel of Panhandle, Texas, had left the key to handcuffs worn by the prisoner at home. Constable Bickel brought the prisoner to the city jail Friday night for safekeeping en route to the state prison at Huntsville but later transferred him to the county jail. Some 30 minutes later Police Officer Pogue located a key that freed the wrists of the prisoner for the night.

Evangeline Booth Is Ill With Influenza

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Commander Evangeline Booth of the Salvation Army is ill at her Hartsdale, N. Y., home, suffering from a severe attack of influenza, and on the advice of her physician has cancelled a series of speaking engagements she was to have made in Florida.

Salvation Army headquarters said today her condition was not considered serious.

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Our Price Sat. $2.87 UP

Sizes 2½ to 8

785 Pairs Cinderella's $6.75 to $8.00 SHOES

Low, medium and high heels, light and dark shades. Straps, pumps, oxfords and ties.

Our Price Sat. $3.87

650 Pairs Cinderella's $8.50 to $10.00 SHOES

Low, medium and high heels. New Spring shades and styles as well as darks—in all sizes.

Our Price Sat. $4.87

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NINTH AND SCOTT AVENUE

BRUENING GETS VOTE OF REICH

Chancellor's Government Given Confidence

BERLIN, Feb. 26. (AP)—Three times in quick succession the reichstag voted confidence in the Bruening government today, then defeated three opposition motions regarding procedure, whereupon the National Socialists called the meeting a "monkey show" and walked out.

The chancellor expected a margin of 15 votes against a motion of nonconfidence in the entire cabinet. He got 25.

There followed a motion of nonconfidence in Wilhelm Groener, minister of defense and interior. It was defeated 305 to 250.

Then came a similar motion against Hermann Dietrich, the finance minister, and the reichstag turned it down by 291 to 250.

Moved to Dissolve

The Nationalists moved to dissolve the reichstag and were defeated by 71 votes. Adolf Hitler's National Socialists lost by a wide margin on a motion to suspend the chancellor's emergency decrees for the duration of the presidential campaign, and the Communists lost by a vote of 368 to 75 on a proposal to "stop all payment of tribute based on the Versailles treaty and annul all private debts to capitalistic countries."

That overwhelming margin did not mean what it appears to mean at first glance, for after the vote the National Socialists, the Nationalists and the Populists, said that if the motion had been separated they would have approved that part which advocated abolition of reparations.

Hitler Becomes Citizen

Thus the chancellor consolidated his position at least until March 13, when the people vote for a president.

Adolf Hitler, who heretofore has been ineligible for the office because he was not a citizen, qualified on that count today by accepting appointment as councillor to the Berlin legation of the state of Brunswick.

He swore to uphold the republic which on many previous occasions he has sworn to overthrow by legal means, and it was expected that he would give his formal acceptance to his party's presidential nomination tomorrow night.

Hoover Supports Educational Funds

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—President Hoover has placed his emphatic support at the disposal of educational groups fighting curtailment of school funds during the present period of economic distress.

The president expressed his views in a brief letter to the department of superintendence of the National Education association at the close of its convention here yesterday.

"However the national economy may vary or whatever fiscal adjustments may need to be made," he wrote, "the very first obligation upon the national resources is the undiminished financial support of the public schools."

The school heads concluded their meeting with adoption of a declaration embodying the same principles, calling upon educators to join with officials in finding ways of effecting economies, "which will not cripple the education of the children."

Mangum Business Club Observes Bicentennial

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., Feb. 26.—The Business and Professional Women's club of Mangum observed the Washington bicentennial celebration with a colonial promenade Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Neil Stultz. A musical program was given, and the minuet was danced. Many beautiful costumes of revolutionary days were worn.

Ethel Clayton Granted Divorce From Keith

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26. (AP)—A divorce from Ian Keith, film actor, was granted today to Ethel Clayton, motion picture actress, after she testified Keith drank liquor to excess, became irresponsible and called her "all sorts of names."

The couple was married in Minneapolis in 1928 and separated Jan. 13, 1931.

Chinese In America Raise Big Sums For War While Youths Learn Flying

Eastern Tongs Bury Bitter Enmities to Aid Fight on Japs; Planes to Be Purchased in U. S.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—More than $100,000 a day is being raised by Chinese in the United States to fight Japan, a nation-wide survey revealed tonight.

Some of the money will provide for Shanghai refugees, but most of it is either being sent directly to Gen. Tsai Ting-Kai, defender of Shanghai, or is being used in various American cities to train a corps of Chinese-American aviators to fight Japan.

Chinese leaders in the United States hope to put into the front lines at Shanghai a corps of trained fliers equipped with the most up-to-date American airplanes within the next three months.

Tongs Unite

In New York the On Leong and Hip Sing Tongs, which in years past have frequently clashed over political and business questions, have laid aside their differences and united in the fight to get funds for their stricken countrymen.

Arrangements have been made to lease an airport on Long Island, and a group of 25 young Chinese students and workers will shortly enter training as an air unit.

Every Chinese restaurant in the United States is said to be contributing to the "war chest." One restaurant alone, the Plais d'or on Broadway, had collected more than $17,000 since Jan. 29.

Next Sunday the Chinese women in New York, for the first time in local history, will hold a "dragon dance" in the streets of Chinatown to collect funds.

Waiters Contribute

In San Francisco, thousands of dollars are being raised by Chinese contributing a portion of their incomes to the war chest. Chinese in Hartford, Conn., are doing the same. In Washington, D. C., the Chinese waiters are contributing one day's income each week.

Ten young Chinese waiters and laundry workers have begun taking lessons in flying at the Mid-West airport in Milwaukee.

The Chinese tongs in Cleveland have united with Chinese in Buffalo and Syracuse, N. Y., in the purchase of eight fighting airplanes which will be sent to Shanghai as soon as possible.

In Chicago, where the Chinese are perhaps better organized from a national standpoint than anywhere else in America, a mass meeting will be held Saturday night to raise funds for a two-month aviation course at the Curtiss-Reynolds airport for a corps of 35 young Chinese fliers, who will be sent to China as soon as sufficiently trained.

Boycott in Effect

Several young Chinese are training as aviators at the Charlotte, N. C., air school for service abroad.

In addition to funds being collected by Chinese societies and business firms everywhere, a definite Chinese boycott of Japanese goods is in effect from coast to coast.

Burial money accumulated over 20 and 30 years is being donated by the Detroit Chinese to the war chest.

In Kansas City, a petition started by President Lawrence Lowell of Harvard university, advocating the boycott of Japanese goods, obtained 1,000 signatures in a few hours today.

Chinese from Tampico, Mexico, San Francisco and Indianapolis have made reservations at the Parks Air college, East St. Louis, Mo., and will arrive for training shortly.

Laredo Seeks Addition To New Airmail Line

LAREDO, Texas, Feb. 26. (AP)—Laredo Chamber of Commerce officials today were arranging to extend to San Antonio the new airplane passenger, mail and express service established yesterday between Mexico City and Nuevo Laredo.

At present one plane daily flies from the Mexican capital to the border and one from the border to Mexico City. It was hoped to organize a through service from San Antonio to Mexico City with planes making direct connections at Nuevo Laredo.

Heart Ailments Cause Two Deaths in Family

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26. (AP)—A heart ailment caused two deaths in the same family in a few hours last night and this morning.

Not long after her son, Leon R. (Lonnie) Moore, architect, died of a heart disease, Mrs. Fannie Moore, 83, succumbed to the malady in an adjoining room.

Bryn Mawr Girls Pronounce Modern Views on Marriage

BRYN MAWR, Pa., Feb. 26. (INS)—Parents of girls in exclusive Bryn Mawr had a rather dubious outlook on their daughters' future today.

The Bryn Mawr college lassie apparently has a mind of her own, according to the results of a marriage questionnaire published by the College News, weekly student publication.

In the main, the girl would marry the man of her choice, whether or not mamma and papa approved of it.

She wouldn't demand that he have a college education.

Romantic idealism does not trouble the girls greatly.

"Independent vacations" of husband and wife are favored.

The question of marriage versus a career, is no question at all. Marriage ranks first, without a doubt, the girls agreed.

Love, more than 50 per cent of the students thought, should be based on both physical attraction and companionship.

Listed according to their relative importance, the girls believe they should get divorces on the following grounds:

Desertion and alcoholism, insanity, incompatability, and infidelity. Warning! Sixty-nine per cent believe in alimony.

Cream Shipments Heavy At Eldorado

Special to The Record News.

ELDORADO, Okla., Feb. 26.—Five hundred and forty-four cans of cream, containing five gallons each were shipped from Eldorado during January according to a check made this week on express and truck shipments.

The average amount received by the producers for each can of cream was $2.50, making a total of $1,360 being received monthly by cream producers of this section, based on the present low price of cream.

Shipments thus far during February have shown an increase over the amount shipped up to this date last month, according to local produce firms and the local express agent.

Many farmers are depending entirely upon the proceeds derived from the sale of cream to purchase all their family requirements, many having no other source of income at this season except from the sale of poultry and eggs, which are proving a necessary part of the farm program for the cream producer.

Former Holliday Boy Goes to Kelly Field

Special to The Record News

HOLLIDAY, Texas, Feb. 26.—John Merritt Hawley Jr., born and reared in Holliday, will report for training at Randolph field, March 1.

Mr. Hawley took his last two years of high school work in Vernon, and is a graduate of Texas university.

He took the physical test at Kelly field Feb. 1 and was one of four boys who passed out of 22.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hawley of 1704 Buchanan street, Wichita Falls, and the only grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. James M. Taylor, pioneer residents of Archer county.

FARMER DENIED SECOND TRIAL

Notice of Appeal Given In Archer Assault Case

Special to The Record News

ARCHER CITY, Texas, Feb. 26.—W. H. Foster, 69-year-old farmer who was convicted in district court here Feb. 19, on charges of criminal assault, was denied a new trial today by Judge Allan D. Montgomery.

Foster's attorneys, Derden and Fillmore, filed the petition for a new trial, claiming misconduct of the jury that gave the farmer a sentence of 20 years in the penitentiary. It was charged that the jury had arrived at the sentence by averaging the total time voted by the jurors on the first ballot.

In the hearing Friday all jurors in the case were called to testify in connection with the manner in which the number of years in the sentence was decided on. Ten testified that they reached the decision before the summing of the voted years in individual votes. Two testified their decisions were reached after.

The defendant, through his attorneys, accepted the court's ruling, which denied a new trial, and gave notice of appeal.

District Attorney Sam B. Spence and O. M. Wylie, assistant, represented the state in the hearing.

Foster was convicted of attacking a 21-year-old widow, his employe, the day and night of Jan. 31, at his farm home, 16 miles southeast of here.

Device To Control Tones To Be Shown

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Electronic music devices, based on the radio or electron tube and presenting, it is claimed, unlimited possibilities, will be demonstrated before the New York chapter of the American Institute of Electrical engineers tomorrow night. Dr. Walter Damrosch is to interpret the new instruments.

Orestes H. Caldwell, former member of the federal radio commission and president of the engineering chapter, said the new devices are capable of changing the singing tones of the violin to the resonance of the French horn. They are similar, he revealed, to the electronic oscillators which Leopold Stokowski used in recitals with his Philadelphia Philharmonic orchestra.

Roosevelt Insurance Measure Introduced

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 26. (AP)—A state plan to insure workers against unemployment, sponsored by Governor Roosevelt, was provided in a bipartisan bill introduced in the New York legislature today by Assemblyman Irwin Steingut of Brooklyn, lower house Democratic leader, and Senator Seabury C. Mastick, Republican of Pleasantville, an outstanding authority on state financing.

POSTMASTER HELD

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 26. (AP)—James McInnis, postmaster at Fred, a town in Tyler county, was arrested today on a charge of embezzling $1,537.58. The offense allegedly occurred July 31, 1931. He was liberated under $1,000 bond.

LABOR BUREAU OPENS OFFICE

Employment Aid Offered To All Applicants

The Wichita Falls office of the U. S. department of labor employment service was opened at 1008 Scott avenue Friday afternoon with the arrival in this city of C. W. Woodman, Texas director of the federal bureau. Mr. Woodman emphasized the need in Wichita Falls of inaugurating the American Legion man-a-block plan of furnishing work to unemployed persons. "The importance of this and similar plans and the good it does can not be over stressed," Mr. Woodman said.

The Wichita Falls office is the ninth of its kind to be established in Texas. The location is furnished by the American Refining company and office furnishings are supplied by the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce. Other bureaus are located at Fort Worth, Dallas, Abilene, Brownsville, San Antonio, Houston, Beaumont, and Texarkana.

Mr. Woodman expressed complete satisfaction with the location of the Wichita Falls bureau in a report sent to Washington, D. C., Friday. Complete installation of office supplies is not expected before March 15.

The local office is in charge of Harry Awker, district deputy for the bricklayers' union, and Mrs. Mildred Catter, office secretary. The bureau aims to create work for the unemployed, to cooperate with local emergency relief agencies and to conduct a survey to determine possibilities of relief.

In discussing the unemployment situation Mr. Woodman declared unemployed persons should not leave home unless a definite promise of work has been obtained. The office here will furnish employment information to any applicant or by letter and will keep in touch with the situation throughout the United States.

School Census Shows 6,080 Pupils in Greer

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., Feb. 26.—The total scholastic enumeration of Greer county, which has just been completed, is 6,080 pupils between the ages of 6 and 21. There are 3,139 boys and 2,941 girls of school age in the county.

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6. Bing Crosby.
7. Palmy Days.
8. The Spirit of Notre Dame.
9. There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight.
10. The Nervous Wreck.
11. Monkey Shines.
12. Hello Hawaii
13. Front Page.
14. Helen Twelvetrees.
15. So Big.
16. The Poor Boob.
17. Here Comes the Show Boat.
18. The First Auto.
19. Shooting Straight.
20. High Pressure.
21. Sweet Adeline.
22. The Yellow Ticket.
23. Tie a Little String Around Your Finger.
24. I'll See You Later.
25. Tonight or Never.
26. Outside the Door.
27. The Greeks Had a Word for It.
28. The Dance of the Paper Dolls.
29. Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.
30. Touchdown.

The judging of the first series of tie-breaking cartoons has been completed and the answers are now being rechecked.

It will be necessary to send out another series of tie-breaking cartoons to the contestants that named all thirty of the cartoons correctly. This applies to contestants in the $1,000 contest and the $100 contest.

Contestants with less than 30 perfect answers will not be eligible for any of the prizes as the rules state that the prizes would be reserved for the contestants with the largest number of correct answers. As there are more contestants with 30 perfect answers than there are prizes it will be necessary to reserve the prizes for these contestants.

The prizes will be awarded according to the correctness of a second series of tie-breaking cartoons. The next tie-breaker will be mailed within the next few days to the contestants with 30 perfect answers.

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Answers to Questions

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN

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Q.—Has Abyssinia's name been changed to Ethiopia?—C. D.

A.—Ethiopia is in reality the true official name of that country, and Abyssinia is a name applied to it by Europeans. At the time of the recent accession of the present emperor, His Majesty Heile Selassie I, the name Ethiopia was revived in official usage.

Q.—What percentage of graduates of law schools pass the bar examination the first time it is taken?—M. R.

A.—It is estimated that less than 50 per cent pass the bar examinations at the first trial.

Q.—Where should a thermometer be hung to record the most accurate outdoor temperature?—B. R.

A.—It should be hung on the north side of the house, in a sheltered place, such as a porch. The hook should be long enough to keep the thermometer an inch or two from the wall.

Q.—Tell something about the influence of American turfmen on British horseracing.—D. D.

A.—No American horse had ever raced in England until Richard Ten Broeck, in 1856, took a stable across. His great mare, Prioress, in a field of 37 starters, ran a dead heat with El Hakim and Queen Bess in the Cesarewich, a course two miles, two furlongs and 28 yards. In the run-off, the American horse won by a length in 4 minutes 15 seconds. From that time on American turfmen began taking a prominent part in British racing, among the more prominent being James R. Keene, Pierre Lorillard, August Belmont, Richard Croker and Clarence Mackay.

Q.—What is the estimated amount of foreign bonds floated in the United States since the world war?—A. W. S.

A.—About $5,000,000,000 worth of foreign bonds have been floated and about one and one-half million dollars worth of such bonds have been retired.

Q.—How does England proceed without a definite written constitution?—A. W.

A.—While it is true that England has not a written constitution similar to that of the United States, she has a vast accumulation of what are known as the common laws. When a new measure is before parliament search is made to find out whether the matter is covered by the common law or whether there is precedent for the proposed action. In the event of neither of these sources governing the matter the new law to meet the situation may be passed by the parliament.

Q.—What do the terms pinxit and sculpsit mean after men's names?—J. D. B.

A.—A painting sometimes bears the inscription pinxit after the name of the painter and means "he painted this." Similarly sculpsit after the name of the sculptor means that he sculptured it.

Q.—Were horses native to North America?—J. J.

A.—The horse was not native to the western hemisphere in historic times, although a pre-equine mammal did occur here several million years ago. The wild horses on the western plains of this continent today are descended from domesticated horses brought to America by Cortez and other Spanish conquistadores.

Q.—How old is Theodore Roosevelt Jr.?—T. G.

A.—He is 44.

Q.—How much does crime cost this country in a year?—J. H. S.

A.—According to the Wickersham report recently made to President Hoover, the cost of crime to the nation exceeds one billion dollars a year.

The Record News Offers A New Map of Far East War Zone

You will understand far better what is going on in the war zone in the Orient if you follow on this map the moves made by Japan, China and Soviet Russia as told in the daily news dispatches. There is no other up-to-date map available that shows all the Soviet territory in Asia, as well as Manchuria (where the trouble is) and China and Japan. Furthermore, this map can be secured only through the Washington bureau of The Record News.

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

Japan does not want an acre of Manchurian soil, a Jap statesman says. That's right. All it wants is what Manchuria grows and makes.

Where Crime Is Bred

ONE of the commonest American beliefs is that most criminals are mentally defective, and that the crime wave would ebb to a ripple if only some way could be found of putting a serviceable mind into the head of each crook.

Now, however, Dr. Amos T. Baker, psychiatrist at Sing Sing prison, comes along to tell us that we're mistaken. Addressing a session of the American Orthopsychiatric association in Baltimore the other day, he declared that the mentality of most criminals compared favorably with that of law-abiding citizens.

Most criminals, he said, go wrong because of unfavorable home conditions and not because they are mentally deficient. Heredity has little to do with filling prisons. Environment is all-important.

It would be more pleasant, possibly, to stick to the older idea and blame it all on heredity. That would relieve us of all responsibility. But we can't do it, and Dr. Baker's remarks ought to make us stop and do a bit of thinking.

That expression, "unfavorable home conditions," can cover a whole lot of ground—and society as a whole has a direct responsibility in it.

It covers, for example, homes in city slums, where health conditions are bad, food is poor and the street is a child's only playground.

It covers homes in certain mining towns, where the workers are ground down by poverty, live in conditions of sickening squalor and count themselves lucky if they can just get enough to eat from day to day.

It covers homes in rotten tenements which, if we had any social conscience at all, would be torn down no matter what the cost; homes on isolated back-country farms where a child can grow up without any advantages whatsoever; homes in dull factory towns where a mill-owner is absolutely czar over all his workers—homes everywhere, in short, that belong in what the sociologists call the "under-privileged" stratum.

That is where our crime stems from. As long as society is willing to let a large number of human beings live in such homes it will have a nasty "crime problem." We all share in the responsibility.

The Twentieth Amendment

THE 20th amendment is about to be added to the constitution of the United States, and if you aren't familiar with its provisions it would pay you to find out something about it.

It is commonly called the "lame duck" amendment. It would do away with governmental machinery that was devised for an age of stage-coaches and horse-drawn canal barges, and it would bring things at Washington up to date.

First of all, it would move the presidential inauguration ahead from March 4 to early in January. More important, it would similarly move ahead the date on which a newly-elected congress takes office—thereby doing away with the scandalous "lame duck" session, in which congressmen whose constituents have turned them down still have power to make laws. It would end the possibility of filibusters in congress and it would make the government vastly more responsive to the will of the electorate.

Thirty-six state legislatures must ratify if it is to carry. Not one valid reason can be advanced against it; many weighty reasons can be put forward in its favor. It ought to be ratified without delay.

Federal Economy Needed

THE proposed reorganization of federal government departments in the interests of economy and efficiency, now under debate in congress, is not a new thing. It goes all the way back to the Taft administration, when a commission was set up to survey the field and see just where consolidation could enable Uncle Sam to conduct his business with less lost motion.

Thus the project has been up for consideration for more than 20 years; and by this time it ought to be fairly apparent to the politicians at Washington just what should be done. Some sort of drastic reorganization is greatly needed. Uncle Sam could very easily slash his pay roll and get his work done much better than it is being done now. Congress will be doing the country a bad turn if it fails to take some definite action.

The Cost of Traffic Delays

THE economic loss caused by delays in motor traffic in congested cities is strikingly exhibited in estimates recently drawn up by Dr. Miller McClintock of Harvard university.

Dr. McClintock has figured that it costs—everything included—about $4.20 an hour to operate an automobile. In city traffic, he says, fully 75 per cent of one's driving time is entirely wasted, what with stopping for red signal lights, parking, getting into sluggish traffic lanes and the like.

Figure out how many motorists drive through American cities daily—the number, by the way, has been estimated at more than a score of millions—apply Dr. McClintock's figures, and you can easily see just how costly our snail-like traffic stream is.

SO THEY SAY!

Judges march at times to pitiless conclusions under the prod of a remorseless logic which is supposed to leave them no alternative.—**Justice Cardozo, U. S. supreme court.**

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The trouble is our gold-backed dollar has become too valuable, too precious. Our dollar buys too much; commodities are too cheap.—**Senator Walcott, Connecticut.**

WALTER WINCHELL
On Broadway

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These Charming People

The Fight of the Month happened a fortnight ago at a swanky cocktail brawl when, at this day and age, Fanny Ward engaged in a hair-jerking bout with her chum, Mrs. Hazel Politz—and copped the decision...The Nicholas (Pansy Wilcox) Schencks anticipate another blessed adventure...The Socially-listed Eddie and Nancy Van Vlecks, who filed papers six months ago, Mayfaired it together Satdee night...Count Bonde, whose kinsmen in Sweden rate higher than the Royal Family there, and Paula Thibault, a Yankee widow, are Beyond Control...He's 5ft4, she's over 6ft, so they look ka-yute together. ...Both tribes are violently opposing the romance of Sammy Barrymore Colt and "Freddie" Gallatin, a lovely-looker...

The Steve Donaghues (The Champ Derby Jockey) are On The Verge. He admits it to intimates...Joseph Schildkraut's shadow now registers as Marie McKay...The gadgets the clowns now palm when shaking your paws to startle you are called "Joy-buzzers"...Frisco says he knows a guy "who hasn't one!"... After his "Child of Manhattan" first-nights, Preston Sturges will leap to Yurrop and his bride, Eleanor Hutton, the plot of her tribe notwithstanding...The Motion Picture Ball was what some of the Wiser Yokels suspected—a dud... The event of Satdee Night was the Friars' grand tribute to Bing Crosby, where George M. Cohan inspired the auditors and where J. Cunningham, a talented jester, ran off with the blue ribbons...What showman goes into bankruptcy this week, poor fellow?

Ex-President (of Peru) Leguia's boy and his squaw have foundered. ...She's in the old country with the tots—very bent. He's here Doing Dandy...Mrs. Richard Strongman, the divorcee, has a new Toy—20 yrs her junior. He is E. Ritten, a trumpeter in a Paree crew...Rex Ingram is idle there—money trouble...Alice Terry, former flicker favorite, is dancing with the Gigs in the sin-dens there...An orchid to Lieut. Paddy Fitzgibbons, back in command of the Broadway Strong Arm Squad, who was 50 yesterday. ...The Jack Nolans of the 4th Estate (Jean Anderson) are helring ...It's a girl at the Clark Lees of The Associated Press.

A scallion to that Main Stem doughnut shop for waste-basketing misshapen crullers instead of turning them over to the breadlines on the next block...Martin Johnson is baiting Bernt Balchen to fly him around Africa...E. Miller, one of the grander canaries, is idle, while the second-raters click...A curse on the fable-spreaders who would have the locals believe that Forrest Wilson didn't write as much of "Blessed Event" as did Mannie Seff...Mr. Wilson's article on Broadway Love in a Cosmopolitan two seasons ago is testimony that he might have written the play alone!...S. Finn perished in Arizona...When Nancy Hoyt, who is Reno-Waiting, gets her final, her husband, Edward D. Curtis, will wed Hope Cross of Boston.

They would have you believe that February 11 was the end of the Depression...Billie Dove returns secretly tomorrow...Charles Lederer Jr., having just had 4 stitches in his lip...Lupe Velez is in the skies Pittsburgh bound. If she finds "Hot-Cha" hot-charming, she'll join it...Ex-Police Comm. Richard Enright was voted the handsomest man in New York by the Iolanthe (Ladies) Club of Brooklyn!...Several of the literati are plotting suits for monies due on pieces written for one of the more distinguished mags...Louise Wise, the Flagler Standard Oil heiress, who middle-aisled it with her 4th (Frederick Francis, the Stadium announcer, last March) is home-bound, already. ...Bugs Baer's nifty when he is master of ceremonies: "I can tell you who the next act is—but I can't tell you how to avoid it!"

Richard Keene and Adelaide Kaye have soured...Arthur Hammerstein has completely recovered. He is seeking the help of the Mayor for a Times Sq. site to honor his father, Oscar, with statue...Is that Federal Commissioner's daughter the secret bride of F. Anderson?... The Carl Winstons (Goomby Plizz) anticipate a blessed-event, as do the Harold Bones of New Haven...For the first time in its history the Ringling Circus will not open at Madison Sq. Garden. Boston rates that honor, N. Y. 2nd...And it will be the shortest season of them all ...Louise Groody tried it again the other night, poor dear...The Harriman horrors bringing on the miseries...Elsie Lawson's new darling is a renowned watchmaker...A. A. Ryan's little girl, Miriam (Mrs. J. Herbert), is trying to revive That Spark already!

The current number of a new "newspaper man's weekly" went crazy in the current issue and broke the record for gathering more inaccuracies in one story than has ever been jotted down before...Only 32 legit houses (of the 80) were open last week...But the take at seven dramas and four musicals was over 20 Gs, proving that the peasants have dough for the good ones...Abe Lyman and Harold Stern, competitive orchestra directors at the alleged Ball for "Movie Stars" Satdee night almost put on their own show with bare knuckles...The Colleen Campbell-William Boland romance is curdling...What official of the French Line is returning from Hollywood with the wife who found J. Pickford more enchanting?...The most torrid of the sex books is due in March from the pen of Dr. F. M. Rossiter.

The reason Fifth Ave. now has traffic bulbs blinking all night is that the motorists have been making a Speedway out of it after 3 in the yawning...So now they use Park Ave!...Those tracks on Varick St. were for horse-cars, and although the street has been widened and renovated the tracks remain...Armand (Public) Moreau of Havana and Paquita, the star hoofer at Sansesoune, a hot-spot there, are ph-huh...Richard Halliburton and his pilot, Moye Stephens, will try for new flying records in the Far East with "The Flying Carpet," a new speed plane...T. J. O'Donohue says the card bearing his tag (plus "Professional Gigolo") was the practical joke of friends which cost him an important job... When they arrested the "Lysistrata" cast in H'wood they had a warrant for the author!

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



The Story Of John N. Garner

By GEORGE ROTHWELL BROWN

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Texan Meets 'Uncle Joe' At Poker; Wins Friend And Chips



Mr. and Mrs. John N. Garner at work in his congressional office. Throughout his career Mrs. Garner has been his favorite office helper.

CHAPTER VII

John N. Garner was called upon to face one of the most perplexing problems of his life on the very day upon which he first took his seat in congress.

It is characteristic of the man that he met that problem in accordance with his own ideas of right and wrong. To solve it the way he did solve it, he was obliged to break with his party at the outset. Rather than break with himself, he did it.

President Roosevelt had brought the 58th congress into being a month ahead of time to jam the Cuban reciprocity bill through. And jam it through the house he did, on Nov. 19, 1903, when the measure passed by the one-sided vote of 356 to 21. Most of the Democrats were for it. Garner was among the 21.

To Garner, Cuban reciprocity was contrary to the simple creed of the platform upon which he had been elected. That platform was specifically declared:

"We denounce both the doctrine of free raw material and Republican reciprocity as tending to a free trade west and south and a protected north and east, making unequal the burden of taxation and increasing the wealth of the two last-named sections and decreasing the wealth of the first two named."

A Bold Stand

On that platform of the 15th congressional district of Texas John N. Garner boldly stood on the final roll call on Roosevelt's Cuban reciprocity. Representative Burgess, alone of the Lone Star Democrats, stood by him and voted against the bill. Later both had the satisfaction of seeing the Democratic Texas senators oppose the measure in the senate.

Garner's vote, in the face of endorsement of the measure by the Democratic caucus, took courage. But courage was precisely what he had in large quantities. His actions instead of injuring him in the party, enhanced his standing. It was the first disclosure, at the very beginning of his career, that he held views of his own on the tariff. That was to aid him materially later on. His views on "Republican reciprocity" have not changed—but the idea of reciprocity, in his hands, has changed.

His first committee assignment on railways and canals, unimportant though it was, played into his hands. He was interested in the subject of a coastal canal for Texas. He began studying all available engineer reports on this subject. He also saw Surgeon General Wyman and urged the adoption of sanitary measures to prevent a recurrence of yellow fever on the Texas-Mexican border.

But for the most part, in these political kindergarten days, he devoted himself entirely to the business of making friends, and in this he quickly exhibited a talent that amounted to downright genius. He was everywhere, in and out of the capitol, getting acquainted and doing it naturally. There was nothing forced about it. It was an instinct.

Famous Poker Club

There was a famous poker club in town, known as the Boar's Head, a strictly private and exclusive institution. Here a group of solemn senators, and a few old cronies of the house, like Uncle Joe Cannon, gathered nightly to spin yarns and enjoy each other's society over the card table. Most of them, in their reminiscences, were still fighting over the civil war.

The fame which young Judge Garner of Uvalde had enjoyed as an expert authority on the great national game of America reached Washington. It was at the Boar's Head that the baby congressman from Texas first met Speaker Cannon. Tradition has it that it cost Uncle Joe no small sum to meet him.

Those who think that friendships thus made are not among the most enduring of earthly things do not know Washington, at any rate.

It was discovered that John N. Garner was a thoroughly wholesome, open-hearted, good fellow, with a man's outlook on life and an esprit typically and fundamentally American. Everybody liked him, and wanted him around. On the 19th of December, less than two weeks after the regular session of the 58th congress had begun on Dec. 6, the Washington correspondent of the Houston Post said in his paper:

Admired by Others

"Congressman John N. Garner of Uvalde is the wonder and admiration of all the other members of the Texas delegation. He had not been in the capital two weeks before he was acquainted with more members of the house and senate and with public men generally than many members who have been here for years. Now he has met nearly all of them from the president to the clerks of committees, and can call each of them by his name when he meets him. He has met all of the public men who have been in the city, and is now engaged in getting acquainted with prominent men who visit Washington, but who do not stay long enough for many men to learn they have been here. Judge Gordon Russell says Mr. Garner's record in getting acquainted so rapidly is marvelous, and that he never saw anything like it in all his political experience."

Now and then the new congressman introduced a bill. He wanted a public building at Eagle Pass, Texas. He wanted a survey of the channel of Arkansas Pass. He desired to enlarge the jurisdiction of the court of claims. Bills bearing on these three subjects were his sole contribution to the legislative "hopper" in his first session, and this at a time when most members were flooding the Congressional Record with their pet measures.

Looks and Listens

Not once did he rise in his place and make a speech. That was not his system. Where are the chatterboxes of the 58th congress? History records not their names.

The second session of his first congress began on Dec. 7, 1903, and on March 12, 1904, he reported from the committee on railways and canals his first bill, providing for a coastwise canal in Texas. It met the fate of most measures of the kind. The third session this congress began on Dec. 5, 1904, and after a long summer recess at his home in Uvalde, he returned to the job.

Feb. 25, 1905, was a proud day for young Garner. The question before the house was a resolution setting apart a day for appropriate exercises for the reception by congress for Statuary hall, in the capitol, of the statues of Sam Houston and Stephen F. Austin. Said Speaker Cannon:

"The gentleman from Texas, Mr. Garner, will please take the chair."

Proud moment, indeed—and a prophetic one. In the midst of applause the slim boyish-looking Texan mounted the rostrum, and for the first time in his life felt in his hand the gavel that more than a quarter of a century later he was to inherit, in his own right, from Clay, Colfax, Blaine, Crisp, Carlisle and Reed.

Earlier than this, in the same session, a Republican currency bill was under consideration. On Jan. 5, 1905, Mr. Garner, for the first time participated in the debate in the house. He asked some pertinent questions, showing his knowledge of banking. It was only a brief exchange, but it increased his prestige in the house.

Garner was re-elected with little opposition to the 59th congress. On Feb. 13, 1906, he called up his first bill, creating a new division of the western judicial district of Texas, and to provide for terms of court at Del Rio.

Sereno E. Payne, the Republican leader, suspected, and said so, that the ultimate object of the bill was to obtain a courthouse for Del Rio.

"The people in this district," replied Garner, "have to travel from 100 to 420 miles to get to court at the present time in the territory embraced in this bill. The bill would shorten this distance for them from 35 to 250 miles."

A short speech, but effective. Payne's piously expressed hope that the bill would not pass was unheeded by his own Republican colleagues. Garner had made a frank appeal, and a short but effective speech. His first bill was passed.

A few days later he had a sharp collision with Speaker Cannon when he insisted that bills on the calendar should be considered in the order in which they had been reported. The speaker finally agreed, and thereafter the bills were put through in their turn. It prevented the possibility of favoritism. A small point, but as an index to Garner's sense of fair play, a significant one.

Incidentally, foxy old Sereno Payne had been right about that Del Rio courthouse—in the next congress young Garner calmly put in a bill for one.

(Continued Tomorrow)

Health and Diet Advice

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

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

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Gum Troubles

Gum diseases are quite widespread. It is believed that almost everyone develop gum trouble at some time or other. Because you have not developed such conditions in the past is no guarantee that you may not suffer from them in the future. The normal gum is a pale pink color, firm, does not bleed or hurt and it grips the tooth closely. Sick gums do exactly the opposite They are often a dark red, showing excessive congestion of blood or are grayish around the edges, they are soft and spongy, cause painful sensations, bleed easily, and, instead of holding the tooth properly, may fall away, exposing the beginning of the tooth root.

Gum diseases give the breadth a foul odor. Another and more serious result is that advanced cases may bring about the loss of the teeth in the affected region. The presence of unhealthy gum tissues may easily cause symptoms elsewhere in the body when the poisons of the infected gums are absorbed.

The two most common disorders of the gums are trench mouth and pyorrhea. "The war is over," but trench mouth is still with us. Its rapid spread is aided by the fact that it is very contagious and one with a lowered resistance in the gum tissues may easily catch it. Pyorrhea and trench mouth are often associated. With pyorrhea deep pus pockets may form and sometimes there is an absorption of the bony structures supporting the teeth.

Recent experiments are bringing out the fact that an important cause of gum infections is poor diet. In many cases the results of a poor acid-forming diet show up in the gums more quickly than elsewhere in the body. Lack of vitamin C is an important cause of gum troubles as this lack lowers the natural resistance of gum tissue. This is the vitamin most often neglected in the diet of the average person. In order to do the gums a great deal of good it is necessary to take quite large quantities of the foods containing this vitamin. The foods which have been found to help the gums to return to normal are orange juice, lemon juice, green leafy vegetables, meat, milk, eggs and fresh fruits. I believe that in all cases of gum disorders the best plan is to place the patient on a few days' fast of orange or tomato juice, following this with a diet which is rich in alkaline elements. It is important that the patient use the food in correct combinations as this will aid him in making a quicker recovery.

In addition to a diet regimen it is also necessary to have your dentist give you local treatments to the mouth. Do not delay. It is said that most cases of pyorrhea reach the dentist just about eight years too late. In treating pyorrhea the rapidity of recovery depends upon the pus pockets. It may be necessary for the dentist to drain the pus away. Ultra violet light treatments of the gums are often helpful as well as certain antiseptic treatments which your dentist will tell you how to use. A preparation often advised for trench mouth is one which gives off oxygen, as one of the organisms associated with trench mouth cannot live where much oxygen is present. The permanent cure of any gum disorders depends on your diet and your dentist.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Milk and Stewed Fruit

Question: Mrs. V. C. S. asks—"Does milk combine with raisins, dates and figs, and is banana squash as starchy as the Hubbard squash?"

Answer—Milk combines well with dates, raisins, figs, or in fact, any other fruit. Banana squash is practically as starchy as the Hubbard squash.

Hambone's Mediations



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Love Stands By

CLEO LUCAS
Author of "I Jerry, Take Thee, Joan"

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CHAPTER XXXV

Mrs. Durand was standing in Bruce's room at his desk picking up his mail and making a pretense of merely glancing at it while in reality she was trying her best to decipher the handwriting and wondering who in the world his many letters were from. Bruce sat idly by, his pipe hanging loosely out of one corner of his mouth. He smoked a pipe at home because his Aunt Eleanore didn't like the odor of cigarets. She never seemed to notice it. Bruce had observed, when she entertained her friends at bridge and they sat the entire afternoon in a perfect haze. Nevertheless, he never commented on it. He did as he was asked in so far as it was possible.

"Goodness," Eleanor exclaimed after a while, "why don't you open your mail, Bruce? Some of it has been lying here since the first of the month."

Bruce moved uneasily. It sounded like the beginning of something. Of what, he didn't know.

"All my important mail comes to the bank," he said. "What comes here isn't worth opening."

Mrs. Durand held up a short, squat expensive looking envelope. She knew what was inside of most of the letters that were lying there on his desk.

"This looks interesting," she commented. "I wonder what it is."

Bruce pretended as though he didn't hear her and promptly became absorbed in a book. That did not, however, stop his aunt. She came over to him with the envelope in her hand.

"Let's open it, Bruce," she suggested. "It may be something important."

"You may open it if you like," Bruce assented. "I'm sure it isn't anything important, though."

Mrs. Durand ripped the envelope open hastily. It was exactly what she thought it was, an invitation to the coming out party of Sybil Morse. Mrs. Morse had that day called Mrs. Durand to ask her whether anything was the matter with Bruce. She had counted on his being at Sybil's party. Mrs. Durand had been 'mortified, embarrassed beyond words, she told Mrs. Morse. On the spur of the moment she had invented an excuse for Bruce saying that Mr. Durand had sent him out of town on some business matter that needed attention. She would certainly have Bruce come around to see Sybil, however, as soon as he returned, and make his apologies in person.

The affair had made her fairly seethe. Yes, Bruce needed someone to take him firmly in hand. One couldn't do a thing like this and get away with it. Simply ignore an invitation to a debut! It was humiliating to her, to Bruce's uncle. In time Bruce wouldn't be getting any more invitations to anything. It was all on account of this girl he had found, this miserable little tramp who worked in some law office. No doubt this little tramp knew that Bruce's family had a lot of money and she was taking advantage of the situation since Bruce had been fool enough to show her a little attention.

This was the reason Mrs. Durand had come into Bruce's room tonight, determined to lay the law down to him once and for all time.

"Why, Bruce!" Mrs. Durand exclaimed. She tried to act as surprised as possible as she pulled the engraved invitation from the envelope. "Why, it's an invitation to Sybil Morse's debut!"

Bruce asked glumly, "When?"

Mrs. Durand waited a few minutes while she read on.

"Why, it's over! They've had it. It was last night."

Bruce shrugged his shoulders and breathed deeply.

"Well," he said, "that's certainly a break."

Mrs. Durand looked down at him irritably. "What do you mean, 'a break'?" she asked, petulantly.

Bruce did not return her gaze. "I mean I won't have to go." He intended for it to sound like a joke. He really thought it was funny. But to his aunt he sounded sullen.

"I suppose that's what you've been doing all along," she began, "—ignoring your invitations so that you wouldn't have to attend any of the functions given by your own crowd, by girls and boys you have played with, grown up with."

Bruce said, "I guess so," somewhat impudently.

"Well, I don't mean to be humiliated any longer, Bruce. How do you think I will feel the next time I see Mrs. Morse or Sybil?"

"I don't see why it should make any difference to you, Aunt Eleanore," Bruce replied. "It seems to me that it's strictly my own affair."

Mrs. Durand had not realized that Bruce had grown up. She seemed to see him only as a small boy who had to be told what to do and when to do it. She forgot that he was of age, that he was working, that he was now the same age that Charles had been when she had married him.

"But it isn't your own affair, Bruce, darling," Mrs. Durand went on, annoyed. Sometimes, she found that worked with him. "You see it concerns Uncle Charles and myself just as much as it does you. How do you think it makes us feel to go to the club or to have friends in and have them say, 'Where's Bruce? I haven't seen him at all lately. Why doesn't he ever go around with any of his old crowd any more?'"

Bruce bristled. He didn't give a whoop what those "friends" said. He wasn't worrying about what other people did with their time. Well, other folks shouldn't fret too much about him. He had a right to live. The world was open. Air was free. He could breathe it in whatever he chose, he hoped. If he couldn't, there wasn't much use in going on with life.

Bruce was fairly boiling because he was having to to think all these things instead of saying them. He knew his limitations with his aunt. If he dared to voice his thoughts, such as they were at the present time, she would immediately "throw" one of her fainting spells, whereupon they would have the doctor before they were through and the entire household would be in such a condition that no amount of talking would settle it again until Bruce literally got on his knees to her. He hadn't minded doing this so much when he had been younger, but he certainly didn't desire to beg forgiveness every time he turned around now.

"I told Mrs. Morse that you would apologize to Sybil in person," Mrs. Durand said coldly.

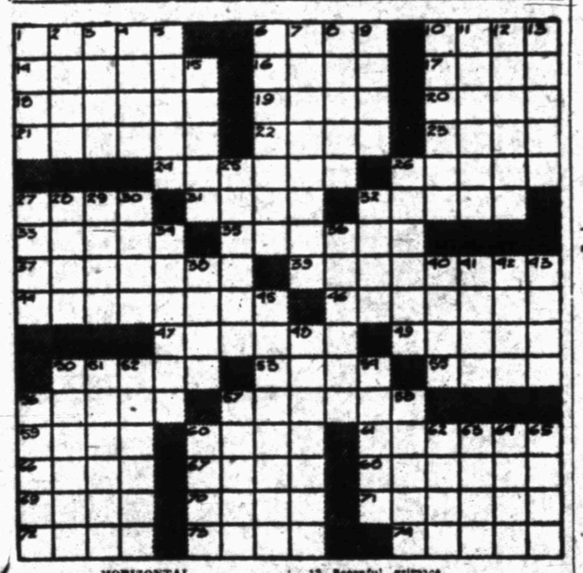
Bruce squirmed lower into his chair. "The sooner they find out I'm not available material the better it suits me," he announced doggedly.

Mrs. Durand ignored him as she always did when she desired to drive her point home. "And you might tell Sybil also while you're there that you'll be looking forward to seeing her at your house on this coming Friday."

Bruce said, "What?" but he was talking to himself. His aunt had made her exit.

(To Be Continued)

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL.

1. Luminaries.
6. Frolicsome.
10. Rule.
14. Relish.
16. Unbleached.
17. Ireland.
18. King of the Visigoths (350-410).
19. Dan.
20. Fuse.
21. Give again for money.
22. Paradise.
23. Feminine cognomen.
24. Slipped.
26. Striped animal.
27. Something morally deadly.
31. Abound.
32. Whimpered.
33. Military sword.
36. Farewell (pl.).
37. Foes.
39. Frolicsome.
44. System of faith.
45. Flat-iron.
47. Adorned.
49. Egg shaped.
50. Lug.
52. Gull-like bird.
55. To be (Latin).
56. Tires.
57. Gauzy textile fabric.
58. Grieved.
60. To tear up.
61. A dashboard.
66. Drug plant.
67. Heating device.
68. Chadic (var.).
69. Take out.
70. Trim.
71. Enmesh.
72. A fissure.
73. Rim of the shield.
74. Appears.

VERTICAL.

1. Box.
2. Story.
3. Exclamation of woe.
4. Incomparable.
5. Artificial support.
6. Left out.
7. A Platonist.
8. Cooked.
9. Veer.
10. Samoan.
11. A color.
12. Bored.
13. Scornful grimace.
15. Brilliancy.
25. To salt.
26. Dinner jacket.
27. Employer.
28. Window glass.
29. Cain's brother.
30. Prefix: half.
32. Third stage in metamorphosis.
34. Violent chills.
36. Comforters.
38. Weird (obs.).
40. Split.
41. Epochs.
42. Decays
43. Large knife.
45. Patriotic.
46. Made a will before decease.
50. Solidified lava.
51. A depressed spot.
52. Make amends for.
54. Push gently with the elbow.
56. Small nails.
57. One who carries.
58. Deserves.
60. A city of Nevada.
62. Satiety.
63. Employ.
64. Kingdom of Assyria.
65. Corded fabrics.

Answers to Yesterday's Puzzle

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TOONERVILLE TROLLEY — By Fontaine Fox

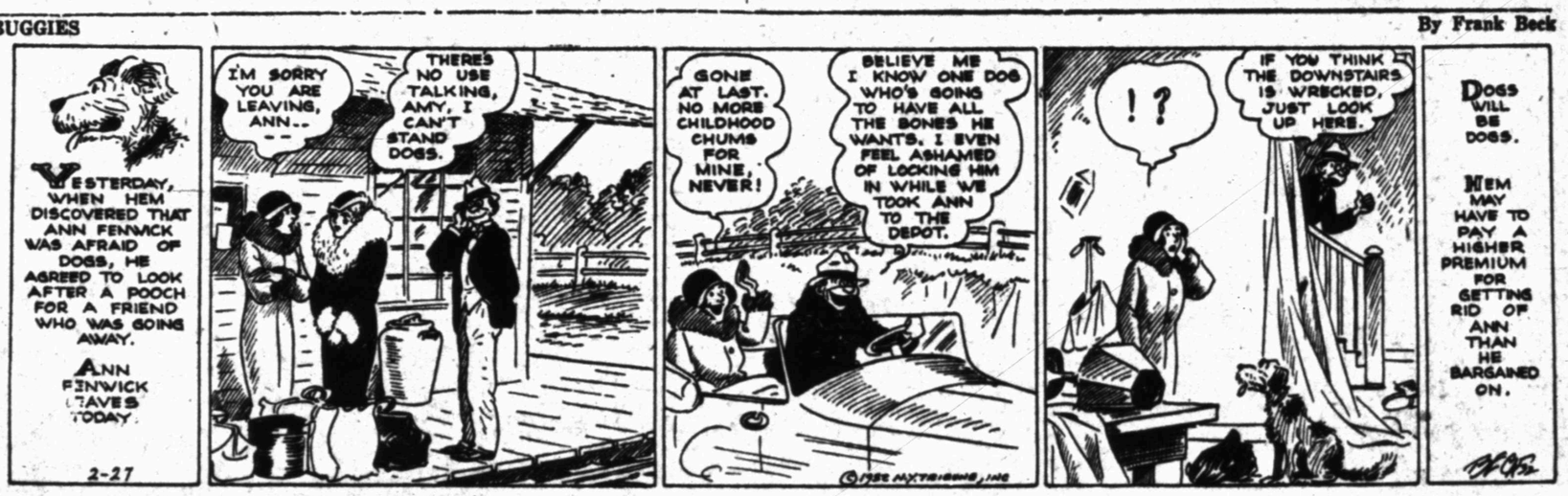


WASH TUBBS — By Crane





GAS BUGGIES — By Frank Beck



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



THE NEBBS — By Sol Hess



TAILSPIN TOMMY — By Glenn Chaffin and Hal Forrest



OLNEY BEATS CROWELL TO WIN BIDISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP

CUBS WIN BY 25-20 SCORE

Victors Earn Way to State Tournament

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Texas, Feb. 26.—The Olney High school Cubs won the interscholastic league bidistrict basket ball championship here tonight, defeating the Crowell Wildcats, district three champions, for the second consecutive time in the titular series. The score was 25 to 20.

The Cubs last Wednesday night at Olney defeated the Wildcats, 24 to 18, in the first game of a three-game series to decide the bidistrict title. Tonight's victory placed the cage crown on Olney's district four champs, and assured them a trial in the state interscholastic league basket ball tournament to be held in Austin early next month. The Cubs replace the Nocona Indians as bidistrict champs, the Tribe having defeated Crowell last year to win the trip to the state tournament.

The Cubs turned on the steam and played a fiery brand of basket ball tonight to completely outclass the local quintet, which nevertheless resisted the visitors' attack stubbornly. At the very start of the game it looked as if it were Crowell's night to win, for John Todd made a field goal and sank a free throw to give the Wildcats three points, while during the whole first quarter Olney could make but one point—that off Sloan's free throw.

The Todd brothers and Middleton got busy and increased this lead to 9 to 1 early in the second period and things began to look alarming for the Cubs, but then with a whirlwind rally the Olney scoring machine, featuring Wright and Pratt, got busy, with the result that Olney led at the half, 13 to 9. Olney continued to hold the lead the remainder of the game. They were ahead at the end of the third quarter, 20 to 15.

The Cubs displayed remarkable accuracy in sinking free shots. They didn't miss a one of five chances.

A crowd of about 750 people, one of the largest crowds ever to see a basket ball game, witnessed the battle. The game was delayed by the non-appearance of the referee, Herman Cowley of Sanger. Roy Mints of Thalia and Coach Dan Stallworth of Quanah finally were pressed into service.

The score:

OLNEY	G.	F.	P.	CROWELL	G.	F.	P.
Gilmore,f	0	1	1	Middleton,f	1	0	2
Pratt,f	4	1	9	J. Todd,f	4	2	14
Wright,c	5	2	12	Russell,c	0	0	0
Duckworth,g	0	0	0	D. Todd,g	2	0	4
Sloan,g	1	1	3	J. Crowell,g	0	0	0
				Allee,g	0	0	0
Totals	10	5	25	Totals	9	2	20

Farmers Defeat Arkansas, 28-23

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Feb. 26. (AP)—The Texas Aggies tonight blasted any Arkansas hopes of tying for the Southwest conference basket ball title by beating the Razorbacks 28-23. It was the lowly Farmers' third conference victory of the season.

Joe Merka, the Aggies' great sophomore center, was the high scorer with 12 points. Doc Sexton, Porker center, made 8 points to lead in scoring for the invaders, and Murphy, Razorback guard, enlivened the contest with his floorwork.

Boston Braves Head For Spring Training

BOSTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—The Boston Braves today headed for their spring training camp at St. Petersburg, Fla. Only two players, Bob Brown, rookie pitcher, and John Benson, catcher, were in the party. All of the other players except Catcher Al Spohrer, who boards the train at Philadelphia, will go direct from their homes.

Gus Mancuso Signs Cardinal Contract

HOUSTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Gus Mancuso, young St. Louis Cardinal catcher, today signed a 1932 contract and will leave tomorrow night for the Cardinal training camp.

Mancuso had been listed a holdout, but today expressed himself well pleased with the Cardinals' latest offer which he accepted.

George Little Gets Job at Rutgers U.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Feb. 26. (AP)—George Little, former director of athletics at the University of Wisconsin, today was appointed director of the division of physical education at Rutgers university.

Ernie Schaaf Wins Unanimous Decision Over Young Stribling

Christians, Ringgold, and Iowa Park Win First Round Cage Matches

BY MACK TURNER

The First Christian church, the Ringgold Independents and the Iowa Park Independents came out victorious last night in their first round matches in the Floral Heights Presbyterian church invitation basket ball tournament.

The First Christians defeated the Burkburnett Independents, 40 to 24; Ringgold defeated Draughons Business college of Wichita Falls, 50 to 41, in a torrid game that went two extra periods; and the Iowa Park quintet won out over the Devol, Okla., five, 26 to 22.

The three games, reeled off on the church court before approximately 200 spectators, officially opened a two-day cage meet in which 10 teams are booked to fight it out for the title. Play will be resumed this afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Presbyterians Clash Today

At that hour, final first round games will start with First Presbyterians and Floral Heights Presbyterians, both of this city, meeting in the first game; and Howard's Service station of Wichita Falls and the Clara Independents clashing in the second game one hour later.

Second round games will start at 4 o'clock. The semifinal round is expected to be reached at 7 o'clock. The Ringgold and Grandfield, Okla., girls' teams will play an exhibition game at 8 o'clock tonight, affording the weary visitors a chance to rest before the final and deciding game of the tournament is called to start promptly at 9 o'clock.

Christians Win

Led by Ollie Reeves and Monty Griffin, First Christian eliminated Burkburnett in the first game of the evening, 40-24. Reeves with 16 points and Griffin with 11 were leading scorers for the winners. Rutledege and Owen led the scoring for Burkburnett with seven and eight points respectively.

The score:

BURKBURNETT	G.	F.	P.	FIRST CHRISTIAN	G.	F.	P.
Crowe,f	0	4	4	Griffin,f	5	1	11
Rutledge,f	3	1	7	Reeves,f	7	2	16
Owen,c	4	0	8	Howell,c	1	0	2
N.Neely,g	1	0	2	Brashear,c	1	0	2
Harrington,g	1	0	2	Keevil,g	2	1	5
Vaughn,g	0	1	1	Yeargin,g	0	0	0
Daniel,g	0	0	0	Janeway,g	2	0	4
Totals	9	6	24	Totals	18	4	40

Close Game

In one of the closest and hardest fought games of the year on the Presbyterian court, Ringgold took a spurt in the second extra five minute period to win over Draughon's Business college, 50 to 41. Ringgold got away to a 13 to 5 lead at the quarter but at the end of the regulation time was tied, 38 to 38 and each could add only one point in the first period. Downing, of Ringgold, with 21 points was high scorer. Van Hoosier, of Draughons with 14 points led that team.

The score:

RINGGOLD	G.	F.	P.	DRAUGHONS	G.	F.	P.
Downing,f	10	1	21	Van Hoosier,f	6	2	14
Ray,f	1	0	2	Rolsen,f	4	2	10
Melton,f	3	2	8	Birchfield,c	4	1	9
Jones,f	0	0	0	Johnson,c	2	0	4
Gilmore,c	3	0	6	Metzger,g	2	0	4
Hamilton,c	4	0	8	Lisle,g	0	0	0
Witt,g	0	0	0	Patterson,g	0	0	0
Campbell,g	0	1	1				
Boyd,g	3	0	6				
Totals	23	4	50	Totals	18	5	41

Iowa Park Wins

In a torrid battle Iowa Park advanced into the second round by nosing out Devol 26 to 23 in the third game. Fields and Cheve led the Iowa Park attack with nine and eight points, respectively, while Nelson with 10 points was high point man for Devol. There were never more than four points difference in the two teams at any stage of the game.

The score:

DEVOL	G.	F.	P.	IOWA PARK	G.	F.	P.
Nelson,f	5	0	10	Chevs,f	3	0	6
Anderson,f	0	0	0	M.Banks,f	2	0	4
Bryant,f	2	1	5	Doris,c	0	0	0
Germany,f	0	0	0	Kilduff,c	0	0	0
Favor,c	3	0	6	Fields,g	4	1	9
Addington,g	0	0	0	H.Banks,g	2	1	5
Hinkle,g	0	1	1				
Totals	10	2	23	Totals	13	4	26

Rattlers and Poison Oak Pester Tigers

RICHARDSON SPRINGS, Calif., Feb. 26. (AP)—Because of twin hazards of rattlesnakes and poison oak Manager Bucky Harris has ordered his Detroit Tigers to keep to the roadways and deer trails on their conditioning hikes over the hills. Charlie Gehringer and Whitlow Wyatt broke out today with oak poisoning, from which Hugh Wise, recruit catcher, is just recovering.

Earl Whitehill and Harris were more fortunate in an encounter with a rattlesnake, but even Harris, who is not addicted to exaggeration admitted it was a close call.

GOLF TOURNEY HERE IN MAY

Junior C-C Event Expected To Draw 200 Entries

The Wichita Falls Junior Chamber of Commerce annual golf tournament will be held at the municipal golf course on Saturday and Sunday, May 21-22, members of the organization's tournament committee decided Friday afternoon. Chairman J. R. Hughey Jr., presided at the session in the offices at the Hamilton building.

Committee members present were W. B. Featherston, Paul Landes, Morris Norton, Pat Lambert, Allen Rowan, Ed Fizer, Orion Daniel, W. F. Boling.

The tournament committee expects 200 entries in the tournament with four-man teams representing every community in the Wichita Falls trade area.

Eighteen holes may be played at any time on the opening date with the 36-hole final set for the final round. The tournament will be conducted on a medal play basis. Invitations are to be sent soon to all communities in the section inviting entries for the tournament. A huge tournament loving cup will be presented the winning team, to become the permanent possession of the team winning it three years.

Individual prizes are to be awarded and the entries will be divided into four groups for competition for two trophies each. All prizes will be of equal value, as an innovation in the tournament plans.

The committee also plans a banquet, dance and other entertainment for the tournament visitors.

Bell and Wood Win Over Tennis Opponents

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Feb. 26. (AP)—Berkeley Bell and Sidney B. Wood Jr., American tennis stars, advanced to the semifinals of the doubles in the Bermuda tennis championships today by defeating George Patrick Hughes and H. K. Laster, British combination, by scores of 6-4, 1-6, 6-4.

Frederick Perry and H. G. N. Lee of England reached the semifinal round by eliminating the team of Brewer and Gregg, 6-1, 6-4. Bell and Wood were to meet Perry and Lee in a semifinal bout late today.

Lott and Allison Advance in Tourney

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 26. (AP)—George Lott, Chicago and Wilmer Allison of Austin, Texas, favored players, advanced in the men's singles semifinals of the Pan-American tennis tournament here today by defeating their quarter final opponents.

Lott won easily 6-4, 6-3, from Carroll Turner, Miami. Allison's victory 6-1, 6-3, over Arthur Hendrix, of Lakeland, Fla., was not as easy as the score would indicate.

Indians Still Seeking Good Left Handers

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26. (AP)—The Cleveland Indians still are looking around for the same old thing—something good in the way of left-handed pitching.

Of 16 moundsmen in camp, only two, Thornton Lee and Milburn Shoffner, are portsiders. Lee will be farmed out and that leaves it up to Shoffner, who has plenty of stuff and good control but in two seasons with the Tribe has shown only occasional flashes of major league ability.

Jess Haines' Arm 'As Good as Ever'

BRADENTON, Fla., Feb. 26. (AP)—Jess Haines, Cardinal pitcher who suffered a shoulder injury early last September that kept him off the mound the rest of the season, tested his pitching arm today and said he found it was "as good as ever."

After pitching for about 15 minutes Haines said he felt no discomfort, but that he "was not bearing down."

Pirates Specialize On Stealing Second

PASO ROBLES, Calif., Feb. 26. (AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates are expected to do a lot of stealing this summer—base stealing, of course.

Manager George Gibson intends to make base running, particularly the pilfering of the second bag, one of the major features of the training schedule.

The second squad, the infielders and outfielders, is to blow into camp tomorrow.

Steady Batting Drill In Store for Senators

BILOXI, Miss., Feb. 26. (AP)—Steady batting practice is in store for the Washington Senators beginning next Monday.

With the pitchers and catchers considered three or four days ahead of expectations the word came down officially from the board of strategy that the hurlers will be allowed to toss in batting drills that much in advance of the usual training schedule.

Rixey and Ogden Put Something on 'Em

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 26. (AP)—The veteran Eppa Rixey and John Ogden, unloosed their pitching arms today to show Manager Dan Howley and other batterymen of the Cincinnati Reds that they were fast approaching readiness for the season's grind. Both had considerable reconditioning before reporting.

KNOCKOUT IS BARELY MISSED

Southerner Given Plenty Of Punishment

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (US)—Ernie Schaaf, of Boston, soaring these many months towards the upmost reaches of the heavyweight flight, cut down W. L. "Young" Stribling, sometime reserve office in Uncle Sam's flying corps, at the Chicago stadium tonight and continued what now appears to be a nonstop hop to a championship match.

Stribling, making one of the greatest and most courageous fights of his career, barely was able to make a safe landing on his own power, at the end of 10 savage, bruising rounds, the like of which is seldom seen in the modern prize ring.

His face and body a gory red smear, both eyes cut, puffed and spouting claret, his legs twitching curiously under him—that was Stribling, pride of the solid South, as he made a gallant and successful stand in the last round to thwart the heavy-fisted and determined Schaaf as he stalked him around the ring trying desperately for a knockout.

In the fourth round Schaaf began to utilize his 20½-pound advantage in the clinches. Strib was unable to tie him up and the Bostonian began to fire short, but sharp right hand shots to the body with monotonous regularity. With 10 seconds of the round remaining, Schaaf pried both of his hands loose as they were locked in a clinch on the ropes. He fired a left to the head, followed with three murderous right-hand uppercuts to the jaw and backed away.

As he did, Stribling's knees buckled under him and he sunk to the floor like a punctured balloon. Just as he landed on the canvas, in a sitting position, the bell sounded to end the session.

Strib continued to sit there on the floor of the ring. He shook his head in an effort to clear the cobwebs from his foggy brain, but made no effort to rise. Meanwhile, his father-manager and the rest of his seconds rushed into the ring, picked him up and assisted him to his corner.

The 11,000 spectators, who paid $30,000 to view the bout, the windup of the show, were in an uproar as Strib's corner men worked feverishly over him.

From this time on the fight was Schaaf's. He was given the decision with the unanimous consent of two judges and a referee.

Carey Selph Signs Chisox Contract

MINERAL WELLS, Texas, Feb. 26. (AP)—Carey Selph, star third baseman drafted from the Houston club of the Texas league, changed his mind about keeping out of baseball today and signed a White Sox contract.

Selph, regarded as the draft prize of the year, had advised the White Sox that he intended to give up the game for a more lucrative insurance business at Houston. Today, however, he reported for duty and signed his papers, causing considerable joy in the White Sox camp.

Memphis Cagers Beat Vernon Lions, 29-24

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Texas, Feb. 26.—With a score of 29-24 the Vernon Lions were roundly outplayed by the Memphis cagers Thursday evening in the high school gymnasium. B. Smith, with 14 points to his credit, was high point man for Memphis; and Lockard, with 12 points, was prominent on the Vernon team.

Dawson And Moreland Advance To Finals Of Houston Tournament

HOUSTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Johnny Dawson of Chicago conquered illness today to win his semifinal match in the Houston Country club's 18th annual golf invitational.

Dawson defeated Willie Maguire Jr., 16-year-old son of the club's professional, 3 and 2, and will play Gus Moreland of Dallas tomorrow for the title. The Chicago star was all square at the end of the morning round and so weak and faint he had to leave the club and go down town to see a physician. When he returned for the afternoon round, tournament officials protested he was not physically able and wanted him to wait until tomorrow, but he assured them he felt "fine." He looked feverish at the time and was suffering from a boil on the arm which must have handicapped his drives somewhat.

Moreland, the defending champion, had little trouble in downing a fellow Dallas youth, Reynolds Smith, 6 and 5.

Dawson's card was only two over par for the 16 afternoon rounds.

Dawson started the morning round apparently in good condition, turning No. 9 three up. But at the 11th hole he began showing discomfort. On the last two morning holes he was plainly upset, failing in two attempts to get out of the trap on No. 17 and losing his ball on No. 18, conceding the hole.

Moreland, in the match with Smith, took a brilliant 34, two under par, for his first nine this morning, but could do no better than a 39 for the next. Smith had an 83 for the morning round 43 and 40.

In the afternoon round, each had a 39 going out; Smith was one under par for the last four holes and Moreland had even par.

MULLER STOPS 'WONDER JAP'

Austin Grappler Knows How to Use His Feet

By GREGORY EWING

A well-placed kick in the chin, fired at just the right moment, won for Doc Muller, the Austin chiropractor, in Whitey Grovo's weekly mat affair at the local arena Friday night.

Titsu Higami, termed the Wonder Jap, was the hard-luck boy, losing the first and last falls. Something called a "button" hold, apparently a punch at muscle knots or a subtle tickling, failed to do as advertised for the wrestler from old Nipon. However, the famed hold pulled the Jap from many an awkward position, and it was somewhat of an asset to the winner.

The first match went to Muller in 16 minutes flat with a flying head scissors doing the work. Higami won the second in 6 minutes and 42 seconds with an alligator split. The final fall was completed in 8 minutes and 8 seconds.

Paul Orth and "Silent" Condell went to a draw in 45 minutes, Orth taking the first fall in 20 minutes and 10 seconds with a goat hold and body pin while Condell took the second in 14 minutes and 12 seconds with alligator hold.

"Red" Riggles, local boy, won from Alva Anderson, Wichita Falls, with an alleged body pin but apparently a crotch hold in 10 minutes and 30 seconds.

Two youngsters—Oscar Powell and Alex Paris, probably 11 years old—boxed in an exhibition match to a draw.

Faculty Team to Play Electra Five Monday

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Feb. 27.—Miss Ethel Varnell, head of the girls' physical education department of the Electra high school, announced that a special basket ball game will be played Monday night between women members of the high school faculty and members of the senior girls' volley ball team. The proceeds will be used to purchase miniature gold volley balls for the girls who won the Wichita county round robin championship and were runners up for the Wichita county championship title. Electrans are urged to attend the game Monday night as the volley ball girls have worked hard this season and are deserving of the trophies. The game is expected to be very thrilling, also.

The faculty lineup will include Misses Lucy Cawifield, Grace Hardy, Ethel Varnell, Mildred Thornton, Mary Keeton, Juanita Morgan and Inez Westbrook. The lineup for the volley ball girls will include Ruth Jones, Ozie Chesher Opal Greer, Catherine McClure, Mary Helen Boutwell, Oleta Shepherd and Agnes Brashear. Lucy Whiteside, former Electra high athlete, will be the referee.

Virginia Quintet Beats Alabama Five

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 26. (AP)—The University of Virginia came from behind today to defeat the University of Alabama 20 to 16 in the opening game of the Southern conference basket ball tournament.

San Jacinto Cops Football Title

The San Jacinto football eleven won the ward school gridiron championship of the city yesterday, defeating the Sam Houston team, 26 to 7, on Culbertson field.

San Jacinto had won the championship of district No. 1 while Sam Houston carried the banner of district No. 2 into the fray.

The San Jacinto eleven got off to two touchdowns in the first quarter and added two more in the second half. Sam Houston scored its lone counter in the first quarter.

Nine Aspirants Out for Memphis Tennis Team

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Texas, Feb. 26.—Arthor Howard, tennis coach, announced this week that nine boys are reporting for daily practice on the court near the schoolhouse. Two letter men are available from last year's team. They are Alfred Burks and Eugene McElrath. Alfred has not had an opportunity to practice with the team this year, however his stellar playing last season assures him of a good chance of making the team this year. Eugene played a bang up net game last year and is working out regular with the team this year.

Other aspirants for the team are Lewis Foxhall, Roy Forkner, T. J. Harwool, Morris Balew, Jewel McCreary and Billy Cosby.

Another Big Boy in Camp of Athletics

FORT MYERS, Fla., Feb. 26. (AP)—The Athletics have their usual giant rookie hurler in training camp this year. Last season there was Hank McDonald, big boy from the Pacific coast, and the year before somebody else.

This time its Robert E. Chandler from Decatur, Ala., 19 years old, 6 feet 4, 194 pounds, right handed. He says a traveling salesman discovered him and wrote Connie Mack about him and Mack invited him down.



COOKE COUNTY TEST

Ed Ruwald and associates No. 1 Mrs. Zuma Berry, located in the T. B. Hardwick survey in southeast Cooke county, a rank wildcat cored five feet of a good looking oil sand topped at 2671 feet and will set casing to test.

ARCHER COUNTY TEST

The Bridwell Oil company No. B-22 located in the Oil Investment lease, section 125, J. W. Harris subdivision northwest of Archer City in Archer county, has set pipe to test out a show of oil in a sand at 1208-1216 feet.

YOUNG COUNTY LOCATION

W. Newt Maer and associates have staked out a location for their No. 1 Husted to be drilled 450 feet from south and 150 feet from the west lines of section 27, T. E. & L. survey, in the Newcastle shallow pool of Young county.

R. DORIAN AND ASSOCIATES

R. R. Dorian and others No. 1 J. Musgrave, located in the Bruce survey, abstract 25, in southwest Weihita county, has been abandoned as a dry hole at the shallow depth of 605 feet.

JACK COUNTY WELL

The Buttrum Petroleum company No. 1 I. Holeman, located 250 feet from the south and east lines of the northeast quarter of section 4, Rice survey, in Jack county, which has been producing for several months from a deep sand at 2014 to 2022 feet will be deepened to the lower sand.

SUNSHINE HILL TEST

Baldwin and others No. 4 Doble located in D. L. & C. survey, abstract 711, in Sunshine Hill area of Wichita county, is drilling ahead at 1040 feet after a 4-barrel show in a sand from 1010-34 feet.

SOUTHWEST OF CHALK HILL

United Producers and others No. A-1 L. F. Wilson, located in the northeast corner of block 118, A. T. N. C. L. survey, and southwest of Chalk Hill in Archer county, is drilling in a lime at 1830 feet.

OIL MEN MEET TONIGHT AT 7

Association to Hold Annual Banquet at Wichita Club

Tonight the North Texas Oil and Gas association will hold its second annual banquet at the Wichita club at 7 o'clock.

An interesting program has been arranged with speakers who will discuss a number of subjects of vital importance to the petroleum industry.

W. R. (Dick) Guiberson of Dallas, popular stag entertainer, will be on hand. The banuet is open to all men regardless of membership in the organization, and a cordial invitation is extended to all interested in the welfare of the oil industry and the district in general.

New directors for the ensuing year will be elected at the meeting. Reservations may be made by calling Fred Sehman, secretary, phone 3020.

PHILLIES IN CAMP

WINTER HAVEN, Fla., Feb. 26. (AP)—Burt Shotton chased his Phillies around the flower-trimmed ball park a couple of times today, had them toss some easy ones around and called it enough for the first day in camp.

Golf Equipment for Sale

Am leaving March 1, and wish to sell entire stock of clubs and bags, 50c up.

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Country Club

WHAT'S ON THE AIR TODAY?

New entertainment features announced by radio station KGKO for Saturday include the Lackey Brothers quartet, which is to present a 30-minute program from 9 to 9:30 p. m. The complete program for the day is as follows:

8:30—Shopping hour, orchestra music.
9:30—Opening markets, grain, cotton, stocks.
9:35—KGKO-Majestic Fun club.
10:15—Brunswick half hour.
10:45—Hawaiian duo.
11:15—Concert melodies.
11:30—Markets.
12:00—Fiddle band.
12:30—Closing markets.
12:35—Vagabond and gang.
1:00—Dance music.
1:30—Church of the air.
2:30—Amateur hour.
5:00—Tea time melodies.
5:30—Etchings in black and white piano.
6:00—Radiotorials.
6:15—Dinner concert.
6:45—Ellen and Rodger.
7:00—Crazy Cowboys.
7:15—J. Paul Lynn.
7:30—Dave and Jimmie.
7:45—Ruth Tucker, popular melodies.
8:00—Bob Denny.
8:15—Speck Marley, yodeler.
8:45—Fay Thomas.
9:00—Lackey Brothers quartet.
9:30—Dance at home.

338.1—WKY, Oklahoma City—900

7:00-7:15—On the 8:15.
7:30-8:00—Cheerio program.
8:00-8:15—Gene and Glenn.
8:15-8:30—Phil Cook.
8:30-8:45—Program.
9:15-9:30—Harold Stokes orchestra.
9:30-9:45—Program.
10:00-10:15—Musical history.
10:15-10:30—Radio Household institute.
10:30-10:55—Keys to Happiness.
10:55-11:00—Biaquick.
11:00-11:15—Orchestra.
11:30-12:30—Farmers union program.
12:30-12:40—Frankie Marvin.
12:40-12:55—Markets.
1:00-2:00—Orchestra.
2:00-2:30—Organ melodies.
2:30-2:45—Elizabeth Cline.
2:45-3:00—WKY artists bureau program.
3:00-3:30—Rhythmic serenade.
3:30-4:00—Saturday matinee.
4:15-4:45—America at work.
4:45-5:00—Dandies of Yesterday.
5:00-5:15—Orchestra.
5:15-5:30—Fiddlers Three.
5:45-6:00—Little Orphan Annie.
6:00-6:15—WKY artists bureau program.
6:30-6:45—Quarter-hour.
6:45-7:00—Orchestra.
7:00-7:30—Danger Fighters.
7:30-8:00—National advisory council.
8:00-8:30—Program.
8:30-9:00—Little Theater of the Air.
9:00-10:00—Dance hour.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:30-11:00—Ballroom orchestra.
11:00-12:00—Orchestra.
12:00-12:30—Ballroom orchestra.

374.8—WFAA, Dallas—800

6:45-7:00—Daybreakers, novelty entertainers.
7:00-7:57—Breakfasters, Early Birds orchestra and singer.
7:57-8:00—Markets, Dallas cotton exchange, F. C. Dehn announcing.
8:00-8:15—Musical trio, Steamboat Bill.
8:15-8:30—Organ recital, George Perfect.
10:30-10:45—Players.
10:45-11:30—Woman's hour, Alyne Sholes conducting; Edward Cramer directing.
11:30-12:00—American farm bureau federation.
12:00-12:15—Sunday school lesson.
5:30-6:00—Twilight trio, instrumentalists.
9:00-9:15—Ralph Bennett's Baker Hotel orchestra.
9:15-9:30—Jubilaires, community singers of spirituals.
9:30-10:00—Dance music with Walter Winchell.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-10:30—Alice Joy, Paul Van Loan.
10:30-10:45—Musicology, variety entertainers.
10:45-11:00—Russell Koch, xylophonist.
11:00-11:30—Ralph Bennett's Baker Hotel orchestra.

288.3—KTHS, Hot Springs

8:15-8:30—Phil Cook.
8:30-8:45—Program, "Beautiful Thoughts."
10:30-11:00—Keys to Happiness.
11:00-11:15—Orchestra.
11:30-12:15—Farmers union program.
6:00-6:15—Orchestra.
6:15-6:30—"Laws That Safeguard Society."
8:30-8:45—Louis Clancy's Alabamians, orchestra.
8:45-9:00—International Blue Blazers string band.
9:00-10:00—Program.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-10:30—Program.
10:30-11:00—Orchestra.

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Bill To Enforce Black Bass Law Held Up By Congressional Committee

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Bootlegging of black bass, America's prize sporting game fish, may become a profitable pastime unless Washington legislators distinguish between true economy and penuriousness.

The labor of a decade in behalf of an effective federal black bass law, to prevent the commercial catching, shipment and sale of these fish in interstate commerce, is threatened with nullification by the wave of so-called "economy" now sweeping congress. A comparatively meager appropriation of $20,000 for the enforcement of this law, important to the preservation of a valuable natural resource which, once destroyed, cannot be replaced, is being held up by a subcommittee of the house committee on appropriations.

Cooperation Needed

While the enforcement of this law is largely through the cooperation of the states—as is, for instance, the enforcement of the 18th amendment—absence of any federal activity will, conservation authorities insist, result in a situation similar to what would result with prohibition were all federal liquor enforcement appropriations to be withdrawn.

Failure to appropriate the small sum approved for this purpose by the buget committee, it is pointed out, will not result simply in saving $20,000 of government expenditures. It will result in the definite loss of all the progress made to date in building up enforcement standards and in the depletion, through the commercial catching and sale of black bass, of a national recreation resource worth many times the amount of the "saving" which it is attempted to make.

Texan on Committee

Enforcement may not be expected from the department of justice for two reasons. First, the department has no staff of fish experts, such as would be necessary to see that the provisions of the law are effectively carried out. Secondly, the law itself specifies that enforcement shall be through the department of commerce, of which the bureau of fisheries is a part.

William B. Oliver, of Alabama, is chairman of the subcommittee in control of this item. Other members are Anthony J. Griffin, of New York; Clarence Cannon, of Missouri; George H. Tinkham, of Massachusetts; Milton W. Shreve, of Pennsylvania, and Thomas L. Blanton, of Texas. These are the men primarily responsible for whatever final action is taken on this bill.

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State Representative, District 111, Wichita County—
Place 1—
R. J. (BOB) LONG (Re-election)
Place 2—
GEORGE H. WILLIAMS

Judge—78th District Court—
IRVIN J. VOGEL
W. W. COOK (Re-election)

Judge—89th District Court—
P. A. MARTIN (Re-election)
HARRY BUNNENBERG
WAYNE SOMERVILLE

District Clerk—
MRS. A. B. EICHELBERGER (Re-election)

Judge County Court at Law—
WALTER FRIBERG
H. W. FILLMORE
RAY BLAND

County Judge—
JOHN P. MARRS (Re-election)
T. A. HICKS

County Clerk—
ELIZABETH HALL (Re-election)
E. D. TREVATHAN

County Attorney—
L. V. ABERNATHY (Re-election)

Sheriff—
PERRY BROWNING (Re-election)

County Tax Collector—
ARTHUR C. HOWARD (Re-election)

County Tax Assessor—
MAX SHUMAKE (Re-election)
JOE W. TYSON
FRED P. HODGE

County Treasurer—
T. W. (TOM) M'HAM (Re-election)

Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place 2—
O. L. (Red) GIBBS (Re-election)

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—
M. A. (Bill) BUNDY (Re-election)

County Commissioner, Burkburnett Prect.—
JIM SNODDY

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3. PERSONAL

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LOST—Keys on ring; business district. Call New Ice company.

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13. WORK WANTED, MALE

EXPERIENCED man wants clerical or electrical work with reliable firm. Excellent references. Capable management and labor. Willing move anywhere on short notice. Write G. F. Sibert, 1306 Travis, Wichita Falls, Texas.

MAN TRAINED in Shirley Hill system of applied tariffs, wants position June 1 as traffic director. Now employed; college graduate; best of references furnished. Write Box 3, Goodlett, Texas.

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13. WORK WANTED, MALE

COLORED boy wants work gardening, housecleaning. Reference. Phone 8384. 3014 Miami street.

14. WORK WANTED, FEMALE

MIDDLE-AGED widow wants housekeeping work or nursing. 512 Lee.

REFINED business girl wants place to work for room and board while attending Draughon's college. Telephone 2-5927.

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68. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

EARLY 1932 Dodge 8 coupe with free wheeling, rumble seat. Driven 6,000 miles. Reynolds-Laik Motor company, Marshal at Fannin, Vernon, Texas.

WE OFFER each day a specially priced used car. See what bargain Mack has on platform today. Fritz Motor Co., Phone 2-0794.

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75. AUTO REPAIRS

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81. AUTOMOBILE PAINTING AND TOP REPAIR

WICHITA AUTO TOP AND PAINTING Company. Tops, seat covers, painting. Wrenn-West, 612 Sixth. Phone 2-0270.

82. HOUSES FOR SALE

EXCELLENT conditioned houses for sale, variously located. Phone owner. 6040.

83. LOTS FOR SALE

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84. FARMS, RANCHES FOR SALE

TWO STOCK farms, one near Alvord, one near Wichita; 3743.

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85. REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE

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WANT TO trade land on Charlie road for Guarantee State Building & Loan stock. Write box 94 Times.

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100. HOTEL, ROOMING HOUSES

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	Mdlg	Rcpts	Sales	Stock
N Orleans	6.87	25,915	3,132	1,112,526
Galveston	6.60	5,317	500	913,260
Mobile	6.60	774	275	219,594
Savannah	6.91	1,508	1,100	294,369
Charleston	....	737	.....	143,548
Wilmington	....	277	.....	23,217
Norfolk	6.90	58	39	67,190
Baltimore	....	672	.....	2,593
New York	7.05	.....	500	205,445
Boston	....	.....	.....	12,759
Houston	6.60	9,605	2,594	1,552,390
Minor ports	....	7,907	.....	194,100
Corpus Christi	....	244	.....	78,065
Total today	....	53,014	7,140	4,822,056
For week	....	163,837	.....	....
For season	....	8,361,750	.....	....

Interior Movement

	Mdlg	Rcpts	Sales	Stock
Memphis	6.25	7,390	8,551	452,031
Augusta	6.88	501	287	128,942
St. Louis	....	399	.....	882
Ft. Worth	6.30	.....	566	.....
Little Rock	6.16	456	645	70,942
Atlanta	6.80	.....	.....	.....
Dallas	6.35	.....	4,275	.....
Montgomery	6.40	.....	.....	.....
Total today	....	8,746	14,644	653,797

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—A slight opening advance in response to relatively steady Liverpool cables was followed by reactions in the cotton market today.

May contracts sold off from 7.16 to 7.05 in the late trading under realizing and southern selling, and closed at that figure with the general market closing barely steady at net losses of 6 to 9 points.

The opening was steady at an advance of 2-4 points on overnight buying orders which seemed to come partly from the trade. The demand was supplied by southern selling and realizing, however, and the market worked gradually lower later in the day.

The action of the stock market following the reduction in the New York Federal Reserve bank rediscount rate was considered disappointing, and may have accounted for some scattered liquidation.

Offerings increased toward the close with March selling off to 6.91 and October to 7.44, and final quotations were at the lowest of the day on all active positions.

Futures closed barely steady, 6 to 9 points lower. Spot steady, middling 7.05.

	High	Low	Close
March	7.00	6.91	6.91
May	7.16	7.05	7.05-06
July	7.32	7.22	7.22
Oct.	7.55	7.44	7.44
Dec.	7.69	7.60	7.60-61
Jan.	7.76	7.66	7.66

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Trading in cotton was only moderate today. Prices after opening about steady and unchanged to 3 points up owing to better Liverpool cables, gradually eased off reaching the lows of the afternoon 6-9 points below the opening highs. Although weekly statistics were favorable and the stock market fluctuated but moderately the cotton market remained uninfluenced. The close was a shade above the lowest being called steady. The general market showed net declines for the day of 4-5 points.

The opening was about steady although Liverpool cables came in 1 to 2 penny points better than due but prices were easier at the close. Private cables stated that there was covering and buying by Bombay but local traders and Manchester proved cloth demand.

The market turned easier in the late trading on week-end realizing and made new lows at 6.90 for March, 7.06 for May and 7.22 for July, or 6-9 points below the earlier highs. There was a slight rally at the end, May closing at 7.07 or 5 points net lower for the day and July at 7.23, or 4 points net lower.

Futures closed steady at net declines of 4 to 5 points:

	High	Low	Close
March	6.96	6.90	6.90-*
May	7.15	7.06	7.07
July	7.29	7.22	7.23-24
Oct.	7.48	7.40	7.42
Dec.	7.65	7.59	7.60
Jan.	7.72	7.72	7.65-b

*March closed 6.90 bid, 6.92 asked.

Liverpool Cotton

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 26. (INS)—Spots cotton was in fair demand at the opening with prices easier. Receipts 21,000 bales.

At midday, middling fair was quoted at 6.84d, strictly good middling 6.39d, good middling 5.99d, strictly middling 5.89d, middling 5.79d, strictly low middling 5.69d, low middling 5.59d, strictly good ordinary 5.39d, good ordinary 5.09d.

Futures opened steady with March at 5.56d, May 5.56d, July 5.58d, Oct. 5.63d.

Curb Sales

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (US)—High, low, and close of stock active on the curb today:

	High	Low	Close
As G & El Ctf	40¼	39¾	39½
Carolina P & L	80	80	80
Cities Service	6⅝	6¼	6¼
Cons Oil	6	5¾	6
Derby Oil	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
El Bond & Sh	10⅛	9⅝	9⅝
Eureka Pipe	32	32	32
Ford M Can A	14	14	14
Ford M France	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Ford Mot Ltd	5⅛	5	5
Fox Theater A	⅝	⅝	⅝
Goldman Sachs	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Ger Unc P	8½	8½	8½
Gulf Oil Pa	28	28	28
Hudson Bay M & S	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Imp Oil Can	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
Marray Oil	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
New Eng P	52⅞	51	51
Niag Hud Pow	6⅝	6⅝	6½
Nor Europ Oil	¼	¼	¼
Pandem Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛
Pub U H War	¼	¼	¼
St Regis Pap	4½	4⅜	4½
Std Oil Ind	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝
Std Oil Ky	13¾	13⅝	13⅝
Std Oil Ohio Pf	80	80	80
Sunray Oil	⅝	⅝	⅝
Util P & L	2⅛	1⅞	1⅞
Y Oil & Gas	¼	¼	¼

United States Bonds

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Government bonds: Liberty 3½s, 98.1; 1st 4¼s, 99.27; 4th 4¼s, 100.3; treasury 4¼s, 103.2; 4s, 100; 3¾s, 97; 3⅜s, 94.28.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK

Stocks easy; leaders move narrowly in dull trading.
Bonds firm; U. S. governments advance.
Curb easy; utilities sag.
Foreign exchanges easy; Japanese yen lower.
Cotton barely steady; southern selling; decreased trade demand.
Sugar steady; trade buying.
Coffee barely steady; foreign selling.

CHICAGO

Wheat easy; selling by eastern houses; easiness Winnipeg and Minneapolis.
Corn easy; larger Argentine exports; unsettled cash market.
Cattle steady to strong.
Hogs higher.

Government Bonds Reach New High For Year As Stocks Remain Quiet

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (US)—Reduction in the Federal Reserve bank rediscount rate late Thursday failed to arouse the stock market out of its lethargy today. In fact trading was even more listless than of late with price movements manifesting utter indifference on the part of the brokerage element to the latest move to halt deflation. Transactions were the smallest in three weeks.

By contrast, bonds provided a more pleasing regard for the development than the sloppy complexion of the share list. Strength was pronounced in the gilt edged section of the investment market with government obligations attaining new high peaks for the year. There was an encouraging rally in railroad liens even though gains were not fully maintained to the end.

Elsewhere response to the downward revision in the bank rate was an entirely natural easing in the bill market, covering both open market quotations and the federal reserve buying price. Commercial paper dipped one-fourth of one per cent as did federal funds, carrying out the readjustment made necessary by the relaxation in the ruling credit base.

If the bank rate news inspired any enthusiasm among speculative interests, it was not evident on the surface. Issues which had been more or less in the trading limelight recently drifted aimlessly most of the day and ended decidedly irregular. Excitement in the rapidly changing Auburn died down materially. Most of the pivotal industrials kept within narrow limits.

The market's apathetic response to what was widely construed as a further step on the part of the reserve authorities to check deflation was open to various explanations. Chief among these was the question of a short interest. Absence of anything resembling the account prevalent when the stock exchange issued its ruling on lending stocks just a week ago was quite obvious from the very outset.

Gillette was the feature of activity, moving into new high ground. Specialties, in fact, furnished all the principal fluctuations. Utilities power and light class A stock broke several points to a new low, and a yield of over 33 per cent, foreshadowing suspension of dividend payments.

Passage of the Glass-Steagall bill by both congress and the senate, with signature by the president a foregone conclusion, was also ignored as were other developments bearing on the immediate outlook.

With few exceptions, however, stocks closed with fractional changes both ways on a reduced volume of business. Lack of public interest was no doubt a reflection of the unwillingness of large operators to take a definite position in the proceedings.

The response of the bond market to the bank rate news confirmed forecasts that division of the security business should attract the greatest attention currently. Genuine stabilization of bonds would furnish the most significant forerunner to sustained betterment in financial sentiment.

Improvement in fixed income obligations was accepted as signifying greater confidence in the banking situation.

Principal commodities displayed a sagging tendency with an early bulge in wheat offset by later profit taking. Cotton drifted slightly lower and silver bullion lost much of its recent buoyancy.

Foreign exchange markets failed to display any degree of nervousness over European sentiment toward the bank rate revision here. French francs instead of moving against the dollar actually were in greater supply and remained well below the level at which gold shipments can be made profitably to Paris.

STOCK AVERAGES
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	50 Indls	20 RR's	20 Ut's	90 Total
Friday	63.8	34.4	103.4	66.3
Previous day	63.9	34.6	103.5	66.3
Week ago	67.1	36.5	106.4	69.3
Month ago	63.6	38.0	99.7	66.0
Year ago	139.3	105.5	197.4	144.3
3 years ago	210.7	135.3	210.3	198.1
5 years ago	110.9	111.4	105.1	108.7
High 1932	68.8	39.8	107.3	70.8
Low 1932	57.4	30.3	92.3	59.5
High 1931	140.2	106.2	203.9	144.3
Low 1931	60.0	30.8	92.8	61.3
High 1930	202.4	141.6	281.3	205.8
Low 1930	112.9	86.4	146.8	114.7

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Albitibi P & P	1	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Advance Rumely	4	3⅝	3¼	3⅝
Air Reduction	18	57	55	55
Alleghany	4	2⅜	2¼	2¼
Al Chem & Dye	89	77⅛	75⅞	76
Am Can	228	68⅝	66⅝	66⅝
Am & For Pow	11	7⅝	7⅛	7⅛
Am International	10	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Am Metal	1	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Am P & Light	3	15⅛	14⅞	14⅞
Am Rad St San	15	7⅜	7⅛	7⅜
Am Roll Mill	27	12⅛	11⅝	11⅝
Am S & R	7	15⅛	14⅝	15
Am Sugar Ref	1	24¼	24¼	24¼
Am T & T	294	127⅝	126¼	126½
Am Wool pf	13	30⅛	28⅝	28⅝
Anaconda	46	9⅛	9⅛	9⅝
A T & S F	19	81¼	79½	81
Atlantic Ref	5	10⅛	10⅛	10¼
Auburn Auto	260	92⅝	87½	89½
Aviation Corp	35	2½	2½	2½
Balt & Ohio	22	17⅛	16⅝	16⅝
Barnsdall A	1	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Bendix Aviation	33	16	15⅝	15⅝
Beth Steel	42	21⅝	21⅛	21⅝
Borden	24	39⅝	39⅛	39⅝
Briggs Mfg	3	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Butte C & Z	1	1	1	1
Calif Pack	2	20⅛	10⅛	10⅛
Calumet & Hecla	1	3	3	3
Can D G Ale	10	⅝	⅝	⅝
Can Pac	87	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Cerro de Pasco	7	11½	11½	11⅝
Chesa & Ohio	30	23⅝	23⅛	23⅛
C M St P & P pf	1	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Chicago & N W	7	9	8⅝	8⅝
Chicago Pneu T	1	4½	4½	4½
C R I & P	8	10½	10⅛	10½
Chrysler	31	12⅝	12⅛	12⅝
Coca-Cola	3	113½	113¼	113½
Colum G & E	15	14⅛	14	14
Coml Solv	23	8⅝	8½	8⅝
Congoleum Na	3	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Consol Gas	86	62	61⅝	61⅞
Cont Can	10	38	37⅝	38
Cont Motor	1	1¼	1¼	1¼
Cont Oil Del	17	6	5⅞	6
Cont Shares	12	⅝	⅝	⅝
Corn Products	7	44⅛	43½	44⅝
Coty	1	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Curtiss Wright	28	1⅞	1⅜	1⅜
Drug Inc	27	53	52⅛	52⅝
Du Pont	xd102	55⅛	54⅝	54⅝
Eastman Kodak	10	80	78	78⅝
Eaton Ax & S	97	29⅞	28½	28½
El P & Lt	17	12⅝	12½	12½
Erie R R	6	8½	8⅝	8½
Fisk Rubber	9	⅝	⅝	⅝
Fox A	8	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Freeport Texas	7	18⅝	18⅛	18¼
Gen Am Tk	4	32⅛	32	32
Gen Asp	7	12½	12½	12½
Gen Ele	130	20⅝	20¼	20½
Gen Fds	29	36	35⅝	36
Gen G & El A	7	2½	2	2
Gen Mot	247	21⅝	21	21⅝
Gill Saf R	4800	21	19½	20⅝
Glidd Co	4	5	5	5
Gold Dust	38	17⅝	17	17¼
Goodrich	3	4½	4⅝	4⅝
Goodyear T	8	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Gra Pai	7	3¼	3	3⅛
Granby Con M	3	6	6	6
Grant	2	27⅝	27½	27⅝
Gt No Ry pf	4	19⅝	19½	19½
Grigs Grun	4	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Hous Oil	2	19½	19	19½
Hous Oil new	2	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Howe Sou	12	10⅝	10½	10⅝
Hud Mot	2	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Hup Mot	2	4	3⅞	3⅞
Illi Cen	15	13¼	13	13¼
Int Comb E	6	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Int Harv	8	24⅛	23⅝	23⅝
Int Hyd El A	27	9⅛	8⅝	9
Int Mat Ptc pf	7	18⅝	18	18⅝
Int Nick Can	29	7⅝	7¼	7⅝
Int T & T	24	11	10⅛	10½
Johns Man	86	23½	21⅞	21½
Kay J	1	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Kelly Spg	8	2¼	2⅝	2¼
Kel Hay Wh	3	3¼	3⅛	3⅝
Kel	32	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Kenne	36	9⅝	9	9
Kresge	14	16⅛	16	16
Kreug & T	147	7⅛	7	7⅛
Libb O Ford Gl	1	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Ligg & My B	15	56	55	55⅛
Loft	2	3	3	3
Lor P	19	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Louis G & Ea	2	22⅝	22	22
Lud Stl	1	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Mack	80	16⅛	15⅛	16
Mag Ma Cop	2	7	7	7
McKeesport T	46	60⅝	58⅝	58⅝
Miami Cop	2	3⅛	3	3⅛
Mid Cont Pet	1	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Midland Stl	3	8	7⅝	8
M-K-T	1	6	6	6
Mo Pac	1	8	8	8
Mont Ward	37	9⅝	9¼	9½
Murray Cor	16	8⅝	8½	8⅝
Nash	10	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Nat Bis	8	43⅝	43	43½
Nat Cash Ra	4	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Nat Dry Pr	210	23⅝	27⅝	27⅝
Nat Lead	1	90	90	90
Nat P & L	11	14⅛	13⅝	13⅝
Nat Surety	1	13	13	13
Nev Con Cop	4	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
N Y Cen	214	28⅝	27⅝	27⅝
N Y N H & H	20	25⅛	24⅝	25⅛
Norfolk & W	4	128	126	126
Nor Amer	39	37⅝	36⅝	36⅝
Nor Pac	6	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛
Ohio Oil	6	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Otis Elec	9	17⅛	17	17
Pac G & E	4	35⅝	35⅛	35⅝
Packard	12	4	3⅞	3⅞
Paramt Pub	203	10⅛	9⅝	9⅝
Pan & Ford	1	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Penney	10	31⅛	30⅝	30⅝
Penn R R	16	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛
Phelps Dodge	21	6⅛	6	6
Phillips Pet	60	5⅛	4⅝	4⅝
Prairie O & G	3	5⅝	5⅛	5⅝
Prairie Pipe Line	16	8	7⅝	8
P & G	5	40⅛	40	40
Pub Serv N J	20	56⅝	56	56
Pullman	3	22	21⅛	21⅛
Pure Oil	3	4⅝	4⅛	4⅝
Radio	59	9⅝	9	9⅝
R K O	8	5⅛	5⅝	5⅝
Rem Rand	2	3	3	3
Repub Steel	13	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛
Rey Tob B	24	38	37½	37½
Schulte Ret	1	3	3	3
Seabd Air	2	⅛	⅛	⅛
Sears Roebuck	22	33⅝	33¼	33¼
Shell Un	8	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Simms Pet	3	5⅛	5	5
Sinclair Con	38	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝

NEW YORK STOCKS—Continued

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Skelly	2	3	3	3
Socony Vac	50	10	9⅝	10
S Cal Ed	13	32¼	31⅝	32
S Pac	68	27½	26⅝	26¼
S Rail	13	10¼	10	10
Stand Brands	70	12⅞	12⅛	12⅝
Stand G & El	9	28⅝	28	28¼
Stand Oil Cal	16	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
Stand Oil N J	25	28½	28¼	28¼
Stewart Warn	2	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Stonue & Web	9	12⅛	11⅝	11⅝
Tex Corp	45	11⅝	11⅝	11⅛
Tex Gulf Sul	21	24½	24	24½
Tex Pac Land Tr	10	5¼	5¼	5¼
Timk Roll B	5	20	19¾	19⅝
Tob Prod	25	5⅝	5¼	5¼
Truscon St	4	6	6	6
Ulen & Co	81	31½	30⅝	31¼
Un Carbide	64	31⅛	30⅝	30⅝
Un Pac	20	83	81⅝	82⅛
Unit Airc	194	16¼	15⅝	15⅝
Unit Carbon	1	11	11	11
Unit Cor	51	9⅛	8⅝	9
Unit Gas	24	20⅛	19⅝	20⅛
U S Ind Al	127	28⅝	27½	27⅝
U S R & Im	2	8	8	8
U S Rub	1	4¼	4¼	4¼
U S Steel	389	48⅛	46¾	47⅝
Util P & Lt A	184	8	6	6½
Vana	28	17½	16⅝	16⅝
Warner Pict	55	3⅝	3	3⅛
West Mary	2	6	6	6
West Union	36	45½	44	44⅝
Westing Air	1	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
West El & Mfg	296	30⅝	29⅝	30
Willys	1	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Wool	64	43⅝	42⅛	42⅝
Tel T & C	3	3⅝	3⅛	3⅝

Grain

TEXAS CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26. (AP)—Cash grain demand, good.

Quotations ranged as follows, basis carloads, freight paid, delivered Texas gulf ports, export rate, or group three points:

Wheat—No. 1 ordinary hard milling 61½@62½c; No. 1 hard 13 per cent protein 62@63c; 14 per cent 64@65c; 15 per cent 67@68c; 16 per cent 69@70c. Sorghums, No. 2 milo or kaffir, per 100 pounds 76@77c.

Delivered group one points: Corn, No. 2 mixed 39@40c; No. 2 white 40@41c; No. 2 yellow 47@48c.

Delivered group three points: Oats, No. 2 red 35@36c.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (AP)—Aroused by big price advances in European continental markets, wheat scored material gains here today, but failed to hold the bulges.

Indications that farm board agencies had wheat for sale at 62¾ cents May delivery acted at least temporarily as an offset to sensational jumps in wheat values abroad. Wheat at Hamburg, Germany, closed 4⅛c higher, Copenhagen, Denmark, 4⅝c up, and Genoa, Italy, showing 7⅛c rise.

Chicago wheat futures closed steady at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅛c lower, corn ⅛@⅜c off, oats unchanged to ⅛c down, and provisions 2 to 32 cents up.

Corn and oats paralleled the action of wheat. Mild weather made feeding demand slow, and shipping call here was nil.

Provisions rose with hog values, meats especially showing gains.

Closing indemnities: Wheat, May 60⅞@61c, 62⅝@⅞c; July 62@62¼c, 63⅝@⅞c; Sept. 63⅝c 65⅝c. Corn, May 39⅛@⅜c, 40@40¼c; July 42c, 42⅝@⅞c; Sept. 43⅝c, bids.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
March	.58⅛	.57⅞	.58
May	.62⅛	.61⅞	.62
July	.64⅛	.63	.63⅛
Sept.	.65⅝	.64⅝	.64⅞
Corn—			
March	.36¼	.35⅞	.35⅞
May	.40⅝	.39⅞	.39⅞
July	.43	.42⅝	.42½
Sept.	.44¼	.43⅝	.43⅝
Oats—			
March	.22⅝	.22¼	.22¼
May	.25⅝	.25¼	.25¼
July	.26	.25⅝	.25⅝
Sept.	.26⅝	.26⅛	.26⅛
Rye—			
March	.44¼	.43⅝	.44¼
May	.47⅞	.46⅝	.46⅞
July	.49⅞	.49	.49⅞
Sept.	.51⅞	.50½	.51
Lard—			
March	4.80	4.77	4.80
May	4.97	4.95	4.95
July	5.15	5.12	5.15
Bellies—			
May	5.90	5.75	5.90

Livestock

MIDWESTERN LIVESTOCK REVIEW

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 26. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—Little of vital interest occurred in cattle trade today with only limited receipts at all markets and prices holding generally steady. Practically all fed steer and yearling offerings sold within a spread of $4.50@5.00, a few loads brought $6.75@7.00. Most steers sell at $4.00@5.75 with choice stock calves up to $7.00. Receipts for the week at 11 markets shows an increase of around 7,000 as compared with last week.

Hog values rallied during the current session and prices were quoted as mostly strong to 15c higher. Chicago secured $4.35 for best butchers.

Generally steady levels prevailed on lambs with the bulk of wooled kinds at $6.00@6.50. A few sorted loads brought $6.60@6.75. A limited supply of clipped kinds made $5.75@6.25, the latter price securing fall-shorn offerings in St. Louis.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. (INS)—Hogs—Receipts 23,000; 10@15c higher. Top $4.30; bulk $3.65@4.25; heavy $3.75@4.00; medium $4.00@4.30; light $4.00@4.30; light lights $3.90@4.20; packing sows $3.10@3.65; pigs $3.00@3.60; holdovers 5,000.

Cattle—Receipts 2,000; steady. Calves 500; steady. Beef steers, good and choice, $7.00@8.50; common and medium $4.50@7.00; yearlings $6.00@8.50; butcher cattle, heifers $3.00@6.50; cows $2.75@4.25; bulls $2.75@4.00; calves $5.50@7.50; feeder steers $3.50@5.50; stocker steers $3.00@5.25; stocker cows and heifers $3.00@4.00.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000; steady. Lambs $6.00@6.75; common $4.00@5.50; yearlings $4.50@5.50; feeders $4.75@5.50; ewes $1.50@4.00.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 26. (AP)—Cattle—Receipts 1,000. Calves—Receipts 200; butcher stock, calves and stockers alive; light grain-fed steers to $7.00; load lots handy and heavy types $6.50 and up; bulk medium to good sort, $4.75@5.50; good-choice grain-fed cows to $3.25; medium good butcher sort, $2.50@2.75; best light veals to $5.50; medium-good heavy calves, $4.50@5.00; common sort, $2@3.00; stockers and feeders steady.

Hogs—Receipts 2,600; steady; packer top, $4.05; outsider top, $4.15; bulk, $3.75 and up; sows and stags unchanged at $3.00.

Sheep—Receipts 800; native lambs 10 to 20c lower; sheep unchanged; load lot top good-choice fed native lambs, $5.65; truckins 10c lower at $5.40 top; throwouts, $3.50@3.75.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—Hogs—Receipts 1,800; rail hogs 10 to 15c higher; truck hogs steady to 5c lower; top, $4.35 for good-medium weight rail butchers; truck top, $4.15; bulk better, 175 to 270-pound truck hogs, $4.10; packing sows, $3.25@3.50, or steady.

Cattle—Receipts 1,200. Calves—Receipts 400; quotably steady; slaughter steers, $3.35@5.25; better fat yearlings, $5@6.00; fat cows, $3.00; good stock steer calves, $5.25, steady; slaughter calves unchanged; good heavies, $5.00; small lot choice medium vealers, $8.25.

Sheep—Receipts 4,200; steady; good wooled truck lambs, $5.50; fresh shorn fat lambs, $4.60@5.00; shorn aged fat wethers, $3.50; asking $5.75 for wooled fat lambs.

MONEY QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Call money steady, 2½ per cent all day.

Time loans steady; 60 days, 3¼@3⅝; 3-6 months, 3¼@3⅝ per cent.

Prime commercial paper, 3½@3¾.

Bankers' acceptances easy; 30-60 days, 2⅝@2¾; 90 days, 2⅞@2¾; 4 months, 2⅞@2¾; 5-6 months, 3⅛@3.

DRY GOODS MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Cotton goods were steady to firm today in the print cloth and sheeting divisions, but developed irregularity in fine plain goods for prompt shipment.

Wash goods are selling well. Dress goods are moving more freely. Silks are in moderate demand. Burlaps are quiet. Rayon manufacturers are working steadily to bring about more rigid standards of constructions in fabrics.

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DAIRYMEN TO MEET TODAY

Association to Plan Survey For Cheese Plant

Efforts to launch a campaign which will provide Wichita Falls with sufficient raw milk daily to supply stock for a cheese manufactory will be made at a meeting of the Wichita County Dairymen's association at the courthouse Saturday morning.

Dairymen from Charlie, Scotland, Windthorst, Iowa Park, Electra, Burkburnett and other parts of the county are expected to join Wichita Falls dairymen Saturday in the movement. A survey will be started to obtain an accurate estimate as to how much milk can be obtained in this vicinity for cheese-making purposes.

Dairymen present Saturday will hear of a plan for establishing a factory here on a cooperative basis, its capital stock to be owned by milk producers and paid for out of milk receipts, as is being done in many other communities.

The Wichita Valley Development association is cooperating with the dairymen's organization in an effort to provide a profitable outlet in this city for all milk which can be produced above local needs for immediate consumption.

Convicted Man Given Credit for Jail Terms

Manuel Bridges, facing seven years' imprisonment in the state penitentiary, was given the benefit of 70-days jail time by Judge P. A. Martin in the 89th district court Friday when the prisoner appeared to request that credit.

Bridges was returned to the Wichita county jail recently by Sheriff Perry Browning from Leavenworth, Kan., where Bridges had served a term in the federal prison for violation of the Dyer act. He was convicted here in March, 1928, on a charge of burglary, and given two years. A five-year suspended sentence imposed in 1926 was revoked in 1928, giving Bridges a total of seven years to serve.

Acting under a new state law, Judge Martin dated Bridges' prison term back from March 31, 1928, to Jan. 19, 1928, the date of his arrest on the burglary charge. The prisoner now is in the Wichita county jail awaiting transfer to Huntsville.

Construction Started On Gasoline Station

Erection of a brick structure to be used by the Gulf Refining company as a gasoline filling and service station was begun Friday by J. H. Allison of the Allison Drug company on a lot at the corner of Tenth and Taylor streets.

The station is to have entrances from both Tenth and Taylor streets, will have covered drives, and the building will conform to the customary design used by the Gulf company. A washrack and greasing service are to be maintained on the property, it was said.

Ground surrounding the building and drives will be landscaped elaborately, according to those in charge.

Ribbons Prepared for Stock Show Winners

Prize-winners' ribbons to be used in a display of homegrown fat stock here on March 2 and 3 by members of the 4-H clubs of this county have been made in the office of G. C. McGown, county farm agent, it was learned Friday.

Eight different classifications are represented by the awards. The ribbons were purchased here, the printing done in this city, while eyelets and laces for affixing the ribbons to the prize winners were perfected in Mr. McGown's office.

The fat stock show will also include a competitive display of canned and cured meats by members of home demonstration clubs in the county.

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Monday At Midnight Deadline For Paying Irrigation And School Taxes

Taxes assessed for 1931 by the Wichita Falls Independent school district and Wichita County Water Improvement districts 1 and 2 will become delinquent at midnight Monday, Feb. 29, unless first-payments are made before that hour, according to final announcements made Friday by tax collectors for those units.

Owners of property in the two irrigation districts have until midnight Monday to pay one-half of the 1931 taxes in order to prevent the entire amount becoming delinquent.

Taxpayers in Wichita Falls will be required to pay one-fourth of the 1931 school tax by the same hour, else the entire amount of taxes for that year will be entered on the delinquent roll.

Each of the units in which the deadline will fall Monday night granted a 30-day extension for payment of the first part of 1931 taxes. According to the laws covering tax payments, one-fourth of the school tax and half the irrigation tax for 1931 were due before midnight of Jan. 31. Extension of one month was made in keeping with the general practice adopted here this year to assist taxpayers in taking up delinquent taxes for 1930 and prior years.

Hundreds of taxpayers were saved interest and penalties on back taxes in all three units, it was shown, by payment of the net amount before Jan. 31 in accordance with the state legislature's relief measure. Payment of all unpaid first instalments on 1931 school and irrigation taxes is of vital importance to the continued operation of those units, officials declared.

DUCK OR FISH STORY

KEREMEOS, B. C.—Charlie Armstrong went duck hunting and came home with both duck and fish for supper. He shot at a duck and, on retrieving it, found a fish in its bill. The fish was 13 inches long and weighed more than 12 ounces.

Directors Named for Clay School Meeting

Special to The Record News.

HENRIETTA, Texas, Feb. 26.—Directors have been selected for the various events in the Clay county interscholastic meet, to be held in Henrietta March 25-26 according to C. R. Roberts, superintendent of the Henrietta schools and director-general of the meet.

A new feature of the meet will be the story-telling contest for small children. There is one division in this contest, including grades one to four, inclusive. Each grade will compete in a section to itself, and each school is allowed only one entry in each grade.

Directors for the meet are as follows: Athletics, Frank Selvidge, Henrietta; arithmetic, Mrs. Maude Goodman, Henrietta; choral singing, J. T. Watson, Petrolia; debate, G. W. Wilhite, Byers; declamation, J. W. Calloway, Buffalo; essay, F. W. Richardson, Byers; extemporaneous speech, L. Selvidge, Brown; music memory, Letitia Ramsey, Henrietta; picture memory, Miss Pepecha Zarafonetis, Petrolia; spelling, E. L. Farr, Bellevue; and three-R contest, W. C. Parrish, county school superintendent, Henrietta.

Frisco Granted Loan By Reconstruction Corp.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—The St. Louis-San Francisco railroad has been granted $3,000,000 of the $13,700,000 in loans it is seeking from the reconstruction finance corporation, it was learned today.

This loan will permit the road to meet its financial requirements until June 1. Renewal of the application for additional funds of $10,700,000 to meet bond interest and maturities between June 1 and the end of the year is expected later.

The largest take of fox pelts in 40 years has been made in the Pribilof islands, Alaska.

300 ATTEND AUCTION SALE

Livestock Brings Good Price at Market

More than 300 persons attended the public auction sale held at Call field Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Wichita County Development association, when unusually good cash prizes were received for a considerable quantity of livestock, poultry and farm machinery.

Sold by J. R. Ray, auctioneer, one team of mules brought $162.50, and another team was bought at $125. Other feature sales were those of a saddle horse for $97.50, and a work horse for $75. Four teams of mules in all were disposed of, and several odd head of horses and mules.

About 20 cattle were sold Friday, the top prices running around $40 each. One lot of 23 Rhode Island Red hens brought 60 cents each, and one turkey tom sold for $5.

Several pieces of miscellaneous farm machinery also found ready buyers.

Only one sale will be held next month, March 25, County Agent G. C. McGown said Friday. Directors of the exchange plan to continue working toward increasing interest in the plan with expectation of a major auction in March.

Nelson to Address Vernon Junior C-C

Walter Nelson Jr., Wichita Falls mayor, will be the principal speaker at the first membership meeting of the Vernon Chamber of Commerce junior council Tuesday evening, March 8. Officers of the Vernon organization will be installed at the meeting and the Wichita Falls Junior Chamber of Commerce will send a group of members as visitors to the meeting. Mr. Nelson will discuss, "The Young Man's Place in Business and Government."

TOO SMART

Wichitan Pays $20 For Changing Mind On Jury Trial

Perhaps wise men change their minds, even when charged with drunkenness, but the change of mind in this case proved expensive.

The man was arraigned in justice court Friday. He demanded trial by jury. The jury was summoned. Then the defendant thought differently about it, and with a plea of guilty, threw himself upon the mercy of the court. He was fined $1 and costs, which runs about $14.65. But since county officers had been compelled to summon six good men and true for jury service, the "dollar-and" penalty figured about $20.

Banquet Committee of Texas Exes to Meet

Final arrangements for the annual banquet of the Ex-Students association of the University of Texas are to be made at a meeting of all committees at the Wichita club next Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, according to a call issued by Miss Willie Mae Kell, president.

The banquet is to be held at the Wichita club at 7 p. m. on Wednesday, March 2, it was announced.

Water District Sued For $10,000 Damages

Suit for $10,000 was brought against the Wichita County Water Improvement district No. 1 by Mrs. M. A. Love, et al., in district court here Friday, the petition alleging permanent damage to about 180 acres of land due to seepage and overflow from an irrigation canal.

The plaintiff sets out that the damaged land is part of 394.6 acres located about seven miles southwest of Iowa Park.

The United States sold its foreign customers $140,000,000 worth of industrial machinery in 1931.

COURT RESETS GAS RATE SUIT

Attorneys Agree to Delay In Hearing

Trial of the suit of Judge Harvey Harris vs. the Municipal Gas company before Judge O. L. Gibbs in justice court has been continued from Monday, Feb. 29, to March 14, it was announced Friday.

Continuance of the case was made by agreement of both sides because Judge A. H. Carrigan, defense counsel, will be engaged in trying a case at San Angelo next Monday, it was said.

Judge Harris is suing for a remittance of part of the gas bill allegedly paid at his residence for the month of December, basing his plea upon the difference in rates established by an ordinance passed by the city council last summer to become effective Oct. 1, 1931, and the rates now being charged by the gas company.

The same plaintiff sued the gas company for an alleged overcharge on gas consumption at his home for the month of October, and won a jury verdict awarding him $2.55 as a refund.

HELD IN AUTO THEFT

Arrested in Mangum, Okla., Thursday and brought to Wichita Falls, E. R. Waits and Jay ANey were charged Friday with theft over $50 in connection with the stealing of Raymond Atkins' automobile from the streets of Electra Wednesday night. The stolen car was recovered. Complaints were taken by Assistant District Attorney George W. Anderson.

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Meeting Saturday May Launch Civic Music Association Here

Representatives of all civic, social, musical, religious and scholastic organizations in Wichita Falls have been asked to meet at the Wichita club Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock to consider the organization of a Civic Music association here.

According to members of the committee formed to further the project, a representative of the Civic Concert Service Inc., of Chicago, will be here Saturday to offer the services of the bureau in providing this city with a series of artist concerts during the ensuing year without entailing guarantees or risk of financial loss.

It was stated that the plan to be proposed here already is in successful operation at Dallas, Fort Worth, St. Louis, Memphis and more than 200 other cities in the United States.

The Civic Concert Service, Inc., according to its announcements, has retained a large number of ranking artists for presentation during the season of 1932-1933. Included in that group are Paderewski, Jeritz, Zimbalist, Alda, Thomas, Steele, Swarthout, Lhevinne, Tackett and other first-rank artists from the concert and operatic field.

Those comprising the committee which has called the Saturday meeting are Mrs. Pearl Calhoun Davis, J. L. Jackson Jr., W. P. Killingsworth, Mrs. W. N. Maer, Mrs. Guy Rogers, R. E. Shepherd and Mrs. W. L. Parker.

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