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WASHINGTON, March 12. (UP)—After applauding a demand for the election of a progressive as president of the United States and adopting resolutions calling for fundamental changes in the federal government, the biparty progressive conference adjourned today. Committees appointed by the conference, however, will carry on through the summer and the final results of their labors are to be embodied in a legislative program which the progressives—with the balance of power in both houses—will advocate during the next congress.

The progressive demands include:

**Appearance of cabinet members and other executive officials on the floors of congress.**

**Adoption of the antilame duck amendment to the constitution.**

**Strengthening of the direct primary laws.**

**Amendment of the tariff laws to provide for congressional action on tariff commission recommendations for changes under the flexible provisions, a power now exercised by the president.**

**Congressional action on unemployment insurance, planning for stabilization of industry, public works expansion, a shorter work week, and a national system of employment exchanges.**

These demands, representing the results of recommendations from conference committees on return to representative government, unemployment and industrial stabilization, and tariff, are to be formulated more definitely by continuing subcommittees during the summer.

**Ovation for Norris**

The committee on agriculture, headed by Senator William E. Borah, Republican, Idaho, and that on public utilities, headed by Senator George W. Norris, Republican, Nebraska, did not submit formal reports but decided upon a series of summer and fall conferences in which to draw up definite legislative proposals.

An ovation for Norris, chairman of the conference, broke forth as the 70-year-old fighter brought down the gavel to close the two-day conference. Previously the meeting burst into cheers when Norris called for election of a president who would be a progressive. His use of the name of Roosevelt in this connection led many to think

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## Fire Menaces Colorful New Orleans District

NEW ORLEANS, March 12. (AP)—America's first apartment houses, erected here in 1850 by the Baroness de Pontalba, still stood intact today in the Vieux Carre (old quarter) to inspire artists and writers after a fire had seriously threatened one of them last night.

As always when flames menace the treasures of old "Frenchtown," firemen were quickly massed to extinguish the blaze, and the chief damage was to many precious historical documents housed in one section of one of the buildings.

The two apartment houses are a block long each and three stories high.

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## *Scorched Money Brings Arrest Of Jean Bank Burglary Suspect*

Special to The Record News.

GRAHAM, Texas, March 12.—An Abilene man, observed spending scorched money in that city Thursday, was in jail here Thursday night, held in connection with the looting of the Jean State bank Wednesday night.

The suspect was in possession of $142 identified by Graham P. Sherwood, president of the bank, as part of approximately $1,700 taken from the safe after bandits had burned a hole through the steel with an acetylene torch. The suspect was arrested after he paid a bill with burned money.

Sheriff J. B. Foster, who with District Attorney Sam Spence and County Attorney Chauncey Penix, brought the man from Abilene, said burglary charges would be filed against him.

Efforts to secure identification of the Jean bank burglars through finger prints were thwarted by the bandits' use of gloves, Chief of Police Frank Burns reported Thursday night after he and Jimmy Gonzales, finger print expert, had inspected the looted safe.

The acetylene torch cut a neat hole in the top of the bank safe and approximately $1,700 in currency, gold, silver and coppers was remov The bandits gained access to the safe by knocking off the combination of the vault after entering the bank building through a rear window.

The work was skillfully done, the chief declared, and bore the earmarks of professional cracksmen. The intruders took $1,455 in currency, $100 in gold, $130 in silver and between $20 and $30 in pennies, a check by J. G. Staples, cashier, revealed.

Staples discovered the burglary when he opened the bank for business Thursday morning. An empty whisky bottle and two lengths of garden hose stolen from a Jean garage were the only clues left by the looters.

## *Independent Oil Men Victims Of 'Predatory, Protected Interests'*

**Bullington Assails Congressional 'Horseplay' in Talk; Producers Must Organize for Finish Fight**

Interrupted by frequent bursts of applause, Orville Bullington flayed congressional dallying and monopolistic tendencies in the oil industry, and pleaded for better organization among oil producers themselves in an address before more than 100 members of the Rotary club at the Kemp hotel Thursday noon.

Oil men were charged with being as much to blame as senators and representatives at Washington for not having accomplished more in the way of relief during the past congressional session, "because they did not make an organized fight."

**Legislation Urged**

Certain measures were urged upon Texas as the largest oil state in the union, Mr. Bullington declaring that their passage here must precede adoption by the national government. Among such acts he recommended one regulating pipe lines and segregating them from purchasing companies so that they are operated on the same basis as railroads; and another prohibiting a manufacturing or refining concern from retailing its gasoline, as packers are prohibited from participating in the ranching business.

"Certain members" of the senate and house at Washington were attacked by Mr. Bullington, according to his quotations from an interview given the United States Daily there, for joining "predatory and protected interests."

**They succeeded "in a willful and high-handed manner in blocking every move made for relief," the speaker declared, "with the result that the consuming public as well as independent producers and refiners of oil have been made the victims of horseplay."**

**Fight Devil With Fire**

Mr. Bullington quoted further from the Washington interview relative to the fight made there by representatives of the independents:

"Delegates to the governors' oil relief conference represented one-third of the total area of the union and more than 20,000,000 of its people. Their request was fair, and made with full knowledge of the facts. Those facts were fully presented to the congress and showed a monthly loss running into millions of dollars to independent oil producers and their employes, multiplied thousands of oil workers unemployed and in want. These American citizens did not ask for a dollar to be appropriated to them, but only asked for the opportunity to support themselves under the equitable competitive conditions which have been conceded to other American industries.

"While we were asking for this legislation, congress took about 60 days to decide how much money to give out as a sort of dole, and the oil industry and its employes were losing as much as they finally gave for relief.

"The battle which has been waged against monopoly is not ended. We intend to make this a fight to the finish. We will not quit until this monopolistic control is destroyed and the producer and consumer get fair and adequate protection against the ruthless destruction of the independent oil industry."

**Boycott on Massachusetts**

Mr. Bullington also scored Massachusetts for its refusal to buy mid-continent oil and said, "If I were governor of this state, which I never

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## MARGINAL OIL CURB OPPOSED

Committee Votes to Exempt Small Wells

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—The house committee on oil, gas and mining tonight voted a favorable report on a bill to eliminate marginal oil wells from proration.

Claude C. Wild of Fort Worth, executive secretary of the Texas Independent Petroleum association, which approved the bill, said the law, if enacted, would increase the production from marginal wells about 50,000 barrels daily. This could be offset by additional proration of flush production.

The bill was given a favorable report, 7 to 1, with three present and not voting. Representative Long of Wichita Falls, cast the only vote against the bill.

The bill defined marginal wells as those making 10 barrels daily or less up to a depth of 2000 feet, 20 barrels or less up to 3500 feet, and 40 barrels or less deeper than 3500 feet.

One of the chief arguments in committee was over whether the figures should be 15, 25 and 50 rather than 10, 20 and 40. Long led the fight against the higher figures, stating the enactment of such a law would break proration. Tom Hunter, Wichita Falls operator, also stated those figures were too high.

Representative Howsley of Albany was the chief proponent of the higher figures.

## Daughters of Republic Endorse Texas Movie

SAN ANTONIO, March 12. (AP)—The Daughters of the Republic of Texas went on record Thursday as endorsing the historical motion picture epic, "Texas Under Six Flags," which will be produced in the state this year, at the final business session of that body which is in annual convention here.

Other matters discussed during the morning session were committee reports and plans for the year's program.

The convention was concluded with a tea at the governor's palace.

## Italian Government Faces Budget Deficit

ROME, March 12. (AP)—A deficit of 424,169,589 lire is foreseen in the 1931-32 budget for all government branches to be presented in the chamber of deputies by Antonio Mosconi, finance minister.

Receipts are estimated at 18,899,516,060 lire and disbursements at 19,323,685,629 lire. The lire is worth a little more than five cents.

## *Dapper Jimmy Walker Tells Dallas He's 'Interested' in Probe Rumors*

DALLAS, March 12. (UP)—James J. Walker, dapper mayor of New York City, left for El Paso tonight after stopping here to laugh at reports of a sweeping investigation of his administration in New York, and to say "howdeedo" to J. Waddy Tate "hot dog" mayor of Dallas.

Faultlessly attired and with hat brim adroop, Mayor "Jimmie" declared that if it were a crime to smile at charges of corruption, "then I am certainly a criminal."

"What is there to say?" he demanded. "If I say nothing, I am accused of being flippant and indifferent. If I say anything, I am charged with endeavoring to obstruct the investigation.

"What I am interested in is, where are those six trunks I'm supposed to be carrying with me? There's no baggage car attached to my coach. There should be an investigation . . ."

Mayor Walker declared he was like the man who, when asked if he would attend his mother-in-law's funeral, rejoined: "No. But I'm interested in it."

When asked if he foresaw changes in the prohibition amendment the mayor leaned forward as if to impart a great secret. "There will be no changes in prohibition for many years yet," he confided.

"Oh, they'll kick it about at the next national party conventions, but no drastic changes can be made. It's my observation that each constitutional amendment requires another law to enforce it.

"The enforcement law has not yet been added," said the mayor whimsically. Of presidential nominees, the New York executive had nothing to say.

## MILK PRICES SLASHED AGAIN

New Quotations at 12 Cents A Quart Retail

Retail and wholesale prices of milk in Wichita Falls have been given another slash, bringing quotations to the lowest level in Wichita Falls in years, it was learned Thursday from the Southwest Dairy Products company and the Lehrack-Ferguson company.

The retail price of milk is now 12 cents a quart, as compared to the former price of 14 cents a quart. The wholesale price to retailers and other quantity purchasers was reduced to nine cents from 11 cents.

Retail and wholesale milk prices were cut one cent here several weeks ago, the first reduction in years. The cut which was announced Thursday has been in effect for several days, the milk companies said. Prices paid to producers of milk also have declined steadily here for the last year. While the reduction was confirmed by only the Southwest and the Lehrack-Ferguson companies, it was expected the new quotations would be generally followed by dairies in Wichita Falls, as was the case in the previous cut.

## Mothers and Babies Die in Fire After Blast at Duncan

DUNCAN, Okla., March 12. (AP)—Two mothers and three babies lost their lives in an explosion and fire here last night.

Details of the tragedy disclosed a futile attempt by Mrs. Ed Thurlo, 22, to save the life of one of her baby daughters, 2 and 5 years old. Mother and child died after Mrs. Thurlo had dashed from the house and had rolled in the grass with the infant in her arms. The other little girl perished in the blazing home.

Other victims of the blast and fire, believed caused because one of the women poured kerosene on the embers of a kitchen stove fire were Mrs. John Thurlo, 20, and 2-year-old girl.

Helen, 3, Mrs. John Thurlo's other child, was rescued from the back porch by neighbors.

The Thurlo brothers, refinery workers, were not at home.

## Tourist Killed When He Dozes at Wheel

EL PASO, Texas, March 12. (INS)—Falling asleep at the wheel of his automobile brought death to a tourist, believed to be H. H. Goss, of Little Rock, Ark., 10 miles east of here today.

Goss' car left the highway traveling at high speed, side-swiped a tree and overturned. Walter Carlson, 12, of Winnetak, Ill., was severely cut and bruised.

Carlson said he was hitch-hiking from California and had been picked up by Goss at Tucson.

## Policeman and Convicts Wounded in Gunfight

NEW YORK, March 12. (AP)—A policeman engaged in a pistol fight with an escaped convict and ex-convict early today and all three were taken to the hospital with critical wounds.

When Patrolman James J. Flanagan hailed two men, one replied with bullets and they fled. Firing, Flanagan hit both. Fellow policemen took up the chase. The fugitives were captured shortly afterward.

## Dope Ring Smashed In Raids at Toledo, Ohio

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 12. (INS)—What federal authorities described as one of the largest dope rings in the country was smashed early today in a series of raids which resulted in the arrest of 19 persons, including seven women, and seizure of $6,000 worth of narcotics.

Names of 100 other dope peddlers and addicts were learned by the raiding crew composed of 10 federal agents and more than a score of city patrolmen.

## BOND SPEAKERS TO 'PEEL HIDE' OF OPPOSITION

R. E. Taylor and Harvey Harris to Give Facts At Big Rally Tonight

MEETING AT 7:30

Leaders to Make Final Plea For Pure Water For Wichita Falls

A final rally of water improvement proponents will be held Friday night at the Memorial auditorium in preparation for the voting on the $1,000,000 bond issue the next day, it was announced Thursday by R. E. Huff, executive chairman of the water improvement program committee, and J. B. Marlow, campaign director.

**Final Rally**

A last effort will be made to bring before the voters of the city the necessity of voting funds with which to carry out water improvements intended to provide Wichita Falls with an abundance of pure, soft water at sufficient pressure to preclude recurrence of the water shortage in certain sections of the city last summer.

R. E. Taylor and Harvey Harris have been announced as the principal speakers of the program. Mr. Taylor, it was said, is well qualified in the type of address he is to make and will "take the hide off" the opponents of the bond issue. His talk will deal with misrepresentations of facts reputed to have been made by the opposition, it was announced. The committeemen in charge of the program Friday night declare that those acquainted with Mr. Taylor have no doubt concerning his "hide peeling" ability.

**Big Crowd Expected**

Mr. Harris' talk, it was said, will deal with a general summary of the issue. An appeal will be made to voters to cast their ballots Saturday in favor of the issuance of $1,000,000 in bonds to permit the immediate start on the water improvement projects, which include the erection of a modern filtration plant, the construction of a closed water main from the lake to the filtration plant for the purpose of eliminating water contamination, the installation of additional pumps to increase pressure, the digging of a ditch around Lake Wichita to keep irrigation drainage from entering the lake, and the laying of additional water mains in the city.

The meeting Friday night is to be called to order at 7:30 o'clock. Those in charge promise the large crowd to be present an entertaining as well as a constructive program.

## Bandits Bind Women And Take Jewelry

CHICAGO, March 12. (AP)—Two robbers today bound Mrs. Louise Brennan, of Houston, Texas, and a maid in the apartment of her sister, Miss Winifred Wilson, actress, now in New York, and escaped with a diamond studded wrist watch and a pearl necklace.

The robbers gained entrance to the tenth floor apartment by a ruse, telephoning they had a package to deliver.

The maid, Miss June Dyra, admitted the pair who, she said, forced Mrs. Brennan and herself into a rear room at the point of a pistol, bound them with towels and locked the door. The robbers escaped after obtaining the watch and pearls.

## Slayer of Villa Held For Smuggling Arms

CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mexico, March 12. (UP)—Military police tonight held Jesus Salas Barraza, the man who confessed killing Francisco Villa, the famous Mexican revolutionist.

Barraza was charged with smuggling rifles and shells.

He refused to explain his possession of the firearms and ammunition, and instead asked his release on bond. Authorities said adherents of the late rebel chieftain had threatened openly to kill Barraza if he was freed.

## Wimberley Death Trial Delayed Until September

SAN MARCOS, Texas, March 12. (AP)—Trial of A. J. Wimberley on charges of killing Riley W. Plant of San Antonio in a gun fight here Oct. 11, 1929, today was postponed until the September term of court because of the absence of four state witnesses. A special venire of 100 was dismissed.

## Gun Battle Wounds Fatal to Constable

NAVASOTA, Texas, March 12. (UP)—Constable Roy Sterling, 34, of Hempstead, died in a hospital here today from gunshot wounds received in a gun battle with a negro Tuesday night.

Sterling killed Will Henley, escaped negro convict, after the negro had shot him when he was surprised entering a warehouse.

## *Prohi Chief Musters 500 New Sleuths For Strenuous Offensive*

WASHINGTON, March 12. (AP)—Prohibition Director Woodcock today served notice upon commercial dry law violators that his 500 new agents would be thrown against them in a carefully planned campaign, more strenuous than any in recent prohibition history.

At the same time he disclosed figures for enforcement during the past month, showing more than 4,000 arrests, and the seizure of 1,800 stills, 159,000 gallons of illicit liquor and 246,000 gallons of beer.

"Surely this must put a dent in commercial violations," the director said. "In one state alone, New York, we seized stills with an aggregate daily capacity of 90,000 gallons.

**Campaign Mapped**

Four points stood out in the formation of the new enforcement campaign.

One was the issuance of orders to every prohibition administrator and his deputies to submit to Washington plans for dove-tailed operations involving the 500 agents.

Another was the announcement of the intended purchase of $50,000 worth of automobiles.

A third was notification to all administrators to select their quotas of new agents from the list of 3,000 eligible, having them ready for duty by July 1. Plans also were laid for sending them to school.

**"Thinking" Demanded**

Lastly, Woodcock made known the creation of an "intelligence division to study 'enemy' operations."

"We want to have a definite plan of action in every section before July 1," he said. "There is no use having increased facilities unless there is a campaign to employ them. And I want some real thinking done upon it. We should get away from the old policy of living and operating against violators on a day by day basis."

Approximately 150 of the new force already have been selected and put to work, Woodcock said.

## Alabaman Convicted Of Voluntary Manslaughter

INDIANAPOLIS, March 12. (AP)—Harold Herbert Schroeder, 35, of Mobile, Ala., was convicted of voluntary manslaughter by a criminal court jury tonight for the death of an unidentified man whose charred body was found in Schroeder's automobile near here last May 31. The verdict carries a penalty of 2 to 21 years.

## Deepest Oil Producer Flows Out of Control

SAN ANGELO, Texas, March 12. (AP)—Forty-eight hours after it burst its steel bonds at an undetermined point beneath the surface, the latest and largest of the world's deepest oil producers, Group Number One Oil corporation's No. 4-B university, in Reagan county, early tonight continued to flow out of control at a total depth of 8587 feet.

Oil of 61 gravity, forced by gas that gauged 66,000,000 cubic feet before the well was tubed, overflowed the cellar, was being piped aside and was showering through the steel derrick in a pale yellow cloud, drenching workmen in slickers and rubber boots.

## Archbishop's Pilgrimage Starts Vatican Rumor

VATICAN CITY, March 12. (US)—Reports that the Rt. Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, archbishop of Canterbury, would visit the holy sepulchre at Jerusalem as part of the itinerary of his trip aboard the yacht of J. P. Morgan, were treated circumspectly at the vatican today.

Rumors persist that the vatican has made representation to the archbishop citing the fact that a delicate situation might be created should the head of the Anglican church visit the crypt which is traditionally guarded by the Roman Catholic, Greek, Russian and Coptic faiths.

## Seven Held After Police Recover Stolen Property

SAN ANTONIO, March 12. (AP)—Information obetained by Detectives Swift and Shipp have brought about the arrest of a girl, six youths, recovery of several hundred dollars worth of stolen property, and a police investigation into the activities of an organization which officers believe responsible for numerous recent robberies.

### AMAZON

Sister of Communist General Beaten In Fierce Battle

SHANGHAI, March 13. (Friday)—(UP)—A sister of General Holung, notorious Communist, led 3,000 Chinese bandits into a fierce battle today and met defeat.

The woman directed her forces to attack the town of Lachih.

As the feminine warrior was crossing the Hupen-Hunan border she was met by government troops of the 48th division under Gen. Hsu Yuan-Chan.

In the fighting that followed there were many casualties and the invaders were finally routed.

## WIFE RELATES DEATH SCENE

U. S. Beauty Says She Shot In Self-Defense

NICE, France, March 13. (Friday)—(UP)—Mrs. Fred G. Nixon-Nirdlinger's own story of how she killed her husband, Philadelphia theatrical magnate, was made public by police early today.

Using the jewelled fountain pen which was a gift from her dead husband, the St. Louis beauty pageant winner sat in a cell charged with his murder and wrote her lurid confession of the elderly Nixon-Nirdlinger's last moments. She shot him after a quarrel Wednesday night in their Riviera apartment.

"We dined together," the former Charlotte Nash, widow by her own hand, wrote, "my husband drank wine and whisky.

"Later, I went into the boudoir, put on my pajamas and returned to the living room where my husband was working a crossword puzzle. I started to study Italian, when he looked up and said:

**Charges 'Lover'**

"'You must have an Italian lover. I revoke and will disinherit your children.'

"He then walked into the kitchen and drank more whisky. I went into the bedroom and placed a revolver under the pillow of my twin bed because several times before he had threatened to kill me.

"My husband came into the room. He undressed. He said: 'I would kill you rather than let you have an Italian lover.' I answered: 'Have no fears on that score.'

"Then he started choking me. I grabbed the revolver and fired pointblank. He staggered out of the room. I pushed him, firing several times. Then I fainted.

"As soon as I revived, I started a search for the concierge. I fainted again."

**Awaits Police**

While awaiting the police, Mrs. Nixon-Nirdlinger removed her blood-stained pink pajamas. She dressed herself in a brown sports suit which she had worn on the golf links.

The body of her dead husband at present lies unclad in the morgue in Nice, in accordance with the custom of handling persons murdered in France.

Self-defense was the hysterical plea of the young widow during the long grilling by the police. She clung to her story through hours of questioning.

She pictured Nixon-Nirdlinger, 54 and grey, as a love-crazed husband, jealous over the imagined affair with a handsome Italian tutor.

**HOUSTON BANKER DIES**

HOUSTON, March 12. (AP)—Jonas Shearn Rice, 75-year-old prominent Houston banker, died today following a long illness. He was a nephew of William M. Rice, founder of Rice institute and a brother of former Mayor Baldwin Rice.

## SHORT BALLOT AND HOME RULE PLAN FAVORED

Only Three State Offices Would Be Elective Under Bill

VOTE IN NOVEMBER

Proposed Amendment To Constitution Goes To House Debate

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, March 12.—Home rule for Texas counties was given unanimous approval in a favorable committee report Thursday to the house on Representative Walter Beck's home rule amendment after the committee broadened the plan to make it accessible to every county of the state.

The short ballot, extending the manager system to the state government also was approved by the house committee on constitutional amendments.

**Manager System Possible**

The two measures together make possible the benfits of the manager system of government to both counties and the state. The short ballot allows the election of the governor, lieutenant governor and attorney general.

The county home rule plan as offered by Representative Beck grants the powers to counties of 150,000 population and over. The committee adopted Mr. Beck's amendment to authorize the legislature to grant the same power to any other county. Mr. Beck said further amendments will be offered in the house, lowering the population limit or taking it off entirely.

**Combine Governments**

The Beck plan makes possible extending the manager system to county government. It permits where people of both the city and the rural sections want it, to combine city and county government into a single nonduplicating unit. It leaves school affairs and district courts untouched.

It would be submitted to the voters of Texas next November.

## Sheep Herder Held In Girl's Slaying

SALINAS, Calif., March 12. (UP)—A sheep herder who had admitted he was in San Diego when 16-year-old Virginia Brooks was kidnapped, was questioned by county and city authorities here tonight regarding murder of the little girl.

He gave the name of Jerry L. Davis when he pleaded guilty here Wednesday to a charge of first degree robbery and seemed anxious to receive a long sentence in San Quentin state prison.

Tonight, he told Sheriff Carl H. Abbott and Chief of Police George Griffin that Davis was not his true name. He denied he knew anything about the killing of Virginia.

## Texan Killed Beneath Wreckage of Truck

GALLUP, N. M., March 12. (AP)—W. N. Miller, 45, of Amarillo, Texas, was killed 10 miles east of here last night when pinned beneath an overturned truck.

The lights on the truck had gone out, and Miller was riding on the running board, holding a flash light to enable N. M. Seufert, also of Amarillo, driver of the truck to see. The vehicle struck a soft boulder and overturned, pinning Miller beneath it.

## Legislature to Hear Frank Hawks Monday

AUSTIN, Texas, March 12. (INS)—Captain Frank Hawks, speed king of the air, will address the Texas senate at 3 p. m. Monday by invitation unanimously extended today.

He will fly here from Wichita, Kan., in his speedy "mystery ship."

## *Designation of Butterfield Trial Opposed by Senate Committee Vote*

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—The senate committee on highways and motor traffic today reported out unfavorably a bill by Senator Woodruff of Decatur asking that the legislature designate the Butterfield trail as a state highway.

Senator Loy of Sherman was the only member of the committee to vote for the bill. He said he would not request a minority report. Senator Woodward of Coleman was author of the motion to give the bill an unfavorable report.

The committee adopted an amendment by Senator Woodruff asking that the trail be routed from Abilene over maintained state highways to San Angelo, thence to Fort Stockton and on the Spanish trail to El Paso.

Woodruff said there was a fight between Sweetwater and Abilene over trade territories. He stated that was Sweetwater's reason in opposing the designation of the trail.

Senator Stevenson of Victoria said such a designation where the towns were named might cause questions for the courts. Woodruff stated the bill, in naming the towns on the trail, said as near as practicable.

Representative Scott of Sweetwater stated he had communications from Arizona, Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas and California, other states through which the Butterfield trail was routed, and none of them had designated it as a highway.

## WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Cloudy, somewhat colder in north and west portions Friday; Saturday partly cloudy, somewhat colder in north and east portions.

OKLAHOMA—Cloudy, probably showers in east portion, somewhat colder in west portion Friday; Saturday, partly cloudy, somewhat colder.

EAST TEXAS—Cloudy Friday; Saturday unsettled, probably showers in east portion, somewhat colder in north and west portions.

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

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| Maximum temperature | 79 |
| Minimum temperature | 45 |
| Temperature at 5 p. m. | 78 |
| Precipitation | 0 |
| Partly cloudy | |
| South wind | |
| Average wind velocity | 8 |
| Maximum wind velocity | 12 |
| Barometer | 29.98 |

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These demands, representing the results of recommendations from conference committees on return to representative government, unemployment and industrial stabilization, and tariff, are to be formulated more definitely by continuing subcommittees during the summer.

**Ovation for Norris**

The committee on agriculture, headed by Senator William E. Borah, Republican, Idaho, and that on public utilities, headed by Senator George W. Norris, Republican, Nebraska, did not submit formal reports but decided upon a series of summer and fall conferences in which to draw up definite legislative proposals.

An ovation for Norris, chairman of the conference, broke forth as the 70-year-old fighter brought down the gavel to close the two-day conference. Previously the meeting burst into cheers when Norris called for election of a president who would be a progressive. His use of the name of Roosevelt in this connection led many to think

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## Fire Menaces Colorful New Orleans District

NEW ORLEANS, March 12. (AP)—America's first apartment houses, erected here in 1850 by the Baroness de Pontalba, still stood intact today in the Vieux Carre (old quarter) to inspire artists and writers after a fire had seriously threatened one of them last night.

As always when flames menace the treasures of old "Frenchtown," firemen were quickly massed to extinguish the blaze, and the chief damage was to many precious historical documents housed in one section of one of the buildings.

The two apartment houses are a block long each and three stories high.


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## Scorched Money Brings Arrest Of Jean Bank Burglary Suspect

Special to The Record News.

GRAHAM, Texas, March 12.—An Abilene man, observed spending scorched money in that city Thursday, was in jail here Thursday night, held in connection with the looting of the Jean State bank Wednesday night.

The suspect was in possession of $142 identified by Graham P. Sherwood, president of the bank, as part of approximately $1,700 taken from the safe after bandits had burned a hole through the steel with an acetylene torch. The suspect was arrested after he paid a bill with burned money.

Sheriff J. B. Foster, who with District Attorney Sam Spence and County Attorney Chauncey Penix, brought the man from Abilene, said burglary charges would be filed against him.

Efforts to secure identification of the Jean bank burglars through finger prints were thwarted by the bandits' use of gloves, Chief of Police Frank Burns reported Thursday night after he and Jimmy Gonzales, finger print expert, had inspected the looted safe.

The acetylene torch cut a neat hole in the top of the bank safe and approximately $1,700 in currency, gold, silver and coppers was remov The bandits gained access to the safe by knocking off the combination of the vault after entering the bank building through a rear window.

The work was skillfully done, the chief declared, and bore the earmarks of professional cracksmen. The intruders took $1,455 in currency, $100 in gold, $130 in silver and between $20 and $30 in pennies, a check by J. G. Staples, cashier, revealed.

Staples discovered the burglary when he opened the bank for business Thursday morning. An empty whisky bottle and two lengths of garden hose stolen from a Jean garage were the only clues left by the looters.

## Independent Oil Men Victims Of 'Predatory, Protected Interests'

**Bullington Assails Congressional 'Horseplay' in Talk; Producers Must Organize for Finish Fight**

Interrupted by frequent bursts of applause, Orville Bullington flayed congressional dallying and monopolistic tendencies in the oil industry, and pleaded for better organization among oil producers themselves in an address before more than 100 members of the Rotary club at the Kemp hotel Thursday noon.

Oil men were charged with being as much to blame as senators and representatives at Washington for not having accomplished more in the way of relief during the past congressional session, "because they did not make an organized fight."

**Legislation Urged**

Certain measures were urged upon Texas as the largest oil state in the union, Mr. Bullington declaring that their passage here must precede adoption by the national government. Among such acts he recommended one regulating pipe lines and segregating them from purchasing companies so that they are operated on the same basis as railroads; and another prohibiting a manufacturing or refining concern from retailing its gasoline, as packers are prohibited from participating in the ranching business.

"Certain members" of the senate and house at Washington were attacked by Mr. Bullington, according to his quotations from an interview given the United States Daily there, for joining "predatory and protected interests."

**They succeeded "in a willful and high-handed manner in blocking every move made for relief," the speaker declared, "with the result that the consuming public as well as independent producers and refiners of oil have been made the victims of horseplay."**

**Fight Devil With Fire**

Mr. Bullington quoted further from the Washington interview relative to the fight made there by representatives of the independents:

"Delegates to the governors' oil relief conference represented one-third of the total area of the union and more than 20,000,000 of its people. Their request was fair, and made with full knowledge of the facts. Those facts were fully presented to the congress and showed a monthly loss running into millions of dollars to independent oil producers and their employes, multiplied thousands of oil workers unemployed and in want. These American citizens did not ask for a dollar to be appropriated to them, but only asked for the opportunity to support themselves under the equitable competitive conditions which have been conceded to other American industries.

"While we were asking for this legislation, congress took about 60 days to decide how much money to give out as a sort of dole, and the oil industry and its employes were losing as much as they finally gave for relief.

"The battle which has been waged against monopoly is not ended. We intend to make this a fight to the finish. We will not quit until this monopolistic control is destroyed and the producer and consumer get fair and adequate protection against the ruthless destruction of the independent oil industry."

**Boycott on Massachusetts**

Mr. Bullington also scored Massachusetts for its refusal to buy mid-continent oil and said, "If I were governor of this state, which I never

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## MARGINAL OIL CURB OPPOSED

Committee Votes to Exempt Small Wells

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—The house committee on oil, gas and mining tonight voted a favorable report on a bill to eliminate marginal oil wells from proration.

Claude C. Wild of Fort Worth, executive secretary of the Texas Independent Petroleum association, which approved the bill, said the law, if enacted, would increase the production from marginal wells about 50,000 barrels daily. This could be offset by additional proration of flush production.

The bill was given a favorable report, 7 to 1, with three present and not voting. Representative Long of Wichita Falls, cast the only vote against the bill.

The bill defined marginal wells as those making 10 barrels daily or less up to a depth of 2000 feet, 20 barrels or less up to 3500 feet, and 40 barrels or less deeper than 3500 feet.

One of the chief arguments in committee was over whether the figures should be 15, 25 and 50 rather than 10, 20 and 40. Long led the fight against the higher figures, stating the enactment of such a law would break proration. Tom Hunter, Wichita Falls operator, also stated those figures were too high.

Representative Howsley of Albany was the chief proponent of the higher figures.

## Daughters of Republic Endorse Texas Movie

SAN ANTONIO, March 12. (AP)—The Daughters of the Republic of Texas went on record Thursday as endorsing the historical motion picture epic, "Texas Under Six Flags," which will be produced in the state this year, at the final business session of that body which is in annual convention here.

Other matters discussed during the morning session were committee reports and plans for the year's program.

The convention was concluded with a tea at the governor's palace.

## Italian Government Faces Budget Deficit

ROME, March 12. (AP)—A deficit of 424,169,589 lire is foreseen in the 1931-32 budget for all government branches to be presented in the chamber of deputies by Antonio Mosconi, finance minister.

Receipts are estimated at 18,899,516,060 lire and disbursements at 19,323,685,629 lire. The lire is worth a little more than five cents.

## Dapper Jimmy Walker Tells Dallas He's 'Interested' in Probe Rumors

DALLAS, March 12. (UP)—James J. Walker, dapper mayor of New York City, left for El Paso tonight after stopping here to laugh at reports of a sweeping investigation of his administration in New York, and to say "howdeedo" to J. Waddy Tate "hot dog" mayor of Dallas.

Faultlessly attired and with hat brim adroop, Mayor "Jimmie" declared that if it were a crime to smile at charges of corruption, "then I am certainly a criminal."

"What is there to say?" he demanded. "If I say nothing, I am accused of being flippant and indifferent. If I say anything, I am charged with endeavoring to obstruct the investigation.

"What I am interested in is, where are those six trunks I'm supposed to be carrying with me? There's no baggage car attached to my coach. There should be an investigation . . ."

Mayor Walker declared he was like the man who, when asked if he would attend his mother-in-law's funeral, rejoined: "No. But I'm interested in it."

When asked if he foresaw changes in the prohibition amendment the mayor leaned forward as if to impart a great secret. "There will be no changes in prohibition for many years yet," he confided.

"Oh, they'll kick it about at the next national party conventions, but no drastic changes can be made. It's my observation that each constitutional amendment requires another law to enforce it.

"The enforcement law has not yet been added," said the mayor whimsically. Of presidential nominees, the New York executive had nothing to say.

## MILK PRICES SLASHED AGAIN

New Quotations at 12 Cents A Quart Retail

Retail and wholesale prices of milk in Wichita Falls have been given another slash, bringing quotations to the lowest level in Wichita Falls in years, it was learned Thursday from the Southwest Dairy Products company and the Lehrack-Ferguson company.

The retail price of milk is now 12 cents a quart, as compared to the former price of 14 cents a quart. The wholesale price to retailers and other quantity purchasers was reduced to nine cents from 11 cents.

Retail and wholesale milk prices were cut one cent here several weeks ago, the first reduction in years. The cut which was announced Thursday has been in effect for several days, the milk companies said. Prices paid to producers of milk also have declined steadily here for the last year. While the reduction was confirmed by only the Southwest and the Lehrack-Ferguson companies, it was expected the new quotations would be generally followed by dairies in Wichita Falls, as was the case in the previous cut.

## Mothers and Babies Die in Fire After Blast at Duncan

DUNCAN, Okla., March 12. (AP)—Two mothers and three babies lost their lives in an explosion and fire here last night.

Details of the tragedy disclosed a futile attempt by Mrs. Ed Thurlo, 22, to save the life of one of her baby daughters, 2 and 5 years old. Mother and child died after Mrs. Thurlo had dashed from the house and had rolled in the grass with the infant in her arms. The other little girl perished in the blazing home.

Other victims of the blast and fire, believed caused because one of the women poured kerosene on the embers of a kitchen stove fire were Mrs. John Thurlo, 20, and 1 2-year-old girl.

Helen, 3, Mrs. John Thurlo's other child, was rescued from the back porch by neighbors.

The Thurlo brothers, refinery workers, were not at home.

## Tourist Killed When He Dozes at Wheel

EL PASO, Texas, March 12. (INS)—Falling asleep at the wheel of his automobile brought death to a tourist, believed to be H. H. Goss, of Little Rock, Ark., 10 miles east of here today.

Goss' car left the highway traveling at high speed, side-swiped a tree and overturned. Walter Carlson, 12, of Winnetak, Ill., was severely cut and bruised.

Carlson said he was hitch-hiking from California and had been picked up by Goss at Tucson.

## Policeman and Convicts Wounded in Gunfight

NEW YORK, March 12. (AP)—A policeman engaged in a pistol fight with an escaped convict and ex-convict early today and all three were taken to the hospital with critical wounds.

When Patrolman James J. Flanagan hailed two men, one replied with bullets and they fled. Firing, Flanagan hit both. Fellow policemen took up the chase. The fugitives were captured shortly afterward.

## Dope Ring Smashed In Raids at Toledo, Ohio

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 12. (INS)—What federal authorities described as one of the largest dope rings in the country was smashed early today in a series of raids which resulted in the arrest of 19 persons, including seven women, and seizure of $6,000 worth of narcotics.

Names of 100 other dope peddlers and addicts were learned by the raiding crew composed of 10 federal agents and more than a score of city patrolmen.

## BOND SPEAKERS TO 'PEEL HIDE' OF OPPOSITION

R. E. Taylor and Harvey Harris to Give Facts At Big Rally Tonight

MEETING AT 7:30

Leaders to Make Final Plea For Pure Water For Wichita Falls

A final rally of water improvement proponents will be held Friday night at the Memorial auditorium in preparation for the voting on the $1,000.000 bond issue the next day, it was announced Thursday by R. E. Huff, executive chairman of the water improvement program committee, and J. B. Marlow, campaign director.

**Final Rally**

A last effort will be made to bring before the voters of the city the necessity of voting funds with which to carry out water improvements intended to provide Wichita Falls with an abundance of pure, soft water at sufficient pressure to preclude recurrence of the water shortage in certain sections of the city last summer.

R. E. Taylor and Harvey Harris have been announced as the principal speakers of the program. Mr. Taylor, it was said, is well qualified in the type of address he is to make and will "take the hide off" the opponents of the bond issue. His talk will deal with misrepresentations of facts reputed to have been made by the opposition, it was announced. The committeemen in charge of the program Friday night declare that those acquainted with Mr. Taylor have no doubt concerning his "hide peeling" ability.

**Big Crowd Expected**

Mr. Harris' talk, it was said, will deal with a general summary of the issue. An appeal will be made to voters to cast their ballots Saturday in favor of the issuance of $1,000,000 in bonds to permit the immediate start on the water improvement projects, which include the erection of a modern filtration plant, the construction of a closed water main from the lake to the filtration plant for the purpose of eliminating water contamination, the installation of additional pumps to increase pressure, the digging of a ditch around Lake Wichita to keep irrigation drainage from entering the lake, and the laying of additional water mains in the city.

The meeting Friday night is to be called to order at 7:30 o'clock. Those in charge promise the large crowd to be present an entertaining as well as a constructive program.

## Bandits Bind Women And Take Jewelry

CHICAGO, March 12. (AP)—Two robbers today bound Mrs. Louise Brennan, of Houston, Texas, and a maid in the apartment of her sister, Miss Winifred Wilson, actress, now in New York, and escaped with a diamond studded wrist watch and a pearl necklace.

The robbers gained entrance to the tenth floor apartment by a ruse, telephoning they had a package to deliver.

The maid, Miss June Dyrs, admitted the pair who, she said, forced Mrs. Brennan and herself into a rear room at the point of a pistol, bound them with towels and locked the door. The robbers escaped after obtaining the watch and pearls.

## Slayer of Villa Held For Smuggling Arms

CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mexico, March 12. (UP)—Military police tonight held Jesus Salas Barraza, the man who confessed killing Francisco Villa, the famous Mexican revolutionist.

Barraza was charged with smuggling rifles and shells.

He refused to explain his possession of the firearms and ammunition, and instead asked his release on bond. Authorities said adherents of the late rebel chieftain had threatened openly to kill Barraza if he was freed.

## Wimberley Death Trial Delayed Until September

SAN MARCOS, Texas, March 12. (AP)—Trial of A. J. Wimberley on charges of killing Riley W. Plant of San Antonio in a gun fight here Oct. 11, 1929, today was postponed until the September term of court because of the absence of four state witnesses. A special venire of 100 was dismissed.

## Gun Battle Wounds Fatal to Constable

NAVASOTA, Texas, March 12. (UP)—Constable Roy Sterling, 34, of Hempstead, died in a hospital here today from gunshot wounds received in a gun battle with a negro Tuesday night.

Sterling killed Will Henley, escaped negro convict, after the negro had shot him when he was surprised entering a warehouse.

## Prohi Chief Musters 500 New Sleuths For Strenuous Offensive

WASHINGTON, March 12. (AP)—Prohibition Director Woodcock today served notice upon commercial dry law violators that his 500 new agents would be thrown against them in a carefully planned campaign, more strenuous than any in recent prohibition history.

At the same time he disclosed figures for enforcement during the past month, showing more than 4,000 arrests, and the seizure of 1,800 stills, 159,000 gallons of illicit liquor and 246,000 gallons of beer.

"Surely this must put a dent in commercial violations," the director said. "In one state alone, New York, we seized stills with an aggregate daily capacity of 90,000 gallons.

**Campaign Mapped**

Four points stood out in the formation of the new enforcement campaign.

One was the issuance of orders to every prohibition administrator and his deputies to submit to Washington plans for dove-tailed operations involving the 500 agents.

Another was the announcement of the intended purchase of $50,000 worth of automobiles.

A third was notification to all administrators to select their quotas of new agents from the list of 3,000 eligible, having them ready for duty by July 1. Plans also were laid for sending them to school.

**"Thinking" Demanded**

Lastly, Woodcock made known the creation of an "intelligence division to study 'enemy' operations."

"We want to have a definite plan of action in every section before July 1," he said. "There is no use having increased facilities unless there is a campaign to employ them. And I want some real thinking done upon it. We should get away from the old policy of living and operating against violators on a day by day basis."

Approximately 150 of the new force already have been selected and put to work, Woodcock said.

## Alabaman Convicted Of Voluntary Manslaughter

INDIANAPOLIS, March 12. (AP)—Harold Herbert Schroeder, 35, of Mobile, Ala., was convicted of voluntary manslaughter by a criminal court jury tonight for the death of an unidentified man whose charred body was found in Schroeder's automobile near here last May 31. The verdict carries a penalty of 2 to 21 years.

## Deepest Oil Producer Flows Out of Control

SAN ANGELO, Texas, March 12. (AP)—Forty-eight hours after it burst its steel bonds at an undetermined point beneath the surface, the latest and largest of the world's deepest oil producers, Group Number One Oil corporation's No. 4-B university, in Reagan county, early tonight continued to flow out of control at a total depth of 8587 feet.

Oil of 61 gravity, forced by gas that gauged 66,000,000 cubic feet before the well was tubed, overflowed the cellar, was being piped aside and was showering through the steel derrick in a pale yellow cloud, drenching workmen in slickers and rubber boots.

## Archbishop's Pilgrimage Starts Vatican Rumor

VATICAN CITY, March 12. (US)—Reports that the Rt. Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, archbishop of Canterbury, would visit the holy sepulchre at Jerusalem as part of the itinerary of his trip aboard the yacht of J. P. Morgan, were treated circumspectly at the vatican today.

Rumors persist that the vatican has made representation to the archbishop citing the fact that a delicate situation might be created should the head of the Anglican church visit the crypt which is traditionally guarded by the Roman Catholic, Greek, Russian and Coptic faiths.

## Seven Held After Police Recover Stolen Property

SAN ANTONIO, March 12. (AP)—Information obetained by Detectives Swift and Shipp have brought about the arrest of a girl, six youths, recovery of several hundred dollars worth of stolen property, and a police investigation into the activities of an organization which officers believe responsible for numerous recent robberies.

## AMAZON

Sister of Communist General Beaten In Fierce Battle

SHANGHAI, March 13. (Friday)—(UP)—A sister of General Holung, notorious Communist, led 3,000 Chinese bandits into a fierce battle today and met defeat.

The woman directed her forces to attack the town of Lachih.

As the feminine warrior was crossing the Hupen-Hunan border she was met by government troops of the 48th division under Gen. Hsu Yuan-Chan.

In the fighting that followed there were many casualties and the invaders were finally routed.

## WIFE RELATES DEATH SCENE

U. S. Beauty Says She Shot In Self-Defense

NICE, France, March 13. (Friday)—(UP)—Mrs. Fred G. Nixon-Nirdlinger's own story of how she killed her husband, Philadelphia theatrical magnate, was made public by police early today.

Using the jewelled fountain pen which was a gift from her dead husband, the St. Louis beauty pageant winner sat in a cell charged with his murder and wrote her lurid confession of the elderly Nixon-Nirdlinger's last moments. She shot him after a quarrel Wednesday night in their Riviera apartment.

"We dined together," the former Charlotte Nash, widow by her own hand, wrote, "my husband drank wine and whisky.

"Later, I went into the boudoir, put on my pajamas and returned to the living room where my husband was working a crossword puzzle. I started to study Italian, when he looked up and said:

**Charges 'Lover'**

"'You must have an Italian lover. I revoke and will disinherit your children.'

"He then walked into the kitchen and drank more whisky. I went into the bedroom and placed a revolver under the pillow of my twin bed because several times before he had threatened to kill me.

"My husband came into the room. He undressed. He said: 'I would kill you rather than let you have an Italian lover.' I answered: 'Have no fears on that score.'

"Then he started choking me. I grabbed the revolver and fired pointblank. He staggered out of the room. I pushed him, firing several times. Then I fainted.

"As soon as I revived, I started a search for the concierge. I fainted again."

**Awaits Police**

While awaiting the police, Mrs. Nixon-Nirdlinger removed her blood-stained pink pajamas. She dressed herself in a brown sports suit which she had worn on the golf links.

The body of her dead husband at present lies uncland in the morgue in Nice, in accordance with the custom of handling persons murdered in France.

Self-defense was the hysterical plea of the young widow during the long grilling by the police. She clung to her story through hours of questioning.

She pictured Nixon-Nirdlinger, 54 and grey, as a love-crazed husband, jealous over the imagined affair with a handsome Italian tutor.

**HOUSTON BANKER DIES**

HOUSTON, March 12. (AP)—Jonas Shearn Rice, 75-year-old prominent Houston banker, died today following a long illness. He was a nephew of William M. Rice, founder of Rice institute and a brother of former Mayor Baldwin Rice.

## SHORT BALLOT AND HOME RULE PLAN FAVORED

Only Three State Offices Would Be Elective Under Bill

VOTE IN NOVEMBER

Proposed Amendment To Constitution Goes To House Debate

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, March 12.—Home rule for Texas counties was given unanimous approval in a favorable committee report Thursday to the house on Representative Walter Beck's home rule amendment after the committee broadened the plan to make it accessible to every county of the state.

The short ballot, extending the manager system to the state government also was approved by the house committee on constitutional amendments.

**Manager System Possible**

The two measures together make possible the benfits of the manager system of government to both counties and the state. The short ballot allows the election of the governor, lieutenant governor and attorney general.

The county home rule plan as offered by Representative Beck grants the powers to counties of 150,000 population and over. The committee adopted Mr. Beck's amendment to authorize the legislature to grant the same power to any other county. Mr. Beck said further amendments will be offered in the house, lowering the population limit or taking it off entirely.

**Combine Governments**

The Beck plan makes possible extending the manager system to county government. It permits where people of both the city and the rural sections want it, to combine city and county government into a single nonduplicating unit. It leaves school affairs and district courts untouched.

It would be submitted to the voters of Texas next November.

## Sheep Herder Held In Girl's Slaying

SALINAS, Calif., March 12. (UP)—A sheep herder who had admitted he was in San Diego when 10-year-old Virginia Brooks was kidnapped, was questioned by county and city authorities here tonight regarding murder of the little girl.

He gave the name of Jerry L. Davis when he pleaded guilty here Wednesday to a charge of first degree robbery and seemed anxious to receive a long sentence in San Quentin state prison.

Tonight, he told Sheriff Carl H. Abbott and Chief of Police George Griffin that Davis was not his true name. He denied he knew anything about the killing of Virginia.

## Texan Killed Beneath Wreckage of Truck

GALLUP, N. M., March 12. (AP)—W. N. Miller, 45, of Amarillo, Texas, was killed 10 miles east of here last night when pinned beneath an overturned truck.

The lights on the truck had gone out, and Miller was riding on the running board, holding a flash light to enable N. M. Seufert, also of Amarillo, driver of the truck to see. The vehicle struck a soft boulder and overturned, pinning Miller beneath it.

## Legislature to Hear Frank Hawks Monday

AUSTIN, Texas, March 12. (INS)—Captain Frank Hawks, speed king of the air, will address the Texas senate at 3 p. m. Monday by invitation unanimously extended today.

He will fly here from Wichita, Kan., in his speedy "mystery ship."

## Designation of Butterfield Trial Opposed by Senate Committee Vote

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—The senate committee on highways and motor traffic today reported out unfavorably a bill by Senator Woodruff of Decatur asking that the legislature designate the Butterfield trail as a state highway.

Senator Loy of Sherman was the only member of the committee to vote for the bill. He said he would not request a minority report. Senator Woodward of Coleman was author of the motion to give the bill an unfavorable report.

The committee adopted an amendment by Senator Woodruff asking that the trail be routed from Abilene over maintained state highways to San Angelo, thence to Fort Stockton and on the Spanish trail to El Paso.

Woodruff said there was a fight between Sweetwater and Abilene over trade territories. He stated that was Sweetwater's reason in opposing the designation of the trail.

Senator Stevenson of Victoria said such a designation where the towns were named might cause questions for the courts. Woodruff stated the bill, in naming the towns on the trail, said as near as practicable.

Representative Scott of Sweetwater stated he had communications from Arizona, Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas and California, other states through which the Butterfield trail was routed, and none of them had designated it as a highway.

## WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Cloudy, somewhat colder in north and west portions Friday; Saturday partly cloudy, somewhat colder in north and east portions.

OKLAHOMA—Cloudy, probably showers in east portion, somewhat colder in west portion Friday; Saturday, partly cloudy, somewhat colder.

EAST TEXAS—Cloudy Friday; Saturday unsettled, probably showers in east portion, somewhat colder in north and west portions.

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

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| Maximum temperature | 79 |
| Minimum temperature | 45 |
| Temperature at 5 p. m. | 78 |
| Precipitation | 0 |
| Partly cloudy | |
| South wind | |
| Average wind velocity | 8 |
| Maximum wind velocity | 12 |
| Barometer | 29.96 |

# GUNMEN TAKE GIRL FOR RIDE

### Young Woman Assaulted By Armed Pair

SAN ANTONIO, March 12. (AP)—Police today sought two men, known to be armed with a machine gun and several shotguns, who were accused of attacking a 27-year-old woman after she had accepted an invitation to "take a ride."

The men who boasted loudly of Chicago connections and proudly displayed their weapons when the woman doubted their story, were accused of attacking her, in a report to police.

The attractive young woman told officers she was accosted yesterday by the men who, riding in a small car, stopped at the curb. She was asked if they could drive her home, and she accepted the invitation.

After she entered the car, however, one of the men told her he had to visit a friend and she was taken to a part of the city far removed from her home. After she had been driven about for some time, the woman reported, the men took her several miles out on a lonely road and both men attacked.

She was brought back to the city several hours later.

### Eighteen Injured In Indian Demonstration

BOMBAY, March 12. (INS)—Eighteen persons, including the president of the Indian congress war council, were injured today in a clash between members of the congress and Moslem volunteers.

The fight arose over contentions of the two bodies for possession of the Bombay congress house, which was restored to the congress under the terms of the agreement reached by Mahatma Gandhi and Viceroy Irwin a few days afo. The Moslems were reluctant to surrender possession of the building.

# *Wets Should Be Pleased With Crime Report, Says Wickersham*

BOSTON, March 12. (INS)—Painting the now-famous law enforcement commission's report with a wet tint, Chairman George W. Wickersham said today the anti-prohibitionists should derive more encouragement from it than the drys.

This interpretation, the first made by Chairman Wickersham, was given to the Boston Chamber of Commerce in a luncheon address.

Confessing he was mystified by attacks of wets upon the commission, Wickersham stoutly defended it against the charge of inconsistency.

The commission, he said, thoroughly agreed upon the ills of prohibition. The difference is the remedy to be applied.

"Curiously enough the most vehement criticism and the most abusive articles came almost exclusively, so far as I can learn, from the 'wet' press," he said. "I say 'curiously' because I should have thought the 'wets' would have derived more encouragement from the report and the separate statements of the commissioners attached to it than the 'drys.'"

"Yet the comments of the 'dry' press and of 'dry' organizations have been on the whole friendly to the report and the manner in which the commission discharged its task."

The prohibition question, he said, must finally be solved by the people.

"No group of 11 men and women could solve a problem on which there is such a fundamental difference of opinion as this," he added.

## Discovery of New Planet Reported

TURIN, Italy, March 12. (UP)—Definite establishment of a new planet as part of the solar system was claimed today as result of detailed study of photographic plate made Jan. 19 by Professor Lacchini of Pino Torinese observatory.

The faint trace of the planet, which was of small size, was found on the photo plate between 1:12 a. m., and 4:12 a. m., central European time, Jan. 19. Investigation showed that the planet was not registered on the list of the Rechen institute in Berlin, where 1,152 small planets are recorded.

Professor Lacchini informed the Rechen officials of the discovery and they designated the name "Ba" which means the first planet discovered in the second fortnight of January, 1931.

## River Improvement Allotments Made

WASHINGTON, March 12. (INS)—The war department today made allotments for rivers and harbors improvement totaling $52,696,111.97 During this fiscal year allotments for improvement projects on the Missouri river top the list with a total of $13,385,000.

The allotments included:

Mississippi river between Ohio river and northern boundary of St. Louis, $2,266,000.

Mississippi river between Illinois and Wisconsin rivers, $1,812,000.

Mississippi river between Wisconsin river and Minneapolis, $2,120,000.

Missouri River — Kansas City-mouth, $6,149,800; Kansas City-Sioux City, $910,000.

Illinois river, Illinois, $2,328,300.

BLOTCHY SKIN
need not annoy you. Pimples, blackheads, etc., are quickly dispelled by
Resinol

# ELECTRA C.-C. STUDIES TAXES

### Gas Probe Findings to Go To City Heads

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 12.—The chamber of commerce has authorized a committee to study the local tax situation as well as the amendments to the city charter which might be authorized to split taxes or any other forms that seem to be necessary to expedite the city's business, according to E. R. Brown, president of the chamber of commerce.

The mercantile bureau has also been authorized to plan an extensive "Buy at Home" campaign that will meet with the approval of the organization. A finance committee will also be appointed to keep the budget balanced.

The fact-finding committee for the gas situation appointed by T. T. Weatherall while he was chamber of commerce president, reported that no action had been taken since the matter was reported to city officials but the committee plan, to confer with the city attorney and give the city officials the benefit of their investigation.

**Swedes Like Insurance**

STOCKHOLM.—Every third Swede carries a life insurance today, according to Sven Palme, who for 30 years has been president of the Swedish Insurance society. In 1900 only every 33rd person was insured.

CHEST colds
Relieve the pain and tightness by rubbing the chest with BAUME BENGUE (pronounced Ben-Gay). Wonderful for head colds too.
Ask for Ben-Gay
Accept No Substitutes

## Electra Student Wins High College Standing

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, March 12.—Mr. and Mrs. George McGann have received information from the College of Industrial Arts, Denton, stating that their daughter, Elizabeth, was one of the seven per cent of pupils who made above a B average on the first semester's work. Miss McGann will receive a B.S. degree in business administration in June. She is also editor of the college annual.

Tomorrow?
*Here's* a way to be rid of constipation and its ills—often overnight! A candy Cascaret at bedtime—tomorrow morning you're feeling fine Breath is sweetened; tongue cleared biliousness, headaches, dizziness, vanish. Repeat the treatment two or three nights to get every particle of the souring waste out of your system. See how appetite and energy return how digestion improves. The action of Cascarets is sure, complete, helpful to everyone. They are made from cascara, which doctors agree *actually trengthens bowel muscles.* All drug stores have the handy boxes. Try Cascarets tonight.
Cascarets CANDY CATHARTIC
THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP 10c

THE . HUB . CLOTHIERS . INVITE . YOU . TO . ATTEND . THE OPENING . OF . OUR . NEWEST . SHOP . . . . SATURDAY
WICHITA FALLS' FINEST STORE FOR MEN AND BOYS

—An impossibility for many years will become a reality! Because market conditions in the past made it impossible to offer clothes at $22.50 that could measure up to our exacting quality standards, we have waited until now to introduce our new

$22.50
CLOTHES SHOP

FIRST SECTION OF OUR CLOTHING DEPT.

*Here you will find choice selections of hundreds of fine*

Spring Suits, Tuxedos and Sport Suits

NEW value-giving thrills such as have been unknown for years await you with the opening of this new $22.50 Clothes Shop! We're proud of the character of the clothing presented because it is in keeping with the strict style and quality requirements which we have always stringently maintained and which increasing thousands have learned to expect in clothes bearing our label!

You'll be amazed at how enormously your clothing dollars have grown in purchasing capacity!—The brain power and scientific manufacturing knowledge of not one, but several of America's most progressive and capable makers, coupled with the vast resources of our own organization, individually owned and recognized as among the largest and most successful in the men's wear field, were influential and dynamic factors in bringing about this complete revolution in $22.50 clothing values!

So NOW . . . set your hopes high . . . prepare for genuine surprises! Be among our guests at this shop's formal opening. Your first visit will prove conclusively that nowhere in the city can you possibly secure all the advantages offered in this new $22.50 Clothes Shop, destined to instantly bound into public favor and become as overwhelmingly popular as Wichita Falls Dominant Store of which it is a part!

*Extra Trousers are Priced $4.

SEE OUR BATTERY OF WINDOWS
. . . revealing an exposition of the spring styles shown in this new shop will prove particularly interesting. Be sure to see them!

Compare — The Smart Styles
See the correct, authentic Spring single breasted models. Specially proportioned sizes to fit men of all builds.

Compare — The All Wool Fabrics
Feel these remarkable worsteds. They were selected directly from leading mills and are shown in an immense variety of the new weaves and patterns in springs smartest light, medium and dark tones.

Compare — The Tailoring
You'll note refinements which have hitherto been offered only in higher-priced garments . . . needle work that helps to make these clothes fit properly . . . and retain their smart style.

STYLES FOR MEN OF EVERY AGE AND PREFERENCE . . . MODELS FOR MEN OF EVERY BUILD

—Wichita Falls' Finest Store for Men and Boys —at the Corner of Seventh and Indiana Avenue

THE HUB
The S & G. CLOTHIERS
Sol Lasky Pres.

—Store Hours—Weekdays 7:30 Till 6
—Saturday Night Open Till 9

ASSOCIATED STORES
PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE COMPANY
UNINCORPORATED
BASEMENT STORE

*Beginning Today! A Marvelous Sale That Will Startle Wichita Falls and North Texas!*

More Than 200 Men's
Two-Trouser
Suits
By Some of America's Finest Makers

*These two-trouser suits were taken from regular stock in our various clothing departments and all of these suits are assembled in our Basement Store for this gigantic clean-up.*

These were carried over from previous seasons but you are sure to find just the model you want.

*Some of these suits were priced as high as $50.00.*

Two and three button styles, peak and notch lapels. Young men's, regulars, shorts, stouts, slims and youths.

*Fine Tailoring Nicely Finished*

Tweeds, worsteds, flannels, cheviots and cassimeres.

Herringbone, small checks, stripes, plaids, solids and mixtures.

All shades of tans, browns, medium and dark greys and blues.

**More than 200 Suits to select from,** including almost any size, fabric or color you could want.

*Two Big Price Groups*

$7.95
*and*
$11.95

(BASEMENT)

*You Want Real Value? Then See These*

**Men's Shirts**

Excellent broadcloth in solid colors, collars attached, seven-button front. Material is extra fine count, in colors blue, green, tan and white. Guaranteed not to fade and to give perfect satisfaction. Sizes 14 to 17. Price

79c

*Special Sale!*

**Men's Hats**

Good shapes that will look good with your Spring outfit. Colors grey and tan.

The felts are unusually good considering the low price.

$2.35

(BASEMENT)

# 'DOODLE BUG' SURVEY URGED

## Oil Man Advocates Fund To Seek Fields

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, March 12.—The doodle bug has been put on a scientific basis. The doodle bug is the strange little electric device with which geophysicists determine underground structures and the probability of oil's presence.

One prominent oil man has estimated that if University of Texas lands had been—as he termed it—geophysicized, or as others might call it, "doodle bugged," the university royalty funds would now be nearer $116,000,000 than its present $16,000,000.

This oil man advocates funds for geophysicists' surveys of all university and public lands as a means of future great rewards. He has secured estimates for officials connected with the economic geology department of the university, that the work of research in geophysics could be started and carried on the first year at a cost of $13,100. This would include $5,000 for instruments, $5,600 for salaries, $2,000 for field expenses, $500 for bulletins showing the results.

He estimates that the work would be repaid from two to 20 times over on a single tract of land on which the oil rights would be sold.

## Cattle Inspection Measure Passes

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 12. (UP)—A bill providing for the appointment of inspectors of livestock for slaughter in counties having a population of over 65,000 was passed today by the house.

It has been approved by the senate.

The house also passed the Nichols bill authorizing the Seminole county board of commissioners and the board of directors of the Seminole County Free Fair association to acquire land and to make improvements for a free fair grounds in that county.

The bill authorizes a one-fourth mill tax levy to create a fund to pay for the building and equipment.

A bill raising the salaries of the supreme court referees, state reporter and the first law clerk to the chief justice of the supreme court was killed in the house by a vote of 34 to 50.

The house passed a bill setting the salary of the state election board secretary at $3,600 a year. Prior to this time the election board secretary has received one salary for serving in that capacity and another salary for serving as secretary to the state.

## Bellevue Legislator Presents Utilities Bill

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—Representative Sherrill of Bellevue introduced a bill today to require public utilities and all corporations making renditions of property for rate purposes to render their property for taxation at 50 per cent of the valuation rendered as a basis for rates. Sherrill said he would amend the bill to require them to render for taxation at 40 per cent of rate rendition.

## South Plains Boys Enter Judging Meet

Special to The Record News.

FLOYDADA, Texas, March 12.—O. T. Williams, and his vocational agriculture class will be hosts to judging teams from seven cities of the South Plains here Saturday, March 14, in a plant production judging contest. The contest will be held at the Floydada High school and the teams will compete in the judging of cotton, milo, kafir, wheat, oats, budding and grafting. The visitors will be the guests of the home economics class of the Floydada High school at a luncheon at noon.

J. H. Bowers, head of the agronomy department of Texas Technological college, at Lubbock, assisted by boys from his class and the horticulture department will conduct the contest and act as judges. Teams and their teachers are expected from Silverton, Tahoka, Post, Dimmitt, Lockney, Abernathy, Littlefield and Floydada. Prizes for the winning team in each division are being offered by merchants and business men of Floydada.

## Police Sergeant Tells Who Fired Fatal Shot

CHICAGO, March 12. (UP)—A police sergeant who has twice narrowly escaped death from gangsters' bullets defied the gangs again by testifying that a Capone follower on trial today had fired the first shot in a gun battle which five years ago claimed the lives of two men.

Sergt. James McBride of Bellwood identified William J. "Three-Fingered Jack" White, on trial for the murder of Policeman Edward Plaume, as the man who wounded him in the face at Mannheim tavern on Dec. 13, 1925.

### DRUGGISTS ADJOURN

BIG SPRING, Texas, March 12. (AP)—An address by William Oche of San Antonio today concluded the semi-annual convention of the West Texas Druggists' association. Walter Adams of Forney and John Allen of Dallas also spoke. The executive board will select the next meeting place.


## "I Was Skinny and Tired. Now Peppy. Gained 11 Lbs."

"Had tired feeling, no pep. But Ironized Yeast gave me pep; much stronger Gained 11 lbs. Boils, pimples disappeared." —Mack Lattoria.

Amazing new Ironized Yeast adds 5 to 15 lbs. in 3 weeks. Changes "skinny," weak body to strong, well-developed form all admire. Blotchy skin gets clear and rosy like magic. Nervousness, indigestion, constipation disappear overnight. Sound sleep. New pep from very first day.

Two great tonics in one—special weight-building Malt Yeast and strengthening Iron. Pleasant little tablets. Far stronger than unmedicated yeast. Results in ½ time. No yeasty taste. No gas.

Don't be "skinny," weak, unattractive. Get Ironized Yeast from druggist today. Feel great tomorrow. Money back from manufacturer if not delighted with quick results.—Adv.



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PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE COMPANY
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*And Now Comes This Special Purchase and Sale*

# Old Fashioned Coverlettes

A type of bed covering that all women like. They're very pretty and remind you of "ye olden times."

They're in rose, blue, gold, orchid and green. Guaranteed sunfast and washable.

Size 84x105. Special sale today, Saturday and Monday, each..... $3.95

SALE! KRISS-KROSS

# CURTAINS

Figured marquisette, 50-inch width, 2¼ yards long, in ivory color. Pair..... $1.29

(Main Floor)

# March Sale of Notions!

*Specials for Today, Saturday and Monday*

Hickory girdle hose supporters, $1.00 values, sale..... 79c

Hickory girdles, $1.50 values, sale..... 98c

Baby's rubberized silk pants, $1.00 grade, sale..... 59c

Rubberized silk sanitary aprons, lace trimmed, $1.00 values..... 69c

Notion Section—(Main Floor)



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PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE COMPANY
UNINCORPORATED

*Thrifty Women Will Welcome This Special Sale!*

DISCONTINUED NUMBERS

# Nelly Don Wash Frocks

Two Big Groups of These Dresses Arranged for Quick Selling Today, Saturday and Monday

Every discontinued number in "Nelly Dons," including frocks for Summer wear as well as for right now.

Long and short sleeve styles in printed broadcloth, English prints, dimity, batiste cord weave and other fabrics—all guaranteed not to fade.

Although the price is lowered on these discontinued numbers, "Nelly Don" quality and style features remain the same.

*They're Placed in Two Big Selling Groups*

$1.95 NELLY DON FROCKS 99c

$2.95 and $3.95 NELLY DON FROCKS $1.69

Please do not ask us to send these out on approval. Come! Make your own selection and get your sizes.

NO REFUNDS OR EXCHANGES

Nelly Don Dept. — (Second Floor)

# There's a Smart Dress Here for Every Hour of the Day!

Whether you choose your frocks in our "Budget" department, or in our exclusive French Shop, you will find an endless variety that will permit you to make a wise selection of styles appropriate for every occasion.

Smart Jerseys — Light Weight Tweeds — and Interesting New Woolens for Sports—

Gay colored crepes in monotone, or in the smart prints that sponsor small patterns on light backgrounds — the famous black and white frocks in crepe—formal afternoon affairs in all the newest colors in fabrics sheer, crepey or woolen—Sunday night frocks that are as dainty as Spring flowers. You're sure to want one of each, because they're all necessary to smartness.

BUDGET DEPARTMENT PRICES

$10.95 $16.75 $25 $29.75

FRENCH ROOM PRICES

$39.75 to $79.75

Garment Section — (Second Floor)

This Spring! Prettier Than Ever

PHOENIX SOX AND SPORTEES FOR MISSES AND CHILDREN

Phoenix understands thoroughly the hosiery needs of the junior miss and growing girl. We are now showing every conceivable style and color from which to select the correct hose for sports—for play—for dress and for school. The prices

25¢ 35¢ 50¢ 75¢

Hosiery Section (Main Floor)

## THE VERSATILE BANDEAU

Is the Favorite of the Whole Feminine World

This charming model typifies our very unusual collection of bandeau hats at

$5

Millinery Salons—(Second Floor)

## TOILET GOODS SPECIALS

50c Glazo ..... 39c
25c Listerine ..... 17c
60c Listerine ..... 33c
$1.20 Listerine ..... 69c
25c Kleenex ..... 17c
50c Kleenex ..... 33c
$1.00 Kleenex ..... 69c
50c Lotions ..... 29c
50c Tooth Paste ..... 32c
$1.00 Fiancee Powder ..... 69c
$2.00 Karess Powder ..... $1.69
$1.00 Coty Powder ..... 69c
$1.00 Lotions ..... 69c
$1.00 Coty Perfumes ..... 79c
$2.00 Coty Perfumes ..... $1.79
$3.75 Coty Perfumes ..... $3.19

Toilet Goods—(Main Floor)

FRACY SOAP —in All Odors

Sale today and Saturday only, 50c values, cake— 16c

Box of 6 Cakes 95¢

Toilet Goods—(Main Floor)

*New! For Spring*

Allover Swiss Embroidered Batiste and Organdie

Shades of ecru, blue, flesh, white and coral. Shown in 36-inch width.

Organdie, yard ..... $3.95

Batiste, yd. $2.50 and $4.95

(Main Floor)

# FINE SILKS

*Special Sale Today and Saturday*

PRINTED SILK CREPES

40-inch width, large and small designs, printed on light and dark grounds. Formerly $1.69. The price now, yard— $1.29

PURE SILK FLAT CREPE

40-inch width, an extra good crepe and guaranteed washable, in all the new colors for daytime and evening. Yard— $1.00

12 MOMME PONGEE

33-inch, pure silk, natural color—a real value at, yard— 33c

EVERFAST PIQUES

Just the Fabric for Sports Suits, Ensembles, Children's Coats and Dresses

36-inch width, in colors of pink, light blue, Nile, orchid, eggshell, maize, red, navy, black and white. Guaranteed not to fade. Yard— 75c

Dress Goods Section—(Main Floor)

# Signs of Spring in This New Footwear Creation

An exquisite pump of black morocco calf, perforated . . . with high Cuban heel—

$8.50

*We Invite You to See Our Many Other Models in Fine Spring Footwear*

Shoe Section—(Main Floor)

An Unusual Special Purchase Brings This Sale of One Thousand

## Men's Handkerchiefs

Stock your wardrobe while this opportunity is here to buy kerchiefs at almost a fraction of their real worth. Linen, linen mixtures and fine batiste, white and white with fancy borders. Rolled and hemstitched hems. Many designs and color combinations. They're regular 35c and 50c values.

*Today, Saturday and Monday, Each*

17c

6 for $1.00

Men's Furnishings—(Main Floor)

*Choosing from These*

## New Handbags

assures a perfect complement to your new costume.

New arrivals include: Patent leather in black with white trim; calf skins in all colors; moire in black, blonde and pastels.

All at a new low price ..... $2.95

(Main Floor)

Here's a New English Last by Packard

*"The Barclay"*

Black calf with leather heels. Try on a pair . . . they're smart on your foot.

$8.50

Shoe Section—(Main Floor)

Here Are Real

## Shirts!

By Manhattan and Eagle

$1.95

In this great assortment you get new shirt values. The very newest patterns or in solid colors of blue, green, grey, tan and white. Collars attached or two separate collars to match.

Men's Furnishings (Main Floor)

Today and Saturday

Special Purchase and Sale

BOYS' WASH SUITS

A remarkable collection of suits in good styles, fabrics, patterns and colors. This big assortment offers you mothers a chance to save on the purchase of boys' suits. There are so many different styles and fabrics that it's almost impossible to describe them. Values formerly to $2.50. Sale price—

98c

Boys' Two-Piece Rayon Underwear — Non-run rayon, in pastel shades. Garment ..... 39c

Boys' Spring Sweaters—Slip-over styles, popular colors that all the boys are wearing ..... $1.95

BOYS' KAYNEE SHIRTS

Fast color broadcloth, collar attached styles. Colors are green, tan, blue and others. In sizes 6 to 14. Priced ..... $1.00

(Main Floor)

It's Not Too Early to Select Your Easter Suit

*Here's a New Standard of Value!*

## Men's Two-Trouser SUITS

Fine Worsteds! Hand Tailored!

$25 *and* $35

These are the kind of clothes that men like . . . cut along the newest lines and made from the best of all-wool fabrics. Suits of authentic style—real quality, and guaranteed to be "right."

Men's Clothing (Main Floor)

SMART GOOD LOOKING

## Hats $5

Colors that are new! Shapes that you'll like. Take a look at these hats! Get yours now! Enjoy a full season's wear.

Hat Section—(Main Floor)

Showing Now! A Wonderful Assortment

MEN'S FINE TIES

Excellent silks, many are hand tailored, solid colors and fancies ..... $1

(Main Floor)

# The Social Side:: Wichita Falls' Women's Interests:: Clubs and Churches

Mrs. L. N. Cason
Society Editor
Phone 4391

## Lamar Baptist Alatheans Entertain Cradle Roll

The children of the cradle roll of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church and their mothers were guests of the Alathean Sunday school class Thursday afternoon at their social of the month. During the business session of the class, which was held in the afternoon, Mrs. Chas. L. Massey, presided. Mrs. E. A. Stanley, first vice president, introduced the visitors and the guest mothers. Numbers of new babies made pretty pictures in their baskets and bassinets. The cradle roll is growing, and Mrs. W. P. Ruby, who is superintendent of the department, asked that each mother bring her baby's picture to be placed on the departmental roll.

The small children present sang two songs, led by Mrs. Stanley, with Mrs. W. Edward Walker at the piano. The following program was given by small children:

Reading, "Pain in My Sawdust"—Jo Ann Senter.

Songs, "Springtime in the Rockies" and "Waiting for a Train"—Royce Dale Riddle.

Reading, "Had a Little Pig"—Park Elkin Senter.

Reading, "Isn't It the Limit?"—Herman Balch.

Piano solo, "Flower Song"—Frances Walker.

Reading, "Johnny's Pa's Skates"—Donald Riddle.

Special praise was given little Miss Frances Walker in her rendition of Gustav Lange's "Flower Song."

A quartet selected from the Alathean class sang the official song of the state parent-teacher association, "A Little Child Shall Lead." This number was followed by the request that it be repeated at the meeting of the Travis school P.-T. A. meeting next Wednesday.

In addition to about 50 small children, the following guests and members of the class were served a delightful refreshment plate carrying out the Saint Patrick's day colors.

Mesdames R. R. Ferrell, W. P. Ruby, W. E. Walker, C. M. Blount, A. Gordon, W. R. Hull, Luther Campbell, C. E. Daugger, P. F. Wright, E. A. Stanley, V. M. Tillerson, V. C. Chambless, C. L. Massey, P. V. Senter, A. B. Adams, S. F. Martin, J. B. Allred, W. O. Fisher, J. O. Wadsworth, Riley Rawls, Virgil L. Pace, R. Hines, Raymond Ryle, M. D. Wilkerson, T. P. George, J. W. Givens, D. O. Phillips, L. H. Hood, C. W. Lee, Lyle, F. E. Killingsworth, Earl Cross, J. R. Sims, R. E. Campbell, J. W. Dinnin, V. N. Balch, R. Riddle.

## PEEPS AT PEOPLE

By MRS. L. N. CASON

**Such brave and gallant souls are** often hidden in little people. I thought of this today when I came in contact with two soldiers of life.

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**I had wandered idly about the** city marking the calendar of spring. The little blue and white wild flowers were carpeting the lawns, and at the Forum clubhouse the first iris of spring were in bloom.

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**On Thirteenth street, dandelions** made the boulevard yellow. How people work to get them out, but they are pretty things from the time they bloom until they put on the downy puffballs on which you see children making wishes. If you can blow the whole puff away with one breath, your wish comes true.

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**On Twelfth street, I saw a peach** tree glowing pink right in a front yard and a palm tree, white with bloom peeped in a living room window. I remembered how shocked my sister and I were when our father planted some fruit trees in his side yard. There was a whole block ready for them at the back.

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**Then I talked to a little woman** who loves trees,—all sorts of trees. Tiny, white haired but young in soul and spirit and mind, she told me of when she first came to Wichita Falls.

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**"I really enjoyed it," she said. It** was an adventure for me. At my home in Indiana, everything had been built and settled since before I was born. And I liked the adventure here."

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**Her eyes fairly twinkled as she** told me of a long drouth; 18 months without rain, she said. They lost their fruit trees but they saved one tree in front of their house. There was a well on the back porch, and they tried to water and save them all, but the drouth lasted too long. Every bit of water used in the house was poured round the roots of the sycamore tree in the front.

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**"I am like you," she said: "I** don't care much for sycamores. But a sycamore is so much better than nothing. We put the dishwater at that tree's roots. I had the woman who did the washing pour her wash-water there. And we saved it."—Then, with such a pretty look in her eyes, she added, "My daughter was married beneath that tree."

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**It takes a gallant soul to go on** bravely and enjoy adventure when in the early spring and in the splendid autumn you have a nostalgia that makes you really ill, just for trees. People from lands where forest trees grow, have a fellow feeling.

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**The other little woman was a** soldier under handicap. Far from well to do, crippled so that she can just hobble around, with nothing but love and a gallant spirit to keep her going, she is always getting along "just fine." She asks no favors but she is always ready to grant them. Soldiers in ranks have music to cheer them on. It is the soldiers who fight without encouragement and yet keep a great and undaunted spirit that are the ones deserving a cross of honor.


## Look Young With Mello-glo

Beautiful women, admired for youthful complexions, use MELLO-GLO, the new wonderful French process face powder. Purest and smoothest powder known. Stays on longer. No flaky or pasty look. No grime or grit. MELLO-GLO prevents large pores and never smarts or feels dry. Blends naturally with any complexion. Demand Mello-glo. Allison Drug store.—Adv.


## Husbands Enjoy Party With New Century Juniors

Mrs. O. B. Kiel was hostess in her pretty home in Country Club estates Wednesday evening when members of the New Century Junior club entertained their husbands with a program. Mrs. Chester Wynne, who reviewed "The Raven" by Marquis James several weeks ago, was requested to repeat the splendid review for the benefit of the gentlemen and her number made an interesting program.

A delightful social hour followed, during which a refreshment plate was served to Messrs. and Mesdames Overton Abernathy, Eugene Clark, Ray Arnhold, Joe Carrigan, S. M. Gose, John Hampton, Paul Oles, Dwight Ross, Ted Krohn and O. B. Kiel; Mesdames Dillard Anderson, A. R. Dillard, Ray Puckett, Gordon West, Chester Wynne, Misses Ethel Moran, Crystelle Waggoner, Marguerite Fisher and Russell Kolp.

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### Mrs. Cain's Poem Wins First Place in Poetry Society

Members of the Poetry society of Wichita Falls met in regular session at the Woman's Forum clubhouse at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning when Mrs. M. Shain was welcomed into the club as a new member.

During the business session a letter was read from M. H. Crowell, corresponding secretary of the Poetry society of Texas, in which he said that Mrs. Grace Noll Crowell, his wife, will give two autographed copies of her latest books of poems to the person winning first place in the local society. Mrs. Ira L. Cain was elected delegate to the district meeting to be held in Graham in April and Mrs. J. W. Akin was named forum representative.

One of the features of the meeting occurred when Mrs. Cain read from the original copy her poem on the opening of the Oklahoma territory and the admitting of the territory as a state to the union. The poem was adopted as the state poem.

Mrs. Cain's poem, "Just Around the Corner" was awarded first place and Mrs. G. A. McWhirter's "Song of Spring" second. "The Desert Sings" by Mrs. Ann Parker was third.

Those present were Mesdames J. W. Akin, Ann Barker, Ira L. Cain, H. Duff Jones, O. P. Maricle, Houston Rogers, J. Truman Stevens, G. A. McWhirter and M. Shain.

### Children of Confederacy Have Thursday Meeting

Margaret Alice Pease, assisted by Mildred Mosby, Katherine Mosby and Helen Hartman entertained members of the Lone Star chapter of the Children of the Confederacy Thursday afternoon when the meeting was opened by the president, Mary Allien Newton.

In the business meeting the treasurer's report was given after which it was voted to send $5 to the old ladies home in Austin as an Easter gift. Miss Johnnie Morgan talked on the activities of the ladies in the home after which Mary Lane Mosby gave a talk on David Crockett.

Following a reading by Bertha Mae Kruger and songs by the group, dainty refreshments carrying out the St. Patrick's motif were served to Katherine Mosby, Elizabeth Smith, Dorothy Pounds, Bertha Mae Kruger, Helen Martman, Mildred Mosby, Estell McPhail, Sadie Shain, Amy Louise Meredith, Mary Lane Mosby, Margaret Tschabold, Mary Allien Newton, Billie Leslie Stimson, Miss Johnny Morgan, the hostess and her mother, Mrs. E. G. Pease.

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### Country Club Golf Players Have Game

Mrs. James McKanna was winner in a flag tournament held at the regular weekly meeting of the Woman's Golf club at the country club while Miss Nell Gibbs and Mrs. W. P. Bolding tied for low ball in the morning game.

A delightful luncheon was served at tables beautiful with great clusters of plum blossoms. Covers were laid for Mesdames Luke McCrory, Fred T. Couper, H. D. Prichard, H. B. White, Clifford Mooers, James McKanna, W. S. Abbott, R. L. Hargrave, Roscoe Davis, Earl Stilley J. S. Bridwell, J. L. Nelson, H. P. Ledford, D. O. Johnson, Ben B. Bell, Tom B. Medders, L. H. Estes, Al Booth, R. A. King, C. O. Davis, Misses Nell Gibbs and Crystelle Waggoner. Mrs. W. C. Hooser of Walters, Okla., and Mrs. Fred Gates were guests.


If Run down take Dr. PIERCE'S Golden Medical Discovery
AT ALL DRUG STORES


## CALENDAR

**FRIDAY**

Coterie club meets with Mrs. Horrace Robbins, afternoon.

New Story Telling club meets with Mrs. J. B. McDowell at 2:30 p. m.

Twentieth Century Juniors meet 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. A. L. Hecht.

Unity club meets Forum clubhouse, afternoon.

Open house at Forum clubhouse with bridge dinner and dance. Dinner at 7 p. m.

Story Telling club meets, 2:45 with Mrs. E. J. Tschabold.

Members of the woman's auxiliary to the National Federation of Postoffice Clerks meet at the Y. W. C. A. at 8 p. m.

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### Death Claims Mother Of Nancy Taylor

Word was received here Thursday of the death in Seattle, Wash., of Mrs. Spencer, mother of Mrs. Nancy Taylor of Fort Worth. Mrs. Taylor is well known in Wichita Falls and has many friends here.

Mrs. Spencer had been making her home with a daughter in Seattle. Funeral services will be held in Fort Worth Sunday and burial will be at the side of Mrs. Spencer's husband, who died in 1914.

### Pageant Tonight At Scotland Methodist

"The Ten Virgins," a pageant which met with much success at the First Church of the Nazarene recently, will be presented at the Scotland Methodist church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The same cast that enacted the drama will be used in this presentation, it was said.

The pageant is said to be one of the finest biblical pageants ever produced and its presentation here will be a treat to both young and old. No admission will be charged.

## Inspiring Address Given Before Forum Club Women

An amusing quotation of a scintillating war of words between Sinclair Lewis, who arrived from Sweden last week after receiving the Nobel prize, and J. B. Priestly, English author of one of the season's best sellers, opened one of the most humorous and one of the most penetrating reviews of the year when B. D. Donnell, editor of the Wichita Daily Times and Record News, talked on Sinclair Lewis and his books before a large group of women at the Woman's Forum clubhouse Thursday afternoon in the monthly meeting of the literature department.

"If Priestly says my day is done, I suppose that means I had a day," was Lewis' last retort. "That's more than I could say about some others. I wish Priestly would take over all the writing there is to be done. Writing novels is the dreariest job I know of."

"And we can well believe," Mr. Donnell said, "that writing a Sinclair Lewis novel with its piling up of detail one mountain after another—is a somewhat dreary job for the writer, and I cannot resist the temptation of facetiousness and say it makes a somewhat tedious job for the reader.

**Babbitt Universal**

"Of course you have heard about the Babbitt fellow that Lewis wrote about," Mr. Donnell continued.

"Well, I'm him. You bet I am and it makes me real important to be written up. Nobody else than George F. Babbitt would have accepted an invitation to address the Woman's Forum on Lewis and the Nobel prize for literature or Sinclair Lewis and his books or whatever my subject is—I am equally ignorant about them all. So I am Babbitt. That's one thing about Babbitt, he's universal; he doesn't belong to any particular time or place, although Sinclair Lewis did set him down in Zenith in the good old U. S. A. shortly after the close of the world war."

Lewis' biography as given in "Who's Who" was quoted, showing him as reporter, assistant editor, editor and writer, and Mr. Donnell concluded with the award of the Nobel prize, bringing his record down to date.

"I suppose now that Lewis has been awarded a Nobel prize," he said, "somebody will write a biography of him in the psychological manner so popular now-a-days and tell us how why he is, as Frazier Hunt tells us, 'the man of a hundred contradictions; the lone wolf; the lonely figure with his feet in the muck and baying at the stars.'"

The speaker told of Lewis' boyhood at Sauk Center, Minn., as just what one might expect from a turbulent, rebellious red headed boy. He was an ardent Socialist at Yale. "Red Lewis was not popular at college," Mr. Donnell stated, "because he was too much of a rebel and because he had a high opinion of Lewis, which he is said still to hold, but he was an excellent entertainer with his gift of mimicry; —here I think I begin to see some of the combinations in Sinclair Lewis that produced Main Street, Babbitt and Elmer Gantry; a rebellious spirit, a restless discontent with the established order, the gift of mimicry, indefatigable industry and experience as a newspaper reporter—Sinclair Lewis has seen in all their ludicrous nakedness many of the faults and weaknesses of his fellow countrymen and with his inimitable mimicry has thrown them on the screen for all the world to see, to laugh a little, to ridicule, to wonder and to sympathize."

Speaking of the three books which had brought Lewis fame, criticism and probably more than others the Nobel award, Main Street, Babbitt and Arrowsmith, Mr. Donnell said he would make another Babbitt confession, that the only book of the author's he had read all the way through was Babbitt.

"But Main Street," he continued, was the work that made America take notice of this red headed rebel." The theme was life in Gopher Prairie which might be any one of a thousand of the smaller cities of the country. With the skill of a photographer equipped with a camera that will reach into every office and conference room, every parlor and club and pulpit, Lewis pictures the self confidence, the assurance and the blatancies of life in a small city."

Telling of Carol Kennicott's losing fight against the set customs of the town, the speaker said "How many of our rebellions, our high aspirations, our ideals and hopes are downed by the weight of inertia and the customs of those about us and leave us only with the consolation that nobody can control our thought—In all Lewis' books that I have read, aspiration and idealism have a hard time of it and come out second best."

"Lewis himself," he continued, "has said that he has been trying to picture the tragedy of man trying to maintain himself as the image of God under the high pressure of salesmanship. The individual goes down in defeat but Lewis does leave us feeling that there is an image of God, although not an image of a god of orthodoxy.—Somebody has said that Lewis is a Puritan. I don't quite understand that, but he is a reformer burning with holy zeal."

**Spiritual Life**

A review of Arrowsmith by Erik Axel Karfeldt, permanent secretary of the Swedish academy was quoted by the speaker, and he said "Having brought in Mr. Karfeldt to offer the only thing in the way of a literary review in this talk, let us get back to Babbitt with whom I feel more at home."

The book "Babbitt" was excellently interpreted and the review closed with a short explanation of George Babbitt.

"He is a regular guy," Mr. Donnell said. "He's a go getter. We can't help but like him because of his good nature, his affability, his simplicity. We sympathize with him and we like him. Occasionally he dreams of a fairy child and it seems this dream finally leads him to a female who is not at all fairy like. He slips for a time from his standardized morality. We even begin to think he is about to have a spiritual adventure when he refuses to join the Good Citizens' league, makes a contribution to a liberal preacher and takes the part of a radical lawyer. For a while we have hopes that he will win freedom from his god of custom conformity and success. But his resistance is weak; he joins the Good Citizens' league and is glad to get in and is swallowed back into standardized life and thought."

"Haven't you felt," Mr. Donnell asked, "about people of your acquaintance that only their bodies have life; that spiritually they are dead and perhaps some have never lived because they have never dreamed? And haven't you known folks who were so much concerned about being right that they failed to do good?"

"I am going to lay the blame for Babbitt on the woman," he concluded. "Dreams lie in our subconscious mind and are more a part of us than our conscious thought, we are told. Women are the inspiration of most of the dreams of men and sometimes they stifle those dreams. They have a depth and fineness of emotion that is beyond man's comprehension but they too have their standardized customs and conventions which they enforce more rigidly than the Good Citizens' league its bigotries.

"Somerset Maughn in his 'Moon and Sixpence' has Strickland saying: "My wife is an excellent woman. Damn her. I wish she were in hell," only the language was stronger than that. Babbitt would never have thought that strongly or impiously and would never have used that language. Do you suppose he ever yearned for spiritual stimulation from his wife? Mrs. Lewis told the reporters that Sinclair was planning another book which she said would be in the Sinclair Lewis tradition. I wish it would be a satire upon the conventions and customs which too often, I fear, kill dreams and stifle the aspirations of man and woman."

Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin, chairman of the literature department, introduced Mr. Donnell with a graceful tribute to his feeling for the good of the city as well as his interest in literature.

Miss Eva Weber was presented to the group and in an interesting talk on current book news, spoke of a number of late productions with vivid expression of her ideas as to their merit.

In a short business meeting, Mrs. W. W. Cook, chairman of the nominating committee presented the slate of officers for next year who were elected as presented. Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin was elected chairman; Mrs. C. N. Alexander, first vice chairman; Mrs. W. W. Cook, second vice chairman; Mrs. R. E. Hilburn, recording secretary; Mrs. John Davenport, corresponding secretary and Miss Clara Schultz, treasurer.

**El Paso Man Wounded**

EL PASO, Texas, March 12. (AP)—Mack McCarthy, manager of the City market, was taken to a hospital today shot through the abdomen. Physicians said his condition was critical.

## Crockett P.-T. A. Executive Board Meets Thursday

Members of the executive board of the Crockett P.-T. A. met in the auditorium of the school building Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. W. W. Fraser, who also conducted a short business session.

Mrs. Shadie Hale was elected parliamentarian for the group after which an announcement was made of the annual 13th district convention to be held here in the Highland Heights Christian church April 8, 9 and 10. Plans were also made to try to win the $5 prize offered by Mrs. F. J. Marcell for the best story of the year's work. A committee consisting of Mesdames T. S. Mabry, C. P. Warman, and J. P. Tarry was appointed to investigate the special endowment fund. The nominating committee which will report a slate of officers at the next meeting was named as follows: Mesdames J. W. Thomas, John Dobbs, Homer Lee and L. V. Abernathy.

Following the reports of officers, Mrs. Mabry gave the treasurer's report and Mrs. Otis Nelson gave the secretary's report for Mrs. J. P. Coleman who was absent.

Mrs. R. R. Clark of the thrift exchange, in a report sent in to be read at the meeting, stated that clothing was now being taken to the schools and fitted on the children instead of having them come to the Memorial auditorium. She also reported on the lunch fund. Announcement was made of the spring clinic which will be held in April. Plans were made to care for 20 delegates to the convention and it was decided to place the money received from the recent birthday offering in the Crockett fund for a statue and painting of David Crockett.

Those present were Mesdames Otis Nelson, George Smoot, C. P. Warman, John Dobbs, T. S. Mabry, C. L. Anderson, Horrace Robbins, G. P. Raborn and Miss Ida Moore.

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### Personals

Mrs. D. R. M. Jones is reported to be seriously ill at her home, 1614 Lucile. She has been confined to the house with pneumonia for the past two weeks.

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Mrs. J. D. Akin and Mrs. James Lee of Denton with James Lee Jr., are guests of Mrs. Ernest Kirksey at the Forum clubhouse.

## Compositions Of Local Artists Feature Concert

Not only an impressive program by local artists, but the inclusion of several compositions of Wichita Falls persons, are promised in the free public concert to be presented by the Musicians club at the Junior college auditorium next Monday night, March 16.

Musical creations of artists living in this city during the past few years have been recognized not only by publishers, who have purchased several numbers, but by responsive audiences here and elsewhere. The three composers whose work will contribute to next Monday night's program have been known for several years for their genius in this field. Three of their compositions which are to be heard in the Musicians club concert, however, are of recent production, and will be given their initial hearing here.

In Mrs. Harwood Stacy's group of three piano numbers, the second will be "Under a Texas Moon," and has just been completed. It is dedicated by the author to David W. Guion of Dallas, probably the best known composer Texas ever has produced. For her third number, Mrs. Stacy will play her own transcription of the "Valse Scherzo," written a few years ago by Eithel Allen Nelson of this city for the violin.

In the vocal music included in the program will be one song, "The Woods Are Calling Me," written a weeks ago for tenor voice by Mrs. Charlene B. Underwood, who left Wichita Falls last September to become head of the voice department of Howard Payne college at Brownwood. Some of Mrs. Underwood's compositions have been in publication for sometime, and various of her numbers have been used in local churches and on secular programs. The song provided for Monday night's concert will be sung by Willard Underwood, tenor.

Aside from the transcribed number being played by Mrs. Stacy, Mr Nelson will use one of his latest compostions, "Souvenir Triste," in the group which he has announced for the Musicians club program. In a wistfully subdued mood, it will voice the same delicacy of feeling and melodic charm which has featured his "Lovely Marianne," and other Nelson compositions heard here in recent years.

Mrs. Hermione S. Vaughan, reader and soprano; Mrs. A. H. Britain and Mrs. F. R. Collard, pianists also will be presented Monday night. The program is being given for the public, without any charge. It is scheduled to begin at 8:15 p. m.


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# PROGRESSIVES CLOSE PARLEY

## 'Another Roosevelt' Pleaded by Senator Norris

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he was endorsing the Democratic governor of New York for the presidency but Norris said later, he was thinking of the former president when he said:

"What we need to bring prosperity and happiness to the individual is another Roosevelt in the White House."

**Opposes Young**

Norris strengthened the impression that he referred to the New York governor by what was interpreted as a declaration of opposition to Owen D. Young, Roosevelt's possible rival for the Democratic nomination next year.

This was in the form of an accusation that Chairman John J. Raskob of the Democratic national committee was trying to turn that party over "to the Hoover bandwagon" and that Raskob wanted the Democrats to nominate a man "as much under the control of the power trust as is Herbert Hoover."

Norris bolted his party to support Governor Smith in 1928 because of the latter's stand on the power issue. A few months ago Norris let it be known that Governor Roosevelt's ideas on power coincide more nearly with his own than do those of any other public man.

At the very end today, Norris urged fellow progressives to forget party alignments when necessary to promote liberal principles.

**La Follette Sounds Warning**

Recognition of Russia, public utilities, and the question of a five-day work week held the attention of the progressives throughout most of the two sessions today.

After Senator Robert M. La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin, had sounded a warning that the future safety of rich and poor alike depends upon a solution of economic difficulties, Robert P. Scripps, editorial director of the Scripps-Howard newspapers, predicted that a failure to reach a saitsfactory economic adjustment would result in a dictatorship.

The adjustment suggested by Scripps, he said, should include:

"First, shorter hours of labor than have ever been dreamed of."

Donald R. Richberg of Chicago led the round table discussion of the public utility issue. Richberg characterized the present control of public utilities as "a racket" to which, he said, the average family contributes about $400 annually. Total annual charges for public utility services in the United States Richberg estimated about $12,000,000,000.

## New Tremors Strike Panic-Stricken Nation

GUEVGELI, Jugoslavia, March 12. (AP)—Three earthquake shocks, further frightening residents who were sleeping in the open after shocks of the past few days, were felt here today. No damage was done.

## NEED A SPEAKER?

### Junior C.-C. Offers To Supply 'Em for All Occasions

Speakers for all occasions can be secured from the ranks of the Junior chamber of commerce, it was announced Thursday following the organization of the speakers club committee. Temple Shell heads the group as general chairman and classification of speakers were arranged into four divisions with chairmen for each.

Divisions are as follow: No. 1, speakers for out-of-town functions, chairman, Mike Anglin; No. 2, speakers for service club programs in Wichita Falls, chairman, Henry Penix; No. 3, speakers for schools, civic activities, highways, parks, and special occasions, chairman, Shadie F. Hale; No. 4, speakers on industrial facts and retail and wholesale matters of Wichita Falls.

## Services Saturday For Lake Wichita Farmer

Funeral services for P. D. Pechacek, 56, a farmer of the Lake Wichita section for the past 20 years, will be held at 9 o'clock Saturday morning from the Sacred Heart church, with the Rev. Patrick J. F. O'Beirne officiating. Burial will be in the Sacred Heart cemetery. The funeral cortege will leave the Merkle Undertaking company at 8:45 o'clock Saturday morning to proceed to the church.

Mr. Pechacek died at a hospital here at 6 o'clock Thursday morning after a prolonged illness. Surviving are the widow, and four children, Charles, Lillie, Albert and Jewell.

Pallbearers to serve have been named as follows: Julius Michna, Emil Michna, John Pastusek, Louis Krc, Charles Krizan and Rudolph Blaner.

## Child Rescued From Attack by Pet Wolf

SAN ANTONIO, March 12. (AP)—Attacked and severely slashed about the face and throat by a pet wolf which had escaped captivity, Walter Baker Jr., 7, was saved from death Thursday when Major B. B. Warriner came to his rescue.

The child was attacked by the animal as he passed Warriner's home.

Major Warriner ran out of the house armed with a rifle.

The wolf turned upon him, but was knocked to the ground by a blow from the gun.

The animal ran toward a vacant lot nearby, and was wounded in the leg when a neighbor fired at it with a revolver. A mounted officer killed the animal a few minutes later.

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# INJURED BOY NEAR DEATH

## Auto Passes Over Body Of Burk Child

Robert Lee Hall Jr., 6, remained in a critical condition Thursday night at the Wichita General hospital after suffering internal injuries when he was run over by an automobile at Burkburnett Thursday noon. The child, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hall of Burkburnett, was returning to school after lunch when the accident occurred. The automobile struck him as the machine was backing out of a drive. The wheels of the car passed over his abdomen after he had been knocked to the ground.

The driver of the automobile, reported as a Mrs. Finch, said that she was watching another group of children and failed to see the Hall child. She carried the boy to the office of Dr. Bain Leake where first aid was given, after which he was brought to the hospital here in an Owens Funeral home ambulance. The driver of the automobile was absolved of blame, it was said.

## Temperature of 79 Sets New Mark for 1931

With the year's brief snows hardly more than a week melted, March took a fling at summer temperatures Thursday and set a new high mark of 79 degrees. The changeable month started toward its new extreme Wednesday, when thermometers pushed up to 71 degrees. February saw two days with the mercury in the seventies. On Feb. 20, 73 degrees was registered and on Feb. 21, the maximum was 71.

## Big Salaried Germans Face Heavier Taxation

BERLIN, March 12. (AP)—The reichstag tax committee approved today doubling the surcharge on incomes exceeding $5,000. In doing so the committee yielded to a demand of the Social-Democrats that if an installment of 11,000,000 marks (about $2,600,000) on the proposed cruiser "B" is to remain in the budget it must be paid for by the well-to-do and not the poor.


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## State Approves Funds for Farm Experiments Here

A sum of $1,125 to be used for a continuation of horticultural work at the state experiment farm at Iowa Park was favored by a joint house and senate committee, which voted that an appropriation of $225 per month be allowed the station for the five remaining months in the fiscal year, according to information received here by J. B. Marlow from Senator Ben G. Oneal. The approval of the committee, it was said, virtually assures the passage of the appropriation.

Funds for the continuation of the farm for two years beginning Sept. 1, is now pending, according to information to the chamber of commerce. Claims for funds with which to operate the experiment station were first rejected in the house, but were later restored by the conferring committee, it was said.

The station at Iowa Park is in charge of C. H. McDowell as general manager. Horticultural experiments are in charge of L. E. Brooks.

## Fire Wrecks Movie House at Waurika

Special to The Record News.

WAURIKA, Okla., March 12.—Flames gutted the inside of the Empress theater, Waurika's only moving picture house, early Thursday morning. Ed Crews, proprietor, who lives above the theater, escaped with his family when he was awakened by smoke pushing up through the floors of the apartment. The blaze is believed to have started near the stage. Every seat in the house was believed to have been charred by the heat and the talkie appartus was wrecked. Repairs were started at once and the theater is expected to reopen within a week.

# RED CROSS TO LAUNCH DRIVE

## Community Chest Asked To Approve Campaign

Plans to raise additional funds in Wichita county toward the Red Cross disaster relief program were considered Thursday afternoon when the executive committee of the Wichita county chapter of the Red Cross met, according to W. O. Beeman, local chairman.

J. W. Richardson, supervisor of disaster relief of the Red Cross in Texas, called the meeting and explained that the $10,000,000 fund recently raised by the Red Cross was for drouth relief only and such money could be used for no other purpose. It is recognized by the Red Cross, he said, that aid is needed by the unemployed in this section.

W. O. Beeman, chairman of the Wichita county chapter, reported on drouth relief in Wichita county, and stated that every rural sufferer had been well cared for. It was explained that Wichita county's quota of $1,000 for drouth relief had been met through the Will Rogers benefit. A sum of $7,000 in addition to a $1,000 reserve of the local chapter and $1,000 remitted to the national organization, has been expended by the American Red Cross in Wichita county since Jan. 15, Mr. Beeman said, stating that in addition to this $9,000 further contributions probably would be made.

A request was directed to the Wichita Falls Community chest for approval of a campaign for membership in the Red Cross for the purpose of raising additional funds. Delegations from Iowa Park, Electra and Burkburnett attended.

**Mrs. Ludlam Leaves Hospital**

Mrs. A. C. Ludlam, 2309 Bullington, returned to her home Thursday from the Wichita Falls Clinic hospital, where she had been confined with injuries sustained in an automobile accident Wednesday. Mrs. Ludlam's injuries were painful although not of a serious nature, hospital attendants said.

## Bullington Tells Of Oil Fight

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will be, I would call on the people of Texas to boycott all products made in Massachusetts. The only way you'll ever touch those people is through their pocketbooks, and I believe in fighting the devil with fire."

At the opening of the meeting, those present were entertained by the high school boys' quartet, whose members were introduced by Fred Sehmann Jr., in a brief monolog. Leonard Baggett, William L. Donnell, and Patrick Henry Jr., are the other three singers comprising the quartet. They were accompanied by Miss Mildred Anderson.

Fred M. Greer was welcomed by J. H. Allison into club membership. A short singsong was conducted by R. E. Shepherd, with Mrs. Shepherd at the piano.


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## Singer Goes to Trial In Death of Jeweler

SALT LAKE CITY, March 12. (AP)—Verna Jean Dayle, 21, cabaret singer, went to court here today to face a charge of first degree murder in the slaying of Sam Frank, 65, jewelry auctioneer of Memphis, Tenn.

The former entertainer has been in jail since her arrest shortly after the jewelry salesman was found beaten and gagged in his hotel room here last December.

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## NOW and ... THEN

**Educated Man's Outline**
**Dr. Butler's Idea**
**Our National Anthem**
**A Count Collects**

By EMILE GAUVREAU

What is an educated man?

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler proposes to explain it all in an "outline." We have had outlines of history, outlines of philosophy, outlines of science, outlines of poetry. Now Dr. Butler cites five evidences of an education: correctness and precision of speech, refined and gentle manners, the power and habit of reflection, the power of growth and the possession of efficiency.

The outline, says the good professor, may be filled in by scholarship, literary power, mechanical skill, professional zeal and capacity, business competence or social and political leadership. But if an educated man must have all five evidences, then we know of several generally conceded gentlemen of education who must be counted out, either because they are woefully inefficient or slovenly in their speech or brusk in manners.

Dr. Butler may some day realize that hundreds might be named who can lay claim to all of his five evidences and yet who would be classed as far from educated. A good definition of an educated man is one who is widely read in at least one language, who is actively engaged in thinking and keeping up with the problems of the world, who is curious of all important human endeavors and alien to none, and who is creative in at least one direction.

The United States of America, rich in many other things, was also rich in national anthems. We had three of them: the "Star Spangled Banner," "Hail, Columbia" and "My Country, 'Tis of Thee." But today we are no richer than other countries in this respect. Congress has decreed that there is to be only one national anthem and that is "The Star Spangled Banner." Mr. Hoover has approved the bill and now you will have to take off your hat only when the band strikes up the work of Francis Scott Key.

Mr. Key, inspired after a night of bombardment during the war of 1812, wrote an anthem which will live so long as this nation exists. He lived for some years to enjoy the popularity of his composition. Banqueters will mumble the first few words and hum the music, but so long as we realize what the anthem stands for there may be some hope for those who believe in a free country.

The marriage of an American woman, Mrs. Laura Kayser Bayer to Count Sala of France, and the settlement on the count, before the marriage, of $14,000 a year by Mrs. Bayer, proves two things: First, that foreign noblemen are still to be considered "a catch," and, second, that a lot of money made in America continues to flow into the coffers of Europe to enrich people and families who do not earn it, and who are manifestly too "proud to work."

It might be a good idea, if we want to keep money earned here, to tax any American heiress, single or widow, who marries abroad for the enrichment of her blood.

The day has definitely passed when Americans have to look across the Atlantic for authority in any of the arts or industries. Even George Bernard Shaw's dictums are are taken with a grain of salt. Hollywood, in fact, comes out point blank and calls the Irish wit antiquated.

Jose F. von Sternberg, film director, says: "Hollywood has absolutely nothing to learn in motion pictures from any European countries, neither from Russia nor Germany, and least of all from England. I am European-born, but all I know of pictures I learned in America." Even Paris fashions are made in America. Nothing could possibly be added to this.

### Hambone's Meditations

### Record News Program for Wichita Falls

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

"More Sheep in U. S. Than Ever Before." Headline. Including, of course, a goodly number of the black variety.

Spring must be really here. Detroit officers, in a raid the other day, seized a cargo of bock beer.

## Easier Divorces

COMPETITION in the field of business grows more intense every year; but what are we to think of the growing competition in the divorce business?

The number of divorces issued to American men and women rises each year. The granting of these divorces has lucrative side-lines; there are court fees and lawyers' fees, and if the litigants are non-residents there is money in it for the hotel keeper, the grocer, the baker and almost everybody else.

So it is that this year actually sees a spirited competition for new business on the part of various centers where divorces can be obtained without too much difficulty.

Reno has been famous for its divorces for years. Now Arkansas has enacted divorce laws quite similar to Nevada's, and Reno has visions of its divorce business slipping away from it.

But there is plenty of other competition. Havana is now preparing to offer quick and easy divorces to all who have the price. Lawyers who have studied Cuban laws say that all an American need do is go to Havana long enough to have a transcript made of his marriage certificate and give power of attorney to a lawyer, to whom he confides the evidence in the case. He then goes back home and waits for the courts to do their stuff.

The ease with which Mexican divorces can be obtained is well known. It is even reported that Mexican attorneys in New York are promising that they, too, will be able to get divorces by mail, for a consideration. And, of course, when Mexico, Havana and Reno fail, there is always Paris.

Evidently the granting of divorces is becoming a major industry, for which cities and states find it well worth their while to bid. Just what sort of reflection all of this may be on the state of civilization in the United States you can decide for yourself. It is hardly a situation that can be easily laughed off; and just what the remedy may be is something that calls for a good deal of serious study.

## Will Einstein Understand?

IT IS reported that Prof. Albert Einstein found himself more a celebrity in Los Angeles than any screen star. In newspapers—ever the barometer of public appraisal—the name "Einstein" flashed forth in bigger, bolder type than either of those charmed others, "Bow" or "Garbo."

Now Einstein and the amiable Frau Einstein are returning to their home in Berlin. On their last public appearance in California crowds battled to reach the author of the relativity theory. Men and women, brandishing pencils, beseeched him for autographs. Einstein "fans" flocked at the scientist's heels.

It must all have seemed very strange, very unusual to the professor whose home in Germany is a guarded retreat, who has summed up results of 20 years' grueling study in a paper of a few hundred words' length.

Einstein came to America to study stars and became one. He has starred in talking motion pictures, known all the glamours which surround Hollywood's most exalted. It is quite a different type of fame than that reflected when George Bernard Shaw declared him the one individual alive who is assured of a place among immortals.

Einstein's name has become synonymous with relativity—that revolutionary scientific theory which it has been said only 12 men in the world are learned enough to understand. After the professor has returned to Germany, after the tumult and shouting has died away, will he retire to a quiet study and there with that dynamic brain ponder a new problem in relativity? Will he seek to discover the relativity between senseless demonstrations by celebrity-crazed crowds and the essential soundness and sanity of the world's most prosperous nation? Being Einstein he should be able to make this discovery.

## An International Language

A NEW magazine, "The International Forum," has begun publication in Berlin. It is to be a monthly, devoted to "the exposition of German, American and British ideas."

And this new international magazine, which will contain work by German, British and American writers, is printed entirely in English. The editor explains that a great many educated Germans read and speak English, but that few of the corresponding class in Britain or America understand German. French was considered for the magazine, but rejected on the ground that, despite its reputation as an international language, French is really "a medium of exchange among the Latin races."

So English it is, and one more victory in the bloodless battle that is making our own tongue the international language. None of the several efforts to create an artificial language has made anything like the progress toward universality that has been made by English, aided by literature and the roving spirit of its peoples, and latterly receiving a still further impetus from the radio.

## *Quotations Worth Noting*

The only reason which inclines me to believe the stock boom is permanent is that none of the brokers think so.—**Senator Dwight W. Morrow.**

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New York may have the noisiest streets, but London has the noisiest lecturers.—**Sinclair Lewis.**

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Today our men of culture are all women.—**Dr. Charles Gray Shaw.**

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I am a reputable citizen.—**Al Capone.**

## WALTER WINCHELL *On Broadway*

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**This Town of Ours**

The Jack Mulhalls have phffft! . . . The Nathan Burkans are blessed-eventing . . . The Chester Hales (Amata Grassi) are having it Reno-vated secretly . . . Alice White and Cy Bartlett have cried it out . . . Dorothy Mackaill and Donn Cook are on fire . . . Florence Rice, who is telling a judge about Sidney Smith, has selected her next groom, a cartoonist . . . The Brooklyn National bank told Al E. Smith, that if he would be the editor of a planned newspaper, they would back it for three million . . . The Ray Belascos (M. Johnson) were melted in Chi 8 wks ago . . . Leonard Leibling shelved his music critic post on the N. Y. American to pen plays with Montague Glass. Deems Taylor succeeding . . . James Barrett, ex-city editor of the World will get the same job on the American in 2 wks.

The Leon Leonidoffs (Fanny Todd Mitchell), he is Roxy's ballet master and she is a playwright, have decided to try it again . . . The Clarence Brown-Mona Maris romance is blazing . . . When Mrs. James Duke wears her million-dollar jobs at bridge games a robust detective sits by her . . . That tall doorman at the St. Moritz was a German army officer . . . Judge Freschi of Special Sessions will switch to General Sessions, succeeding the late Bertini . . . Max Steuer tells intimates he would like to be Governor . . . The Government has been confiscating perfume from Yurrup tourists under a ruling which was in error. Victims may get the stuff back at the Army Base, Brooklyn . . . A fence dealing exclusively in pedigreed dogs is running on 3rd Ave . . . Irene Bordoni's accompanist, Dudley Wilkinson, is being melted in Chi.

At the opening of a play recently, Baird Leonard turned to Dorothy Parker and said: "Are you Dorothy Parker?" and Dorothy replied: "Yes—do you mind?" . . . As if things were not tough enough, Friday the 13th comes again this wk for the second month in succession . . . Eggs are 11 cents a doz. in Kansas, which is the reason all the Kansas Congressmen are in New York, afraid to go home . . . The daughter of Walter J. Kingsley (by his first wife) was secretly sealed in October to Maurice O. Smith, the stork due in August . . . Muriel ("Greeks Had a Word for It") Kirkland and Dennis Brandon Maduro are uh-huh . . . "La Garconne," by Victor Margueritte, which was banned years ago because of its torrid passage, is selling at a 34th Street dep't store for 79 cents with the sizzling lines intact.

Recommended to diversion seekers: The most tuneful of the new chunes, "When Your Lover Is Gone" . . . "As Husbands Go," by Rachel Crothers, at the John Golden, a delightful comedy . . . The late Jack Donahue's book: "Letters of a Hoofer" . . . The "You Said It" score . . . Duke Ellington's pashiest platter, "Mood Indigo" . . . "Here We Are," from Ziezfeld's next "Follies" . . . The insane routines of Frances Williams and Harry Richman at his night club . . . The best of the obituary notices on the death of the N. Y. Worlds in Time . . . Ask Stanley Walker, the Trib editor, to recite you his limerick on Acuna.

Gloria Morgan Vanderbilt is considering the job of style dictator for a Hollywood flicker firm . . . You can't keep up with those femme impersonators. Now it is Jackie (Club Calais) Maye who is altar-bound with Eleanor Tierney of the same show . . . You can buy a modern hotel (in the latter 50s) for only $10,000, providing you assume the liabilities, which amount to millions . . . A third girlesk house is being plotted for 42d Street . . . Incidentally, most of the south side of that block is owned by the Loew interests, which will tear it down within 2 yrs and erect new commotion picture cathedrals.

Uncle Sam is plenty sore because Grover Loening's secret baby plane for submarines was photo'd by Park Rogues . . . The George C. Johnstones are being stork'd . . . Now they assert the next rag merger will be two eve'gs . . . It cost this department $350 a yr to maintain its ten-dollar hat . . . Golly! You could buy an ordinary life insurance policy for that! . . . Burton Rascoe is editor of the new "hibrow" page in the American, beginning today, and will col'm thrice wkly. Charles Hanson Towne, Agnes Smith, Gil Gabriel, etc., contributing . . . All art work for that page will be selected by Rascoe, the starving illustrators must be thrilled to learn . . . Lillian Bond and Nick Grinde arelikethis . . . Hawks isn't going to Yurrup on "business," as reported, but to establish new speed records in his Texaco 13, shoving off Mar. 31 on the Europa . . . The E. Dowlings (Betty Compton) will wait six months.

Bob Maxwell and Audrey Pointing will middle-aisle it next wk . . . Montague Glass, "America's Foremost Epicurist" has digestive trouble and can't eat! . . . The Percy (Evepost) Winners are cradle-shopping . . . Vicki Baum, the gal who wrote "Grand Hotel," will be here April 1, and the town dandies are using every influence to meet her . . . "Making Mary" folded in Washington unable to pay the cast . . . A. H. Villepigue of Sheephead Bay and Marjorie Clements of the Royal Poinciana, Palm Beach, are making the long distance phone dep't richer . . . Joey Hicks, social-but-no-dough, and J. Trounstine of Wall Street, are Adam-and-Eveing . . . Emily Davies Vanderbilt likes the Vanderbilt name so much all charge accounts are in that tag . . . Barbara Standish's honey is so fussy that he leaves a bodyguard with her—who is too good-looking.

Gabriel Beer-Hoffman, director of "Anatol," and Sybil Bolitho are ahem! . . . Mrs. Jack Held's dome has sixty stitches since that cab bangup . . . The wiseys and their gals pack The Bath Club (Perona's to you!) these Sabbath eve'gs . . . Aside to the "Five Star Final" authir: Your closest friends are making fun of me because I ran that retraction about your divorce" . . . Those "mindreaders" who charge you $1 for a copy of a horoscope book buy them at $38 per 1,000 on Wilson Ave., Brooklyn, you sucker! . . . Mrs. L. Federman, Long Island golf champ (for femmes), is motherland-bound . . . When Eva LeGallienne plays Camille or Juliet she makes her nose prettier by using putty . . . Overheard: "That guy is so low he could sit on a cigaret paper and swing both legs!"

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

**SEND IN YOUR "BELIEVE IT OR NOT" AND GET RIP'S BOOK**

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

## Big Business Girl . . By One of Them

**Synopsis of Preceeding Installments**

Claire MacIntyre, known as "Mac," determines upon a business career while she is still attending State university. She is to graduate, while Johnny Goodman, with whom she is in love, has a year to go. Johnny is handsome, lovable, but not inclined to take a serious view of life. At a sorority picnic, when Mac tells him of her intention to take up business, he tries to talk her out of it. But Mac tells him she is determined to go to Chicago and seek a career. At the picnic, one of the girls tells of a secret marriage of a university couple. Johnny seems somewhat disturbed at the news, and wonders if the young people will be "kicked out" of the university. Johnny, who leads a college orchestra, has a summer date with his jazz "gang" in Paris. He makes a last call on Mac before her graduation and puts her aboard the train for Chicago, where she is to live with her Uncle Jerry. She tells her uncle she is going into the dry cleaning business, in which she has had some experience. He says that business is identified with racketeering in Chicago.

CHAPTER V.

It was not until a week later that Mac was given any encouragement. There didn't seem to be any business that ran itself so successfully without the aid of any new people as did the cleaning and pressing game. No, nobody was needed just now. . . . "Give us your name and we'll call you if anything turns up. . . ."

One large plant on the south side, specializing in retail trade, was willing to give her twenty-five dollars a week to act as combination cashier and bookkeeper in one of its loop stations. Mac was dressed in perfect taste—a quiet ensemble and a hat which italicized her—and the office manager, in making the offer, had added with a bland semitic smile, "You're no such a bad number to look at."

Mac cursed him mentally and said she would see.

Then she stumbled on the fact that among the larger establishments a new position had been created during the past few months, that of adjuster. It was the adjuster who dealt with the customer unsatisfied with the way a garment had been cleaned or pressed, or indignant because it had been damaged or lost. It called for not a little diplomacy and the ability to quickly and correctly appraise the value of clothes. The salary seemed to be around forty dollars a week. From then on, Mac applied for a position as adjuster. It worked no better.

One sultry afternoon, the very last in June, she waited for over an hour at Renwick J. Clayton, Inc., a large plant on North Halsted, to see the office manager. When she did secure an interview, the office manager, a frightening woman, told her that a position was open for an adjuster but that a man was desired. As she left the office and had pushed the button for the elevator to take her down, Mac was aware that a young man who had just come out into the ante-room was watching her with interest. Now he was stooping over the switchboard girl, probably asking her name.

The elevator slid open its door before her just as the switchboard girl motioned for her to come over. She turned.

"Miss MacIntyre, this is Mr. Winters. I was just telling him you saw Miss Williams about a position."

Mac acknowledged the introduction. "Yes, I did see her."

"With what success?" smiled the collegiate looking Mr. Winters. His eyes and his curly hair were dark. He must have been hovering around thirty.

"Not any success at all," Mac smiled back.

"That bad? What sort of position?"

"I wanted to work as an adjuster. Miss Williams told me they wouldn't consider any women."

He laughed. "She doesn't like women very well, I guess. What experience have you had?"

Mac did not hesitate a moment. "For two years at State university I had the student agency for the Springfield cleaners, and I did quite a volume of business. I graduated this month and instead of going to work for them this fall, organizing other agencies, I wanted to get into business in Chicago."

"Well, well!" Winters put his hands on his hips and surveyed her with added interest. "So you graduated this year! Did you know Babe Long?"

"One of my best friends," said Mac truthfully. "I'm a Tri Kappa, too."

This sort of thing went on for some time. It developed that he was from Ohio, but knew a great many people she did. He had been out six years.

"Tell you what you do, come in with me and I'll see if R. J. is around. I'm his assistant. Mr. Clayton's."

He took her arm with easy familiarity, guided her into his office and told her to wait. When he reappeared in a moment he said softly, "He's just leaving, but it's all right." And in another minute she was meeting R. J. Clayton himself, president of the largest independent cleaning plant in Chicago.

Although it was after five, and obviously past the time he usually left his office, Mr. Clayton was very kind. "Tell me all about yourself," he suggested, and put her at her ease.

After she had stopped, he didn't seem much impressed. She had the sinking sensation of failure in the pit of her stomach. He was a large man, with a ruddy face that suggested the links rather than the barroom. His body was muscular, his movements and speech slow.

"I don't know if you realize it or not," said he, speaking to his desk blotter, "but we people in this business are having a little trouble just at present."

"Yes, sir."

"I'm not so sure this is a place for a woman. . . . I mean, a woman who wants to work into an executive position later on, as you seem to. We have had four delivery trucks burned and clothing destroyed. One of our drivers was almost killed." He paused and examined more closely the design on his blotter. "He was slugged, tossed into his gasoline drenched truckload of clothes and left to die in the fire started by agents of the racket."

Mac gave a little involuntary cry.

"This company has always been independent. We are not fighting the United Federation of Cleaners and Dyers—we are ignoring them. Horner, who is the second largest independent, has been fighting them for five years and it has cost him thousands of dollars. He has never given them a penny; they have called strikes on him, bombed his places all over town, and put men into his plant to throw caustics into clothes and wreck things generally. We do give the federation a few hundred dollars now and then, but we are only kidding them along and they know it."

"You do both a wholesale and retail trade, don't you?"

"Yes," Winters, the assistant, answered. "There's more money in retail, though."

"The little fellows have an organization, too, I understand," Mac said.

"The Brotherhood of Associated Retail Cleaners," replied the president, "There are eleven thousand of them, all paying five dollars a month into a central treasury. Two dollars goes for dues and the other three are supposed to represent insurance in case clothes are injured or lost. Actually, however, it is almost impossible for a tailor or a shop owner to collect a cent from the brotherhood."

Mac listened carefully, not interrupting.

"The business agents put him off with excuses. And if the little fellow tries to pull out, or refuses to join, hoodlums throw a pineapple into his shop. The bomb goes off in the middle of the night. His family usually live in the rear of the shop, and they are badly frightened or hurt."

"But surely things can't get any worse," said Mac. "Isn't this price cut going to help? I know ever so many people who are sending their work out of the city. They're going to keep doing this unless you big cleaners get together."

"We can never get together with the United Federation," said Clayton shortly. "It will keep on being this way."

"Why don't you build a plant outside of the city?" said Mac in a level voice. "I'd like to see you fight them. It would only mean a day or two longer, and you could arouse public opinion and get sympathy for your idea b yadvertising."

R. J. Clayton looked at her for a long time before he said: "I like your spirit, Miss MacIntyre. We had thought some of doing that . . but I don't know."

Mac pressed her advantage. "If you won't let me try out as adjuster, I'd like to work out some ideas that would appeal to women. Get them to have their old things dyed in the newest shades of the season. Make a feminine presentation and get advance style information. Possibly send samples with a little letter and mention a consultation service over the telephone. I've worked with girls and I know how they would go for it."

Mr. Clayton looked at his watch, decided to catch the five forty-eight to Evanston instead of his usual train and opened his desk for a cigaret while he listened to Mac.

"Won't you give me a chance?" asked Mac, after a while. "I'd work as hard as a man."

He seemed unimpressed. "Are you a stenographer?"

"Yes, sir. I worked in an office one summer as a stenographer, but I'm not very brilliant at it."

Winters murmured, "The little girl who put the punk in punctuation?"

They all laughed, Mr. Clayton wrinkling up his nose as he did so. Mac could see that Winters was adept in keeping the boss in good humor, and that he liked Winters.

"We're not wild about college girls in this office. We've had a couple, but they always had a bunch of young bloods hanging around them. Seemed they couldn't forget they weren't still in school."

"Well, go ahead and try it for a week and see how you like it." He reached into a drawer and pulled out a pamphlet. "Take this home with you and read it tonight. That ought to scare you out. It's the Employer's News, published by the Employer's association. We'll pay you thirty a week to start."

A little flow of delight. Mac's eyes were dancing. "Thank you, Mr. Clayton. I'll have some ideas."

He nodded his head in dismissal. "Monday I'll have a layout for that women's stuff. Don't worry about me."

Winters followed her out to the elevator. He was pleased at her gratitude.

"How can I thank you for taking me in? How did you happen to do it?"

"Maybe I liked your looks," said he, "Bertha, the Beautiful Writing Machine Girl."

"Do you think I should have asked for forty?" she said, with an intimacy that seemed of long standing.

He laughed. "No, I think you said just the right things. You'll get more money if you get along. . . . Good-by. Be seeing you Monday."

After she was on the street Mac wondered if it was her looks that had secured the job for her. But it was with the largest company of its kind in Chicago, and she was very pleased about it, she decided.

(Continued in Saturday's Issue)

## Historical Essay Plan Advocated in House

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—Authority would be given the Texas historical and library commissions to conduct an essay contest on the life of Jane Long, "the mother of Texas," in a bill introduced today by Representative Hughes of Dallas. Mrs. Long was the first white woman in Texas and was the mother of the first white child born in the state at Point Bolivar. The prizes would be $500, $300 and $200.

## Answers to Questions

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN

**What is your question? Whatever it may be, unless it be a request for legal, medical, or financial advice, it will be answered without cost to you, and you will receive the reply in a personal letter. Write your question clearly and briefly, enclose two-cent stamp for return postage, and address The Record News Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C.**

**Q.—Which can go faster, a man on roller skates or one on ice skates?—M. P. H.**

A.—The ice skating record is better. The roller skating record for one-half mile is 1 minute 20 4-5 seconds; ice skating, 1 minute and 13 seconds.

**Q.—Are more passengers lost at sea or on trains?—P. S.**

A.—About 4,500,000 passengers are carried on vessels subject to inspection for one passenger lost. On railroads 201,000 are carried to one lost.

**Q.—What became of the Monitor and the Merrimac?—E. S.**

A.—The Monitor was lost in a gale off Cape Hatteras, Dec. 31, 1862; the Merrimac was sunk by her captain after the federal troops gained control of Norfolk on May 9, 1862.

**Q.—Must revenue bills and appropriation bills originate in the house of representatives of our congress?—S. M. K.**

A.—The constitution provides that all revenue bills shall originate in the house of representatives. It is customary for appropriation bills to originate there also. This, however, is not necessary.

**Q.—How is the Holy Land governed at the present time?—A. J. F.**

A.—Palestine is governed by a governor general appointed by the British crown under a mandate awarded to Great Britain by the League of Nations.

**Q.—Has a parasite been found which will exterminate the Japanese beetle?—P. B.**

A.—The department of agriculture says that this problem has been given attention since 1920, and at last one seems effective. Tiphia popilliavora was one of the first parasites introduced and one which gave little promise at first. After a slow start, however, it is now increasing rapidly and gives much promise as an important factor in the biological control of the Japanese beetle. This parasite is particularly well adapted for use in the natural control of the Japanese beetle because it is a specific parasite of this pest in its native land, and in this country this tendency is preserved.

**Q.—Where did the Polynesian women come from who went with the mutineers of H. M. S. Bounty to live on Pitcairn island?—M. K.**

A.—After the mutiny, Christian, who had taken charge of the ship Bounty, returned to Tahiti and remained there 10 days. When the vessel put to sea nine Tahitian men, 12 women, and eight boys were aboard the vessel and they begged to remain. Others were taken aboard after visits to islands in the vicinity.

**Q.—How many children in the United States are especially smart?—L. G. H.**

A.—There are about 1,500,000 specially gifted children in the country.

**Q.—How old is St. John Ervine, the English dramatist?—G. W. L.**

A.—St. John Ervine will be 48 during 1931.

**Q.—Should a person knock before opening a door into a business office?—R. L. B.**

A.—The door is opened without knocking.

**Q.—How old is Seth Parker?—V. B.**

A.—Phillips H. Lord, who created the character of Seth Parker, is 28 years old.

**Q.—Where is the largest closed auditorium in America?—F. H.**

A.—The new convention hall in Atlantic City is the largest in the world. The seating capacity in the main auditorium is 40,000. This includes 30,000 on the floor and stage and 10,000 in the balcony.

**Q.—Who was the sculptor of the Lion of Lucerne?—E. M. B.**

A.—The Lion of Lucerne was copied from a model by Bertel Thorwaldsen, the famous Danish sculptor. The Swiss artist was named Ahorn. The statute was dedicated in 1821. The lion was chiseled out of solid rock as a memorial to the Swiss guards who died in heroic defense of the Tuileries.

**Q.—Can you tell me the length of Browning's poem "The Ring and the Book?"—R. B.**

A.—"The Ring and the Book" consists of 20,934 lines.

**Q.—How many motion picture houses in the world are equipped for sound?—R. C.**

A.—The department of commerce says that the United States has 12,500; Europe, 5,401; Far East, 905; Latin America, 527; Canada, 450; Africa, 110; Near East, one.

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### *The Record News Offers Its Readers a Booklet Removal of Stains*

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# $100,000 ASKED IN SUIT HERE

## Young County Man Claims Life Injuries

Suit for $100,000 was brought by A. A. Howard of Young county against the Texas company in the United States district court here Thursday, the action being based on an accident said to have happened at an oil well in that county on Oct. 30, 1929.

According to the plea brought in the petition, the plaintiff, a young married man of 25 years, was "maimed and disfigured for life" as a result of injuries sustained when his clothing caught on a tractor shaft and he was "whipped round and round" during the several moments which intervened before his companions could stop the tractor.

Allegations of the plaintiff set out that because the cranking device originally provided on the tractor had become unfit for use, it was necessary to crank the machine by using a large wrench on a projecting shaft. Such a practice had produced rough "barbs" on the shaft, it is further stated. While the tractor was being used in operations on an oil well, the plaintiff was required to look into the radiator to inspect the water supply, according to the petition, and it was at that moment that the front of his clothing was caught by the rough shaft.

### APPEALS LIFE TERM

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—An appeal was on file with the state court of criminal appeals today for Jim Martin who was given 99 years by a Howard county jury on a charge of murder in the fatal shooting of Leavelle Gipson on Oct. 20, 1930.

# *Frank Kell Chief Speaker On Business Council Program Today*

## C.-C. Organization to Elect Officers at 'Jinx' Luncheon; 300 Enrolled as Members

Frank Kell, Wichita Falls captalist will be the principal speaker of the business council luncheon program to be held Friday noon at the Kemp hotel. The luncheon Friday is the first of the year following the election during the week of members of the council.

The principal business to be transacted will be the election of a chairman of the council to succeed Paul G. Putty, 1930 chairman, who will preside Friday. J. L. Jackson Jr., president of the chamber of commerce, will address the gathering and will explain to members the purpose and aims of the business council, which is an advisory group to the chamber. A number of reports from committee chairmen will also be heard, it was announced.

In keeping with the date, Friday 13th, the meeting will be called to order at 12:13 o'clock noon, the 13th minute of the 13th hour of the day. At the speakers' table seats will be provided.

Following the completion of business classification and the selection of members to the council during the week, it was announced that the 1931 organization would be considerably larger than the council of 1930 due to increased representation being given each business classification. More than 300 names are included on the 1931 roster as compared to about 200 for 1930.

## Study Club Members To Entertain Husbands

Special to The Record News.

IOWA PARK, Texas, March 12.—Members of the 23 Study club will entertain their husbands at the annual Saint Patrick's day party, Tuesday evening, March 17, at the home of Mrs. Scott Ralston. Forty-two will be played.

## Religious Forum Ticket Sales Open Saturday

The ticket sale for the religious forum to be staged at the Memorial auditorium March 19 with Clarence Darrow, noted attorney, and three other nationally known speakers on the program, will open Saturday morning at Renfro Drug store No. 1, corner of Eighth street and Scott avenue.

H. C. Cheshire, who has brought many Broadway shows and internationally recognized artists to Wichita Falls during the last three years, will have charge of the arrangements for the forum.

When Darrow, who is in his 74th year, takes the platform, patrons will not see a sleek orator, trained in all the nuances of speech, but rather a weathered veteran with shoulders stooped, and probably with his hands jammed in his pockets. Whenever Darrow makes a point which he considers exceptionally strong, he hunches first one shoulder and then the other, almost up to his ears, and then stands for a moment like a huge eagle watching the horizon for a cloud of dust. He speaks deliberately and in simple language. The Chicagoan has practiced law for a half century.

# BILL RESTRICTS DEER HUNTING

## Auto Headlight Stalking Would Be Felony

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—Persons using automobile headlights to hunt deer would be sent to the penitentiary under a bill introduced today by Representative Towery of Athens. The offense now is a misdemeanor.

A bill to prohibit hunting deer in Hamilton and Coryell counties for five years was introduced by Representative West of Jonesboro.

Representative Adkins of Gilmer introduced a bill today to allow cities of a population of less than 5,000 to levey a tax of one and one-half cents per gallon on gasoline sold within the city limits. The money would be used for street improvement and bridge purposes. Adkins said he introduced the bill by request.

### FAIL TO SET RECORD

JACKSONVILLE, March 12. (AP)—Walter Lees and Frederick Brosey, who attempted to break the world's non-refueling flight record with an oil burning motor, landed at 2:35 p. m., eastern standard time, today, after being in the air 30 hours and 13 minutes. The record is 75 hours 23 minutes.

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# *Wichita Falls*

## Folks, Facts, Fancies

### Small Fires

Two alarms answered by the fire department here Thursday caused slight damage, according to reports of fire officials. A blazing chicken coop Thursday morning at a residence on the Iowa Park road was extinguished before equipment arrived. Estimated damage of $10 was when a window curtain at a home on Seymour street caught fire shortly before 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

### Parker Simpson Critically Ill

Parker Simpson, 1811 Seventh street, was in a critical condition at the Hargrave-Walker hospital Thursday following his collapse in a downtown office building about noon. He was rushed to the hospital in a Merkle ambulance.

### Jacksboro Man Ill Here

A. T. Smith, 78, of Jacksboro, father of Mrs. Ralph Maricle of 2111 Garfield, is seriously ill at the Hargrave-Walker hospital here. He was brought to the hospital from his home in a Merkle Undertaking company ambulance.

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## Collections 'Not Bad' Say Credit Grantors

Collections on credit accounts are slightly below normal but "not bad by any means," was the opinion of members of the Wichita Falls Retail Credit Grantors association, who met at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the Kemp hotel to discuss credit problems.

Members of the association were of the opinion that credit conditions in Wichita Falls are fairly good as compared with other cities in the Southwest.

Other business of the association was the discussion of delinquent accounts of the letter C, and repossessions of merchandise and returned checks. Floyd Randel, president of the association, announced that the letter L would be discussed Thursday evening, March 19.

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If you suffer from skin eruptions of any kind, pimples, itch, tetter, ringworm, eczema, etc., a pleasant odored ointment, known as Tetterine, containing highly effective parasite germ-destroying and skin-healing properties, never fails to bring quick and permanent relief.

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## Zeppelin May Cross Atlantic Again

WASHINGTON, March 12. (UP)—The veteran dirigible Graf Zeppelin may again cross the North Atlantic in a flight from Germany to the United States this summer.

Dr. Hugo Eckener, lighter-than-air expert and commander on the Graf on all of its cruises, conferred today with navy department officials as to the possibility of using the facilities of the Lakehurst, N. J., naval air base as an American terminus.

No definite arrangements were made, it was said, and plans for the trip are incomplete. Navy officers advised Eckener the Graf must make its trip before completion of the ZRS, new navy dirigible now being built at Akron and due to be completed late this summer.

## Play With Match Costs Life of Texas Child

NACOGDOCHES, Texas, March 12. (UP)—James Stephens, 4, was dead here today, a victim of curiosity.

He noticed his brother strike a match.

Later, alone in the barn, James struck another match. His clothing caught fire and he was burned fatally, despite heroic efforts of his mother who was badly burned extinguishing the flames.

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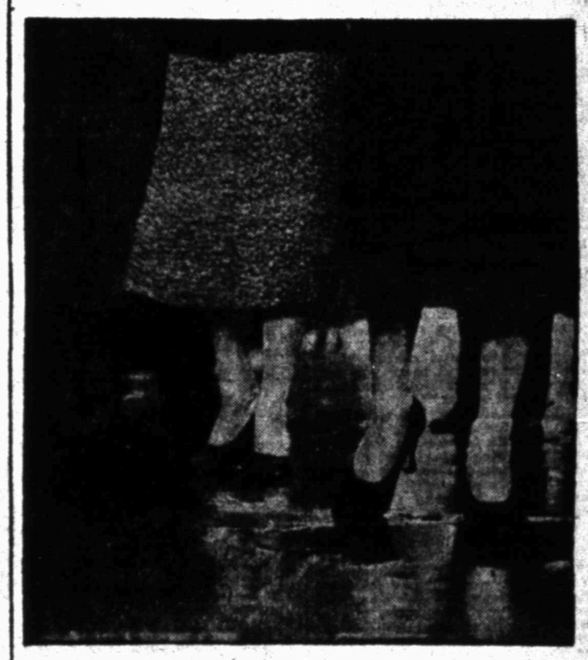

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FOR greater safety in driving, every Ford car is equipped with a Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield. By reducing the dangers of flying glass it has saved many lives and prevented countless injuries in automobile accidents.

The value of this important safety factor has been known for years, but its use has been limited by expense. It is brought to you on the Ford as standard equipment only because of the efficiency and economy of Ford methods. Much pioneering work has been done in finding ways to manufacture in large volume at low cost.

It is interesting to know how the Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield of the Ford is made and why it gives so much extra protection. The process of manufacture requires many separate operations, yet it can be explained in a few simple words.

Two pieces of plate glass, carefully ground and polished, are covered on one side with a thin coating of gelatine. This coating is baked hard, sprayed with liquid celluloid, and treated with a solvent.

Then, between the two pieces of glass, like the middle of a sandwich, is inserted a layer of special celluloid. This also has been treated with a solvent.

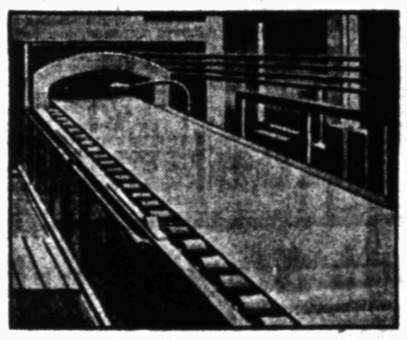
When heat and pressure are applied to the glass sandwich, this solvent helps to dissolve the surfaces in contact and they are actually fused together. It is almost like a welding process. The result is a single sheet of beautiful, clear, laminated glass. The final operation is sealing the edges as protection against air and moisture.

This laminated windshield will withstand a 50% harder impact before breaking than plate glass of equal thickness, and is more flexible under impact. When struck an unusually hard blow, it will crack, but the danger from flying glass is minimized because the pieces adhere to the layer of celluloid.

The greatest care is taken to insure uniform high quality. Plate glass is used for clear vision. One sheet in 150 is taken for test. For the impact test, a heavy steel ball is dropped sixteen feet to the center of a large sheet.

Other samples are subjected to ultra-violet rays and infra-red rays which give, in a few hours, an exposure equal to several years of normal driving. This is done to check the effect of the sun's rays and heat on the crystal clearness of the glass in actual use.

Many improvements have been made in the past three years so that today, Triplex shatter-proof glass is recognized as one of the greatest contributions to safety since four-wheel brakes. High speed and crowded traffic emphasize the need of the protection it affords. It is just another instance of the extra value in the Ford.



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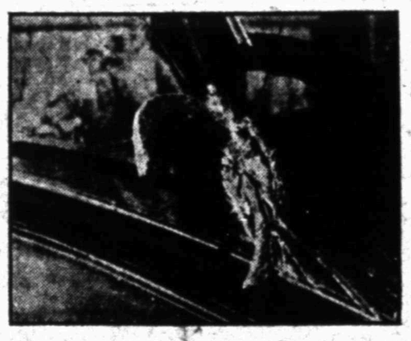

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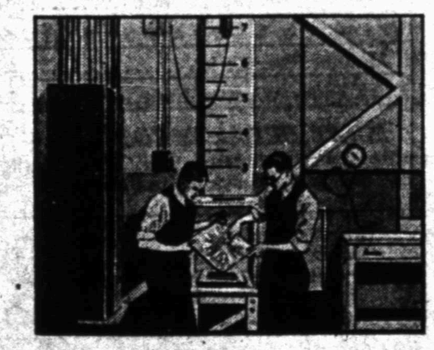
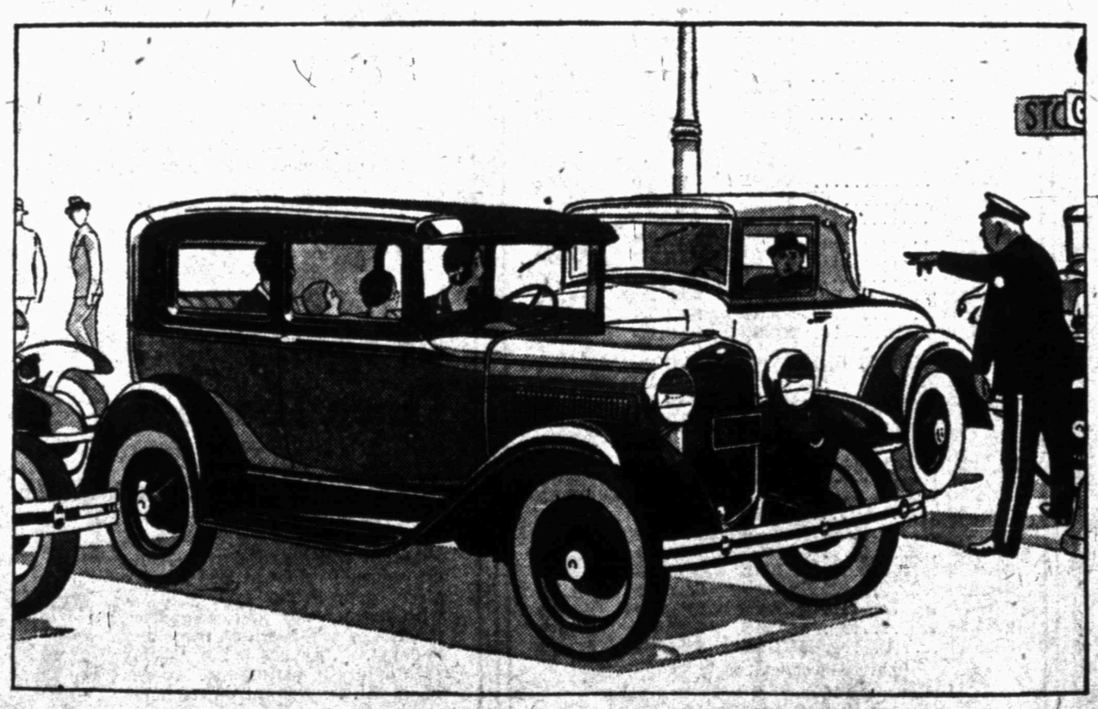
A woman and three children were in this Ford when a passing car upturned a horseshoe in the road and sent it crashing into the windshield. No one was hurt because there was no flying glass.



*The Impact Test*

A heavy steel ball is dropped sixteen feet on the glass used for the Ford windshield as an impact test. Even under this severe blow there is no flying glass.



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# 'And a Nice Time was Had by All' At Anti-Bond Entertainment Here

### "Pick the Dogs and Cats Out of the Water," Says Fischer; State Report "Framed," Sartin Claims

Approximately 800 persons gathered at the Memorial auditorium Thursday night for the final meeting of a campaign against the proposed water improvement bonds were entertained for more than an hour with an ingenious and varied program of humorous anecdotes, satirical quips, and facetious campaign slants by F. W. Fischer and Judge W. M. Moore. A brief address by B. D. Sartin, in which he made an impassioned plea for drastic cuts in expenditures for city government and improvement of water system from its own earnings, followed the principal entertainment.

Responding from the outset of the meeting to the vein of lighsome humor introduced by Mr. Fischer, the audience was kept in almost constant laughter.

Participation of the crowd in the amusement was enhanced by the generosity of the speaker, who permitted himself to be interrupted with sallies of wit from the house, and responded with exchange of "wise cracks" on various phases of the current campaign.

**Derides State Report**

Mr. Fischer also utilized the report given Monday evening by a state health board engineer on the present condition of the Wichita Falls water system in his entertainment of the crowd.

"You know what startling revelations this 'big engineer' from Austin made?" he queried.

"Well, he told us all about this big watershed up here, from which the water flows into Lake Wichita. He says its populated with human beings, and that they don't have a modern sewer system out there; and with livestock, and that they don't have sewers either. And then he comes on down to the town of Holliday,—this area he's talking about contains about 153 square miles. He deplores the fact that Holliday doesn't have a modern sewer system either. Now if our friends prevail in this bond election, and our city manager is retained, I suppose what we're expected to do is put in a sanitary system for the pigs out there in the remote country districts, and for the town of Holliday. We may go on and put sewers into Seymour, too,—you know its on Holliday creek."

Referring to the recommendations that the open ditch from the lake to the city filtration plant be replaced with a closed conductor, Mr. Fischer said the health department's representative "had found that dogs go swimming in that ditch,—dogs, and one duck."

**Must Be Chilly**

"Of course," the speaker concluded, "if we put that water in a big pipe or conduit, the dog could not get in it; but he could go up stream a mile and swim in the lake, couldn't he? There's a thousand boys and girls go swimming up there in the lake waters every night, and why complain about the dogs?"

Supervisors of the city water department were taken to task by Mr. Fischer for not repairing the alleged defects in the system themselves.

"They tell us," he said, "that the clear water wells down at the plant are admitting impurities through cracks in the concrete. Well, now, the superintendent could fix that himself. If I were superintendent I'd go down there, and shoot some concrete into those cracks under high pressure, and there you are! It wouldn't cost two dollars and a half to do it, either."

**Mr. Fischer also had a further solution for eliminating contamination said to exist in the open ditch. Water department profits are sufficient to hire "a big crowd of high-priced employes of the city who can spend their time patrolling the ditch, and picking out such dogs, cats, and ducks as may find their way into that channel," he said.**

According to Mr. Fischer's discussion of "who will pay for these bonds if they're voted," ownership of real estate within the city of Wichita Falls obviously relieves the owner of all needs for water of any kind.

**Then They Passed the Hat**

"They promised the real estate owner," the speaker continued, "that they would fix it so the poor working man with a big family would pay for these bonds. Of course, as I've been reminded, I have no interest whatever in this matter myself. I live outside the city. You can tax yourselves to death in here, and it won't be a lien on my property out there.

**"But when they are trying to break your backs beneath a crushing load of taxation from which you, the masses, will receive no benefit whatever, the way is not too long, nor the night too dark, nor the storm too fierce for me to come when you need my aid!"**

At the conclusion of Mr. Fischer's number, a plate offering was taken to provide funds "for continuing the program of the bond-opponents."

Called from the audience by Mr. Fischer at the request of W. E. George, the general chairman, Judge Moore opened his remarks by declaring that "a prosperous city can be built only with the aid of prosperous citizens." Citing the reported cancellation of more than $200,000 of indebtedness and the creation of a bank balance of more than $140,000 by the city government during the past two years, Judge Moore said:

"If under our present scheme of government we can make such progress as that, I should think that we could make the necessary improvements in our water system without voting a bond issue. In a year or two we would have enough to start work on such a project as that outlined."

**Cook's Testimonial**

While the city has been ruined by the "propaganda" circulated by bond proponents through the local papers, the speaker said, he was "glad to hear one baby crying loudly in the audience, for it proved that at least one infant was still alive." Proof of the health-giving properties of the present water supply also was offered in the statement that "we have a cook out at the house who has been drinking this water all her life, and she weighs 280 pounds. If you're trying to reduce, on a diet, you better not drink this water, for it will make you fat."

"The trouble with this proposed plan," Judge Moore said, "is that it was planned when we thought we had a population of 63,000 persons, and were anticipating a town of 100,000. The difference between me and the engineers is that they want to tax us for the needs of a prosperous city of 100,000, and I want them to accommodate their plans to a city of 30,000 in financial distress."

Circulation of statements that the present water supply is impure has defamed the city, according to Mr. Sartin. The report given last Monday by F. A. Schramm of the state department of health "was concocted up, framed, schemed right here in this room, in order to give you a political scare, and force you to swallow this impossible burden of $1,000,000 of indebtedness," he said. "Every paper that you have read, or will read, is full of misinformation." Mr. Sartin continued, "full of misleading statements made to dupe you into sinking still further into a hole from which you can't climb."


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# BARR TALKS TO WIN FREEDOM

### Reporter Freed After Telling Source of Story

DALLAS, March 12. (UP)—Edmond M. Barr, Dallas Dispatch reporter who spent 22 hours in jail for contempt of court rather than reveal the source of his information for an exclusive story on the flogging of two Communists, was free tonight after naming Norman Register, secretary to District Attorney William McCraw and former secretary of the Ku Klux Klan here as his informant.

Barr, in breaking his silence, told the county grand jury that he had decided to talk at the advice of his attorney, S. R. Aldredge, who assured him that there was no chance of securing his release unless he answered the court.

**Story Denied**

The reporter said he had been called to Register's office where the flogging was described in detail. He said Register furnished him a verbal description of the scene, near Hutchins, and told him that a gang of men had been keeping eight-hour shifts in front of the city hall, awaiting the release of C. J. Coder and Lewis Hurst, the victims, from jail.

Register, summoned before the grand jury later, denied giving the information.

In a statement after his release Barr said his attorney had informed him that the court might compel him to answer its questions.

**Issues Statement**

"A newspaper man frequently keeps confidential his source of information as to news facts. I endeavored to do this, in line with the ethics of my profession, to the utmost of my ability. I went to jail and my attorney advised me that I would remain there indefinitely until I answered the question. The man who gave me the information had full knowledge of these facts and of the law.

"I have heretofore refused to answer the question because I thought it was privileged. My attorney informs me that it was not privileged and that I am compelled to answer the question.

"Since I am informed the law does not consider this communication privileged as in the case of a lawyer and his client, or a doctor and his patient, I have given my aid in this investigation by divulging my source of information," he said.

**Reporter Freed**

Immediately upon describing his part in the case Barr was released by County Judge Grover Adams and a $100 fine assessed him was lifted.

District Attorney McCraw said late today that it was not possible that Register had been a member of the flogging party, as he is partly crippled and makes his way about on crutches.

Barr and Register left the grand jury room together, and the reporter assisted Register across the street. "I'm sorry but I don't see how I could have done otherwise," Barr told him.

"That's all right, Eddie, it had to come out sometime," the other replied.

CHESTERTOWN, Md.—Reports from various sections along the eastern shore indicate that the famous diamond back terrapin, once believed almost extinct, is becoming plentiful again in the tidewater counties.

## TAXI?

### Junior C.-C. to Provide Cars to Polls in Water Vote

Every effort to turn out a large vote in the water bond election Saturday will be made by the Junior chamber of commerce, it was announced Thursday by Russell R. Kolp, chairman of the political education committee.

Persons who do not have a means of transportation to the polls will be provided with conveyances, Mr. Kolp said. If you need such service, telephone 8521 and a car from the Junior chamber of commerce will be sent.

# Bellevue Host To Church Federation

BELLEVUE, Texas, March 12.—The Bellevue Federated Missionary society will entertain the Clay county federation in an all-day meeting Friday, March 13. The meeting will be held at the Baptist church and luncheon will be served by the local society in the Lions club near the Baptist church.

St. Patrick colors of green and white will be carried out in the menu.

Following is the thrift program to be given during the day:

9:30—Register in county guest book.
10:00—Song. "America."
10:10—Devotional — Mrs. T. K. Jones.
10:25—Address of Welcome—Mayor N. T. Gaines.
10:35—Duet—Joy HD club.
10:45—Thrift—Mrs. W. R. Potter.
11:15—Reading (selected) — Mrs. C. N. Powell.
12—Lunch.
1:00—Song by Bellevue High School Glee club, Mrs. George Simmons, director.
1:10—Texas Farm Possibilities—Mrs. John Barlow.
1:25—Our 1931 Women's Home Demonstration Club program.
2:00—Report from clubs and committees.

### Good Crowd Hears Jew At Baptist Church Here

Jacob Rosenthal, of Abilene, a Jew who is an ordained Baptist minister, was heard Thursday night by a large congregation at the Fundamentalist Baptist church at 2107 Grant street. The congregation consisted of members of several churches here.

The Rev. Mr. Rosenthal will preach again Friday night at the same church, it was announced by T. H. Mayfield, pastor.


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# JURY DEBATES SMIDDY CASE

### Bank Robbery Suspect Claims Alibi

Special to The Record News.

WAURIKA, Okla., March 12.—Prospects for an early verdict in the trial of Ennis Smiddy, charged with the holdup of the Hastings bank last October, were dimmed early Thursday night when the 12 men reported to the court that they were far from accord after debates which started at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

Smiddy, accused of being one of three men who looted the bank vault, claimed an alibi and produced his brother and sister-in-law of Oklahoma City to testify that he had dinner in their home on the day of the robbery.

On the other hand President C. C. Stephens of the bank and four other witnesses said they saw Smiddy in Hastings that day and Mr. Stephens declared that he recognized the suspect at the time of the holdup.

Trial of Simon Scott, accused of participation in the hijacking, resulted Wednesday in a hung jury. Two other men are charged in the robbery.

**Her Own Addition**

"Darling, that reminds me—I'll be needing a new fur coat soon."

"What! I only bought you that fur you're wearing two seasons ago."

"Yes, dear, but you must remember that the fox wore it three seasons first."—Answers.

## State Deaths

**WARREN JEANES**

Special to The Record News.

DUNCAN, Okla., March 12.—Funeral services for Warren Jeanes, 45, pioneer Duncan resident who died suddenly in Oklahoma City Monday night, were held here Wednesday. Jeanes was an employe of the Sunray Oil company.

His father, Capt. J. T. Jeanes, organized the First National bank, the first bank in Duncan.

The widow and five children survive. The children are Warren, Los Angeles; Virginia, Los Angeles; Marian, Oklahoma City, and Richard and Merton, both at home here.

Two sisters also survive. They are Mrs. R. J. Allen, Duncan, and Mrs. Fred Branson, divorced wife of a former justice of the Oklahoma supreme court.


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| 28x4.75 | $6.55 | $12.50 | $1.00 |
| 29x4.75 | $6.65 | $12.70 | $1.00 |
| 30x4.75 | $6.85 | $13.10 | $1.00 |
| 29x5.00 | $6.95 | $13.30 | $1.00 |
| 30x5.00 | $7.15 | $13.70 | $1.00 |
| 31x5.00 | $7.35 | $14.10 | $1.00 |

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| Size— | Tire | Pair | Allowance |
|---|---|---|---|
| 29x4.40 | $7.45 | $14.20 | $1.50 |
| 29x4.50 | $8.25 | $15.70 | $1.50 |
| 30x4.50 | $8.45 | $16.10 | $1.50 |
| 28x4.75 | $8.95 | $17.00 | $1.50 |
| 29x5.00 | $10.45 | $19.70 | $2.50 |
| 30x5.00 | $10.65 | $20.10 | $2.50 |
| 31x5.00 | $10.95 | $20.70 | $2.50 |
| 28x5.25 | $11.45 | $21.50 | $2.75 |
| 29x5.25 | $11.65 | $21.90 | $2.75 |
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| 31x5.25 | $11.95 | $22.50 | $2.75 |
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## Man Indicted Here Held in Slaying Of Borger Officer

Two grand jury indictments are held here against A. C. Evans, alias D. C. Evans and Blackie Evans, who is held at Amarillo in connection with the fatal shooting Wednesday of C. A. McLaury, 47, deputy sheriff of Borger, according to information given here Thursday night by members of the sheriff's department.

McLaury, it was said, was shot when he attempted to arrest Evans.

The indictments held against Evans here were returned by a grand jury on Oct. 9, 1930, one charging child desertion, the other burglary.

### Alamo Call Is Texas National Guard Motto

WASHINGTON, March 12. (AP)—A coat of arms displaying the famous motto "Remember the Alamo" was approved today by Secretary of War Hurley for the 141st infantry, Texas national guard, an organization which traces its history back to the "Washington guards," formed by the old republic of Texas in 1836.

The present regiment, formed in 1917 by consolidation of the first and second infantry regiments of Texas national guard, served with the 36th division in the Meuse-Argonne offensive.


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# BAR BANQUET FRIDAY NIGHT

## Good Attendance Indicated For Annual Meet

Advance reservations as reported to Luther Hoffman, in charge of tickets, indicate that a large attendance will feature the annual banquet and election of the Wichita County Bar association at the Kemp hotel Friday night, it was announced Thursday evening.

Scheduled to begin at 6:30 p. m., according to W. F. Weeks, president, the banquet will be followed by a varied program of speeches which promises generous portions of instruction and entertainment. Three addresses will deal with matters primarily national in their application. Orville Bullington will discuss "Business Outlook and Republican Prosperity." Judge J. T. Montgomery will speak on the political status of the 18th amendment in 1932, and Tom Hunter will talk on the oil situation under the caption of "Lobbying for a Tariff on Oil."

Legal matters within the state of Texas will be under discussion in two other talks. E. R. Surles will discuss "Some Peculiarities of Land Titles in East Texas," and Sam B. Spence, district attorney, will speak on "The Three Most Needed Reforms in Texas Criminal Law."

In the field of lighter discussion in which entertainment is anticipated, F. W. Fischer is scheduled to talk on "Politics in 'Oklahomie' and Later in Texas—My Own Experiences."

General arrangement of attendance are being handled by Walter Caldwell, with Mr. Hoffman directing the sale of tickets for the affair, it was announced.


## To End a Cough In a Hurry, Mix This at Home

To end a stubborn cough quickly, it is important to soothe and heal the inflamed membranes, get rid of the germs and also to aid the system inwardly to help throw off the trouble.

For these purposes, here is a home-made medicine, far better than anything you could buy at 3 times the cost. From any druggist, get 2½ ounces of Pinex. Pour this into a pint bottle, and add plain granulated sugar syrup or strained honey to fill up the pint. This takes but a moment, and makes a remedy so effective that you will never do without, once you have used it. Keeps perfectly, and children like it.

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## Wichitans to Attend Seymour C.-C. Banquet

The annual banquet of the Seymour Chamber of Commerce will be held Friday night, March 13, and a number of members and officers of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce expect to attend. President J. L. Jackson Jr., Manager John Boswell, Assistant Manager Dudley B. Foy, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Shepherd and Fred L. Haskett will make the trip in President Jackson's car.

## Boy Slightly Hurt When Hit by Auto

James Burleson, 7, was slightly injured when he was struck by an automobile driven by A. T. Bentley, 1417 Thirteenth street, in the 1900 block on Holliday street early Thursday afternoon.

The boy had run across the street to meet a mail carrier and was running back across the street to his home, 1906 Holliday, when he was struck, according to witnesses. The driver steered his machine upon the curb in a futile effort to keep from striking the boy.

The child was attended at the General hospital.

### NO MIRRORS

Charges of operating trucks without backview mirrors and mufflers were filed against six truck drivers at Iowa Park by Assistant County Attorney Otis Nelson Thursday. Defendants are expected to appear in justice of the peace court Friday morning, it was said.

# West Texas Wins Just Description In Revised Geography Textbooks

By RAYMOND BROOKS

AUSTIN, March 12.—Texas blossomed out in the pride not only of making geography but also of writing it, when the West Texas Chamber of Commerce corrections were accepted by two publishers and adopted here by the state board of education.

The West Texas body, through its book revision committee headed by Max Bentley of Abilene, brought into the Dodge Advanced geography and the MacMillan "McMurry and Parkins Elementary geography" won recognition for West Texas cotton and oil and gas and grain; for the citrus fruit industry on the Rio Grande, the sulphur industry of the coast and the growing cities of the state.

### Hereford for Longhorns

Texas was allowed, in a series of 100 corrections in the texts, to be classed as a toruist state along with Florida, which the older books alone recognized. Pictures furnished by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, substituting the modern Hereford for the ancient Longhorn cattle pitched the key of the modernizing note in the books.

The MacMillan company took advantage of the revision to bring in 1930 census figures throughout its geography.

Letters accompanied both the revised texts, signed by D. A. Bandeen, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, that the changes were acceptable, and that the organization thanked both the publishers and the state board of education for causing the changes. The books were adopted several years ago by a different state board.

Following are significant changes in the two geography texts, won as the result of a year's crusade by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and on the point of suits that did not materialize for immense damages for discriminatory disregard of the growing section of Texas.

### Farming Facts

In the Dodge Advanced geography:

Two photos of wheat scenes at Lubbock, the pictures credited "through courtesy of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce," appear on page 14.

A new map, showing weather zones and classifying West Texas as available for "grazing and for irrigated crops," on page 86.

The great plains of Texas have light rainfall at certain seasons, and agriculture is carried on successfully in sections that can be irrigated, or where dry farming is practiced in West Texas," it is said in changes written into page 94.

Text questions on page 130 ask: "What reasons can you give for the rapid development of West Texas and Oklahoma; how did it affect their cities?"

"Why do more people visit Florida and Southern Texas in winter than in summer?" is asked on page 131. Texas is added in the textual change.

Page 132 remarks that "Farther west the rainfall is less, but in certain sections of Oklahoma and Texas in the great Plains, cotton, grain, etc., are grown extensively." ". . . Wheat is grown in immense quantities, milled and exported from Texas."—page 136.

"Cotton grows best in Alabama and Georgia and in the coastal plains and portions of the great Plains of Texas . . ."—page 137.

"Texas is second in rice," is added in page 138.

"In the production of citrus fruits, Florida and Texas rank with California," is the amendment to page 140.

### Helium "Discovered"

The textbook discovered helium in Texas, 10 years after the government, on page 141. This says oil and natural gas are found in Texas, "and piped long distances. The natural gas of Texas is high in helium content."

"Texas produces nearly nine-tenths the world supply of sulphur," Texas school children are informed for the first time, on page 142 of the revised book.

Textile mill extension and development in Texas is recorded on page 144.

Corpus Christi is listed on page 147 as one of the ports serving the distribution of products grown near it.

El Paso is credited on page 150 as both a summer and a winter resort.

Following were the Texas revisions to the McMurry and Parkins book published by the MacMillan company:

Many northern people go to the South . . . San Antonio and El Paso . . . Corpus Christi and elsewhere, in winter, the book says on page 101.

Plains, open spaces, rugged mountains "highest in the South," are listed, instead of the former slighting reference to endless wastes of flat ground, on page 102.

On page 104 appears the Hereford cattle picture, the photograph credited to Roy Rector, Stamford. On the same page, a cotton production may was changed to show cotton in the lower country and in West Texas. The earlier map showed not a dot of cotton west of the 100th meridian. Page 103 calls attention to huge cattle ranches in Western Texas, where before it had shown only the Llano Estacado.

Page 106 recognizes the presence of Houston and San Antonio in the line between Washington and El Paso, where before only New Orleans had flourished. The same page calls attention to citrus fruit groves of the Rio Grande country, practically free from frosts.

Houston and Galveston are listed among the nation's great ports on page 114. Page 115 adds Texas sulphur to oil and gas products.

Page 119 gives Dallas and San Antonio as major inland cities.

## Olney Girls Win In Poster Contest

Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, March 12.—The Misses Alice Hawkins, Isla Willis, and Mary Elizabeth Griffith were winners out of 15 entries in the Little Theater poster contest, which closed here today. Miss Mary Jane Green received honorable mention.

The posters were designed to advertise "The Brat," a three-act comedy to be presented by the Olney Little Theater, Thursday evening, March 12, at the city hall.

The winners are to receive cash prizes of $3, $2 and $1 respectively, and a free ticket to the next Little Theater play.

## Texas Youth Killed In Auto Accident

SHREVEPORT, La., March 12. (UP)—John Abney, 21, was killed, and J. D. Clyde, 21, slightly injured today when the automobile in which they were riding left the highway and overturned six miles north of here. Both youths were from Marshall, Texas.

## Duncan Cast Wins In Play Contest

Special to The Record News.

DUNCAN, Okla., March 12.—Duncan High school won the right to participate in the state one-act play contest at Norman later this year by winning the district elimination contest held at Chickasha Tuesday.

Students who had parts in the play were Jack Browder, Henry Kerr, Mable Ellis, Mary Webb, and Thelma Gentry. They were coached by Miss Ethel Moseley, English teacher.

### TAX ADJUSTMENT

AUSTIN, March 12. (AP)—Representative Bond of Terrell introduced a bill to require county commissioners courts to sit monthly as a board of equalization.


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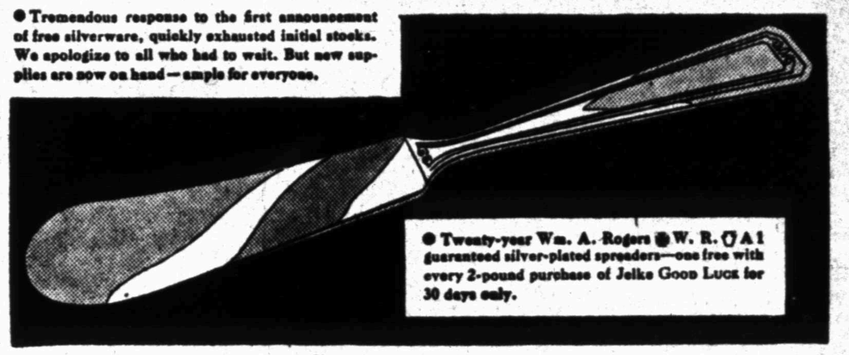

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1 Lb. Absorbent Cotton **49c**

10c Palmolive Soap 3 for **20c**

10c Lifebuoy Soap **7c**

50c Chamberlain's Hand Lotion **32c**

30c Eagle Brand Milk **20c**

35c Vicks Salve **23c**

15c Prince Albert Tobacco 2 for **25c**

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# Health and Diet Advice

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

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

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**Distributing the Burden of Elimination**

Many people write in to me and say, "Please tell me the quickest way to get well. My reply to this is usually, "Stop interfering with health and open up your channels of elimination."

There are a few diseases which are caused by mechanical interference with health, such as an accident, injuring a vital organ or causing the pressure of bones on nerves or blood vessels. Growths may also cause a mechanical obstruction of blood vessels. Prolapsed organs may interfere with elimination. These may all be termed mechanical causes of disease. More frequently, however, one finds the chemical causes of disease in an unbalanced chemistry in the body, or toxins and poisons.

Mechanical troubles often have to be corrected with treatments or survey. Chemical-unbalanced diseases have to be treated dietetically. One must consider that the food material of the entire body, and all of the chemicals which it contains, enters through only two channels —as food and air through the mouth and the lungs. If the wrong kind of chemicals or wrong amounts of them are taken in through these channels a diseased condition may result.

It is also important to remember that all of the cells of the body are constantly throwing off waste products of various types. If these waste products are not eliminated quickly enough, a slow or quick poisoning may result, greatly lowering the resistance of the body or causing actual death.

The body has been endowed by the Creator with four channels of elimination — the lungs, skin, kidneys and bowels. If any one of these organs is not functioning properly or is overworked, some of the toxins which it should eliminate become stored up in the body and must either be eliminated by the other organs or seriously affect the health. When one of the eliminative organs becomes diseased the reasonable thing to do is to remove some of its burden. If the kidneys are overworked it is wise to increase the activity of the skin so that some of the poisons may be thrown off in this way. If the liver is overworked one will always find that the bowels are not functioning properly, that poisons are being obsorbed from the intestines and carried up the portal circulation into the liver. The sensible thing to do would be to assist the elimination from the bowels whenever the liver becomes overwoorked. If the lungs become diseased it is important to increase the elimination through the other chanels, such as the skin, kidneys and bowels. This is a fundamental principle of treatment which is of inestimable value in almost any disease where a vital eliminative organ is affected. Try to increase elimination through the other elimination organs and try to regulate the diet so that there is only a minimum of waste products to be eliminated. This regime gives the affected organ a chance to recuperate.

It is the height of folly to make a tubercular patient take deep breathing exercises. The sensible thing to do is to increase the elimination through the bowels, skin, kidneys and restrict the diet in such a way that the lungs will have very little work to do. A traveler would not load the weakest pack animal with the heaviest burdens. It is important to remember that the same principle applies to the body. Give the weak organs a rest by placing more of the burdens of living on the strong organs.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

**Excessive Smoking**

Question—John J. S. writes: "I am 25 years old, and a recent physical examination proved me to be in the best of health. I would like your opinion as to the cause and the treatment for a diminishing keenness in my mind. Recently, I find I must stop and think deeply whenever I speak or act and have become most unnatural. Now, upon taking a stimulant (such as the smallest amount of liquor) I am completely myself again. Would excessive smoking numb one mentally?"

Answer—Your question probably answers itself, for you doubtlessly are an excessive smoker or you would not ask the question. Give up smoking entirely for awhile and you will soon find out whether or not the smoking has been producing the dimming of your mental faculties.

**Pressure Cooker**

Question—J. W. asks: "Do you think that foods cooked in a pressure cooker lose any of their value? Would this method affect the vitamins?"

Answer—Pressure cooking is an excellent way of preparing foods and superior to the ordinary methods. The vitamins are always affected by cooking if the cooking is continued too long.

**Tuberculosis**

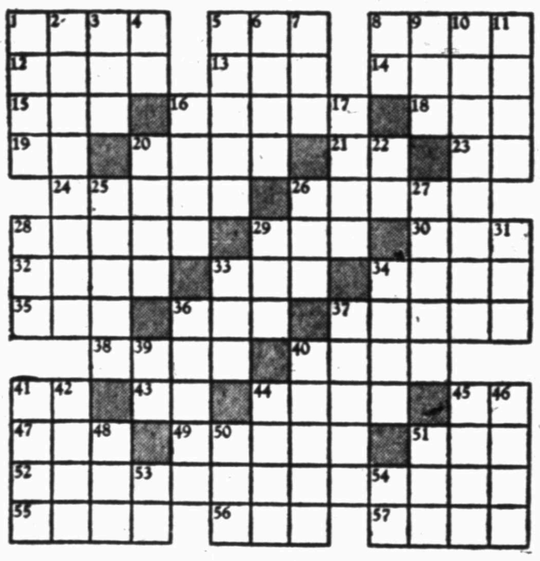
Question—H. G. asks: "If a man had tuberculosis in an advanced stage, please tell me how the wife can avoid contracting it?"

Answer—There is very little danger of a healthy person contracting tuberculosis from one who has the disease. If the wife maintains her strength and lives carefully to keep well she may feel perfectly safe.

## Abe Martin

When Judge Pusey asked Lon Moon, who murdered his wife, if he had anything t' say before bein' acquitted, he replied, "I never would have shot her if I knowed I'd have t' go thru so much red tape." Next to a flat tire, th' worst thing is a tooth paste tube blowout.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



**HORIZONTAL**

1—Arabian seaport.
5—Timid.
8—To whip.
12—Frost.
13—Shade.
14—Poker stake.
15—Worm.
16—Birds.
18—To blacken.
19—By.
20—Order.
21—Enclosed.
23—Pronoun.
24—More unusual.
26—To bend.
28—Lightened.
29—Deer.
30—Corded fabric.
32—Increase.
33—To poke.
34—Commanded.
36—Goddess of mischief.
38—Ancient war weapon.
37—Surfeits.
38—Pronoun.
40—Mentally sound.
41—Degree.
43—Spanish for "the."
44—Rectangular solid.
45—Pronoun.
47—Type units.
49—Adult insect.
51—Because.
52—Expectations.
55—Beams.
56—Prefix: three.
57—Celebration.

**VERTICAL**

1—Slave.
2—Absent minded.
3—Type measures.
4—Compass.
5—To cut.
6—To pain.
7—Japanese coin.
8—Musical note.
9—Ate sweet.
10—Wild rush.
11—At this place.
17—Location.
20—Without cost.
22—A negative.
25—Item of property.
26—Convulsive sigh.
27—To speak.
28—Age.
29—Mother.
31—Dance step.
33—Thick preserves.
34—Pest.
36—Souvenir.
37—Wooden shoe.
39—Pronoun.
40—Sweet substance.
41—Animal.
42—Indian monetary unit.
44—Cloak.
45—Custom.
46—Gaelic.
48—Pen.
50—Short glove.
51—Adversary.
53—Exists.
54—Whether.

**Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle**

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# HERB KELLY COUNTED ON TO FILL HOWARD FITZGERALD'S SHOES

## The Rambler's Corner

By FRED THOMPSON

Extree! Extree! Two Spudder veterans incapacitated by serious injuries!

On his first day in camp, Lester White stuck a splinter in his finger. Attending physicians said the hurler probably would be out of the game two weeks.

On his first day in camp (yesterday) Ash Hillin, previously regarded as good for 18 ball games this season, discovered a huge blister on a toe. The exact toe which sustained the painful hilltop was not disclosed, physicians declaring, however, that it was a toe which occupied a pretty prominent position in the shoe and stood a good chance of being stepped on, or otherwise aggravated. He will be out of the game for no less than three weeks, said the attending doctors, and the experts declared he could not possibly win but 17 ball games this season, owing to the injury.

**Animated Flinn**

Roland Flinn, the big fire-eater from Maine, brought his six feet something of Yankee good nature into the clubhouse Thursday afternoon, and it wasn't five seconds before the bull session had started.

He brought news of various and sundry players who, like himself, trained with the Spudders last year. Tony Defate, dark-hued eyetalian who worked out with the 1930 squad preparing for a season with Augusta, later was released by the latter club, whereupon he went to Pine Bluff, Ark., to finish the season. Russell Cromer who went with Flinn to Augusta, Ga., of the Sally league, graduated toward the end of the season to the San Antonio Indians, where he is on the roster this year.

Debs Garms, infield, or outfield, candidate with the Spudders this year, played third base with Flinn's Augusta outfit in 1930, and played it well.

The tall right-hander certainly has a way of getting the things he wants. When the Spudders optioned him to Augusta last year he apparently was determined that when and if he returned, he would make good. He was so determined that he would have a long stay in Wichita Falls in 1931 that he gave Burt, the club house attendant, a brand new top-coat if the latter would reserve for him a bed in the coolest part of the club house.

So when lanky Roland entered the realm of snooze Thursday night, it was in a bed that had been reserved for him these many months.

**More Gab**

Oh me, oh my, but how good it feels to sit and gab with the returning Spuds—Hillin, Bradbury, Stormy Freddie Vincent, Dick Florrid, Lester White, and all the others. The talk yesterday included a few melancholy references to the boys of yesteryear—Levey to Storti to Burns, et al.—and we gulped a little when we thought that we could gamble no more with them this year; but the sob stuff lasted but a little while and pretty soon the boys were assaulting the critics who predicted the Spuds would wind up in the cellar.

But we agreed that since the critics must cast us so far down, the prediction might as well be left alone.

At least the Spudders can't go any further down. They've got 'em as far down as they can get now, and the only thing Carl's boys can do is rise up and fight!

**The Morning Mail**

Dear Rambler: I will appreciate it very much if you will give me the following information concerning baseball.

How is the Western association classified? Is it in class D or B?

Thanking you in advance, I remain, very truly yours,

PAUL PRITCHARD,
The Frederick Press, Frederick, Okla.

The Western association is in class C.

**Using Old Balls**

The new baseball has not yet made its appearance down at Spudder park. The usual program for economy in the use of the ball prevails, and the Spudders, like most every club in the league, are using the old balls left over from last year.

**Unverified Rumor**

There is a story going around that one of the rookies in Skipper Carl's camp, passing by the Memorial auditorium and lifting his blinkers at the statue of the doughboy, noticed the hand grenade in the statue's right hand and a rifle in the other and asked: "Now I wonder howinell that right-hander expects to pitch carryin' a gun?"

**Oh Yeah? Department**

"The reason Fred Lucas, pinch-hitting star with the Cincinnati Reds, is such a great ball player is that he has determination; and he developed that quality when romance entered his life, when he determined to marry the girl of his choice; and did."—League President J. Alvin Gardner.

## Joplin Assured Of Ball Club This Year

JOPLIN, Mo., March 12. (UP)—Assurance that Joplin will have a baseball team in the Western association this season was given today.

Frank Childress, mine operator, will erect new park facilities which will be leased by William Fleischaker to use as a Western association ground.

Fleischaker had intended to remove his franchise to Bartlesville, Okla. Dale Gear, president of the association, said selection of a ninth entrant rests with Bartlesville and Coffeyville, Kan.

## Childress Cagers Beat Flint in Plainview Meet

PLAINVIEW, Texas, March 12. (AP)—In the first round of the state A. A. U. girls' high school basket ball tournament today Childress defeated Flint, 23 to 21, Flynt forfeited to Elston, and Shallow Water forfeited to Quanah.

## CANDIDATE HAS GOOD RECORD

### Skipper Plans First Game Next Sunday

By FRED THOMPSON

The gent whose painful task this year probably will consist of making Spudderland forget that Howard Fitzgerald, the galloping greyhound of the garden, was the most consistent center fielder in the known domain of the Texas league arrived in Wichita Falls Thursday.

His name—Herbert Kelly. His previous club—Topeka of the Western league. His prospects of replacing Fitzgerald—darned good!

Not that the inimitable greyhound will be forgotten. It is not likely the combined American and National leagues could make Wichita Falls forget the ambling flyshagger. But replaced he must be, and if Skipper Carl decides that it is the center garden that Kelly must patrol, the records show that in Kelly, Prexy Huff obtained a gent who will not in any respect offend the shade of the gallant Fitz, which no doubt still haunts the ground he covered so well.

**Stormy Vincent Arrives**

There were other arrivals Thursday, including old War Horse Vincent, old Stormy Freddie himself, smoke ball flash of yesterday whose badly pitched games last year were much fewer than those he hauled out of the fire.

Another was Arthur Bradbury, red-skinned as of yore, looking in fine condition, and ready to do battle with might and main for the first string catching position this year. Brad and Vincent got into uniform immediately. On the field Bradbury met his deadly rival, Herbert Bryant, late of Wilkes-Barre of the same loop Vincent hailed from. Bryant, who arrived Wednesday, gave every indication that the fight for the catcher's job will be to a breathless finish.

And still another arrival—Roland Flinn, the tall tower from Maine, genial Yankee whom the Spudders farmed to Augusta of the South Atlantic league last year. There he came through in brilliant fashion, pitching day and night baseball to ring up a final record of 17 games won and nine lost. Flinn will be in uniform Friday for his first workout. He is in perfect condition, having played basket ball in Lincoln, Maine, most of the winter season.

And so the veterans and more mature players continue to swell the Spudder register at the clubhouse. Friday there will be quite a bunch of players on hand when Skipper Williams tells them to go to it.

**Morning Drill Today**

And that will be promptly at 9:30 Friday morning, for after Thursday afternoon's brisk batting and infield workout, the manager announced that the two-a-day plan would be followed the rest of the week in an effort to get the boys in condition to play the first intra-squad game. The latter, he announced, will be played Sunday if the players show they are in good condition.

But returning to friend Kelly. Even as Fitzgerald was one of the Texas league's most prized fly chasers last year, Kelly was one of the best in his league—the Western. As to his hitting qualifications, he falls slightly under Fitzgerald's 1930 average, but is far and away above the charmed circle, the outfielder having clubbed out a .323 percentage last season with Topeka. Fitzgerald rounded out a .331 average last year, and probably against better pitching than Kelly encountered in the Western league. Promotion to the faster Texas league however probably will spur Kelly on to do greater things in the nature of stick work.

In fact, all of Kelly's recent work has been a continual advance. When he joined the Topeka club at the beginning of the 1930 season he was regarded as a weak hitter. With Tulsa's pennant winning club in 1929, he had hit only .282, and there was considerable talk of dropping him from the list before the Topeka training season opened last year. But as soon as he reported for action he started pelting out the long drives, and to everyone's surprise he led his entire club in swatting last season. He was never out of the .300 class at any time.

**His Fourth Year**

This season will be his fourth in organized baseball. He started his career with old John McCloskey at Akron in the Central league in 1928. He hit .308 for the season and the showing he made resulted in the St. Louis Browns purchasing him after it was over. He played the 1929 season at Tulsa and came to Topeka when the Tulsa franchise was transferred to the Kansas capital.

Kelly is a resident of Alameda, Calif. He is 26 years old, five feet, 11 inches tall and weighs 175 pounds.

And now to make this rambling story ramble a little more, there was another newcomer down at the lot Thursday, whom we failed to mention above. He is Debs Garms, with Augusta of the Sally league last year, who covets an infield position.

And a youngster slipped in Wednesday while we weren't looking, Shay Gray, brother of Sam Gray of the St. Louis Browns' pitching staff. That makes two players on the Spudder roster who have kin in the big show, the other being Marvin Ferrell, brother of Rick Ferrell, Browns' catcher, and Wes Ferrell, pitcher for the Cleveland Indians. Ferrell is training with the Browns, as are Wallace Hebert, left-hander, and Buck Stanton, first baseman.

## Bill Terry Accepts Terms With Giants

NEW YORK, March 12. (INS)—Bill Terry, the National league's leading hitter last season with an average of .401, this afternoon came to terms with Charles A. Stoneham over the long distance telephone. He will leave his home in Memphis, Tenn., on Saturday to join his team at San Antonio training camp, it was announced.

Terry originally held out for a three-year contract calling for $30,000 per season. Then he agreed to accept a one-year contract for $25,000. Here Stoneham, however, insisted that he accept $22,500.

## Training Camp Chatter

**Beaumont Exporters**

ORANGE, Texas, March 12. (AP)—Haskell Billings' team won the right to be known as the Exporter regulars today by downing Paul Easterling's club for the third straight time, 5-3. The winning attack was featured by a line homer over left field wall by Rushing, third base candidate from Fort Smith. Joyner White and Tommy Hughes banged out triples for the winners.

**Houston Buffaloes**

HOUSTON, March 12. (AP)—Probably the largest crowd of rail birds in Houston's history took advantage of today's perfect weather to turn out for the practice game between the Buff regulars and the rookies. The regulars won 16-5.

The seventh inning was disastrous for Warnecke, right-hander from Arkansas, the regulars combing his delivery for six tallies in that round. Eddie Hock and Guy Sturdy each hit a home run inside the park, and Puccinelli met the ball solidly for three bases.

**Fort Worth Cats**

FORT WORTH, March 12. (AP)—The arrival today of Dick Whitworth and Henry Hardaway boosted the total number of pitchers at the Fort Worth Cats' training camp to 21.

Dick Whitworth isn't yet the property of the Fort Worth club and it isn't altogether certain he will play baseball in any league this season, but the Austin brakeman thinks enough of the chances to come here and begin training. All of the complications, which have grown out of his being drafted by the Chicago Cubs, can't be solved until April 1, but at this time it appears reasonably certain that he will be back with the Cats again this year.

**Chicago White Sox**

SAN ANTONIO, March 12. (AP)—With his outfield all set, his batterymen working satisfactorily, Manager Donie Bush's White Sox worries have been reduced to the infield problem.

Carl Reynolds appeared today to take the kink out of the infield situation, and Bush turned all of his attention to shortstops and first basemen. He has four candidates for the former job, Luke Appling, Irving Jeffries, Gregory Mulleavy and Jack Ryan, but none has sold himself to Bush. Ray Radcliff, first base hope, has not measured up and appears likely to be replaced by Johnny Watwood, who played in the outfield most of last season.

**Dallas Steers**

CORSICANA, Texas, March 12. (AP)—Pitchers had the advantage today as the Dallas Steer regulars beat the yannigans, 2-0. The winners made the two runs and two hits off Lee Meadows but only one hit off Erickson in four innings.

Manager Happ Morse gave a long batting practice in one workout. Light drill in hitting and infield play will be held tomorrow.

**Chicago Cubs**

LOS ANGELES, March 12. (AP)—The Cubs engaged in no baseball activity today, spending the day in packing up and taking a boat ride to the mainland.

They will open their exhibition series tomorrow against William Wrigley's Los Angeles club, and the pitching choice appears to lie among Charlie Root, Bud Teachout, Bob Smith, Lester Sweetland and Guy Bush.

**Brooklyn Robins**

WINTER HAVEN, Fla., March 12. (AP)—Aided by ragged fielding, the Brooklyn Dodgers came from behind to defeat the Philadelphia Nationals, 10-8, in the first of their two game exhibition series today.

After jumping away to a five run lead, the Dodgers saw their advantage fade in the fourth, when Babe Phelps was pounded for six hits and as many runs. The Phillies' defense blew up in the eighth and ninth, however, allowing the Dodgers to count five runs.

**Boston Red Sox**

PENSACOLA, Fla., March 12. (AP)—Manager "Shano," Collins notified his Boston Red Sox rookies today they had just one more week to "show me."

"And if some of you don't improve enough to interest me, you're going down the river," he told them.

The Red Sox squad, the largest one taken south in many years, was reduced to an even 40 today when Marvin Olson, infielder, was farmed out to the Buffalo International league club.

**Pittsburgh Pirates**

PASO ROBLES, Calif., March 12. (AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirate camp game between the regulars and the yannigans resulted in a scoreless deadlock. The seconds made four hits off Meine and Wood White. The regulars found Willoughby and Grant for seven swats. It was a nine inning contest and the so-called dead ball was blamed by the batters for a scarcity of heavy hitting.

**Philadelphia Athletics**

FORT MYERS, Fla., March 12. (AP)—Most of the Athletics regulars except the battery, teamed up today to beat the yannigans, 9 to 5. The youngsters outhit the champions, 11 to 7, but loose fielding let in several runs. The winning pitcher, Bill Parks, was virtually unknown. He is the property of Indianapolis and came her asking for a trial.

In four innings he yielded the Yannigans seven hits and all their runs. After that Krause and Deitrich held the juniors scoreless.

**Cleveland Indians**

NEW ORLEANS, March 12. (AP)—The batting eye that made Lew Fonseca the leading hitter of the American league two years ago plus the best condition he has attained in years, have just about made certain that the veteran will start at first base for the Cleveland Indians April 14 even if Eddie Morgan finally deserts business for baseball. Lew smacked three balls over the left field fence and added a snore of line drives to the far corners in batting practice today.

**Detroit Tigers**

SACRAMENTO, Calif., March 12. (AP)—Manager Bucky Harris herded one division of his Detroit Tigers aboard a train tonight bound for San Francisco, where they will open a 36-game exhibition schedule tomorrow with the San Francisco Seals.

Waite Hoyt, who will start tomorrow's game, on the strength of the Pacific coast team management's plea for a first string starting pitcher was the only regular hurler in the squad.

**Washington Senators**

BILOXI, Miss., March 12. (AP)—Sloppy fielding for Washington in the eighth gave the Baltimore Orioles a 7-6 win today in the Senators' first exhibition game. Joe Cronin hit a homer in the sixth for the Senators.


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## METHODISTS CINCH CROWN

### Presbyterians Lose Second Title Game in Row

The First Methodist basketeers, champions of the Sunday school league, defeated the First Presbyterians, champions of the Church league, for the second time in a row Thursday night in the play-off series for the city church championship, and thus ended the series.

The city church titlists won Thursday night 26 to 12. In the first game of the series, last Tuesday, they mauled the Presbyterians 30 to 15. Ray, Methodist forward, sunk five field goals and a free shot to rank as the game's highest scorer, while Scarbrough's were the best efforts of the losers. He netted four points on two field sinks. The game was played on the Floral Heights Presbyterian church court.

Manager Ross Edgemon is planning on taking his champion Methodists to Fort Worth to enter a city tournament there March 20 to 21.

Score of Thursday night's game:

| FIRST METH. (26) | G. | F. | T. | FIRST PRESB. (12) | G. | F. | T. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rawls, f | 3 | 0 | 6 | Howell, f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ray, f | 5 | 1 | 11 | Hogan, f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Francis, c | 1 | 1 | 3 | Herd, f | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Wooldridge, g | 1 | 1 | 3 | Howard, f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Clary, g | 1 | 1 | 3 | Beaty, c | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| | | | | Scarbrough, g | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| | | | | Ray, g | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| | | | | Brown, g | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | 11 | 4 | 26 | Totals | 5 | 2 | 12 |

Referee, Banks; timekeeper, Mann; scorer, Crittenden.

**PRESBYTERIAN GIRLS WIN**

The Floral Heights Presbyterian girl's team defeated the girls of Allendale in a basket ball game on the church court here Wednesday night, 26 to 24.

## *Braves Add Punch and Seem Likely To Annoy Favorites in 1931 Race*

By GAYLE TALBOT JR.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 12. (AP)—The Boston Braves have no visible designs on this year's National league flag, but the consensus of the baseball-wise is that Bill McKechnie's crew will annoy the favorites before the season wears out.

None too easy to get along with at times in 1930, the Braves promise to be tough this summer. If several newcomers perform as McKechnie has every reason to believe they will, the tribe might easily climb a notch or two above its sixth place of the last campaign.

**More Punch Added**

More punch in the outfield and infield chiefly will distinguish the club from that of last year. A couple of walloping new outfielders are on the roster, as well as a veteran first sacker who hit in the clouds in his native California. Little strength has been added to the mound crops, but it was a pretty good one all the time.

Wesley E. Schulmerich, who hit .377 for Los Angeles, and Robert (Red) Worthington, who had a .376 year with Rochester, already have been installed at left and right fields, flanking Walter Berger, who hit .310 last year and should go higher.

In addition, McKechnie has three veteran holdovers in Earl Clark, Randy Moore and Lance Richbourg.

The veteran Earl Sheely, drafted from San Francisco, where he compiled a .403 clubbing average to lead the Pacific Coast league, probably will beat Johnny Neun for the first basing job. With Fred Maguire a fixture at second and Walter "Rabbit" Maranville, the 38-year-old youngster, ready for another big year at short, third base is the only uncertain corner of the infield. Buster Chatham, who led down the hot spot most of last year, is getting some strenuous competition from Bill Dreesen, a slugger from Springfield, Mass., and Bill Walters, recalled from Providence. Charles Wilson, a .300 hitter purchased from Rochester, completes the list of infield candidates.

**Veteran Mound Staff**

Harry "Socks" Seibold, Willie Sherdel, Tom Zachary, Fred Frankhouse and Ben Cantwell form a veteran mound staff, with the agile Zachary the bell-wether. Zachary turned in 11 wins in 16 starts last season, and Sherdel won nine out of 16. To assist the group there are Ed Brown and Bruce Cunningham, both of whom saw much duty last season; Bill McAfee, obtained from the Cubs by trade, and Harold Haid, the former Cardinal, who was out most of the 1930 campaign with a bad arm. McKechnie expects Haid to stage a comeback.

Outstanding among the rookies in camp is Regis Leheny, a fine southpaw prospect from Pittsburgh. He blanked the Yankees for four innings in his first exhibition game.

Al Bool, obtained from the Pirates, may replace Al Spohrer, a fair hitter, as the club's first string backstop. Bill Cronin, Art Veltman, Roy Luebbe and George Tredwell are the other ambitious maskmen in camp.

## Macfarlane and Cox Win Four-Ball Title

MIAMI, Fla., March 12. (AP)—Willie MacFarlane scored a single handed triumph today to capture the championship of Miami's classic international four-ball golf matches for himself and Wiffy Cox, three up and two to go, from Gene Sarazen and Johnny Farrell, in a scheduled 18-hole playoff of their deadlocked 40-hole final match.

## DEMPSEY SAYS HE'S THROUGH

### Which Most of Us Knew All Along

LOS ANGELES, March 12. (AP)—Jack Dempsey came out today with a statement that most ring critics have contended for several years—that as a fighter he is through.

"I have definitely decided to engage in no more fights," the former world's heavy champion said. "The old urge for battle is gone. I know that I could never be at my physical best if I fought again, and I feel that I could not justify the ambition of my friends were I to go back."

Dempsey said he had been "on the fence" over the matter for three years and that this statement is final. The financial success of the manassa mauler's tour of the country as a referee is believed as much as anything responsible for the announcement.


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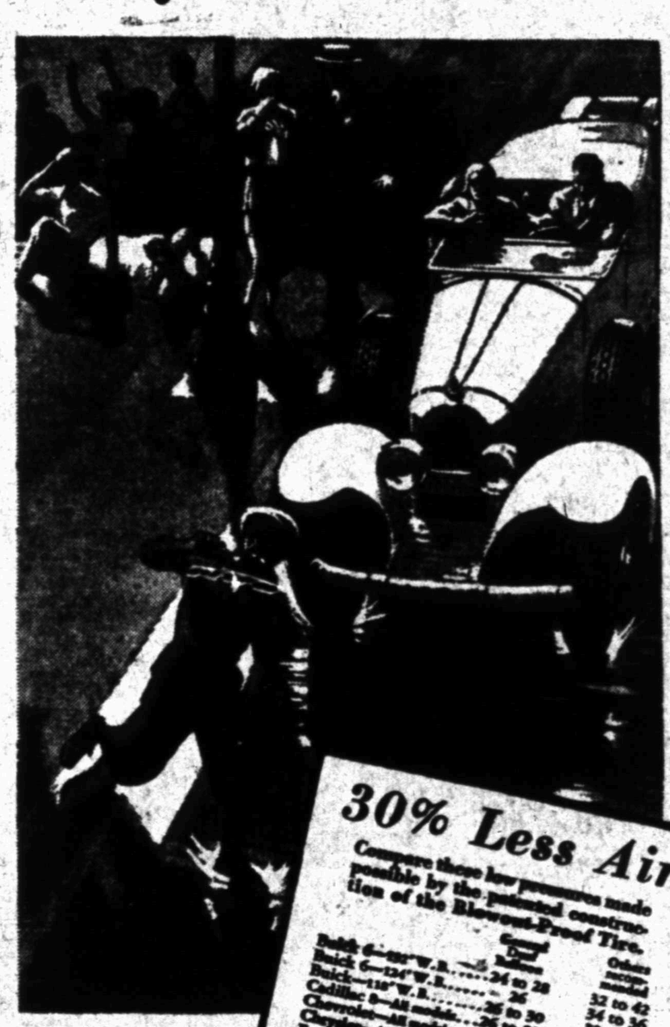

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| Chrysler—All models | 24 | 40 |
| Ford—All models | 24 | 35 to 38 |
| Hudson | 24 | 35 |
| LaSalle | 22 to 26 | 35 |
| Nash 6 & 8—All models | 28 | 40 |
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| Mobile | 9.95 | 3.490 | 33 | 243,799 |
| Savannah | 10.34 | 550 | 328 | 365,353 |
| Charleston | .... | 258 | ..... | 171,190 |
| Wilmington | ..... | 52 | ..... | 18,184 |
| Norfolk | 10.56 | 97 | 130 | 88,495 |
| Baltimore | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,290 |
| New York | 10.80 | ..... | 550 | 229,443 |
| Boston | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2,800 |
| Houston | 10.25 | 1,195 | 768 | 1,296,135 |
| Minor pts | .... | 1,812 | ..... | ..... |
| Corpus Christi | .... | 237 | ..... | 71,589 |
| Total today | .... | 15,438 | 4,024 | 4,029,776 |
| For week | .... | 74,386 | ..... | ..... |
| For season | .... | 8,215,089 | ..... | ..... |

Interior Movement

| | Midg | Recpts | Sales | Stock |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis | 9.65 | 2,095 | 2,964 | 307,504 |
| Augusta | 10.25 | 1,034 | 249 | 106,886 |
| St. Louis | .... | 1,026 | ..... | 11,968 |
| Ft. Worth | 9.70 | ..... | 430 | ..... |
| Little Rock | 9.50 | 151 | 255 | ..... |
| Atlanta | 10.20 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Dallas | 9.70 | ..... | 1,384 | ..... |
| Montgomery | 9.70 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Total today | .... | 4,306 | 5,282 | 468,195 |

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, March 12. (AP)—A further decline in cotton at the opening today in response to lower cables and a bearish interpretation of consumption figures was followed by rallies on trade buying and covering. May, after selling off to 10.75 under early pressure, advanced to 10.98 and closed at 10.93, with the general market closing very steady at net advances of 6 to 9 points.

According to the New York cotton exchange service consumption of lint cotton of all growths in this country for February 431,000 bales compared with 454,000 in January and 495,000 in February last year. The daily rate in February this year was placed at 20,100 bales against 18,900 in January.

Bulk of the demand in the market here was attributed to trade buying and offerings were comparatively light after the close of Liverpool. Exports today 43,965, making 5,288,942 so far this season. Port receipts 32,936. U. S. port stocks 3,935,204.

Futures closed steady, 6 to 9 points higher: March 10.71; May 10.93-94; July 11.16. Oct. 11.48-49; Dec. 11.68; Jan. 11.73-74. Spot steady; middling 10.80.

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| March | 10.71 | 10.53 | 10.71 |
| May | 10.95 | 10.75 | 10.93-94 |
| July | 11.18 | 10.98 | 11.16 |
| Oct. | 11.52 | 11.29 | 11.48-49 |
| Dec. | 11.72 | 11.50 | 11.68 |
| Jan. | 11.76 | 11.58 | 11.73-74 |

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, March 12. (AP)—Cotton developed fair activity in today's trading, and prices fluctuated rather sharply. Lower cables than due and unfavorable foreign advices generally caused an early decline of 10 to 12 points, but there was a sharp rally later in the morning on active general trade buying including buying for foreign account which caused prices to advance 18 to 20 points from the early lows. In the early afternoon, prices eased off 2 to 4 points from the best in realizing. The market continued steady in late trading, keeping within the previous range but near the highs, being still supported by good trade buying. The close was near the top, the general market being called steady at net advances for the day of 8 to 10 points.

A private domestic mill consumption estimate for February made the total 431,000 bales or a daily rate of 20,100 against a daily rate in January of 18,900.

Port receipts 15,438; for week 74,386; for season 8,215,089; last season 7,906,909. Exports 40,965. For week 125,894; for season 5,133,726; last season 5,482,319. Port stocks 4,029,776; last year 2,103,825. Combined shipboard stock at New Orleans, Galveston and Houston 98,142; last year 122,322; spot sales at southern markets 8,756; last year 6,748.

Futures closed steady at net advance of 8 to 10 points:

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| March | 10.75 | 10.58 | 10.75 |
| May | 10.95 | 10.74 | 10.94 |
| July | 11.20 | 10.99 | 11.19-20 |
| Oct. | 11.50 | 11.28 | 11.48-49 |
| Dec. | 11.70 | 11.49 | 11.69* |
| Jan. | 11.75 | 11.59 | 11.77* |

*Bid.

Liverpool Cotton

LIVERPOOL, March 12. (INS)—There was a good business done in opening spots cotton today with prices easier. Sales amounted to 8,000 bales and receipts totaled 1,000 bales.

At midday, middling fair sold at 7.01d, strictly good middling at 6.56d, good middling at 6.21d, strictly middling at 5.96d, middling at 5.81d, strictly low middling at 5.61d, low middling at 5.36d, strictly good ordinary at 4.91d, and good ordinary at 4.51d.

Futures were barely steady with March at 5.66d, May at 5.71d, July at 5.79d, October at 5.90d, and December at 6.01d.

SPOT COTTON

DALLAS, March 12. (AP)—Cotton, 10.10; Houston, 10.65; Galveston, 10.70.

NEW ORLEANS, March 12. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, eight points up. Sales, 1,671; low middling, 9.14; middling, 10.94; good middling, 10.90; receipts, 6,343; stock, 802,634.

TEXAS SPOTS

GALVESTON, March 12. (AP)—Spot cotton steady, 5 points up. (15-16 inch).

Low ordinary 6.45; ordinary 7.20, good ordinary 7.85; strict good ordinary 8.70; low middling 9.45; strict low middling 10.20; middling 10.70; strict middling 11.05; good middling 11.20; strict good middling 11.30; middling fair 11.65; sales spots 44; f. o. b., 500.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK, March 12. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed dull. Prime summer yellow, 7.60; prime crude, 6.37½@6.50.

DALLAS, March 12. (AP)—Prime cottonseed, unquoted; prime cottonseed oil, 6½; prime cottonseed oil, 43 per cent, 23; prime cottonseed hulls, 10; linters, average mill run, 1¼@2¼.

NEW ORLEANS, March 12. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow, 87.35; prime crude, 6.37½@6.50. March, 7.27; May, 7.33; June, 7.38; July, 7.43; Aug., 7.47; Sept., 7.53; Oct., 7.58.

# New York Bonds

BOND AVERAGES

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| | 10 Indls | 10 RR's | 10 Ut's | 30 Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thursday | 87.9 | 101.8x | 100.7 | 96.8 |
| Previous day | 88.1 | 102.8 | 100.9 | 97.2 |
| Week ago | 89.0 | 103.5 | 100.9 | 97.7 |
| Month ago | 90.1 | 104.7 | 99.8 | 98.3 |
| Year ago | 93.2 | 106.2 | 98.7 | 99.4 |
| 2 years ago | 94.3 | 102.8 | 97.1 | 98.2 |
| 3 years ago | 96.6 | 108.3 | 100.4 | 101.9 |
| High 1931 | 90.4 | 105.7 | 100.8 | 98.7 |
| Low 1931 | 86.8 | 102.7 | 98.4 | 96.2 |
| High 1930 | 94.9 | 109.8 | 101.4 | 101.9 |
| Low 1930 | 85.8 | 97.3 | 96.6 | 92.6 |
| High 1929 | 96.3 | 106.0 | 98.8 | 99.9 |
| Low 1929 | 90.4 | 100.8 | 98.8 | 96.3 |

xNew 1931 low.

Foreign

| | |
|---|---|
| Argentine S F 5s June | 96 |
| Austria 4½s | 44¼ |
| Britain 5½s 37 | 106¼ |
| France 7½s | 124¼ |
| Germany 7s | 105¼ |
| Italy 7s | 98¾ |
| Japan 6½s | 100½ |
| Poland 8s | 89 |

Domestic

| | |
|---|---|
| Am Ag Chem 7½s | 105 |
| American Smelting 5s | 102⅞ |
| American Sugar 6s | 104⅛ |
| A T & T 5½s | 109¾ |
| A T S F Gen 4s | 98⅛ |
| A G & W I 5s | 62 |
| B & O Rf 5s | 103⅛ |
| Bethlehem Steel Rf 5s | 105 |
| Canadian Pacific Deb 4s | 87⅞ |
| Ches Corp 5s | 100⅛ |
| C B Q 4½s | 101⅜ |
| C G W 4s | 68½ |
| C R I P 4½s | 85 |
| Erie Rf 5s | 73 |
| General Motors A C 6s | 103⅞ |
| Goodyear 5s | 90⅝ |
| Great Northern 7s A | 111⅛ |
| Hud Man Rf 5s A | 100¼ |
| Humble Oil 5s | 97 |
| I G N Adj 6s | 56½ |
| Int Match 5s | 92⅝ |
| Int T & T 4½s | 93⅜ |
| K C S Rf 5s | 101½ |
| Lorillard Inc 6s | 98 |
| M-K-T Adj 5s A | 93 |
| Missouri Pacific Gen 4s | 66⅝ |
| National Dairy 5½s | 101⅞ |
| N Y C Rf 5s | 107 |
| Northern Pacific 4s B | 113⅜ |
| Phil Pet 5½s | 78 |
| Pure Oil 5½s | 92 |
| Sinclair Oil Oil 7s | 96⅝ |
| Southern Pacific 4½s | 98 |
| Southern Ry Con 5s | 110¼ |
| S W Bell 5s | 106⅜ |
| Texas & Pacific 5s | 99 |
| Union Pacific 4½s | 101½ |
| U S Rubber 5s | 71⅝ |
| Western Electric 5s | 105¼ |

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK

Stocks heavy; pivotal shares lack support.
Bonds irregular; rails heavy.
Curb steady; leaders move narrowly.
Foreign exchanges firm; South Americans strong.
Cotton higher; trade buying.
Sugar steady; Cuban support.
Coffee steady; better Brazilian advices.

CHICAGO

Wheat barely steady; bearish weather and crop news.
Corn barely steady; good weather Argentine and larger southwest movement.
Cattle irregular.
Hogs steady.

# Utility Stocks Perform Most Satisfactorily in Dull Session

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, March 12. (US)—Stocks again today were under pressure. As a group the utilities performed most satisfactory, although individual members of the group were under the same pressure as the remainder of the list.

Although volume expanded somewhat above the previous day's total, no unduly active liquidation was brought out during declining tendencies in prices. As a matter of fact, at various stages of the session extreme dullness prevailed.

Efforts to rally the market were equally unsuccessful, but the net results for the day were more favorable to the bears than the bulls. Bearish factions continued to hammer persistently at several pivotal stocks in the hopes of unsettling the entire list but the best that they could achieve was a dampening of bullish ardor.

The New York Central dividend reduction continued as an influence, and the Westinghouse report showing earnings below dividends last year was hardly conducive to bullishness. And other developments were of the same general character as recently.

American International corporation, a leading investment-trading enterprise, omitted its dividend, price of Copper rallied a quarter-cent.

United Gas Improvement displaced United Corporation as the day's most active issue.

Apparently the sponsors for United Corporation swung into U. G. I., firmly convinced that the latter was entitled to higher prices in any market which makes public utilities its favorite group. Gas improvement at current prices yields approximately 3.33 per cent. The company is one of the strongest and best-managed utilities, but buying at present level obviously is at least semispeculative.

The terrific battle between bulls and bears continued in American & Foreign Power and International Telephone & Telegraph. For the day, the bears succeeded in achieving lower prices, with some nervousness over the I. T. & T. dividend, action on which was due after the market closed.

Directors of International Telephone, however, voted to maintain the $2 annual rate on the stock and this news may come as a great disappointment to the bears. Incidentally, the company's report for 1930 disclosed $2.07 a share earnings, or more than the dividend. Officials of I. T. & T. reiterated that dividends will be maintained throughout 1931.

Maintenance of I. T. & T.'s dividend will be very comforting to the public utility bulls. The short interest in American and Foreign Power probably was substantially increased today. Bulls on this stock, who are emphasizing the benefits to accrue from the higher price of silver, were unexpectedly aided by good news in the form of a settlement of difficulties involving the company in Chile, whereby an A. F. W. subsidiary obtains a profitable concession in the city of Santiago.

The short account of one bear on American & Foreign Power was reported to exceed 50,000 shares.

Westinghouse Electric broke over three points on publication of its 1930 report with its consequent suggestion of possible lowering of the $5 dividend. Earnings were 55 cents shy of the requirement. The group in Columbia Graphophone demonstrated their strength by advancing the stock in the face of general unsettlement in the market. Steel common and American Can yielded over a point each and other leading industrials and Rails likewise sold lower.

Heaviness in the railroad section of the market was a natural reaction to the New York Central dividend news. Byers Pipe, against which cautions were issued a fortnight ago, broke again, emphasizing the artificial character of its last advance. Motor stocks were unable to move ahead against the general trend.

Consolidated Gas closed fractionally higher, and its action seemingly confirmed the impression that this stock is being utilized as a market leader in the effort to stem the downward trend of the last few days.

STOCK AVERAGES

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| | 50 Indls | 20 RR's | 20 Ut's | 90 Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thursday | 132.5 | 96.6 | 106.9 | 126.2 |
| Previous day | 133.6 | 97.6 | 106.5 | 128.1 |
| Week ago | 135.8 | 99.7 | 106.3 | 140.6 |
| Month ago | 133.9 | 106.0 | 101.4 | 137.2 |
| Year ago | 135.5 | 113.2 | 101.8 | 136.3 |
| 2 years ago | 211.3 | 133.8 | 200.9 | 196.3 |
| 3 years ago | 150.7 | 130.0 | 133.9 | 142.9 |
| High 1931 | 140.2 | 106.3 | 108.2 | 144.2 |
| Low 1931 | 118.6 | 93.3 | 100.2 | 122.8 |
| High 1930 | 200.4 | 141.6 | 221.3 | 205.5 |
| Low 1930 | 112.9 | 96.4 | 146.5 | 114.7 |
| High 1929 | 262.8 | 167.8 | 353.1 | 253.5 |
| Low 1929 | 161.3 | 117.7 | 156.3 | 140.3 |

Sterling cables opened at $4.85 15-17, up 1-16.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ahumada Lead | 1 | ⅝ | ⅝ | ⅝ |
| Air Reduction | 29 | 99⅞ | 96¼ | 98⅝ |
| Alleghany | 133 | 9⅜ | 9½ | 9⅜ |
| Al Chem & Dye | 151 | 154¼ | 150¼ | 153 |
| Amerada | 5 | 18⅝ | 18¼ | 18⅝ |
| Am Can | 239 | 124⅝ | 122½ | 122⅝ |
| Am & For Pow | 821 | 47⅜ | 45⅝ | 45⅝ |
| Am International | 311 | 20⅝ | 19¼ | 19¼ |
| Am Rad St San | 70 | 20⅜ | 19⅜ | 20 |
| Am Roll Mill | 29 | 29¼ | 28⅜ | 29¼ |
| Am Smelt & Ref | 73 | 51¼ | 49¼ | 50⅝ |
| Am Sugar Ref | 9 | 55 | 54 | 54½ |
| Am Tel & Tel | 80 | 196⅝ | 195¼ | 196⅝ |
| Am Wat Wks | 60 | 73⅛ | 70¼ | 71¾ |
| Am Wool pf | 12 | 33⅝ | 32¼ | 32⅝ |
| Anaconda | 347 | 38¼ | 36⅞ | 38 |
| Atchi T & S F | 22 | 189¼ | 185¼ | 189½ |
| Atlantic Ref | 39 | 19⅛ | 18⅜ | 18⅝ |
| Baldwin Loco | 12 | 24⅞ | 24¼ | 24⅝ |
| Balt & Ohio | 87 | 76¼ | 75 | 75½ |
| Bendix Aviat | 54 | 22¼ | 21⅝ | 21⅝ |
| Bethlehem St | 239 | 63¼ | 61⅝ | 62 |
| Briggs Mfg | 59 | 20½ | 19⅝ | 19⅞ |
| Burr Ad Mach | 8 | 29 | 27⅝ | 29 |
| Calumet & Aris | 1 | 41¼ | 41¼ | 41¼ |
| Calumet & Hecla | 4 | 8¾ | 8¾ | 8¾ |
| Canadian Pac | 34 | 42¼ | 42 | 42 |
| Cannon Mills | 1 | 23½ | 23½ | 23½ |
| Cerro de Pasco | 8 | 26 | 25¼ | 26 |
| C M St P & P pf | 12 | 11⅜ | 11⅜ | 11⅜ |
| Chicago & N W | 14 | 34⅝ | 33 | 33 |
| Chrysler | 338 | 24¼ | 23¼ | 23⅝ |
| Colo Fuel & Iron | 9 | 27 | 26⅝ | 26¾ |
| Colum G & E | 97 | 42⅝ | 41½ | 41⅝ |
| Colum Graphone | 1060 | 15¼ | 13⅜ | 14½ |
| Consol Gas | 487 | 106⅝ | 103⅜ | 104⅝ |
| Contl Can | 21 | 57⅜ | 56⅛ | 56⅝ |
| Contl Oil Del | 19 | 9⅝ | 9⅝ | 9⅝ |
| Curtiss Wright | 68 | 5¼ | 4⅞ | 5 |
| Drug Inc | 39 | 73⅝ | 72½ | 73½ |
| Du Pont de Nem | 53 | 98 | 96½ | 97½ |
| El Pow & Lgt | 209 | 58 | 56½ | 56⅝ |
| Eng Pub Serv | 2 | 49 | 48 | 48 |
| Erie R R | 11 | 31¼ | 31 | 31 |
| Fox Film "A" | 170 | 33¼ | 31½ | 32¼ |
| Freeport Tex | 20 | 37 | 36⅝ | 36⅝ |
| Gen Am Tank | 9 | 69⅝ | 69 | 69¼ |
| Gen Elec | 356 | 51⅝ | 50 | 50⅝ |
| Gen Foods | 28 | 53⅞ | 53 | 53⅝ |
| Gen G & El A | 30 | 7⅞ | 7¼ | 7¼ |
| Gen Mot | 520 | 44 | 43¼ | 43½ |
| Goodyear Tire | 49 | 50 | 48 | 48⅜ |
| Graham Paige | 6 | 4⅝ | 4⅜ | 4⅝ |
| Grant W T | xd34 | 33¾ | 33¾ | 34 |
| Houston Oil new | 12 | 11½ | 11½ | 11⅝ |
| Howe Sound | 13 | 26⅛ | 26⅛ | 26⅜ |
| Hudson Mot | 8 | 22 | 21⅞ | 21⅞ |
| Hupp Motor | 29 | 11⅝ | 11¼ | 11½ |
| Inspiration Cop | 6 | 9⅞ | 9⅝ | 9⅞ |
| Int Comb E | 2 | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| Int Harvester | 26 | 57¼ | 55⅝ | 55⅝ |
| Int Hydro El A | 19 | 28⅜ | 27⅝ | 28¼ |
| Int Match Pfc pfd | 3 | 67½ | 67 | 67½ |
| Int Nick Can | 125 | 18 | 17⅜ | 18 |
| Int Tel & Tel | 1033 | 36¾ | 34 | 34⅞ |
| Johns Manville | 69 | 74⅜ | 71⅝ | 73 |
| Kennecott Cop | xd102 | 28½ | 27½ | 28 |
| Kreug & Toll | 32 | 26⅛ | 25⅞ | 26 |
| Loft | 3 | 4½ | 4¼ | 4½ |
| Mack Trucks | 13 | 41⅝ | 40¼ | 40⅜ |
| Maracaibo Oil | 5 | 2¼ | 2¼ | 2¼ |
| May Dept Stores | 6 | 37 | 36⅛ | 36⅛ |
| McKeesport Tin | xd41 | 86⅛ | 85⅛ | 85½ |
| Mex Seaboard Oil | 41 | 11⅝ | 11⅛ | 11⅜ |
| Miami Cop | 17 | 9¼ | 9 | 9 |
| Midland Steel | 7 | 29⅝ | 28⅝ | 28⅝ |
| Mo Kan Tex | 20 | 21⅜ | 21 | 21 |
| Montgom Ward | 207 | 25⅝ | 24⅜ | 25¼ |
| Nat Cash Reg A | 66 | 34 | 32¼ | 33⅝ |
| Nat Dairy Prod | 60 | 46⅞ | 46⅛ | 46⅜ |
| Nat Pow & Lgt | 66 | 42¼ | 40⅝ | 40⅝ |
| Nev Con Cop | 13 | 13½ | 12⅝ | 12⅝ |
| N Y Central | 1161 | 113¼ | 110¾ | 113⅛ |
| N Y N H & H | 50 | 90 | 88⅜ | 89¼ |
| North American | 73 | 85⅝ | 83⅜ | 85⅛ |
| Ohio Oil | 32 | 15 | 14⅝ | 15 |
| Pac G & El | 24 | 52½ | 51½ | 51⅝ |
| Packard Motor | 714 | 10⅝ | 9⅝ | 10 |
| Panhandle P & R | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Paramount Publix | 101 | 44 | 42⅜ | 43⅛ |
| Penn R R | 90 | 59¼ | 58⅛ | 58⅝ |
| Phillips Pet | 60 | 11⅜ | 11 | 11⅛ |
| Pub Serv N J | 203 | 85¼ | 84 | 85 |
| Pure Oil | 13 | 9¼ | 9 | 9 |
| Radio | 564 | 23⅜ | 22⅛ | 22⅝ |
| Radio Keith Orph | 140 | 21⅝ | 20⅝ | 20⅝ |
| Remington Rand | 15 | 15⅛ | 15 | 15 |
| Republic Steel | 31 | 20⅝ | 20 | 20⅛ |
| Rio Grande Oil | 16 | 7¼ | 6¾ | 7 |
| St L & S F | 4 | 39¼ | 39¼ | 39¼ |
| Sears Roebuck | 57 | 58⅛ | 56⅝ | 56⅝ |
| Seneca Cop | 1 | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| Shell Union | 2 | 7⅛ | 7 | 7 |
| Simms Pet | 1 | 7⅝ | 7⅝ | 7⅝ |
| Sinclair Con | 83 | 13¼ | 12½ | 12⅝ |
| Skelly Oil | 6 | 8¾ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ |
| South Pac | 17 | 103¼ | 101¼ | 101½ |
| Stand Brands | 83 | 19⅝ | 19¼ | 19¼ |
| St G & El | 151 | 85⅝ | 83¼ | 84 |
| Stand Oil Calif | 35 | 46 | 45⅛ | 45⅝ |
| Stand Oil Kan | 1 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| Stand Oil N J | 141 | 45⅝ | 44½ | 45⅛ |
| Stand Oil N Y | 58 | 22⅝ | 22 | 22⅜ |
| Stewart Warner | 33 | 20½ | 20¼ | 20⅜ |
| Stone & Webster | 30 | 47⅝ | 46 | 46⅛ |
| Studebaker | 18 | 23½ | 22 | 23 |
| Texas Corp | 81 | 31½ | 30⅜ | 31 |
| Tex Gulf Sul | 28 | 52⅝ | 52 | 52½ |
| Tex Pac C & O | 11 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Tex Pac Land Trust | 40 | 14⅜ | 14¼ | 14¼ |
| Timkens Det Axle | 2 | 10⅛ | 10⅛ | 10⅛ |
| Union Carbide | 99 | 66½ | 65¾ | 66⅛ |
| Union Pac | 39 | 191 | 188½ | 189½ |
| United Aircraft | 399 | 35⅝ | 32⅞ | 33½ |
| United Carbon | 18 | 20 | 19⅜ | 19⅝ |
| United Corp | 1389 | 29⅝ | 28⅛ | 28⅝ |
| United G & Im | 1270 | 36⅝ | 34½ | 35½ |
| U S Freight | 7 | 22½ | 21⅝ | 22 |
| U S Real & Im | 8 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| U S Rubber | 851 | 18⅞ | 16⅝ | 18 |
| U S Steel | 2961 | 144⅝ | 143¼ | 143½ |
| Util P & L A | 27 | 29½ | 29⅛ | 29⅜ |
| Vanadium | 519 | 69⅜ | 67¼ | 67⅝ |
| Warner Pict | 479 | 13⅝ | 12⅞ | 13 |
| West Un Tel | 9 | 139 | 137 | 138½ |
| Westingh Air | 24 | 34⅛ | 34⅛ | 34⅛ |
| West El & Mfg | 586 | 92½ | 89⅝ | 90⅜ |
| Woolworth | 75 | 60⅜ | 59⅝ | 60 |
| Yellow Truck | 23 | 13⅝ | 13 | 13⅛ |

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, March 12. (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 red 79c; No. 1 hard, 79¼c; No. 1 hard, smutty, 76; No. 1 mixed, 77¾c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 63c; No. 2 yellow, 62½@63c; No. 2 white, 63½c; oats, No. 3 white, 31⅛@32c; No. 3 white, 31½@32c; rye, No. 2, 45c; barley, 37@56c; timothy seed, $8.75@9.00; clover seed, $12.25@19.75.

KANSAS CITY, March 12. (AP)—Wheat—Unchanged to ¼c higher; No. 2, dark hard, nominally 70@72c; No. 2, hard 70@70½c; No. 2 red, nominally 72@73c; No. 3, nominally 70@72c; May 73¼c, July 57⅝. Sept. 57½.

Corn—Unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 white, nominally 57@58c; No. 2 yellow, nominally 57@58c; No. 2 mixed, nominally 53@56c; No. 3, 52½c. May 58¾c, July 61¾c, Sept. 61¾c.

Oats—Up ½c; No. 2 white, 33c; No. 3, nominally 31½@33c.

FORT WORTH, March 12. (AP)—Fair demand continued on the cash grain market today, with prices practically unchanged. Estimated receipts included: Wheat 13 cars, corn 2, oats 4, sorghums 2 and cane seed 2 cars.

Quotations ranged as follows, basis carloads delivered Texas common points, freight paid:

Wheat—No. 1 hard of any protein, 77½@80½c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 71@72c; No. 2 white, 74@75c; No. 2 yellow, 72½@73½c.

Oats—No. 2 red, 42@42½c; No. 3 white delivered Texas group 1 points, 41¾@42½c.

Barley—No. 2, 56@57c.

Sorghums—No. 2 milo, per 100 pounds, $1.22@1.25; No. 2 kaffir, $1.19@1.20.

Cane Seed—Bulk country run red top, per 100 pounds, according to type, germination, origin and clean-out, $2.20@2.45.

# Grain

TEXAS CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, March 12. (AP)—Fair demand continued on the cash grain market here today with prices fractionally unchanged.

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

Wheat—No. 1 hard of any protein 77½@80½c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 71@72c; No. 2 white 74@75c; No. 2 yellow 72½@73½c.

Oats—No. 2 red 42@42½c (No. 3 delivered Texas group one points 41¾@42½c).

Barley—No. 2 56@57c.

Sorghums—No. 2 milo per 100 pounds $1.22@1.24; No. 2 kaffir $1.19@1.20.

Cane seed, bulk country run red top, per 100 pounds according to type, germination, origin and clean-out, $2.25@2.45.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, March 12. (AP)—Grain prices receded late today from early upturns. Wheat bulges failed to hold in the face of persistent heavy receipts and of auspicious winter crop conditions, as well as beneficial moisture in spring wheat territory, especially Canada and North Dakota. Corn fell back with wheat, although corn receipts were the smallest in a long while.

Wheat closed irregular at ⅛ cents decline to ⅛@¼c advance, corn unchanged to ⅜c up, oats ⅛@⅛c higher, and provisions showing to 2 to 12 cents decline.

Closing indemnities: Wheat, May (offers) 81⅜c; July 83⅜@⅝c, 84⅜c; Sept. 83⅜@⅝c, 84⅜@85c. Corn, May 64½c, 65⅛c; July 66⅝@⅞c, 67⅜c; Sept. 66⅝c, 67⅛c.

| Corn— | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| March, old | .62⅞ | .62⅛ | .62¼ |
| March, new | .62⅞ | .62⅛ | .62⅛ |
| May, old | .65⅛ | .64⅜ | .64⅝ |
| May, new | .66⅛ | .65⅝ | .65⅜ |
| July | .67⅝ | .67 | .67⅛ |
| Sept. | .67½ | .66⅞ | .67⅛ |
| Wheat— | | | |
| March, old | .79½ | .79⅜ | .79⅜ |
| March, new | .79⅝ | .79½ | .79½ |
| May, old | .81⅝ | .81½ | .81⅝ |
| May, new | .83 | .82⅞ | .83 |
| July | .85 | .84 | .84¼ |
| Sept. | .85 | .84¼ | .84½ |
| Oats— | | | |
| March, old | .30⅝ | .30 | .30¼ |
| March, new | | | .31 |
| May, old | .32½ | .32¼ | .32¼ |
| May, new | .32⅝ | .32⅜ | .32⅜ |
| July | .32⅝ | .32½ | .32½ |
| Sept. | .33 | .32⅞ | .32⅞ |
| Rye— | | | |
| March, old | | | .38¼ |
| May, old | .41½ | .40⅝ | .40⅝ |
| May, new | .41½ | .41¼ | .41¼ |
| July | .42½ | .42 | .42 |
| Sept. | .43½ | .43 | .43 |
| Lard— | | | |
| March | 8.85 | 8.82 | 8.85 |
| July | 9.05 | 9.02 | 9.05 |
| May | 8.90 | 8.87 | 8.87 |
| Bellies— | | | |
| May | 11.12 | 11.10 | 11.12 |
| July | | | 11.25 |

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO, March 12. (INS)—Butter—5,005 tubs; creamery extras 30; standards 30; extra firsts 29@29½; firsts 27@28; packing stock 15@16; specials 30½@31.

Eggs, 19,367 cases; graded firsts 20½; extra firsts 21@21½; ordinary firsts 18½@19; dirties 17@17½; checks 16@16¼.

Cheese, twins new 14@14½; young Americas 15¼@15¾; daisies 15@15¾; double daisies 14¾@15; longhorns 15¾@15¾; brick 15½@15¾; limburger 15½@15¾.

Live Poultry—Turkeys 25; old 18@22; hens 5 lbs. and over 23½; leghorn hens 21; spring chickens 26; roasters 15½; ducks 16@23; geese 14.

Potatoes, 74 cars; on track 238; U. S. shipments 873; Wisconsin sacked round whites $1.25@1.40; a few $1.45@1.50; Minnesota sacked round whites $1.25@1.30; Idaho sacked russets No. 1, $1.50@1.60; No. 2, $1.25@1.30; Colorado brown beauties and McClures fancy $1.70@1.80.

Texas Produce

SAN ANTONIO, March 12. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—Carlot shipments of fruits and vegetables from Texas Wednesday: Spinach, 58; cabbage, 87; beets, 12; carrots, 10; greens, 2; sweet potatoes, 7; turnips, 3; mixed vegetables, 75.

The Texas spinach market was firm Wednesday at mostly 35c bushel at shipping point. Lower valley points reported the cabbage market about steady at $6@6.00 ton f. o. b. cash track. Beets and carrots dull at 90c@$1.00 crate.

Prices at Chicago today: Spinach steady; Texas bushel baskets flat 65@75c. At New York: Steady; Texas bushels 65@85c.

Cabbage at Chicago: About steady: Texas western crates, round type, $1.50@1.60. At New York: Steady; Texas western crates, round type, $1.50@1.87½; Savoy $1.75.

BOSTON WOOL MARKET

BOSTON, March 12. (AP)—A tendency to mark up prices on domestic wools has been stimulated by the sharp advance at London. In some cases slight advances have been realized on 64's and finer territory wools. Demand is a little more active on 56's and 48, 50's fleece wools on the low prices established earlier in the week. A slight recovery from the lowest prices on the recent movement has been noted on a few choice offerings.

# Curb Sales

NEW YORK, March 12. (US)—High, low and close of stocks active on the curb market today:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Am Cyan B | 10¼ | 10 | 10¼ |
| A & Fgn P war | 28 | 26½ | 26½ |
| Am Sup Power | 17⅜ | 17⅛ | 17⅛ |
| Am Yvette | 4 | 3⅜ | 4 |
| Asso G & El ctfs | 86 | 86 | 86 |
| Childs pf | 107 | 107 | 107 |
| Cities Service | 17⅜ | 17⅛ | 17⅛ |
| Cities Serv pf | 83⅛ | 83⅛ | 83⅛ |
| Com Ed | 247½ | 246⅞ | 246⅞ |
| Cord Corp | 10⅜ | 9⅞ | 9⅝ |
| Cosden Oil | 2¼ | 2¼ | 2¼ |
| Curtiss Wri | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Cust Mex Mtn | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Durant Mot | 2¼ | 2 | 2 |
| El Bond & Sh | 57⅝ | 55⅝ | 55⅝ |
| Eng Gold Mines | ⅝ | ⅝ | ⅝ |
| Ford Mot Can A | 27½ | 27½ | 27½ |
| Ford Mot Ltd | 17⅝ | 17½ | 17⅝ |
| Gen Th E Cv P | 28 | 26½ | 27½ |
| Gt Atl & Pac Nv | 234½ | 227 | 232 |
| Hud Bay M & S | 5½ | 5⅛ | 5⅜ |
| Humble Oil | 56⅛ | 55¼ | 55½ |
| Imp Oil Can | 15¼ | 15⅛ | 15⅛ |
| Imp Oil Can Reg | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Leonard Oil | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| Loew's War | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Mavis Bott | ⅞ | ⅞ | ⅞ |
| Mont L H & P | 61⅝ | 61⅝ | 61⅝ |
| Niag Hud P Pow | 15¼ | 14⅝ | 15 |
| Noranda Mines | 17¼ | 17 | 17¼ |
| Nor Europ Oil | 1⅜ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| N Ind P S 6 P C P | 102 | 102 | 102 |
| Ohio Cop | ⅝ | ⅝ | ⅝ |
| Pac West Oil | 11½ | 11⅜ | 11½ |
| Pennroad Corp | 7¼ | 6⅞ | 7 |
| Pilot Radio A | 15¼ | 14½ | 15 |
| Plymouth Oil | 12⅜ | 12⅜ | 12⅜ |
| Pure Oil pf | 78½ | 78½ | 78½ |
| St Anth Gold | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| St Regis Paper | 20½ | 19⅝ | 19¼ |
| Stand Oil Ind | 31⅝ | 31⅜ | 31⅜ |
| Stand Oil Ky | 22⅜ | 22¼ | 22⅜ |
| Stand Oil Ohio | 53⅝ | 53½ | 53⅝ |
| Stand Oil Ohio N P | 104 | 104 | 104 |
| Sunray Oil | 3⅜ | 3⅜ | 3⅜ |
| Trans Lux D Pic | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| United Gas | 10¼ | 10⅛ | 10¼ |
| Util Equit P | 74⅝ | 74⅝ | 74⅝ |
| Vacuum Oil | 55⅝ | 54¼ | 54¼ |

MONEY QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, March 12. (AP)—Foreign exchanges firm; Great Britain in dollars, others in cents:

Great Britain, demand 4.85 23-32; cables, 4.85 29-32; 60-day bills, 4.83 3-16.

France, demand 3.91 11-32; cables, 3.91 13-32.

Italy, demand 5.23½; cables, 5.23 15-16.

Demands: Belgium 13.94, Germany 23.79½, Holland 40.07½, Norway 26.74½, Sweden 26.77, Denmark 26.74, Switzerland 19.24, Spain 10.84, Greece 1.29½, Poland 11.25, Portugal 4.50, Czecho-Slovakia 2.96¼, Jugoslavia 1.75½, Austria 14.05, Rumania 0.59½, Argentina 35.05, Brazil 8.30, Tokyo 49.33, Shanghai 31.75, Montreal 100.00, Mexico City gold peso 47.60.

NEW YORK, March 12. (AP)—Call money steady, 1½ per cent all day. Time loans firm; 60 days 1½@1¾; 3-4 months, 2@2¼; 5-6 months, 2¼ per cent. Prime commercial paper, 2¼@2¾; bankers' acceptances unchanged.

DRY GOODS MARKET

NEW ORLEANS, March 12. (AP)—Cotton goods were firm today, with sales of print cloths large, including some contracts running to October. Fine cloths were firmer. Finished goods were in steady call. Silk goods were in moderate request. Openings of fall woolens have begun. Buying was moderate.

# Livestock

MIDWESTERN LIVESTOCK REVIEW

KANSAS CITY, March 12. (AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle trade around the eleven market circuit was featured by a fairly broad demand for lighter weights of

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


### 2. CARD OF THANKS

WE WISH to express our sincere thanks to all our many friends who gave such loyal service and sympathy since the accident to our sister and wife, Mrs. John Mayo, also thank those that sent the beautiful flowers. Signed by John Mayo, Mrs. Emma Cockrell, Mrs. Ollie Butler, Dr. E. E., H. L., H. A. P. S., J. E., P. D. Johnson and family.

WE WISH to thank the Barbers Local Union No. 606, the New Ice Co. employes, the Wichita Ice company employes, for their service and beautiful flowers they gave to wife and sister, Mrs. John Mayo. Signed by John Mayo, P. S. Johnson, H. A. Johnson.

### 3. PERSONAL

MRS. NELSON, formerly of Kimberlin's, dressmaking, alterations, hemstitching, covered buttons, buttonholes. Cinderella Bootery, phone 2-4644.

ATHLETE'S FOOT, gym foot, golfer's itch, ring worm, eczema, etc., treated. Dr. A. E. Solomon, foot specialist, 216 Hamilton Bldg. Phones 9306 or 2-4526.

### 4. BEAUTY PARLORS

FRENCH OIL WAVES, $2. Mrs. Hansard, 304 Bluff. Phone 2-4972.

PERMANENT waves, two for $5.00. Mrs. Rexford, 506 Travis; phone 9075.

FRENCH oil waves, $2.00. 2303 Grant, 6083, Mrs. Lehmann.

CROQUNO waves $2.50 and up. Dial 2-4196.

FINGER WAVES, wet, 25c; marcelling, 50c. Mrs. Caraway, 1203 Broad. Phone 2-4389.

DO YOUR FEET HURT? Dr. A. E. Solomon, licensed and registered foot specialist, 15 years in Wichita Falls. "The Man Who Knows Feet," 216 Hamilton Bldg. Phones 9306 or 2-4526.

### 5. LOST AND FOUND

LOST—American express travelers checks. Will pay liberal reward for return to H. K. Barron, Elks club.

LOST OR STOLEN—Buescher nickel plated trumpet in black case. Reward for return of same; no questions asked. Phone 3543-6454.

LOST—Three rings in ladies' rest room at Municipal airport, Wednesday afternoon between 4 and 5. Reward. Finder call 2-2596 ask for Mrs. Harry Stultz.

### 8. MALE HELP WANTED

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

TWO MEN of good character for permanent position, about $25 weekly to start, with chance of advancement. See Manager, 409 Perkins-Snyder building between 9 and 4.

BARBER WANTED—R. S. Hill Barber shop, 1010½ Holliday.

MAN TO BUILD industrial insurance debit. Apply Mr. Jordan, Holt hotel, Thursday or Friday.

FOR SALE—Small stock "Jims" candy and county distribution on same for cash. 1416 Thirteenth.

### 9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANT SCHOOLGIRL to work for room and board. Phone 3697.

ADDRESSING ENVELOPES — Work at home during spare time. Substantial weekly pay; experience unnecessary. Dignified employment for honest, sincere, ambitious persons. Workers League, Naperville, Ill.

### 11. SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN WANTED—Can use two men, one for city, one for out of town. The men we select will be given training. Real opportunity. Write P. O. Box 962. Give phone number.

### 14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

GOOD RELIABLE couple, man and wife, want work; can furnish references. Call at 2149 Avenue K.

LAUNDRY, three dozen 50c; quilts, blankets, 20c. Delivery. Phone 2-0403.

ROUGH DRY, 17 pounds 50c; delivery. Phone 9706.

WANTED—Young lady wants housework. 2207 Yale street. Mrs. Brown.

### 16. ROOM AND BOARD

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

BOARD AND ROOM in nice, private home. Phone 6851.

MEALS 25c, HOME cooking, family style. Bedrooms. 904 Lamar. Phone 2-0475.

### 17 BEDROOMS FOR RENT

KEMP KORT—Attractive bedrooms, walking distance. Phone 5473.

LYNN HOTEL, 708 Ninth, attractive bedrooms, with or without private bath, attractive prices. Phone 8101.

1705 PEARL—Attractive bedroom, private entrance, garage. Phone 5145.

NICE, CLEAN bedroom, private bath, hot and cold water. 1606 Twelfth street. Dial 2-1653.

1814 COLLINS—Nicely furnished bedroom with private entrance, adjoining bath and on carline. Phone 3986.

EACH CLASSIFIED AD is an argument in favor of your seeing what this section holds for you each day.

### 18 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

REAL NICE two-room apartment, $3 weekly. 1205 Burnett.

ONE FURNISHED housekeeping room, downstairs. 300 Burnett street.

CLOSE IN, two furnished rooms for housekeeping. Also bedroom. Phone 6706.

ATTRACTIVE rooms, furnished; garage; reasonable. Should be seen. 1206 Scott.

TWO FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 1509 Bluff, south exposure, private entrance, $5 week. Call 5632.

1400 LAMAR—Two large, comfortable southeast rooms, adjoining bath, close in, very reasonable.

NICE ONE-ROOM apartments, $3 and $3.50 weekly. 1514 Tenth.

### 19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT headquarters. C. T. Tully Co., 813½ Scott; phone 9902.

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

EXTRA NICELY furnished apartment, five-room duplex. Phone 3768; 1656 McGregor.

UNFURNISHED large four-room brick, tile bath; double garage. 1408 Eleventh.

TWO FURNISHED rooms and kitchenet, garage. 1404 Austin. Phone 9421.

KEMP KORT—Furnished or unfurnished apartments; rents reduced. Phone 5473.

BRICK APARTMENT, 3 rooms, furnished, first floor, private bath, bills paid. 1704 Holliday. Phone 4481.

ADULTS—Attractively furnished apartment, private bath; piano; garage. 1309 Taylor.

3111 NINTH, lovely 4-room furnished apartment, $32.50. 5480—9870.

FURNISHED garage apartment, bills paid; couple only; rear. 705 Baylor.

MODERN, 4 rooms, bath, and garage; recently papered. 1517 Britain; paved. Phone Rogers, 2-2104.

NICE, CLEAN furnished apartment, close in. 312 Lamar. Phone 5298.

FOUR-ROOM clean, modern, furnished garage apartment, $20. Call 3654.

ATTRACTIVE furnished four-room apartment, modern. Strictly private. Couple only. $35. 1854½ McGregor. 6030.

NICELY furnished two-room apartment, $15 week, bills paid. 2012 Tilden. Phone 5311.

TWO FOUR-ROOM furnished apartments. 1005 Holliday.

HALF DUPLEX, nicely furnished, newly papered. 2101 Avenue B. phone 2-2963.

THREE-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, close in, on pavement and car line. 9396. 1414 Thirteenth.

NICELY FURNISHED three-room apartment. Apply 1310 Eighth street.

NICELY furnished efficiency apartment, Frigidaire, bills paid, garage. 702 Warford.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment, 2006 Giddings, bills paid, $27.50. Call 6578.

UNFURNISHED beautifully decorated garage apartment, facing on street. Phone 3074.

FOUR ROOMS nicely furnished, every convenience, piano, radio, on pavement and bus line. 1414 Twenty-fifth street.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment, with extra rollaway bed, $30. 1501 Kemp; phone 9211.

EXTRA NICELY furnished two and three-room apartment. Call 7845.

FOR RENT—Modern three-room duplex with garage; paved street. Dial 2-4759.

ATTRACTIVE two-room furnished duplex apartment; reasonable. 1608 Fourteenth; phone 3926.

BRICK apartment, duplex, private bath; three rooms unfurnished. 709 Grace.

TWO OR THREE room furnished apartment. 2604 Buchanan. Phone 7958.

TWO FURNISHED room apartment, private, close in, 1509 Burnett, 5867.

FURNISHED two-room apartment, bills paid; $4.50 week. 807 Thirteenth.

FOUR-ROOM, unfurnished duplex apartment, in good condition. 2008 Taft. Call 9943.

UNFURNISHED one-half nice duplex, 2115 Brown, $22.50. Call 5521.

NEWLY PAPERED, unfurnished duplex apartment, private bath, built-ins, pavement. Phone 2-2824 or 2-2133. 2116 Joline.

MODERN four rooms, bath and garage, recently papered, 1517 Britain, paved. Phone Rogers, 2-2104.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment, with garage, 1306 Thirteenth.

FURNISHED half duplex, bills paid, near school, garage. 1310 Thirteenth.

FURNISHED garage apartment and garage, $22.50, bills paid. 2400 Ninth.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, bills paid, garage, $25. 2400 Ninth.

GARAGE apartment, bills paid, furnished or unfurnished. 2308 Tenth.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment, bills paid, couple only, phone 2-1629, 2206 Jones street.

### 20. HOUSES FOR RENT

HOUSES and apartments, any location, every price. Jimmie Brannon, 4519.

SEVERAL lovely, nearly new houses, 1500, 1510, 1514, 1518 Westlake. 5480-9870.

RENTALS—Houses and apartments, any location. Williams-Dwyer company, phone 6133.

MODERN five-room house, 1802 Polk, $26. Call 8654.

FIVE-ROOM cottage; interior newly decorated. 1216 Twelfth. Double garage.

NICE MODERN six-room house, cheap. Apply 1417 Thirty-second street or write Box 384 Cleburne, Texas.

SPLENDID six-room home, excellent condition. 2106 Garfield, $50. Call 8581.

FOR RENT—Two-story colonial. 2133 Avenue H.

UNFURNISHED duplex, redecorated, $15. Monroe bus, 1406½ Fuller, phone 4975.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, $25. 609 Sunset drive. Eli Morgan, owner.

SIX-ROOM house, acreage, irrigated, 1213 Twenty-fifth, $15 month; phone 3646.

FIVE-ROOM furnished house, garage, 2205 Polk.

MODERN five-room brick house. Call at 2301 Jones street.

1004 ELEVENTH, five-room furnished house, $45; $40 without garage. Phone 6205—5863.

MODERN furnished cottage, pavement, garage, 2215 Jasper, phone 9536.

NICELY furnished five-room house; servant's quarters; double garage. Apply 2402 Ninth street.

SIX-ROOM furnished house; reasonable to responsible party, without children. 1604 Thirteenth street.

## Auction Bridge Made Simple!

Lesson No. 34
THIRD HAND BIDDING (CONT'D)

AFTER dealer has bid a no trump and second hand has passed, the third hand must sometimes make a take-out bid, if he does not hold normal support in the trump named by partner, or if he can improve the joint bid by naming a strong major suit over a strong minor. As a general rule when a minor suit is named over partner's bid, it is a denial and when a major is named over a minor it shows strength.

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### 28. FURNITURE FOR SALE

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

GOOD LEONARD refrigerator, porcelain lined, 75-pound capacity. Call 6296.

### 30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

QUILT SCRAPS, assorted prints, all fast colors; four pounds $1. Postage prepaid. Texas Scrap Material company, P. O. Box 2336, Dallas, Texas.

DRIVEWAY and chicken yard gravel, dirt and fertilizer. Phone 2-3811.

FOR SALE—One 28-inch Thor Mangle A-1 condition. Phone 9163.

FRESH HOME raised pork sausage in links, 20c pound; shoulders, 20c. Pure lard 12½c. Bring your pail. Phone 4995.

GOOD COTTONSEED 75c per bushel. Phone 65F31. E. Nuss.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One 7½ horse power motor and starting box compensator, Blandin Top and Body Works, phone 8700.

NEW 250-EGG incubator, reasonable for cash. Call 6296.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Lister planter, same as new; good milk cow, 3 years old. Phone 8774. 2228 Brook.

### 31. AUCTION SALES

BIG AUCTION sale, furniture, trunks and boxes to be sold for storage charges on March 21. White Transfer and Storage.

### 32. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

PIANO BARGAINS—Repossessed, for balance due. We have several different makes, ranging in price from $35 up. Terms as low as $5 monthly. Wichita Music company.

### 33. RADIOS

FOR SALE—Eight-tube Crosley radio. Phone 2-3003.

RADIO BARGAINS—Repossessions, for balance due:
Crosley 8-tube table model, $37.
Crosley cabinet model, $74.50.
Crosley combinations, $125.
Victor, latest model cabinet, $99.60.
Brunswick combination, large, $140.
All electric, late models and guaranteed good as new. Terms as low as $5 monthly. Wichita Music company.

### 34. WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To buy boy's bicycle. Must be cheap. P. O. Box 107.

WANT TO BUY five rooms of furniture, also odd pieces. Call for Gross, 2-5151.

WANTED to buy small car, or your equity. 1113 Monroe.

### 37. OFFICE SUPPLIES

UNUSUAL bargains in used office furniture, safes, filing cabinets and other equipment. See us before you buy. Office Equipment Exchange, 810 Lamar. Phone 2-2838.

ONE CASH REGISTER, slightly used, cost $265, first $100 gets it. Blandin Top and Body Works. Phone 8700.

### 42. LIVESTOCK

POLE RED MALE for sale, 2-year old past. Louis Kiel.

### 43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK

BABY CHICKS, custom hatching. Ray's Hatchery, 2616 Grant street. Dial 4638.

WEEK OLD chicks, 10c; bring eggs for hatching anytime; one mile south of Burkburnett. Phone 199F2, Burkburnett. Wichita Chick Hatchery, box 643, Wichita Falls.

GET YOUR chicks at Berry's Seed and Feed store, 955 Indiana street. Phone 3726.

BABY CHICKS, 7c and up. Central Chick Hatchery. Phone 9270. Fifth and Indiana.

WILL EXCHANGE White Leghorn eggs or baby chicks for two small pigs; Poland China preferred. J. L. Senn, Route 3, Call Field.

THREE-WEEK-OLD cockerels, 15c each; custom hatching; baby chicks. Cotterly Chick Hatchery, Iowa Park road, 6 miles. Phone 28F31.

HEN WITH chicks, hatching eggs, yard eggs, roosters, gas brooder, chick feeders, 905 Broad street, phone 6340.

### 44. DOGS

L. I. LUCEY veterinarian. General practice. Henrietta road. Phone 4954.

PEDIGREED police puppies, males, $5. J. A. Frisbie, Seymour, Texas.

### 46. FEED

FOR SALE—At my farm, lower Charlie road, good cane and alfalfa hay; also good seed oats. R. O. Harvey.

ALFALFA hay 65c per bale at 1909 Hayes street, city.

ALFALFA for sale, 65c bale. Call 6296.

### 50. FLORIST-NURSERYMEN

KERR NURSERY YARD SALE
Peach trees, 7c and up; evergreens, 25c each and up; flowering shrubs, 15c each; hedge plants, 1c each and up; shade trees, 14-foot, 40c each; paper pecans, 50c each. Our stock state inspected and acclimated to this climate. O. L. Phillips, representative, 3011 Grant street.

SPECIAL SALE—Cherry laurel, wax Ligustrum Pfitzerianis juniper, plat river juniper, Baker arbor vitae, rosedale, blue green, Chinese juniper, above evergreens balled and burlaped at 49c each, 10-foot Lumbardies 15c, amoor privet 1c, sycamore or hackberry 14 feet 29c, althea 5c. All stock home-grown, state inspected and home-owned. Wichita Nursery, 1806 Tenth. Phone 8504.

HELPFUL BUYING and selling hints are profusely sprinkled throughout the Classified Column.

### 51. REPAIRING

EXPERT furniture repairing, refinishing, upholstering. Baker, 810 Lamar, phone 2-2838.

### 52. MOVING AND STORAGE

HAVE a one and one-half ton truck wanting to go to the East Texas oil field about Monday or Tuesday. Would like to have a light load to carry. Phone 2-0212 in the day, 3674 or 8386 at night.

### 53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

GUARANTEED plumbing, $1 per hour. David Black and Son. Phone 3644.

### 56. DRESSMAKING, SEWING AND MILLINERY

MRS. JOZA DICKSON will remodel your hat. Ferguson's Ready-to-Wear Basement.

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ANDERSON, the good paperhanger and painter. Dial 4561.

### 60. MATTRESS RENOVATING

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

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### 65. OIL LAND AND GAS LEASES

FOR LEASE—280 acres near K. M. A. deep test. Box 105 Times.

### 68. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

$435 EQUITY in late '27 model Buick coupe, balance due $96; will trade for equity in new Chevrolet or Ford or trade for good radio. 804 Burnett. Phone 6944.

1928 CHEVROLET coach, looks like new. New tires and in good condition. Must sell for cash at some price. Phone 2-4491 after 6:00.

PONTIAC coach, 1930 model, 12,000 miles. Bargain. Phone 2-1771.

WILL SACRIFICE Chevrolet six, stake body practically new. Apply 707 Ohio avenue.

### 71. AUTOMOBILES WANTED

CASH PAID—For late model Fords and Chevrolets. L. & M. Auto Market, 6079 Lamar; phone 3047. Auto loans and refinancing.

WILL PAY $100 cash for model A or Chevrolet roadster, coupe or cabriolet. Must be in A-1 mechanical condition. Phone 2-4701 or 5872.

WANTED—To buy second-hand Chevrolet truck leash. Phone 2-3789.

### 75-A. BATTERIES CHARGED

CASH AND CARRY, changed and charged 50c. Call for, charged and delivered 75c. Good rents. Phone 2-4077. 120 Barwise.

### 84. FARMS, RANCHES FOR SALE

BEST STOCK farm in county, wood, water, grass. Box 106 Times.

### 85. REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE

WANTED—To trade clear lots for mineral rights. Phone 7584.

FIVE-ROOM frame cottage, clear. Will exchange for six-room brick residence. Will assume some indebtedness. Clear sheet iron building, rental $30 month. Exchange for six-room brick residence, assume some debt. Call 2-0944.

### 88. REAL ESTATE WANTED

WILL BUY 6 to 8-room house, located in best residential section. Must be bargain. Small house to trade in as part payment. Give location and full particulars. Box 112 Times.

### 100. HOTEL, ROOMING HOUSES

FOR RENT—Twelve-room rooming house, close in, in good location; partially furnished. Phone 2-1313. Morris & Thames, 205 Staley building.

### 101. SUBURBAN TRACTS

FOUR-ROOM house, land broke, lights, gas. 802 Brook; 3642.

### 102. LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE to property owners on Travis street and others interested: The board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls has received an application from J. E. Stephens for a permit to erect and operate a hamburger stand on his property described as 412 Travis street. Before granting this permit a public hearing will be held at 7:30 p. m. March 16, 1931, in the council chamber in the Memorial auditorium for the purpose of hearing protests. Done in accordance with resolution adopted by the board of aldermen on the ninth day of March, 1931.—W. E. McBroom, city clerk.

## Classified Display

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# KILGORE TEST GETS OIL SAND

## McCamey Well Cores Six Feet of Promising Dirt

DALLAS, March 12. (AP)—Extension of production about three and a half miles northeastward in the Kilgore area of East Texas was indicated today in a report that McCamey et al., No. 1 Richards had cored about six feet of the saturated oil sand, with some free oil, between 3510 and 3525 feet.

The well is about one mile east and slightly north of the town of Kilgore and about three and a half miles northeast of the Henry Smith No. 1 Peterson, which at present is the most northern producer in the Kilgore area. Its nearness to Kilgore was expected to invoke a rush of town drilling such as has prevailed at Oklahoma City. Some locations already have been made in the town.

The McCamey test has been watched with interest for some time, due to its location, which would prove part of the territory lying between the Bateman and Lathrop areas. It is 150 feet from the north line and 150 feet from the west line of a 30-acre tract in the Mary Van Winkle survey.

**Gregg County Well**

The East Texas Refining company-Roesser & Pendleton No. 1 Rodden, south offset to the Lathrop discovery well in Gregg county, was brought in as a producer late today and flowed 208 barrels on the guage for the first hour. The well was flowing through a one-inch choke with two-inch tubing.

The Rodden well is 300 yards south of the discovery well and was the first to spud in after the discovery well was brought in.

It cored oil sand from 3572 to 3577 feet. The No. 1 Rodden is 200 feet from the north and east lines of a 32-acre lease 3700 feet from the west line and 6400 feet from the north line of the William Robinson survey.

**JOINER TO DRILL AT GRAND SALINE**

GRAND SALINE, Texas, March 12 (UP)—Location of a wildcat oil test was made today by C. M. Joiner, discoverer of the pool in the East Texas field bearing his name. The well will be drilled in the T. B. Meeks and W. P. Allen 330-acre tract in Dutches survey, five miles west of here.

A rotary rig will be used with the contract calling for drilling to a depth of 3800 feet. The well is expected to be spudded in within the next 10 days.

**HARRISON COUNTY TEST IS FAILURE**

MARSHALL, Texas, March 12. (AP)—After a drill stem test today at 3590 feet, the Crump-Hanagans, S. H. Dunn No. 1, on the Bettie Humphries survey in northwest Harrison county, was looked upon as a dry hole. The test will be carried to 4000 feet to fulfill terms of the contract, drillers said. The test found lime presumed to be that of the Georgetown formation, at 3550 feet.

## Negroes Organize Health League Here

Organization of the Volunteer Health league to promote general health among negroes was perfected Thursday night at the Booker T. Washington school, it was announced by A. E. Holland, principal of the school, who was elected chairman.

The purpose of the league, it was explained, in addition to the general promotion of health among negroes, is to sponsor the 17th annual negro health week which is to be observed April 5-12. Wichita Falls negroes won the national cup in the observance of the week during 1930. The league will serve as an auxiliary to the city tuberculosis association, it was said. Officers besides A. E. Holland as chairman are C. R. Daniels, secretary, and F. R. Barnwell, director.

## AROUND THE RADIO CLOCK

(Time is central standard throughout.)

NEW YORK, March 12. (AP)—Writers of the news, men and women whose every effort is bent toward accurate and speedy presentation of world happenings via the printed page, are to give voice to their experiences in a coast to coast broadcast from the general news room of the Associated Press in New York Saturday night.

In fact they are going to exchange places for the time being and become interviewed rather than the interviewer. They will be called before the microphone to answer the questions they themselves have often put in gathering the news—who they are and what they do.

These brief talks will be just one feature of the half hour broadcast to be made by the combined networks of the National Broadcasting company system, starting at 6:30 p. m. the complete story of the gathering and transmission of news is to be related.

The program, listed as "On Top of the World," is to be opened by Kent Cooper, general manager of the Associated Press, after an introduction by M. H. Aylesworth, president of NBC, who will be speaking from Chicago.

Members of the staff to be heard will include Lorena Hickok and Hazel Reavis, staff writers; Charles Stephenson Smith, chief of the foreign service; George W. Turner, night news supervisor; M. F. Dubiamel, night city editor; and Richard Maszock and Mark Barron, New York columnists. Each will be introduced by J. M. Kendrick, executive news editor in charge of the report to morning newspapers.

The network will extend to the Pacific coast and Canada and is to include these stations: WEAF, WJZ, WJAR, WCSH, WLIT, WTAM, CKGW, CFCF, WFLA-WSUN, WHAM, WBAL, WIOD, WRC, WOC-WHO, KWK, WMC, WJDX, KOA, WGAR, WTAG.

Among others expected to participate will be WBZ-WBZA, WREN, WDAF, KSTP, WEBC, WAPI, WEEI, WGY, WJR, WLW, WPTF, WJAX, WSM, WSB, WAPI, WKY, KPRC, KFI, KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KPO, KFSD, KTAR.

# *Manufacturers-Jobbers Organize To Extend Trade in Wichita Area*

## J. W. Chatham Elected Chairman of Division; Banquet For Members Planned for March 24

The manufacturers and jobbers division of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce in a meeting held Thursday afternoon formulated plans for the most active campaign ever made to secure business from the trade area of the city. Jas. W. Chatham presided as temporary chairman on account of the illness of Linton H. Estes.

**Committee Organized**

A nominating committee composed of J. E. H. Ralley, C. H. Parker and L. C. Robertson, submitted the following as executive committee: Everett McCullough, J. W. Chatham, Linton H. Estes, C. H. Thompson, W. M. Eliot, Roy Mann and H. R. Kramer.

Mr. Chatham stated that Wichita Falls jobbers and manufacturers had been losing ground in sales in the Wichita Falls trade area and that business was going to other cities that should be given firms here. He believed that closer cooperation with out-of-town business firms would do much to bring about or create a better friendship.

Manager John Boswell of the chamber of commerce, made a splendid talk, going into figures showing the small amount of business being secured by the firms in Wichita Falls. He estimated that not more than 4 per cent of the jobbing business in the 42 counties that can be called Wichita Falls' immediate trade territory is being accorded merchants of this city. He then dwelt upon the effort that is being made by the retail stores and stated that excellent results are being attained, this information being given him by the retail merchants. Manager Boswell informed the members present that $2,500 had been allotted the division for its work during 1931.

Concluding his talk Manager Boswell said: "Wichita Falls can get the business if we go after it. Inject some life into this division during 1931."

**March Trade Trip**

J. H. Durnall, representing the Junior chamber of commerce, stated that a trade trip is planned for the last of March, which will be the east and northeast of Wichita Falls, touching such cities as Henrietta, Bowie, Nocona, Ringgold, Terrell, Waurika, and Ryan, Okla. He asked that the jobbers and manufacturers join in this trip.

At the conclusion of the meeting the executive committee met and elected J. W. Chatham, chairman; C. H. Thompson, vice chairman; Dudley B. Foy, secretary.

The executive committee also voted to hold a banquet on the evening of March 24 at which time a large number of visitors will be issued tickets to attend. It is planned to bring traveling salesmen to the banquet and tell them why the trade in the Wichita Falls area should do business with local concerns.

The executive committee also decided to hold another meeting on Thursday afternoon, March 19, at 3:30 o'clock to discuss further plans for the banquet and trade trip.

Those attending the meeting were Williard Johnson, American Refining Properties; E. M. McCullough, Bradford Supply company; Roy J. Mann, Panhandle Refining company; C. H. Thompson, Brown Cracker and Candy company; Ray Patton, Nafziger Baking company; C. H. Parker, Wichita Falls Wholesale Grocery company; Fred L. Haskett, Times Publishing company; J. W. Chatham, Western Garment Manufacturing company; L. C. Robertson, Bell Furniture and Mattress company; J. E. H. Ralley, Ralley Printing company; Mack Elliot, Panhandle Steel Products company; Paul Lacy, Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway company; J. H. Durnal, Wilburn Page, manager Junior chamber of commerce; John Boswell and Dudley B. Foy.

# What's On The Air Today

**The water bond rally which will be held at the Memorial auditorium Friday evening at 8 o'clock will be broadcast by remote control over KGKO as the feature of Friday evening's program. The rally will be on the air from 8 to 9:30 o'clock on the evening broadcast.**

The program follows:
7:45-8:00—News flashes.
8:00-8:30—Pep club.
8:30-9:00—Shopping hour.
9:30-10:00—Sunbeams.
10:00-10:30 — Moments with the masters.
10:30-11:15—Church of the air.
12:00-12:45—Luncheon concert.
12:45-1:00—News flashes.
1:00-1:30—Farm service hour.
1:30-1:45—News acting.
2:30-4:00—Paul Cooper.
4:00-4:30—Musical moments.
4:30-4:45—Betty Burns.
4:45-5:15—Twilight serenaders.
5:15-5:30—Blue room trio.
5:30-6:00—Old King Cole's Radio Thrift club.
6:00-6:30—KGKO Ramblers.
6:30-6:45—Concert orchestra.
6:45-6:55—Wm. S. Rosamond, supervisor of vocational education, Wichita Falls public schools.
6:55-7:00—Weather report.
7:00-7:15—World book man.
7:15-7:30—Blue room trio.
7:30-7:45—Nip and Tuck.
7:45-8:00—KGKO Ramblers.
8:00-9:30—Water bond rally, remote control, auditorium.

### Southwest

282.1—WOAI, San Antonio—1190
6:00-6:30—Orchestra.
6:30-7:00—Phil Cook.
7:00-8:00—Orchestra.
8:00-8:30—Jones and Ware.
8:30-9:00—Mixed chorus.
9:30-10:00—The NR-Wits.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-11:00—Mexican players.

333.1—WKY, Oklahoma City—900
6:30-7:00—Early Risers.
7:00-7:30—Dempster Mill Manufacturing company.
9:00-9:15—Sally Stokely.
9:15-9:30—Town Crier.
9:30-9:45—Bill Stokely.
9:15-9:30—Town Crier.
12:45-1:15—Chamber of Commerce.
1:15-2:00—Bernie Cummins orchestra.
2:00-2:15—Studio Trio.
2:15-2:30—Paul Christensen's orchestra.
2:45-3:00—Paul Christensen's orchestra.
4:00-4:30—The Four Firemen.
4:45-5:15—Twilight organ melodies.
5:15-5:30—Leo Blondin.
5:45-6:00—Aunt Polly.
8:00-8:30—Interwoven Pair.
8:30-9:00—Orchestra.
10:00-1:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-10:30—DuPont Speed Blenders.
10:30-11:00—Jimmie Burson and Gloomy Gus.
11:00-11:30—Bethany Peniel college program.
11:30-12:00—Bernie Cummins orchestra.

288.3—KTHS, Hot Springs—1040
8:00-8:15 a. m.—Jake and Lena.
8:15-8:30 a. m.—Music.
9:45-10:00 a. m.—Josephine Gibson, food chat.
10:00-10:15 a. m.—"The Professor," with Ned Nichols and his five pennies.
11:00-11:15 a. m.—Majestic hotel orchestra.
11:30 a. m-12:00 noon—National Farm and Home hour.
12:00-12:15 p. m.—Arlington hotel orchestra.
12:15-12:30 p. m.—University of Arkansas Farm Forum.
6:15-6:25 p. m.—Majestic hotel orchestra.
6:30-6:45 p. m.—Phil Cook.
9:30-10:00 p. m.—R. K. O. Theater of the Air.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-10:30 p. m.—Kingsway hotel orchestra, William Hoge, director.
10:30-10:45 p. m.—Ross Graham, bass baritone.
10:45-11:15 p. m.—Oaklawn Serenaders String band.
11:15-11:30 p. m.—John Summers, pianist.
11:30-12:00 p. m.—Johnny Hamp's orchestra.

374.8—WFAA, Dallas—800
7:00-8:00 a. m.—Early Birds orchestra.
8:00-8:15—Gene and Glenn.
8:15-8:30 a. m.—Bera Meade Grimes, pianist.
10:00-11:00 a. m.—Musical Appreciation Course, Walter Damrosch.
11:00-11:15 a. m.—Woman's hour.
11:15-11:30 a. m.—Cooking school.
11:45 a. m.-12:30 p. m.—National Farm and Home hour.
3:30-5:45 p. m.—Sandman Soldiers.
5:45-6:00 p. m.—Flavoring.
6:00-6:15 p. m.—Twilight trio.
6:15-6:30 p. m.—Dora Poteet and Elizabeth Gay Jones (two pianos).
6:30-6:45 p. m.—Miss Emma and Sis Ca'line.
7:15-8:00 p. m.—McAleer Melodists.
8:00-8:30 p. m.—Interwoven Pair.
8:30-9:00 p. m.—The Pool Parade.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.

374.8—WBAP, Fort Worth—800
8:30 a. m.—Tuneful topics.
9:15 a. m.—Charlie Arnae program.
9:30 a. m.—Betty Crocker.
10:00 a. m.—Damrosch Music Appreciation hour.
12:30 p. m.—Bud and Bubba.
12:45 p. m.—The Bohemians.
12:55 p. m.—"Port of Missing Men."
1:30 p. m.—Organiana.
2:00 p. m.—Broadcast of the rodeo of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show.
5:00 p. m.—B. C. A. club.
10:00-10:15 a. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-10:30 p. m.—Musical program.
10:45-11:30 p. m.—Texas Federation of Music clubs program.

288.3—KRLD, Dallas—1040
6:00-7:00—Sunrise prayer service; Tick Tock music hour.
7:00-8:00—Setting up exercises and organ program.
8:30-9:45—Morning moods; Aunt Mary's chat; KRL-Chatwood Cooking school.
10:15-11:00—Cooking travelogs; commonsense for mothers; the Palm Islanders.
12:30-2:00—Radio

# RILEY TRIAL SET MARCH 30

## Special Venire Drawn For Murder Hearing

March 30 was set by Judge P. A. Martin of the 89th district court for the trial of Barney Riley, under indictment for murder in connection with the death of Tom Hardin, world war veteran, near Burkburnett last Oct. 1.

The defendant is now at liberty under a $5,000 appearance bond after having completed a federal liquor sentence in the Wichita county jail a few days ago. He was in jail here when indicted in the Hardin case.

Charges against Riley resulted from a prolonged investigation which followed the finding of Hardin's skeleton on the bank of Red river, on the Oklahoma side, near the free bridge at Burkburnett. Several weeks had elapsed since he was reported last to have been seen on Oct. 1 at Burkburnett. Investigation indicated that Hardin had been shot through the head with a .38 caliber pistol, and that the nasal bones had been crushed by a blow.

A special venire of 100 jurymen was drawn Thursday morning by Mrs. A. B. Eichelberger, district clerk.

Old Lady—Here's a penny, my poor man. Tell me, how did you become so destitute?

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# RECORD NEWS

## CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

(Secretaries of civic and industrial organizations in the city are invited to use this calendar for the daily announcement of regular or special meetings to be held within 30 days from the date of first announcement.)

March 13—Business council to be organized, Kemp hotel, noon.
March 14—Water improvements bond election.
March 16—Kiwanis club meets noon, Kemp hotel.
I. O. Boosters club meets noon. Y. W. C. A.
March 17—Paul Seeds school of band music public recital, Memorial auditorium, 8 p. m. Admission free.
March 19—Religious speakers' forum, Memorial auditorium.
March 20—Rev. R. H. Knoohnizen, Plainview, addresses Junior chamber of commerce, Kemp hotel, noon.
March 23—Federal court opens.
April 1—Airports to consolidate.
April 3—Teachers' examinations, county superintendent's office.
April 7—City election.

# Today { At the Theaters

By ELEANOR FLEMING

**MAJESTIC: "Fair Warning" with George O'Brien. Short subjects and sound news.**

**STRAND: Mary Pickford in "Kiki." Short subjects and sound news.**

**GEM: "The Pueblo Terror" with Buffalo Bill Jr. Chapter 4 of "Finger Prints." Talkartoon comedy.**

**When "Dracula" opens Sunday** for a regular run at the Majestic there'll be one crowd all set to pack the house—the negroes. If there are any spooks, they want to see them.

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**Manager Victor B. Lowery, of** the Majestic, and Manager A. A. McIlheran, of the Gem, the only two theaters having negro sections, have discovered that the negroes prefer Lon Chaney to any other star, strange as that may seem.

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**"The Unholy Three" packed the** negro section of the Majestic, as did also the midnight preview of "Dracula." Mr. McIlheran has also found that the horrible thrillers draw the blacks to his show, as do also the westerners.

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**They tolerate comedy, but fail to** enthuse over any comedian, hardly ever attending a show featuring Harold Lloyd, Jack Oakie, Charlie Ruggles or any other laugh-getter. They don't go to a picture show to laugh any more than they go to church to laugh. They're both serious matters.

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**The negroes will be on hand to** welcome Buck Jones at the Gem Sunday—those who can't get in to see "Dracula" at the Majestic—and both managers expect to turn them away. Buck Jones, incidentally, is NOT the same one who is under arrest for murder.

**WEDDING ACQUITTED**

HEBBRONVILLE, Texas, March 12. (AP)—On motion of District Attorney John A. Valls, a jury today acquitted Charles Wedding of a murder charge in connection with the killing of Claude Hilburn near Thompsonville in 1928. Wedding pleaded self-defense.


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# Services Friday For Knox Rancher

Funeral services for Albert Lytle, 39, Knox county rancher who died early Thursday morning at a hospital here, will be held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at Munday. He was a member of a prominent pioneer family of West Texas.

My Lytle's death here Thursday followed a lingering illness. Surviving are the widow; two sons, Moshell and Billy; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lytle of Goree; four sisters, Mrs. G. L. Hunter, Mrs. A. E. Ford and Mrs. E. H. Beatty of Munday, and Mrs. George Hall of Aztec, N. M.; and two brothers, Luther and Cortut Lytle of Peaster, Texas.

## 13 Farm Loan Checks Received by McGown

Thirteen checks from the federal drouth relief office at St. Louis were received by G. C. McGown, county farm agent, Thursday for distribution to farmers in this county.

A total of about 100 farmers in this county will receive loans from the federal funds, Mr. McGown said.


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**BANKRUPTCY PLEA**

Jackson & King of Electra, a partnership which has been engaged in the operation of a confection and news stand, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the federal district court here Thursday. Liabilities were listed as totalling $16,743.93, and assets $12,015.12.

**STOLEN CAR RECOVERED**

A Pierce-Arrow sedan stolen here Wednesday night was returned to its owner Thursday by Deputy Sheriff Pat Allen, according to information given by the sheriff's department. The car was said to have been found 12 miles from this city on the Charlie road, having been abandoned with two flat tires.


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IVORY SOAP, Medium, 7 Bars 50c
MATCHES, Full Size Box, 6 for 20c
Tomatoes — Wapco Extra Quality — No. 2 Can, 2 for 15c; No. 1 Can, 4 for 25c
Campbell's — Pork and Beans and Soups, All Flavors 3 for 25c
MERCHANTS SALAD WAFERS, 2-lb. Box 30¢
CORN — Fancy Country Gentleman 3 Cans 50c
Deviled Chicken — Deviled Ham and Tasty Spread, Can 10c
Salad Dressing — Blue Ribbon Plain or 1000 Isle — Pint Jar 33¢; ½ Pint Jar 18¢
Peaches — In Heavy Syrup — No. 2 Can, 2 for 35¢; No. 2½ Can, 2 for 45¢
PEARS — Fancy Table Fruit — No. 2 Can, 2 for 45¢; No. 2½ Can, 2 for 55¢
Red Pitted CHERRIES, Kuner's Med. Can, 2 for 35¢
Angelus MARSHMALLOWS, 2 for 15c
GRAPEFRUIT — Texas "Sure Sweets" 4 for 25c
POWDER OR BROWN SUGAR, 2 for 15¢
ORANGES — Texas Sweets Large Size Dozen 40c
California Red Ball Oranges, Doz. 20¢
APPLES — Winesaps Fine to Bake and for Salads, Doz. 25c
Green Beans — Fresh Snappy 2 Lbs. 35c
BACON — Decker's Sliced and Derined, Lb. 25c
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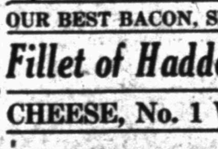
Fillet of Haddock — Pound 25c
CHEESE, No. 1 Wisconsin, lb. 20c



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VINEGAR, White Swan, qt. bottle 21c
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PEACHES — No. 2 Can, 3 for 50¢; No. 2½ Can, 3 for 70¢
PEARS, No. 2 can, 3 for 57c
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Tulip Vanilla Wafers, 1-lb. Box 23¢
APPLES — Extra Fancy Winesaps, Each 2c
ORANGES, Medium Size, each 2c
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