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THE WEATHER
Wichita Falls and vicinity: Monday and Tuesday, partly cloudy.

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# BOMARTON YOUTH KILLED IN CRASH

## *Yankee Juggernaut Crushes Cards For Third Straight, 7-3*

## ST. LOUIS FANS FAIL TO BREAK BIRDS' STREAK

Both Teams Display Poor Defense but Cardinals Go to Pieces

### GEHRIG LEADS FORAY

Veteran Tom Zachary Hits Old Time Stride to Foil Dejected Team

SPORTSMAN PARK, ST. LOUIS, Oct. 7. (AP)—The Yankee steam-roller is still going down hill, unchecked, and in its wake the fleeting hopes of the Cardinals are flatter tonight than ever.

With their clouting first baseman, Lou Gehrig, at the throttle, engineering the drive with two home runs, the American league champions swept over the recumbent Cardinals for their third straight worlds series victory and their seventh triumph, a new record in two years over National league opposition. The final score today was 7 to 3, and the Yankees, with Waite Hoyt ready to pitch again, are favored to make it four straight tomorrow.

**Sad Homecoming**

This was a sad, weird and disconsolate homecoming for the Red Birds and the record crowd of St. Louis rooters that jammed its way into Sportsman park. The throng that numbered 39,602 in paid admissions, also contributing to a record "gate" of $163,725, for the local field, came out to cheer Jesse Joseph Haines and the Cardinals in a desperate effort to stop the onrush of the gray-clad host from Gotham.

Every element of encouragement was there for the Birds, home crowd, home field, and the pitcher who had beaten the Yankees twice in 1926, but it wasn't enough to revive the spirits of a club that has played raggedly from the start, more so today than before, and that has every appearance of being as thoroughly "licked" as were the Pirates last October. After a brief thrust into the early stages, due

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## Curtis Begins Final Lap of Western Tour

ABOARD CURTIS CAR, EN ROUTE TO DEVILS LAKE, N. D., Oct. 7. (UP)—Senator Charles Curtis, Republican nominee for vice president, set out today on the final lap of his western campaign. He headed northwest through Wisconsin and Minnesota for North Dakota and will make his first speech in that agricultural territory at Devils Lake Monday night.

## Five Reported Killed In Utah Train Crash

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Oct. 7 (UP)—A Union Pacific train ran into an automobile today at a highway crossing three miles east of Delta, Utah, killing six persons, according to reports received here by the Union Pacific railroad.

The report said Orson Erickson, his wife and four children were killed.

## Larry Semon, Comedian, Dying of Pneumonia

VICTORVILLE, Calif., Oct. 7. (AP)—Larry Semon, film comedian, continued to hover near death today at the Mojave sanatorium, where he was taken several days ago critically ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Nancy Smith, Semon's mother-in-law, said today he was not expected to live another 24 hours.

## Hambone's Meditations




## "TAMMANY!"




—Kirby in New York World.

## G. O. P. MANAGER IS CHALLENGED

Raskob Offers to 'Quit and Vote for Hoover'

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (AP)—In a letter sent today to Dr. Hubert Work, chairman of the Republican national committee, John J. Raskob said he would resign as chairman of the Democratic national committee and vote for Herbert Hoover if Dr. Work could prove that Governor Smith, at any time since he received the Democratic presidential nomination and accepted the Democratic platform, "has stated that the Underwood tariff embodies the ideal method of handling tariff legislation."

"Much as I am devoted to other principles to which the Democratic party is committed," wrote Mr. Raskob, "I could not be so recreant to my business training and convictions as to be responsible for an inundation of American prosperity through importation of products of cheap foreign production."

Mr. Raskob's letter was prompted by a newspaper clipping of Sept. 28 quoting Dr. Work as saying: "The aspect of the campaign that would be most humorous if it did not threaten so much harm to the American farmer and worker, is the effort of Chairman Raskob to convince the country that the Democratic nominee for president didn't mean what he said when he declared that the Underwood tariff act embodied the ideal method of handling tariff legislation."

## Ohio Man Confesses To Murdering Spouse

RAVENNA, Ohio, Oct. 7. (UP)—Carl Eschinger, 62, today confessed to murdering his wife last Tuesday by pouring oil on her clothing and igniting it. The body was found in the basement of the home and Eschinger told police she was accidentally burned to death. He tried twice to commit suicide without success before his arrest.

## Former Okla. Governor To Speak at Mangum

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., Oct. 7.—Lee Cruce, second governor of Oklahoma, will speak in Mangum next Tuesday, Oct. 9, at 2 p. m. He comes by invitation of the Greer county Democratic organization and the local Smith-Robinson club, and will discuss the candidates and the issues of the present campaign.

## Governor Moody Leaves For Legion Convention

AUSTIN, Oct. 7 (AP).—Governor Moody, who apparently has cured of a cold which confined him to the executive mansion Saturday, was to leave tonight for the national American Legion convention at San Antonio, catching the train bearing Gen. J. J. Pershing through the capital.

## *Denver Society Girls Killed When Students' Plane Plunges to Ground*

DENVER, Oct. 7. (AP)—Hurled 2,000 feet to the ground, Mary Begole, 23, student aviatrix, popular in Denver's society set, and her sister Carroll, 19, were killed in an airplane crash two miles west of Derby near here today.

Charles Wilson, 44, student pilot, who had agreed to pilot the girls on a short flight, received a broken back and was removed to a hospital in a critical condition. Both his legs and arms were broken.

The plane, owned by the Rocky Mountain Air Lines, Inc., equipped with dual controls, dipped suddenly to earth when Miss Mary Begole "froze" to the forward controls. Wilson said he was unable to regain control of the plane.

The Begole girls are the daughters of City Auditor Begole and had been forbidden to make the flight. Friends said they stole away from home early this morning and met Wilson at the Dupont airport, near Denver and took off in the plane, a Curtiss Standard. Mary Begole planned to make a solo flight later in the day.

Wilson, who has flown 60 hours solo, does not carry a transport pilot license.

**FIVE KILLED IN DETROIT CRASH**

DETROIT, Oct. 7. (UP).—Five persons were killed near here late today when two airplanes flying at a height of approximately 300 feet crashed head-on. One of the planes burst into flames when it fell to the ground and two of the bodies were burned beyond recognition.

The dead:

Captain Clement W. Brown, 33, member of the Michigan national guard aviation corps, his sweetheart, Miss Marjory Youill, 27, Vanderbilt, Mich., who were riding in one of the planes and Russell Paulger and two unidentified passengers in the second plane. One of the unidentified bodies is that of a woman.

Brown, a former member of the Royal Flying corps, was piloting his plane and attempted to pass under that piloted by Paulger, when the two ships crashed.

**ONE KILLED, ONE HURT IN NOSE DIVE**

CINCINNATI, Oct. 7. (AP) — One man was killed and one injured when the airplane in which they were flying went into a nose dive 100 feet in the air and crashed into a corn field at the Cincinnati Flying club field at Newton, near here, today.

Lovell E. Connelly, 30, Cincinnati, pilot, was killed. Theodore R. Hunter, 28, Milford, president of the club and a student passenger, got a fractured skull and physicians held small hope for his recovery.

## Jury Acquits Suspect In Houston Lynching

HOUSTON, Oct. 7. (AP)—Charlie Oldham, one of the seven men indicted for murder in the lynching of Robert Powell, negro, was acquitted by a criminal district court here today.

Powell was taken from a hospital bed, where he lay wounded after a fight with a city detective—whom the negro had killed—and hanged to a bridge near the city.

## NEGRO HELD IN ALTUS SHOOTING

Black Arrested Near Scene Of Imbroglio

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Oct. 7.—An all night search covering the surrounding country for a negro wanted in connection with a shooting Saturday night in which two white persons and three negroes were wounded, ended early today next door to the spot where the shooting occured, when Joe Peoples was placed under arrest.

Peoples, when discovered by officers was found suffering with a bullet wound in the arm. He was placed in the city jail.

As a result of the shootings, America Johnson, negress, was near death from bullet wounds today, hospital attendants reported. Sam Bridwell, Altus constable, a man named Johnson, and two other negroes were also in the hospital. Bridwell, the most seriously injured sustained a wound in the head and shoulder, and is in a serious condition. Johnson is wounded in the hand and hip.

Johnson and Bridwell became implicated in a shooting in the negro section of town when Johnson called police and said a negro had rushed into his house about 9 o'clock and demanded "some more shotgun shells." Constable Bridwell and Officer John Ford answered the call, and were riding with Johnson in the direction they thought the fleeing negro had taken, when they were met with a hail of bullets. Johnson and Bridwell slumped, wounded. Ford emptied his revolver at the attacker, and took the injured men to the hospital.

The other negroes were wounded in a scrape which had preceeded the attack on Bridwell and Johnson, and from which the negro attacker had emerged looking for more ammunition, officers said.

## Prince of Wales Wins Cup in Horse Race

NAIROBI, KENYA, East Africa, Oct. 7. (AP)—The Prince of Wales won the race for the King's African rifles cup for gentlemen riders over a distance of a mile and a quarter by nosing his mount past the post. He was followed closely by his brother, the Duke of Gloucester. The royal jockeys rode in other races but were unsuccessful.

## Germans Hold Forth At Dallas State Fair

DALLAS, Oct. 7. (AP)—More than a thousand tongues sang in lusty German old folksongs of the Fatherland as German day was celebrated at the state fair here today. German singing societies from all over the state were represented.

## Roberts-Settles Lease Owners Want Proration

SAN ANGELO, Oct. 7. (AP)—Lease owners and producers around the three mile western extension of the Roberts-Settles oil field on the line of Howard and Glasscock counties will appear soon before the Texas Railroad commission in an effort to obtain a proration order for the area, it was indicated here today.

## A. E. F. SOLDIERS CROWD STREETS OF SAN ANTONIO

World War Veterans Meet In Private 'Reunions' At Convention

### BOYS WHOOPING IT UP

Cowboy Yells, Boom of Cannon Crackers and Bands Lend Noise

FORT WORTH, Oct. 7 (AP)—The dirigible Los Angeles was 150 miles west of New Orleans at 10 o'clock tonight, according to a radio message from the airship received at the United States helium plant.

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 7. (AP)—Swelling gradually to a crescendo of sound, color and activity, preparations for the national American Legion convention reached a climax tonight with every agency working through the night to make ready for the first session tomorrow.

West Texas cowboys, shouted and did tricks with their ropes on the streets, cannon crackers reverberated from time to time through the business district, hundreds of one, two, and three reunions met every moment on the streets, only to break up and reform the next, uniforms of every description gave the streets an hallowe'en appearance, and bands and drum corps made music everywhere.

**25,000 Registered**

The housing bureau estimated early in the day that between 25,000 and 30,000 had been registered with a majority of today's heavy arrivals still to be cared for. This estimate did not include any of the official delegates to the convention, who have already been assigned quarters. Traffic became so heavy in the business district that police gradually closed the streets to automobiles in order to give the legionnaires all the room possible to frolic.

As the opening session approached the serious questions to come before the convention from the resolutions committee and from the floor began to come to the fore. National Commander Edward E. Spafford issued a statement favoring legion advocacy of a universal draft in war time and scouting reports that the presence of Col. William Mitchell, former assistant chief of the air corps who resigned after being courtmartialed for his criticism of the air corps administration, would precipitate a fight on that subject.

"We are not experts," Spafford said, "and we are not in a position to know whether or not a separate department of aviation with a cabinet member at its head is a matter vital to the progress of our country."

**Mitchell Due Today**

Colonel Mitchell is due here tomorrow. At the Paris convention his recommendations were endorsed generally with the appended phrase, "as soon as practicable."

The expatriation of a large number of veterans and of the A. E. F. who remained abroad after the armistice is one of the problems which the convention will be asked to act upon, Harry Mauricides, adjutant of the Athens Greece post, which has 100 members, will place the matter before the convention.

Members of the legion auxiliary in their convention probably will wrestle with the problem of giving their work more continuity by increasing the length of the presidential term and simplifying the constitution. Rehabilitation and hospital problems also occupy a big place in the auxiliary program.

Unofficial polls taken before the real politics of the convention had gotten under full steam indicated that General Roy Hoffman of Oklahoma and Ralph T. O'Neil of Topeka were going into the convention with a slight advantage over other candidates for president. Walton D. Hood of San Antonio, state commander, has withdrawn from the lists leaving at least three other candidates in the field.

**1898 VETERANS AT HAVANA**

HAVANA, Oct. 7 (AP)—Battles of the Spanish-American war were refought in words today in many hotel lobbies of Havana where veterans met former comrades gathering here for the convention of the United Spanish war veterans.

## Sunday Blue Noses Oust Ball Game Announcer

ALTOONA, Pa., Oct. 7 (AP)—Police invoked Sunday blue laws here today and stopped the Altoona Tribune from announcing to a crowd of 4,000 the play by play report of the world series game. Mike McNally, Middle Atlantic league umpire, announcing, was threatened with arrest if he did not desist.

**TEXAN DECORATED**

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 7 (AP).—The most decorated visitor to the American Legion convention is Lieut. Dan Edwards of Abilene and Coleman county who has more than 70 decorations, has fought in six campaigns, has taken part in 37 battles and has lost an arm and a leg.

## Tipton Man Shot In Row On Road; One In Jail

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Oct. 7.—A Tipton man was placed in jail here this evening following a shooting in Tipton in which Dock Collins of Tipton received a pistol wound in his hip and a face battered with the butt of a pistol following a near accident.

According to the sheriff's office, the man in jail and Collins were driving in Tipton in automobiles going in opposite directions. The man now in jail was said to have become angered because the cars came close together, although they did not touch, and he turned his car after the other.

Collins finally halted his car to try to quiet the driver of the pursuing car as there were women in his car. As he did, the man now in jail is said to have shot him in the hip and beat him in the face with the butt of his gun.

Collins is reported to be resting well at his home in Tipton tonight.

## Quits Pastorate



Dr. Paul Henry Packard, pastor of the Highland Heights Christian church here, who surprised his congregation Sunday morning with the announcement of his resignation, effective Nov. 4.

## DR. PACKARD RESIGNS POST

Highland Heights Pastor Leaves Church

Dr. Paul Henry Packard, pastor for the last three years of the Highland Heights Christian church, announced his resignation from that post, effective Nov. 4, from the pulpit Sunday morning.

The announcement came without warning. Dr. Packard offered no reason for his action other than to say that, having seen the church through the period of organization, he felt the time had come for another pastor to assume direction.

**Work For Another**

"I have given to this organization three years of service," he said. "I have helped organize the church, and after directing its progress and seeing the new and permanent home of this congregation under way, I feel that another pastor can now take hold where I leave off, and lead you on."

Dr. Packard said he had received invitations from two churches in large cities, but that neither had been accepted. He said he would continue to make his home in Wichita Falls until spring, in the meanwhile occupying himself in evangelistic work which, he said, probably will carry him throughout the United States.

**Active in Civic Life**

Dr. Packard came here in the capacity of evangelist in September, 1925, when he opened a meeting at the First Christian church. The Highland Heights church was an outgrowth of that revival, and the visitor made his home here to direct the new congregation. During his ministry more than 800 persons joined the church.

Dr. Packard has been active in civic life, being the originator of the movement to establish a radio broadcasting station here. The license for station KGKO was secured by his church, later being turned over to the city as a community enterprise. He is a member of the Optimist club and other civic organizations.

## STAMFORD MAN DIES IN BLAZE

Contractor Trapped as Fire Destroys Hotel

Special to The Record News.

STAMFORD, Texas, Oct. 7.—W. D. Jones, contractor who recently moved here from Fort Worth, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Evans hotel here early today.

W. H. Reynolds, pioneer citizen here, also was trapped in the blaze, and narrowly escaped the same fate.

The fire, which started from some unknown cause about 3:30 o'clock had made such headway by the time firemen arrived that little could be done but protect surrounding structures. Loss was estimated at $10,000, part of which is covered by insurance.

## Carnes Tells Story Of Many Blackmailers

ATLANTA, Oct. 7. (AP)—Former fellow prisoners, discharged guards and a good many other people—who learned of his prison record made "life unbearable," Clinton S. Carnes, indicted former treasurer of the Home Mission board of the Southern Baptist convention, said from his cell in the Fulton county jail in breaking the silence he has maintained since his capture in Winnipeg. There he hinted that "blackmailers" were responsible for his disappearance.

## Odd Fellows to Open State Convention Today

GALVESTON, Oct. 7. (AP)—Installation of F. J. Dearborn, mayor of Orange, as grand high patriarch of Texas, will open the annual state convention of the I. O. O. F. here tomorrow, with more than 1000 delegates expected to attend. Other grand officers of the lodge also will be installed. Dearborn will succeed W. R. Thrailkill of San Antonio.

## Switch Engine Kills Fort Worth Watchman

FORT WORTH, Oct. 7. (AP)—Keeping the tracks clear of trash cost the life of J. J. Gray, 74, crossing watchman. Gray was picking up papers thrown from a passenger train when he was run over by a switch engine which followed the train. Both legs were severed and he died.

## Political Debate Is Expected This Week

DALLAS, Oct. 7. (AP)—The first joint debate between speakers for "regular" Democrats and those stumping for Herbert Hoover, Republican nominee, is expected this week, after acceptance by Larry Mills of Dallas for the anti-Al Smith Democrats of the challenge issued some time ago by Rep. S. E. Barnett, Hunt county, for the "regulars," announcement from anti-Smith headquarters here today said. The site of the contest has not been selected.

## 'Human Interest' Editor Dies in New York Home

FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Oct. 7. (AP)—Charles Grant Miller, 62, syndicate editorial writer for newspapers and often called the "father of the human interest editorial," died at his home here yesterday after an illness of five months.

## Youth Killed in Crash Near Johnson City

AUSTIN, Oct. 7. (AP)—Roy Gibson, 26, was killed when he was thrown from his car in a collision with a machine driven by a Ballinger man, near Johnson City today.

## Dallas Merchant Killed When Struck by Trolley

DALLAS, Oct. 7. (AP)—Hyman Shapiro, clothing store proprietor, was killed when struck by a street car here today.

## SON OF MUNDAY BANKER DIES AS AUTOS COLLIDE

Charles McGlothlin, 18, Is Victim; Two in Seymour Hospital

### THREE CARS WRECKED

Road Near Bomarton Is Accident Scene; Services Held Sunday

Special to The Record News.

MUNDAY, Texas, Oct. 7.—Charles McGlothlin, 18, son of E. W. McGlothlin, vice president of the First National bank here, was killed, and Springer Allen and Pat Tolliver, his companions, were injured in a smash-up of three cars near Bomarton Sunday morning.

Allen and Tolliver, both of whom live south of Bomarton, today were in a hospital at Seymour. Tolliver, hospital attendants said, is suffering from a fractured skull and his condition is serious. Allen sustained only minor injuries. McGlothlin's body was returned here after the crush.

The accident occurred when Tolliver, who was driving, attempted to pass a car on the road, and met a third car coming in the opposite direction. Tolliver's car crashed into the side of the automobile at his side and hurdled the automobile in front of him, turning over several times. H. C. King and W. Henderson, both of Colorado, Texas, occupants of the latter car, were uninjured.

**McGLOTHLIN RITES AT BOMERTON**

Special to The Record News.

BOMARTON, Texas, Oct. 7.—Funeral services were held here at 5 p. m. today for Charles McGlothlin, 18, of Munday, who was killed in an automobile accident near here late Saturday night.

McGlothlin, who was the son of E. W. McGlothlin, vice president of the First National Bank of Munday, was born in this city and was well known in this vicinity. He was a bookkeeper in the institution in which his father is an official, and was one of the younger set of business men of Munday.

Interment was in the local cemetery.

**ELECTRA CRASH VICTIM BURIED**

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Oct. 7.—Funeral services were held today for Garvin Hogan, 38, Kemp City farmer, who died Saturday from injuries received when his car was struck by a switch engine here. The accident occurred Friday.

Burial was in the Iowa Park cemetery.

Mr. Hogan is survived by his widow, two children, and a brother, James, of Kemp City, and another brother, Claude, of Kingston, Okla.

L. C. Jenkins, Hogan's companion at the time of the fatal accident, is recovering from slight injuries in the Parmley-Ogden hospital here.

**CHICKASHA COUPLE INJURED IN SMASH**

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Oct. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Inman of Chickasha were injured this afternoon while driving between Chickasha and Apache on their way to visit ther daughter, Mrs. M. C. Ent, a local school teacher.

They reported their car turned over three times when it was crowded by another car which was passing. Mrs. Inman suffered injuries to her back, and Mr. Inman's teeth were knocked out. Otherwise they suffered bruises and cute. Mrs. Ent's son, Perry, age 5, who lives with his grandparents, was in the car with them and was not injured.

## Protestant Minister Revises Dry Law View

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (AP)—The Rt. Rev. William T. Manning, Protestant Episcopal bishop of New York, said in a sermon here today that though he did not vote for prohibition and for some time doubted the advisability of the law, he was now convinced it was "bringing much benefit to our people as a whole" and would "bring much more in the course of time."

## The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Monday partly cloudy, cooler in the Panhandle; Tuesday partly cloudy.

EAST TEXAS: Monday fair; Tuesday partly cloudy. Light to fresh southerly winds on the coast.

OKLAHOMA: Monday and Tuesday, partly cloudy.

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

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| Maximum temperature | 92 |
| Minimum temperature | 63 |
| Temperature at 5 p. m. | 90 |
| Precipitation | 0 |
| Southwest breeze. | |
| Partly cloudy. | |
| Average wind velocity | 7 |
| Maximum wind velocity | 4 |
| Barometer | 29.02 |

## *Frank L. Smith, Refused Senate Seat, Declines to Bolt Republican Party*

DWIGHT, Ill., Oct. 7 (AP).—Frank L. Smith, Republican, will not file as an independent candidate for the United States senate, he announced in a statement today. The deadline for filing by independents is midnight Monday.

Smith, who defeated the late Senator William B. McKinley for his seat in the senate, but was refused the seat by the senate, declared "those who sought to destroy me will have to answer" to the people of the state.

"I am not going to file as an independent candidate for the United States senate. I take this position because of the regard and respect I have for the party and because of the effect my candidacy would have on countless candidates who would be harmed by the controversy my candidacy would cause," he said.

## *Operetta Opens Season of Noted Attractions at Auditorium Tonight*

"Naughty Marietta," noted operetta by Victor Herbert, will formally open the entertainment season at the Memorial auditorium Monday night when the revival of the Herbert masterpiece is presented here under the auspices of the Woman's Forum.

Curtain for the production, which brings its original cast from New York, will rise at 8:15 o'clock and the doors of the auditorium will be open an hour earlier, it was announced Sunday night.

While grand opera is absent from the auditorium bookings for the new season, music lovers have declared themselves well pleased with the number of noted artists who will appear here.

In addition to "Naughty Marietta," the Woman's Forum is to

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# Critic Terms 'Naughty Marietta' Best in Oklahoma Since 'Pink Lady'

## Victor Herbert Operetta Found Gorgeous Production of Color and Music in Capital of State

By HAROLD F. JOHNSON
(Reviewed Especially for The Record News)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Oct. 7.—One bleak, cold night last winter the radio public, bored with radio after a season of fine programs, was awakened by the haunting and seductive music of "Naughty Marietta." Broadcast for an hour and a half by the National Broadcasting company.

"Naughty Marietta" is one of the best Victor Herberts comic opera productions. That alone guarantees a show if put on by a competent company. The music has been popular for years and no doubt our great grandchildren will hear revivals of the opera. The revival under the direction of Charles Horner played at the Shrine auditorium Saturday afternoon and night proves the fine skill and casting ability of its director.

**Young Cast**

The cast is young. The chorus is composed of fresh-faced young girls. The spirit of youth, as a matter of fact, pervades the entire company. Members of the male chorus appear collegiate. While selection no doubt was made largely for voice, both the male and the female choruses leave nothing to be desired in youth, enthusiasm and appearance.

Era Briggs as Marietta is a spirited mad-cap. She has nerve and enthusiasm. The little Kansas girl reached her present role after two years in Broadway and Boston playhouses. She got her big chance in "Castles in the Air." While a member of the ensemble she was called upon suddenly to take the leading role.

Ferdinand Zegel, as Captain Dick, will be remembered as the prince in "The Student Prince" in a recent Broadway revival of that popular light opera. While Captain Dick does not afford the opportunities of "The Prince" Zegel, finished actor, carried off his numbers with fine effect.

**Colorful Setting**

Costumes and stage settings are by Miss Kathleen Horner, daughter of the director, a recent student of the arts in Paris. The settings are in futuristic treatment, often bordering on the grotesque, but colorful, unusual and highly effective. The setting for Captain Dick and Marietta, Captain Dick in yellow satin, against a black side drop, is artistic.

"Naughty Marietta," as directed by Mr. Horner, is the best eastern musical production that Oklahoma City has seen since the revival of "The Pink Lady."

# FALL IS ANXIOUS TO BEGIN TRIAL

## Teapot Principal Believes He Will Be Cleared

By RAYMOND CLAPPER
United Press Staff Correspondent
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EL PASO, Oct. 7.—Against the advice of his physician and personal attorney, former Secretary of Interior Albert B. Fall is anxious to have an early trial on the charge of conspiring with Harry F. Sinclair to defraud the government in the Teapot Dome oil deal.

Fall is firmly confident he will be acquitted as was his co-defendant Sinclair, especially as Sinclair's acquital followed the jury tampering affair for which Sinclair and some associates were sentenced to jail. He does not wish the indictment to hang over him, perhaps until he is gone.

He has asked his personal attorney, Mark Thompson, to arrange if possible with the special government counsel prosecuting the oil cases, Owen J. Roberts and Atlee Pomerene, for a trial of the case not later than next April.

**Wants Name Cleared**

"I certainly notified my counsel, Mark Thompson, that I wanted this case tried so that I might be cleared of the charge which still hangs over me," Fall told the United Press correspondent at his home here. "I stated I would insist on a trial at once if my physician would let me and would be on the ground in Washington. But he refuses to permit me to go to Washington in the winter time and I feel that in justice to my family I must obey him. But I have stated to my counsel that in event the case is deferred through the winter I would like to have it set for the early part of April.

"I told my counsel to suggest that if I am able to be in Washington then it should be agreed that neither side would ask for a further continuance but proceed to trial."

Fall was reluctant to discuss his case, considering it is still pending, but he is of the opinion that had it not been for political consideration, especially the possibility of attacks from certain senators, the special government counsel would long ago have dropped the pending Teapot Dome conspiracy indictment against him in view of the fact that they failed to convict Sinclair, who was tried alone of the same indictment when Fall's health prevented him from going to Washington to be tried.

**Doctor Opposes Trip**

Thompson, Fall's attorney, is opposed to Fall's going to Washington at any time as is Dr. H. T. Safford, his physician, but both realize Fall is restless with matters left undecided and wants to clear the indictment up one way or another.

Those close to Fall feel that the government counsel have lost heart by failing to win the criminal oil cases against Sinclair and Doheny. Bribery charge still is pending against Fall and Doheny but no effort has been made to bring that to trial, since Doheny and Fall were acquitted of a conspiracy charge in the Elk Hills, California, oil reserve deal when it was charged that Doheny gave Fall $100,000 in a little satchel in consideration for getting the bid.

## Sterling to Talk at County Judges' Meet

DALLAS, Oct. 7 (UP).—R. S. Sterling, chairman of the state highway commission, will be one of the chief speakers at the annual meeting of the County Judges and Commissioners association of Texas, which is to be held here Oct. 10, 11 and 12, according to County Judge F. H. Alexander, who is in charge of arrangements.

The subject chosen by Mr. Sterling is "Texas' Highway Problems." Clarence Ousley, chairman of the highway committee of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, will speak on "A Highway Policy for Texas."

Members of the association will be welcomed to Dallas by Mayor R. E. Burt on behalf of the city and by Harry Olmstead on behalf of the state fair of Texas and the Dallas Chamber of Commerce.

Half a dozen speakers are slated to discuss various phases of the work that comes under the jurisdiction of county judges and commissioners at the first day's session. At 8:30 p. m. the first evening a smoker and stag show will be given in the junior ball room of the Adolphus hotel, where all sessions will be held.

## Contract for Mangum Filter Plant Awarded

Special to The Record News

MANGUM, Okla., Oct. 7.—The contract has been let by the city commission to International Filter company of Chicago to furnish equipment for the municipal water softening plant. All bids for construction of the plant were rejected and the city will do the work itself. The system to be used is known as the Zeolite system and softens water by chemical process. The state health department reports that the plans are the most scientific and complete ever submitted there. City Manager H. M. Renner expects the plant to be completed by Jan. 1.

## Enrollment at Texas Tech Shows Increase

LUBBOCK, Texas, Oct. 7 (UP)—The first week of registration at Texas Technological college shows an enrollment of 1,741 students, 732 women and 1,009 men. This is an increase of 433 over the enrollment at the same time one year ago. The liberal arts school has 1,008, the engineering school 397, home economics 154 and agricultural 122. The percentage of women in attendance has increased from 38 per cent last year to 42 per cent this year.

## Dry Officers Organize For Legion Convention

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 7. (AP)—Prohibition officers quartered in San Antonio moved today to suppress liquor sales on the eve of the American legion's tenth annual convention.

Beginning today dry enforcement headquarters will remain open continuously throughout the convention and agents have been organized in 24 hour shifts to act speedily on all complaints reaching them.

**CLASS PINS ORDERED**

Special to The Record News

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Oct. 7.—Senior class rings and pins were ordered recently, and are expected to arrive soon, according to Leo Stedman, senior class president. This year's rings and pins will be like the class of last year.

## State Deaths

**LEE BATEMAN**

Special to The Record News.

ROCHESTER, Texas, Oct. 7.—Funeral services were held here today for Lee Bateman, 52, prominent Knox county pioneer, who died early Saturday at a local hospital. Interment was in the Rochester cemetery.

# A-M MILITARY APPOINTMENTS

## Many New Assignments Are Announced

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Oct. 7 (AP).—Additional appointments, details and assignments to duty in Texas A. & M. college's cadet corps, announced by Lieut. Col. C. J. Nelson, commandant, with the approval of President T. O. Wilson, follow:

Infantry regiment, headquarters: J. F. Blount San Augustine, major, regimental executive; H. M. Pausewang, captain, regimental intelligence officer.

Company B: Second lieutenants: C. W. Beard, Kurten; M. A. Smith, Del Valle; W. B. Stromberg, Lockhart.

Company C: Captain, H. H. Weatherby, Hillsboro; first lieutenants, Joe Ashley, Casper; J. F. Anderson, Hillsboro; second lieutenants: V. A. Underwood, Bluff Dale; G. A. Lehmann, Mason; C. W. Miller, Coleman; N. A. Scardin, Bryan.

Company E: Cecond lieutenant: E. H. Stevens, Leesville, La.

Company F: First lieutenant: C. D. Clardy, Galveston (band); second lieutenants: G. W. Dear, Troup; H. R. Striegler, Fredericksburg; G. S. Pomeroy, Galveston; G. M. Murchison, Grapeland.

Company H: Second lieutenants: B. A. Moers, Rosenburg; M. E. Whitten, Corsicana (band).

Composite regiment, headquarters: R. W. Davidson, Wharton, captain, P. & T. officer.

Calvary squadron, headquarters: First lieutenants: C. E. Hartsill, Marshall; S. B. Myers, San Antonio.

Troop A: Second lieutenants: H. E. Hein, San Antonio; R. H. Young, San Antonio.

Troop B: Second lieutenant: D. B. Anderson, Sparta, Tenn.

Troop C: Second lieutenants: R. Cochran, New Salem; Abe Meinstein, Waco.

Troop D: First lieutenant: B. H. Pochyla, Waco, second lieutenants: B. L. Grimes, San Angelo (band); J. R. Brummett, Dallas (band).

Field artillery battalion, headquarters: Second lieutenant: G. H. Smith, College Station.

Battery A: Second lieutenant: W. T. Brian, Yoakum.

Battery B: Second lieutenants: W. R. Zinn, Temple (band); A. Paez, San Antonio.

Battery D. Second lieutenant: J. M. Holmes, Fort Worth.

Signal corps battalion, headquarters: H. W. Whitney, Sig Spring, captain; E. F. Shawver, Dallas, captain.

Company A: First lieutenant: H. S. Williams, San Antonio; second lieutenant: T. A. Pilkey, Dallas.

Engineer battalion, headquarters: W. I. Anderson, Cuero, captain.

Company A: Captain: E. B. Rice, Austin; first lieutenant: H. E. Kunz, McGregor.

Company B: Second lieutenant: G. B. Washburn, La Feria.

# Demo Speakers Coming to Texas

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 7. (AP)—M. D. Lightfoot, chairman of the national Constitutional Democratic committee, today announced that Democrats campaigning for Hoover throughout the country have received many of their speaking assignments.

Mrs. Gertrude M. Pattangall, wife of the former governor of Maine, and the former national committee woman from Maine, will speak Oct. 22, 23 and 24 in Texas, he said.

Mrs. Halsey Wilson, Democratic leader of New York, will spend Oct. 22, 23 and 24 in Texas.

James Spiller, prominent in Texas political life, will spend the week of Oct. 8 to 13 in Oklahoma and Oct. 15 to 21 in Missouri.

## Memphis Boy Hurt In Car Collision

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Texas, Oct. 7.—William Bell, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bell, was painfully cut and bruised Friday evening, when a Ford touring car in which he and four others were returning from picking cotton, was struck by a Chrysler roadster driven by Ira Foster. The lad sustained a deep gash in one arm and leg, and his upper teeth were knocked loose, and two lower front teeth knocked out.

Others in the car sustained minor bruises and cuts. The accident happened about one mile west of Memphis on the Lakeview road.

## Jefferson Pelted by Hail and Rain Storm

JEFFERSON, Texas, Oct. 7. (AP) A hail, wind, rain and electrical storm swept over Jefferson from the north early today, turning streets into rivers and causing some damage to merchandise stocks through water entering stores.

Precipitation during the approximately 45 minutes the storm lasted totaled 2.78 inches. Roads in the county are in bad shape and the Louisiana highway is reported impassable. Open cotton is said to have been considerably damaged.

This is the second heavy rain in a week. The weather remains very warm.

## Ohio Aviator Killed in Crash; Pal May Die

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Oct. 7. (UP)—Two aviators were injured, one fatally at Newtown, near here today when their plane went into a spin and fell 150 feet into a cornfield.

Lovell Connelly, 30, Norwood, Ohio, was dead when received at General hospital. Theodore Hunter, 23, Milford, received a skull fracture and internal injuries. He probably will die. Both men were married.

## Southern Air Route to Pacific Coast Sought

EL PASO, Oct. 7. (AP)—Plans for the establishment of an all-southern transcontinental air mail route to the Pacific coast will be urged before the postoffice department soon, it was said after the meeting here yesterday of representatives from several cities on the proposed line. The route from New York would lie by way of Memphis, Dallas, and El Paso to San Diego, with stops for mail at intermediate points. Twenty southwestern cities were represented at the meeting.

## Bedroom Scene Draws Houston Censor's Fire

HOUSTON, Oct. 7 (AP).—Because the play had a bedroom scene in which the leading lady entered a man's room clad in pajamas and because she considered the production "risque to the point of obscenity," Mrs. T. H. Eggert, secretary of the Houston censor board, ordered 17 eliminations from "Jimmie's Women," opening presentation of the season at a local playhouse.

**NELSON ON RADIO**

Ethel Allen Nelson, director of the Wichita Falls Symphony orchestra, will play over KGKO, the National Security Life Insurance company station, between 7 and 8 o'clock Monday evening, it was announced Sunday. Mr. Nelson is a violinist. He will be accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Harwood Stacy.

# Roman Prince Defends His Honor In Duel

ROME, Oct. 7. (AP)—Prince Spada Potenziani, retired governor of Rome, vindicated his honor in a rapier duel today, wounding Prince Lancelotti who is alleged to have declared the reason for the former governor's displacement by Premier Mussolini was graft.

This is the second duel caused by Lancelotti's alleged remark. It was revealed today that Count Di Sambuy in whose presence Prince Lancelotti is said to have uttered the remark, immediately challenged him. They fought with rapiers, Di Sambuy being three times wounded. He explained later that he was suffering from lumbago.

Prince Potenziani, on hearing that his voluntary defender was wounded in avenging his honor immediately challenged Lancelotti. The encounter occurred this forenoon in the garden of a villa on the outskirts of Rome. When the former governor succeeded in nicking his adversary the referee stopped the fight.

# Vernon, Archer City and Graham Strong for Al, Say Demo Leaders

Vernon, Archer City and Graham are definitely in the Al Smith column, and by an overwhelming number of votes.

This word was brought back to Wichita Falls Sunday by local speakers who made addresses there over the week-end.

"There is no question at all in those counties as to the one who will receive the majority of the votes," said Edgar Scurry, county Democratic chairman. "There is no question that Al Smith will get a staggering total as compared to the Republican total.

"Every Democrat in those communities is strong for Mr. Smith and will vote on election day to help swell the total Smith will receive in Texas.

"Bernard Martin told me that the conditions in Archer City are indeed excellent. The voters are enthusiastic for Smith, and there is promise of a big vote.

"In my own trips to Graham and Vernon I observed the same thing. The reports of speakers from all other towns in Northwest Texas indicate a healthy condition, and a condition of which the loyal Democrats of Texas may well be proud."

# West Texans Barely Miss Death as Engine Drops From Plane in Takeoff

VAN HORN, Texas, Oct. 7. (AP)—An airplane motor really was missing here today.

The machine just was clearing the ground on the takeoff when the landing gear struck a hump in the ground, bounced high into the air, and, as the wheels struck earth, the motor fell out. The plane bounded again, clearing the fallen engine and skillful manipulation by the pilot brought the disabled craft to rest without further damage. The three occupants escaped with nothing worse than a severe shaking up.

Those in the plane were Paul T. Vickers, secretary of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, Frank King of Big Spring, owner of the craft, and W. L. Mitchell of Big Spring, pilot. The party was en route from El Paso, where they attended a conference Saturday to further plans for a new southern transcontinental air mail route to the Pacific coast.

# 55 ENROLL AT REVIVAL MEET

## Brown Addresses Wichita And Archer People

A total of 55 new members were enlisted in the First Baptist church in the course of the Sunday services, which began the concluding series of meetings in charge of Dr. Fred F. Brown, visiting pastor from Knoxville, Tenn.

Dr. Brown will bring to an end his revival here next Wednesday evening. During the last few weeks he has held meetings both at 10 o'clock in the mornings and at 7:30 in the evenings. These hours will be in effect during the rest of his stay here.

Dr. Brown spoke Sunday night on the subject, "The Prodigal of the New Testament," pointing out environment, outside influences, and personal weakness as most outstanding causes of a man's unwillingness to accept Christianity, and heralding the return of faith as his supreme accomplishment.

Sunday afternoon he addressed a large number of Sunday school workers of both Wichita and Archer counties, in addition to a number of regular members of the congregation. His subject at this hour was "The Home and the Church," and address which he delivered recently at the Southern Baptist convention at Kansas City, and which was given here by request.

The pastor spoke Sunday morning on "The City of Twelve Gates."

## Father of Movie Actor Dies in New York

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (US)—Dr. Hugh E. Thompson, 72, a St. Louis surgeon and father of Hugh Thompson Jr., movie actor and leading man of "Guns" which played on Broadway last summer, died in Bellevue hospital today of heart disease. Dr. Thompson was stricken with apoplexy in his suite at the Hotel De France here on Aug. 19. Besides his son, he is survived by his wife. Masonic rites will be conducted tomorrow morning.

## Mangum Teachers to Meet Tuesday Afternoon

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., Oct. 7.—The initial fall meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of Mangum will be held at the high school auditorium Tuesday afternoon, when officers will be elected. City Supt. Wade H. Shumate reports many beneficial results accomplished by the association the past year, and an even greater program is being planned for this year.

## Regents to Hear Report Of Student's Death

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 7 (AP).—A formal report will be made to the next meeting of the Texas university board of regents from a faculty committee investigating circumstances of the death of Nolte McElroy, 19, after a low power electric shock in a Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity initiation.

The report found the facts to be as reported shortly after McElroy's death, and the same as found by District Attorney Moore. No blame was attached to anyone.

## Cab Company Seeks Arrest of Officials

CHICAGO, Oct. 7 (US)—Losing their appeal for a special state's attorney to investigate the taxicab situation here, Checker Cab company officials served notice they would appear before Chief Justice John J. Sullivan Monday seeking the arrest of State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe, two of his assistants and Deputy Commissioner Stege for larceny of office records this week.

**NEW WATER SYSTEM**

O'DONNELL, Texas, Oct. 7 (UP)—O'Donnell now has one of the most complete water systems of any town on the south plains, according to officers in charge of construction. Work on the $10,000 extension will be completed soon, completing an investment of $56,000 in a system which covers the entire town with a new work of mains.

**BULLETS TAKE MORE LIVES THAN DRINK IN CHICAGO**

CHICAGO, Oct. 7 (US)—Bullets lead alcohol in Chicago death reports.—

Coroner Oscar Wolff today reported victims of gun-fire numbered 308 during the first nine months of this year as compared with 224 in the same period of 1927.

Deaths laid to alcoholism numbered 218 against 281 last year

## Deaths

**MRS. JIM MORROW**

Mrs. Jim Morrow of Anson died at a local hospital Sunday. The Hines funeral home forwarded the body to Anson for burial Monday. She is survived by her husband, Jim Morrow, of Anson.

**MRS. BERTHA MAY HORN**

Burial services were held at Burkburnett Sunday afternoon for Mrs. Bertha May Horn. She died in a local hospital Saturday and the body was taken to Burkburnett by the Hines mortuary. The survivors include her husband and two small children.

**TWINE INFANT**

Services were held for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Twine of Holliday at Holliday Sunday afternoon. The baby died at Holliday Saturday.

## Wichitan Overcome by Heat at Dallas Fair

DALLAS, Oct. 7. (AP)—Four persons were overcome by heat today while attending the state fair here. They were revived at the temporary emergency hospital housed on the grounds and were among 48 treated there during the day.

The heat victims were Miss Jewel Adams, Mrs. W. W. McNealy, Wills Point; Walter Ford, Wichita Falls; Miss Willie Murphy, Edom.

## Difference in Tariff Platforms Stressed

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7. (UP)—Charges that Democratic leaders are insincere in "trying to make it appear there is no difference between a Republican protective tariff and the Democratic competitive tariff" were made tonight by the Republican national committee.

Chairman Work made public a letter from Representative Will R. Wood, Indiana, chairman of the congressional campaign committee, in which Wood charged nine out of 10 Democratic members of the house ways and means committee, which drafts all tariff acts, are campaigning for the election of David J. Lewis, of Maryland, to congress. Work said Lewis is an "out and out free trader."

## Ten New Yorkers Die of Poison Booze; Many Ill

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (US)—Ten persons died here within 24 hours from drinking poison liquor while more than 200 persons suffering from alcoholic poisoning were admitted to the psychopathic ward at Bellevue hospital.

Police began a series of raids on so-called "shock" houses which sell cheap liquor, manufactured from "recovered" alcohol.

## 5000 Jam Hall as Aimee Opens London Revival

LONDON, Oct. 7. (AP)—Billed as "Everybody's Sister," Aimee McPherson of Los Angeles tonight opened a revival week in Albert Hall. Five thousand persons filled the auditorium while others were turned away. Several score of police were on duty at the hall but had nothing to do.

**PRESBYTERIANS TO MEET**

A meeting of the Lucy Hansell Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Anderson, 1400 Grant street, Monday afternoon at 3 oclock. Mrs. H. B. Pyle will be joint hostess. Mrs. J. B. Baker Jr. will give the devotional and Mrs. J. H. S. Bonner will lead the lesson from the textbook, "Friends of Africa."

**DIPLOMAT DIES**

SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Oct. 7. (AP)—Col. Charles Hinman Graves, minister to Sweden and Norway in 1905, and minister to Sweden from 1906 to 1914, died here today.

**GRASS FIRE**

Firemen were called on the river Sunday, but when they arrived they found that all that was burning was some grass near the river bank on Jefferson street.

# LYLE TALKS ON FIRE SAFETY

## Three Schools to Hear of Prevention Work

Addresses by J. W. Lyle in three of the Wichita Falls schools, and a talk before members of the Kiwanis club by Roy I. Carter, police and fire commissioner, Monday will mark the first features of the program for fire prevention week, which opened here Sunday.

Mr. Lyle, according to P. M. Cordell, chairman of the speaking arrangements committee, will speak at the Travis, San Jacinto and Austin schools during the day Monday. Other speakers who will visit the schools during the week are Mrs. W. W. Silk, City Manager George D. Fairtrace, Fire Chief J. L. McClure and himself, Mr. Cordell said.

Mr. Carter and each of the other speakers will make addresses touching on the general theme of safety, James M. Williams, chairman of the fire prevention committe of the safety council, said.

School children also will begin the daily fire drills Monday, Mr. Williams added. These are to last through the entire week.

Fire Chief J. L. McClure announced Sunday that he would have a decorated fire engine on the streets Monday to better impress the public that fire prevention week is here.

Other activities for the week will be announced later, Mr. Williams said. The program for the week is to reach a climax next Saturday with a big parade, Mayor Akin announced in a proclamation Saturday.

# 'S. R. O.' Signs Out For Marietta Show

## Critics Praise Production Here Tonight

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present Francis Macmillen, celebrated American violinist, at the auditorium in November in matinee and night concerts, and The Revelers, noted quartet, in January. The Musician's club brings Reinald Werrenrath, singer of note, while John Phillip Sousa, king of the bandmasters, and Paul Whiteman, leading exponent of modern music, are also listed as attractions at the municipal building. Sousa is here this month under the auspices of the Maskat Shrine temple band.

The scene of "Naughty Marietta," opening production, is laid in New Orleans in 1750, during the French regime. The operetta is said to be one of the most colorful, as well as tuneful, productions in history. The show has received wide acclaim in other cities and has played to packed houses. Scores were turned away at Norman, Okla., according to press dispatches.

A long distance telephone call Sunday night from Fort Sill, Okla. where the operetta was last presented, to leaders of the forum here said "standing room only" signs had been placed there for the opera.

Ticket sales here also indicate a good attendance, it was said, although it is expected the seating capacity of the auditorium will provide excellent accommodations for attendants from Northwest Texas, Southern Oklahoma and Wichita Falls. Tickets will be on sale at McConnell's furniture store all Monday until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, when the sale will be transferred to the auditorium box office. Reservations which have been paid in advance may be secured at any time at McConnell's or later at the box office, but unpaid reservations will be again offered for sale after 6 o'clock unless called for, it was stated.

In the cast here tonight will be Era Briggs, a western girl who rose to sudden fame on Broadway in less than two years. Miss Brigg, given a role in "Castles in the Aair" because of the illness of the star, made good with her opportunity and has been featured since that time. She takes the part of Naughty Marietta in the show here. Ferdinand Zegel, in the part of Captain Dick, the tenor lead, is also a New York star, being best known for his part as Prince Karl in "The Student Prince." He has just completed a year's engagement with "The Desert Song" on Broadway.

Dan Marble, one of Broadway's best known comedians, takes the part of Silas Slick in the production, while Eva Torriani, equally well known, leads the feminine fun making. She is also noted for her work in grand opera, where her Italian vocal training an dher splendid voice have received much attention. The cast also includes a special orchestra and a number of ballet numbers staged by Sylvia Tell, dancer.

The cast of principal characters, in the order of their appearance, follows:

Etienne Grandet, son of the lieutenant governor ..... James Blaine
Felice ..... Thelma Gilbert
Nanette ..... Ruth Warner
Panchon ..... Marguerite Munger
Adah, a quadroon slave ..... Julia de Revuelias
Captain Richard Warrington, an American known as Captain Dick ..... Ferdinand Zegel
Sir Harry Blake, an Irish Adventurer ..... Edwin Johnson
Silas Slick, Captain Dick's servant ..... Dan Marble
Lisette, a Casquette girl ..... Aimee Torriani
Lieutenant Governor Grandet ..... William Barclay
Florez, secretary to the lieutenant governor ..... John Monti
Marietta D'Altena ..... Era Briggs
Rodolfo, keeper of the Marionette theater ..... Robert E. Griffin
Graziella, Francesca, daughters of Rudolfo ..... Louise Griffith, Mary Jane Rhea
Spanish dancer ..... Helen Burwell
Manuelo ..... George Spelvin
Hast Indian ..... F. M. Shockey
Slave Dancers ..... Elisabeth Arens, Vaughn Atkinson

## Wheat Seed Distributed In Plainview Area

PLAINVIEW, Texas, Oct. 7 (UP) Between 20 and 25 carloads of wheat seed have been shipped into the Plainview territory this year, it is estimated by local grain men.

Some of this seed has come from Kansas. A large part of it, however, come in from the north plains of Texas. Wheat is being drilled in at the present time throughout the country.

**AUTO STOLEN**

Police are searching for an automobile belonging to J. T. Knauth of Burkburnett. The car was reported by Mr. Knauth to have been taken from the 900 block on Scott avenue here Sunday afternoon.

## WHO'S HOOVER?

### Youth of Negroes Being For Republicans Exploded

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Oct. 7 (UP)—The old time Democratic claim that all the negroes are going to vote the Republican ticket straight was partly exploded in a local bank recently.

An old negro brought in a cotton sample and a banker, thinking to have some fun, asked:

"This is Hoover cotton," isn't it?"

Not comprehending the darky replied:

"Nussah, dat's Mebane cotton."

"Well, you are going to vote for Hoover, aren't you," the banker asked.

"Hoover," the negro blinked, "Who is dat? What's he runnin' fo'?"

# BUSINESS HITS FASTER PACE

## Steel, Textile, Farm and Oil Groups Prosper

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (AP) — Business entered the fourth quarter of the year last week with a widespread quickening of activity. Steel operations underwent further expansion, automobile manufacturing continued at a high level, and the textile industry, in which unsatisfactory aspects have prevailed for some time, experienced decided improvement.

Demand for textiles was in some cases above the seasonal average, with cottons, woolens, rayons and silks participating in the movement. Some stiffening of prices occurred. Efforts to settle the strike in New Bedford millis were successful.

The steel industry entered the fourth quarter with the $2 price advances announced in most lines established.

The automobile industry apparently reached its peak during September, as employment figures at the chief center, Detroit, declined slightly.

**Crop Ooutlook Good**

The crop outlook continues good as the season advances, although there is a tendency to shade the corn crop by about 100,000,000 bushels as the ears are not as large as a year ago. The wheat movement from the farms in both the United States and Canada has been heavy, but there is a tendency among farmers to hold their crops in elevators rather than sell at the low prices. The export movement, especially in the United States, has been slow in getting under way, while the visible supply of wheat in North America at this time is largest ever recorded. Cattle and hog prices developed strength after another break.

**Oils Satisfactory**

The outlook for the petroleum industry continued bright. Statistics on gasoline as announced for August showed the industry in a better position that for some time past. A rise in the price of fuel oil was rumored.

The lumber movement continued at a high level. Radio and shoe manufacturing were active, the latter benefiting from a drop in leather prices. Furniture manufacturing continued to lag.

Car loadings, although slow to gain, because of the retarded grain export movement, reached their peak for the year in the latest week and continued above 1927.

The credit situation has improved somewhat as the month-end strain has passed.

## Indian Passport Serves To Identify Dead Man

RANKIN, Texas, Oct. 7. (AP)—Simon C. Rankin, 62, oil field worker, died here today several hours after being found seriously ill. A note found in his pocket read "whoever finds me notify B. L. Agnew of Texon, Texas." Rankin was identified by a passport issued at Burma, India, where it is believed he spent three years. He is said to have two sons connected with oil companies in Roumania. A picture found among his effects bore a Los Angeles, Calif., address.

## Chicago's 'Good Citizens' Pray for End of Crime

CHICAGO, Oct. 7. (UP)—Chicago, or rather its better citizens, went to church today and prayed for divine guidance to direct the voters in ridding the city of the alliance of crime, vice and crooked politics.

The prayers were offered in churches throughout the city in compliance with a resolution passed a few weeks ago at a meeting of 800 protestant ministers of Chicago.

## Benedict to Address Tech Faculty Club

LUBBOCK, Texas, Oct. 7 (UP)—President H. Y. Benedict of the University of Texas has accepted an invitation to be the guest of honor at a meeting of the faculty club of Texas Technological college, Oct. 18. He will address the body. President Paul W. Horn has invited several other Texas college executives to attend the meeting.

**CONVENTION CITY**

DALLAS, Oct. 7 (UP)—Importance of Dallas as a convention center is seen in the announcement that it will be the host to more than 500,000 visitors during October. One of the principal attractions in Dallas this month is the state fair of Texas, which alone is expected to attract more than a million persons and it is estimated by officials that two-fifths of these will be from out of town. In addition to the state fair, Dallas will be host to 20 conventions, each bringing a large quota of delegates to town.

# SMITH STARTS TO SOUTH SOON

## First Speech Scheduled for Louisville Saturday

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 7 (AP).—After a week of steady devotion to every detail connected with his next stumping tour, Governor Smith will turn southward from Albany either Tuesday or Wednesday for a series of conferences with party leaders in his native city of New York and in Chattanooga and Nashville, Tenn., before making his first set speech of the trip Saturday night at Louisville, Ky.

The completed itinerary, including stops en route, for the trip to Tennessee and beyond Louisville, remained usettled over the week-end, the Democratic presidential nominee deciding it would be best to wait until all arrangements for halls, radio hookups and pauses for personal platform appearances had been completed before making any official announcement.

Smith is not expected to get away from Albany before Tuesday noon at the earliest. He will not leave New York state until Thursday. Friday will be spent in discussions with party chieftains at Chattanooga and Nashville and his arrival in Louisville probably will be so timed as to permit participation in a big reception before he takes the platform for his night address.

Although no speeches are scheduled in the "solid south," a good part of Dixie is expected to be traversed on the way to Tennessee, and platform appearances for meeting and greeting crowds along the way probably will be made in three states. In going to Chattanooga on the southern Tennessee border, Smith managers figure that the visit there might be made the occasion for a big rally to be participated in not only by well-wishers from Tennessee, but many from sections of Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi.

**HOOVER CONFIDENT OF TENNESSEE**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7 (US)—Satisfied that his speech at Elizabethton, Tenn., has "cinched" that doubtful state for him and has added momentum to the Republican sweep in other border states in the presidential race, Herbert Hoover's immediate attention will be directed toward the eastern battle zone.

Big guns in the Republican camp tomorrow will begin booming in the eastern section every day and night until election day, Nov. 6. Several hundred orators and near orators will perform in New York state alone.

Senator Charles Curtis, Republican vice presidential nominee, will make a dozen speeches in Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut and Massachusetts this month. Governor Smith's home town of Albany, N. Y., will hear Senator Curtis on Oct. 23.

Hoover's next trip out of Washington will be to Boston, where he will deliver an address on the night of Oct. 15. His campaign managers in Massachusetts have mapped out a busy day for him in the Bay state.

## Scheduled Revolution Fails to Materialize

VIENNA, Oct. 7. (US)—The revolution advertised to take place at Wiener Neustadt, industrial center near Vienna, was called off today. Gleaming bayonets, frowning machine guns and menacing artillery of the Austrian army forming an impassable barrier to the center of the city, chilled any enthusiasm for the scheduled clash between the Socialists and Fascists.

**HORN TO SPEAK**

LUBBOCK, Texas, Oct. 7 (UP)—President Paul W. Horn of Texas Technological college has accepted an invitation to address the Baptist Student federation of Texas at Abilent on Oct. 27.




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A Persistent Backache Often Warns of Sluggish Kidneys.

EVERY day find you tired and achy? Suffer nagging, backache, drowsy headaches and dizzy spells? Are kidney secretions too frequent, scanty or burning?

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# The Social Side—Wichita Falls' Woman's Interests—Clubs and Churches

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The greatest heroes in the world are the men and women who fight the battle of life with blunt weapons.

Any one with a drop of red blood in his veins can lead a forlorn hope with the band playing in his ears, and the mob cheering behind him.

Anybody in a moment of impulse can dash into a burning house, or plunge into the water to save a life. Anybody can be faithful to a trust in the face of a single temptation. Anybody with health and strength, with intelligence and powerful friends can achieve success. "God," said Napoleon, "is on the side of the heavy artillery." It is easy to win the battle when you have the big army and the heavy artillery, all the newest munitions of war and a well-stocked commissary.

But how great the valor of those who also win who have no big guns, no skilled leaders, who fight on empty stomachs, whose muskets are obsolete, whose swords are dull!

I would not rob the brilliant and clever and strong of one laurel leaf, but the luster of their achievements dims before those of the men and women who, without talent, without health or strength have still done their part in the world. They are those men and women who have fought the battle of life with dull weapons and won out.

As I write these lines I am thinking of one of these heroes. He is a little, dingy, dried up, old bachelor, whose abilities have never taken his higher than a clerk's stool in a counting room. He has seen hundreds of bright young fellows pass him in the race for success, and he knows they look upon him as a failure. That is the way he regards himself. He cannot do things swiftly. His hands are clumsy. Ideas come to him slowly. He can only work patiently and faithfully and honestly.

These are not the qualities that insure promotion, but they hold down a job, and on the meager wage that he has earned, he supported a household of helpless old women who were left dependent upon him. He is one of those heroes who have fought the battle with blunt weapons.

And I think of still another—a man without education, who labors at a menial occupation of weary hours every day, and then does extra work at night in order that his children may have better advantages than he had. His shoulders are bent under the strain he carries and his hands are knotted and gnarled. He is shabby. He never thinks of spending a cent upon his own pleasure. He is worn with labor until his very soul faints with weariness, but he keeps his children at school instead of putting them to work to help him.

He is giving every ounce of strength he has to lifting them up above his own head. He is another of those who are fighting the battle of life with blunt weapons.

And I think of a woman who was a pretty, petted, spoiled young girl, accustomed in her youth to every comfort and luxury. While still a young girl she married a drunken brute who abused and misused her and finally deserted her, leaving her penniless with a six-month-old baby in her arms and two old women dependent upon her.

This woman had never done a day's work in her life. She had no trade or profession, or special aptitude at anything. She was not clever, and she was frail in body, yet she went bravely and cheerfully to work at the first job that offered itself. It has never even occurred to her to turn her back upon those who clung to her skirts, or to give up the fight.

Somehow, despite ill-health, despite lack of much intelligence, she has managed to care for her own without asking any one's help. The wolf has never been more than an arm's length away from her door, but with her poor little blunt weapons she has kept it at bay.

And I think also of another woman, a little, ignorant country dressmaker, so unskilled she may not even ask first-class prices. There is no magic touch in her fingers, no artistic sense of color in her taste. She can only do plain, honest, ill-paid sewing.

But for years and years she supported an invalid husband who died by inches of a lingering disease. Then, when he was gone and she had toilsomely paid the last cent of the funeral and doctor's bills, a railroad accident killed her brother and his wife and left seven little children with only her to stand between them and the orphan asylum.

This woman crowded all seven of the children into her little cottage, and by a miracle of self-sacrifice and labor she fed, clothed and educated them, she kept them together, and brought them up to be fine men and women. She was a figure of fun, this clumsy, ignorant, homely little village dressmaker, but I never looked at her without seeing a halo of glory about her battered black bonnet, for she was one of the greatest of those heroes who have fought the battle of life with dull weapons and triumphed.

All honor to the brilliant and the strong who achieve success, but surely our finest tribute of reverence should go to those who are weak and not clever, and are, perhaps, afraid, but who do great things through sheer loyalty and sense of duty—those who fight the battle with dull weapons and win.

DOROTHY DIX.

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## O' These Women!

By LEOLA ALLARD

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (US)—Here are some bits of conversation heard on the street, at cafes, in elevators, at store counters, and other places, between women!

"I didn't get home till one o'clock, and I didn't even have enough money to tip the taxi driver!"

"Well, can you beat that! What did Mable get out of it?"

"Try this hat on dear, it's squashy and should become your thin face. It will soften it."

"Why don't you get one? You need it more than I do."

Silence.

"I've never seen such a woman. All she does is shop for clothes. She has a lot of cedar closets in her house and they are hung full of clothes and she can never wear them all. The fact is she doesn't go to enough place to wear half of them."

"Aren't some people killing?"

"Yes. I wish I had some of her money."

"So do I."

"She's making a mistake, she is. All she thinks about is those kids. Babies, babies, babies, that's all she talks. She'll lose her husband, that's what she will do."

"Oh, I don't know, if she makes nice children out of 'em, they can hold her husband for her. But if women who haven't children lose 'em, they just go, and that's that."

"I wouldn't want a man to hang on just for the children's sake."

"Oh wouldn't you? Well if you love 'em you hold 'em anyway you can. I know. I didn't have any children.

"Well, if she takes him she can have a car and a house, and a cook, and everything, but if she insists upon sticking to this boob, she ain't got nothing."

"Oh I don't know, the "boob" is young and handsome and has a good line, and if you get a laugh now and then, you got something. I had that kind once and gosh, I had more fun than I can get now going to funny shows with the dyspeptic I tied to. All he does is fight with the waitress about food, and ain't they got any bran muffins, and he don't want fresh fruit, and prunes is all that agrees with him, and sometimes I wish I'd taken the 'boob' and been able to laugh now and then over a corned beef dinner."

"Well dearie, have it sent on approval and wear it tonight, and be careful. You can send it back tomorrow. Don't go back with it, put in a call in one of these highty-tighty voices, and as long as you have a charge account they can't do anything about it."

"Isn't it the limit the way those cheap clerks look at you just because you bring back something they think you've worn?"

## Bowie School Red Cross Has Meeting

A meeting of the Junior Red Cross of the Bowie school was held Friday morning when the program was opened with "America," followed by musical numbers by the Toy Symphony orchestra.

Mayor J. W. Akin gave an inspiring talk on "Citizenship." The organization adopted a code of ethics which includes a full program of personal, school, national and world service.

Mayor Akin was made an honorary member of the club and plans were made to send a Red Cross Christmas box, provide Thanksgiving dinners for at least 10 families, and give chicken dinners for the Day nursery and one hospital again this year.

Plans were also made to assist the P.-T. A. in giving a pie supper and "Cake Walk" on Oct. 19.

Special guests were Mrs. Fred West and Rev. E. F. McGaughey.

## Executive Board of F. M. S. to Meet

The executive board of the Federated Missionary society will meet at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Day Nursery.

## P.-T. A. Will Hold Meeting Tuesday

The first fall meeting of the high school and Junior college P.-T. A. will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

## Woman's Forum Civic Department to Meet

A meeting of the civic department of the Woman's Forum will meet at the club house Tuesday at 3 o'clock.

## Ohio-to-Coast Plane Service to Be Established

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (AP)—On recommendation of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, chairman of its technical committee, the Transcontinental Air Transport Co., organized to operate the air portion of plane-train service across the country, has decided to establish an all-air route from Columbus, Ohio to the west coast with sleeping accommodations for night flying.

## Swimmer Crosses Strait Third Time in 300 Years

ROCHEFORT, France, Oct. 7. (UP)—The strait from La Rochelle to Ile d'Ree has been swum for the third time in 300 years. Alexander Percherreau covered the 4 kilometers distance in 45 minutes. A young doctor had accomplished the feat 20 years ago and three centuries earlier a soldier swam the strait to inform Louis XIII of the disposition of English besiegers.

## Counsel Falls Dead Examining Witness

BEMIDJI, Minn., Oct. 7. (UP)—M. J. Daly, defense counsel in the trial of J. W. Wilcox, charged with dynamiting the home of his sweetheart, Miss Myrtle Hollowell, fell dead while examining a witness. A heart attack caused his death. The trial, which was expected to end this week, will be delayed.

## Dog Frightens Child To Death by Attack

KENTON, Ohio, Oct. 7. (UP)—Benny Whitmore, 10, was actually frightened to death, attending physicians said today, when neighbor boys chained him to a tree and urged a bulldog to attack him. He died from the resulting illness.

## CHIC CHERI

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### Latest Fashions



The tendency of new evening gowns is upward and onward as you can see by the dress just walking down the stairs. It's a subject that interests Cherie more than it does Andy, and Cherie is just noting that all the skirt ruffles sweep up in front though they trail down to the very floor in back. Chiffon, of course.

The same general swooping effect is noticeable in a frock of black transparent velvet with three full flounces for a skirt. The swathed hipline makes the billowing ruffles look even fuller—some day soon one of these frocks is going to go the limit and let its ruffles really trail on the polished hardwood floor!




Dina's frock is a printed transparent velvet. The same fitted bodice and the same flaring skirtline, although this one flares a little more than the others because these blounces are circular and not merely shirred. The same tendency, though, to droop in back. As for Cherie—her dress has only one flounce, but what a flounce. It's a peplum, really. The dress is orange tulle and the skirt droops in back quite in the usual manner for this season. Please note that though the deep oval and deep V necklines are most usual, the camisole neckline is also in its proper place which, of course, is not on a camisole.

## Crowded Program For City Council

Monday night promises to be one of the most important meetings of the city council in several months, it was said Sunday by city officials.

The sale of $250,000 city bonds heads the list of business. This sale, while announced as an auction sale, has drawn sealed bids in advance which will have to compete in the auction. The last bid received was from an eastern house Saturday.

Three public hearings also are set for Monday night. One is for closing the end of North Eleventh street. Two are franchise hearings for the Wichita Falls and Southern railway for permission to run a track along Ninth street, and for the Pioneer Refining company to run a pipeline over public domain.

Two ordinances of the air will come up for third and final reading.

## Austin For Hoover, Says Wichita Woman

A growing Hoover sentiment that is swinging Austin into the position as the strongest Hoover town in the state of Texas was reported Sunday by Mrs. P. A. Welty of Wichita Falls, Republican candidate for United States representative for this district, on her return from a business trip in Austin.

"I talked with many people in Austin," Mrs. Welty said, "and I found the sentiment was almost unbelievably for Hoover."

## Hobby Confident of Demo Victory in Texas

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7. (AP)—W. P. Hobby, president and editor of the Houston Post-Dispatch, reported to national Democratic headquarters Saturday that Texas would "stand squarely by its historic Democratic position."

"I expect to see Texas in the Democratic column by a majority of 200,000 to 250,000 votes, the publisher said.

## Dressmaker's Slayer Given Jail Sentence

SEINE, France, Oct. 7 (UP)—Edouard Sirot, 26, was sentenced to five years imprisonment and a fine of 100 francs today for the murder of a young dressmaker who discovered him in the act of burglarizing her apartment. Sirot was arrested a month after the crime when he was discovered playing a minor role in a chatelet theater.

## Col. Roosevelt Says Fearless Action Needed

RICHMOND, Ky., Oct. 7. (AP)—Col. Theodore Roosevelt, in an address here in support of Herbert Hoover, said the United States since the war has been engaged as a nation in recuperating and recovering its balance and can be satisfied no longer with negative action.

"We need, therefore, during the next four years," he said, "a man who will meet these problems with a sane, fearless, liberalism, intent on positive action. . . ."

**RIGHT OF WAY SECURED**

COTULLA, Texas, Oct. 7 (AP).—A 100-foot right of way for Meridian Highway No. 2 has been obtained from property holders in LaSalle county from the Frio county line to the Nueces river and construction on the road is expected to start soon.

**GOODYEAR DIRIGIBLE LANDS**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7. (UP)—The Goodyear Blimp, NC-7A, one of the smallest dirigibles ever built, made a successful landing on the roof of a Washington garage. Five minutes later it took off for Boiling field, the army air station.

## Greenwich Villagers Laid Low by Raging Epidemic of Typhoid Fever

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (US)—Greenwich Village is fighting a raging epidemic of typhoid fever. Twenty-three virulent cases were reported to the board of health up to tonight. Twenty patients, including 10 children and 10 adults, are in St. Vincent's hospital, where three are reported critically ill.

Police stated that four deaths had occurred in the last fortnight. Five victims were taken from their homes in ambulances. Several students have been stricken.

Health Commissioner Shirley Wynne traced the origin of the epidemic to the neighborhood of Bleecker and Charles streets and took into custody Frederick Marsh, 52 years old, on suspicion of being a typhoid carrier. He is the father of Mrs. Frederica Kraus, who keeps an ice cream pralor at that address.

## U. S. Blamed in Peace Muddle

PARIS, Oct. 7. (UP)—French newspapers, in view of the recent revelation concerning the Franco-British naval accord, are attempting to give the entire situation a new angle.

The latest argument appeared in the newspaper Le Temps which contended that the United States was as much to blame as anyone for "any misunderstanding" in regard to the compromise which was kept secret after Sir Austen Chamberlain announced that it existed.

Le Temps argued that Hugh Gibson in a statement on March 22, last, said there was nothing more to be done in a practical sense toward disarmament agreement until efforts were made by governments to discover a means whereby, thanks to mutual concessions, divergences of opinion might be eliminated.

The newspaper said it was this suggestion from an American source that led France to meet the British view on disarmament and Paris did not forget to convey promptly, the full terms of the pact to Washington, Tokio and Rome.

These terms, the newspaper pointed out, were projected as a solution to the disarmament deadlock.

## Minneapolis Symphony To Play at Denton

DENTON, Texas, Oct. 7.—The securing of the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra for two concerts during the annual spring music festival at the College of Industrial Arts has been announced by William E. Jones, head of the music department.

**NO FIREMAN'S BALL**

HOUSTON, Oct. 7 (AP).—Chiefly because of heavy demands created by the hurricane which devastated Florida, Houston's firemen must do without their annual ball and play night this year, directors of the Firemen's Benevolent association have decided.

## Wellington Club Girls To Attend State Fair

Special to The Record News.

WELLINGTON, Texas, Oct. 7.—4-H club girls of Collingsworth county plan to send their representatives to the Dallas fair and instead of calling upon merchants for donations, they have decided to make enough money to meet their own expenses. Their plan is to present a benefit program at one of the local theaters next Wednesday. Six girls have won the privileges of free trips to the fair and Miss Veda Swafford, home demonstrator, has decided upon this plan to finance the trips.

## Frederick Girl Hurt When Hit by Truck

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Oct. 7.—Mary Margaret Lowery, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Lowrey, is recovering at her home from injuries sustained when she was struck by a truck while crossing a street yesterday. Her arm was fractured.

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## FORMAL DINNER NEEDS BEAUTY

### Candle Light Gives Touch Of Dignity

By MRS. IDA CHITWOOD
Noted Culinary Expert

The dinner party, whether it be a small affair of half dozen people or stretches the table to the last limit of extra leaves, and brings out the reserves of the family china and silver, will always be the entertainment par-excellence in our social calendar. Served in the glow of candle light, with men and women of congenial tastes, there is a sparkle about it that no other form of entertainment can ever quite rival.

As befitting a more formal meal, a dinner expresses more stateliness and dignity in its appointments. What guest is not subtly flattered to know that the yellow gleam of candles in the silver candelabra shines upon one's best silver and prized Wedgewood, and that the tea roses in the bowl in the center of the table have been especially selected to give him pleasure?

Seat your guests with thought as to which ones "match up" well; plan the best dinner of which your home is capable; and then settle back with a calm mind to contribute the very best of yourself to the great event.

A place at the dinner table is set very much as it is for luncheon, except that there is no bread-and-butter plate, that some extra knives or forks are seen, and that the napkin is a large one to match the cloth. If there are any other beverages to be served than water, the extra glasses are arranged in a semi-circle to the right of the water glass.

For a dinner of more than eight it is almost necessary to have two maids and a double service, each dish of food being exactly duplicated. For a small dinner use the divided dish in which two vegetables can be offered at one time. Each dish when it is brought in is passed first to the hostess.

If there are two maids, one serves one side of the table and the other the opposite side, and usually they vary the ends at which they begin, so that one guest is not every time left until the last. At a formal dinner things are passed but once; at a smaller affair they may be passed twice.

How to serve the meat course is entirely a matter for individual choice. If the hostess abides by the letter of the law of fashion, the roast is carved in the kitchen, and then skillfully put together again so that its appearance is not harmed. It is then brought in and offered to each guest who serves himself. But even with a retinue of servants, some households prefer to have the carving done at the table, and there is no good reason why this should not be done.

Coffee is usually served in the living room. In very formal houses the women would leave the men in the dining room to drink their coffee and to smoke, while they went to the drawing room for their coffee. (It would have to be called a drawing room in such a house.) There the men would join them later. But in these informal days comparatively few houses follow this plan.

## Shoo! and 'Sidewalks' Musician Complies

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7. (AP)—"The Sidewalks of New York," is taboo around headquarters of Herbert Hoover.

A hurdy-gurdy player tried out the tune in front of the house where the Republican presidential nominee has his office and promptly was shooed away by an attache.

"Get that man away from here," the attache directed and the player complied.

## Red Cross Nurses To Aid in Epidemic

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7. (UP)—Six Red Cross nurses, headed by Mrs. Charlotte Hellman have been ordered to leave immediately for Olean, N. Y., to aid in combatting an epidemic of typhoid fever. The nurses were requested by Miss Marie Whipple, secretary of the Olean Red Cross chapter, when the outbreak assumed serious proportions.

## MANY SHAVES

### Machine Age Speeds the Manufacture of Razor Blades

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7 (US)—A single factory operative now turns out 32,000 razor blades in the same time it took him 15 years ago to produce 500, Dr. Julius Klein, director of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, declared in a radio address tonight.

Recounting miracles of production the "machine age" had wrought, he added:

"The hourly output of 4-ounce bottles used to be 77—now it is 3,000. In a little more than a decade there has been a per-man increase in output amounting to 211 per cent in rubber manufacturing."

## Frederick Will Build Creamery

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Oct. 7.—So well pleased was the committee that went to Waurika Friday to investigate the Red River creamery that they asked Gilbert H. Fraser, head of the Red River concern, who has been here to interest local citizens in establishing a similar institution here, to come here as soon as possible and close negotiations.

The Waurika plant was found to be in a prosperous condition and both stockholders and farmers who sold it cream were well satisfied. Those having stock desired to have it remain to expand the business rather than take a cash dividend as they could have done at the close of the first year's business, which was a few weeks ago.

Those making the trip were S. G. Miller, from northwest of Frederick; E. J. Cowen, J. A. Carr, J. B. Beard Jr. and J. D. Moore.

As there is no suitable building here it is expected that one will be erected. Cream stations will be established at points north of here on the Frisco and northwest and west on the Katy and also in Texas and possibly New Mexico. There is such a low rate on cream that it can be shipped for several hundred miles without the express rate being prohibitive.

## Thirst Maddened Men Try to Slay Each Other

CAIRO, Egypt, Oct. 7. (AP)—Five days in the desert without water reduced four hunters to such madness that they attempted to kill each other. One was found yesterday and today an airplane searching party brought back the others. None had recovered sufficiently tonight to give a coherent story of their misadventures.

## Byrd Recovers From Cold at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 7. (US)—Recovering from the severe cold and fever which marred his arrival in Los Angeles, Commander Richard Byrd spent today resting quietly in his room at the Biltmore hotel, regaining all possible strength before sailing next Wednesday for his antarctic expedition.

## Racketeers Blameless In Explosion at Home

CHICAGO, Oct. 7 (US)—Escaping gas from a water heater caused the explosion which wrecked the Harvey Zuckerman home here last night and not "racketeers" bombs, according to Fire Commissioner A. W. Goodrich today.

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GAS HEATERS

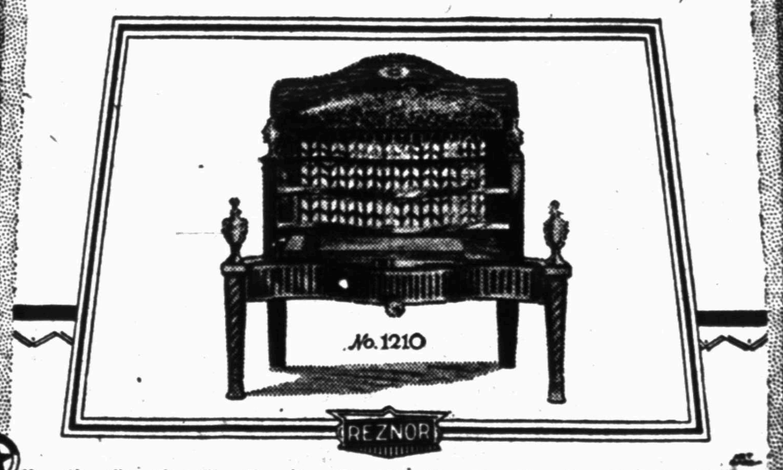
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## One Minute Pulpit

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Behold, Thou desirest truth in the inward parts.—Psa. li: 6.

I will put My law in their inward parts, and in their heart will I write it.—Jer.xxxi:33.

There is no possession sooner lost than that of oneself. The smallest things rob us of it . . . Tecum habita. Dwell at home. Keep possession of your soul. Suffer not anything to steal you away from yourself. There is neither profit nor pleasure worth so much, that the soul should go home to get it. —Peter Du Moulin.

## The Day Book of a New Yorker

By GRANT DIXON

NEW YORK, Oct. 7, (AP)—If you would study the subtle ways of diplomacy, let Lieut. Thomas O'Connor be your model. Trained along special lines, he's as skilled a diplomat as you'll ever find in a frock coat.

Part of O'Connor's job is to greet cranks who come brazenly or hesitatingly, as the case may be, to confer with Mayor Walker, in other words, he's the "Open Sesame" man of the sacred portals to the Mayor's private office in city hall. No one sees his honor without first consulting and receiving O'Connor's official approval.

Each day sees him called upon to exercise some of the wheedling flattery, artifice or stratagem traditionally attributed to any true son of the Old Sod. Each day finds him turning down the don't-want-works, the cranks, nuts and down-at-the-heel gang, many of them repeaters, who think the mayor has time for a solution of all individual problems.

There's the florid faced old gentleman with the German accent, for instance, who drops around ever so often to urge the mayor to get the New York Edison company to turn off the current directed against him by his wife. He's been coming for several years with the same story, always whispered in confidential fashion. Once he traveled all around the country trying to get rid of it and finally found relief in the Arizona desert. He almost died of thirst, however, and had to return to the mayor for aid.

A dozen times a year, usually around the first of the month, a wrinkled old crone, who reminds one of a fiction character, arrives to learn whether her trunks have been found. She has appeared in the same manner with her single hesitant question for years. O'Connor replies that the authorities are on the job and hope to locate them before long.

Some of the visitors are taciturn. They refuse to disclose their identity or the nature of their business and depart without revealing their mission. Some depart angrily with dire threats; others wax mysterious.

On the same day one man arrived seeking a patent for a ship capable of reaching Mars, and another who announced he was the creator of perpetual daylight. In that same week came one who had worked out a system for inclosing the city beneath a giant glass bowl, much as a stack of griddle cakes, during the cold winter months.

Such persons, in the main, are easily disposed of. O'Connor explains that the mayor is away or that he is tied up in conference. He uses his politest manner and suggests they try again or take their plans elsewhere. He is always courteous; always cordial.

Let the young upstart or the chronic kicker get started, however, and he encounters little sympathy. In such times O'Connor is brief and to the point.

"If you want to be courteous you'll be treated the same," he says. "If you want to be ugly, I can be ugly too. Now, what were you going to say?"

## ABE MARTIN




Gabe Crow, lifelong uncompromisin' high protectionist, has come out fer th' farmer. "Gin'll eat linoleum," says Miss Fawn Lippincut, in th' current issue o' 'Hearth and Home."

## We Come From Akshak

THE site of the oldest city of the world has been discovered in the valley of the Tigris river by a party of scientists representing the University of Michigan and the Toledo Museum of Art.

Buried beneath the rubble of forgotten succeeding cities the explorers found the foundation stones of the city of Akshak, which was old before the pyramids were built and before Nineveh or Ur of the Chaldees had been laid out. The city passed out of existence long, long ago; the Roman emperor Trajan sacked it in the first century A. D., and it has been a wind blown, sand-covered rubbish heap ever since.

There is something fascinating about the discovery of the ruins of ancient cities.

The race wasn't very far from savagery when this old city was built. Human beings were sacrificed on blood-stained altars in the temples. The wisest men in the world believed the future could be foretold by looking in the entrails of animals; and were convinced that they could control the weather by performing strange rites with decorated sticks and colored pebbles. Nobody had ever doubted that might made right. The high water mark of civilization was represented in a mud palace where a half naked king impaled people he didn't like.

If a disinterested, civilized observer—the familiar man from Mars, for instance—could have visited that city then, he surely would have concluded that human beings never would rise more than two or three degrees above the level of animals.

Yet, in that barbaric city, were hidden the germs of all our progress.

The city itself passed away, consumed by time and by the trampling soldiers of Trajan's legions. The people that inhabited it went to graves that do not now exist, and the very memory of the place disappeared. Yet something survived. Something—an impulse, a subconscious aspiration, a veiled desire—proved immortal. Through long centuries of darkness, warfare, suffering and defeat, humanity nourished that spark. It glowed and became a flame, and now and then—at Athens, in Judea, at Rome—it burned with a light to make all of mankind's pathway brighter.

Incomprehensibly, the race made progress. Today the forgotten, ruined city of Akshak stands like a milestone, incredibly far back on the long road from darkness. We were there, once in the dim morning of history. Today our curious scientists poke among the rubbish with spade and pick. We have left it many leagues behind us. But we must never forget that we once were there. That fact—the contrast between Akshak and the city of today—is a final answer to all the doubters and pessimists of the world.

## Do We Need Morons?

"WE ARE coming to recognize," remarks Dr. C. E. A. Winslow, professor in the Yale Medical school, "that the high-grade moron is perhaps a necessary and desirable element in a civilization that involves the performance of so many routine tasks repulsive to the mentally alert."

This statement is taken from an article by Dr. Winslow in the current Golden Book, in which he sets forth the pleasing proposition that it is a good thing that all of us are not quite bright.

If we were all gifted with alert, capable brains, the doctor says, we would not be happy. There are in the world many unpleasant jobs to be done; intelligent people do not care to do them; hence, indisputably, it is necessary that we have a host of morons who will do the work without getting discontented and dreaming of better things.

This is a very fine doctrine if you are sitting somewhere near the top of the social heap, and if, in addition, you feel that our civilization today needs only a little bit of tinkering here and there to be absolutely perfect. Otherwise, however, it is apt to be rather depressing.

For it happens that world changes. We no longer assent to the old Bourbon idea, that all is well if only the wellborn few are happy. During recent years we have come to see that it is precisely the average man—the man who has to do the unpleasant tasks, "repulsive to the mentally alert"—that is important. If he is not happy, then the world needs remaking.

Dr. Winslow's idea, apparently, is that if this average man is only dumb enough he will be content with his lot. But the world did not spin into form out of glowing stardust merely in order that we should raise a hundred million people content with cheap movies and tawdry amusement parks. The moron, submerged in poverty and not caring to rise, was not designed by heaven for that lot.

To be sure, from certain viewpoints a population of morons would be an advantage. A big industrialist would delight in having a breed of workers who were just smart enough to operate machines but not smart enough to organize for better pay or shorter working hours. A political boss would be highly pleased with an electorate that could not see through his output of bunk. All the forces of reaction would exult in such a situation.

But the democracy of which we have dreamed would die.

We need more education, and not less; broader horizons, not narrower; higher aspirations, not lower. We are not yet ready to preach a gospel of contentment to the unfortunate. If the time ever comes when the moron is "a necessary and desirable element" in our national life, America is done for.

## Privately Owned Planes

CLARENCE CHAMBERLIN, famous transatlantic flier, believes that small, privately-owned airplanes will be so common in the United States 10 years from now that the man who has never flown will be in the minority.

"Anybody who can drive an automobile can learn to fly," says Chamberlin in an article written for the current North American Review, "The man who wants to use a plane as he would an auto—to go somewhere quickly and comfortably—needs no more special physical qualifications than he would need to drive an auto."

Chamberlin, undoubtedly, knows what he is talking about. Aviation is only beginning to unfold its wings. Within a few years the aviation industry may well rank with America's industrial giants.

## Tunney and Publicity

GENE TUNNEY, in Italy, continues his objections to cameramen. He took one camera away from a photographer, opened it and exposed the film; he threatened to break another camera if its owner did not leave him alone.

This irritation is quite natural and easy to understand. Tunney is not the first young man to find great fame something of a bore.

Yet Tunney might bear in mind that the publicity which he now despises has been the principal cause of his rise to fortune. Whence came the tremendous "gates" for his two fights with Dempsey if not from the vast attention the newspapers paid the two participants? Tunney would not be the wealthy man of leisure he now is if the "pestiferous newspapermen" had not camped on his trail a couple of years.

TOONERVILLE FOLKS — Fontaine Fox




# The Room Under the Stairs

## The Baffling Story of a Man Who Read of His Own Murder

By HERMAN LANDON

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Synopsis of Preceding Installments

Thomas Dean, well-known writer of mystery novels, has hidden from the world the fact that he is really

Paul Forrester, who as a youngster had been mixed up in a breach of promise suit and had figured in a self-defense killing out west some years before, from which encounter he still bears a knife scar on his neck. Dean is therefore astounded to read the death-bed confession of

Martin Lamont, western business man, in New York on a visit, in which he repents the murder of Paul Forrester five years before. This confession is witnessed by

Dennis Littleby, famous lawyer, at whose home the dying man is visiting, and

Dr. John Ballinger, well-known physician. Identification of the body, found in "The Room Under the Stairs," in Dean's deserted family house, is made by

Lieutenant Shane, of the police, who also finds a watch bearing the initials "P. F." Revisiting the house, Dean discovers pieces of a broken watch crystal at the scene of the murder, and is surprised at the sudden entrance of Littleby, who seems upset over Dean's find. Matters are further complicated by a strange young lady

Viola Gray, who tries to connect one of Dean's stories with Forrester's secret.

A visit to the notary who took the confession reveals that Lamont seemed to have a peculiar dread of the telephone.

### A Visit to the Doctor

Dean took his leave with heavy thoughts thronging his mind. He was almost inclined to share the notary's opinion that Lamont's peculiar attitude toward the telephone was only a dying man's vagary. What else, indeed, could it mean? Dean had read and heard many curious things about the delusions that precede death, weird and astonishing fancies that distort the fading realities of life. Doubtless the explanation was to be found there.

He walked slowly, drinking in the sunshine and the breezes as if they were an antidote for the clouded condition of his mind. His inquiries seemed to have led him into a blind alley bounded by the solid rock of incongruities and contradictions. Where should he turn next?

An inscription on a brightly polished brass plate in a window suggested a make-shift solution. He stopped at a corner and looked uncertainly at a handsome three-story residence bordered on two sides by well-kept lawn.

"John P. Ballinger, M. D.," read the sign in the window, and he recalled that this was the name of the physician who was attending Lamont. On a reckless impulse he ascended the steps and rang.

A young woman, fresh and crisp in the uniform of a physician's attendant, admitted him, and after a brief wait he was ushered into the consultation room of Doctor Ballinger, a powerfully built man in his early forties, and an infectious smile on clean-shaven lips and a magnetic twinkle in his fine gray eyes. He had short, crisp hair that was almost black but shaded into a premature tinge of gray at the sides. The office, small but cheerful and simply furnished, was just the sort that one would expect a suburban practitioner with a limited practice to maintain.

"What seems to be the trouble?" he asked briskly, measuring Dean with a gaze that had little of the diagnostician in it.

The novelist felt vaguely embarrassed. The physician, as well as his surroundings, breathed a candor and openness that seemed to suggest that he had come to the wrong place.

"I fear I am here under false pretenses," he confessed. "I didn't come to you as a patient."

"Then have a smoke," said the doctor genialy, reaching into a drawer for a box of Havanas. Dean lighted one while he cudgled his brain for an excuse, finally deciding on a direct approach. "How is Lamont this morning?" he inquired.

Something — it might have been only surprise at the blunt question —flickered for an instant in the physician's eyes, then was gone. He did not speak until he had lighted his cigar and exhaled a few times.

"So, you are interested in Lamont Curious case! He had a sinking spell last night, but rallied slightly after midnight. He may live through the day, if no unforseen developments set in. Are you a relative of his?"

Dean confessed that he was not, and a look of hazy remembrance dawned in the physician's eyes.

"Ah, I seem to place you now. You write fiction. That's a thing I never read. All I have time for is the medical journals and a few squints at the newspapers."

Dean nodded. He was often amused at people's apologies for their unfamiliarity with his output; it was as if they were trying to plead extenuation for a crime of omission. Then he recalled Lieutenant Shane's shrewd deduction in regard to Lamont's tenacious hold on life.

"What do you suppose is keeping Lamont alive?" he asked.

Doctor Ballinger seemed surprised, not at the question itself, perhaps, but at the fact that it should have come from a layman.

"Heaven knows. Thats what I have been asking myself. I am administering stimulants, of course, but they would ordinarily be insufficient in such a case. What has kept him alive for the last 48 hours is a mystery to me."

"Has his daughter arrived yet?"

Ballinger smiled oddly. "No; and in asking that question you may have hit the nail squarely on the head. We had a wire from Miss Lamont three days ago stating she was starting for New York immediately. Can't imagine what is delaying the young lady. One thing is certain, though. Lamont is alive at this moment simply because he refuses to die. There are cases like that. His daughter's absence may have something to do with it. He may have something important to tell her."

"In other words," Dean suggested, "the confession didn't quite clear his mind. There is something else that's troubling him."

"Perhaps so, though I don't see what it could be. I consulted Littleby on that same point, but he had no explanation to offer."

Dean hesitated as before a plunge. "Dr. Ballard, is it your firm conviction that Lamont made his confession of his own free will and while in sound mind?"

The physician looked startled, then laughted. "Why ask me? As far as I can see, his mind is clear as a bell, but you needn't take my word for it. Littleby insisted on having him examined by one of the best alienists in the state. He thought Lamont's mind might be affected, and he didn't wish his old friend to place himself in a false light by confessing a crime of which he was innocent. As for your suggestion of coercion, it is simply ridiculous."

Dean agreed that it was. Lamont had repeated the essentials of his confession in the presence of himself and Shane, even adding a few details to the original story, and there had not been the slightest indication of coercion then. Dean had asked the question, knowing how absurd it must sound to Dr. Ballinger, only because he seemed to have exhausted every other possible and impossible theory.

He made one more faltering attempt, detailing for the physician's benefit what Shane, the notary and himself had observed regarding Lamont's apparent dread of the telephone at his bedside.

"I hadn't noticed it,' said Ballinger, looking interested. "It is quite possible, though. There may be some remote form of suggestion that affects him that way. It is possible that at one time in his life a telephone instrument figured in some disastrous episode or other, and now, in his weakened condition, the recollection brings him a shock. Nothing very peculiar in that. I once knew a dying man who went into hysterics at the sound of a violin. I must speak to Littleby about having the telephone removed. Not that it can possibly prolong Lamont's life much farther. His death is only a question of hours."

Dean fell silent. Every thought that rose in his mind seemed to rebound against a wall of rock. Feeling that he could not decently presume further on Ballinger's hospitality, he thanked the genial physician and took his leave.

"I've enjoyed our little chat," said the doctor, following him to the door. "It is stimulating to come in contact with a mind like yours."

Dean walked away from the house, could not be sure whether Dr. Ballinger had complimented him or given him a sly dig.

### A Midnight Visitor

Elevent o'clock had just struck when Dean, after a profitless day, reached Top O' the Hill. Light clouds were scattering the moon, and slowly moving shadows, vague and jagged of outline, covered the landscape.

All the way from New York he had been pursued by an impression that had come to him several times in the past 48 hours. As he walked away from police headquarters after another interview with Lieutenant Shane, he had looked back a number of times to see if any one were following. While waiting outside the ferry gates, surrounded by a crowd of suburbanites returning from the theater, he had been dimly aware of some one's covert scrutiny. The same tantalising feeling had been with him throughout the short journey, but at no time had he been able to trace the disturbing impression to its source. Now, as he stood on the porch and peered sharply into the shadows on all sides, he realized that he had been in a state of high mental tension for two days and that perhaps he was giving undue attention to trifles.

After a final glance he entered the house and went immediately to his bedroom, determined to give his mind a rest from arduous speculations. He turned on the light, undressed and picked up one of the books he usually read until he grew drowsy enough to sleep. The volume was of a kind that would ordinarily have exterted a soothing influence on his nerves, but tonight it had the opposite effect. Finally he laid down, turned out the light, opened the window wide and tried to compose himself for sleep.

But sleep would not come. While he lay listening to the whispers of the wind and watching the slow movements of lights and shadows across the floor his mind went back to the happenings of the last two days. The image of Lamont, hanging grimly to the fragile thread of life, flitted in and out of his consciousness. He could see little Viola Gray, a vision of disturbing loveliness and sinister contradictions. The distracting and inscrutable figure of Littleby paraded across his mental vision, fingering the ribbon attached to his pincenez while his long cottails fluttered in a breeze that seemed to have no definite origin. And there was Dr. Ballinger, unimaginative and addicted to facts, as a man of science should be, whose very candor and straightforwardness seemed to place an additional obstacle in front of Dean's search. Even the little notary, plump and red-cheeked, joined the procession of shadowy figures, but he quickly vanished from view.

Gradually his mental pictures grew blurred, and there were intervals when his mind seemed a blank. Sheer weariness was relaxing his tension of body and mind. His head settled deeper into the pillow, and finally he slept.

Outside the trees nodded drowsily in the breeze, dappling the ground with undulating shadows. The clouds thickened, the night grew darker, the landscape became as shapeless and unreal as Dean's dreams. The shadows lengthened till only a few scattered patches showed among the trees.

Dean stirred on his bed; for a few moments the rhythm of his breathing was broken, then he turned over on his side and slept again.

Among the trees outside a shadow came suddenly to life. Hither and thither, with furtive motions, it skipped lightly from trunk to trunk, now and then vanishing from sight in the darkness, then reappearing again a few yards nearer the house. By a zigzagging route it reached the open space in front, and then it dropped to the ground and crawled forward until lost among the shrubbery.

Once more Dean moved uneasily on his bed. In the midst of chaotic dreams, a fugitive sound came to him, leaving a trail of uncanny silence behind it. For a while its echoes lingered, stirring a vague disturbance in his drowsy brain, then he became aware of another and different sound, so intangible that he could not tell whether it was real or whether it belonged in his jumbled dreams.

Suddenly his eyelids fluttered open. He was quite certain now that a board in the stairs had creaked under some one's foot.

In an instant, fully awake, he lay on his back, listening. There was a gray blur at the windows; the curtains fluttered lazily in the night breeze; the dusk was vibrant with a multitude of slight sounds. Now he gazed fixedly in the direction of the door. A feeling for which he could not account told him that some one was standing outside.

He reached out a hand and took a pistol from the drawer of the table beside the bed. Then he lay flat on his back again, simulating the deep breathing of sound slumber. His right hand, clutching the weapon, hung over the side of the bed, partly shielded by the coverlet. A faint sound, scarcely distinguishable from the creaks of ancient timbers, told him that a hand was turning the doorknob.

Breathing steadily, but quiveringly alert, Dean continued to look in the direction of the door. Moments passed, and then a draft, accompanied by a slight squeaking of hinges, indicated that the door was being slowly opened. The curtains fluttered sportively as the two currents of air met, and then the abrupt cessation of the draft signified that the door had closed again. Dean waited, his fingers tightening round the pistol. The interruption of his night's repose and the stealthy approach of the intruder seemed but a fitting interlude in the solemn mockery of the last two days. At first he could see nothing, but gradually a blurred shape disentangled itself from the darkness. For a while it remained at the door, then moved forward with the stealth of a jungle creature approaching its prey.

Dean breathed as calmly and regularly as if immersed in sound sleep. Now the shadowy shape was at his bed; a pair of baneful eyes seemed to pierce the gloom. A hand prowled across the coverlet, reaching upward until it touched his face. The touch was repellent, but his only response was the slight stirring of a sleeper who is disturbed, but not awakened, by the sudden interruption of his dreams. A pause came, and now it required all his selfcontrol to remain still. A white gleam from the intruder's flishlight cut a narrow path through the darkness, causing a throbbing in the region of his eyes as it fell on his face. For a moment it was a torment to keep up the semblance of sleep. The white beam moved downward, along the side of his face and down to his throat, then paused directly over the scar.

A chuckle sounded hoarsely in the stillness. The man at the bed seemed to have recognised the scar. Dean had no time to ponder what it meant, for his astonishment was swallowed up in a sense of imminent danger. The white beam retreated, and he dared to open his eyes a narrow crack. A faint gleam, like a blade of steel, vibrated in the dusk. He felt the intruder's breath on his face, and in an instant his clenched fist shot out.

A startled yaup came, followed by the sound of a body staggering backward. Dean flung aside the coverlet and sat upright, one hand aiming the pistol at a blurred shape, the other reaching toward the lamp on the table.

"Steady, my friend," he calmly advised. "I have you covered."

(Continued tomorrow)

## The Reader's Opinion

The columns of The Record News are open to its readers for the discussion of questions of current interest or import. Letters should be not more than 500 words in length, preferably shorter, and should be signed with the name and address of the writer. Initials, or pen-name, will be substituted upon request. Letters must be free of personal abuse or libel, and the editor reserves the right to reject parts or all of letters.

Editor The Record News: A writer in The News says no person with good sense believes so and so, in his article Sept. 23, and that we must have a change in the liquor laws for the safety of our institutions and of our moral pretense. First, we will agree with the writer that most of the morals of the party at present is merely a pretense and that our institutions are fast falling into the same bad habit.

The people are becoming educated, my friend, and a few if not all of us know that law in all of its phrases does not prohibit and most of these political arguments and intense party contentions are nothing more than a political kite sent up to intensify the uneducated mind.

The 18th amendment seems to be the germ in diseased democracy. A little psychology and a little more faith would prove effective for we do believe it is a mental disorder in the minds of a few political brains. Who has burrowed beneath the surface of the political area and thrown up mole hills in which to roar? We have laws against murder in all of its degrees. Does the law prohibit? We have laws against theft, burglary, robbery, hijacking and various other felonies, and still our court dockets are full of these offenses. Why doesn't the party change these laws as well as the 17th amendment? They are very important and their enforcement is just as necessary for the protection, peace and tranquility of the people as any amendment or other law in the constitution of the United States.

When the 18th amendment became a law the penalty was also effective. To change and amend this law would create more and new technicalities and there is now so much in the laws that have been tampered with through political ego that it takes six months to convict a criminal after he has pleaded guilty.

We cannot realize the splendor of truth while playing with the gaudy and attractive toys of pretty hypothesis. Truth is not an opinion nor can any opinion enlarge or adorn it and the cleverest intellectual jugglery, while it may entertain and deceive the very elect, cannot in the slightest degree alter a fact or affect the nature of things as they are. Because of this the true statesman abandons the devious paths of hypothesis and deals only with the simplest facts of government fixing the attentions of its subjects upon these instead of increasing confusion and intensifying wordy warfare by foisting another assumption upon a government already lost in a maze of hypotheses.

The greed for power, publicity and recognition over the rights and privileges of others does not make the shores shine brighter nor the lamps any fuller when you check out and take the subway through that dark passage where publicity, dissension and some editors never go and as Emerson wrote, "My children on life's highways you will meet nothing worse than yourself." I believe once a man by the name of Cadmus, a king's son, did meet a dragon and slew him. Following the promptings of a soothsayer he knocked out the dragon's teeth and sowed them in the ground. He was astonished to see these peculiar seed spring up as fully armed warriors; spying him they started in his direction and so threatening they looked that Cadmus ran and hid among the trees, he threw stones among them until he started the warriors fighting among themselves so fiercely that they soon killed each other off. So when the prophet of old told his people, "It is thine own hand that smiteth thee," he uttered a truth that is world-wide in its application, and too many of us are like the little colored boy and the watermelon. An old gentleman seeing the difficulty the boy was having storing away such a large piece of melon stopped and said:

"Too much melon, isn't it, boy?"

"No, suh," replied the youngster earnestly, "just not enough nigah."

So let us stop throwing rocks before the old Democratic party destroys itself by its own hand, and try to take a slice in the affairs of democracy that isn't too large.

We want it understood that this is a friendly article and it is not our intention to enter into any controversy with any individual like unto the arrow that was shot into the sky; it fell to earth again, we knew not where; long years afterwards in the heart of an oak the arrow was found still unbroke.

—QUIVER.

Editor the Record News: In view of the excitement and agitation that has followed the tragic death of Nolte McElroy while going through the initiation ceremonies of the fraternity of which I am not only a graduate member but a member of the national governing board known as the Council, I ask your cooperation in placing the facts before the public to the end that justice may be done.

Bear in mind that this young man had all of the appearance of perfect physical manhood, six feet in height, an outstanding football and basketball player, who had been passed as in perfect condition just prior to the football game in which he played against a team on Saturday prior to his death Sunday evening. He sustained no injury in the game. No member of the athletic authorities or of the fraternity had ever heard of anything that would lead them to even suspect young McElroy had any defect or weakness or family trait which might produce his death under a moment of excitment. The electrical machine, a rheostat, had been carefully inspected and tested by an electrical engineer, and several of the boys had voluntarily received its full charge in the testing. Five of the initiates had been given this part of the initiation before young McElroy; he never received the full shock and had only stuck his head, one arm and a shoulder into the passageway through which he was going when he apparently fainted; the current was cut off instantly, he was removed, water was thrown in his face and, because of his peculiar breathing, artificial respiration was given, but seeing that this was availing nothing, his fraternity brothers rushed him to Seaton infirmary, just across the street from the house; all this was done in less than 15 minutes. Expert medical and nurse attention was given him, a pulmotor was used and injections of adrenalin was given by a physicain. He was breathing with labor when he was carried to the hospital. He never revived.

Immediately the boys called two university deans, the president, Judge William Pierson of the supreme court (a neighbor) and the district attorney. The boys asked for a complete investigation by the university and state authorities and not only left everything intact but 10 of them went through the experience of voluntarily taking the full voltage in order to test the current, and without the slightest ill effect. The situation was entirely cleared on yesterday when we met the parents, an older brother and two uncles, one of whom is a prominent physician. The older brother, who was a member of one of the Texas fraternities, upon being told of the particulars stated in substance that he passed through the same experience in his initiation and gave it to those who followed him while he was in college and he absolved the boys from blame, saying it was an unforseen happening and that had his brother gone through with it he in turn would be admisistering the same thing to those who followed him. The mother and father hold no ill will against the boys, but asked to meet them and the noble mother made the bravest, most beautiful talk to them prior to the funeral ceremonies to which I ever listened. The uncle who is a physician, in a conversation with the writer and Judge George W. Steere, of Fort Worth, when told the particulars, stated that his nephew was not electrocuted and that had he been rendered unconscious by the electric shock alone as the contributing force the means used would have revived him. And this uncle then told us that the boy's death came by reason of a constitutional family trait of which none of us had any notice, that a little brother just older than he, a child of perfect physique, between three and four years of age, dropped dead while playing in the home and in a moment of excitment. Had this been known to the boys, the tragedy would not, in all probability, have occured, as the chapter makes it an unbroken rule never to use any such character of initiation ceremony upon one who is known not to be physically perfect.

Bear in mind, Mr. Editor, that this character of initiation is used by several of the most prominent men's lodges in Texas and America and that college boys have borrowed this from us older men. I have gone through it several times and I feel that it is unnecessary to call the names of the orders who use it. I never saw and never heard of anyone sustaining any ill effects from it.

The college fraternity system is more than a hundred years old and mine is nearly 85 and never before has any such result or tragedy followed an initiation. There is too much that is good and great, noble and helpful in the college fraternity of America, and it is too wonderful an agency for the development of splendid manhood to let hysteria and prejudice seize upon any of us because of this tragic event, and cause us to do a great wrong and seek to abolish one of the most helpful agencies and beautiful traditions of the college world of America. Judge Marvin H. Brown, Fort Worth, Texas.

## The Record News Staff Poet

### A SONG TO A MOLAR

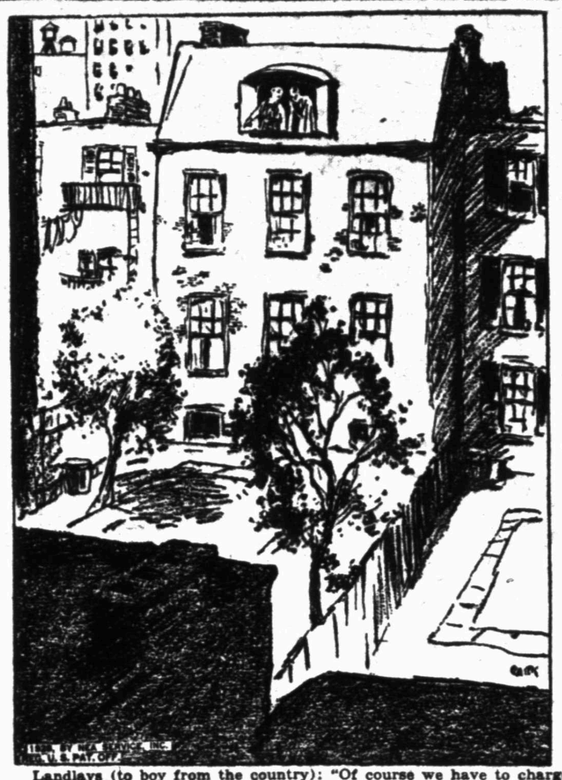
If your corn is hurting you;
If your ears are turning blue,
And you have a boil or two,
Pull your teeth.

If you have yourself gastritis,
Tonsils, pip, appendicitis,
Fallen arches, gout, Saint Vitus,
Pull your teeth.

Scientists have found it true
All you really need to do
To relieve the aches in you:—
Pull your teeth.

JOHN SELF ELLIOTT.

## SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



Landlays (to boy from the country): "Of course we have to charge a little extra fos such a view."

## 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 Mr. McCoy who can be addressed in care of this paper.**



**Any Day Is Fish Day**

It is probable that over two billion, two hundred thousand pounds of fish are used in North America each year. Even if the amount used were doubled or trebled it is unlikely that the available supply of fish would be exhausted for many years. There are now many government bureaus for the purpose of maintaining fish hatcheries to restock the edible fish in the rivers and lakes. This is an admirable measure of precaution since fish form a very valuable part of our dietary.

The composition of fish very closely resembles that of lean meat. The average fish is four-fifths water, contains about the same amount of protein as lean meat and, with the exception of salmon, herring and mackerel (fat fish), about the same amount of fat. The protein of fish is particularly valuable because it is free from any mixture with starch.

Fish is rich in potassium, phosphorus and sulphur, but is deficient in sodium, iron and silicon. For this reason a fish meal should always be accompanied by the leafy vegetable foods that are rich in the latter elements.

There is a popular superstition that fish is a brain stimulant because of the amount of phosphorus it contains, but this is errorneous since there is no more phosphorus in fish than there is in lean meat.

When buying fish one should avoid using those that do not have a bright appearance of the eyes and skin. The flesh should be so firm that the pressure of the finger will leave no indentation.

Fresh fish is easier to digest than that which has been pickled, smoked, dried or canned in oil. The fish with the finest texture is most easily digested.

The ordinary refrigerator is not cold enough to keep fish for any great length of time, and it is best to pack the fish as soon as possible in chipped ice and keep it there until it is ready to be cooked. Commercial shipments of fish are usually completely frozen and stored at a temperature of 5 to 10 degrees.

Fish is an inexpensive protein food that could be used many times per week. It is likely that if the public overcome the one-day-week idea about fish the price would be still further reduced, since there is considerable spoilage with only a one day market.

It is best not to use any starches with a fish meal, but as many cooked and raw non-starchy vegetables may be used as desired. No milk should be used with the fish meal, as this combination is apt to be particularly bad.

Fish may be boiled, grilled, baked, broiled, fried or stewed. Boiling, broiling and baking are the best methods to use, since they preserve all of the nourishing elements of the fish and do not interfere with its digestibility. Fried fish is apt to cause trouble with those who have dyspepsic tendencies. Fish when boiled in water should have salt added, as otherwise it becomes soft and breaks apart. You can make a very delicious fish soup by adding to the water in which it has been boiled a small amount of chopped parsley, dextrinized flour to thicken, and a lump of butter.

**Questions and Answers**

Question: K. H. Asks: "Will you tell me the cause of nervousness after doing various exercises before retiring at night? Is it some nervous trouble?"

Answer: It is best to take your exercises early in the evening at least an hour before going to bed, or better yet, do them before dinner. The exercises if taken just before going to bed will stimulate you so much that you will probably stay awake for an hour or so. They do not make you really nervous, but simply increase your strength and endurance to such an extent that you feel so much stronger and it is difficult to relax.

Question: D. G. writes: "I would like to know how a person is to know what to eat if he is not sure of what his trouble is, as even doctors do not agree on what the trouble is."

Answer: You will be perfectly safe in following the diet as recommended in my weekly menus which are published in this paper each Friday. Have as many diagnoses made as necessary until you find some physician who can properly analyze your case.

Question: A reader asks: "Would a continued moderate use of milk of magnesia (after meals) agument the hardening of the arteries?"

Answer: Hardening of the arteries is produced by the deposit of minerals in the arterial walls. The minerals in milk of magnesia can never reach the arteries, as they are inert substances and pass through the alimentary canal without being assimilated.

## FAVORITE JOKES OF FAMOUS FOLK

As Told by Them to
FRANK E. NICHOLSON

By JESSE CRAWFORD

Jesse Crawford has been acclaimed America's foremost pipe organist, which proves that he knows his controls. He is also the composer of many melodies, and, while Crawford is not record-breaker, he is a record-maker, having recently recorded his 100th phonograph disc.



Jesse Crawford

"I always get a kick," he told me, "when I think of the story about a traveling man who instructed the porter that he must leave the train at Cleveland, where he was due at 3 o'clock in the morning. He explained that violence might be necessary because he did not wake easily. He emphasized his instructions with a generous tip.

"The drummer awoke at 6 the following morning, with Cleveland far behind. In a rage he sought the porter. The darkey was in a highly disheveled state and his face was bruised badly. His eyes popped at the sight of the furious traveling man, who allowed no opportunity for explanations or excuses. When at last the outraged salesman went away the porter shook his head dismally and muttered:

"'Now, Ah shohly wonder whoall Ah done put off at Cleveland!'"

Jesse Crawford

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## Rumors Say Obregon's Insurers Refuse to Pay

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 7 (US)—The persistent myth circulating here that American companies had insured the life of General Alvaro Obregon for a million dollars and were now refusing to pay up has just been dispelled by Ignacio P. Gaxiola, executor of the Obregon estate.

Senor Don Gaxiola informed a Mexico City newspaper, in reply to an inquiry, that the only life insurance held by the late president-elect was a policy for $15,000, U. S. currency, in an American company and that this had been promptly paid to its beneficiaries, the widow and son.

## Estranged Wife Held Victim of Suicide

SANTA CRUZ, Calif., Oct. 7. (UP)—Mrs. Cora Mead, estranged wife of a Chicago manufacturer, died by her own hand, is the opinion of E. O. Heinrich, noted Berkeley criminologist, expressed here late today. Heinrich came to Santa Cruz to aid local authorities in their attempt to determine whether Mrs. Mead was murdered or committed suicide.

## Tillman County State Fair Prizes Received

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Oct. 7.—Awards in clothing and canning were received Saturday by Mrs. Susan B. Gray, home demonstration agent, won at the state fair last week by the Tillman County Farm Women's Federated clubs. Five dollars were received for each event.

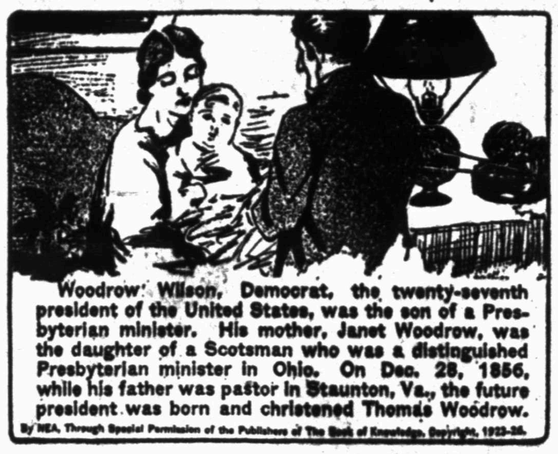
## Decrease in Postal Receipts Reported

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7. (UP)—Postal receipts for 50 selected cities totaled $29,261,087 for September, a decrease of $891,088 as compared to September, 1927, the postoffice department announced today.

## JUST KIDS By Ad Carter




## THE BOOK OF KNOWLEDGE (417) OUR PRESIDENTS



Woodrow Wilson, Democrat, the twenty-seventh president of the United States, was the son of a Presbyterian minister. His mother, Janet Woodrow, was the daughter of a Scotsman who was a distinguished Presbyterian minister in Ohio. On Dec. 28, 1856, while his father was pastor in Staunton, Va., the future president was born and christened Thomas Woodrow.

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There is little to tell of Wilson's childhood, except that he was a frail boy. Much of his teaching came from his father.



In 1874 young Wilson entered Davidson College, North Carolina, but his health broke down before the end of the year and he had to go home.



In 1875 Woodrow Wilson entered Princeton, where his father had studied before him. He was a good student, but also showed much interest in writing for the college papers, in debating and in athletics. Before his graduation in 1879 one of his articles on government was published in the International Review. Thereafter he studied law at the University of Virginia.

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## THE NEBBS By Sol Hess



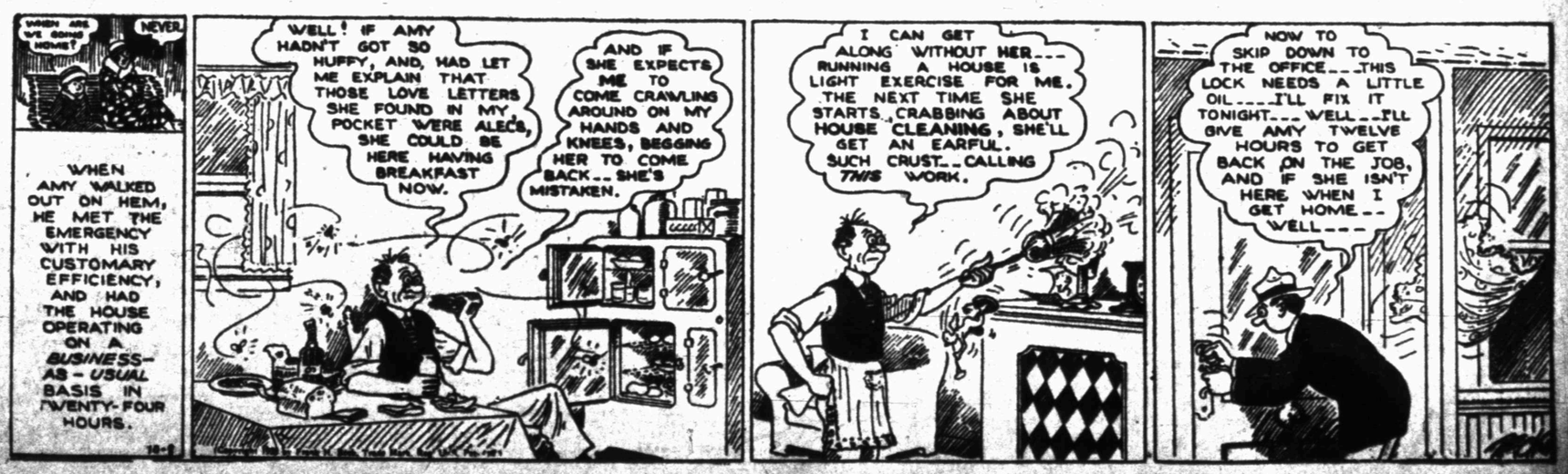

## DUMB DORA By Chic Young




## THIMBLE THEATER By Segar




## GAS BUGGIES By Frank Beck



# RAMPANT YANKEES STAMPEDE CARDINALS FOR DECISIVE WIN

## RUTH AND CO. VICTORS, 7 TO 3

### Cardinals' Erratic Playing Helps Hugmen Win

By FRANK GETTY

SPORTSMAN'S PARK, ST. LOUIS, Oct. 7. (UP) — The New York Yankees went rampaging right on down the straight road to victory and another world's championship today.

Apparently there's no stopping them in this world series. They fell upon the hapless St. Louis Cardinals, broke the hearts of 40,000 home fans by beating Big Jess Haines, and took the third game, 7 to 3.

A record crowd sat through a sunny afternoon with steadily sinking spirits, watching the faltering National league champions kick away a ball game which might have been won, and seeing for themselves a parade of New York Yankees around the base paths such as took place in the first two games at New York.

**Cards Start Scoring**

The Cardinals went into the game determined to redeem themselves in the eyes of the St. Louis fans, and started out after Zachary as though they would do so.

Infield singles by High and Frisch and a tremendous drive to the center field fence by Jim Bottomley scored two runs in the first inning and put the National league champions out in front for the first time in any game of the current series.

They weren't there long. Gehrig's first homer in the second started the Yankee pursuit, and his second, scoring the Babe ahead of him in the fourth, put the American leaguers in the lead.

The Cards made their dying bid in the fifth when Little Andy High cracked a double down the right field foul line, sending Taylor Douthit scurrying home.

**Cards Collapse**

Then, in the Yankee half of the sixth, the blow fell. This was the inning in which the Card's defense fell to pieces.

Mark Koenig started the festivities with a single to left but was forced at second when Ruth hit to Frisch. The play was so close that Mark kicked vigorously and even the partisan St. Louis fans agreed that "Brick" Owens seemed to have booted one.

Gehrig, having hit two homers already, was promptly presented with a pass, which brought up Bob Meusel, trouble maker in the opening game.

Meusel tapped an easy roller to Andy High and the fun was on. High threw to Frisch, forcing Gehrig, and an easy double play was in sight, but Big Lou spilled Frankie who tossed wildly to first after the collision.

**Babe Limps Home**

The ball got away from Bottomley for a minute, and Ruth, who had been making no particular gesture towards the plate, anticipating a double killing, was forced to limp hurriedly for home. Bottomley came up hurriedly with the ball and made a quick throw to Wilson but again some energetic Yankee elbows and beef were applied to the situation.

Ruth crashed into the St. Louis catcher, who dropped the ball in trying to tag the Babe.

That accounted for the first run of the inning. Wilson picked himself up and threw too hurriedly to second to catch Meusel, the ball going to center field and Meusel on to third.

**Yanks Work Double Steal**

Jess Haines, disconcerted by all this dizziness around him, walked Tony Lazzeri, and the third neat and effective base running effort of the inning followed.

With two out, Lazzeri started a steal of second, and Wilson took a chance, throwing to Frisch, who came in fast for the throw and relayed it back, but not soon enough to nip Meusel at the plate.

Following this double steal, Robertson poked a single past short, scoring Lazzeri and the damage was done.

The Yanks got one more run when Chick Hafey muffed Durst's fly to left center and Babe Ruth pulled a sharp single into right field.

| New York (A. L.)— | Ab | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Durst, cf | 5 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Koenig, ss | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Ruth, lf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Gehrig, 1b | 2 | 2 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Meusel, rf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lazzeri, 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Durocher, 2b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Robertson, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Bengough, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Zachary, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 7 | 7 | 27 | 9 | 2 |

| St. Louis (N. L.)— | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Douthit, cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| High, 3b | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Frisch, 2b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Bottomley, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| Hafey, lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Holm, rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilson, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 2 |
| Maranville, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Haines, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Johnson, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| xBlades | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rhem, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2xOrsatti | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 35 | 3 | 9 | 27 | 8 | 3 |

xBatted for Johnson in 7th.
2xBatted for Rhem in 9th.

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| New York | 010 203 100—7 |
| St. Louis | 200 010 000—3 |

Runs batted in—Ruth, Gehrig 3, Robertson, High, Bottomley 2. Two base hits—High. Three base hit—Bottomley. Home runs—Gehrig 2. Sacrifice—Frisch. Stolen bases—Meusel, Lazzeri. Double plays—High, Frisch and Bottomley; Koenig, Durocher and Gehrig. Left on base—New York 4, St. Louis 8. Base on balls—off Haines 3, (Gehrig, Meusel, Lazzeri); off Johnson 1 (Gehrig); off Zachary 1 (Frisch). Struck out—by Haines 3 (Meusel, Bengough, Zachary); by Johnson 1 (Meusel); by Rhem 1 (Durst); by Zachary 7 (High, Bottomley, Holm, Wilson 2, Blades, Orsatti). Hits—off Haines, 6 hits and 6 runs (3 earned) in six innings with 23 at bat; off Johnson 1 hit and one run (unearned) in one inning with five at bat; off Rhem, no hits and no runs in 2 innings with six at bat; off Zachary 3 earned runs. Hit by pitcher—by Zachary (Douthit). Losing pitcher—Haines. Umpires William A. McGowan (A. L.) at the plate; Charles H. Pfirman (N. L.) first base; Clarence B. Owens (A. L.) second base; Charles Rigler (N. L.) third base. Time—2:09.

## Grade Crossing Crash Kill Eight in Family

DELTA, Utah, Oct. 7 (AP)—Eight persons were reported killed when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a north bound Union Pacific train near here today. Those said to have been killed were Mr. and Mrs. Orison Erickson and their six children.

## Mustang Pilots



Bammy Reed (left) is quarterback and Ray Morrison head coach of the S. M. U. Mustangs, who meet Simmons university at Spudder park next Saturday.

## PONY-SIMMONS TICKETS READY

### Sale of Ducats for Saturday's Game on Today

Interest of football enthusiasts here turns to the game next Saturday at Spudder park, when the Southern Methodist university Mustangs clash with the Simmons university Cowboys. It was announced yesterday by the chamber of commerce, which is staging the game, that tickets for the contest will be placed on sale this morning at Renfro's Drug store at 9 o'clock. The tickets to be placed on sale are box and reserved seats, the prices of which range from $1.50 to $2.50.

The great stand of the Mustangs Saturday against the Army, in their 14-13 defeat and the excellent game played by Simmons against the Texas Christian Horned Frogs, in their 19 to 3 reversal, has greatly stimulated interest in the contest here and it is expected that a crowd of 10,000 will see Saturday's clash.

Simmons, coached by Frank Bridges, who won a Southwestern conference title at Baylor, is looming as one of the foremost teams in the state. The Abilene institution plans to make a bid for entrance into the Southwest conference within a year and their game here will be eyed closely as another indication of the class of their football team.

The S. M. U.-Simmons affair is the most important grid game ever played in Wichita Falls. If it is a success in its attendance it will be the forerunner of other big games to be played here.

## Country Boy Will Face Hall Again

### 32 Rounds of Boxing on Card Tomorrow Night

**ABOUT THE BOUTS**

Cyclone Hall vs. Country Boy Owens, 10 rounds.

Howard Scott vs. Bill Miller, 8 rounds.

Bud Griffin vs. Johnny Owens, 6 rounds.

Floyd Anderson vs. Red Williams, 4 rounds.

Little Boy Blue vs. Curley Robertson, 4 rounds.

Thirty-two scheduled rounds of boxing, with plenty of chances for some knockouts; that's the card for Tuesday night at Spudder park.

Headlining the card is a return engagement of 10 rounds between Cyclone Hall of Childress and Country Boy Owens of Wichita Falls. Hall won a technical knockout over Country Boy here several days ago.

The semi-final promises to be an equally fast battle between Howard Scott of Electra and Bill Miller of Fort Worth, who fought Joe Hooks to a draw recently.

A six-round preliminary will display Johnny Owens of Wichita Falls, brother of Country Boy, against Bud Griffin of Childress, stable mate of Cyclone Hall.

Floyd Anderson meets Red Williams and Little Boy Blue takes on Curley Robertson. West Texas pasperweight champion, in the two four-round courtain raisers.

## America Doomed if Smith Wins—McBride

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Oct. 7. (UP)—If liquor forces in the United States can win votes in the coming presidential election by silencing the church, then prohibition and "every progressive moral movement in America is doomed," F. Scott McBride, general superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, told a conference of the Methodist church here tonight.

**Dancers Pray for Breeze**

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 6. (UP)—Twenty-nine couples prayed for a cold wave here today as the mercury went up to 88 degrees at noon and as they passed their 27th hour in a local dance marathon.

The orchestra played for five hours, then quit. The dancers continued with phonograph music dreaming of $3,500 announced prizes and a promised trip to Tex Rickard's $50,000 endurance shindig in New York.

## DAILY DOPE

*By*

**LARRY DAILEY**

**THEY HAVE DISCOVERED** in the east that "out in the wide open places where men are MEN" is no myth. A football team from "out where the west begins" carried the colors of Southern Methodist university into glorious battle with the cadets of West Point last Saturday and when the game ended the Mustangs left the field with their colors still proudly flying. Defeated by failure to score a point after touchdown, 14 to 13 the Texans seored an impressive "moral victory." They played the veteran Army eleven, one of the foremost in the effete section, off their feet. They left no doubt but that they are equal to the best football played anywhere. Any lingering doubt that football as played in the southwest is equal to any football was dispelled by the superb play of the Ponies.

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**The colorful gruelling struggle of S. M. U. and Army was the outstanding game in a day of interesting football, marked by more than one upset. A Southwest conference club suffered in the reversal of form, when St. Edwards trounced Rice, 21 to 0. The fact the St. Edwards won wasn't so surprising, but the decisive score established against the Owls was entirely unexpected.**

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**DANA X. BIBLE'S** champion Texas Aggies indicated they will be sturdy contenders to repeat, by burying Sewanee under a 69 to 9 count. Simmons university Cowboys, foe here of S. M. U. next Saturday, indicated they will be worthy of the Mustangs' best by holding Texas Christians to a 19-3 count. Texas won over spirited opposition from Texas Tech, 12 to 0. Baylor ran a crusher over Trinity, 33 to 0 and Arkansas beat College of the Ozarks, 21 to 0.

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**CENTENARY**, one of the foremost southwestern elevens last year, was held to a 20-12 score by Daniel Baker college, a most impressive showing by the Texas collegians.

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**The greatest upheaval of so-called dope was the defeat of Michigan by Ohio Wesleyan. Not only was the defeat of the Wolverines a big upset, but the score, 17 to 7, left no doubt that the best team won. Wisconsin trounced Notre Dame, 22 to 6, indicating the Badgers will be leading the Big en contenders and that the Irish are not up to their usual hight standard. Indiana's strong team was fought to a 10 to 7 score by Oklahoma in another intersectional affair that showed a southwestern team in a most favorable light. Northwestern was held to 14-0 by Butler. Other Western conference elevens won their games without difficulty from more or less mediocre opposition.**

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**BO M'MILLAN'S** Kansas Aggies reversed a defeat of 1927 by trimming Oklahoma Aggies, 13 to 6. Nebraska beat Grinnell, 12 to 0 and Kansas held the long end of a 14 to 0 count with Grinnell in other important contests in the Missouri Valley district.

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**A SOUTHERN TEAM** repelled the invasion of an eastern squad when Vanderbilt whipped Colgate, 12 to 7. Georgia Tech beat Virginia Military institute, 7 to 0, while other foremost machines in the south were rolling up heavy scores.

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**Navy sustained its second straight loss when it was beaten by Boston college, 6 to 0, following its defeat the previous week by Davis and Elkins. Yale, Princeton and Harvard opened their schedules with decisive victories over teams of fair strength. Lehigh beat Penn Military academy, 14-7 and Penn State eked out a 12-0 win over Gettysburg, while the other games involving leading teams of the east resulted in topheavy scores. West Virginia trimmed Haskell Indians, 28 to 7.**

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**STANFORD**, rated in pre-season calculations as best of far western machines, was defeated by Oregon, 12 to 6. California beat St. Mary's by the margin of one touchdown, 7 to 0. Southern California beat Oregon State, 19 to 0.

## WICHITA YOUTH WITH SIMMONS

### 'Uncle' Joe Smith Former Star of Coyotes

Special to The Record News.

ABILENE, Texas, Oct. 7.—Simmons university will have available an entire set of veterans for the game next Saturday when the Cowboys trot out on the turf at Wichita Falls to take the field against the Southern Methodist university Mustangs, and it is likely that 10 of them will answer roll call for the first kickoff.

J. D. Harvey, backfield man from DeLeon, who did odd jobs about the field on the escond and third teams last fall and who was "found" by Coach Frank Bridges in spring training will be the eleventh man on the field wearing the spangles of the West Texas university.

Nolan "Skinny" Walker is the player who would complete the veteran team. He does his work at quarter or half, is an accurate passer and dangerous in a broken field. Altogether, Walter will be the biggest reserve threat of the Cowhands.

**Wichita Falls Boy**

Two members of the Simmons club are from the Wichita Falls territory. "Uncle" Joe Smith, towering blonde tackle, came to the Abilene institution from Wichita Falls, where he played on the only Coyote eleven ever to reach the state semi-finals. Smith will appear next Saturday in a new offensive role as ball carrier, for tackle-around plays are among the features of the attack of any Bridges coached team.

Commanding the Abilene gridiron forces will be Rufus Hyde, quarterback from Frederick, Okla. Hyde played with Frederick's great high school machine of 1925 that rolled up a total of 335 points against 3 by its opposition. He is doing his third term with Simmons, but the Pony tilt will be his first important game for the year. A foot injury kept him on the sidelines at Breckenridge Saturday.

The remainder of the starting club's personnel comes from the immediate Abilene territory, four having come up to the Cowboys from the Abilene Eagles, among the state leaders of interscholastic football.

**Captain Abilene Man**

Captain Otis "Red" Moore at left end was a star on the Abilene teams during the early days of the interscholastic league, a regular with the teams that in 1921 and 1922 reached the semi-finals of the race. He "made" the Rice freshman eleven for one season, but returned to Simmons and is serving in his third and last campaign with the Cowboys.

Haile Daniel, on the opposite end, is another Abilenian. This is his third year. His brother, Claude Daniel, a second-year man, probably will take over center against the Mustangs. Jim Jennings, 170-pound guard who has featured the line play of Simmons through the first three contests of the season, is another former Eagle.

Three members of the Anson Tigers, only class B school ever to lay claim to a state championship in its division, in 1926, are Simmons sophomores and are slated for starting duty. They are Bill Sanders, halfback and punter de luxe; Warren Ribble, guard, and Hardy Pearce, tackle, either of whom will rattle the Fairbanks around the 200 mark.

Wayne Davenport, burly halfback and a terror to Texas conference and T. I. A. A. lines for three seasons, is the single fourth man on the team. He performs at right half on the offense but changes position with Captain Moore at end on defense.

Coach Bridges will depend upon his first eleven for the iron man act, for enforcement of the Southwest conference one-year rule will prevent his use of freshmen and transfers in the S. M. U. game. While reserve talent for the day will be negligible, the starting squad will be at full strength.

Wichita Falls football patronage doubtless will see for their first time an eight-man line. Harvey, corresponding to the fullback on most teams, is Bridges' "line back." The Simmons coach, by this unique system, gets more power for quick opening line plays, provides a bigger puzzle for the opposing team in the question of eligible pass receivers, and get as much interference on end runs and off tackle plays with the line back and other forwards coming out of the line to clear the passage of tacklers.

## *East Is Thrilled By Ponies' Play*

### Never Such an Aerial Attack as That of S. M. U.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (AP)—It looks now as though Navy Bill Ingram was correct when he said he could not tell which of three teams was his varsity, that Knute Rockne had much reason for pre-season gloom, and the dopesters were right when they tagged the "dynamite" sign on the Southern Methodists of Dallas, Texas.

A wild and wooly football Saturday, replete with huge scores gave the East two distinct shocks, the first in Navy's second straight defeat of the season, this time by Boston college, 6 to 0, and the stirring battle the Southern Methodists made to lower Army's standards in the first intersectional meeting of East and Southwest. Army won 14 to 13, but only after facing such an aerial attack as the East never saw before.

**Upsets in Middle West**

The mid-west saw two upsets in the overwhelming defeat of Rockne's Roamers from Notre Dame by Wisconsin, 22 to 6, and Ohio Wesleyan's decisivie triumph over Michigan, 17 to 7. Indiana had a rugged time beating Oklahoma. After dropping a double header last Saturday, Chicago turned around and won two, beating Wyoming 47 to 0 and Lake Forest, 8 to 0.

Intersectional duels gained midseason speed as elevens throughout the nation came to grips with opponents more to their own calibre. Vanderbilt chalked one up in the Southern column with a 12 to 7 win over Colgate, but New York university evened the score by trouncing West Virginia Wesleyan 26 to 7 and Syracuse rolled up 22 points, shutting out William and Mary.

Harvard, Yale and Princeton got away to high powered starts, rolling up large scores. All seem headed for robust seasons. The big fellows on the Pacific coast ran into trouble here and there, California beating St. Mary's 7 to 0 while the University of Washington could do no better with Whitman. Stanford, beaten by the Olympic club last week, plastered Oregon 26 to 12.

**Great Are the Texans**

The East long will remember the first invasion of the Methodists' Mustangs. The Texans failed to tie Army only by the margin of one point after touchdown. Leading a bewildering attack of singles, double and triple lateral passes, Redman Hume, Mustang field general, threw close to 50 forward passes during the afternoon.

Time and again the Methodists failed to score by the margin of a fingertip as passes dropped into receivers' arms and out again with a clear field ahead. Hume tried a field goal from the 40 yard line and missed that by inches. To end the struggle that had the Cadets breathless throughout, the Mustangs raced 70 yards on three forwards. The final whistle blew as Sammy Reed grabbed the last one on Army's 15 yard line and then slipped and fell flat in his anxiety to get across the goal line.

## 45,000 Watch Sox Beat Cubs, 2 to 0

CHICAGO, Oct. 7. (AP)—Alphonse Thomas allowed but four scattered hits and the White Sox won the fifth game in the city championship series, 2 to 0, before an overflow crowd of 45,000 today. The series now stands three game to two in favor of the Cubs.

| Score: | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sox .....200 000 000—2 | 6 | 0 | |
| Cubs .....000 000 000—0 | 4 | 0 | |

Thomas and Berg; Malone, Root and Hartnett.

## Team Has All but One Game Away From Home

FINDLAY, Ohio, Oct.7. (AP)— Findlay college, champions of the Northwest Ohio conference in 1926, will have a football team as usual this season. But local fans will see little of it unless they spend most of the week-ends on the road.

Findlay has eight games this fall. Yet only one, the Bluffton battle Oct. 20, will be played on the home field. Trips will be made to Westerville, Dayton, Toledo, Adrian, Mich., Ashland, Defiance and Bowling Green.

## Notre Dame Undefeated At Home for 22 Years

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 7. (AP)—Twenty-two years without a defeat on Cartier field, the home gridiron, is just another of Notre Dame's football records.

In that time, the varsity has been tied on only one occasion, by Minnesota last year. The score was 7 to 7.

Three games will be played on Cartier field this year.

## *American League Teams Victors In 13 of 23 Series Since 1905*

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (AP)—The American league's entries have triumphed in 13 of the 23 world's series conflicts since 1905, but there is plenty of balm for the National league partisan in the championship record over this period.

In games won and lost the American leaguers have only a scant margin, six, while the two leagues are tied in total runs for 23 series.

The Yankees heaped humiliation on the senior circuit by trouncing the Pirates four in a row last year, but the National leaguers have three times been victorious without the loss of a single game. The Chicago Cubs smothered Detroit in 1907, the Boston Braves ran rough-shod over the Athletics in 1914 and the Giants overwhelmed the Yankees in 1922. Tie games in each of the 1907 and 1922 conflicts were the best the American leaguers could do.

Another outstanding fact in world's series history is that no Boston team ever has met defeat, the Red Sox hanging up four triumphs and the Braves one.

The records of games and runs since 1905:

| Year | Winning Club | G | R | Losing Club | G | R |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1905 | —New York Nationals | 4 | 15 | Philadelphia Americans | 1 | 3 |
| 1906 | —Chicago Americans | 4 | 22 | Chicago Nationals | 2 | 13 |
| *1907 | —Chicago Nationals | 4 | 19 | Detroit Americans | 0 | 6 |
| 1908 | —Chicago Nationals | 4 | 24 | Detroit Americans | 1 | 15 |
| 1909 | —Pittsburgh Nationals | 4 | 24 | Detroit Americans | 3 | 28 |
| 1910 | —Philadelphia Americans | 4 | 35 | Chicago Nationals | 1 | 15 |
| 1911 | —Philadelphia Americans | 4 | 37 | New York Nationals | 2 | 13 |
| *1912 | —Boston Americans | 4 | 25 | New York Nationals | 3 | 21 |
| 1913 | —Philadelphia Americans | 4 | 23 | New York Nationals | 1 | 15 |
| 1914 | —Boston Nationals | 4 | 16 | Philadelphia Americans | 0 | 6 |
| 1915 | —Boston Americans | 4 | 12 | Philadelphia Nationals | 1 | 10 |
| 1916 | —Boston Americans | 4 | 21 | Brooklyn Nationals | 1 | 12 |
| 1917 | —Chicago Americans | 4 | 21 | New York Nationals | 2 | 17 |
| 1918 | —Boston Americans | 4 | 9 | Chicago Nationals | 2 | 10 |
| 1919 | —Cincinnati Nationals | 5 | 35 | Chicago Americans | 3 | 20 |
| 1920 | —Cleveland Americans | 5 | 21 | Brooklyn Nationals | 2 | 8 |
| 1921 | —New York Nationals | 8 | 29 | New York Americans | 3 | 22 |
| *1922 | —New York Nationals | 4 | 18 | New York Americans | 0 | 11 |
| 1923 | —New York Americans | 4 | 30 | New York Nationals | 3 | 27 |
| 1924 | —Washington Americans | 4 | 26 | New York Nationals | 3 | 17 |
| 1925 | —Pittsburgh Nationals | 4 | 25 | Washington Americans | 3 | 26 |
| 1926 | —St. Louis Nationals | 4 | 31 | New York Americans | 3 | 21 |
| 1927 | —New York Americans | 4 | 23 | Pittsburgh Nationals | 0 | 10 |

SUMMARY

| | Series Won | Series Lost | Games Won | Games Lost | Total Runs |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| American League | 13 | 10 | 70 | 64 | 455 |
| National League | 10 | 13 | 64 | 70 | 483 |

*One Tie Game.

## A Tragedy of Golf




By O. B. KEELER

The tragedy of the 1928 national open championship at Olympia Fields was Roland Hancock, a boy of 22, a young professional at Wilmington, N. C., where his father, Paul Hancock, has one club and young Roland has another. This boy is a great golfer now and he will be greater in the future. He will very likely win an open championship or more, before his career is closed. And when he does, it will come as a fitting reward for the bitterest disappointment any youngster endured. But Roland Hancock never will have so brilliant a chance offered him by the gods of golf as the one at the close of the fourth round at Olympia Fields—the chance he missed.

As he stood on the tee of the 71st hole, two more to play, his tremendous spurt in that final round had left him with a par 4 and a par 5 for a 69; the only round of the tournament that good. He had gone out in 33, while masters and veterans like Bobby Jones and Walter Hagen and Willie Macfarlane, yielding under the terrific strain, had used 40 or more, to the turn. He was catching them all, and passing them. With a 4 and a 5, he would have gained eight mortal strokes in a single round on Bobby Jones—and the finishing round, at that. With a 5 and a 5, he would win the championship by a stroke. With a 5 and a 6 he would tie with Jones and Johnny Farrell.

The gallery was surging back, to finish with the winner, as it always does, when the winner seems obvious. Up in Bobby's room, I was telling him as he sat in a tub of hot water, that the Wilmington kid was as good as in.

"Great work," said Bobby; and he mustered a real grin.

But on the course some fans in the charging, frenzied gallery were shouting to Roland Hancock that he was a sure winner; they even started a cheer. "The new champion!"

The rest is sad history. The rampaging gallery; the sudden news; the silly slaps on the back—all took their toll, along with the furious strain of a last round.

Well—it was a 6 and a 6. And Hancock finished a stroke back of a tie . . . You can't have an omelet without breaking eggs, nor a championship without breaking hearts. This game boy will come again. But never with so spectacular a chance as that. Such an opportunity knocks but once.

## *Texas Meets Vanderbilt; Aggies Face Centenary on Grid Saturday*

### Baylor and Arkansas Play First Conference Contest; Mustangs and Simmons at Wichita Falls

DALLAS, Oct. 7. (AP)—Now that the Mustangs of Southern Methodist university have convinced the world at large that the Southwest conference is no longer a flag station on the football map, members of the circuit can go about their work this week with more assurance.

Convinced that this intersectional stuff is a good thing, two conference outfits will take another fling at it Saturday. The Texas Longhorns, who wore themselves down beating Texas Tech 12 to 0 in their last engagement, will tackle the Vanderbilt Commodores at Dallas, while the Aggies, who looked hotter than a blazing beard in bowling over Sewanee, 69 to 0, are due to entertain the Centenary college Gentlemen of Shreveport at College Station.

Those are the outstanding spectacles coming up this week. While all the excitement is going on the Baylor Bears and Arkansas Razorbacks are preparing to sneak over to Texarkana and pry open the conference season a week ahead of their playmates. This conflict may be expected to prove whether all the fanfare about the Bruins can be taken seriously.

**Baylor Impresses**

Critics who saw the Bears scuttle the Trinity university Tigers, 33 to 0, Saturday were quite impressed with Coach Jennings' outfit. They say it is the best thing seen around the Waco institution since 1924. Arkansas, despite its 21 to 0 win over the College of the Ozarks last week, still is an unknown quantity.

The Mustangs, who deserve a rest or something after the glorious sortie against the ramparts of West Point, will get back home just in time to pick up a fresh supply of linen before hitting the trail again. They are dated with the rough Simmons University Cowboys Saturday over at Wichita Falls. The idea of traveling around and playing the towns that don't get to see college football as a rule seems quite prevalent this year.

Although nosed out, 14 to 13, by the Cadets in as hair raising a battle as the east ever saw, the Ponies will be given a rousing reception when they return to the old hearth stone Tuesday night. Red flares and all that sort of thing.

They should not be overly pressed in routing the Simmons contingent. The Texas Christian University Horned Frogs handed Coach Bridges' outfit a 19 to 3 licking in another of Saturday's tilts.

The Frogs this week will encounter the Austin College Kangaroos at Fort Worth. It should be another easy spot for the Christians, who, although regarded a weak sister, have managed to polish off their first two rivals with commendable ease.

Another trouncing seems not unlikely this week for the Rice institute Owls, who are making a seventh team in the conference this year much in the order of a fourth hand at bridge. Whatever mystery hung over the Owls' chances of getting anywhere was cleared up rather forcefully when the St. Edwards' University Saints, a Texas conference outfit, knocked them off their perch 31 to 0. This was, so far as anybody has been able to find out, the most humiliating experience ever undergone by a conference team. But to get back to the subject, the Trinity University Tigers are going down to Houston after the Owls this week, and they are exceeding apt to take up right where the Saints left off.

For those who like to size up their slubs along in the first chapter, the fact sticks out like a sore thumb that the Aggies and Mustangs again are the class of the conference. The Farmers displayed tremendous power, both on offense and defense, in their 60-0 victory over the Tigers of old Sewanee. Burgess and Conover, veterans of the Aggie backfield, ran wild behind the usual staunch Bible line, and a younger brother of the Aggie mentor, playing his first year in the conference, showed unusual promise as a ball toter.

**No Doubt About Ponies**

As for the Ponies, the fact that they held the Army to the margin of a single point, and, according to all accounts, outplayed Coach "Biff" Jones' stalwarts at least a good part of the game, leaves no doubt of their ability. All they lacked at West Point was the ability to hold on to the ball, and they will have plenty of that interesting little feature drilled into them before they enter their conference schedule.

Outside of the Farmers and the Mustangs there are only two teams that have shown enough so far to be ranked as contenders. Texas and Baylor.

Baylor, with what is admittedly the finest crop of first-year men seen in the conference in years, still is a potentially powerful outfit, but it remains to be seen whether Coach Jennings' youngsters will stand the gaff against conference teams.

## YANKEES NEAR ANOTHER TITLE

### Hoyt Is Expected to Make It Four Straight Today

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more to loopholes in the Yankee defense than their own efforts, the Cardinals tossed the game away with a wild and wooly exhibition in the sixth. After six stormy innings, Jesse Haines, sage of Phillipsburg, Ohio, gave it up as a bad job and retired, along the beaten path that Sherdel and Alexander had trod before him.

**Zachary Is Master**

The Yankees emerged triumphant behind the masterful pitching of the veteran southpaw, Tom Zachary, and because the big punch still is in the bats of Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig. These two factors enabled them to win in spite of one of the worst defensive exhibitions a world's champion club has ever given, a slipshod brand of support that helped the Cardinals gain an early lead and remain in the running until the sixth inning. The Yankee defense was bad enough but the Cardinals' fielding was worse in the fatal sixth, when one of the most unusual of series of events, a double error, by the usually dependable catcher, Jimmy Wilson, contributed to the decisive three run rally of the invaders.

Where that other old timer, Alexander, had failed to show anything like his past world series form, Zachary came back with flying colors to win the third championship game of his 31-year career. The veteran portsider, cast about during the past few years, joining the Yankees only last August, twirled as craftily and brilliantly as he did four years ago in twice baffling the New York Giants for Washington.

The Cardinals collected nine hits off Zachary, but at least five of these were scratchy and after the first inning, when the Red Birds got off to a two run lead on Bottomley's triple, old Tom had complete command of the situation.

## Reserve Banks Offer New Treasury Series

DALLAS, Oct. 7. — Beginning Monday the treasury is offering through federal reserve banks an issue of 11 months, 4¾ per cent treasury certificates of indebtedness of series TS1929, dated and bearing interest from Oct. 15, 1928, and maturing Sept. 15, 1929.

The amount of the offering is $300,000,000 or thereabouts. Applications will be received at federal reserve banks. Bearer certificates will be issued in denominations of $500, $1000, $5000, $10,000 and $100,000. The certificates will have two interest coupons attached, payable March 15 and Sept. 15, 1929.







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The Times reserves the right to classify all Classified Ads under the appropriate headlines and to revise or to withhold from publication any ads deemed objectionable.

**3. PERSONAL**

BATTLE CREEK BATHS, radium cabinet treatments. 1315 Eighteenth street. Dial 7840.

MADAM YOUNG, reliable spiritual and business reader. 1402 Lamar. 2-1340.

**BEAUTY PARLORS**

FRENCH oil permanent waves $5. Formerly located 1604 Collins. Mrs. Johnson. 1607 Tenth. Phone 2-4973.

EUGENE Permanents, $7.50; shampoo and marcell, $1.00. Florence's Beauty Shop, Fifteenth and Holliday. Phone 2-4515.

SPECIAL prices on hair tinting, facials and peeling scalp this week only. Mrs. Eastwood, 9514, Kimberlin's.

**5. LOST AND FOUND**

LOST—Liver and white bird puppy, six months' old, between Polk and six miles out on Seymour road. Reward. Phone 3701.

FINDER brown leather wallet Saturday, keep $30 therein, mail wallet, papers and key to Times, Wichita Falls, Texas.

LOST—Lady's purse containing $65 or $70, between Electra and Wichita Falls; purse also contained medals from St. Joseph college in Chickasha, Okla. Finder please notify Mrs. Grace Scott, Electra, Texas, Rose Beauty Shop, for reward.

LOST—Brown Jersey cow. Phone 2-0155. 7032. Reward.

LOST—Saturday night, black leather billfold, containing currency, check and receipts. Reward for return to Ira O. Trowbridge, care Wooten Grocery Co.

**6. EDUCATION and INSTRUCTION**

MEN—Learn a profitable profession, barbering. Moler's endorsed by Master Barber Ass'n., who control best shops everywhere. Write Moler College, 912 Main street, Dallas.

**7. NURSERY**

CHILDREN cared for at home in home of experienced mother. Phone 9737.

**8. MALE HELP WANTED**

WE CAN SHOW you positive evidence that our representatives are earning from $100 to $250 per month. If you are looking for permanent, profitable work, apply 200 Perkins-Snider building. Ask for Mr. Gooding.

COULD you be a "Fuller" man? Our new premium plan is a winner, and our sales per man are the highest in the history of the company. For interview phone 6780 or call 917 Staley Bldg., after 3 p. m.

**9. FEMALE HELP WANTED**

MARVI SCHOOL of Beauty Culture; position guaranteed. For particulars of our six weeks' course call 1817 Ninth. Phone 2-1884. Free marcels.

SERVANT'S house for money rent, all bills paid. 802 Grace.

FURNISHED servant room in exchange for laundry. 1818 Eleventh.

MANION BEAUTY SCHOOL, special six weeks' course, position guaranteed. Free marcels. 1610 Lucile. Phone 2-3864.

NEW TWO-ROOM servant house, rear 1820 Eighth street; modern.

WANTED—Colored servant. Apply at 1811 Garfield. Have servant quarters.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms in exchange for housework. White only. 704 Travis.

FOR RENT—Brick servants' house, practically new, $5 per week. 1811 Eighth.

GIRLS wishing factory work register now for coming position. Apply Rogers & Co., 302 Sixth street.

TWO-ROOM servant house, for money rent. Working couple preferred. 1607 Tenth.

TWO-ROOM servant house, modern, close-in. 1307 Eleventh street.

WANT A CLERK. Studio hotel; must have switchboard experience and give good references.

**10. MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED**

WANTED—Marathon dancers, over One Thousand dollars in prizes. No entrance fee. Apply room 42 American hotel.

**11. SALESMEN WANTED**

WANTED—Real salesmen who want to make real money. Apply 1005 Eighth street.

**14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE**

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

STENOGRAPHER now employed desires change. Six years' experience banking and oil. Box 84, care Times.

LAUNDRY WORK, 8c pound; called for and delivered. Phone 7812.

LAUNDRY, three dozen, 50 cents, guaranteed work. 808 Travis, rear. Phone 7961.

LAUNDRY—Three dozen, 50c; blankets, 20c. 711 Austin. Phone 2-1836.

YOUNG LADY desires stenographic position, permanent or temporary, two years' experience. Phone 8600 or 2-3978.

LAUNDRY, three dozen 50c; blankets 20c. 1609 Bluff. Phone 2-1084.

WANTED—Stenographic work, will call for and deliver. Rates reasonable. Work guaranteed. Dial 2-1848.

EXPERIENCED housekeeper desires work in motherless home, or gentleman. Mrs. Ada B. Edge, route 5, Nocona, Texas.

ROUGH DRY laundry 8c pound, flat work 8c and 4c pound. Men's shirts finished 12c, family finish 75c dozen, quilts and blankets 25c. Phone 2-1318.

**16. ROOM AND BOARD**

DESIRABLE south room for men; meals if desired. 1108 Travis.

NICE CLEAN bedroom, gentlemen, two meals if desired. 1306 Austin.

FAIRVIEW HOTEL, 1112 Scott, bedrooms with or without board.

WANTED—36 boarders at 904 Lamar, under new management; good meals served family style.

ATTRACTIVE bedroom in private home, two meals; convenient to Crockett and Sam Houston schools. Phone 9417.

ROOM AND BOARD in private home, cheap. Phone 6619.

NICE, CLEAN rooms, good meals, served family style. Under new management. 700 Austin.

NICE LARGE front bedroom, three meals a day; $8.50; walking distance of town. 1205 Burnett.

**17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT**

NICELY FURNISHED bedrooms, all new furniture, modern conveniences, to men only, reasonable rates. 710½ Seventh. Apply Mrs. Bishop, 816 Ohio.

LARGE SOUTH room, close in, modern, two men. 1606 Tenth.

TWO NICELY furnished bedrooms in new home, private entrance, garage, gentlemen preferred. 2107 Ninth.

NICELY furnished bedrooms, reasonable. 1715 Huff avenue; private home.

DESIRABLE location, beautifully furnished, south bedroom, near car and bus; garage. 1711 Polk.

NICE SOUTH bedroom, all modern conveniences. Phone 5752. 1200 Burnett.

NICE BEDROOMS, modern, garage. Reasonable. 803 Brook. Phone 3643.

FIRST CLASS room in private home; gentlemen only. 1206 Eleventh.

BEAUTIFUL bedroom, adjoining bath; garage; $4 week. Phone 2-4278.

BEDROOM, adjoining bath, telephone, garage, reasonable, gentleman. 1619 Eleventh.

IN PRIVATE home front bedroom, convenient to bath. 1302 Burnett.

YOUNG LADY to share bedroom. 1108 Burnett. Phone 5141.

FOR RENT—Nice bedroom, gentlemen. Phone 9305. 1004 Austin.

SOUTHEAST front bedroom, private entrance, for two persons. 814 Bluff.

NICELY furnished south front bedroom, private entrance, adjoining bath. 1804 Huff. Phone 9952. Reference exchanged.

ROOM TO MAN, good winter location, every convenience. 1302 Marshall. Phone 5615.

NICE FRONT bedroom, convenient to bath; garage. 1010 Fourteenth. Phone 6632.

COMFORTABLE bedroom for gentlemen; close in. 1414 Eleventh. Phone 3221.

SMALL COMFORTABLY furnished front bedroom, reasonable, close-in. 1300 Tenth street.

FRONT BEDROOM, men only. 805 Broad. Phone 6240.

**18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS**

YOUR CHOICE

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TWO LARGE southeast rooms, nicely furnished, modern. 1212 Holliday.

ONE HOUSEKEEPING room, private entrance, garage. 2208 Ninth. Phone 9711.

TWO NICELY furnished south rooms, garage; to adults. 1406 Monroe.

TWO FURNISHED rooms and garage, $15. Phone 8381. 2000 Fifth.

TWO FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms; adults only. 1502 Bluff.

TWO OR THREE light housekeeping rooms, with garage, $7 per week. 1514 Tenth.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING rooms. 1319 Eleventh. Private entrances; close in.

TWO NICELY furnished housekeeping rooms. $5.00 per week. Bills paid. 413 Virginia.

TWO NICELY furnished rooms, private entrance, pavement, $15. 2511 Princeton.

TWO LARGE housekeeping rooms, furnished. Near school; reasonable. 1208 Sixth.

THREE NICE rooms furnished or unfurnished, built-ins. 1504 Westlake drive. Phone 2-1087.

SERVANT house in exchange for laundry work; two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. 1644 Elizabeth. Phone 3686.

FOUR UNFURNISHED rooms, garage, $30, bills paid, pavement. 2901 Cumberland.

TWO FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms, near car line. 1318 N. 4th.

TWO LARGE furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1511 Seventh street. Phone 6789.

TWO NICELY furnished rooms; also one front room. 308 Burnett.

**19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT**

NEW THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, private bath, garage. 2100 Ninth.

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NICELY furnished duplex apartment, garage, adults, 1617 Eleventh. Phone 8626-6946.

THREE-ROOM apartment, nicely furnished, clean; rent reasonable. 1310 Eighth.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished 4-room apartment, over garage. 1612½ Fourteenth.

TWO-ROOM garage apartment, 700 N. Lamar. Phone 2-1888.

FOR RENT—Three rooms partly furnished in duplex, on pavement, with garage. 1650 McGregor street. Phone 2-1936.

TWO FURNISHED rooms and 5-room unfurnished duplex. Phone 2-1373.

NICE 4-ROOM unfurnished apartment, separate baths; $30. Phone 8080.

FOUR-ROOM apartment, furnished lovely, with two bedrooms. 1633 Eleventh street.

DUPLEX apartment, especially suitable for working couple. 2106 Brown street. Phone 7082.

NICELY furnished duplex, modern features, garage. 1605½ Broad. Phone 8932.

UNFURNISHED apartment, four rooms, dressing room and bath. Must be seen to be appreciated. Phone 7803. 1623 Eleventh.

MODERN furnished apartment, 1304 Seventh, between Polk and Taylor. Phone 4753; adults.

APARTMENTS nicely furnished to rent. Call 8730 tomorrow. Rent will be fair. Bills paid. 1512 Eighth street.

FOUR-ROOM duplex apartment. 1407 Holliday. Phone 6136.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, to couple, bills paid. 1510 Thirteenth.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment employed couple, also bedroom. 800 Taylor.

EXCEPTIONALLY attractive furnished duplex, responsible people. 2149 Avenue L.

**19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT**

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, sink, garage, on pavement, private entrances. 3007 York. Phone 3244.

2108 JONES, one-half duplex, garage; $30. Phone 4484 or 3748.

ONE-HALF duplex, three rooms, breakfast nook, private bath. Call at 1908 Collins or phone 2-1046.

WELL LOCATED, nicely furnished two, three or four rooms, with garage; reasonable; adults. Phone 3668.

THREE-ROOM apartment, nicely furnished, private bath; and a two-room apartment, community bath. 1310 Eighth.

DUPLEX with two three-room apartments, neatly furnished, rent reasonable. 1310 Eighth.

THREE-ROOM furnished garage apartment; modern; clean; Taylor street. Phone 9654.

ATTRACTIVE thoroughly clean unfurnished duplex; modern. Phone 8635. 1806 Buchanan.

TWO FURNISHED rooms, also three unfurnished over garage. 1312 Broad.

FURNISHED two-room apartment and garage. Couple preferred. 1600 Fillmore.

MODERN furnished three-room apartment, downstairs. 1633 Elizabeth.

THREE-ROOM apartment, 2404 Kemp, newly papered, garage, $30; 4-room garage apartment, $10; 3-room house, rear 2113 Eighth, $12. Phone 7731.

NICE THREE-ROOM apartment, adults, garage; front entrance. 1512 Twelfth.

SIX-ROOM duplex, near pavement, $35. 603 Denver. Phone 2-1404.

THREE-ROOM unfurnished apartment at 1517 Ninth. Phone 9886-9441.

NICELY furnished 4-room bungalow court; adults; $45. Phone 2-4785.

CLOSE IN furnished apartment, in private family. 708 Austin.

WHY NOT be comfortable in a steam heated apartment this winter? $40 per month. Floral Apartments, 1307 Buchanan street.

FURNISHED, 1-room, cool apartment; bills paid. 1305 Eleventh.

THREE NICELY furnished rooms, bath, pavement; garage. 1204 Marshall. Phone 4766.

UPSTAIRS apartment, furnished, front entrance, pavement; telephone; bills paid; $25. 1206 Sixteenth.

NORTHEAST second floor, Polhemus apartment. Phone 5802. 1679 Speedway.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment. 1313 Burnett. Phone 6551.

FOR RENT—One and two-room furnished apartments. Phone 7845.

EAST SIDE of duplex, four large rooms, closets, fireplace, built-in features and garage; near Junior college. Phone 7827 or 5786.

NICELY furnished apartment. 1825 Collins.

FOR RENT—In new brick apartment house, three-room newly furnished apartment with private bath; also 4-room garage apartment. L. W. Tarkenton & Son. Phone 3965 and 7196.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, sink, garage, on pavement. 3007 York. Phone 3244.

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished brick duplex, south side. Call 5707.

NICELY furnished three-room duplex. Private bath; close in. 1517 Seventh. Phone 9218.

**20. HOUSES FOR RENT**

FOR RENT

New five-room brick at 1606 Beverly Drive, $50.

New five-room cottage, 2109 Sheppard street, $35.

New five-room house at 2807 Avenue J, $25.

Two four-room apartments, unfurnished. Tucker & Tucker, realtors. Phone 4437

800 WICHITA $30; 513 Holliday, $35; 1201 Sixth street $30. Call Wichita laundry. 7171.

MODERN 6-room house, 1607 Austin. Phone 6513-6492.

SEVERAL NICE houses for rent reasonably. Call Ammann & Jordan, 5480.

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, splendid condition. 808 Brook. Phones 5444-4616.

TWO HOUSES in Almo, Zundelowitz and college district. Phone 5384.

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, four bedrooms, tile bath, servant house and garage. 1515 Tenth. Phone 7500.

SIX-ROOM home, street paved, located 1909 Taylor. Call 8521—2-4179.

CLOSE IN nicely furnished six-room house, $55. Phone 2-4785.

1706 BURNETT, five rooms, sleeping porch, breakfast room, built-ins. Phone 5640.

PHONE ME—: WILL BE GLAD TO GIVE OUR SPECIAL RATES ON CLASSIFIED ADS. DIAL 4391.

FOUR-ROOM duplex house, modern 2112 Bluff; also 7-room house, 2221 Harvard. Phone 7919.

FOUR-ROOM house furnished, $36. 1808 Britain. Phone 8080.

FIVE-ROOM furnished house, $40. 1808 Kemp. Phone 9777.

UNFURNISHED house, 3 rooms and bath, modern, private, fine neighborhood; references required. 2415 Avenue B. Phone 7800-7447.

1301 TAYLOR, five-room house, extra large living room. Close to schools and church. Reasonable rent. Call 8956-4680.

FURNISHED and unfurnished apartment. Also five-room houses. W. S. Curlee. Phone 4117.

MODERN 5-ROOM cottage and garage, near junior college. Call 5309.

SIX ROOMS, modern, 2143 Avenue E. Phone 9667.

FURNISHED 2-room modern yard house; $20; bills paid. 1308 Seventeenth.

SEVEN-ROOM modern unfurnished house, garage. Corner Eighth and Holliday; rent reasonable.

UNFURNISHED modern 6-room house, 2910 Cumberland, two blocks from school double garage. Call 5103.

FOR RENT—Five-room modern cottage, double garage and servant's house. 2008 Tenth. Phone 5422.

FIVE-ROOM furnished home. 1405 Polk. Phone 3965 or 7196.

FOUR ROOMS and glassed-in sleeping porch. Modern, garage, pavement. Three blocks of junior college. 1706 Harrison. Phone 7453; $35.

1516 FOURTEENTH street, six rooms and breakfast. Convenient to school, market and busline.

NICELY furnished two-room house, in rear, to white couple. 1644 Lucile.

FOUR-ROOM cottage, two porches, garage, soft well water, telephone, electricity, gas; close in. Rent $20 per month. Phone 7442.

2006 EIGHTH, LARGE six-room home, double garage, $40. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

FIVE-ROOM house completely furnished on pavement. Phone 8080.

FOUR-ROOM modern house, rent reasonable. 1407 24th street. Phone 2-1946

FIVE ROOM furnished house, 3 blocks from Junior College. Phone 9727.

NICELY furnished home, convenient to college, Zundelowitz school, bus and car-line. Call 7758 or 3041.

**22. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT OR LEASE**

FOR RENT—Warehouse, Fourth and Ohio, 150x50; $100 per month; cement floor, space is partitioned, part can be sublet; three entrances. Hamilton-Martin, 818 Hamilton Bldg. Phone 2-1125.

**26. WANTED TO RENT**

RENT OR BUY six-room home, Reagan school district. Phone 4375.

**28. HOUSEHOLD GOODS**

WE HAVE bargains in the following second-hand goods: 12 kitchen cabinets, 15 gas and oil stoves, two player pianos, six sewing machines, 40 heaters. Would like to trade for used furniture. Patton Mattress and Furniture company, 402 Indiana. Phone 9930.

**29. FURNITURE FOR SALE**

FOR LACK of space we offer this week a great reduction in prices on new and used furniture. Terms if desired. Doell & Weill Furniture Co. 720 Seventh street. Phone 4720.

# Poor, Worn Out Shoes

. . . THEY would not now be in need of repair—and their owner would have been saved many wear steps—if he had used the Classified Rental Ads in these columns to locate the room, house or apartment he was seeking to rent.

THIS situation can be avoided very easily by reading the lists of Rentals listed below—selecting the place that suits you best—and getting in touch with the advertiser.

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**29. FURNITURE FOR SALE**

LET US SELL you one of the following high grade, guaranteed mattresses in exchange for furniture. "Real Rest," Kapok, Nachman inner spring. Patton Mattress and Furniture company, 402 Indiana avenue. Phone 9930.

FOR SALE—Practically new furniture for rooming house. 613½ Eighth street. Phone 2-0172.

BARGAIN in complete three rooms of furniture. Will sell all together or by piece. 1911 Buchanan.

FOR SALE—Good ice box. Also two gas cook stoves. Call 7845.

EIGHT-PIECE walnut dining-room suite, also Victrola, cheap. Call 3506.

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**526—KYW Chicago—570**
5:30—Uncle Bob
6:00—Orchestra
6:30—Pianologue; Shoe Prince
7:00—Dinner concert
7:30—Uptown Chicago
8:00—Music
8:30—Real Folks
9:00—Concert orchestra
10:15—Orchestras; Insomnia club

**416.4—WGN Chicago—720**
6:10—Quin; ensemble; Almanak
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—Recital
10:00—Features; popular (2 hours)

**344.6—WLS Chicago—870**
6:30—Sports time
7:00—Tony's scrap book
7:30—Angelus; tenor
8:00—Water Witches
8:30—German radio program
9:00—International revue
9:30—WLS hippodrome

**447.5—WMAQ Chicago—670**
5:15—Topsy Turvy; orchestras
7:00—Couriers; orchestra
8:00—Columbia programs
9:00—Democratic national committee
9:30—Captivators; Amos and Andy
10:15—Concert orchestra
11:00—Dance music (2 hours)

**428.3—WLW Cincinnati—700**
6:30—Songs of twilight
7:00—Burnt Corkers
8:00—Music; Real Folks
9:00—Norine Giddons; organ
10:00—Dance music

**361.2—WSAI Cincinnati—830**
6:15—Dinner music; organ
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—Pianos; Boss Herbert

**399.8—WTAM Cleveland—750**
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—General Motors party
9:00—Dance music

**440.9—WCX-WJR Detroit—680**
6:00—Minstrels
6:30—Roxy and His Gang
8:00—Music; Real Folks
9:00—Carnival Capers
10:15—Easy chair

**352.7—WWJ Detroit—850**
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—National grand opera

**370.2—WDAF Kansas City—810**
5:30—School of the air
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—Amos and Andy
11:45—Nighthawks

**293.9—WTMJ Milwaukee—1020**
6:00—Organ; orchestra; talk
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Songs; band concert
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—Studio; Jack Turner
10:30—Orchestra; club; orchestra

**405.2—WCCO Minneapolis-St. Paul—740**
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Musical program
8:00—Music
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—Hamline university
10:05—Walter Mallory

**508—WOW Omaha—590**
6:00—Studio program
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Violin and piano
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—National grand opera

**545.1—KSD St. Louis—550**
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—National grand opera

**220.4—KSTP St. Paul—1360**
7:00—Melody Musketeers
8:00—Vodvil; Gov. Christianson talk
9:00—Musical feature
10:10—Rayfoto; feature
11:30—Organ recital

SOUTHERN

**475.9—WSB Atlanta—630**
6:30—Roxy and His Gang
7:00—Republican national committee
8:00—Music
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—Foundation program
10:45—Orchestra

**461.3—KRLD Dallas—650**
7:00—Automotive trades hour
9:00—Musical
11:00—Music

**499.7—KTHS Hot Springs—600**
9:00—Orchestra
10:15—Vocal; specialties

**293.9—KPRC Houston—1020**
7:00—Republican national committee
8:30—General Motors party

**340.7—WJAX Jacksonville—880**
7:00—Trio
8:00—Recital
8:30—General Motors party
10:00—Organ recital

**322.4—WHAS Louisville—930**
6:30—Orchestra
7:00—Republican national committee
7:30—Studio; music
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—National grand opera
10:00—Soprano; dance music

**516.9—WMC Memphis—580**
7:00—Republican national committee
8:00—Music
8:30—General Motors party

**336.9—WSM Nashville—890**
6:30—Roxy and His Gang
7:00—Republican national committee
8:00—Music
8:30—General Motors party
9:30—Studio program

**296.9—WSMB New Orleans—1010**
8:30—Dance music (2 hours)

**280.2—WOAI San Antonio—1070**
7:00—Republican national committee
8:30—General Motors party

WESTERN

**325.9—KOA Denver—920**
7:00—Republican national committee
8:30—Orchestra
9:00—G. E. program
10:00—KOA Koons; Popular trio

**468.5—KFI Los Angeles—640**
8:00—Male quartet; RCA hour
10:00—Shell program
11:00—Lesser Figure program
12:00—Concert orchestra

## Wellington Economics Club Is Organized

Special to The Record News.

WELLINGTON, Texas, Oct. 7.—The first meeting relative to the organization of a home economics club in the Wellington high school was held this week with Miss Veda Crawley and Miss Estelle Shephard, home economics teachers, in charge of the meeting.

Blanche Saied was elected president of the club and other officers are Cora Cocke, vice president; Bertha Sasser, secretary-treasurer, and Julia Slough, press reporter.

The club is planning upon a number of interesting meetings during the year, and program and social committees have been appointed. These committees are composed of Nan Weird, Annalou Harper, Lois Templeton, Margaret Goforth, Oletha Vaughn and Virginia Phillips.

## Tom Slick Assails Oklahoma Oil Commission at Proration Meeting

TULSA, Okla., Oct. 7.—The oil men who attended the called meeting of operators for the purpose of ratifying or rejecting the idea of increasing the allotted amount of oil that may be produced in the Oklahoma oil fields from 700,000 barrels to 750,000 barrels a day, witnessed a drama that several times threatened to wipe out everything that had been done towards developing conservation of petroleum in the state.

Thomas B. Slick, principal independent operator in the state, and chief critic of the proration program that went into effect Sept. 1, and which is still in effect, led a spirited attack on the corporation commission, the Seminole operators' advisory committee, the Seminole field umpire and major operators in general.

Charging that the refiners, with pipe lines, had "picked" the committee and that the recent order of the corporation commission fixing Oklahoma's production at 700,000 barrels a day was "framed," Mr. Slick made a motion that it was the sense of the operators that the Seminole operators' advisory committee members be discharged and that a new committee be named, made up of seven—three from major refiners with pipe lines; refiners without pipe lines and independent producers. Ross B. Pine of Okmulgee, representing United States Senator W. B. Pine, seconded the motion and on the aye and nay vote it appeared to carry.

Without batting an eye, Ray M. Collins, umpire for the Seminole field, and a man who has labored for more than a year to adequately control operations there, offered to resign, too.

After much discussion, with Mr. Slick talking whenever he got the opportunity, and constantly criticizing the corporation commission, the refiners and committee, and the alleged "framed" order, which he said threw an industry, with an investment of $4,000,000,000 into the control of three men, without any experience as oil men, the motion was withdrawn, after it began to appear that it would be defeated. Mr. Slick then, with the consent of his second, Mr. Pine, withdrew his motion. T. E. Gilbert had offered a motion to resubmit the Slick motion.

Previous to the withdrawal of Mr. Slick's motion, a vote on the idea of creating a committee of seven on the basis of Mr. Slick's suggestion, was also defeated.

C. C. Herndon, vice president for the Skelly Oil company, sounded the real plea for reason. He moved that the meeting adjourn and the corporation commission be presented with the facts developed at the meeting, and allow the commission to consider whether it wanted a new advisory committee, a new umpire and a new basic plan of prorating flush oil fields of the state. It was his idea that the operators then reconvene next Tuesday afternoon and proceed along the lines of any new development.

R. M. Young, president of the Carter Oil company, seconded the motion which was adopted.

A defense of the members of the Seminole operators advisory committee by E. B. Reeser, president of Barnsdall corporation, brought forth a remark from Mr. Slick that his criticism was not on them personally as men, or as oil men, but on the plan and order by which they were appointed.

Ralph B. Pringle, vice president of the Independent Oil and Gas company offered to resign and again Mr. Slick said that he had no personal criticism on him or other members. He also said his complaints against Umpire Collins were not personal, but on the "framed" order.

Max Westheimer, of Westheimer & Daube of Ardmore, in his explosive way, afforded the oil men present, with a lot of humor. Although intensely serious, Mr. Westheimer's attitude was so funny that he provoked only laughter, and thus acted as a safety valve for the meeting.

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But 30 years ago there were few persons here who were far sighted enough to vision the great success the Wichita Falls Mill and Elevator company, was to experience. It was in 1898 that M. Lasker of Galveston and Frank Kell and J. A. Kemp of Wichita Falls formed a partnership to build a mill and elevator here. Many of the friends of these men advised against it, pointed to the lack of adequate railroad facilities, to hard competition, to lack of raw material in Northern Texas, and to a host of things that might have made more timid beings hide their progressive ideas under baskets. But not these three who were convinced of success before they started their venture.

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Frank Kell, who is now in control of the Wichita Falls Mill and Elevator company, along with other far sighted Texans, reasoned that Texas some day would be a great wheat country. A few years before the opening of his mill, in 1898, several hundred acres of wheat had been planted around Wichita Falls with success and the prospects of a greatly enlarged industry appealed to his business judgement.

That settled the argument, as far as the founding of the mill was concerned. Forthwith plans went ahead and finally the organization was started. The mill was a comparatively small one and managed by great dint of effort to produce as high as 400 barrels of flour a day. Today the outgrowth of that pioneer venture has a daily output in full operation of 3,000 barrels of flour and over 1,000 barrels of corn products.

Today the mill has storage bins capable of holding over 900,000 bushels of wheat and through out the countryside, at vantage points, there are 20 elevators with a reserve storage capacity of 100,000 bushels. This enables the mill to continue operations from season to season without the necessity of taking a loss by shutdowns.

In the early days of the mill it was kept fairly busy with local trade. Farmers for miles around brought their corn and wheat to the mill for grinding. Many of them admitted they "Just wanted to see how the contraption worked." But it was not long before the mill had established a firm reputation all over the state of Texas. And from the period of local milling the fame of the Wichita Mill and Elevator company, has been carried into almost every country in South, and Central America and Europe by the shipments thatf have been made during the years of prosperous growth.

**Intricate System**

The huge modern mill operated by the company today is almost entirely mechanical. From the time the grain is unloaded from the freight cars into rapidly moving conveyor belts for storage and conditioning, it is not touched by human hands until it reaches the consumer. And electric power is employed almost exclusively in the operation of this huge mill. This power operates innumerable motors, safety devices, elevators and completely illuminates the mammoth structure.

To the person who has never watched the process, the milling of grain has a long, intricate, but exceedingly interesting story to be told. It takes the best part of a day to witness thoroughly every phase in the transformation of wheat kernels to flour and if you do go to see the wonders of milling there will be waiting for you C. W. Beavers, patient, kindly informative veteran of the mill who is one of the few persons who can find his way about without getting lost.

To carefully observe the baking qualities of the various runs of flour the mill has a bakeshop fitted with mysterious chemical apparatus and an electric baking oven. In this oven are placed well kneaded, carefully pared chunks of dough and an expert baker and chemist watches the baking and tastes the results. In this way is the product of the mill kept uniform.

During the threshing season an average of from 35 to 40 cars of grain are received at the mill each day. The grain is carried to huge storage bins, where it is kept until time comes for its conditioning. Grain to be properly milled must contain a certain amount of moisture and apparatus is ready to either dry out over-damp grain or spray dry grain before milling. The wheat is then blended to make the various grades of flour. The hard winter wheat from the Panhandle is blended with the soft wheat of Kansas, and so on, until the proper mixture is obtained.

Next the kernels must be throughly cleaned before milling and besides passing over a series of magnetic fields to remove all metal matter the kernels are actually dusted to remove all clinging fuzz. Conveyor belts with a capacity of 12,000 bushels an hour, carry the wheat to the milling machines which are so arranged as to form two separate and distinct mills in the huge building. Everything in the two mills operated by electricity are run by individual motors and a battery of 18 of these powerful machines are in use every day in the mill.

**Flour Bleached**

The wheat goes into the first mill and is scarcely cracked. From there it goes to a series of other mills, each in succession griding the kernels to a finer state. Pipes are everywhere, and fans pushing and sucking the wheat from its kernel stage to its finest flour and bran stages carry the product of the mill up and down interminable distances until the sacking room finally is reached.

There are what is known as five reductions of grinding on the kernels before final breaking and 10 reductions on the "middlings" after the kernels have been thoroughly crushed. And between each reduction the flour is bleached and purified by coming into contact with a gaseous vapor formed of chlorine and muriate of ammonium salt. This chemical gas definitely and permanently removes all impurities that may have been left in the wheat.

After grinding the wheat is dropped into a series of "square sifters" with accurately separates all bran and fine particles from the flour. From these machines the flour goes to one department for sacking and storage and the bran is blown to another room for the same purpose. And flour, contrary to the understanding of many persons, is not weighed by hand, country store method. Huge automatic scales carefully measure every pound that is sacked, and printed records make sure that an honest job is done.

# Today { At the Theaters



Al Jolson as he appears in his second talking and singing motion picture, "The Singing Fool" now playing at the Strand.

**MAJESTIC: Emil Jannings in "The Patriot." Comedy. Fables. Topics of the day. Paramount news.**

**STRAND: Al Jolson in "The Singing Fool." Two special vitaphone subjects. Pathe news.**

**OLYMPIC: Eleanor Boardman and Conrad Nagel in "Diamond Handcuffs." Mermaid comedy. Fox news. Monday from 12 to 6 p. m. "china matinee."**

**MISSION: Jack Perrin starred in "The Laughing Fool." Century comedy. World series baseball scoreboard.**

**GEM: Buck Jones in "Blood Will Tell." Comedy.**

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..."Folks, I'll sing you a thousand songs tonight," says Al Jolson in the vitaphone triumph "The Singing Fool." He sings a fair number of jazz and sentimental songs throughout the picture and brings to the spilling point more than the average amount of tears for one performance.

The pathos of the picture at certain points is over-played, but if anyone can do that without appearing ridiculous, it would be the jazz singer himself.

Probably the most interesting innovation on the vitaphone is the reproduction of the voice of a child. "Sonny Boy" is the average three-year-old with the winsomeness of children of that age but who ever expected to hear a baby's voice coming clear and shrill to the audience by vitaphone?

Those who have seen Jolson in other parts of the country in other years will believe the great favorite is present in person in the production "The Singing Fool."

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**The amazing thing is that** Wichita Falls audiences are seeing pictures that demand high prices elsewhere at a cost that is to say the least reasonable.

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**Emil Jannings is said to rise to** his best work in "The Patriot." And his ability combined with the splendid directing of Ernst Lubitsch makes of the picture a production.

The story is based on the intrigues of the Russian court of about a century ago, and dramatizes fully the splendor of the lavish Russia of that day. Florence Vidor plays opposite Jannings. Lewis Stone and Neil Hamilton are also in the cast. The picture opened for a five-day run Saturday.

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**Conrad Nagel, perfect lover and** incidentally the boy who is tired of being called and thought unsophisticated, plays opposite Eleanor Boardman, in "Diamond Handcuffs" which opened Sunday at the Olympic theater.

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**Jack Perrin in "The Laughing** Fool" will play for the last time at the Olympic Monday. Thomas Meighan will be starred in "The Racket" Tuesday and Wednesday.

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**Mary Astor in "Rose of the Gold**en West" is scheduled for the Garden theater Tuesday only.

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**The Gem has four pictures on** this week's program. Dick Hatton in "Western Courage" is on the Tuesday-Wednesday calendar.

## Burke to Manage Municipal Airport

Andy Burke, pilot for L. P. Hammond and one of the owners of the Lone Star Aviation company which is now being organized, has been announced by Mr. Hammond as permanent manager of Kell field, the Wichita Falls Municipal airport.

While Mr. Burke has been handling the work since control of the field was given to Mr. Hammond as the result of his high bid for the operation of the field, the public announcement of the naming was not made until Sunday. Mr. Hammond described Burke as one of the best men in the aviation business.

"Work on a 250-barrel cistern will be started at the field Monday, and an air compressor also is due Monday," Mr. Burke said.

"We have completed the installation of a large, underground gasoline tank, and we will start to work soon on running a gutter around the hanger. Other improvements will be made from time to time until we have the field in the best possible condition."

## Intiation Program For Elks Tonight

Wichita Falls Elks will hold initiation at the club Monday night, and also will vote on changes in the constitution, it was learned Sunday.

A general celebration which will include vaudeville and a Dutch lunch also has been announced.

## ALL FOR AL

### Demo Speakers Plan ed At Every Box in County

Democratic speakers will make addresses at every voting box in Wichita county once and possibly twice on behalf of Al Smith's candidacy, according to an announcement made Sunday by Edgar Scurry, county Democratic chairman.

Wichita county is being well covered with speakers," the county chairman said. "There is no Wichita county voter who will not have the opportunity to hear of the qualifications of Al Smith.

"Dates and speakers will be announced in the immediate future, or as soon as it is possible to arrange them."

## 6988 Attend Sunday School

Sunday school attendance at the churches Sunday morning were reported heavy. The First Baptist church led in the Sunday report with 1143 students in attendance. The First Methodist church reported 1044 Sunday school pupils. A total of 6,988 pupils was given.

Attendance at the various churches was as follows:

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| First Christian church | 800 |
| First Methodist church | 1044 |
| Church of the Good Shepherd | 110 |
| First Presbyterian church | 449 |
| Highland Heights Baptist | 236 |
| Floral Heights Presbyterian | 75 |
| First Southern Presbyterian | 247 |
| Grace Methodist | 210 |
| First Church of Christ | 444 |
| Yale Avenue Evangelical | 71 |
| First Baptist | 1143 |
| Adams Street Methodist | 88 |
| Floral Heights Methodist | 647 |
| South Side Baptist | 229 |
| Sibley-Taylor Methodist | 89 |
| East Side Presbyterian | 132 |
| Scotland Evangelical | 72 |
| Grant Street Methodist | 170 |
| Lamar Avenue Baptist | 265 |
| First Evangelical | 166 |
| Salvation Army | 87 |
| Scotland Baptist | 126 |
| Church of the Nazarene | 388 |
| Total | 6988 |

## Shortage of Water Cuts Milk Production

C. L. Teissler, manager of the Wichita Falls factory of the Kraft Cheese company commented Sunday on the shortage of milk, and said that the primary cause of the shortage continues to be a lack of rain.

"In some places it is so dry that even the wells have dried up and some farmers are hauling water from the river in wagons," he explained.

"Mose of the water holes have long since dried up, and the situation is accute.

"Farmers are doing everything in their power to take good care of the milk they get. They are cooling it so that practically none is sour when we receive it these days despite the hot weather."

## O'Beirne in Charge Of Catholic Services

Father Patrick O'Beirne was in charge of the services Sunday at the Sacred Heart church, taking the place of Father Lawrence Hoyt, O. S. B., who resigned from the pastorate about a month ago to take up other work.

Father Patrick came to Wichita Falls from Dallas. He has been in the Dallas diocese for 20 years, serving his last pastorate in Sherman. He came to Texas from western New York.


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LAST TIMES TODAY
Jack Perrin, in
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Also Century Comedy
STARTS TOMORROW
Thomas Meighan, in
"THE RACKET"


# SILVERTON IS GROWING CITY

## Scenic Wonders Attract Numerous Visitors

SILVERTON, Texas, Oct. 7.—"A city which is built upon a hill top cannot be hidden," is an old proverb which has stood the test of time. The builders of Silverton, did not exactly choose a hill upon which to found their town, but they did climb the steepest hill in all of Texas in order to get to the site of the present county seat of Briscoe county in order to found the present city known as Silverton.

This hill is now known as Schotz Cap and it is located a few miles east of the town. Nature has performed many marvels in moulding this sphere known as the earth, but nowhere may any greater marvel be seen than at this scenic point where the cap rock may be viewed at its loftiest point, and nowhere on earth may a more sudden change in topography be viewed.

The great plains of the Panhandle sweep down level as a floor for hundreds of miles. Not a creek and but a few canyons mar the level surface of the plains. The traveler reaches the very brink of the cap rock before he realizes that these plains terminate at the point, and upon traveling a few hundred yards he passes from the most level country on this continent into a contour as rugged and broken as may be viewed in the mountain states of the west. Deep canyons are cleft in the wall of the cap rock. Some of them are a sheer seven hundred feet in depth. Lofty crags frown down from great height. Perpendicular walls overhang the winding highway. Hairpin turns exist which causes the traveler to traverse nearly a mile of distance then return a bare hundred yards or so lower down the hill from where he entered the turn. The coloring of the cliffs are suggestive of the Grand Canyon of Colorado, and the contrasts will some day prove a veritable heaven for artists when they find Schotz Cap. Evergreens blanket the hillsides and overhang the cliffs. There are places where crystal clear springs burst from the side of the cap rock. There is a "Garden of the Gods" and a "Box Canyon." There are balancing rocks and palisades. In fact the scenery is perfect and will some day attract visitors by hundreds over this highway which connects Silverton with Clarendon.

**Growing Wheat Center**

But aside from Schotz Cap, Silverton has other distinctions. The level plain which surrounds the city and comprises most of the trade territory has been developed into a goodly portion of the granary of Texas. Silverton is noted as a wheat center, and both the quality of the grain and the abundant yield produced has made Silverton rank with the leading wheat towns of all Texas. Cotton, too, thrives near Silverton. Located high above the boll weevil line, Silverton has proved attractive to cotton growers of the south, and the cotton farmer is now pressing the wheat farmer for possession of the land. Grain sorghums, Indian corn, alfalfa, and forage do equally well in the vicinity, and as a result Silverton offers an excellent field for diversified farming and is potentially an ideal dairying country. Farming operations in the region are largely carried on by power equipment, and as a result one man can cultivate tracts of land unbelievably large. This has been both an advantage and a disadvantage, as it has caused land owners to hold large tracts of land and consequently colonization has been held back. Now, however, these large tracts are coming upon the market, and as a result the development of the country is proceeding at a rapid rate.

Silverton, like its trade territory, has been comparatively slow in its development. Handicapped by lack of a railroad, the town has for many years been a good inland county seat town and a trading point for cattlemen and wheat farmers. But with the coming of the Denver road which has already entered the town, new life has been taken on. It is doubtful if there is a town in the southwest with more building per capita under construction than is under way at Silverton at the present time. The saw and hammer play a steady chorus throughout every working day, and the bricklayer is building walls of masonry upon every street. Nearly a score of brick business buildings are being erected at the present time. Others have recently been occupied. A new brick hotel, a theater, a new bank building, a new city water works, a steel overhead reservoir, a new depot, new grain elevators, a city hall, and blocks of store buildings constitute some of the development. Residence construction is as brisk as is the construction of commercial establishments as Silverton is going through its period of change from an inland village to a modern railroad city.

**Population Growns**

Population of the town is increasing at a brisk rate. The schools have the largest enrollment in the history of the town. Ralph L. Buell, former well known editor of Mercedes is now in charge of the newspaper which is owned by the Nunn-Warren interests. Civic organizations of the town are active, and hard at work with a new zeal. Old timers and new comers alike have become inoculated with the new spirit of progress which permeates the atmosphere at Silverton, and with the rich resources, the influx of population, and the united citizenship now at work, Silverton is certain to take its place among the better class of towns which form West Texas.


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# Nitro Thieves Risk Violent Death in Raids Here

## 2000 Quarts of Explosive, Worth $8000, Taken in Year

A sufficient amount of nitroglycerin has been stolen from the magazines of the Morrissey Torpedo company to blow up every safe in town and leave a fair amount in rserve, according to T. W. Mendenhall, manager of the Morrissey Torpedo company. Thieves have stolen approximately 2,000 quarts of the explosive from the company, and at a tablespoon for each safe, a pretty large number of safes might be persuaded to give up their valuables.

Reckoned from the standpoint of "shooting" wells, with the average well requiring only 10 quarts of nitro-glycerine, about the largest excavation you would desire might be managed with the aid of the stolen explosive. The largest quantity ever used in shooting a well is 1,500 quarts but exact location of that was never ascertained by the reporter.

Calculated from the perspective of dollars, the 2,000 quarts of nitro might bring anything from $8,000 to a much greater sum. Purchased in quantities the explosive agent is less expensive, it was pointed by the torpedo company. Thieves often set fire to the magazines after having stolen the nitro in order to hide trace of the thievery. The Morrissey Torpedo company has lost two magazines in such fashion, one in Wichita Falls and one in Borger. The company has such warehouses at Borger, Cisco, Amarillo, Coleman and in this city. From 50 to 1,000 quarts of nitro are kept at each station.

Stolen or "bootleg" nitro-glycerin is utilized by thieves for "shooting" wells in other parts of the country. Such persons can do the work more cheaply than reliable companies who do not make use of "bootleg" products. Wells are often "shot" with the producer receiving such labor cognizant of the source of the explosive, according to Mr. Mendenhall.

A few cans of the stolen goods may be used for blowing safes but this use for the nitro is negligible, Mr. Mendenhall believes. Mr. Mendenhall has offered a reward of $500 for apprehension of the thieves. Theft of the 2,000 quarts has extended over a period of more than a year.

# Wichita Falls Police Pick Prisoner From Ceiling After Lengthy Search

Houdini used to produce eggs from empty hats, but it took the Wichita Falls police to produce a man from a ceiling Sunday.

A search warrant had been obtained for a local man who is wanted in at least two states on different charges. Officers Pat Allen, Will Allen, Perdue and Hart had searched the house and were just about to depart when one of them noticed an odd looking spot in the ceiling.

Pushing up on it, he decided it wasn't nailed as was the rest of the ceiling, so he asked a taller brother officer to push. The pushing showed a man on top of the pushed place.

"Come down from off of that ceiling, buddy," said one of the officers, and "buddy" came.

Afterwards, in talking to Frank Evans Burns, chief of police, "Buddy" asked where he was to be sent.

"I suppose you will send me to Shawnee," he said.

"I should say not," said the chief. "You want to go to that old woman's home at McAlester and take life easy. I think we had better give you over to some Texas town so you can get in some real service at Huntsville."

The chief explained that Huntsville is known as a hard "place," whereas McAlester, the Oklahoma prison, is sometimes spoken of as "the old woman's home" due to its "easy" name.

# Negro Who Sold 'Pardons' for $15 Each Gets Cell in City Jail Here

A man—one of these comforting, assuring men—was on the streets of Wichita Falls until Sunday night with promises of getting almost anybody out of the penitentiary, if the proper fee was paid.

Sunday night, however, he was in jail.

He is a negro man, and was brought to the police station at the point of a gun by another negro, who knew his scheme for the very good reason that he had believed it.

He told police that this So-and-So had promised to get his brother, serving a two-year sentence from Dallas county, out of the penitentiary upon payment of $15. He was given this money, and an extra $1.50 contributed by his sister-in-law if he would perform the miracle.

That was three weeks ago, and the miracle hasn't happened yet. So the victim went to the home of So-and-So Sunday night, flourished a gun, and took the rear in the march to the police station.

So-and-So was booked on a charge of investigation.

# BURNS WARNS OF ACCIDENTS

## Police Chief Tells Danger Of Street Play

Several Wichita Falls children have been injured recently in the streets, Frank Burns, chief of police, Sunday called attention to a city ordinance which prohibits children playing in the streets or roller skating in the streets.

"The parents who allow their children to play in the streets are more to blame than the children," the chief said, "for the boys and girls do not have the mature knowledge of their parents.

"Recently the safety council of Wichita Falls requested the city council to pass a city ordinance prohibiting children from playing in the streets. The city council passed the ordinance in the spirit in which it had been requested, that of co-operation, to lessen the danger to boys and girls.

"With the starting of school, it is noted that boys and girls are playing in the streets, not at the schools but generally after school at their homes.

"Every parent and child in the city is asked to co-operate in this work that we may eliminate needless accidents on the city streets."

## Scouts to Lead in Fire Prevention Work

COLEMAN, Texas, Oct. 7 (AP).—Coleman boy scouts will take prominent part this year in making fire prevention week, Oct. 7-13, a success, Fire Chief G. E. Dalton has announced. Scout Masters J. R. Strong, T. D. Strickland and Roy Beall have agreed to cooperate with firemen and scouts will be used in various parts of the city to discover fire hazards.

They will be provided with forms of the state fire insurance commission which will expedite their work. The scouts will find hazards and make proper notations on the forms, and reports later will be investigated by the fire chief or fire marshal and suitable recommendations made.

## Amateurs Given Chance At Vaudeville Stage

Those in Wichita Falls who wish to become actors on the professional vaudeville stage have the opportunity to do so by writing to Alec Ross, care the Olympic theater, stating their qualifications and their act, according to an announcement made Sunday.

"Discovery week will open at the Olympic theater Monday, Oct. 29," Mr. Ross said.

"Those who have applied to me in letter so that I may consider them, will be placed on the bill at the theater that week.

"The best of each night's acts will be booked as one complete vaudeville show at the Olympic the following week, for which they will be paid a regular salary.

"Out of this last group, the best act will be given a chance along with the professionals on the Keith-Orpheum-Interstate vaudeville program at the Majestic the following week. If the act makes good when on the same program with the big time professional acts, it will be given a booking over the Interstate circuit.

"Harry Brown, representative of the booking agency, will be here to make the decisions."

## Gilmore to Stump Home County for Democrats

DALLAS, Oct. 7. (AP)—Clarence E. Gilmore, chairman of the state railroad commission, will make a series of speeches in his home county—Van Zandt—in behalf of the entire Democratic ticket, an announcement from "Regular" Democratic headquarters here today said.

He will speak at Wills Point and Canton Saturday.

**ARRINGTON INFANT**

Funeral services were held Sunday from the Merkle chapel for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arrington of 1501 Thirteenth street. The services were in charge of Rev. A. F. White of the Grace Methodist Episcopal church, and burial was in Riverside. Mr. Arrington is an electrical foreman for the Fort Worth and Denver.


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## FAMOUS WELL

### Drouth Causes Furns to Recall Hole in K. M. A. Field

Water wells drying up in Wichita county caused Frank Burns, chief of police here, to recount Sunday the story of one well, 20 feet deep, which has for 10 years produced fresh, sweet water despite the fact that other water wells all around it are either salt when dug, or turn salty shortly after digging.

"I was in charge of a lease adjoining that of Boger and Ard in the K. M. A. field," said the chief.

"Everyone dug for water and got salt. We tried for water on our lease within 100 yards of the place where they finally got the water well.

"For years that was a good water well, and I understand it is still. People from many miles around would go to that well and carry their water miles to their homes. No one seemed to have been able to equal that well."

## Brady Sheep Breeder Sweeps Texas Fairs

BRADY, Texas, Oct. 7 (AP).—Henry Johanson, Brady, breeder of registered Delaine Merino sheep and West Texas' "winning exhibitor," has hung up a noteworthy record by taking 116 out of 125 first prizes at seven West Texas livestock fairs during the summer.

Johanson's selected sheep swept five of the seven fairs by winning all first prizes and all champions. At Bertram and San Saba fairs, Johanson failed to win nine blue ribbons, and carried away 23 out of 32 first prizes. At the Hamilton county fair, San Angelo, Abilene, Fredricksburg and the State Sheep and Goat Raisers' special exhibition at San Angelo, Johanson's entries took every blue ribbon in the Delaine Merino classes.

In addition to the 116 blue ribbons, Johanson won 66 second prizes and 22 champions out of a total of 24 champions.


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# WICHITANS TO LEGION MEETING

## Delegates Leave Sunday for Convention

The Wichita Falls delegation to the national convention of the American legion which opens Monday morning in San Antonio, left Saturday and Sunday.

Delegates included the following: Capt. R. B. Wolford, John E. Butts, Joe Zihlman, Edward Dugan, L. Younger, J. M. Williams, John E. Gill, O. O. Gilbert, Hampton Houchal, Glenn Peeler, Jim Barnard, W. E. George, J. F. Friberg, Fred Greer, Al Flack, Hugh Weaver, John Hampton, John Q. Humphrey, J. O. McCullough, F. W. Fischer, Dr. L. I. Lucey, O. T. Ailes, R. H. Hudgins, R. J. Claypool, John Gould, Reed Thomas, R. M. Wilhite, N. Manoushagian and E. C. DeMontel.

Accompanying the delegation from Wichita Falls were: Capt. W. H. Ogden of Electra; Capt. W. O. Wilson and Capt. W. M. Murphy of Fort Worth; Bruce Shumate and Bob Tevis of Burkburnett; Claude Fennat of Fort Worth; Eric Bitting of Cushing, Okla.; J. O. Schafer of Sulphur, Okla; Homer Bachman of Olney, and Dr. Wallace Martin of Burkburnett.

Dr. Everett Jones of Wichita Falls, former major of the 48th medical detachment, 36th division, headed the delegation which included the unit organized by Dr. Jones for service in France during the world war.

## Services Today for Mrs. J. D. Simpson

Services will be held from the First Baptist church of Iowa Park at 10 o'clock Monday morning for Mrs. J. D. Simpson, wife of J. D. Simpson, a farmer living on the Wichita Falls-Iowa Park road, it was announced Sunday by the Merkle Undertaking company of Wichita Falls. Burial will be in the Iowa Park cemetery. Mrs. Simpson died in a local hospital Saturday.

The survivors include her husband, two daughters, Myrtle and Florence; four sons, Jess, Elvy, Clarence and Oscar; four sisters, Mrs. M. E. Simms of Throckmorton; Mrs. O. G. Watson of Wichita, Kan.; Mrs. C. B. Carter of Stephenville, and Mrs. W. L. Lieblong of Guy City, Ark.; three brothers, F. H. Carter of Baird and J. E. and William Carter of Wichita Falls.



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