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15 DIE IN TORNADO TWISTERS

Russo-German Treaty May Lose

GENOA MEETING THREATENED BY FRESH DISCORD

German Pact With Russia Resented By Allies

By Associated Press.

GENOA, April 17.—The signing of a treaty between Germany and Russia, which nullifies the Brest-Litovisk treaty and re-establishes full displomatic relations between these two countries on a basis of equality has caused profound astonishment and recent among the allied delegation. The ministers of the powers which conevened the conference, decided at a meeting held tonight to have committee of experts examine this theaty tomorrow to determine whether it conflicts with the Cannes resolutions or the treaty of Versailles.

Subsequently the convening powers will meet with Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, Rumania and Jugo-Slovia to ascertain the views of the lesser powers and deal with the report of the experts.

Imperials Meet

The British and French delegates declared tonight they considered the signature of the treaty a disloyal act. Apparently it may imperil the conference.

It is stated that the signing of the treaty, which took place at Rappallo yesterday was unknown to the allied leaders . Lloyd George, Barthou, Schanzer and Theuris meet this afternoon to consider the reply which the Russians might make to the conditions imposed on that country. As soon as the delegates learned of the treaty their program was changed, and the situation, which is considered extremely grave was discussed.

Barthou is awaiting further instructions from Paris and declared he would not sit beside Russians in semi-official meeting.

Stuns Allies

The action of the Germans and Russians on first announcement had an almost stunning effect on the allies. Premier Lloyd George said he knew these countries had been negotiating for months but was not aware they had signed a treaty until late today.

The situation is so critical that the prominent delegates are reserving their opinions until after the experts examine the new document which is regarded generally in allied circles as an infringement of the Genoa agenda, because it has to do with reparations, and affects existing treaties. The French have insisted that neither of these things should be done. Clearly there are stormy times ahead.

The treaty provides for renunciation of war expenses, damages and expenditures incurred through war prisoners and renunciation, also of all claims of German individuals or the state itself against the Soviet Republic. Resumption of consular and diplomatic relations is to take place immediately, commercial relations are to be regulated on the most favored national principle and the rights of the nationals of both countries in the territory of the other are to be conserved.

The two governments will assist each other in their economic difficulties and the German government declares itself ready to facilitate financial aids to industries of the Soviets.

CIVIC QUESTIONS UP WEDNESDAY MEETING

Heads of all the city departments are urged to meet with the Sibley-Taylor Improvement association which meets Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the community house located at the corner of Twenty-second street and Yale avenue.

Plans to improve Wichita Falls in the vicinity south of the Wichita Valley railroad will be discussed, it is announced by J. W. Nicholson, chairman, while questions of improved lighting and water facilities will hold prominence.

WOMEN PICK MIDLAND

Special to the Record News.

RANGER, Texas, April 17.—Midland, Texas, was chosen as the meeting place for the 1922 convention of the sixth district Federation of Texas Women's Clubs.

Mrs. E. R. Thomas and Miss Fannie Bess Taylor extended the invitation.

PAINTERS IN SESSION

EL PASO, Texas, April 17.—B. F. Massey, Fort Worth, was elected president of the Texas state conference of painters; Ed Barker, Abilene, vice-president; Charles L. Camp, Brownwood, secretary.

MAD DOG BITES GIRL

Special to the Record News.

CORSICANA, Texas, April 17.—The little daughter of Lee Fowler of the Roane community, 3 miles east of Corsicana, was bitten on the knee by a mad dog and was taken to Ausstitute today by her father. A little stitute aoday by her father. A little daughter of John Avan of that community was bitten by a dog about a week ago and is now in Austin for treatment.

MAINLY ABOUT

People

Blame the Leader—
Webb and Tinkham—
Reed a Candidate—

By H. N. F.

DAVID LLOYD GEORGE IS the mastermind of the Genoa Conference. He is fighting for a friendly agreement with Russia and a plan for an agreement all around against aggression. He may win out. If Soviet Russia would agree to recall its repudiation of the foreign debt of the country it would be easy to arrange an economic pact. Russia, the Russia of the Romanaffs, borrow 4 billion dollars from the people of France. Russia, the Russia of Lenine and Trotzky, repudiated the debt and dishonored their country. Whenever a borrower repudiates a just debt then the borrower brands himself or itself as without honor or without principle. But do not blame the people of Russia. Place the blame where it belongs—upon the shoulders of the chiefs of the Russian commune.

REPRESENTATIVE HORACE Tinkham, Republican of Massachusetts, has the center of the stage. He says that the anti-saloon league of America has failed to comply with the corrupt practices act; that the anti-saloon league controls the congress of the United States; that the league dictated executive appointments; that recent disclosures in Washington shows that the league attempted to dictate judicial disappointments and the administration of justice. Dr. Atticus Webb has the floor. He is a saintly man. He is an independent in politics. He is invited to capture Tinkham and spit him over a slow fire. Tinkham is a New England highbrow. He insists that he is a temperance man and a reformer and he is just howling for the anti-saloon league of America to obey all the laws, to take its hand from the throat of congress and to refrain in future from attempting to dictate judicial appointment. Tinkham must have a large number of wet constituents.

SENATOR JAMES A. REED OF Missouri is a candidate for renomination. The Kansas City Star insists that he should be defeated and retired for the reason that he was a vigorous opponent of the Wilson League of Nations. Why should the kettle call the pot black? The Star fought the League of Nations; The Star advocated the election of Warren G. Harding; The Star is a Republican newspaper. Breckenridge Long is an anti-Reed Democrat and a candidate for Reed's job. Long was thoroughly repudiated by the voters of Missouri in 1920. A Republican walloped the life out of him. He must dearly love to be licked. Texas is a long way from Missouri, but the betting talent has picked Reed as the favorite and are laying two to one that he will be primary choice. If he is, it is a fifty-fifty proposition that the voters of Missouri will elect him for another term of six years. Reed is a rabble rouser and not a golden chariot warmer.

FORT WORTH HAS SEVENTY-Seven churches. All the churches—Protestant, Catholic, Jewish and Angelican—united in a religious

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SIX GASOLINE PRICES

Special to the Record News.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 17.—Gasoline was retailing at six different prices here due to the announcement by two of the larger companies of an increase of three cents a gallon. The price ranges from 15 to 20 cents a gallon, according to where you buy it.

YOHO! AND A BOTTLE OF GINGER ALE!

The S. S. Mahalatos, former sub chaser and now queen of the dry navy, is ready to war on liquor runners and bootleggers and keep parched our "three mile limit." "Yoho! And a bottle of giner ale," sang Jack Dillon, former prize fighter and a member of the crew.

The S. S. Mahalatos, former sub chaser, ready for war on rum smugglers.

M'Cormick Selected Police Chief by New City Administration

Ex-Ranger Promises to Make Wichita Good Officer's Chief

Appointment of J. W. McCormick, sergeant of the Texas ranger company with headquarters here, as chief of police, vice R. W. Morgan, who has held the post for eight or nine months, and the reference of charges of favoritism and incompetence preferred against "Daddy" Moore, city plumbing inspector, in opposition to his re-appointment, to Dr. J. F. Reed, sanitary commissioner, featured the session of the city council Monday night.

The appointment of McCormick, who has made an enviable reputation as an able and fearless enforcer of the law while on duty here the past two or three years, as chief of police, confirms a report published by the Record News about a month ago of an impending change in that office, McCormick being mentioned as one of two probable selections for the place.

Recommendation for the action was made by Police Commissioner Fitts immediately following an executive session by the council, and was unanimously approved by the council. McCormick thanked the council and promised to make them a good officer. He was immediately sworn in by City Clerk Thorburn. He will turn in his commission from the state to his company commander, Capt. Tom Hickman, this morning, and will enter on his duties immediately.

Plumbers Squabble.

Investigation of the charges against the plumbing inspector was referred to Dr. Reed on motion by Commissioner Fitts. A provision of the motion was made to the effect that Moore make inspection on no more plumbing done by his sons engaged in the plumbing business, but that this work be passed on by Claude Montgomery, electrical inspector.

This action followed a lengthy session held by the council in the afternoon attended by many master and journeymen plumbers. Defenders were as much in evidence as complainants at this meeting, which brought many flat denials from either side of statements made by the other.

Other Officers Remain.

Discussion of the other offices indicated that all of the present officers, save one, will hold their present places. Edgar Mann will re-

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BLANTON TAKES FLASKS ALONG

Poker Sets and Other Articles Shown

By Associated Press.

DENISON, Texas, April 17. One of the speeches in Texas which brought about Representative Garner's denunciation of Congressman Thomas L. Blanton was made in Denison, but so far no one has been found who can recall the exact text of Mr. Blanton's speech. Those who heard know "about" what he said, but that is as far as they will go. Mr. Blanton's charges of petty graft in congress came during a debate with the Rev. John L. Andrews, a labor speaker, on the open shop issue.

Mr. Blanton had a traveling bag full of flasks, purses, poker sets and various other articles, which he said were given to the congressmen or which they bought with federal appropriations. The articles were exhibited during the Blanton-Andrews debate.

ADOLPH ZUKER ORDERS THREE MOVIE PICTURES OF "FATTY" RELEASED

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, April 17.—The Famous Players—Lasky corporation announced today that Adolph Zukor, head of the organization, had telegraphed from New York to release three new motion pictures by Roscoe C. (Fatty) Arbuckle. The pictures were withheld when the manslaughter charge was lodged against Arbuckle.

Zukor in his telegram said he was "confident the public realizes by this time that Arbuckle has been the victim of circumstances."

Arbuckle was acquitted of the charge.

SEMENOFF PLANNED REVOLT IN RUSSIA, ACCUSES OFFICIAL

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Appearing before the Senate Labor committee today in connection with its inquiry into the Siberian activities of General Gregorie Semenoff, now under civil arrest in New York, Commissioner General Husband of the bureau of immigration told how the anti-bolsheviki leader had been permitted to enter the United States at Seattle after landing at Vancouver from a steamer, which he had boarded at a Chinese port, and submitted through official documents and messages the suggestion that Semenoff intended to go to Paris to meet the Grand Duke Nicholas to lay plans for a revolution against the Russian soviets.

PRINTERS NAME HEADS

EL PASO, April 17.—V. P. Rannell, Austin, was elected president of the Texas allied printers' trade council here; F. O. Little, Houston, was elected vice-president; George W. Fisher, secretary; M. E. Shay, Galveston, chairman, pressmen's executive committee and A. H. Dodge, Dallas, chairman, typographical executive committee.

THREE FIREMEN LOSE LIVES WHEN TROLLEY HITS AUTO AND TRUCK

By Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, April 17.—Three firemen were killed and a street car motorman was seriously injured, while three occupants of an automobile narrowly escaped death in a triple smashup here tonight when a fire truck, street car and the automobile crashed together. The fire truck hit the automobile and swept it into the path of a street car.

THE WEATHER

West Texas: Tuesday fair, colder in the south portion; fair Wednesday.

Oklahoma: Tuesday and Wednesday fair.

East Texas: Tuesday partly cloudy, colder; Wednesday fair.

SEYMOUR MAN'S SKULL CRUSHED

Load of Rock Falls Upon His Head

Special to the Record News.

SEYMOUR, Texas, April 17.—M. E. Pruitt, 37, was instantly killed at the dam site on the Big Wichita river, 15 miles north of Seymour, early this morning.

He was engaged in hauling crushed rock from Mabelle to the dam site, when his coupling pole became uncoupled after taking out his team. He was evidently trying to make the union through the hounds of the wagon when the rocking bolster was thrown suddenly forward, catching his head between the hounds and the wagon bed, loaded with three tons of of crushed rock.

His skull was crushed causing instant death. He was alone at the time and was found only a few minutes after the accident by other haulers on the road.

Sheriff John B. Self and Justice of the Peace B. F. Bowman were called from Seymour to hold the inquest. Mr. Pruitt is survived by his wife and four children. The body is being held pending advices from other relatives who live in northeast Texas.

THREE KILLED IN TRAGEDY OF AIR

Planes Lock Wings In Practice

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Two marine officers and a marine private were killed today at Quantico, Va., when two planes in battle practice locked wings in the air and plunged to the ground. The dead are First Lieut. Earl M. Randall of Winchester, Mass.; Second Lieut. Duncan W. Lewis, Memphis, Tenn., Private Joseph J. Dhoogh, Chicago, Ill.

Lieutenant Randall was flying alone in a German fokker and Lieutenant Lewis was pilot of Vought plane with Private Dhoogh acting as observer. Ascending to an altitude of approximately 4,000 feet, the two planes were carrying out battle maneuvers, one trying to get above and in back of the other as would happen in actual warfare, when the wings of the planes locked. One wing was torn off each plane causing them to turn sidewise and then plunge to the earth. The Vought plane landed on one of the buildings on the flying field while the Fokker struck telegraph wires, glanced off and fell longside the railroad track.

OPPOSING FORCES IN NAVAL BUDGET FIGHT OUTLINE FINAL DRIVE

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The fight over the 1923 naval budget to be renewed tomorrow in the house, brought today from the opposing sides an outline of the policy they intend to pursue through the remaining stages of the struggle.

Supplementing his announcement that a roll call would be demanded and obtained in the house proper on the Vare amendment increasing the enlisted force from 67,000 to 86,000, Chairman Kelly in charge of the measure declared he also would demand a record vote on all amendments ready for presentation which seeks to increase the amounts appropriated for bureaus of engineering, ordinance and construction and repairs.

FRENZIED DEALS SET NEW STOCK MARKET RECORD

Business for the Day Exceeds 200,000 Shares

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Business on the stock exchange today rose to the enormous total of 2,050,000 shares, a record for activity since April 21, 1920. Dealing encompassed 458 separate issues which exceeds all previous records of that character.

Accumulation of buying from out of town centers over the week-end recesses and still greater ease of money, call loans dropping from 4 to 3 1-2 per cent before noon, were foremost among the accelerating developments.

Oils in which last week's dealings were specially impressive again were the issues around which the greater part of the day's operations revolved. Domestic oils were the most favored, especially Sinclair, Middle States, Cosden, Invincible and others of the low priced group, but Standard Oils and the Mexican and Dutch division also were in steady request.

At mid-day, when the last had extended its strength by persistent absorption of rails, a sudden setback occurred, oils reacting one to 4 points. The reversal followed reports that a reported deal of Sinclair company with the government had encountered unexpected difficulties. To add to the confusion, cables announced that Germany and Russia had entered into a pact at Genoa.

The wild scramble to take profits soon was offset by renewed buying of rails and the list became fairly stable. Another selling movement marked the final hour, however, when steels were singled out on Pittsburgh advices suggesting that the coal strike had become a serious factor in the recent expansion of that industry.

Bonds were relatively more steady than the stock market, but trading failed to reach last week's figures.

The liberty issues were subjected to considerable realizing, especially among the several 4 1-2 per cent issues.

Foreign bonds made greater upward progress than the domestic, although among the latter many of the convertible, debenture and refunding issues reflected substantial buying.

STOCK LAW MUST BE MADE EFFECTIVE, COMMISSION ORDERS

All officers in the county Monday were ordered by the county commissioners court to more rigidly enforce the stock laws of the state which are being violated in some parts of the county. A large number of residents from the Clara district Monday protested to the court the action of some residents in that section in allowing their cattle to feed on other people's land.

The committee from Clara said that hundreds of cattle were roaming the fields in that section with a large loss to the growing crops.

NOT ENOUGH CHILDREN ON MILLIONAIRE ROW

Special to the Record News.

DALLAS, April 17.—Highland Park hasn't enough children. Oil moguls live comfortable in this Dallas ultra-fashionable colony. District Judge Muse said 3,000 less children live in that section than should, in commenting on a resident's plea to prevent erection of a comfort station in that section.

GOV. SMALL'S TRIAL AGAIN POSTPONED

By Associated Press.

WAUKEGAN, Ill., April 17.—Governor Len Small's trial on charges of conspiring to embezzle state funds was postponed again today, this time until next Monday when the state agreed to the request of the governor's attorneys.

The postponement will permit leaders on both sides to attend the republican state convention at Springfield Friday.

THREE MEN DON KLAN UNIFORMS AND MARCH

Special to The Record News.

ATHENS, Texas, April 17.—The town of Malakoff near here is wondering if it has been subjected to a prank. Three men last night motored into town, got out of their machine and paraded the streets. They were robbed in white and walked silently through the streets several times. People here do not think they were klansmen.

VERNON ATTORNEY SPEAKS FOR MORGAN

Special to the Record News.

GAINESVILLE, Texas, April 17.—W. D. Berry of Vernon, Texas, delivered an address here Saturday afternoon in the interest of S. A. L. Morgan of Wichita Falls, candidate for congress from the thirteenth district. He was greeted by a large crowd. The address was delivered in the district courtroom preceding that of Miss Annie Webb Blanton.

SPEED TRIAL OF LOVER

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WHO KILLED GIRL JUST

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BECAUSE HE LOVED HER

Special to the Record News.

SAN ANTONIO, April 17.—A speedy trial is planned for Frank Cadena, 33, confessed slayer of his 18-year-old sister-in-law, Pablita Limenez, because he loved her and knew he could not marry her, according to his own statement. The killing occurred at the home of the girl. She was shot three times as she sat upon a bed in her room.

RESCUE OF GIRL COSTS LIFE OF YOUNG ATHLETE

River Is Searched by Hundreds for Hero's Body

By Associated Press.

BELTON, Texas, April 17.—Hundreds of persons this afternoon were searching the Leon river for the body of Chester Cox, 17-year-old star high school football player who was drowned at Twilight last night while attempting the rescue of little Edith Goephinger, who was wading in the river and was caught in a whirlpool and swept down stream.

Diving into the raging water, young Cox, succeeded in rescuing the little girl, who is seven years old, but he lost his footing just as he placed her safely on the banks of the stream, when he fell back into a whirlpool and has not been seen since. He is the son of a well-known business man of Belton and was rated as one of the best all round athletes in the local high school.

SEYMOUR WOMAN IS INJURED WHEN AUTO IS UPSET AT CURVE

Special to the Record News.

SEYMOUR, Texas, April 17.—Mrs. J. C. Dewis was severely injured in an automobile accident on the Seymour and Archer City road, 20 miles east of Seymour Sunday when the car which her husband was driving was completely upset at a sharp turn in the road.

Both arms were broken, one at the wrist and the other just below the shoulder, besides other painful bruises.

Both were pinned beneath the car. Mr. Dewis, after difficulty, extricated himself, released his wife and righted the car bringing her to this city for medical attention. Mr. Dewis was not injured and the car was not damaged.

MANS NECK BROKEN AS WIFE LOOKS ON

Special to The Record News.

GRAPEVINE, TEXAS, April 17. Chas. Wall, farmer, was almost instantly killed when he fell from a tractor he was riding, falling under a wheel, which passed over his neck, breaking it. He was killed near his home on the veranda of which his wife and daughter, Ruth, were sitting. Will had been plowing.

FIGHT TO SAVE MAN

Special to the Record News.

HOUSTON, Texas, April 17.—An organized fight is being carried on to save the life of Carl Parker, sentenced to hang May 4. Thousands of signatures have been secured on a petition to be submitted to Gov. Neff this week. Parker was convicted of killing Mortie Conroy, taxi driver.

BABE IS DROWNED

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Texas, April 17.—The body of the 17-months-old babe of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rigsby was found floating in a small pool of water in the back yard, where it had been playing. The baby fell into the shallow water while unattended.

NEGRO AND MULE DIE

Special to the Record News.

KERENS, Texas, April 17—Flood waters claimed the life of a 13-year-old negro and one mule here. The boy drove a team into the Trinity river backwater, thinking it shallow.

ASK SPECIAL SESSION

Special to The Record News.

GREENVILLE, Texas, April 17—Gov. Neff is petitioned to call a spesial session of the legislature to provide additional school funds in a resolution passed by the Hunt County rural school trustees.

MAYORS FIGHT RATES

Special to the Record News.

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 17. Mayor Cockrell and Corporation Counsel Rouer left Sunday night for San Antonio, to attend the state-wide conference of mayors and municipal attorneys, called to fight higher public utility rates.

MAN MAY LOSE EYES

Special to the Record News.

TAYLOR, Texas, April 17—An explosion of chemicals may rob J. H. Vanderhider of his sight. The blast occurred when he was working with a blow torch.

MANY HUNDREDS IN MID-WESTERN STATES SUFFER

Loss of Property Reaches Millions Of Dollars

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 17.—With the death list resulting from tornadoes which swept portions of three central western states last night and today raised to 15, hundreds are injured, scores of families are homeless, and the property loss is estimated at several million dollars.

The greatest number of lives were lost at Hedrick, Ind., 12 miles west of Williamsport, and 15 miles northeast of Danville, Ill., from a tornado which swept the city at 4 o'clock this afternoon, with at least 100 persons injured.

Several others are roperted dead and many injured at farm houses within a five-mile radius of Hedrick. At Williamsport, Ind., a farmer was killed when his house collapsed in the face of a tornado which struck that town.

Southern Illinois Hit

At least eight persons were killed as the result of a storm which visited a small section of Southern Illinois. Four citizens of Centralia and four in the neighborhood of Irvington lost their lives. Estimates of the number injured in the section ranged from 20 to more than 100.

Kansas was the third state to feel the storm, but apparently there were no fatalities there. In Lola the damage was estimated at $100.000.

COVINGTON, Ill., April 17.—Relief workers from Centralia and surrounding towns, including a corps of Red Cross workers were here tonight caring for 300 homeless and a number of injured persons following the tornado which practically erased this town from the map. Four persons are dead and about forty others are seriously injured, according to a check by relief workers.

The dead:

E. Baldridge, 45; Valentine Schlosser, 48; Mrs. Charles Littrell, 46; an infant son of Charles Anderson.

Damage caused by the tornado is estimated at approximately $200,000 in this town of about 100 homes and business houses, and where the tornado cut a swath through Marion and Jefferson counties.

Scene of Desolation.

The scene here tonight is one of desolation. Half of the homes have been demolished. A strip over 25 miles long and about 150 yards wide was swept clean by the twister which flattened itself to the earth, lifted and slapped with terrific force, shattering everything in its course.

Physicians and ambulances from Centralia were here early this morning aiding the injured and conveying them to temporary places of safety and refuge. Members of families were separated and much confusion resulted in the frantic search for loved ones.

The more seriously injured are tonight being sent to Centralia where arrangements have been made in St. Mary's hospital for their care.

YOUTHS ALLEGED TO HAVE STOLEN MANY HORSES AND AUTOS

AMARILLO, April 17.—Four automobiles and three horses are alleged to have been stolen by two youths in connection with a third boy, all of whom are being held by Sheriff Johnson of Terry county, at Tahoka, after a chase clear across west Texas from Breckenridge to the sand hills west of Brownfield where they were captured.

DOCTOR CONVICTED OF HAVING CAUSED DEATH OF MOTHER

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, April 17.—Joseph Studer, formerly a physician of Peoria, Ill., was sentenced today in the superior court here to serve an indterminate sentence of one to ten years in San Quentin prison. The sentence followed Studer's conviction on a charge of manslaughter, based on the death of his mother, Elizabeth Studer, here last September. Studer was granted a five day stay and his attorneys gave notice of appeal from the verdict and sentence.

Studer was accused of having shaken his mother, who was 86 years dispute and as a result she either old, during the course of a family fell or stepped from a high porch receiving injuries that resulted in her death. Studer was tried twice. The first jury disagreed.

Does
A Hen
Cease
To Scratch

simply because food may be hard to find? Her hunger must be satisfied, hence she keeps scratching.

In any kind of business it pays to keep scratching by advertising in Wichita Falls newspapers. The harder business is to bring into your store, the harder you must "scratch" for it—because you MUST do business. And there is enough to go around. But let's keep it in Wichita Falls by advertising regularly.

HASKELL MEET ACTS TODAY ON MANY REPORTS

Discourage Jazz Says Mrs. Robertson's Recommendation z

Special to the Record News.

HASKELL, Texas, April 17.—The First District of Texas State Federation of Women's clubs met here today at 10 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. S. Robertson of Wichita Falls.

Greetings were extended by Mrs. Walter Murchison, president of the Magazine club; also a welcome by Mrs. J. U. Field of Haskell. The president then submitted her report of the year. This was answered by one from the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Spencer of Wichita Falls.

Many interesting discussions followed. After the meeting a delightful luncheon was served by the Harmony Magazine and Thursday clubs. Guests were welcomed by Mrs. H. S. Wilson, president of the Harmony club. After luncheon toasts were given by the state president, Mrs. Lee Joseph, Mesdames Buchanan, Couch, Robertson and Warner. At 2 o'clock a reception was given at the home of Mrs. J. U. Fields.

Thirty District Leaders Present

The session opened with about 30 district chairmen and sub-chairmen present, with Mrs. Walter S. Robertson of Wichita Falls, president of the district, presiding. Other district and several state officers and chairmen were also present.

In the executive board meeting held Monday morning, features of the meeting were recommendations offered by chairmen and sub-chairmen for submission to the federation Tuesday morning and recommendations of the president.

Should Discourage Jazz

Mrs. Robertson in a brief report to the board, made recommendations concerning the addition of dramatic art study, sponsorship to the district clubs and concerning the discouragement of jazz music; recommendations were also made that the district clubs adopt July 4 as "Citizenship day" as suggested by the national citizenship chairman, Mrs. Percy Pennybacker of Austin.

The Civic league of Wichita Falls received commendatory remarks and applause when a report of the open air market conducted by the league was given by Mrs. J. C. Berney and Miss Irene Davidson gave a report of the work done among the negroes.

Monday afternoon the visitors were motored to Rule, where tea was served at the home of Mrs. J. D. Westbrook of the women's club.

The meetings are being held in the new Christian church, which has been lately dedicated.

MEN OWE LIVES TO POOR MARKSMANSHIP

DENISON, Texas, April 17.—Mike Patti and E. O. Fredericks can owe their lives to each other's poor markmanship, according to the police who have placed both men under arrest after a pistol battle and affray early this morning. Standing within ten feet of each other, the two men fired several shots at each other, none of which took effect according to police. Then tossing their guns aside, they resorted to natural weapons. In the melee Patti bit off Fredericks' finger at the first joint, police said. Neither would state the cause of the fight, according to police.

LOCOMOTIVE SHOPS OF "KATY" REOPEN

DENISON, Texas, April 17.—The Katy railroad locomotive shops here resumed work today after a month's layoff. About 300 men returned to work the shop superintendent stated. All locomotive shops on the road resumed work today, the office of F. K. Tutt, superintendent of motive power announced.

HOUSTON MAN NAMED TO TEXAS PRO. OFFICE

HOUSTON, Texas, April 17.—W. W. Edwards, federal prohibition agent here, was today notified by the prohibition commissioner at Washington of his promotion to general prohibition agent of Texas. The position carries a $3,000 yearly salary. He will work on special assignments from the Washington office.

BOY DROWNS WHILE RESCUING WOMAN

WACO, Texas, April 17.—Advices from Belton today announce the drowning near there yesterday afternoon of Chester Cox, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cox of Belton. The lad lost his life in a rescue of a young woman. The girl was caught in the swift current while a party was in swimming and Cox plunged in and saved her but was caught in a whirlpool and drowned.

MEXICAN SERIOUSLY WOUNDS OFFICER

MERCEDES, Texas, April 17.—John Bales, deputy sheriff, was shot and probably fatally wounded in an exchange of shots last night with a Mexican who recently had broken jail at McAllen and whom Bales was attempting to arrest. The Mexican later was captured, suffering from wounds in the neck, arm and leg. Bales was shot over the heart and will probably die, physicians said.

AGE MEANS NOTHING?

(By International News Service)

RICHWOOD, W. Va., April 17.—John Clark, of Camp No. 54 of the Pardee-Curtin Lumber company, who came to Richwood a few days ago to buy supplies, declared that while he was 108 years old, he was in splendid health and could hew cross ties for railways with as little difficulty as he did in the days of his youth.

Clark said he had been married thirty-five children, of whom twenfive times and was the father of ty-two are living. His fifth wife died eight years ago, after giving birth to twins.

ARGENTINA TO BUILD TEN SHIPS FOR NAVY

(By International News Service)

LONDON, April 17.—Being unable to obtain satisfactory financial terms and guaranteed dates for degotiating with a Swedish firm for livery from Britain, Argentina is nethe construction of ten naval vessels.

LIVESTOCK DEALS AT EAST ST. LOUIS HELD TO BE ILLEGAL

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Charging that the St. Louis livestock exchange and 110 order buyers, dealers and trades at the East S. Louis National stockyards had "combined to put into effect a prastical boycott against independent commission companies," Secretary Wallace today issued his first order under the packers and stockyards act directing the "respondents to cease from the practice" on the ground that their acts "constituted a restraint of trade in violation of the stockyards act."

M'CORMICK—

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main as city attorney and as legal advisor to the council. Another attorney will be appointed as a prosecutor at the city court, and the salaries of the two attorneys will be adjusted as to cost practically the same as under the old arrangement.

Officials who will remain are: Fire Chief McClure, Dr. A. H. Douglass, city chemist and chief health officer; George neer Rugeley; F. N. Lawton, Thorburn, city clerk; City Engihead of the water department; H. J. Anderson, tax assessor and collector and practically all of the lesser officials in these various departments.

Salary readjustments went over to a meeting later in the week.

Routine Business

Other business disposed of was largely of a routine nature. It included hearing of an application of taxpayers in the neighborhood of the Bowie school for water lines and improved streets; the appointment of Shepherd, Clifford and Stayton a committee to consider the renting of the building next to the city hall on Ohio for quarters for the water department in lieu of present quarters in the basement of the Morgan building; the hearing of a protest from Ohio avenue property owners on the routing of the Henrietta highway out of the city; the presentation of further testimony in connection with the case of Henry C. Bracey, aged man alleged to have been mistreated by the police, and the hearing of protests on the paving ordered for Burnett street.

The Bowie school petition was presented as a result of action taken at a recent meeting of property owners in that section, S. Hockderffer of 109 Oriole presenting the case for his neighbors.

Ohio avenue property owners, for whom Myles O'Reilly, J. L. Jackson, Dan Hardy and H. B. Hines were spokesmen, protested the proposal to route the paved highway out Lamar and Jalonic proposing instead that it turn off Jalonic into Mississippi, then into Barwise and then to a point where connection could be established with Ohio, Indiana and Scott. The fact that the Lamar route would carry travelers away from the established business part of the town would be to the detriment of the three business streets of the town, that the crossing would have to be made across privately owned property, and that obstructing buildings made the proposed crossing a dangerous one, were advanced in this connection. Paving of Mississippi to a 30-foot street with the 18 provided by the county, was promised in this connection.

Police Complaint.

Ed Staley presented several affidavits to the city council in connection with the investigation made last week by Police Commissioner Fitts concerning the Henry C. Bracey case. At the last meeting of the council Commissioner Fitts was asked to make an investigation of the case after protest had been made by friends regarding the treatment given Bracey, who is an aged man, by the police department.

The report of the commissioner absolved the police department of any blame in the matter. The affidavits Monday night were signed by Frank Bates, J. L. DeGroot, Mrs. W. R. Stevens, Mrs. Stella E. Stateli and M. S. Stateli. They testified that he had been ill for some time and in a weakened condition.

Burnett Paving.

After eighteen property owners living on Burnett street between Tenth street and the Wichita Valley railroad tracks had protested the paving of the street for which contract has already been let, the council closed the hearing but postponed action as to final ordering in of the paving. Final action will be taken later in the week. Mrs. A. E. Anderson, Mrs. S. R. McConnell, Mrs. N. Carpenter, J. D. Sherer, W. Morgan, H. R. Gilley, J. M. Russell, Mrs. K. T. Riner, J. T. Powell and Charles Watson were among those who protested the ordering in the paving declaring either that they were not financially able to pave or that they considered it too high at the contract price. It developed during the hearing that a property owner with 70-foot frontage would pay approximately $666 for their share of the cost in addition to the fourth which the city pays.

D. D. McIver and Judge J. W. Akin asked the council to order the paving in. They said that the property owners had been seeking paving for several years and that they did not consider the price too high.

Ed Ailes, representing the Texas Bihulithic company, to whom the contract has been let, closed the hearing with a brief talk. He said that the cost was not out of line with similar paving in other cities, as had been charged, and said that present prices represented a substantial decrease over a year ago. He pointed out that although there were 90 property owners involved, less than one-fourth had protested the paving.

"If you waited until everybody wanted to pave you would never pave a street in this city," he declared. He promised to make special terms in the way of long time payments to those who were not in a position to pay.

FINE, NOT FEED 'EM

(By International News Service)

CRIPPLE CREEK, Col., April 17.—Because "bootleggers are eating Teller county out of house and home," County Commissioner Richard Quinn wants the courts to assess fines against liquor law violators instead of giving them jail sentences.

Quinn declared that filling the jail with bootleggers and moonshiners is too costly a proposition. He expressed the belief that some of the counties in Colorado will spend all their available funds boarding and lodging violators of the dry law.

MONARCHIES PREFER ALIEN KINGS TODAY

Foreign princes have the call to the thrones of Europe. A royal foster of 12 countries shows that the rulers in each are of foreign birth. Germans rule five countries. Frenchmen two and the others are scattered. Of the best known rulers, George V is a German. So is Albert of Belgium. Alfonso XIII of Spain is of French stock and Lenin of Russia is a Tartar.

Left to right, top: Albert I, Belgium; Victor Emmanuel III, Italy; George V. England; Ferdinand I, Roumania; William, Albania. Center row: Constantine I, Greece; Alfonso XIII, Spain; Haakon VII, Norway; Gustav V, Sweden. Bottom: Fual I, Egypt; Boris III, Bulgaria; Lenin, Russia.

LATEST OBREGON PHOTO

PROMINENT FARMER KILLED NEAR MEXIA; RELATIVE ARRESTED

By Associated Press.

MEXIA, Texas, April 17.—Eugene Aycock, 50, farmer, was shot to death on his farm seven miles north of here late today. His brother-in-law, Wyatt Cogdell surrendered to officers here tonight and was released under $3,000 bond after waiving examining trial, on charge of murder.

Both men are said to have exchanged shots and June Cogdell, father of young Cogdell and the slain man's wife, said in a statement tonight that his son fired to defend him. June Cogdell is a pioneer citizen of this section an is head of a well-known family. The trouble is believed to have arisen over some livestock.

RUCKER BACK AGAIN

Nap Rucker's recent appearance on the mound in Brooklyn for the Dodgers against the Yankees in an exhibition game raised the query as to when he last showed himself to Dodger fans in uniform. According to the dope Nap stepped into the box the last time at Ebbetts field in the last game of the world's series with the Red Sox in 1916.

JOLTS MISSING LINK

(By International News Service.)

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—The "missing link" theory received a severe jolt here recently when Professor William K. Gregory, curator of the department of comparative anatomy of the American Museum of Natural History (New York), declared that the great gap in the development of the human species exists not between man and the gorilla, but between the gorilla and the lower anthropoids.

Do You Make Your Own?

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MOURNED AS DEAD, MEN ARE RESCUED FROM TOP OF TREE

By Associated Press.

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., April 17.—Mourned for hours as the first to lose their lives in the flood which has held this city in its grip for two weeks, Grover Dodds, 22, of Beardstown and J. L. Lower Jr., a farmer, were rescued tonight from a tree top in which they had clung four hours after their boat capsized. They were nearly exhausted from exposure.

REPORT ISSUED ON COTTONSEED

Output of Crude Oil Decreases

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The cotton seed products report of the census bureau for the eight months' period ending March 31, issued today, shows:

Cotton seed crushed 2,840,431 tons, compared with 3,525,628 for the same period a year ago, and on hand at mills March 31, 107,508 tons compared with 302,926.

Crude oil produced 875,676,202 pounds, compared with 1,126,063,846 and on hand 60,088,993 pounds, compared with 164,326,600.

Refined oil produced 739,021,432 pounds, compared with 871,943,048, and on hand 299,592,981 pounds compared with 368,293,901.

Cake and meal produced 1,290,741 tons compared with 1,550,508, and on hand 178,072 tons, compared with 715,503.

Linters produced 375,175 bales, compared with 389,117 and on hand 144,683 bales, compared with 264,385.

Export of linters were 86,858 running bales, compared with 32,347.

INTERNATIONAL CHURCH CONFERENCE IS ARRANGED

(By International News Service.)

LONDON, April 17.—Under the auspices of the World Church League for the promotion of International understanding, an international Church conference is to be held in Copenhagen from August 5 to 11.

Between a hundred and fifty to two hundred delegates are expected to attend and the subjects to be discussed include the position of national religious minorities, co-operation with other Christian movements and with labor organization, reconciliation and reconstruction.

PLAN $50,000 STAKE

A $50,000 care which will really be for the three-year-old championship is the latest thoroughbred event planned for lovers of the runners. The Kentucky Jockey club offers the purse to bring together the winners of the three big turf events of the year, the Kentucky Derby, the Preakness and the Belmonth stakes. All three of these events tre $50,000 affairs, which makes the list of purses for 1922 the juciest the game has had.

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BRITISH TRADE TRIP LEAVES LONDON MAY 1

(By International News Service.)

LONDON, April 17.—On May 1, a British trade expedition, consisting of 300 representatives of British commercial firms, with their samples, and organized by the British World Travel, Trade and Kinematograph Exposition, leaves London on a world tour lasting nine months.

They will be carried on the liner British Trader, a 10,000-ton boat, which will be, to all intents and purposes, a floating British fair.

WORKS FOR CHILD MUST KEEP WELL

Mothers in a Like Situation Should Read This Letter from Mrs. Enrico

Chicago, Illinois.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for a serious trouble. I had tried doctors and all said the same—an operation. At first I only felt the pain on my left side, but later I seemed to feel it on both sides. I am a power sewing-machine operator and have a little girl to support. I work in a tailor shop and that line of work has been very slack this year and I am home part of the time. I do not like to take any chances, so I consulted my friends, and one lady said, 'Take Lydia Pinkham's medicine,' so I did. I have felt better right along and am in good enough health to go to work. I recommend your Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash to all."—Mrs. MARY ENRICO, 459 N. Carpenter St., Chicago.

Often the mother is obliged to support her children and good health is necessary. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is just the medicine you can depend upon. It is a medicine for women's ailments and the relief it brought Mrs. Enrico it may bring to you.

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KLANSMEN STIR DENISON TOWN

Disbanding Report Is Not Confirmed

Special to the Record News.

DENISON, Texas, April 17.—The report has been general here during the past week that the Denison Klan No. 113, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan had disbanded, but so far the Klan has not commented on the report and it remains unconfirmed.

Considerable interest was aroused here two weeks ago when a deacon of the First Baptist church snatched the mask from the face of a Klansman, while members of the organization were visiting the church.

It was reported that the Klansman was recognized as being a Denison business man. The affair was submitted to a grand jury in the fifty-ninth district court, but so far no indictments have been returned. Following the affair, the report became general that the Klan had disbanded.

JAPS MAY CONTROL HAWAII IN 17 YEARS

(By International News Service.)

HONOLULU, T. H., April 17.—American citizens of Japanese ancestry will within seventeen years be in position to outvote all other nationalities in Hawaii, according to Shunzo Sakamaki, a Japanese resident of Hilo.

There now are almost 20,000 Japanese children in Hawii who by virtue of their birth on American soil are full-fledged American citizens and eligible to vote when of age, Sakamaki declared. This number he estimated to be increasing at the rate of about 5,000 yearly, which would put voters of Japanese parentage in the majority within the specified seventeen years.

PRESIDENTIAL CHARIOT TO BECOME STAGE BUS

(By International News Service)

SEATTLE, April 17.—Commuters between Seattle and North Bend, 50 miles east of here, will soon have the privilege of riding in an automobile which, less than two years ago, was the private car of Woodrow Wilson while he was President of the United States.

The ex-presidential chariot, a 1915 model, was recently purchased by Emil Arneson and William [illegible] operators of a stage line, and is being fitted up for the North Bend run.

The chassis will be lengthened to twenty-one feet, the machine fitted with leather-upholstered seats sufficient to carry twenty-two passengers, a smoking compartment with silver ash trays, and a compartment for women installed.

NEW BOTANIC GARDEN FOR NATION PROPOSED

(By International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Plans for a new National Botanic Garden in the nation's capital are being pressed forward under the direction of a congressional committee headed by Senator Ransdell of Louisiana.

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STUNT FLYER CIRCUS STAR

Human Squirrel to Perform Here

Cyle Horchem, the greatest stunt flyer in the world and known to aviators as "The Human Squirrel," will be one of the principal figures in the American Legion aviation tournament April 29 to 30. Representatives of Pat Carrigan post, who had been after Horchem for over three weeks, succeeded in obtaining a signed contract from him Monday, announcing soon after that the "Squirrel" will enter the meet.

Horchem, it is learned, will bring seven Laird ("Swallow") planes with him from Tampa, Fla., and will give the Wichitans who attend the tourney some exciting thrills if he follows up his record in other such events.

The "Squirrel" holds the record of being the only living aviator who goes into the spiral with his plane upside down. Flying on his back as excellently as he does with the airship righted, Horchem recklessly shoots his Laird into an interesting spiral.

In the consecutive loop contest held by the American Legion in an air carnival recently held in Kansas City, Mo., Horchem made 11 consecutive loops, losing no altitude and winning the event. The judges barred the flyer on the last day of the contests because of the reckless manner in which he handled his plane.

Three weeks ago, the "Squirrel" carried a 706-pound man from the Wortham show grounds at Burkburnett to an altitude of 1,500 feet in less than five minutes on a wager that he could do such an act in a trick Laird ship.

Horchem is former president of the Continental Flying school, and is only one of the aviators who will participate in the mammoth legion tournament. It was stated officially Monday that probably fifty airships, including a number from Fort Sill, Okla., will take part, while a total of $3,000 in purses will be given by the Pat Carrigan post in the contest.

SCARBOROUGH ASKS UNITED PRAYER AND WORK OF CHRISTIANS

Dr. L. R. Scarborough, evangelist, spoke last night at the First Baptist church to a large Monday night congregation on the theme of co-operation in Christian work. Aside from being a minister of much power, Dr. Scarborough is a business man who handles one of the most important educational institutions in the state. He can easily speak to business men in a convincing manner, as shown by his message last night.

Last night Dr. Scarborough said "No man of sound intelligence can afford to be selfish in his Christian activities. Our lives may be of varied importance, but a soul has an equal share in God's plan of redemption. God uses lives in saving souls. Is your life such that he could use it in Kingdon work? Is your life such that you can co-operate with other lives during this special season of revival meetings? The bible holds many promises for the individual, but the united efforts of two or more directed for his glory, has promise of power and influence that cannot come to single individuals. Unless we have united prayer on the part of this church, even now in the beginning of our revival, the abundant harvest which He can give us will not be reaped."

There have already been 18 additions to the church and Pastor O. L. Powers feels greatly rejoiced at the outlook for a far-reaching revival.

Tonight, in keeping with the music for each service, R. Vaughn Ray will sing a special solo.

Morning services are limited to one hour beginning at 10 o'clock.

CHAMP UNCROWNED

BOSTON, April 17.—Charles Jankieson, Toronto, national amateur boxing champion, was uncrowned tonight in the trial rounds of the title tournament, John Rini, Cleveland, boxing at 147 pounds, Jenkieson weight, outpunched and out scored the champion.

Electra and Henrietta Contracts Let to Fort Worth Concerns When Commissioners Open 10 Road Bids

Two Fort Worth construction companies were awarded the contracts to build the Henrietta and Electra north roads when the commissioners' court sat in executive session yesterday afternoon.

The McCollum Construction company, with a bid of $151,082.37, will construct the 4.25-mile concrete road known as the Electra North, while the Tibbetts Construction company will build the Henrietta road which calls for 4.4 miles of reinforced concrete, having bid $131,404 for the contract.

Ten bids were received by the county engineer, five for each of the projects, the companies including the following:

Henrietta road—McCall, Moore Engineering company of Waco, $146-501; L. E. Whitham & Company of Wichita Falls, $133,935.60; F. P. McElwrath of Corsicana $130,680; Tibbetts Construction company of Fort Worth $131,404; McCollum Construction company of Fort Worth $144,234.

Electra North—McCall, Moore Engineering company $166,707.66; D. O. Gilstrap of Iowa Park $147,-992.94; F. P. McElwrath $155,-387.48; McCollum Construction company $143,495.22; Tibbetts Construction company $15,082-.37.

The concrete roads, which will be of the reinforced type, will both be eighteen feet wide. The Henrietta highway leaves this city on Jalonic street.

Leaving Town? Call 4381

Home Town Stuff

It Interests Everybody

Mrs. Wiley Wyatt has returned to San Antonio after a short visit with friends in the city.

Mrs. W. H. Gwinn of Elk City, Oklahoma is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Cabiness at 1712 Huff.

Mrs. C. W. Beavers left Monday for Hot Springs, Arkansas where she will attend the Y. W. C. A. National conference.

Milburn Nutt of Salmon & Nutt of this city, has returned from a business trip in Memphis, Tennessee.

A. G. Huffhines, formerly of the Southern Electric company is now connected with the Little Sporting Goods company.

Miss Catherine Carter, who is attending St. Mary's academy at Wichita Falls, Texas, is here visiting friends and relatives.—Frederick (Okla.) Leader.

Rev. J. L. McLendon of Peniel, agent for the Peniel Orphans' home, is making a business visit in Wichita Falls.

FIRE RAVAGES TEN ACRES IN HEART OF CITY OF MARYLAND

By Associated Press.

POCOMOKE CITY, Md., April 17.—With ten acres in the heart of this city burned over, causing a property damage of over $2,000,000 Governor Ritchie tonight ordered a company of the first regiment, Maryland national guard, at Salisbury, to proceed here at once to protect property which escaped the flames.

BOOZE FOUND WHEN "CAVE" IS ENTERED

The old abode of the "hermit," widely known alley character who was recently sent to the asylum, has been desecrated, according to a discovery made by police officers Monday night. The officers entered the "cave" located just off Bonner street on the east side and were met with illicit odors.

They arrested Clark Pipes and Tom Cooper in the cave and after digging around in the floor of the place found a quantity of whiskey and choctaw beer. Officers expressed the belief that the place had been used as a storage for liquor. Federal charges of possession were filed against the two men arrested.

DISCUSS FINANCING OF NEW HIGH SCHOOL

Financing of the proposed new high school business was discussed at a meeting of the school board Monday night. W. W. Brown, business manager of schools, refused to divulge the nature of the discussion, declaring that he had been instructed by the board to make no part of the discussion public.

AVIATORS BALL

An aviators' ball honoring the flyers who will participate in the American Legion's air carnival here April 29 to 30 will be given at the Kemp hotel the evening of April 29 by the Pat Carrigan post.

COURT NOTES

SUITS FILED
30th District Court

Burt Williams vs. Drysdale et al., debt.

Burt Williams vs. Humble Oil and Refining company, garnishment.

Osage Oil and Refining company vs. Travis Oil and Refining company, debt.

Republic Supply company vs. C. W. Jones, debt.

Texhoma Oil and Refining company vs. C. A. Woody, debt.

89th District Court

Texhoma Oil and Refining company vs. Victor Refining company et al., debt.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

R. T. Edwards and Ruby Edwards, Burkburnett.

U. M. Fisher and Hattie Whitlock, Verden, Okla.

Joe W. Zuludek and Angeline Ermis, city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

J. S. Smith to J. W. Akin one-half interest in first tract of 80 acres of J. A. Scott survey, survey No. 17, also 80 acres of same survey in Survey No. 18; $7,550. 1-27-22.

M. D. Walker to G. C. Jensen all of lot 9 block 5 of Southland addition to the city; $11,000. 4-12-22.

J. M. Finch to J. W. Carithers lots 4 and 5, block 236, city of Wichita Falls. 4-8-22.

Mrs. Beatrice Ross to B. B. Ross lot 6, block 219; lots 1, 2 and 3, block 143, city; all of lot 6, block 8, Sibley Taylor, 3-11-22.

Louis Kro et ux. to Rudolph Blaner et ux., land in Louis Powell survey; $6,000. 4-12-22.

Ellis Dudley et ux. to James L. Boase lot 6 and west half of lot 5, Ellis addition to Burkburnett, $6,500. 3-13-22.

E. M. Belcher to J. M. Finch numerous lots in blocks 51-62 and part of lots 4 and 5, block 236 of the city of Wichita Falls. 8-30-21.

T. W. Parker et ux. to J. F. Emerich all of lot 4 in block 80, Floral Heights addition to the city, $8,400. 3-22-22.

A. C. Nance, A. E. Traeger to O. W. Harvey, part of lots 14 and 15 in black 49-A, Highland addition; $500. 3-9-22.

EDWARDS RELEASED

R. T. Edwards, arrested last week charged with a statutory offense and who was released Saturday by Judge E. W. Napier of the 78th district court under $5,000 bond was married Monday by Justice of the Peace Gwinn to Ruby Edwards. Both are residents of Burkburnett. According to officers Mrs. Edwards' statement last week was the cause of the arrest of her husband.

METHODIST SOCIAL

Circle No. 1 of the First Methodist Church, South, met with Mrs. C. H. Clark at 2500 Ninth street, Monday.

In the program, arranged for the occasion, Mrs. W. J. Nolan led the devotional service which was followed in prayer. Miss Vera Cain rendered two piano solos, "Fairy Gavottee" and "Serenade Badine" followed by a discussion on "Christian Stewardship," by Mrs. Flora Perham.

Mrs. J. M. Brown addressed the circle on "Topics from the Voice."

In the business meeting which came at the conclusion of the program, two new members, Mrs. R. Hibbs and Mrs. M. E. Catter, were introduced. One hundred and twenty dollars was the report of the secretary as dues collected.

CULBERTSON IS BACK AT POST

Returns From 60-Day Inspection Trip

Major W. L. Culbertson, regular army officer as inspector and instructor for the Texas National guard, was back in his headquarters here Monday after about sixty days of almost continuous travel, broken by only one or two flying visits here.

Major Culbertson expects to be in his office more during the coming few weeks, as a regular army captain, and an additional sergeant-instructor has been detailed to the office here.

Col. Paul Wolfe, Major Culbertson's former commanding officer in the Second division, and crack authority on rifle work, is now in command of the work with the National guard in southwestern states, Major Culbertson has been informed. Col. Wolfe, who had a distinguished overseas record as a brigade commander, and who has an equally good record as an chief instructor, is known to several Wichitans whom he has met on visits here, or who have met him at San Antonio.

He was the guest of former Mayor Cline on a shooting trip in southwest Texas following a visit here last fall. Col. Wolfe is expected on a regular visit at Major Culbertson's headquarters in the near future.

Big Crowd Sees Wall Scaler in His Climb Here

Seven stories of brick and an impossible looking cornice on the Bob Waggoner building all appeared child's play to Ray Royce, "America's youngest human fly," who scaled the walls of the big structure and climbed the flag pole at the top of the building Monday afternoon before a large audience which surged into the streets.

Royce went up the side of the brick building story at a time, just as he had told the crowd below that he would do, while a large crowd standing on all corners and out in the streets, held their breath.

When Royce had gained the seventh story of the Waggoner, "Iron Jaw" Webb put his bulldog teeth to the end of an inner tire tube and suspended himself from the top of the building for almost a minute. This completed, Royce continued his perilous journey over the top of the building, using a rope, which he climbed hand over hand, to gain the top of the cornice.

The performance was enacted for the benefit of the Newsboys' Athletic club.

Prior to the performance, liberal donations were received for the benefit of the Newsboys' association.

The association feels grateful to the two exhibitionists for their work, and the able manner in which they entertained the crowd.

Royce and Webb left last night for Lawton, Okla.

Aerial Circus May Be Held on Old Landing Field

Pat Carrigan post's aviation tournament will probably be held at the old landing field located west of the Downing swimming pool, at the end of the Southland car line.

That conclusion was drawn Monday when a committee of American Legionnaires composed of A. L. Taylor and Dr. A. W. Wilson conferred with J. B. Bonner, local attorney, in the offices of Dr. Wilson in a effort to reconcile the aviation carnival, which the legion will hold April 29 and 30 with the one proposed by Mr. Bonner to be held April 22 and 23, the conference ending with no agreement having been reached.

Mr. Bonner, who holds a lease over Call field, where the legionnaires planned to hold their meet, offered Pat Carrigan post the use of the grounds for 20 per cent of the net receipts, the representatives of the post refusing to give the lessee more than $500 as a flat price for the field.

Following the conference, Frank Kell offered the post the use of the old landing field, which, it was said last night by local officials of the legion, will probably be accepted.

No. 2 Waggoner Shows Up Good

Drilling the oil sand at 1460 feet, the No. 2 Waggoner of Spencer and D'Yarmett and the Eureka Drilling company, in the new pool opened south of Electra a few weeks ago, is showing up for an even better producer than the No. 1, according to reports from the field Monday night.

The new well was bailed Monday evening, and oil was rising in the hole. It will be drilled in today with a star, if no delay is encountered.

The No. 2 is 600 feet west of the No. 1, making an extension of two locations. A star machine is on No. 3, located between No. 1 and No. 2, to drill to the 800 foot sand. No. 4 has been located 600 feet west of No. 2, and No. 5 is a location 600 feet north of the No. 1 well.

CONCRETE POURED FOR CREEK BRIDGE

Concrete is being poured on the Holliday creek bridge, according to J. M. Isbell, county engineer, who said yesterday that the project will probably be completed within the next forty days.

The bridge at the creek is a 70-foot steel span, having an 18-foot concrete floor. The structure is designed to carry a 15-ton roller, and is being erected at an approximate cost of $7,600.

WHERE TO GO

Olympic—Wallace Reid and Elsie Ferguson in "Forever."

Empress—May McAvoy in "A Virginia Courtship."

Gem—Wm. Stowell in "Fighting Mad."

Vets Hospital Can Be Brought Here If People of Wichita Falls Want It, Kell Says on Return to City

Wichita Falls can obtain the psycopathic hospital for former veterans of the world war if this city wants it.

That was the report of Frank Kell at the chamber of commerce board meeting.

The discussion which followed the report was concluded by the directors authorizing Mr. Kell to invite Washington officials to inspect the territory at Wichita Falls with a view to possibly bringing the hospital here.

The older boys' conference which will be held in Wichita Falls under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. this month, held the attention of the meeting for a short while, the directors agreeing to foster it through aiding the advertising campaign of the conference.

Hubert Harrison, secretary reported that eastern business houses are pointing out that Wichita Falls is the best location in the southwest for a bonded warehouse, and that one is needed in this territory more than anywhere at the present time. The directors agreed that a large warehouse has been needed here for a number of years and the appointment of J. M. McFall and E. S. Goodner to act as a committee to investigate the warehouse needs with a view to bringing one here followed.

SPEAKING DATES OF OUSLEY ANNOUNCED

FORT WORTH, April 16.—Following are speaking dates for Clarence Ousley, candidate for U. S. senator this week: Jacksboro, Tuesday, April 18, 2:30 p. m., Bridgeport, 8:00 p. m.; Graham, Wednesday, April 19, 8:00 p. m.; Olney, Thursday, April 20, 2:30 p. m.; Seymour, 8:00 p. m.; Friday, April 21, 2:30 p. m.; Haskell, 8:00 p. m.; Stamford. Saturday's date will be announced later.

CULLEN THOMAS SPEAKS TODAY

University Club to Hear Candidate

Cullen F. Thomas, candidate for the United States senate, who will be the guest of the Wichita Falls University club today noon at the regular weekly luncheon held at the Kemp hotel, arrived here at 2.30 this morning from Decatur, Texas.

Mr. Thomas will breakfast at the Kemp this morning at 7:30 with a committee of University club members including Judge P. A. Martin, Judge Charles F. Spencer, John P. Marrs and others. He will meet his friends in the Kemp parlors from 11 to 12, while he will be the guest of the club from 12 o'clock until 1.30 this afternoon, delivering a non-political address.

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WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN

William Jennings Bryan says that there are many editors who write as if they were drunk. W. J. B. should not be so censorious. He says too many editorials are written day after day that are encouraging lawlessness. He says some of these editorals suggest that they were written while the author was under the influence of liquor. He says no sober man could write that way. Democrats who attended the San Francisco convention in the year 1920 were furious when they read Mr. Bryan's daily editorial contributions which appeared in the Hearst newspapers. They did not say that Mr. Bryan was drunk. They did not say that he was embicilic. They did say that Mr. Bryan was writing for the Hearst papers at so much per column and it was estimated that he was taking down $30,000 a year as a reward for his brain creations. Mr. Hearst was pot-shooting all the Democratic leaders from Woodrow Wilson to Patricia O'Keefe. He was broad-siding the League of Nations and Great Britain and Japan. He was for everything that the Wilson administration had condemned and against everything that the Wilson administration had represented or indorsed. Mr. Bryan is a great man; he is a moral man; he is a total abstainer but he is very intemperant at times when he is speaking or writing of men who do not accept his point of view. This is a free country. Americans are guaranteed freedom of legitimate action, freedom of speech and a free press. There are times when Mr. Bryan insists on a monopoly of all three. Those who do not agree with him are derided and those who take issue with him are scorched. There is not an exchange coming to this office that carries an editorial or editorials either preaching or advocating lawlessness. Mr. Bryan made his bread and meat as an editor after he failed as a lawyer and a politician. He should be charitable. No charitable is not the word. He should be just.

BROTHER IN BLACK

Give the brother in black a chance. Negroes of Williamson County held an agricultural fair at Round Rock which was largely attended and a financial success and the papers in that section of Texas say there was a fine showing of the farm and home activities of the blacks. All the exhibits tended to demonstrate the industrial and educational efforts of the negro of Williamson and adjoining counties. These negroes who are tillers of the soil are digging their way out as well as digging their way up. They are industrious and law abiding and they are wealth makers. It is the negro who remains on the farm who is making the most rapid progress under Southern skies. His black brother in the cities and towns is a slow traveler.

DEATH CROSSINGS

There will be no more Kansas highways built with federal aid where there is a railroad crossing at a grade. The government has adopted the rule. The government is so insistent on the elimination of grade crossings wherever there is heavy motor traffic and heavy railroad traffic that it undertakes to pay nearly half the elimination expense. The railroad is required to pay one-half the cost. Now why shouldn't this be the rule away down here in Texas? Why should the death traps known as grade crossings be tolerated? Texas is spending millions of dollars for modern highways, then why not abolish the death grade crossings everywhere?

GREAT MINDS DIFFER

Theodore H. Price predicts easy money likely for a long period and easy flotation of loans at low rates. Roger W. Babson in his last review reminded the people that the strike of cotton mill operatives would clear the shelves of all the stocks of cotton goods; that the strike of coal miners would wipe out the coal surplus or reserve stock and then the demand for cotton goods and the demand for coal would be so great that prosperity would swoop down upon the country as the hawk lights upon the chick. Theodore H. Price says that should the strikes last much longer the effect will be felt in business circles. These writers on economics should get together and compare notes. They are as far apart as the poles.

STRAWS ARE POINTERS

In the month of February the cotton mills of New England consumed 473,073 bales of cotton. In the month of March, 518,450. In March, 1921, the New England mills consumed 438,218 bales. According to the statisticians this brings the total domestic consumption of cotton from August 1 to April 1 to 4,002,975 bales as compared with 3,170,592 bales during the same period in 1921. Cotton has resumed its old swing. Wool has come back. Building materials have advanced. There is a heavy demand for lumber. It is said that production is not keeping pace with the demand and prices are climbing. New construction in March, 1922, is placed at $234,000,000; in March, 1921, it was $118,000,000. These business straws are given to show the pessimists that their wining days are over. They are also given to show optimists that the business trend is ever upward.

FLOOD GATES CLOSED

Congress has continued the 3 per cent immigration quota law for two years from June 20, 1922. Immigrants desiring to enter the country by way of Mexico, Canada, Cuba and Newfoundland will be required to show a residence in one of those countries of five years, in place of one and two years as the present law provides. Representative John C. Box of Texas is responsible for the amendment. He was responsible for an amendment providing for an extension to the five year period for all immigrants but the House refused to accept it. It is unnecessary for candidates for congress away down here in Texas to tell what they will do if elected in the way of restricted immigration. The sitting congress has made it unnecessary for campaign bunk along these lines. Under the Quota Law it is estimated that a maximum of 50,000 immigrants will be admitted every year. Foreign steamship companies and large American employers of paper labor under contract will be the principal losers.

HARKEN TO THE PROPHET

Mexico exported 17,000,000 barrels of oil in the month of March. Colonel A. E. Humphreys has returned to Texas from New York. He expressed the belief on his return that higher prices for crude oil will be reached within the next sixty days owing to the growing demand for oil and the increasing consumption of gasoline which he says promises to make a new high record for the year 1922. If the Colonel is a real prophet, then the West Texas oil men should be getting at least $2.50 a barrel for their oil before the month of July. This will help some. But why keep Mexican crude on the free list?

EXTRA CREW PUT ON TO HANDLE BUSINESS

Special to the Record News.

SOUTH BEND, Texas, April 17—Freight traffic on the Wichita Falls and Southern Railway has increased to such proportions that an extra train crew was placed on duty last week, according to Agent Hollis. The movement of oil well supplies, crude oil and refinery products is especially heavy at this time. Before the end of the year South Bend will be on a trunk line that will give us direct connection with St. Louis and other northern and eastern points. Work on the Waurika-Byers extension will be commenced immediately.

Federal roads, either completed or under construction in the United States at the end of the present fiscal year, will require approximately 50,000,000 tons of stone and gravel for the making of 28,000 miles of highway.

The first natitonal good roads congress in the Argentine will be held in Buenos Aires in May. At the termination of this congress a plan for the construction of a net work of roads throughout the republic, drawn up by the Touring club Argentino, will be submitted to the Argentino congress as a basis of proposed legislation.

SHORT ONES

By ROBERT QUILLEN

California—land of sunshine and hung juries.

Buy a radiophone and eavesdrop on the whole world.

The proper name for the bootleg product is alcoholl.

Modern version: God help the rich; the poor can bootleg.

The Senate is all right. How's that for an original idea?

A collapsible drinking cup usually proves it at about the third swallow.

Some roughnecks are made that way by environment, and some by the way collars are laundered.

Where, now, is the "shy, downward glance" of the oldfash fiction heroine?

Respectfully dedicated to Central: "Tell me not in mournful numbers that are wrong."

The umpires are on the job and the fans yell that the first robbin' is here.

Some young men stick to the straight and narrow way; others to the straight-and-flush way.

The following is a full list of things the average flapper does to help her mother:

Ruth Law, aviatrix, has quit flying and settled down—instead of crashnig down as they usually do.

God created males and females, but the neuter-gender lounge lizard simply developed from nothing.

College fratrenities have grown and spread until some of them have more chapters than a Dickens novel.

The man who wears an empty sleeve is pathetic. But the man who wears an empty hat is much more so.

Looking into a mirror, a woman finds her favorite work of art, a man his favorite topic of conversation.

Unfortunately, it's not the Pollyanna, but the chronic kicker, who seems to get the best service at a restaurant.

Some men mail signed checks, with the amounts blank, when they're not sure of the sums owed. And some men are intelligent.

An optimist—definition number 765,987—is a man who, when left holding the sack, cuts it up and makes himself a suit of clothes.

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

(Continued From Page One)

drive of two weeks. It is said this city wide campaign accomplished great things for Fort Worth and stirred the people of the city as nothing had ever done before. It is said the movement centered the attention of all the people, including non-church goers, upon the church as never before. A noted Baptist preacher is quoted as having said that the drive gave an impetus to community church and Christian spirit and that more people had been reached with the preaching of the gospel than ever before in the city of Fort Worth. It is said that approximately 2,000 additions to church membership resulted and that fully as many more are expected to come into the Fort Worth churches as a result of the work done. All the ministers of the gospel, Protestant and Catholic and Jewish, participated in the drive. All made converts or recalled back sliders. Flowers for the living. Preaching "good will to men" is a paying investment for any community and the seventy-seven churches and the seventy-seven parsons and priests and rabbis of Fort Worth are to be congratulated.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER Earle B. Mayfield in his statement in the Record News of Sunday stated that the question of the Ku Klux Klan was made an issue in politics by a certain element in Dallas for the purpose of setting a trap and that he would not walk into the trap. Commissioner Mayfield should read up. Harry Koch is not a citizen of Dallas. He is a citizen of Hardeman County and the publisher of the Quanah Tribune-Chief. He is responsible for "the issue." The late Lucian W. Parrish delivered a political address at Quanah. He made no mention of the Ku Klux Klan. Editor Koch roundly criticized him for his omission and demanded a showdown on the part of the candidates for United States senator. The Record News defended Parrish and directed attention to the fact that not one of the senatorial candidates with the exception of Sterling P. Strong hade made reference to the Klan in the speeches that they had delivered or the platforms that they had given to the people. Editor Koch's reply was that all the candidates should be made to speak out in no uncertain terms in order that the people should know. What followed is ancient history. Quanah is not Dallas. Editor Koch is not the editor of the Dallas Journal. Flowers for the living. If there is credit to be given, or censure to be given then pass it on to the Quanah editor. He precipitated the "issue." if it is possible to dignify it by that name or in that way.

VOICE FROM THE SPIRIT WORLD. —By Ripley.

THE ONCE OVER

By H. J. PHILLIPS

THE BANDITS' "DON'T LIST"

Headquarters National Bandits' and Yeggmen's Protective Association. To Whom It May Concern:

This is to notify the people and others that this biziness of sending out a list of "Don'ts" from police departments to help people and others from being robbed was duly brought up and considered at the last meeting of the National Bandits' and Yeggmen's Protective Association and discussed pro and con game. And that whereas and wherefor it wuz duly resolved that the bandits issue a "Don't" list, too being as how what's fair for the goose is fair the th gangman.

Hence, consequently and in accordance therewith and therefrom, the "Don't List" is given as follows. All persons will please avoid confusion and unnecessary delay on the part of bandits by obeying said "don'ts" and by so doing will confer a great favor on all organization bandits. Here they are:

1. Don't be discourteous. Do as the bandit tells you and remember that it never hurt nobody to be a gentleman. All cases of incivility to members of the Bandits' Union will be speedily dealt with.

2. Don't stand in darkened doorways and expect us to locate you. Stand in under an electric light where a bandit may see you promptly and without glasses.

3. Don't stand with your money and valuables held out in your hand. You'll have to wait your turn, anyhow. Stand at attention and some bandit will reach you in due time.

4. Don't crowd, push or shove while waiting to be robbed. We will work as rapidly as possible and promise every man will get attention.

5. Don't, if you are a motorist, try to get us to give you immediate attention by making motions or whistling from the line. On account of the rush of motorists to have their cars stolen we are badly overworked in this department and will only accommodate those who stand in line patiently until reached. We will punish a motorist showing undue anxiety by refusing to steal his car at all.

6. Don't fail to put the hands up promptly when so ordered. To have to speak twice about this is very exasperating.

7. Don't scream or call for the police. (We don't mind it, but it bothers the police).

8. Don't leave your mouth open after a robbery. A lot of facts are apt to leak out and get into the newspapers.

9. Don't walk around with large wads of money pinned to your coat lapels. We gunmen appreciate your good intentions, but it takes all the fun out of the profession to get it so easily.

10. Don't display rolls of bills in public places. We have a card index system which tells us how much every citizen has, and we have assigned some bandit to your case. By displaying money in public you may tempt robbery by some bandit who is supposed to be on another case entirely.

11. Don't keep your hat on when a bandit approaches you. Remove your hat and hold your head so the bandit may give it the desire tap with his sleepstick.

13. Don't ask, "Where am I?" when you come to. It's old stuff. And if you'll wait a few minutes you'll know.

14. Don't fail to look on your coat lapel and see if there is a white button marked "O. K." immediately after you have been blackjacked and robbed. To avoid duplication of work every bandit is under instructions to so tag each citizen as soon as he finishes with him. Wear this tag; it will protect you from a second robbery for forty-eight hours.

15. Don't blow a police whistle for help. The bandits have police whistles, too, and more bandits may respond to your call than policemen.

16. Don't carry a gun. We are tired of taking them away from people and have more in our collection than we can use.

17. Don't have any automatic burglar alarms in your house. One of the darn things might go off and frighten you to death, whereas if you didn't have any a burglar would be able to enter and leave quietly without disturbing you.

18. Don't say, "Who's there?" if you see a man in your room at night. We're sorry, but it's against the rules for a bandit to give his name and address, although if you're good he may leave an autographed photograph.

19. Don't keep a watchdog. We're tired of biting them.

20. Don't chat with the bandit while he is robbing you. It is distracting and he may not be a good conversationalist.

21. Don't forget to say, "Don't hesitate on my account" when a bandit slows up a bit in frisking you.

22. Don't fail to say, "Don't you want the rest of this?" in any case where a robber may overlook a quarter.

23. Don't forget that every bandit is required by the rules to thank a victim after robbing him.

24. Don't forget to answer him with "Don't mention it!"

According to Harrison E. Howe of the Chemical society, gasoline will be selling at from 40 to 50 cents a gallon by 1925.

Reckless automobile drives of Spokane, Wash., including all motorists going over 30 miles an hour, are sent to the rock pile.

WHY BRITAIN KEEPS A KING

By DR. FRANK CRANE

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Surely nobody wishes the young Prince of Wales or the newly married Princess Mary, of their brothers, or parents, or grandparents, or their "sisters and their cousins and their aunts" anything but the best of luck and all happiness.

Americans who attended the wedding of the Princess, and even those who mingled with the street crowds and witnessed the tremendous outburst of popular sentiment, must have viewed the whole affair sympathetically and have felt glad that the British people were enjoying themselves heartily in their own way.

But down in the bottom of his mind the American visitor could not help wondering why in the world these hard-headed Britishers get so excited over a Royal Family, and also how long this sort of a thing is going to last.

Of course it cannot keep up forever. The present Royal Family are rather a decent lot and are studiously behaving themselves and trying to live up to what is expected of them, which indeed must be rather difficult. But in the nature of the case in the course of several generations some king is going to come along who will kick over the traces and make trouble. When that time comes, the British public will very probably bundle up its Royal Family and send it packing, although with many expressions of regret.

The real, main, strong and tap root reason why Great Britain maintains its Monarchy is because it always has.

Doing a thing because we always have done it, and because our fathers and fathers' fathers did it before us is probably nowhere in the world so strong a principle as it is in Great Britain, unless it be in China. This is not entirely a bad thing. It gives a State a certain stability. Things stay put. You don't live in constant fear that you will wake up some morning with your throat cut by some bunch of revolutionists in the name of Liberty, Equality and Fraternity. In England more than anywhere else the saying of Montaigne is appreciated, that "The oldest and best known evil was ever more supportable than one that was new and untried."

Another reason why Great Britain clings to her kings is that its government is not quite like any other government that ever existed. It has no birthday. There is no particular time when it began. Like Topsy, it just grew. It has no written Constitution. Its law, so called "common law," is a mere crystallization of custom.

Besides this it has no colonies or dominions or protectorates which really belong to it, with the exception of a few scattered islands in the ocean.

The Parliament of Great Britain has no authority over its possessions except as an advisory body. Canada, Australia, South Africa, India or Egypt do not "belong" to Great Britain. These countries govern themselves and would resent any interference with their internal affairs by London.

The Monarchy is the totem or symbol that holds all this "Commonwealth of Nations" together.

Of course they might be held together as a Federation after the manner of the United States, but that is not their way. They like Kings. That is the gist of the whole matter. They have what they want.

DOGHILL PARAGRAFS

By GEORGE BINGHAM

It is earnestly believed as well as hoped that Sile Kildew is preparing to mend his ways, as he was caught peeping in at preaching last Sunday morning.

Yam Sims says they are doing a lot of impossible things these days but that his offer of a dollar still holds good to the person who will lift himself up off the ground by his bootstraps.

Sidney Hocks got all out of breath this morning and had to be moved out into the fresh air, while trying to count the ticks of his watch.

THE DAILY STORY

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SPRING

It was one of those early days of spring when the mere daily task of living suddenly becomes an insufferable burden. And Letitia Martin, still wearing a stuffy, dingy winter dress, was shut up in a stuffy, dingy downtown shop. To add to the heat and misery of it that Saturday sale on at the notion counter that crowded the aisle with bargain hunters and a rush over the counter of urgent demands to be waited on, of impatient queries as to the size of the dress shields advertised, the number of yards on the spools of cotton, the quality of the reduced hair nets, until a salesgirl trying to wait on three customers at once was driven to distraction.

Before her time off for lunch Letitia had a splitting headache, while her throat and her lungs felt clogged from the close, vitiated air. And when she did finally make her escape from the shop, no sooner had she reached the sidewalk than she was swallowed up by the packed throng streaming the noon hour streets. The air was less close than inside, but there was a murky stickiness about it equally wilting. And with the atmospheric tendency of such a day to intensify sound the noises of a city's traffic became a tumultuous clamor that was deafening.

With a sigh of weariness of body, mind, and spirit, Letitia turned in at the usual cafeteria. The smell of cooking that on other days was an appetizing fragrance leaped over her in hot, sickening waves. With utter indifference she arranged her tray. Languidly took her place in the line stringing in front of the serving counter. Contempt in her appraising eyes passed by the roasts, the baked beans, the potato salad, even her favorite lemon-meringue pie. With a pot of tea, a dingy brown pot with an ugly nicked scar on its spout, a Parker house roll, the under crust of which she discovered too late was burnt, and an oozy pat of butter, Letitia sat down at the only available little table.

Opposite was a long slab of looking glass impaneled in the side wall. As she listlessly ate, Letitia faced herself in the mirror. In its garish light her winter dress appeared even more dingy than she had thought. As for her rain-spotted panne velvet hat, its crown looked as though it had the mange. But the thing that mocked her most was the dull-eyed, discontented, shopworn, hopeless countenance under the hat.

"What is the use of it all?" thought Letitia scornfully. She drudged on from day to day, and at best only made a living. A living The glum? line of the lips in the looking glass curled contemptuously. What did that mean to her? Getting up in the early morning almost as tired as when she went to bed the night before, in a dinky little hallroom with its shabby furniture. Cooking her breakfast on a one-hole oil stove as she dressed. Walking the long twelve blocks downtown to save carfare. Standing four hours behind the tiresome counter waiting on tiresome shopers. Lunch at the cafeteria. Four more hours behind the tiresome counter, dinner at the cheapest restaurant she could find, back to the hall bedroom, too tired even to go to the movies. This over and over for weeks, for months, for years. Her living! And she had nothing else to look forward to. And she was only 20.

Her pot of tea, not half drunk, half a roll smeared with butter still on her plate, she got up and turned to the door.

And at that moment, with eager steps hurrying toward her across the crowded cafeteria she saw George Sternes, the ne welerk at the silk counter opposite the notions. During the six weeks he had been in the store Letitia and he had had a number of little talks coming and going from their respective departments. For some of Sternes' people knew some of Letitia's people. They had even succeeded in making out a distant relationship. "Fourth or fifth cousins removed by marriage," as Sternes had laughingly put it. But they had never before met outside. Never before had he joined her to walk back to the shop.

"Some spring weather all right," he exclaimed exurbterantly, as with lifted face he crinkled his forehead and squinted his eyes at the flooding sunshine. "Say, if to-morrow is the same peach of a day as this, how would you like to go out to the park for the afternoon?"

If Letitia Martin's head still ached when she hurried home that evening she had too many more important things to think about to notice it. If durin gthe busy hours that fololwed. the little hall bedroom was like a reheated her iron on the one-hole oil fireless cooker, as Letitia heated and stove going at full tilt, she did not the least mind its discomfort. Her Sunday best lingerie waist had laundered beautifully and the pique collar and cuffs that were to freshen up her carefully cleaned, last year's spring suit looked resplendently white. After infinte pains she also had pressed every crease out of the pieces of apple green satin that once had been a girdle and was now to trim the straw hat not yet dry from its second coat of colorite.

The next day was all that young people's hearts could wish for. And the pleased surprise in George Sterne's eyes when he saw how pretty Lettia looked in her spring things deepened the happy pink blooming on her cheeks, and the sparkle of joyousness about her and the pleased surprise in Letitia Martin's eyes when she saw what a handsome fellow George was in his Sunday best suit and new straw hat with a blue band to match his blue tie made the man at her side appear an inch taller.

They got an outside seat on the car, and, with the soft air fanning their faces, their swift, bird-winged gliding across town was like flying through space.

And the park in its new spring greeness and new bloom was like a beautiful piece of the country that God had bestowed as a gift to the "man-made" town. The trees lifted glad banners of sunlit and new-leafed branches to the radiant blue sky. Each new little blade of grass stood straight and sturdy, as much as to say, "See how tall I've grown." Flower borders glittered with their daffodil gold, flower beds flamed with gaudily dressed tulips.

"And oh, look!" suddenly cried Letitia with an intake of breath. "Was there ever anything so lovely!"

For as they went around a little bend in the park, walk against a misty green background of shrubbery stood a flowering quince tree in all its exquisite spring bloom.

Under the flowering quince was a bench and they sat down to rest and watch the passers-by—old men with a stoop gathering in their shoulders and a shuffle in their steps; elderly women with faded, wrinkled faces and thin, dwindled bodies; the middle aged, a homely humdrumness settling heavily upon them; the workingman father, a toddling youngster tugging at his hand; a tried, worn mother with a baby in her arms; young married couples; young people not yet married, in pairs or in little picnic parties; the average every Sunday crowd of a western city. Yet there was a shining something about each and all of them; a new spring look in their faces and a new spring quickening at their hearts.

Across the main walk opposite the bench under the flowering quince a gekuiling little bypath beckoned. And soon Letitia and Sternes were eagerly following its winding lead. It was a magic bypath that led them into the heart of fairyland, for it brought them at last to a woody end of the park, where a little runaway creek—a very young rollicking thing—came laughing and flashing down from its home in the distant hills; where plumy ferns grew waist high and where wild violets peeped shyly out from hiding behind their heart-shaped leaves.

And as they followed the magic path, as they sat on the bank of the creek and trailed their hands in the flashing water, as they gathered great tall clusters of fern and fat little bunches of the darling violets, what talks the two had! What happy surprises of discovery they made of each other's life experiences, opinions and feelings.

And when finally they reluctantly started back to town a shining little incident occurred that brought a pounding leap to Letitia's heart every time she thought of it.

As their return car passed a row of cunning, most adorable new-built little bungalows out near the park's panhandle, with "To Let" signs in their windows, George Sternes exclaimed: "I wonder what a little house like one of those rents for?"

"I don't know," answered Letitia. "Pretty high, I guess."

A moment's tense silence followed, then with beaming face he turned to her and said: "You're the only person I've told, Letitia, but the first of the month I'm promised a raise."

Rippling Rhymes

By WALT MASON

ANOTHER EPIDEMIC.

I am tired of South Sea beaches, of the velvet tropic night; I am tired of dusky peaches who can't either read or write. I am weary of the blighters featured in the South Sea tales, and I think a lot of writers should be in as many jails. For they always rise and follow every man who leaves a track, trail him to the hole or hollow where he's built his little shack; and they watch his every motion, doing all they see him do, and along the southern ocean they have swarmed a year or two. Some one wrote of island dwellers in a fine and charming style, and these imitative fellers—each must have his coral isle! Oh, I'm tired of all the stenches that infest the southern seas, and I'm sick of greasy wenches sitting under banyan trees, and I'm sick of shipwrecked seamen, and of blue and silver bays, and of that old deathless demon who is known as Bully Hayes. I am sick of parrots screaming in a tropic neighborhood, and of baking loafers dreaming when they should be sawing wood. And the authors who go trailing everywhere a leader wends, from the South Seas should come sailing, for they're boring all their friends.—(Copyright, 1922, Geo. Matthew Adams.)

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A Page of Society and Household News for the Woman Reader

Spring Social Season Opened by Young Folk Comus Dance at Kemp

Opening the spring social season for the younger set, members of the Comus club entertained at the Kemp hotel Saturday evening with an informal Easter dance. Many beautiful spring gowns were noted among the dancers and the music furnished by the Billy Buzzard six-piece novelty orchestra of Fort Worth, proved exceptionally good.

Chaperones for the affair included Mesdames H. F. Weldon, T. B. Noble, E. C. Harlin, Alex Kahn, Anderson.

Others present were Messrs. and Mesdames C. F. Cavanaugh, Ike L. Upchurch, E. B. Mathews, Charles McClure, Mrs. Bomar, Misses Temple Bray, Ruth Hill, Stella Hill, Bernice Cross, Laura Fisher, Belle Hollinger, Dorothy Bear, Henrietta, Texas; Lennie Mae Williams, Anna Collins, Ted Ferguson, Polly Taylor, Catherine Moore, Josephine Mayfield, Oneita Deems, Florence Devers, Louise Jenkins, Ethel Moran, Suda Willis, Vera Hale, Ruth Nolen, Zena Pickle, Mary Elen McMahon, Ruby Williams, Don Standifee, Vernon; Bob Standifee, Vernon; Maurice Cotton, Ethel Moe Martin, Cecil McCurdy, Louise Hamlin, Frenchie Fowler, Nancy Jane Harlin, Sadie Adickes, Heath, Marian Maer, Sibyl Kell, Lula Wood, Billie Harner. Messrs. Leo J. Wilmeth, Justin Greene, Henry Ford, G. Dillard Anderson, Sam V. Navarra, Allen Gerock, W. H. Hall, L. P. Nolen, Dee Ford, Earl G. Bolender, Raymond Douglas, G. D. Keith Jr., R. W. MasEachern, Charles Hogsett Jr., John Albritton, H. W. Weldon, A. D. Montgomery, Lee Haney, Red Rodgers, Dr. N. H. Coleman, George W. Massie, Henry Shaw, John Sibley, Thomas J. Mahon, C. Massie, C. P. Toney Jr., R. J. Marin, K. H. Friedly, Eric G. Schroeder, Harry Viner J. W. Lomax, T. G. Lomax, Fred Allen, J. F. Riggs Jr., J. V. Allred, Harvey Bolding, George E. Snow, Jarrell E. Gose, A. H. Harris, E. T. Barker Jr., Temple H. Shell, Bert G. Ripley Jr., Wallace Bright, Sam Kimberlin J. C. Jennings, Brennan B. Gillespie, Jack Morrow, C. B. Curtner, A. M. Miller, Ernest Fain Raymond Meyers, F. Armstrong, Harold Hamlin, T. S. Thompson.

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PLAYERS CLUB CAST LEAVES FOR HASKELL

The Players' club has been asked to give the one-act play "Fourteen," by Alice Gerstenberg at the First District Federation of Women's clubs convening in Haskell this week. The invitation was contained in a message received by the club president, Mrs. Ben G. O'Neal, Monday morning from the program committee, and members of the cast left for Haskell Monday afternoon. The play was a popular number on the program given by the club at the library Friday and Saturday evenings and Saturday matinee, which also proved an exceptionally enjoyable social event of last week.

The Elks' club rooms at Haskell will be used for the presentation, which will be a part of the entertainment provided by the local committee there for the guests and delegates attending the meeting.

The honor of being asked to give the play there was received with pleasure by the club coming as it does at the conclusion of the first year of work and also as an initiation into the district federation work.

The cast includes Mrs. J. T. Harrell, Miss Louise Hamlin and Mrs. H. A. Deans.

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BLUE TRIANGLE CLUB ENJOYS PICNIC

Saturday afternoon members of the Blue Triangle club enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at the Fifth street park in which many and various games furnished the diversion. Those present included Zelda Thompson, Lillie Adams, Lois Hollon, Jewell Nix, Margaret Riddle, Ira Lee Jones, Pearl Copeland, Mattie Jordan, Ruby Thomas, Lois Hargwood, Hazel Waggoner and Miss Josephine Mann and Richard Riddle, John Cutbirth and Tom Vaden.

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DOROTHY TAYLOR GIVES EASTER HUNT

Little Miss Dorothy Taylor entertained about 16 of her small friends with a delightful Easter egg hunt at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loran Taylor on Kemp boulevard Saturday afternoon.

The reception suite of the spacious home was attractively decorated in cut flowers and pot plants for the affair and with motifs carrying out the Easter suggestion.

A prize consisting of a pretty white and bronze bunny was given the one finding the most eggs in the hunt, which proved to be Martha Lou Law. Lucille Waggoner found the least number and was consoled with a unique chicken whistle.

In a short informal program which was a feature of the entertainment for the afternoon, Peggie Law, Anna Katheryn Howard and the hostess gave readings.

Dainty refreshments of ice cream moulded in rabbit shapes, with cake was served, and favors consisting of baskets filled with candy eggs given to Jane and Gem Wright, Mary Hyatt, Ona Bell Britain, Peggy and Martha Lou Laws, Madeline McCarty, Helen Hanks, H. R. Hanks Jr., W. S. Curlee Jr., Paul Waggoner Jones, Lyda Lea, Helen McConley, Anna Katheryn Howard, Lucille Waggoner and Preston Lea.

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RAINBOW CLUB MEETS SATURDAY

Members of the Rainbow club of the Y. W. C. A. held a "prep" meeting at the Y. W. C. A. recreation room Saturday afternoon at which during the business session, the resignation of Dorothy Clanton Atkins was accepted and in her place Miss Marie Brown was elected president of the club.

Songs and club yells were practiced during the meeting.

Those present included Mesdames Samonton, Atkins, Collins and Misses Viola Blanchard, Laura Mae Neal, Isabel Lovern, Leon Deaton Jr., and Mamie Brown.

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WICHITANS RETURN FROM CONCERT

Wichitans attending the Galli Curci concert at Fort Worth and returning home Sunday included Mrs. Henry Hobbs and daughter, Alta, and Misses Frances Collier and Margaret Smith, Mrs. A. W. West and Miss Eunice Payne, Mrs. L. R. Buchanan and daughter, Vaughn, Mrs. Bernard Martin and daughter and Miss Berniece Martin and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Healy.

Miss Florence Sammons and Mrs. R. E. Thornburgh went to Dallas Sunday evening to be present at the concert there Monday evening.

GUILD MEETS WITH MRS. WHITE MONDAY

Members of the guild of the First Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. D. J. White at Kemp Kort Monday and spent the afternoon in completing some garments for the poor which had been started at a previous meeting.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. B. L. Fain and those present were Mesdames W. G. Malone, Everett Jones, John Davenport, B. L. Fain, F. C. Utts, A. W. Burnside, H. F. Stief, O. T. Ailes, Parker and B. L. Fain.

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MRS GEERS HOSTESS TO LOTUS CLUB

Mrs. Ottis Geers, 1419 Thirteenth street will be hostess to the Lotus club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

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LOCAL GIRL VISITING POINTS ABROAD

In a message received by her mother, Mrs. J. T. Montgomery, Miss Louise Montgomery, who is studying decorative art in New York city, stated that she had sailed in company with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Darnell of that city, for points in Jamaica, Costa Rico, Panama canal and Havana. They expect to return the latter part of May to New York.

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JUNIOR HIGH MOTHERS CLUB TO MEET

The mothers' club of the junior high school will meet at the building this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Representatives from Electra and Charlie are expected to be present, and a large delegation of the local members are also urged to be present.

A short program will be a feature of the meeting in which Dr. L. R. Scarbrough of Fort Worth who is conducting a meeting at the First Baptist church, will give a talk, and a vocal number will be given by Miss Frances Scott. Miss Johnnie Morgan will talk on "The Ancient Citizen" and a violin duet will be given by Misses Lucille Wiley and Zena Pickle, accompanied by Miss Wiley. Judge Kay will talk on "Today's Responsibility of Rearing the Future Citizens."

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CHILDREN ENJOY EASTER EGG HUNT.

With almost 100 children attending the Easter egg hunt given by the Catholic Daughters of America for the pupils of the Academy of Mary Immaculate, Saturday afternoon proved a decided success.

The children chaperoned by a committee of the Catholic Daughters were taken to a green field near Collins and Brook, where several hundred eggs had been previously hidden and the eager happy children thoroughly enjoyed the search. All were successful in finding a large number of eggs.

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PIERIA-DELPHIAN TO MEET WEDNESDAY.

The Pieria-Delphian club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. C. Parks, 1823 Lucile Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Crane, joint hostess.

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BAPTIST WOMEN HOLD MEETING.

A donation of $1,435 was made at the business session of the meeting held by the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church Monday afternoon. The donation made by the women was made in their spring work being done for the building campaign fund.

An interesting talk by Dr. L. R. Scarbrough of Fort Worth who is here conducting a meeting at the First Baptist church and a duet by Mesdames Donnigan and McIver were features of the meeting.

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EPISCOPAL WOMEN GIVE EASTER PARTY.

With Mesdames C. W. Reid, R. H. Graham, H. A. Allen, Charles Pogenphol and Crawford hostesses, women of the congregation of the Church of the Good Shepherd enjoyed a delightful Easter party at the parish house Monday afternoon.

An old-fashioned garden was the feature of the entertainment program in which Mrs. Louella B. Thompson as soloist sang, "The Old Fashioned Garden" and Mrs. Jack Ammann representing the daisy; Mrs. James Martin Williams the carnation; Miss Bereniece Millican, the rose; Mrs. Peery Hancock the jonquil; Miss Denver Russell, the pansy; and Mrs. John W. King, the raindrop, all with their heads thrust through the flower represented, sang solos suggestive of their flower. Mrs. King sang "I Am a Lonesome Little Raindrop; Mrs. Ammann sang "Always Take a Girl Named Daisy; Miss Millican sang "The Heart of the Rose; Mrs. Peery Hancock sang, "Long, Long Ago," and Mrs. Emmet Jones sang, "Meet Me Tonight in Dreamland." The entire flower garden joined in the chorus of all the songs.

Little Miss Frances Reid, dressed as an old-fashioned girl gave a reading, "Sermontide."

During the business session, the mite bags were opened which is an annual Easter ceremony, and they were found to contain a total of $287.83. The total Easter offering from the entire congregation amounted to $3,473.49.

At the close of the afternoon, refreshments consisting of strawberry ice and angel food cake was served to about 100 members.

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MRS. GILLILAND HOSTESS TO CIRCLE No. 4.

Mrs. C. W. Gilliland was hostess to members of Circle No. 4 of the Womans' Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church, south, Monday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A.

The meeting which was called to order by the leader, Mrs. O. B. Womack was followed by a song with Mrs. D. J. Carithers at the piano. Mrs. C. R. Hartsook led the devotionals taking her subject from the 21st Psalm.

Mrs. Ed Shaw read a paper on "Christian Stewardship" and Mrs. J. J. Deberry discussed the first two chapters in the book, "Survey to Service." Mrs. Frank Satterfield read a paper on "Monterey Mexico" and Mrs. Foster gave a reading entitled "The Ocean of Life.' Mrs. D. J. Carithers talked on the conference which is to be held at Electra this week urging all who can to go. A duet by Mesdames E. C. Huckabee and Martin Rowe was a feature of the program.

In the business session, a report was given in which 707 visits to the sick and strangers had been made, five bouquets sent to the sick, one dinner, two blooming plants and five trays.

At the close of the program and business session, a dainty refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Mann, J. A. Lowery, C. M. McFarland, C. C. Garmany, George Thorburn, May Hoffman, J. J. Deberry, H. J. Bruce, Frank Satterfield, C. M. Richardson, E. Gebhardt, Eugene Sherrod, B. H. Williams, U. R. Urban, E. M. James, Charles Warmer, George Keith, P. P. Langford, I. G. Clark, J. D. Sherrill, Grover Bullington, Wayne Somerville, P. L. Fisher, A. H. Drake, A. C. Dulaney, Hugh Weaver, M. B. Rowe, M. H. Glover, O. B. Womack, J. I. Burt, Clyde Fisher, J. R. Bachman, D. J. Carithers, Anna Barnhill, Frances Rahl, Roscoe Stayton, J. O. Elliott, George Ruffner, W. O. Hollis, E. W. Shaw, Floy Terry, C. P. Engle, C. H. Donold, P. Brown and E. C. Huckabee.

MAKE BED SAFE FOR LITTLE ONE

Care Also Should Be Given to Food

Baby John was one of those blissful beings who regard the world with tolerant blue eyes from the precincts of a cradle.

Not that Baby John actually occupied a cradle. He slept in a bed that was small and safe and very comfortable. The kind of bed that modern babies use, a bed with a high railing all around it that enables them to exercise and in time to climb.

Baby John was a very modern baby.

His mother, when she was his age, had been rocked in a cradle that stood by the fire, and his father had been jiggled up and down in the family perambulator.

But Baby John had never been rocked or jiggled when he cried, nor were his parents in the habit of feeding him, then churning him up and down wildly to keep him happy.

Baby's Pursuit of Happiness.

Baby John was generally happy because his parents let him alone entirely to pursue his own happiness. This he found in climbing about in his bed or on the floor, creeping after sunbeams, or rolling over and over on the warm grass, and sometimes—we are forced to admit—in such places as the coal scuttle or his mother's vegetable garden. Baby John showed an early tendency to put things in his mouth, just like every normal baby, bits of coal and handfuls of black earth being among the things he experimented with.

Baby John's parents had no money to speak of, but they were very happy. And they had Baby John.

What they needed very badly, however, was an ice box, for the summer started very early is the state in which they lived and Baby John was a "bottle baby." There was always more or less trouble about keeping his bottles cool for twenty-four hours. His mother prepared the feedings for twenty-four hours, and in winter it was possible to keep them cool in the small lean-to behind the little cabin.

But when springtime came and slipped into summer overnight, Baby John's mother began to worry.

And then she read about a home-made ice-chest, and Baby John's father, who was something of a miracle man with a hammer and nails, came to the rescue.

How the Ice-Box Was Made.

The home-made ice-box was very easily constructed.

A wooden box, eighteen inches square and the same depth, was procured. A layer of sawdust from the redwood trees in the back lot was placed in the bottom of the box to a depth of three inches. A section of eighteen-inch galvanized iron pipe was placed in the box and filled in with sawdust. The pipe was placed in the middle of the box, but a ten-quart tin pail would have answered the same purpose.

Inside the pipe was placed a pail with a cover, and into this pail each day Baby John's mother put 5 cents' worth of clean ice. The bottles containing Baby John's feedings for the twenty-four hours were placed in the same pail with the ice. The bottles of course were sterilized and well stoppered. There was a tight fitting cover for the pail containing the ice and the feedings, and the box had a hinged cover, the inside of which was well lined with thickness of newspaper.

When it was time to take out a bottle of food the box was opened as quickly as possible, the bottle removed, and the cover closed tightly.

Sometimes 5 cents' worth of ice lasted almost two days. The purchase of an expensive ice-box was unnecessary, for the home-made one kept the baby's food cool and sweet.

MOTHER!

Your Child's Bowels Need "California Fig Syrup"

Hurry Mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again. Even a cross, feverish, constipated child loves its "fruity" taste, and mothers can rest easy because it never fails to work all the sour bile and poisons right out of the stomach and bowels without griping or upsetting the child.

Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say "California." Refuse any imitation.—Adv.

LOCAL SINGERS SCORE TRIUMPH

Eastertide Cantata Merits Praise

The presentation of "Eastertide," a Sacred Cantata by Daniel Protheroe, at the First Baptist church, Easter Sunday afternoon, by the big choir was just another indication of the noteworthy ambition and Americanism of its faithful director, R. Vaughn Ray.

Daniel Protheroe is a composer now in Chicago, of cantatas both sacred and secular, who has received much recognition in the music world. Mr. Ray should be commended, not because he did not use the product of a foreign composer, but because he is following the lead of such artists as Ysaye, by acquainting American audiences with the works of creditable American writers. A singer that had sung in this cantata under Protheroe's direction, commented to the writer upon the wonderful material that Mr. Ray had assembled in his choir. While the public may feel that seven weeks work was stupendous for the working up of this great cantata, the visitor mentioned the possibilities in the choir if it had studied this work as long as Protheroe demanded of his singers.

Mr. Ray has had this choir for about a year and a half. It is made chiefly with the exception of a few soloists of professional training, of good faithful church material. It is remarkable how they have become as one in obeyance to Mr. Ray's baton and it is remarkable how each member has submerged his voice into the grand ensemble without which no work can be creditably given. This has only been gained by faithfulness in efforts and belief in their director. Wichita Falls begs that this same group try to remain entact and we await still greater results. We will not be surprised to learn that this choir will consider seven weeks of rehearsals each a mere bagatelle to what they will willingly give to a future production.

This cantanta consists of two complete halves. The first Passion and the second Easter. Yet there is a beautiful artistic connection throughout its entirety making it a complete whole.

The graduate building up of the passionate accusations of the mob before Pilate, interspersed with the defense of Pilate, which only infuriated their accusers all the more.

They proclaimed in tumult that they had no "King but Caesar" and Pilate "washing his hands" proclaiming himself "innocent of the blood of this just man" suffered them to take one Savior. Very effective is the march of Calvary beginning to "let down" as the world's greatest tragedy at Golgotha was perpetrated. A sweet chorale "O Perfect Life of Love" in a minor key ending in peace with a major "Amen" complete part one.

In part two, Easter begins softly with the opening of the resurrection by an appealing little interlude "As It Began to Dawn," the visit of Mary Magdalene to the sacred sepulchre. This continues with a sweetness in "Come Unto Me" and 'My Faith Looks Up to Thee" and swells into the thought of Christ's victory over death amidst thanks to Him on high.

Soloists in the cantata include: Mesdames R. M. Wilhite, Jouette M. Bonner, Misses Elizabeth Hamilton, Valois Compere, Grace Ritter, Messrs William E. Young, Charles H. Angle, Ivan Murchinson and R. Vaughn Ray.

Mrs. J. W. Akin presided at the organ.

As Dr. Powers fittingly remarked at the close of this beautiful work, "I felt that I was on Sacred ground."

There are 1,800 citizens of Detroit, Mich., in the police reserve body, organized for the purpose of curbing reckless operators of motor vehicles.

In Beligum, mufflers are required on cars to silence motor operation, while exhausts must deliver the waste gases downward toward the ground.

Calomel Robbed Of Nauseating Qualities

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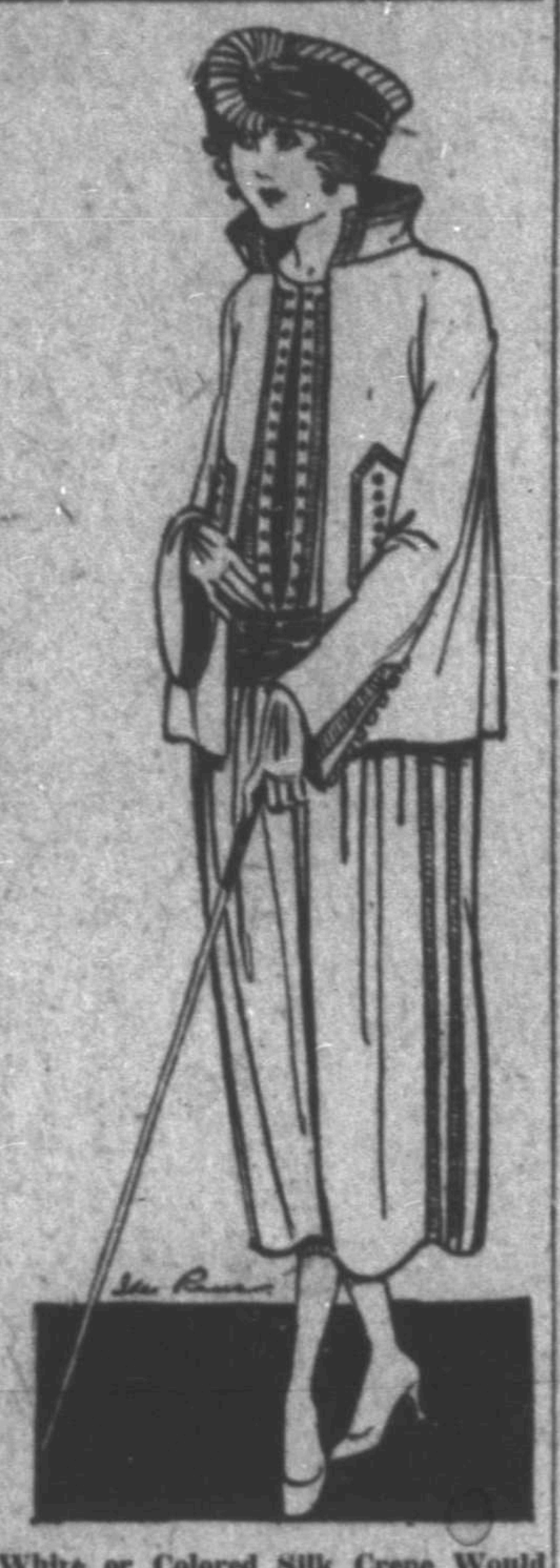
FASHIONS



White or Colored Silk Crepe Would Be Smart for this Warm Weather Three-Piece or Costume Suit.

White fabrics are to be in high favor for warm weather wear. The three-piece or costume suit shown in the sketch is offered as a suggestion to the woman who is planning a smart tailored outfit for summer, a reasonably heavy white silk crepe to be the fabric used, with trimming in black or a bright color, such as henna, jade, yellow, or one of the popular bles. Of course, a colored crepe might be used for the suit with good effect and developed in a tan or gray, or even in navy, with trimming in contrasting color, it would make a smart travelling suit for the June bride. The dress is straight and simple except for the let-in vest of silk matching the trimming of braid or stitching, and the soft girdle. The coat might be lined with silk in the trimming color, a touch of it being visible in the wide sleeves and somewhat flared collar.

Silk crapes are equally popular for dresses or suits for warm weather, in the line-up of suits featuring these materials, the sports and the dressier models share honors fairly evenly. In wool weaves the weight of favor seems to be for the sports models. In the sports suits shown, however, there are various types. The very straight line coat is commended for the young woman and the woman whose figure is not especially good, whereas the woman with well set up figure is given a suit having a coat that is a trifle longer and a little more of the fitted type.

Hats to be worn with the sports or semi-sports suits are often made entirely of ribbon or of silk such as taffeta or faille, with touches of embroidery in contrasting color. A light tan taffeta hat recently seen, commended as smart for wear with a sports suit, was embroidered all over with the simplest of cross stitch designs in navy and trimmed at one side with a regular tassel or fringe of inch-wide navy ribbon.

Because seven automobiles have fallen over the embankment in front of their house, a family, living near a dangerous hill on a road outside Orange, N. J., has decided to move.

The Panama government has appointed a commission of experts to investigate alcohol as fuel for motors. Experiments will be conducted on one of the sugar plantations of Aguadulco.

NERVOUS WRECK FOR SIX WEEKS

Kentucky Lady Tells How She Became Strong and Healthy; Recommends Cardui to Weak Women.

MOUNT VERNON, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Vanhook, formeryl of Stanford, but now residing here, says that after her third child was born, she undertook to resume her housework too soon, "and this caused me a great deal of trouble."

"I began to feel weak and all played out—not mystelf at all," as Mrs. Vanhook describes her condition. "For about six weeks I was just a nervous wreck, I had to have some one do all my housework.

"My doctor told me my imprudence had caused shock to the nervous system, and the thing to do was to use a tonic to build up my strength.

"He recommended Cardui....Very soon I saw an improvement in my condition. I used three bottles of Cardui and.....my health was restored.

"I am a strong, healthy woman."

This Kentucky lady adds that she "never fails to recommend Cardui to weak and run-down lady friends."

Thousands of women praise Cardui to their friends.

This mild, harmless, vegetable tonic medicine has been in successful use for over 40 years, in the treatment of many common ailments suffered by women.

Your druggist sells Cardui.

Let him supply you, today.—Adv.

A Wife or a Profession?

BY CAROLYN BEECHER

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CHAPTER LIII.

That night Howard Blake did not go home to dinner, neither did he telephone Annette, as was his invariable custom when he was detained. She waited until nearly the dinner hour, then called the hospital.

"Yes, Dr. Blake was here this afternoon. He went out about 4:30. No, he did not return."

Where could he be? Annette went down to the office. The nurse was still there. Dr. Blake had not called, neither were there any visits listed on the card to be made that afternoon.

A fear that something dreadful had happened him clutched Annette. Suppose he had been injured—killed—on his way home!

"If he hadn't gone to that old hospital it wouldn't have happened!" She choked back a sob, already sure that if anything had happened his insistence upon hospital work was to blame, because otherwise he would have been at home with her.

The clock was just striking 8 when he came in.

"Where in the world have you been, Howard? I have gone nearly crazy; I telephoned the hospital and they said you left at half-past 4. Dinner is spoiled. Of course, I couldn't eat when I was so worried!"

"Am I late?" I am sorry."

"Late! It's after 8 o'clock—why, what's the matter, Howard?" For the first time she caught a glimpse of his face as he turned from the coat rack, where he had methodically hung his coat and hat.

"Eight o'clock—I'm sorry. You should have eaten your dinner." He bent and kissed her as he always did when he came in.

His face was deathly white and drawn. He seemed years older than when he had left her at luncheon time. She started to speak, but the words did not leave her lips. She was afraid—terribly afraid.

Quietly he went into the dining room and took his place at the table. He spoke to the butler as usual:

"Good evening, Knox."

"Good evening, sir." The man looked curiously at him before proceeding with his duties.

Howard ate his dinner, but in a dazed manner that showed plainly he was doing it from habit. Annette could not swallow, but he never noticed. He led the way into the library as usual and Knox served the coffee. After he left them Annette exclaimed:

"Howard Blake, what is the matter? You look like a dead man! Tell me what has happened, dear!" She started to go to him, but something in his face held her off. She sank back into her chair.

"Something, a part of me, did die this afternoon, Annette."

"Don't speak in riddles, Howard. Tell me what has happened."

"I have resigned from the hospital. Now I can play the society game whenever you want me to. I shall lack an excuse to refuse." The bitterness in his voice made her shudder, although he had spoken even more quietly than was his habit.

"Tell me—of course, I am glad," she broke off, "but tell me how it happened you did it today."

"Please don't ask me to talk tonight, Annette." He rose and as he did he added: "I am going to my room. Please see that I am not disturbed."

Hour after hour she heard him walking back and forth, back and forth. He had gone on carelessly, often unthinkingly, he had neglected his work, yet always had been the hope that some day he would have strength enough to pull himself together and make good in his profession. Now it was too late! He was through! He held out no false hope to himself that he could come back. It was fate—kismet!

Annette had been a vampire wife. She had sucked the ambition from his veins; she had drawn from his mind all that made for his future aside from what affected her.

"She'll be happy now!" he said aloud, and the bitterness of death was in his voice.

The decline, the decay of his morale had been so gradual he had not realized the extent to which it had gone, to where it had led him—as it inevitably must. He had given in had allowed Annette to decide where his duty lay. He had listened to her plea that he make her happy—and this was the result.

"It's my own fault! I mustn't blame her!" he muttered as he paced back and forth. "I should have had stamina enough to deny her. To give her all I could and still be true to myself, to my ideals. God! Did I use to have ideals?"

He threw himself face down on the couch, and there Annette found him when she went to bed. His face was still wet with the tears he had shed, but he was sleeping.

Quietly Annette crept into bed. She would let him sleep. She thought of his tears and her lip trembled. Yet she clenched her hands and murmured:

"I'm glad! Glad! Now he is all mine!"

(To Be Continued.)

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SPUDDER NINE TAMES LEFT HANDER

Hit Swartz for Nine And Win by 5-3 Chalker

By "Spike" Cooper

A left-hander started another good game,
And the Spudders stepped right up and won it.
The joy-killers said it couldn't be done,
But the Spudders stepped right up and done it.

Jim Galloway sent Lefty Swartz to the hillock yesterday in a vain attempt to cop the long end of the first series, but the way the Spudder attack mauled his offerings around the lot proved that the truth established Sunday was all wrong, for they took the final game 5-3.

Four Runs in Fourth

A shift in the lineup to change the bitting order seemed to have the desired effect, and five runners were chased home on a succession of base bits, and sacrifice taps. Five healthy wallops turned the trick in the fourth round and Swartz saw his ball game head for the lost column as four white unies flashed across the pan for counters. Then just to demonstrate that it wasn't a mistake, they up and counted another in the eighth with a couple more blows of the signle variety, but the good graces of Ray Falk and Donohue helped the cause along with their bobbles in fielding the pellet.

Swartz's Delivery

There was a lot of argument about the delievry of the elongated portwheeler nominated by the Dallas leader, and when Umps O'Hearne called a balk on his play for Adams in the sixth frame, the entire visiting delegation held lengthy and heated convention in the middle of the ball lot, attempting to convince the arbiter of his error. The delivery in question was some kind of a delayed pitch in which the hurler halted in mid-action, perched on his left pedal alone, and inspected the antics of the midget shortfielder on first who was equally loss to know the intent of the pitcher. O'Hearne ruled the balk despite the objection of the gray clad army of protesting Giants.

Bescher Took One

Bob Bescher demonstrated that he is still the same Bob of other days, for he swiped a cushion under the very eyes of the protecting guard, and thereafter Nate Shandling, the moose-jawed receiver, took particular notice that his mit securely fastened to his left arm, fearing the possibilities of another pilfering move of the greatest thief ever in the game. Bescher had riled the opposing battery because of his continual threat to advance, and when Shandling hesitated momentarily to address Umps Brashear, Bob was off. Shandling suddenly realized that the ball he held in his hand was useless to him, fired it to Bobby Stow, but it was too late, and the Spudder center gardener was one block nearer home.

Lots of Adams

"Get Two" Adams had a great day, which resulted in many murders. He sentenced nine to pay the penalty for hitting his way and decapitated a couple for himself, just for good measure. It was a nice bit of fielding in the eighth when he grabbed Galloway's fast one toward second, forced Donohue, who had just singled to left, and stopped the Dallas leader by many feet. Popularity for the little fellow is reaching the flood stage, and justly so because of the wicked arm that hangs on his right shoulder. He whips 'em over perfectly in strike fashion, much to the satisfaction of one Fred Beck. His bingle to right started the scoring in the fourth as Tex rambled home and Beck drew up at third. "Get Two" plunked another to the same field in the sixth, but two were away ahead of him and he perished at the middle stop when Sorey drove a long fly to center.

Much interest was directed toward the southpaw in a Spudder dress who kept warming up on the sidelines. Clancy had just hit town and everybody wanted to see him. He came unannounced and unheralded as if out of a blue sky, bue he was a welcome sight to the local management, who have spent many shekles in a vain attempt to learn something of him since the report Sunday morning that he had been realesed to the Spudder club. He will probably start against Billy Smith's Gassers today.

WICHITA RAILROADERS CHALLENGE S. BEND

The Derrick has received a letter from C. V. Culberson of the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway at Wichita Falls, in which he challenges our new baseball team on behalf of the railroad boys club. South Bend will be pleased to accommodate our northern brothers in the near future. We will give the line-up of the local team next week.—South Bend Derrick.

In Palestine, motor vehicles travel between Jerusalem and Damascus is becoming common.

CYPHERED TRAGEDY OF A GOOD LEFT HANDER

W. FALLS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bescher, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Summa, rf	4	0	1	3	0	0
McDonald, 3b	4	2	1	1	1	0
Beck, 1b	4	1	2	11	0	0
Miller, lf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Adams, ss	4	1	2	2	9	0
Sorey, 2b	2	0	0	3	1	0
Kitchens, c	2	0	0	3	1	0
Dorrough, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	30	5	9	27	14	0

DALLAS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Spencer, lf	5	0	3	0	0	0
Allen, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Donohue, rf	3	0	1	6	1	1
Galloway, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Segrist, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Falk, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	1
Stow, ss	3	1	1	2	0	0
Shandling, c	4	1	3	3	1	0
Swartz, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
xSeely	1	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	9	24	8	2

xBatted for Swartz in ninth.

By Innings—

Dallas .... 000 000 102—3
Wichita Falls .... 000 400 01x—5

Summary—Two base hits, Spencer, Miller; stolen bases, Adams, Bescher; double plays, Donohue to Falk, Allen to Segrist, Adams to Beck; bases on balls, off Dorrough 5, off Swartz 2; struck out by Dorrough 3, by Swartz 3; passed ball, Kitchens; balk, Swartz. Time of game 2 hrs. Umpires, O'Hearne and Brashear.

READY TO SHINE AT LAST

Frank "Bullet" Miller

Frank Miller, affectionately referred to as "Bullet," is back in the big show after an absence of four years and Manager Mitchell of the Braves believes he will prove one of the hurling surprises of the year. Frank was tried out by the Pirates in 1919, but got into a row and quit them. He remained in obscurity until the Braves got in touch with him last year. He draws his nickname from his terrific speed, as you no doubt surmise.

OFFICER AND FUGITIVE WOUNDED IN GUN FIGHT

McALLEN, Texas, April 17—John Boyles, deputy sheriff, was shot through the lung and Martin Barrera was wounded seriously last night when officers tried to serve a warrant for the arrest of Barrera, wanted on a charge of alleged bootlegging, murder and jail breaking, officers said today.

WHEREIN TAMING OF SWARTZ IS MINUTELY SET FORTH BY OUR JAZZ 'EM SPORT WRITER

By "Spike" Cooper

Dorrough made 'em a present of five starts and then they couldn't win. But what should he care? Seven men and "Get Two" Adams putting up an errorless game behind him would give any heaver confidence. But that's not all. "Rabbit" poured it on 'em with a five-hit contest up until the ninth when he let down for a minute, and almost got into it by so doing. Four trumps in one hand caught a couple of tricks before Jakie Miller played the joker on Donohue's drive to his patch for the last out in the final round and then every body went home.

Round One.

Spencer stepped straight into a fast one and started it on a long journey (probably), but Lex Sorey stretched a—and dragged it down with a high-powered grab. Allen looked at four and ambled down to keep company with Fred Beck. Then Donohue pulled his first boner of the game by hitting to Adams who promptly forced Allen. "Rabbit" couldn't see Jim Galloway and his hit-stick at all, and presented him with a pass to the I bag. Segrist went the way of the wicked, Adams to Beck. (That's getting as popular as the old funeral march Tinker to Evers to Chance).

Bob Bescher got a big hand as he addressed the platter, but flew to right. Summa followed in suit, and Tex was out Falk to Galloway.

None in Second.

Ray Falk took a walk but was out "Old Folks" to Adams when "Rabbit" pitched out on a hit and run play. Stow tried to reach the pitch-out but failed. He then took a walk. Nate Shangling opened his daily mauling with a smash to left. Swartz foozled one out to Darrough who in turn played to Tex for a killing. Might have been two, but it just wasn't. Sorey threw out Spencer.

Beck rolled one out to Falk for the opening retirement. Jake Miller picked out one he liked and larruped it to left center for two bases. Allen pulled a running barehanded stop of the drive or it might have gone for lots more. Adams hit one at the right field foul line, but it was outside by inches, and Donohue took in his next attempt. Sorey heard his foul tip plunk in Shangling's mit for the third strike and went on his way.

Third Frame.

Allen couldn't see 'em and whiffed. Adams turned back Donohue, executed at first. Galloway hit one at the fence, but Homer Summa brought it back in his pocket.

Kitchens got his hitting eye on the line and popped one out to right. Stow took care of Darrough's effort and Bescher was called out on the third strike.

Spudders Fourth.

"Get Two" was hangman for Segrist and Falk, whipping them out to Beck. Tex McDonald barely knocked down one that Bobby Stow straightened out, but recovered in time to throw him out. It was robbery to do it, but he never looked back.

Summa beat out a hit when Stow's throw was late. Segrist played to second in time to catch Homer when McDonald dumped one down third base line. Fred Beck "buggy-whipped" one to center and Miller beat out an infield tap. Adams overpowered a hook and his single to right sent Tex and Fred in. Lex Sorey dropped a perfect sacrifice on the lawn and Jake Miller raised the ante one more. Kitchens drew a walk. Rabbit also wanted to play and lifted one over into left center which discharged Adams as a baserunner. Kitchens tried to make third on the play but was out Allen to Segrist. Good bye, ball game.

Fifth and Bob.

Adams grabbed the handle on two more for the first couple of hitters in the fifth and Shandling and Swartz lacked many steps beating out his throws. Spencer got a knock to right and advanced on Allen's pass, but Donohue left 'em there when he eased one down to Beck.

Bescher received a present from Swartz in the form of a free trip. He worried the heaver down by drawing throws to the bag, and chagrinned Shandling by purloining a sack while he held the ball. Tex jumped on one and threatened to single to right, but Donohue got to it and had an easy play for a double at second for Bob had come on in with the crack of the wood.

Riotous Sixth.

Summa went far into right center after Galloway's drive. Bob Bescher showed he also knew something about outfielding as well as running bases when he played Segrist's long fly with the precision of olden days, and then came in behind second for Falk's short one over the bag.

Falk threw out Beck for the second time. Segrist turned Miller away with a nice throw to first. Adams got his second blow of the game when he drove one between first and second. Swartz balked him down to second and almost started a riot, but the decision stood. Sorey flew out to center.

Nobody's Seventh.

Stow was out Sorey to Beck. Shandling thumped one over into right for a blow. Swartz took three swings and quit. Spencer doubled to right and Shandling came home just before Allen struck out.

Kitchens hit one to Galloway. Dorrough flew out to Allen and Bescher lifted one out to right.

More in Eighth

Donohue opened the eighth with a bingle to left. Then "get two" exemplified his moniker by grabbing Galloway's fast grounder, tagged on the middle cushion and rifled the agate to Beck for a double killing. Segrist flied out to Summa.

Summa attempted to drag one, but failed to drag it far enough and Shandling threw him out. Tex came through with a smack to right, went to second on Beck's drive and third when Donohue fumbled it for a minute. Falk played for two on Miller's grounder, but pulled Stow off the bag and Beck was safe while Tex was registering the Spudders' last count. Adams flied out to Allen.

Ninth Inning Assault.

Falk rolled one out to Rabbit who chunked him out at first. Bobby Stow lighted the fireworks with a single to center. Shandling got his third single, one into right and Seely, hitting for Swartz, advanced Stow when he forced Shandling at second. Spencer shot a fast grounder between first and second and Stow came in, Seely taking third. Allen followed suit to Spencer's lead with one through the same hole and the pinch hitter chalked up. Donohue flied out to Miller, who almost fell, making a nice catch back of short for the final out.

KITTEN MOORE AGAIN BEATS GASSERS

Coombs Parks It and Bases Are Loaded

By Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, April 17.—Home runs by Stellbaurer and Coombs, the latter with three men on bases, decided today's game which Fort Worth won 10 to 3. Wilcey Moore again pitched fine ball for the Dixie Champions.

SHR'VEPORT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Storey, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
O'Shaugnessy, 3b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Jackson, rf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Eibel, 1b	3	2	1	8	0	0
Felix, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Hollahan, 2b	4	0	2	2	0	0
Hartford, ss	4	0	0	1	2	0
Vann, c	4	0	0	8	0	1
Bird, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cantrell, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	5	24	11	1

FT. WORTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Coombs, 1b	5	2	4	15	0	0
Sears, lf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Taylor, cf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Stellbaurer, rf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Hoffman, 2b	5	1	2	1	1	0
Phelan, 3b	5	2	4	0	6	1
Tavener, ss	2	0	0	0	5	0
H. Moore, c	2	2	1	6	0	0
W. Moore, p	4	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	36	10	17	27	12	1

Shreveport .... 000 000 102— 3
Fort Worth .... 012 041 20x—10

Sacrifice hits, Tavener. Stolen bases, Taylor 2, Coombs; two base base hits, W. Moore, Phelan, Hollahits, W. Moore, Phelan. Home man. Home runs, Stellbaurer, Coombs. Struck out, Moore 6; Bird 3; Cantrell 2. Base on balls, Bird 5. Hit by pitched ball, Storey. Passed ball, Vann.

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YOUR ATTENDANCE

Disorderly conduct at the baseball games may cost members of the Rotary club's knothole gang attendance at the contests, according to statements made yesterday by Rotarians to whom it had been reported certain of the knothole members were engaging in the throwing at the visiting players.

GASSERS HERE FOR 4 GAMES

Heavy Hitting Ewolt Out of Game

Here comes Billy Smith with the Gasser aggregation for a stay in our town.

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BUFFS OVERCOME PIRATES LEAD

By Associated Press.

HOUSTON, Texas, April 17.—The Houston Buffs nosed out the Sand Crabs here today in a seven-inning game, stopped by rain, by a score of 9 to 7.

Weird pitching and odd plays featured the game. Score:

GALVESTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Baggan, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Distel, 2b	3	0	0	2	4	0
Hendricks, cf	3	1	0	4	0	0
Silcott, rf	3	0	1	1	1	0
R. Smith, 1b	3	1	2	7	2	0
Moore, 3b	4	1	0	0	2	0
M. Smith, ss	1	1	0	1	2	2
Witry, c	3	1	3	1	0	0
Glenn, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Knight, p	1	1	0	0	2	0
Adams, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	7	7	19	13	2

HOUSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Josefson, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Gross, ss	3	2	1	1	1	1
Bailey, cf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Bittle, lf	3	1	1	2	0	0
De Noville, 1b	2	2	1	6	1	0
Blades, 2b	4	2	3	4	2	0
Doyle, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	1
Eiffert, c	3	0	1	2	1	0
Fuller, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Glazier, p	2	0	0	1	2	2
Totals	27	9	10	21	8	4

By innings— R
Galveston .... 110 500 0—7
Houston .... 020 030 4—9

Summary: Two-base hits, De Noville, Doyle; three-base hits, Baggin, Blades; stolen bases, Silcott, Smith, Bailey, Eiffert; sacrifice hits, Distel, Baggan, Doyle, Silcott M. Smith Bittle De Noville; hits off Glenn 4 and 2 runs; Fuller 3 and 4 runs; left on bases Galveston 5, Houston 6; umpires Hill and Weir.

OILERS BEAT BEARS IN DECIDING GAME

By Associated Press.

SAN ANTONIO, April 17.—Although wild at times, Jacobus was strong in the pinches and Beaumont beat San Antonio in the odd game of the series here today. The score was 4 to 3. The locals made only 6 hits off Jacobus, two of which came in the 9th, when they filled the bases but were unable to score.

BEAUMONT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rader, ss	5	1	2	3	3	0
Stansbury, 3b	5	1	2	0	1	0
DeMaggio, lf	3	0	0	4	0	0
Vache, cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Edington, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Strong, 1b	4	0	1	12	2	0
Brennan, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Anderson, c	4	0	1	5	0	0
Jacobus, p	4	0	1	0	5	0
Totals	37	4	11	27	13	0

SAN ANTONIO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Booe, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Gross, ss	3	0	0	1	4	0
Shields, rf	4	0	0	5	1	0
Meyers, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Fuller, 2b	4	0	1	4	3	0
Beatty, 1b	3	1	0	9	0	1
Ezzell, 3b	3	2	1	0	0	0
McKee, c	3	0	1	3	0	0
Willams, p	3	0	2	0	3	1
Hiller, x	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whitney xx	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	3	6	27	11	2

x-Batted for Williams in 9th.
xx-Batted for McKee in 9th.

Beaumont .... 004 000 000—4
San Antonio........ 010 200 000—3

Two base hits, Brennan, Strong and Fuller. Home runs, Vache.. Stolen base, Gross, Vache, Rader. Sacrifice hits, DeMaggio, Booe, Meyers and Miller. Struck out, Jacobus 2; Williams 3. Base on balls, Jacobus 8. Williams 1. Double play, Strong to Rader; Shield to Gross to Fuller; Fuller to Beatty. Time 2:05. Umpires, Kane and O'Toole.

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GRIFFMEN AND MACKS STAGE CIRCUS

Weird, Wild, Woozy Contest Won by Solons

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Washington defeated Philadelphia today 11 to 9 in one of the wierdest games ever seen here. The visitors used 14 players and the locals 16, ten of the total of thirty players being pitchers, five for each club. The winning runs, made in the seventh were charged against Yarrison, who yielded a single to La Motte, and walked both Peckingpaugh and Gharrity to fill the bases, with none out. Rommell then succeeded Yarrison and four runs developed from Goslin's sacrifice fly, a triple by Judge and a double by Harris. Score:

PHILA.—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Young, 2b	5	2	2	3	3	0
Johnston, 1b	4	1	2	9	1	0
Walker, cf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Welch, rf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Miller, lf	5	2	3	2	0	0
Perkins, c	5	2	4	2	1	0
Dykes, 3b	2	1	0	1	2	0
Galloway, ss	4	0	1	3	3	0
Moore, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sullivan, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heimach, p	1	0	0	0	4	0
Yarrison, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Rommell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xBrazil	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	9	14	24	15	0

xBatted for Rommell in 9th.

WASHINGTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Judge, 1b	4	2	2	11	0	0
Harris, 2b	4	0	2	3	5	0
Milan, rf	5	0	1	1	1	0
Rice, cf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Smith, lf	5	2	3	0	1	1
Shanks, 3b	0	1	0	1	2	1
La Motte, 3b	4	2	2	3	1	0
Peck, ss	3	3	2	1	3	0
Gharrity, c	2	1	2	5	1	0
Mogridge, p	0	0	0	0	0	1
xBrower	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brillheart, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Woodward, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
zZachary, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
zzGoslin	0	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	11	14	27	15	3

zBatted for Mogridge in 2nd.
zzBatted for Zachary in 7th.

Philadelphia ......401 012 100— 9
Washington ....030 031 40x—11

Two base hits, Gharrity, Harris; three base hits, Perkins, Peckingpaugh, Gharrity, Walker, Judge; home runs, Judge; stolen bases, Judge; sacrifice hits, Brower, Harris, Galloway, Goslin; double play, Peckinpaugh to Harris to Judge. Left on base, Philadelphia 9, Washington 8; base on balls, Mogridge 1, Moore 3, Sullivan 1, Woodward 3, Yarrison 2; struck out, Moore 1, Mogridge 1, Brillheart 2, Woodward 2, Phillips 1; hits off Moore 2 in 1, 1 run scored, in 1 inning; Sullivan none in 2 1-3 innings; off Keimach 6 in 3; off Yarrison 3 in 1 2-3 off Rommel 3 in 1 2-3; off Mogridge 5 in 2 innings; Beillheart 4 in one inning; none out in succeeding inning; off Woodward 3 in 2 2-3 inning; off Zachary 1 in 2-3 inning; off Phillips 1 in 2 innings. Hit by pitcher, Brillheat (Dykes). Wild pitches, Mogridge, Moore, Sullivan, Balk, Brillheart. Winning pitcher Phillips. Losing pitcher, Yarrison.

BASEBALL
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—VS—
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Tickets on sale at Stoecker Bros. Cigar Store and Tipton's Drug Store.

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The Spring Wheel & Body Works have moved to 404 Indiana Ave. Under management of Patterson, Seitz & Smith.

The Club Standings

TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At Wichita Falls 5, Dallas 3.
At Fort Worth 10, Shreveport 3.
At San Antonio 3, Beaumont 4.
At Galveston 7, Houston 9.

The Standing.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Fort Worth	4	1	.800
Wichita Falls	3	2	.600
Houston	3	2	.600
Beaumont	3	2	.600
San Antonio	2	3	.400
Dallas	2	3	.400
Galveston	2	3	.400
Shreveport	1	4	.200

Where They Play Today.

Beaumont at Houston.
San Antonio at Galveston.
Shreveport at Wichita Falls.
Fort Worth at Dallas.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At Washington 11, Philadelphia 9.
At Chicago-Detroit, rain.
At Cleveland-St. Louis, rain.
At Boston-New York, rain.

The Standing.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	4	0	1000
St. Louis	3	1	.750
New York	2	1	.667
Philadelphia	3	2	.600
Washington	2	3	.400
Boston	1	2	.333
Chicago	1	3	.250
Detroit	0	4	.000

Where They Play Today.

Detroit at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Washington.
New York at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At St. Louis 6, Chicago 7.
At Cincinnati 0, Pittsburgh 1.
At Philadelphia-Brooklyn, rain.
At New York-Boston, rain.

The Standing.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	4	1	.800
New York	4	1	.800
Philadelphia	3	2	.600
Chicago	3	2	.600
Brooklyn	2	3	.400
Pittsburgh	2	3	.400
Cincinnati	1	4	.200
Boston	1	4	.200

Where They Play Today.

Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Boston at New York.

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CLANCY'S HERE MAY GO IN TODAY

Tall Youth Brings Free-Swinging Delivery

Clancy's here.

The south-paw for whom the Spudder management has been angling arrived in town yesterday, fit for battle.

The report that he had been released by Indianapolis reached here Sunday morning, but nothing had been heard from him until he announced his identity at headquarters.

Clancy is a former college star picked by John McGraw last season and turned over to Jack Hendricks for seasoning.

He is a tall rangy fellow with a free swinging delivery, and fans anticipate his ability.

While no definite announcement was made of the fact last night, it is believed that the newcomer will be sent against the Shreveport crew today.

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CHICAGO CUBS STOP CARDS' STREAK

Statz Saves Game For Mitchell in Ninth

ST. LOUIS, April 17.—Chicago defeated St. Louis in a game in which Doak was driven off the hill and another assault against Barfoot in the seventh won for the Cubs, Statz's perfect throw doubling at the plate in the ninth, following his catch of Stock's liner, saved the game for the visitors. Heathcote drove in four runs for the Cardinals.

Score:

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Statz, cf	4	1	2	2	1	0
Hollocher, ss	5	1	2	4	3	0
Kelleher, 3b	4	0	0	1	4	0
Grimes, 1b	3	0	1	10	1	0
Callaghan, rf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Miller, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Krug, 2b	4	1	2	2	4	0
O'Farrell, c	3	1	1	5	2	0
Martin, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Keen, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
xWeis	1	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	7	10	27	15	0

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Smith, rf	5	0	1	3	0	0
Fournier, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	1
Stock, 3b	5	2	2	0	1	0
Hornsby, 2b	4	2	2	3	3	0
Heathcote, cf	4	0	3	6	0	0
McHenry, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Torporcer, ss	4	0	4	3	2	0
Clemons, c	4	0	1	5	3	0
Doak, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
Barfoot, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
zMiller	1	0	1	0	0	0
zzMann	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	6	13	27	11	1

x-Batted for Martin in 7th.
z-Batted for Barfoot in 9th.
zz-Run for Mueller in 9th.

Chicago	040 000 300—7
St. Louis	201 020 001—6

Two base hits, Hornsby 2, Stock, Heathcote, Statz, Hollocher. Three base hits, Krug, O'Farrell, Fournier. Sacrifice hits, Statz. Double plays, Hollocher, Krug and Grimes; Statz and O'Farrell. Base on balls, Martin 2; Barfoot 2.

REDS UNABLE TO SOLVE MORRISON

By Associated Press.

CINCINNATI, April 17.—Morrison's great pitching today held the Reds to four hits and Pittsburgh won 1 to 0. The only run of the game was scored in the fifth inning when Rohwer singled, stole second, and scored off a hit by Grimm.

Score:

PITTSBURGH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Maranville, ss	3	0	0	3	5	0
Carey, cf	2	0	0	4	0	0
Bigbee, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Tierney, 2b	3	0	1	3	2	0
Traynor, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Rohwer, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Grimm, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Gooch, c	4	0	2	5	2	0
Morrison, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	31	1	7	27	11	0

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Burns, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Neale, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Duncan, lf	4	0	0	1	0	1
Bohne, 2b	4	0	0	8	1	0
Daubert, 1b	3	0	0	9	1	0
Caveney, ss	3	0	0	3	3	1
Pinelli, 3b	3	0	1	3	3	0
Wingo, c	3	0	1	2	2	0
Luque, p	3	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	30	0	4	27	15	2

Pittsburgh	000 010 000—1
Cincinnati	000 000 000—0

Two base hits, Traynor, Luque. Stolen base, Rohwer. Double play, Caveney to Pinelli. Left on bases, Pittsburgh 7; Cincinnati 7. Base on balls, Morrison 1; Luque 1. Struck out, Morrison 4; Luque 2.

THE PENALTY

Babe Ruth watching one of the opening games of the season from the grandstand

Babe Ruth, super-slugger of all time, is now feeling the effects of the suspension slapped on his shoulders and those of Bob Meusel by Commissioner Landis last fall as a penalty for breaking a baseball law by barnstorming. The big Bambino must sit fidgetting in the grandstand as the Yankees play until May 20.

FIGHTS FEATURE SOUTHERN GAME

Players, Fans and Cops Enliven Contest

By Associated Press.

CHATTANOOGA, April 17.—Angered because he was hit by a pitched ball, First Baseman Schribner, of Little Rock attacked Pitcher Wingfield of Chattanooga in the sixth inning of today's game and other players joined in. The fans crowded on the field. Police succeeded in restoring order. Pitcher Steel, of Little Rock, whose action in knocking down First Baseman Anderson of Chattanooga, had caused the two man fight to become general, followed Wingfield from the field, and Pitcher Morrison of Chattanooga went after the two. While Manager Eddie McDonald of Chattanooga held the door, the three players engaged in a battle inside the club house, police finally forcing an entrance after Steel had been severely beaten. The incident was brought on by complaints from Manager Elberfield of Little Rock. Little Rock won the game, an erratic affair 7 to 3. Score:

Little Rock	010 320 001—7	9	5
Chattanooga	000 010 200—3	3	6

Cvengros and Lapan; Wingfield, Johnson and Kruger.

NASHVILLE, April 17.—Memphis mixed hits with errors and took the first game of the series with Nashville 3 to 1. McLarry's home run was the first of the season here. Score:

Memphis	010 100 001—3	4	1
Nashville	000 000 100—1	6	4

Fowlkes and Shestak; Gallagher, Harris and Morrow.

BIRMINGHAM, April 17.—Statham weakened in the 9th today and the 4 to 2 lead his team had given him was quickly overcome by the Atlanta Crackers, who won 5 to 4. Score:

Atlanta	002 000 003—5	12	0
Birmingham	121 000 000—4	9	2

Bedgood and C. S. Smith; Statham, Morrison and Robertson.

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—Mobile batters pounded Craft for 14 hits and won today's game 6 to 5. Score:

Mobile	030 110 010—6	14	2
New Orleans	001 000 400—5	7	1

Pope, Fuh and Baker; Craft and Dowie.

DOUBLE A SCORES

At Columbus 7; Kansas City 0.
At Toledo 2; Milwaukee 9.
At St. Paul 6; Louisville 5.
At Indianapolis—Rain.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, April 17.—Poultry alive, lower; fowls 24, broilers 40 to 50c, roosters 16.

Butter lower; creamery extras 37. Eggs higher; receipts 49,728 cases; first 23 1-4@23 1-2.

VERNON GAME MAY BE BOOKED

High Seeking Contest On Electra Field

By "HANK HAYES"

Baseball moguls in the local high school circles have been unable to secure many games with other high schools thus far, and are planning to challange some neighboring towns of the Panhandle district for contests in Electra, as there are so many conflicting enterprises going on here at this time.

Games had to be broken last week with Amarillo Hi for two games there, as the track meet was in session. Waxahachie high school called off a game on the 29th, so their athletes could go to the state meet, and Fort Worth wants return games with large guarantees, that the business manager feels that could not be raised successfully. Oklahoma City's Central High team was asked for a game but a track meet was in session there so no game could be arranged.

The coach asks either Childress or the Vernon high schools to meet at Electra for games this Friday and Saturday, if possible, as that town is a good baseball town and will turn out to see as fast game of baseball, which these nines will put up.

A game with the University Club Sluggers of the Twilight circuit is being arranged for this Thursday, as has been the yearly custom of the Wichita Hi's "big brother."

SEYMOUR WOMAN IS INJURED WHEN AUTO IS UPSET AT CURVE

Special to the Record News.

SEYMOUR, Texas, April 17.—Mrs. J. C. Dewis was severely injured in an automobile accident on the Seymour and Archer City road, 20 miles east of Seymour Sunday when the car which her husband was driving was completely upset at a sharp turn in the road.

Both arms were broken, one at the wrist and the other just below the shoulder, besides other painful bruises.

Both were pinned beneath the car. Mr. Dewis, after difficulty, extricated himself, released his wife and righted the car bringing her to this city for medical attention. Mr. Dewis was not injured and the car was not damaged.

New York state has 21,950 miles of improved highways, 8,950 miles of which have been built by the state, and 13,000 miles by the counties and towns.

More street accidents occur in New York city in the "slack" hours than during the business "rush" hours.

There are more than 1,000 free touring camping grounds, established by municipalities all over the United States.

Motor trucks are used to interchange freight among the eight railroads entering Cincinnati, Ohio. This has resulted in eliminating 30,000 switching cuts.

Norway has upwards of 1,450 women automobile drivers.

Cardinal Vincenzo Vanutelli is the first prelate in Rome to have an automobile.

REPORT ISSUED ON COTTONSEED

Output of Crude Oil Decreases

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The cotton seed products report of the census bureau for the eight months' period ending March 31, issued today, shows:

Cotton seed crushed 2,840,431 tons, compared with 3,525,628 for the same period a year ago, and on hand at mills March 31, 107,508 tons compared with 302,926.

Crude oil produced 875,676,202 pounds, compared with 1,126,063,846 and on hand 60,088,903 pounds, compared with 164,326,600.

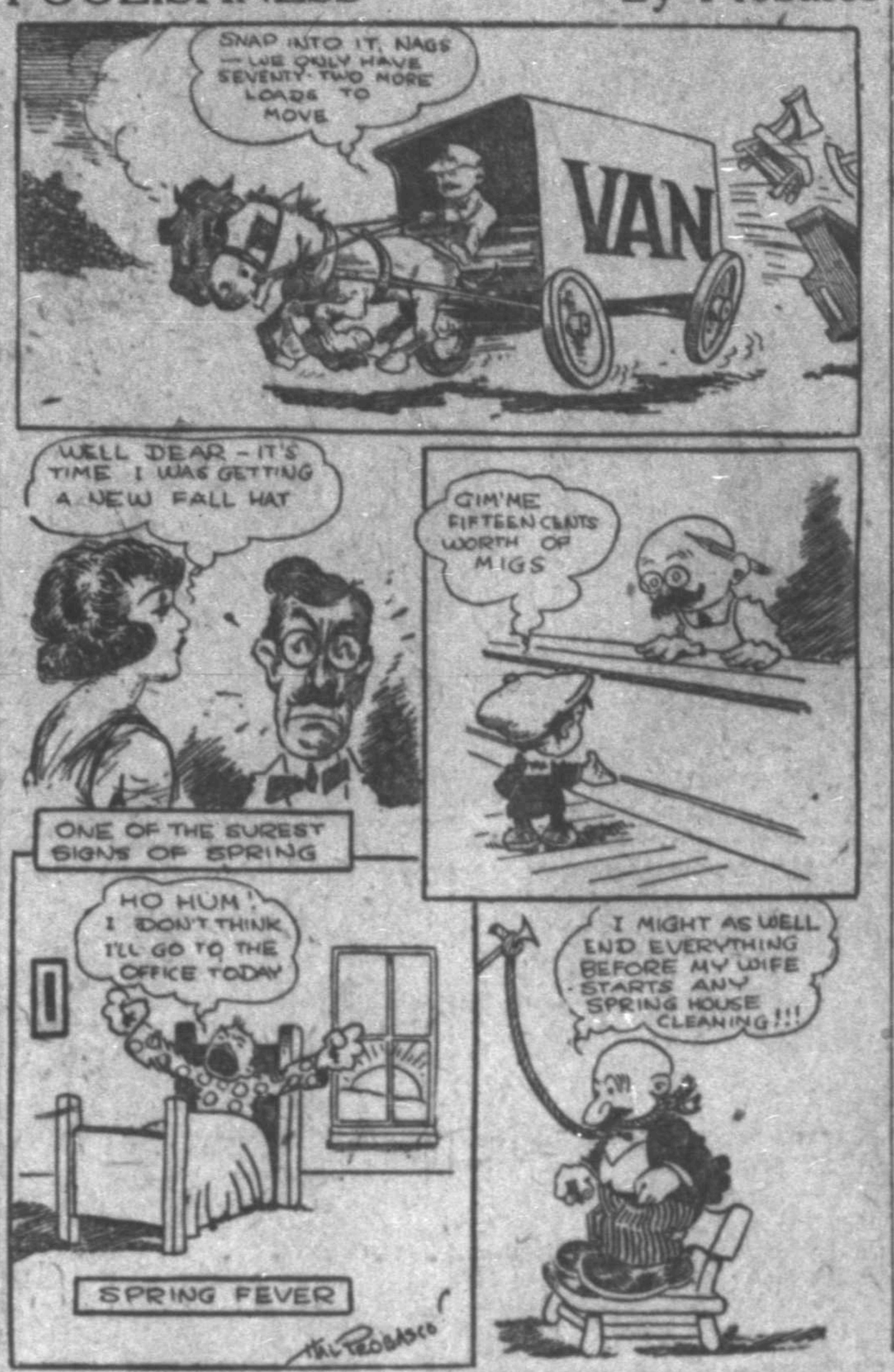
Refined oil produced 739,021,432 pounds, compared with 871,943,048, and on hand 290,392,981 pounds compared with 308,293,901.

Cake and meal produced 1,290,741 tons compared with 1,550,508, and on hand 178,072 tons, compared with 745,508.

Linters produced 375,175 bales compared with 389,117 and on hand 144,683 bales, compared with 234,385.

Export of linters were 86,858 running bales, compared with 32,347.

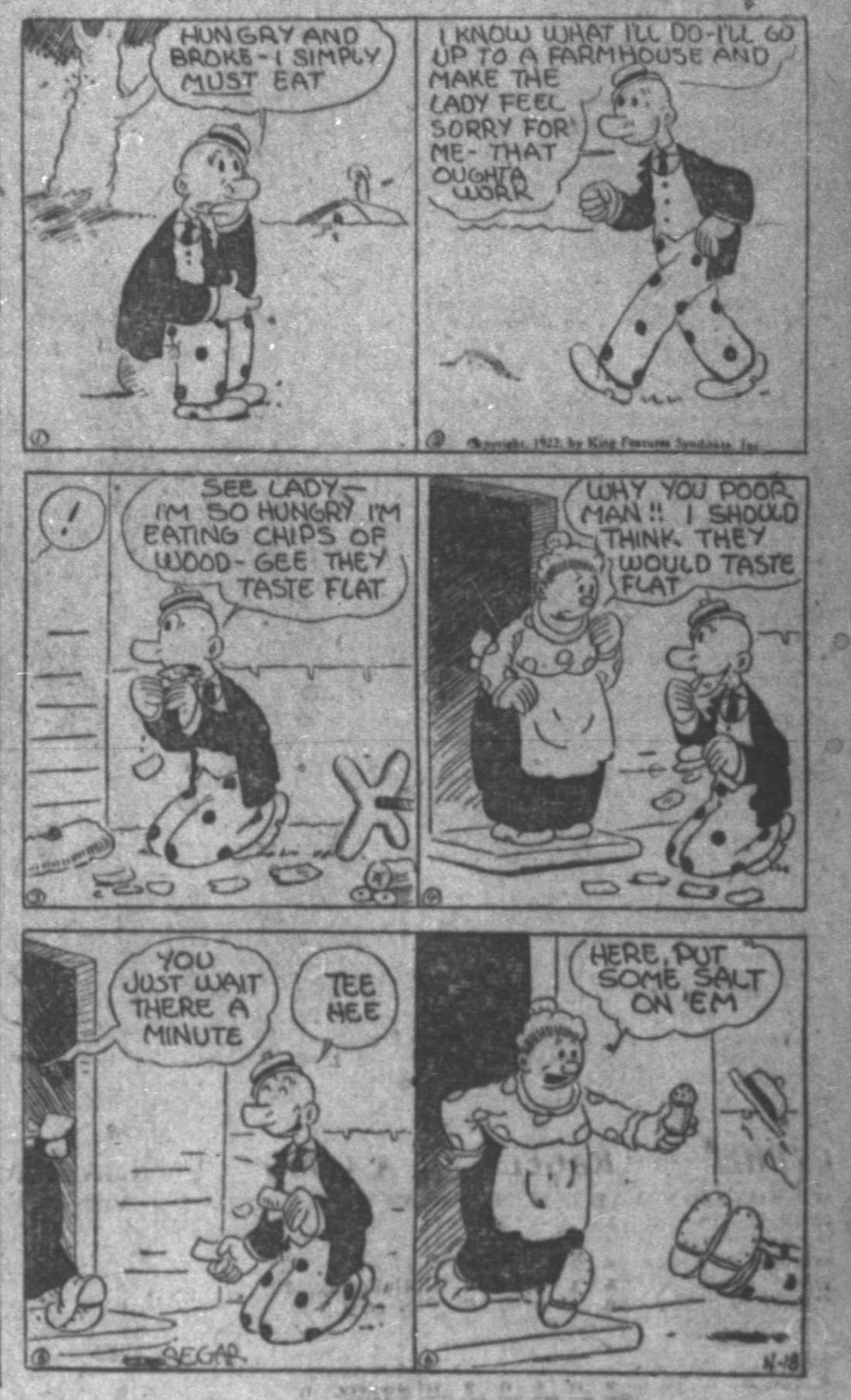
FOOLISHNESS —By Probasco



SNAP INTO IT, NAGS —WE ONLY HAVE SEVENTY-TWO MORE LOADS TO MOVE
VAN
WELL DEAR – IT'S TIME I WAS GETTING A NEW FALL HAT
ONE OF THE SUREST SIGNS OF SPRING
GIM'ME FIFTEEN CENTS WORTH OF MIGS
HO HUM! I DON'T THINK I'LL GO TO THE OFFICE TODAY
SPRING FEVER
I MIGHT AS WELL END EVERYTHING BEFORE MY WIFE STARTS ANY SPRING HOUSE CLEANING!!!
HAL PROBASCO

THIMBLE THEATRE —By Segar.

NOW SHOWING—"THE EPICURE."
Tomorrow—"The Careful Investor."



HUNGRY AND BROKE – I SIMPLY MUST EAT
I KNOW WHAT I'LL DO – I'LL GO UP TO A FARMHOUSE AND MAKE THE LADY FEEL SORRY FOR ME – THAT OUGHTA WORK
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SEE LADY— I'M SO HUNGRY I'M EATING CHIPS OF WOOD – GEE THEY TASTE FLAT
WHY YOU POOR MAN!! I SHOULD THINK THEY WOULD TASTE FLAT
YOU JUST WAIT THERE A MINUTE
TEE HEE
HERE, PUT SOME SALT ON 'EM
SEGAR
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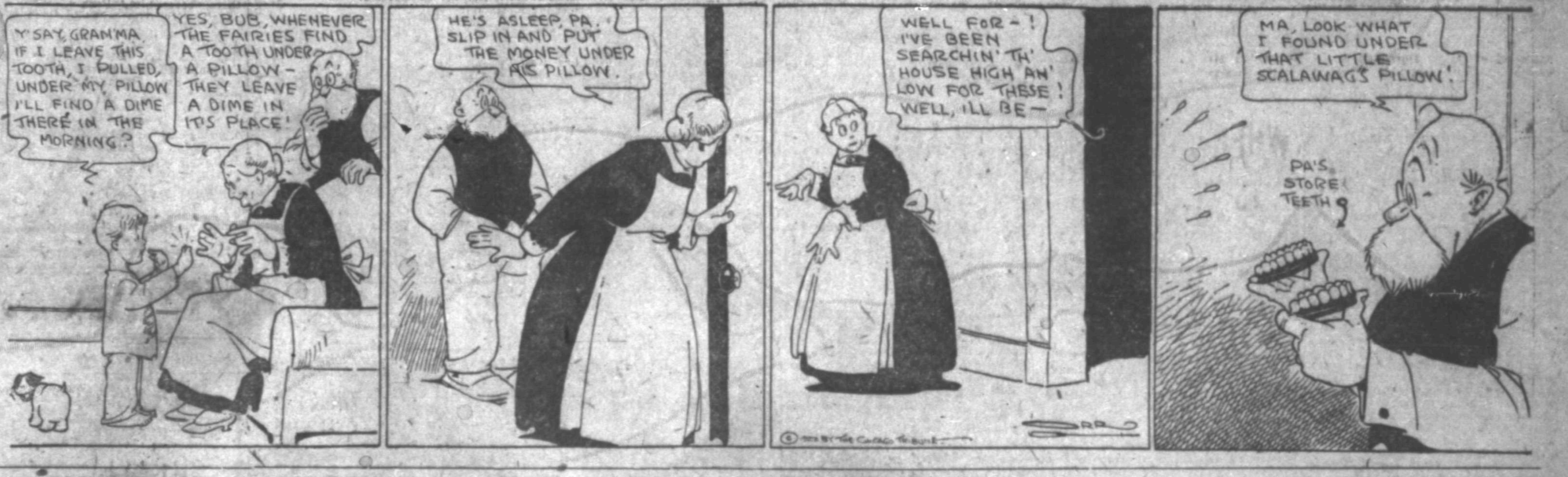
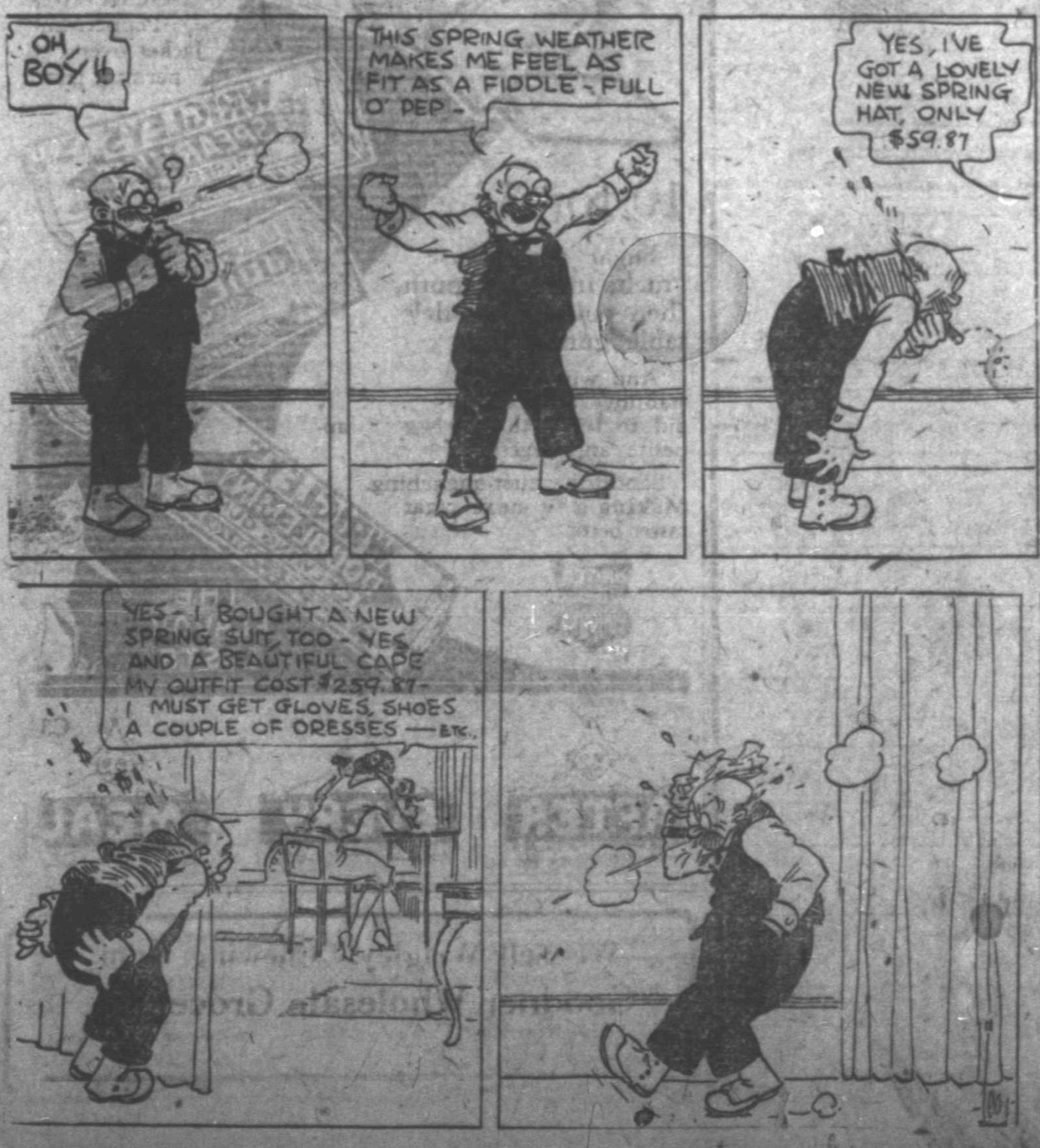
THE KERNEL—Bub Figures He's Got Around Three Bucks Coming.



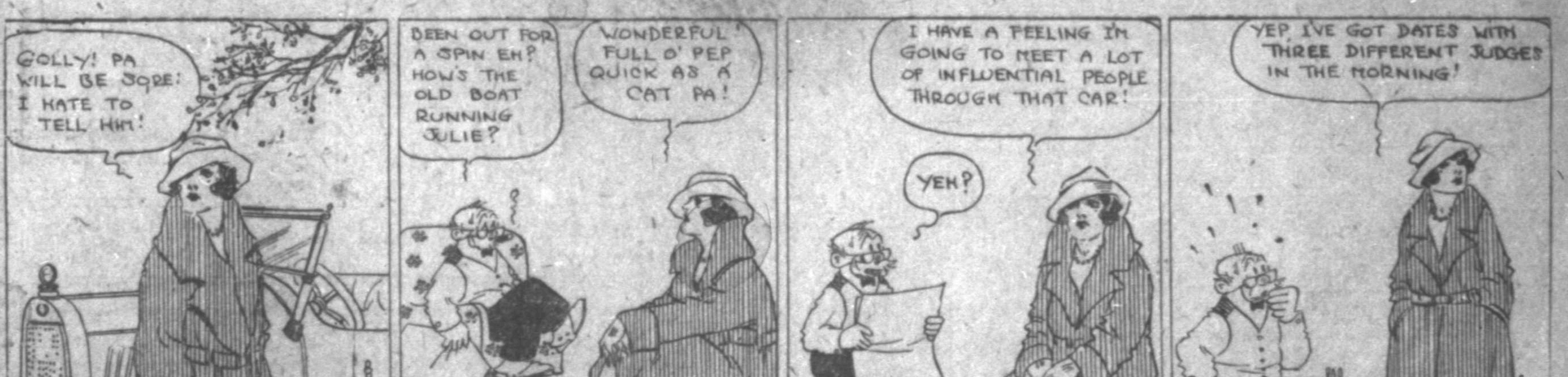
Y' SAY, GRAN'MA IF I LEAVE THIS TOOTH, I PULLED, UNDER MY PILLOW I'LL FIND A DIME THERE IN THE MORNING?
YES, BUB, WHENEVER THE FAIRIES FIND A TOOTH UNDER A PILLOW – THEY LEAVE A DIME IN IT'S PLACE!
HE'S ASLEEP, PA. SLIP IN AND PUT THE MONEY UNDER HIS PILLOW.
WELL FOR – ! I'VE BEEN SEARCHIN' TH' HOUSE HIGH AN' LOW FOR THESE! WELL, I'LL BE –
MA, LOOK WHAT I FOUND UNDER THAT LITTLE SCALAWAG'S PILLOW!
PA'S STORE TEETH

WEDLOCKED—PETER HEARS TOO MUCH.—By LEO.



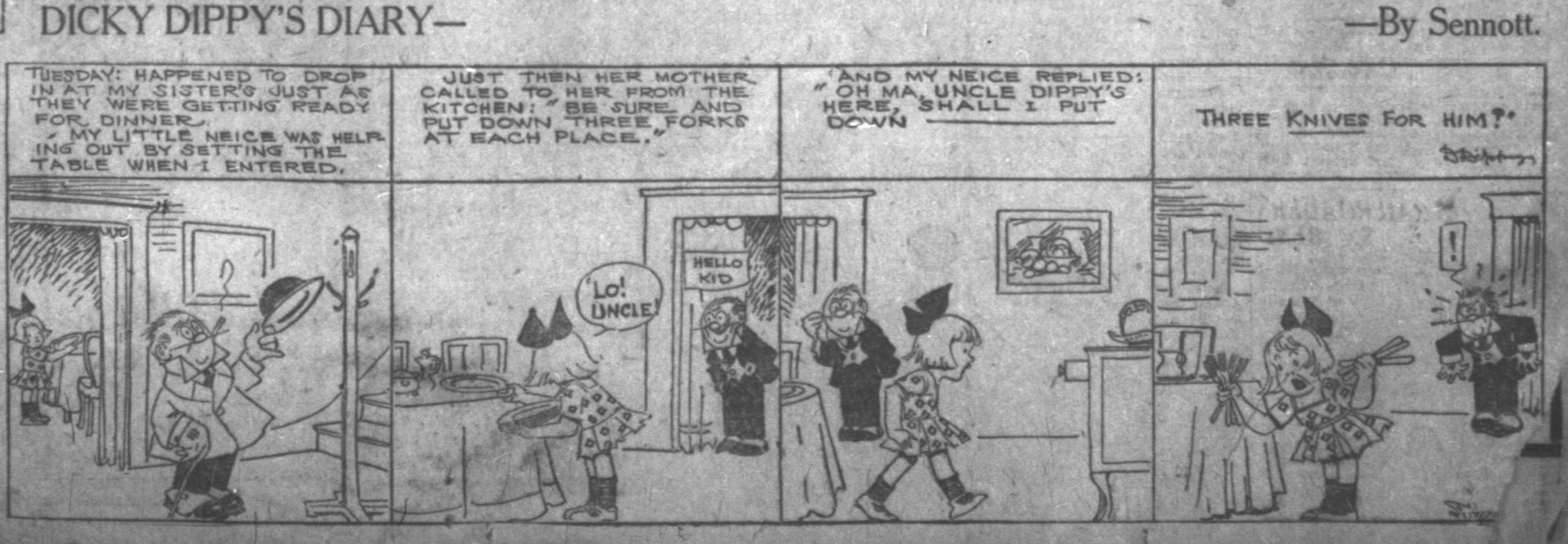
OH, BOY!!
THIS SPRING WEATHER MAKES ME FEEL AS FIT AS A FIDDLE – FULL O' PEP –
YES, I'VE GOT A LOVELY NEW SPRING HAT, ONLY $59.87
YES – I BOUGHT A NEW SPRING SUIT, TOO – YES AND A BEAUTIFUL CAPE MY OUTFIT COST $259.87 – I MUST GET GLOVES, SHOES A COUPLE OF DRESSES —ETC.

KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES—Julie "Stepped on the Gas." —By POP MOMAND.



GOLLY! PA WILL BE SORE! I HATE TO TELL HIM!
BEEN OUT FOR A SPIN EH? HOW'S THE OLD BOAT RUNNING JULIE?
WONDERFUL! FULL O' PEP QUICK AS A CAT PA!
I HAVE A FEELING I'M GOING TO MEET A LOT OF INFLUENTIAL PEOPLE THROUGH THAT CAR!
YEH?
YEP I'VE GOT DATES WITH THREE DIFFERENT JUDGES IN THE MORNING!
POP MOMAND.

DICKY DIPPY'S DIARY— —By Sennott.



TUESDAY: HAPPENED TO DROP IN AT MY SISTER'S JUST AS THEY WERE GETTING READY FOR DINNER. MY LITTLE NEICE WAS HELPING OUT BY SETTING THE TABLE WHEN I ENTERED.
HELLO KID
'LO! UNCLE
JUST THEN HER MOTHER CALLED TO HER FROM THE KITCHEN: "BE SURE AND PUT DOWN THREE FORKS AT EACH PLACE."
"AND MY NEICE REPLIED: "OH MA, UNCLE DIPPY'S HERE, SHALL I PUT DOWN ——
THREE KNIVES FOR HIM?"
!

STOCKS SMASH 2-YEAR RECORD

Sales Tax Market Machinery

NEW YORK, April 17.—All records for the current and previous year on the stock exchange were broken today when dealings mounted to the stupendous total of 2,050,000 shares and the number of separate issues traded in assumed corresponding dimensions.

Trading was on an extraordinary scale from the beginning, the volume of buying extended over the Sunday recess, taxing the machinery of the exchange almost to its capacity.

In the forenoon, the turnover was on a basis of 500,000 shares an hour, and this high pressure of activity was only slightly diminished in the last half of the session.

Further lowering of call money rates was one of several stimulating features of the day. Call loans opened at 4 per cent, but soon dropped to 3½ per cent in the open market and 3 per cent in private loans.

The sensational elements of the session were furnished by oils, that group, almost by common impulse, extending last Saturday's gains by 1 to 3 points. Rails, equipments and several of the independent steels registered similar advances, but the entire list became unsettled at midday on Sinclair's reaction of over 4 points.

Technical conditions, namely, the markets top heavy predictions, and cables announcing a treaty between Germany and Russia, accelerated the movement, much of which was later retrieved.

Rails were proof against pressure, with coppers and domestic oils and specialties showing pronounced strength.

The news from Genoa failed of reflection in the foreign exchange market where all quotations, including British and allied remittances rose above last week's closing prices. Sterling gained half a cent and French, Italian and Belgian bills showed uniform gains of 5 points, even the German mark keeping moderate pace with the general list.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 17.—Foreign exchange firm. Great Britain demand $4.41 7-8; cables $4.42 1-4; sixty-day bills on banks $4.39 3-8; France demand 9.33 1-2c; cables 9.34c. Italy demand 5.50 1-2c; cables 5.51c. Belgium demand 8.60c; cables 8.60 1-2c. Germany demand 36 3-8c; cables 36 1-2c. Holland demand 37.89c; cables 37.92c. Norway demand 18.73c; Sweden demand 26.02c; Denmark demand 21.20c; Switzerland demand 19.45c; Spain demand 15.45c; Greece demand 4.50c; Poland demand 02 5-8c; Czecho-Slovakia demand 2.02c; Argentine demand 36.00c; Brazil demand 13.75c; Montreal 97 3-4c.

MONEY ON CALL

NEW YORK, April 17.—Call money easier; high 4, low 3 1-2, ruling rate 4, closing bid 3 1-2, offered at 4, last loan 4, call loans against acceptances 3 1-2. Time loans steady; 60 days, 90 days and six months 4 1-2; prime mercantile paper, 4 1-2 @3-4.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, April 17.—Liberty bonds closed: 3 1-2s, 99.74; first 4s, 99.80, bid; second 4s, 99.62, bid; first 4 1-4s, 98.84; second 4 1-4s, 99.64; third 4 1-4s, 99.80; fourth 4 1-4s, 99.94; victory, 3 3-4s, 100.08; victory 4 3-4s, 100.62.

COFFEE FIRM

NEW YORK, April 17.—Coffee futures showed continued firmness today with all deliveries making new high records for the session on covering by near months shorts and scattered buying of later deliveries prompted by higher Brazilian cables.

May sold up to 10.47 and July to 10.27, while September advanced to 10.01. These prices attracted some realizing, but the close was within 4 to 5 points of the top on most positions, showing a net advance of 11 to 25 points. Sales estimated at about 50,000 bags. May 10.44; July 10.22; September 9.95; October 9.92; December 9.98, January 9.93.

Spot coffee firm; Rio 7s 11 to 11¼; Santos 4s 11¾ to 11⅛.

LABOR LEADER WOULD LIMIT USE OF STRIKE

EL PASO, April 17.—The Texas state federation of labor convention at its initial session here today was told that the "strike as a weapon with which to combat capital is obsolete and should not be used except in special emergencies." The speaker, William J. Moran of El Paso, president of the bricklayers union, is one of the leading labor men of the state.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

	Sales in Hundreds	Last Sales
Allied Chem & Dye	26	67½
Amer Beet Sugar	2	41½
Amer Can	60	48¾
Amer Car & Fdy	5	162⅞
Amer Hide & L pfd	12	72
Amer Inter Corp	60	46¾
Amer Loco	40	115⅝
Amer Linseed	10	33¾
Amer Smelt & Ref	52	59½
Amer Sugar	48	73¼
Amer Sumatra Tob	15	36
Amer Tel & Tel	30	120¾
Amer Woolen	102	94½
Anaconda Copper	235	54
Atchison	96	100⅝
Atl Coast Line	6	98
Atl. G & W I	20	33⅞
Baldwin Loco	326	117⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	134	49
Bethlehem Steel "B"	107	34¾
Canadian Pacific	48	144¼
Central Leather	28	38½
Chandler Motors	58	176¾
Cresapeake & Ohio	50	66
Chicago, Mil & St. P	138	29⅜
Chi R I & Pac	90	44½
Coca Cola	147	52½
Corn Products	59	103⅜
Crucible Steel	34	64¾
Cuba Cane Sugar	26	16⅛
Endicott-Johnson	27	84½
Erie	58	63½
Famous Players-Lasky	17	81⅛
General Asphalt	87	64⅝
General Electric	5	163¾
General Motors	57	13
Great Northern pfd	35	76½
Gulf States Steel	128	82¾
Illinois Central	8	108¼
Inspiration Copper	48	41¼
Inter Harvester	46	96¾
Int Mer Marine pfd	145	84½
International Paper	47	73¼
Invincible Oil	158	48¼
Kelly-Springfield Tire	90	47⅞
Kennecott Copper	170	32
Louisville & Nashville	1	118⅛
Mexican Petroleum	168	133½
Middle States Oil	365	15⅝
Midvale Steel	47	35¼
Missouri Pacific	28	24½
N Y Central	135	91¾
N Y., N H & Hart	188	22½
Norfolk & Western	12	105½
Northern Pacific	42	78½
Okla Prod & Ref	52	2¾
Pacific Oil	238	69¾
Pan-American Pet	135	63½
Pennsylvania	55	42½
Pure Oil	128	35
Reading	102	78½
Rep Iron & Steel	15	56½
Royal Dutch N Y	182	64⅞
St. Louis & San Fran	90	30⅝
Seaboard Air Line	70	8½
Seaboard Air Line pfd	42	14
Sears Roebuck	32	75¾
Shell Trans & Trad	11	47½
Sinclair Oil & Refin	28	30½
Sloss Shef S & I	1	43½
Southern Pacific	41	90⅝
Southern Railway	44	24⅛
Southern Railway pfd	8	56
Stand Oil of N J pfd	7	114¼
Studebaker Corp	388	119¾
Tennesse Copper	49	12¼
Texas Co	570	46⅞
Texas & Pac	12	34⅝
Tobacco Products	57	71½
Transcontinental Oil	31	12½
Union Pacific	48	139
United Fruit	2	144¾
U S Food Products	9	4⅛
U S Ind Alcohol	16	47¾
United Retail Stores	30	49
U S Rubber	74	66
U S Steel	180	98
U S Steel Pfd	10	118
Utah Copper	107	67
Vanadium Corp	50	43
Virginia Caro Chem	3	35
Western Union	16	98
Westinghouse Electric	32	62⅞
Willys-Overland	33	8⅝

Total sales 2,030,800.

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*U S 2s, registered	103⅛
*U S 2s, coupon	103⅛
*U S 4s, registered	105
*U S 4s, coupon	105
*Panama 3s, registered	83
*Panama 3s, coupon	83
Amer Smelt & Ref 5s	90⅛
Amer Tele & Tel cv 6s	114
Anglo-French 5s	88¾
Atchison gen 4s	88¼
Atl Coast Line 1st 4s	83⅞
*Bethlehem Steel ref 5s	94½
Cen of Georgia Con 5s	96½
Central Leather 5s	90½
Chesapeake & Ohio cv 5s	97¼
Chi, B & Quiney joint 4s	71½
Chi-Mil & St. P cv 4½s	¼81⅞
City of Paris 6s	87
Colo & Southern ref 4½s	79
Den & Rio Grande consol 4s	98⅛
Dominion of Canada 5s (1931)	55¼
Erie gen 4s	80½
Int Mer Marine 6s	88½
Liggett & Myers 5s	90⅞
Missouri, Kan. & Tex 1st 4s	66⅞
Missouri Pac gen 4s	104
N Y Central deb 6s	108½
Norfolk & Western cv 6s	86
Pennsylvania gen 5s	84½
Rep I & S 5s (1940)	81¾
St. Louis & San Fran adj 6s	29
Southern Bell Tel 5s	100
Southern Pacific cv 5s	96½
Southern Railway 5s	67½
Texas & Pacific 1st 5s	94½
Union Pacific 4s	102
U K of G. B. & I 5½s (1937)	103
*U S Steel 5s	98
Wabash 1st 5s	92½

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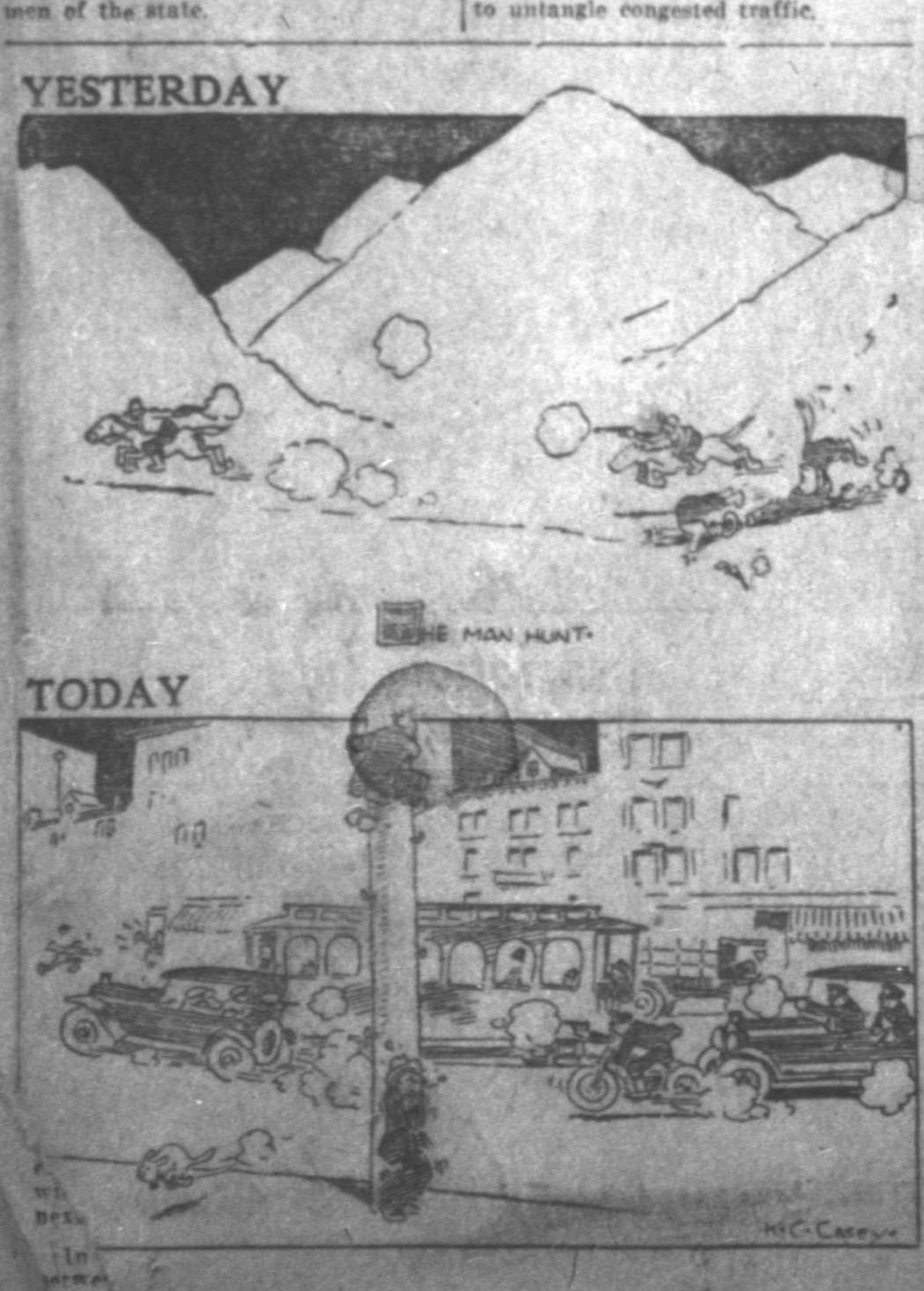

SCHOOL DAYS. —By Dwig.

OH HAST THOU FORGOTTEN HOW SOON WE MUST SEVER? OH HAST THOU FORGOTTEN THIS DAY WE MUST PART? IT MAY BE FOR YEARS AND IT MAY BE FOREVER— THEN WHY ART THOU SILENT— THOU VOICE OF MY HEART—
GO ON, ED; LEMME SPIN'ER JIS ONCE— YOU KNOW ME!
SPIN IT? YOU COULD N'T SPIN IT! YOU'VE GOT TO UNDERSTAND MACHINERY TO SPIN A TOP
SOMEWHERE IN MARCH
3-2 10-22
DWIG

WHEAT ADVANCE FAILS TO LAST

Market Closes at Slight Loss

CHICAGO, April 17.—Efforts to secure at once big profits already in sight kept owners of wheat too busy most of the time today to try any new kiting of prices. Excitement over Saturday's 9 cents a bushel sudden ascent of values gradually subsided, and fresh advances failed to last. The market closed unsettled to 3-4 cents net lower with May 1.40 1-2 to 1.40 3-4 and July 1.24 3-4 to 1.25. Corn lost 1-2 to 3-4 cents, and oats 1-8 to 3-8 cents. In provisions, the finish was unchanged to 5 cents higher.

Much nervousness among wheat traders was shown during the early part of the exchange session, opening being divided for a while as to whether the jump in prices on Saturday would be followed by a still greater rise or whetler a reaction would ensue. Possibility of a huge shortage of wheat here throughout the approaching period for the settlement of May contracts remained an acute problem especially for dealers who have been selling wheat on a large scale of late expecting to obtain the grain at lower prices when needed. It soon became evident, however, that price upturns no greater than are witnessed almost daily would for the time being induce holders to let go of plenty wheat to supply all present demands.

Corn and oats were ruled by the action of wheat. Adverse in the weather condition were insufficient influence to uphold price.

Provisions averaged a little higher in line with the hog market.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.43	1.45	1.39¾	1.40½
July	1.26¼	1.27¼	1.24¾	1.24¾
Sep.	1.20¼	1.20¾	1.16¾	1.18¾
CORN—				
May	.61⅝	.61⅞	.60½	.60¾
July	.65¼	.61½	.64⅛	.64¼
OATS—				
May	.38⅛	.39	.37⅞	.38
July	.41¼	.41⅞	.40¾	.40¾
PORK—				
May	.....	.....	.....	21.00
LARD—				
May	10.92	10.97	10.85	10.85
July	11.17	11.25	11.12	11.12
RIBS—				
May	11.50	11.50	11.40	11.40
July	10.80	10.85	10.77	10.77

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, April 17.—Cash wheat No. 1 dark hard 1.42@1.56; No. 2 hard 1.28@1.50.

Corn No. 2 white 56; No. 2 yellow 58@58 1-2.

Oats, No. 2 white 39; No. 2 mixed 37@38.

SUGAR EASIER

NEW YORK, April 17.—The raw sugar market was easier today, although prices were not materially changed. There was a sale of a small lot of Cubas 48,000 bags in port at 2 5-16 cents, cost and freight, equal to 3.92 for centrifugal. April was quoted at 2 7-16 cents, cost and freight, while May was available at 2¼ cents, cost and freight.

The raw sugar futures market was easier and closing prices were 5 to 6 points net lower under scattered liquidation by cimmission houses, owing to the slightly lower ruling of the spot market. May 2.50; July 2.69; September 2.87, December 2.91.

There was better inquiry noted for refined sugar. Prices were unchanged at 5.25 to 5.50 for fine granulated.

COTTON GOODS STEADY

NEW YORK, April 17. — Cotton goods were steady today with the demand somewhat broader for sheetings and print cloths. All wool goods were steady, while worsteds remained quiet. The clothing trade reported moderate fall orders on the higher priced lines, but better business on the lower priced goods. Raw silk advanced during the day and buying was more general. Burlaps held steady with the demand quiet. Linens were in moderate demand.

FT. WORTH OPEN SHOP FIGHT REACHES COURT

FORT WORTH, April 17.—The open shop fight in Fort Worth which has been smouldering for a month reached the courts this morning when a movie theater owner who has adopted the open shop system sued for a writ of injunction to prevent union movie operators from picketing his place. Application for the injunction will be heard Tuesday.

THE 5:15 —By Segar

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GUS, LOOK AT THE TOUGH EGG COMING RIGHT TOWARD US- HE'S A 'HOLD UP' GUY SURE - GEE WHIZ!
HOLY SMOKE
I WAS ONLY KIDDIN' SAPPO, HERE'S THAT "TWENTY" I OWE YOU- TEE- HEE
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CATTLE SELL ON STRONGER BASIS

Hog Market Is Slow And Steady

FORT WORTH, April 17. — Receipts today 5,700 cattle and 1,000 calves, but included 3,700 head of cattle en route to pastures. Steers and cows sold on a strong basis, the calf market was steady to strong.

The hog market was slow. Pigs steady. Receipts 2,000.

Sheep steady, receipts amounting to 600 head. Feeders, mixed went at 7.75. Quotations:

Cattle—Beeves 4.00 to 7.75; stockers 4.00@6.75; cows 3.00 to 6.00; canners 2.25 to 2.75; heifers 3.50 to 6.50; yearlings 4.25@8.50; bulls 2.25 to 4.50; calves 2.50 to 8.50.

Hogs—Light 9.70@9.90; medium 9.60@9.65; heavy 9.00@9.70; mixed 8.25—9.50; common 7.00@8.00; rough heavy 8.00@8.75; pigs 3.00@8.00.

Sheep—Lambs 9.00@15.00; yearlings 9.00@12.00; wethers 6.00@9.00; ewes 5.50@8.25; culls 1.00@2.00; stocker sheep 4.50@6.50; feeder lambs 7.50@12.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 17.—Cattle receipts 10,000; beef steers and yearlings steady to 15c higher; top on both 8.35; heavy cows 5.50@5.70; stockers and feeders steady to strong; stockers 6.75@7.65; feeders 7.25@7.65; other classes steady; light and medium weight cows 5.75@6.00; heifers 6.50@7.25; bulls 4.00@4.50; canners and cutters 2.75@4.50; better grade vealers 7.00@8.00.

Hog receipts 12,000; 10c higher; top 10.30; packer top 10.25; mixed loads 9.75@9.90; bulk 8.85@10.25; stocker pigs steady to 10c lower; best 10.25; bulk 10.00@10.15.

Sheep receipts 7,000; killing classes 25 to 50c lower; mostly 50c lower; shorn Texas wethers 8.00@8.50; early top wooled lambs 14.60.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, April 17.—Cattle receipts 16,000; beef steers strong; top 9.25; yearlings 9.15; bulk beef steers 8.75 to 9.75; beef cows and stockers 15 to 25 cents higher; canners, calves and bulls steady; bulk beef cows and heigers 5.50 to 7.00; canners and cutters 3.40 to 3.55. Veal calves, bulk 6.00 to 7.00.

Hog receipts 30,000; opened 10 to 15 cents higher; mostly on lighter weights; closed 5 to 10 cents higher on lights; others steady to five cents lower than Saturday's average. Shippers bought about 15.00, hold over fairly liberal, top 10.65; bulk 9.75 to 10.55; pigs slow, steady.

Sheep receipts 9,000; fat lambs 25 cents lower; sheep 25 to 50 cents lower; top wooled lambs 15.25; bulk 14.75 to 15.00; shorn top 13.25; bulk 12.75 to 13.00. Native spring lambs 13.50 to 16.50.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK

EAST ST. LOUIS, April 17.—Cattle receipts 2,000; beef steers and canners 10 to 15 cents higher; best steers 7.65; beefs cows and bologna bulls 15 to 25 cents higher; bulk yearlings 7.00 to 7.75; bulk cows 5.00 to 6.00; light veal calves steady to 25 cents higher; practical top 7.75; bulk 7.50.

Hog receipts 12,000; mostly 10 to 20 cents higher; top 10.60; bulk 10.40 to 10.60; bulk lights 9.75 to 10.26; pigs opened steady closed 50 cents lower; packer sows mostly 9.00.

Sheep, receipts 1,000; uneven, mostly steady; choice wool lambs to city butchers 15.75; choice native spring lambs 16.00; good shorn ewes 8.00.

COTTON MARKET HAS FIRM TONE

October Contracts Close Higher

NEW YORK, April 17.—Reports of an improving trade in cotton goods combined with prospect for rather unsettled weather in the south and claims of an increased spot demand gave the cotton market a generally firm tone today. October contracts sold up to 17.55 or 44 points net higher and closed at 17.45 with the general market closing steady at an advance of 25 to 34 points.

The market opened strong at an advance of 6 to 15 points, which seemed to come largely from Wall street and local sources. The firmness of grain and the tone of the stock market appeared to be influential on the cotton market. There was some selling by Liverpool and for Japanese account, but offerings were comparatively small and appeared to be readily absorbed on reactions of 7 or 8 points. Business was fairly active, suggesting that the increased interest recently noted in stock and grain was spreading to cotton and the highest prices of the day were reached well along in the afternoon when May sold at 17.48; July 17.57, and December at 17.46, or 33 to 44 points net higher on the general list.

Reports from the cotton goods market improved demand in evidence toward the close of last week, was expected to continue, contributed to the afternoon advance, while there were also telegrams here from New Orleans claiming that a better spot demand was developing there. Weather reports were commented upon as indicating generally favorable over the south, but with showers in the east.

Exports today 43,123, making 4,549,86 so far this season. Port receipts 16,755. U. S. Port stocks 966,702. Exports so far this week exceed the total for the corresponding week last year and the steadiness of foreign exchange was discussed as a favorable indication of further export business.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW RLEANS, April 17.—The most active market in several weeks developed in cotton today and prices were put strongly higher, the list of trading months late in the day standing at net gains of 34 to 44 points. Up to this time prices moved over a wide range than was seen during the whole of last week. Unsatisfactory weather conditions, in the belt, a better feeling regarding general trade, the continued activity in stocks and grains and the large export movement were back of the buying which carried May up to 16.98. At the close May stood at 16.93 and the list wound up at net gains on the session of 29 to 39 points.

Early buying was encouraged by private reports of too much rain in the western belt and uneasiness over the moisture was increased as the day wore on by telegrams to brokers here telling of scattered rain fall in Texas. The area of low pressure shown on the weather map as overlying the lower Rio Grande valley considered highly Infavorable.

Much bullish comment was arounsed by the exports for the day which totaled from all ports 34,123 bales against only 1,080 this day last year, bringing the movement thus far this week up to 74,349 bales against 7,478 during the same period last year. The market had a steady tone throughout the day with no important set-backs from the advance at any time.

CHANGES SHOWN IN U. S. VISIBLE GRAIN

CHICAGO, April 17.—The visible supply of American and bonded grain shows the following changes:

Wheat decreased 1,034,000 bushels.
Corn decreased 2,248,000 bushels.
Oats decreased 1,673,000 bushels.
Rye decreased 25,000 bushels.
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MERCHANTS WILL DISCUSS RADIO

Distribution of Sets And Parts Is Vital

Special to the Record News.

NEW YORK, April 17.—The bureau of research and information of the National Retail Dry Goods association has compiled an exhaustive analysis of wireless telephony conditions in the United States in advance of the first radio conference of retail merchants, called by the association for Tuesday next, April 18, at the Hotel Pennsylvania, in New York.

The conference, composed of representatives of all department stores concerned with the mercantile development of radio, will discuss the various problems arising from the necessity of establishing, on a dependable merchandising basis, the redistribution of radio sets and parts. It is expected that the conference will result in effecting a long advance towards making wireless telephony an intimate, familiar and extremely useful medium of communication throughout the United States at an early date, and in communities that are sparsely settled as well as the large centers of population.

The research bureau's report shows that there are now in the United States 71 licensed broadcasting stations, of which 7 are department stores. Of the 7, Philadelphia is the location of 3; New York of 1; Newark, N. J., of 1; St. Louis, Mo., of 1 and Los Angeles, Cal., of 1.

These stores constitute a chain of broadcasting stations extending across the continent with every station equipped to take up radio sendings directly north and south within the boundaries of the United States. Scores of applications for license have already been filed by other stores throughout the country, for radio is now recognized as a merchandising opportunity of the first order, with $70,000,000—1 per cent of the $7,000,000,000 total yearly sales by department stores—as the conservative estimate of the sales volume ready for immediate exploitation. In many of the large stores of New York, Chicago and Pittsburgh the sale of radio apparatus averages from $5,000 to $6,000 weekly, and this in spite of the prevalence of a shortage in manufactured sets and parts that leaves deliveries far behind the volume of orders placed by the public.

The overwhelming growth in demand has come about within the course of a single year, for radio was little more than a toy—a matter of amusing experiment—in April, 1921. The first notable concentration of popular interest in the subject came in connection with the presidential election, in November, 1920, when the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company, equipped with large transmitting stations at its Pittsburgh, Pa., and Cleveland, O., plants for private communication essayed the experiment of announcing the election returns through the Pittsburg station.

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PHONE 4381

LODGE DIRECTORY

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month.
W. Y. HAMMACK, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Secretary.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
ED BUNNENBERG, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secretary.
Work in Master's Degree Monday, April 17 at 6:00 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
L. I. BENNETT, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Secretary.
Work in Mark Master's Degree Wednesday, April 19 at 3:00 p. m. Dinner at 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59. Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month.
WILLIAM Y. HAMMACK, E. Commander.
WM. J. WEBB, Recorder.

Maskat Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. Meets second Tuesday of each month at Masonic Temple, Tenth and Scott, second floor. All visiting Nobles invited to attend.
W. D. CLINE, Potentate,
C. O. FRITZ, Recorder.
Shrine patrol will meet each evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Wichita Falls Chapter, No. 273, of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. VICTORIA FRIBERG, W. M.
MISS NENA FRITZ, Secretary.

Wichita Falls Lodge, No. 1105, B. P. O. E., meets first and third Mondays of each month at Elks' club, corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
B. F. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
H. C. ENGLISH, Secretary.

Knights of Pythias meet Tuesday nights at 7:30 o'clock, corner Ninth and Travis streets. Visitors are welcome.
M. A. BUNDY, C. C.
IRA D. BROWN, K. R. S.

Wichita Falls Camp, No. 3001. Regular meetings every Friday night, 7:30 o'clock, at Labor Temple.
JOHN E. STEPHEN, C. C.
E. D. TREVANTHAN, Clerk.
716 Seventh Street

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
RALPH DICK, N. G.
SAM JUDAH, Sec.

Knights of Columbus, Wichita Falls Council, No. 1473.—Meets every Monday evening, 1509 Ninth street. Visiting Knights welcome.
C. J. COFFEY, G. K., 1116 City National Bank Building.
CLEM J. GALLAGHER, F. S., 1404 Holliday street.

1—ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLUE PRINTING
Wichita Falls Blue Print and Supply Co.
Blue Printing, General Drafting
Phone 2673. Rear 901 Seventh St.

ANNOUNCING
The removal of our furniture store from 819 Tenth street to 617 Indiana Ave., where we will continue to buy and sell second hand furniture and offer the same attractive prices. Carlton Furniture Co. Phone 2666. 617 Indiana Ave.

BALLROOM dancing. F. A. Gallant, representative of "National Institute of Social Dancing" studio 807 1-2 Tenth-st., phone 2244.

ROUND-UP headquarters 705 Ohio. Phone 4708.

PHRENOLOGY—Consult Madam Keys, the world's most famous woman. She gives you reliable advice. Special reading this week, $1. Stratford hotel, room 3.

MRS. ANNIE MITCHUM, Spiritual medium; readings daily. Call at Lamar Rooms, 711 Lamar.

2—LOST & FOUND

LOST—White female bull dog about 5 months old; has brindle spot on side and back; ears pointed. Answers to name of Whitie. Call 2695

3—HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—An experienced presser. Call 109—Bayvise.

WANTED—Two or three joint turners. If you are not A-1 do not apply. W. R. B. Tool Company, Wichita Falls, Texas.

WANTED—Experienced and thoroughly capable man to dress Rotary bits and do general work on lease. See Dr. Wallace, or call 2577 mornings.

WANT—Lease superintendent; must be experienced production man and capable of supervising drilling operations and pumping wells, and be able to handle general management of good producing property. Box 341, care Record News.

4—HELP WANTED—FEMALE

$2.50 PER DAY paid one lady in each town to distribute free circulars for Economy Non-Alcoholic Flavoring. Permanent position. F. E. Barr Co., Chicago.

WANTED—Neat lady for general house work at Hotel Clancy, Iowa Park at once.

5—HELP WTD—MALE & FEMALE

WANTED—Convassers, both ladies and gentlemen; best selling Vacuum Sweeper; all agents making good money. See Mr. Wilder or Mr. Smith at P. B. M. Store.

6—SALESMEN & AGTS WANTED

WANTED—Neat young man to take charge of our Wichita Falls office; $15 cash required. See Mr. Geaves, Room 7, Stonewall hotel, between 11 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.

7—SITUATIONS WANTED

PRODUCTION MAN—Wants job, 8 years experience; will consider anything; married; good reference. Phone 2449.

EXPERIENCED housekeeper wants work in widowers home in city or country. Box 1177, Burkburnett, Texas.

STENOGRAPHER with exceptional ability would like position. Phone 6050.

IF IN need of a nurse, call at 2144 Avenue F., or Phone 5827.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

VERY desirable front bed-room, also two court rooms. At reasonable rate. Stonewall Hotel.

FOR RENT—Nice bedroom over garage; desirable for men; two beds, shower bath, hot and cold water. Phone 5639.

FOR RENT—Clean, cool, bedrooms, close in. 707 Burnett. Phone 6772.

FURNISHED bedroom with adjoining bath. Phone 2090.

FOR RENT—Splendidly furnished rooms, all outside, everything new. Rates reduced $10 per week to one or two persons. New Wood Hotel, 911 1-2 Scott.

FOR RENT—Nice front sleeping room; also garage. 1515 Ninth-st.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished, cool room to one or two parties. 1621 Tenth St.

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, adjoining bath, to young lady; 1 1-2 blocks from carline, on pavement. Phone 4550.

FARVIEW
New management; all outside rooms; with hot and cold water; $12.50 month and up. 1104 Scott. Phone 2522.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms with sink in kitchen. 1416 Sixteenth St.

BEDROOMS—Modern. Phone 4511. 709 Burnett-st.

FOR RENT—Nice bedroom with home privileges in private home. 1410 Travis. Phone 4031.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedrooms at 700 Lamar. Phone 3081.

FOR RENT—Choice bedrooms, close in. $5 to $7. Phone 6122.

9—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

TWO furnished rooms; private entrance; connecting bath; 1-2 block car line; reasonable. Phone 2538.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 606 Travis, phone 3304.

10—ROOMS & BOARD

ROOM and board, three meals a day; $8 per week. Phone 2394, 1200 Ohio—under new management.

ROOM and board. Three meals a day, $10 a week. Also meals served by day or week, 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

ROOM and board; excellent meals. Phone 3879.

11—HOUSES & APARTMENTS

THREE-ROOM nicely furnished appartment; no objection to small child. Phone 6779. 1314 Eighteenth.

SIX-ROOM completely furnished with mahogany and walnut, built-in features; garage. 2904 Tenth. Phone 5109. H. E. Bachman.

FOR RENT—Six-room modern house, $35. 1300 Britton street. Phone 5688.

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment; private bath. Apply Hoffman & Co., Tenth and Lamar. Phone 5236.

FOR RENT—Completely furnished modern 6-room home with garage, located on pavement, within walking distance of town. Apply 1005 Broad or Phone 6292.

FOR RENT—Two-room, partly furnished house in rear to white people. 2112 8th street.

TWO ROOM furnished apartment, hot and cold water. Phone 2224. 1006 15th street.

FOR RENT—Six-room house, $25; also work shop and office, cheap; good location; close in. W. E. Frieze. Phone 5618.

FOR RENT—Three-room house; red picket fence around it; just the place for any one with children. Phone 3047, ask for Rhyne.

HELGERSON handles rentals. Phone 2578.

12—BUSINESS LOCATIONS

FOR RENT—Store building and three living rooms; also four room house, all modern. Call 5594.

12—BUSINESS LOCATIONS

STORE ROOM for rent 25x50, at 1014 Ohio Ave. Inquire M. O. Rielly, 714½ Ninth St. Office hours 2 to 6 p. m. Phone 2021.

14—WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—Three or four room furnished apartment or small house by responsible couple with little boy. Good resident section desired. Box 342.

WANTED—To Rent, by May 1st, furnished 4 or 5 room apartment; prefer one close in; family of four; no children; in answering please state location and price. Address Box 444, care Record News.

15—FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—One large art metal, fire proof safe; Dalton adding machine; Protectograph check writer; ceiling fan. Phone 5639.

16—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Team for feed and pasture. Small amount of work, good grass. P. L. Hurt, 1001 Virginia.

ANDREW YOUNG
Locksmith. Nuff Sed.
Phone 6358. 904-A 8th St.

WINFREY FIXIT SHOP, Phone 5213, with Collier & Landon, 825 Indiana.

17—FINANCIAL

NOTES PURCHASED

We are always in the market to purchase notes secured by producing oil properties, and first lien real estate notes.

C. W. REID
422 American Building
Phone 4528.

19—SPECIAL NOTICES

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—We bring samples of ticking, call for and deliver same day. Mattresses made good as new. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana Ave. Phone 2930.

PAPER HANGING, painting, varnishing, reduced prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 5193, Charvoz.

A. A. YOUNG, specialty salesman for A. Nash Co., men's suits $16.50 and $23.50. Orders taken at Hill's Barber Shop, 10th and Indiana.

LAWN MOWERS
Don't wait till spring to get that lawn mower sharpened. Bring it to us and have it sharpened by a man who has had years of experience.
ANDREW YOUNG CO.
Phone 6358 904-A 8th St.

BUSINESS MEN
The Sievers Employment Bureau will solve your employe problems. A trial will convince you. 517 American National Bank Bldg.

UMBRELLAS repaired and recovered, scissors and knives sharpened, electric irons repaired.
WINFREY FIXIT SHOP
With Collier & Landon, 825 Indiana
Phone 5213.

75c
will get your suits cleaned and pressed at the Panatorium Tailoring Co. Dresses $1 and up. Why pay more for the same work. Call for and deliver. Phone 6858. 808 1-2 Lamar.

PLUMBING
The satisfactory kind. Done and guaranteed by Charles D. Hughes. Phone 2224.

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300. 910 6th street.

DRAKE TRANSFER & STORAGE
We do hauling of all kinds. Work guaranteed. Prices right. House moving is our motto. Give us a trial. 25 years of experience in this line of work. Call day phone 5735; night phone 3650. A Drake, THE HOUSE MOVER.

WANTED
Furniture crating, packing and storage; get our prices.
EHLERT FURNITURE CO
Phone 5314. 807 Tenth-st.

PLUMBING, gas fitting and repairing done by licensed and bonded plumbers. We know how. G. E. (Irish) Moore. Phone 5746.

WEATHER strips and awnings. Make home comfortable, avoid worry and inconvenience by ordering early. R. W. Cross. Phone 5769.

PLUMBING—Our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You do not have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Castledine, 1920 Tenth st. Phone 4420.

HAULING, packing and crating. Piano moving done by Lueckie Transfer & Storage. 706 Wall St.

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

Mack & Mack Plumbing Co., office rear of 714 Seventh St., Shop 1204 15th St. Pohne 5066-2652.

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

FOR plumbing, Phone 3644. David Black.

LET BROWN'S transfer move you. $2.50 per load. The reliable and careful mover. Office 605 Seventh. Phone 2286.

20—PERSONAL

"M. S. H." who inquired of Dr. Cunning April 1, write W. D. Frost, Ballinger, Texas, Route B.

21—AUTOS & ACCESSORIES

BRIGHTEN up your car with Lightenin Gloss. Dries in 30 minutes. No rubbing. All dealers. 706 Tenth-st.

1920 FORD touring $240; new Skelton $150 cash, balance easy; Scripps Booth $275; Overland $75. Dean's Motor Co., 706 Tenth-st.

REAL BARGAINS
Late Ford Roadster, starter ..$215
Ford Delivery 390
Dodge Touring, good shape ..$195
Buick Four, good shape $175
MEYER
1005 Lamar

21—AUTOS & ACCESSORIES

FOR SALE—Slightly used Winther Marvin 1 1-2 ton motor truck A-1 condition. Brand new motor. Jas R. Welch, 405 First National Bank Bldg., phones 4686 and 2287.

IT IS A DODGE touring for $200, cash or terms. Will also trade for roadster. Brown, Reid and Allen garage, 905 Lamar.

PRICED TO SELL
Brand new Ford Coupe.
1920 Buick Roadster.
1921 Ford Sedan.
1919 Hudson, 7 passenger.
1919 Ford Sedan.
1921 Ford Roadster.
1920 Westcott, five passenger.
Brand new Chandler Dispatch.
1920 Nash, five passenger.
1919 Velie Touring.
1920 Buick Touring.
1921 Paige Touring.
1918 Hudson, seven passenger.
1921 Nash Roadster.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 Ninth St. Phone 2015

FOR SALE—1920 Special Six Studebaker used for family car by present owner since new. Also have model R Hup car. For demonstration, phone 2842 any day, except Sunday between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m.

FOR TRADE—Team of horses and harness for Ford car or truck Phone 5069.

USED CAR BARGAINS
Good Dodge roadster for $300.
1919 Oakland in fine shape, $600.
Late Model Jordan, 7-passenger $1250.
Willys Six in good condition, $350.
Olds "8" roadster, 1918 model, $275.
Nash touring 1918 model, $800.
Hudson Sedan, 1917 model, $750.
MARSHALL HUFF MOTOR CO.
Phone 2929 609 Scott Ave.
We never close

THE HOUSE OF OVERLAND
offers

BUICK ROADSTER; excellent condition, cord tire equipment; only $350.

OVERLAND TOURING; perfect condition throughout; worth twice the price we ask for it; $150.

FORD ROADSTER with small delivery bed, nearly new tires, motor fine; new top. A snap for $115.

CADILLAC ROADSTER, TYPE 55; splendid condition. Be sure to see it before you buy. The price for a quick sale is $800.

OLDSMOBILE EIGHT TOURING; good tires and motor just overhauled; quick action will get it for $160.

1921 OVERLAND 4 TOURING; first class condition. This is the popular low cost, comfortable car. This car has never been hurt; $260.
CASH TRADE TERMS
OVERLAND MOTORS COMPANY
Phone 6616. Ninth at Travis

A LOT OF AUTOMOBILES CHEAP
Several good Fords. Good 1920 Buick touring; 1920 Cole Eight; 2-ton truck only $300 and several others. Terms.
L. & M. AUTO MARKET,
911 Scott

REAL BARGAINS
Studebaker Big Six, 1918, $200.
Studebaker Spec. Six, 5 pas., $500
Dodge roadster, good shape, $400.
Buick touring, good paint; good tires; mechanically perfect, $625.
EXCELSIOR MOTOR CO.
Phone 2860. 605 Scott Ave.

TIRES
—We sell, repair and exchange—
AUTO TIRE EXCHANGE
Cor. 5th and Indiana

GOOD VICTROLA to trade for Ford roadster or coupe. 510 Lee-st. Phone 2178; Mr. Ray.

A FEW GOOD BUYS
Several late 1921 Fords.
Early 1921 Ford Coupe.
1920 Dodge Roadster.
We can sell you any kind of used car right.
CHILDRESS & FERGUSON
918 Scott

FORDS WANTED—Will buy any model worth the money, cash.
CHILDRESS & FERGUSON
918 Scott

AUTOMOBILE painting, 908 Ninth street. All painting guaranteed.

22—DRESSMAKING

HEMSTITCHING, 10c per yard. 1205 Lamar. Phone 3871.

DRESSMAKING of all kinds. Silk dress $5.00 and up. All work guaranteed. Coat lining $2.50. Three year's tailoring experience, 1007 Lamar. Phone 6455. Mrs. Gilbert.

SPRING dresses, tatting, embroidery and sewing; all kinds. Phone 2006.

HIGH-CLASS dressmaking, afternoon and evening gowns a specialty. 911 Eleventh-st. Phone 2136.

22—DRESSMAKING

SEWING done by the day, $3. Miss Albright, phone 3351.

DRESSMAKING and remodeling, 2114 Ninth Street. Phone 5836.

23—WANTED TO BUY

YOU NEED money? Bring your goods to the second hand store, 306 Mississippi-st.

24—FURNITURE & HOSLD GDS

FOR SALE—Bedroom furniture; altogether or separate. Phone 6633. 702 Austin.

FOR SALE—up-to-date, practically new furniture, rugs, stoves, etc., necessary for housekeeping in three-room brick apartment; buyer has privilege renting apartment; attractive proposition for couple. 1413 Eleventh St., phone 5160.

FURNITURE for six rooms. 1505 Eleventh St.

FOR QUICK SALE—Nice, 9-piece dining room set in fumed oak. Call at 1112 Monroe.

FOR SALE—One Regina electric vacuum sweeper in good condition, $30. Call 3104 Grant St.

GOOD IRON baby bed, mattress and bedding; half price. 1602 Tenth.

PHONE 2666 if you want to sell your furniture for cash.

FOR SALE—Gabel automatic entertainer victrola, suitable for confectionery, cafe or where music is desired. 5c slot attached. Phone 6358, 904-A Eighth-st. Nick, the Ramblin Locksmith.

REFRIGERATOR BARGAINS

We can save you money on your refrigerator. We will take your old refrigerator in exchange for a new one. We have a complete stock of new and used furniture. Don't fail to see us for real bargains. Phone 3223. Peoples Furniture Co., 609 Indiana.

WE SUPPLY your needs for less money than they can be supplied elsewhere. We buy, sell and store furniture.
EXCHANGE FURNITURE CO
O. L. Ross, Prop.
Phone 6992 619 Indiana

WE PAY highest cash prices for used furniture, will trade new for old furniture. We sell for less. Cash or terms. John S. Jones Furniture Co., Phone 6660, 710 7th.

YOU CAN always find a complete stock of used furniture and rugs at the lowest prices and terms to suit. We buy and exchange furniture.
STAR FURNITURE CO.,
Phone 6011. 910 Indiana

BETTER be sure than sorry. Buy from us for less, sell to us for more.
MICKS FURNITURE CO.
Phone 5528. 908 Indiana.

FURNITURE
Furniture repairing, refinishing, upholstery, crating and packing done by experienced workmen. Can use old furniture in exchange.
EHLERT FURNITURE CO.
Phone 5314. 807 Tenth-st.

26—POULTRY, EGGS & SUPPLIES

TO MAKE room for our growing chicks we offer for sale 125 Single Comb White Leghorn hens 1921 hatch, to be sold in pens of six hens, each pen mated for best results to a cockrel of same age. These fowls are from our heavy laying prize winning strain and are now laying heavily. Speedway Farm. W. F. Weeks, owner.

27—LIVE STOCK

MILCH cow with young calf to trade for work horse or mule; second house from lake on concrete road. S. L. Lecklin.

FOR SALE—Boston bull puppies, 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

28—SEEDS, PLANTS & BULBS

FOR SALE—Cabbage plants at 2610 Pennsylvania-ave, Fairview addition. M. H. York.

BEDDING plants: Verbenas, Coleus, Petunias, etc, $1 per dozen. Vegetable plants, transplanted cabbage, tomatoes pepper, sweet potatoes, 25c per dozen.
WICHITA FLORAL COMPANY,
Flower Phone 3300

29—MACHINERY & TOOLS

FOR SALE—No. 26 star drilling machine 10x10 engine, 30 horse boiler; complete line of tools. See H. J. Larrick at National Supply or Kemp hotel.

FOR SALE—2000 ft. of 2-in. line pipe in A-No.-1 condition, mostly tubings. Everything in oil well supplies.
TEXAS IRON & METAL CO.
205 Mississippi Phone 6860

WANTED—Are in the market at all times for good used oil well supplies where the title is good and the price is right. If you have anything to sell see us. Roy Calvert & Co.

FOR SALE—We carry a complete line of used oil well supplies and pipe. Before buying new let us quote you on used. We are glad to quote prices to buyers, but are not interested in brokers. Roy Calvert & Co., 404 American National Bldg.

SUITS AND DRESSES
Cleaned and Pressed
$1.00

Other Things in Proportion

Up-To-Date Cleaners & Dyers
811 Ninth Street Phone 2137
Service That Can Be Depended Upon

29—MACHINERY & TOOLS

FOR SALE—Second hand welding equipment including choice of 35 or 75 lbs. acetylene generators, torches, hose and connections, all in good condition, cheap for cash or will trade for Ford car. Coombs Welding Shop, 604 Ohio.

30—OIL LAND LEASES

I HAVE 2,400 acres in Archer county, between Johnson-Markley, Geraldine and E. & B. wells now drilling. Priced to sell. H. C. Harlsins, Phone 3036.

31—OIL, GAS & MINERALS

WE ARE OIL WELL contractors, and would like to figure on your contracts. We are in position that we can make a well any place, and any depth. We have three good Rotary rigs. Let us figure with you on your work. Coleman Drilling Co., Burkburnett, Texas Box 1068. Phone 271.

PRODUCTION—I have several producing oil properties; also some royalties. Priced fair to persons able to buy. James T. Cumley, 312 First National Bank.

FOUR WELLS—50 [illegible] equipped. Price $4,500.
C. A. PARKER
419 American Nat'l. Bank

ARCHER OIL—Another well in Archer county; we're near it with a block of leases and derrick up. If you have a rig, talk to me. James T. Cumley, 312 First National Bank. 2114 Ninth-st. Phone 5836.

SOUTH ELECTRA—I have in the South Electra field, a well located lease, I will make attractive deal to parties able to develop.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First National Bank.

32—FARMS & RANCHES

104 ACRES improved farm will be under ditch. Title clear, to trade for city home. We also have other trades of merit.
HAGER REALTY CO.
14 Ward Bldg.

33—UNIMPROVED CITY PROP

LOTS for Sale—Most desirable lots in the city, from $250 to $750; $10 down and $10 per month. Phone 6901 for appointments.
DUNCAN, ALLISON & M'KENZIE
508 City National Bank

34—FOR SALE, TRADE OR EXCHG

WANTED TO TRADE 10-room modern furnished house, located on Burnett for good 4 or 5 room house south of eighth St. Difference part cash, balance notes. Phone 5997.

SIX-ROOM modern home on corner lot on Bluff St.; south of Ninth St. Will trade for equity or pay cash difference for 6 of 7 room house on pavement. North front preferred. Phone 4680. Wilson & Fitzgerald, 214 American National Bank bldg. List your property with Wilson & Fitzgerald. Phone 4680.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five-room modern house, corner lot, good location. Will trade for good car balance cash. Phone 3722.

SIX-ROOM home, well located, fully modern, all built-in features to trade for smaller place. Will give easy terms on difference.
HAGER REALTY CO.
14 Ward Bldg.

WE HAVE nice list of exchanges. City property, farms, ranches and personal property here and elsewhere.
HAGER REALTY CO.
14 Ward Bldg.

40—FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

AVENUE F—Five rooms and bath, a reasonable payment; balance monthly.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First Natl Bank.

40—FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

A HOME—Look at 1305 Monroe street. Then if you think you want it, come in and I'll talk trade with you. A small payment or an automobile might be accepted.
JAMES T. CUMLEY
312 First National Bank.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Vacant lots in city, good terms, or low rent. Letter size steel cabinets for sectional bookcases. F. G. Swanson. Phone 3248.

John W. Owen M. A. Bundy
OWEN & BUNDY
Real Estate and Rentals
Office phone 2791. We handle Vendors lien, 1st lien notes. 505 [illegible] Waggoner building.
"For satisfactory service, list your property with us."

FIVE-ROOM house in Southland addition, on corner lot, paved and north front, edgegrain floors, modern in every way. This place can be handled on small cash payment and terms, $35 per month without interest. Exclusively, Welch & Richardson, 205 First Natl Bank Bld. Phone 5367.

44— LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The County Auditor of Wichita County will receive sealed bids until 2 o'clock p. m. April 24, 1922, for the construction of one concrete dip 18 feet wide, 300 feet long, 4½ miles west of Burkburnett. Plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Engineer. Usual rights reserved.

W. W. MURPHY, County Auditor.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The County Auditor of Wichita County will receive sealed bids until 2 o'clock p. m. April 24, 1922, for the construction of concrete road on Meridian Highway, beginning 7¼ miles north of the city of Wichita Falls and running north and east to Burkburnett and the Red River Bridge. Plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Engineer. Usual rights reserved.

W. W. MURPHY, County Engineer.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas County of Wichita.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale, issued out of the Honorable 48th district court of Tarrant county, on the first day of April, 1922, by Mrs. G. Frank Goffey, district clerk of said county, against W. H. Doak and J. S. McAfee, for the sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-one and Nine hundredths ($4,791.09) dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 58900 in said court, styled J. G. Simpson, versus W. H. Doak and J. S. McAfee, et al. and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith, as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did on the third day of April, 1922, levy on certain real estate situated in Wichita county, described as follows, to-wit:

All those lots, parcels or tracts of land situated in Wichita county, Texas, and known and described as lots 6 and 7, in block B of the Granger and Ballew addition to the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said W. H. Doak and J. S. McAfee.

And on Tuesday, the second day of May, 1922, at the courthouse door of Wichita county in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said real estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said W. H. Doak and J. S. McAfee, by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita county.

Witness my hand this the third day of April, 1922.

FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.
By F. R. JOHNSON, Deputy.

Money to Loan

In any amount, with five and ten years option, on improverd farms and ranch lands. No commission.

Stehlik & Baker
813 Scott Street

Prompt, Reliable, Satisfactory Insurance Service

O. W. HARVEY
Insurance Agency

Phone 4680 214 Amer. Nat'l Bank Bldg.
(Sucessor to Louis A. Robinson & Co.)

The Security

that this Building and Loan Association offers to its depositing members is the oldest and best security on earth—

IT IS THE EARTH ITSELF.

Every dollar of your money in this Association is loaned on Wichita Falls homes, well located and conservatively valued. We suggest that you call or write for the details of our systematic savings plan, whereby you deposit a small monthly payment, receive good interest and mature an excellent account at your convenience.

Wichita Falls Building & Loan Association, Inc.
Ground Floor Morgan Bldg. Phone Fifty-Fifty

DIRECTORS:

P. P. LANGFORD, Pres. City Nat'l Bank of Commerce.
PAT H. SIMMONS, Vice Pres. Wichita State Bank & Trust Co.
C. W. REID, Loans and Investments.
W. W. ANDERSON, Anderson's Dept. Store.
C. H. REID, Reid & Costley, Contractors.
J. WILKIE TALBERT, Real Estate.
L. R. BUCHANAN, Vice Pres. First Nat'l. Bank
C. C. CABINESS, Vice Pres. Security Nat'l Bank.
NORRIS H. MARTIN, Vice Pres. Texhoma Oil & Refining Co.
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E. M. MANN, Attorney.
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MISS TEXAS TO RIDE IN RODEO

Girl Who Rode Horse In Hotel Coming

There is no mystery about the name of "Miss Texas," who is expected to be one of the star bronc and trick riders of the Round-Up which will be staged at the ball park, May 3, 4 and 5. She is Ruth Roach of Fort Worth, who's name has been mentioned among the winners of nearly every big round-up and rodeo staged in the United States in the past three years.

She was christened "Miss Texas" in Fort Worth on the evening of March 10, when she rode her famous horse "Bobby" (equipped with rubber shoes which Fred Stone, the famous comedian of "Chin Chin Chow" sent her from New York) into the lobby of the Texas hotel, gallopped to the clerk's desk, shook hands with Manager Baker of the big hostelery, and then proceded to perform all the trick riding stunts of her repetoire. Bobby was presented to Miss Roach, March, 1920, at the Fort Worth Rodeo by Mr. Burnett; she had borrowed the horse from Bob Tadlock, the animal and Miss Roach made such a pretty picture that it is stated Mr. Burnett decided it would be a shame to separate them and accordingly paid Tadlock $300.00 for the animal.

Both Bobby and Miss Texas will be seen in action at the Round-Up; she has appeared in every round-up that has been staged here.

McGregor Attorney For Defense in 'Abe Marcus' Suit

T. H. McGregor of Austin, candidate for governor of the American party in the 1920 campaign, heads counsel for the defense in the suit now on trial in the 78th district court before Judge E. W. Napier, in which Abe Marcus, local business man, is suing the Southern Surety company to secure $15,000 alleged to be due on an insurance policy. The trial of the case was not completed Monday.

The suit is based on injuries received by Mr. Marcus last year when he was run over by a street car at Fort Worth. His injuries necessitated the amputation of a leg. The plaintiff carried insurance covering accidental injuries. A provision of the policy gave the insured twice the value of the policy provided he was injured while he was passenger on a street car or other similar conveyance.

The defendant company does not deny the liability for the $7,500, but has refused to pay the $15,000, declaring that the plaintiff was not a passenger at the time the accident occurred.

25 BOYS LOSE THEIR

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PASSES TO KNOTHOLE

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BY BREAKING PLEDGE

One more opportunity will be given Tuesday afternoon, for boys to obtain their "knot hole" passes. From 3:30 to 6 o'clock Tuesday afternoon those who made application may get their passes at Legion hall, and officers of the Rotary club want every boy who has a pass coming to him to get it. Boys who fail to obtain their passes at this time will probably not have another opportunity for about two weeks, it is stated.

The list of canceled passes continues to grow, to date about twenty-five boys have lost the privilege of membership in the gang, owing to their inability to live up to the pledge taken when they joined.

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Fog Horn Clancy Promises Rodeo Will Outshine Round-Ups Staged 'Way Back Yonder in Frontier Days

Round-up scenes rivaling even those of the frontier days is what "Fog Horn" Clancy promised the Kiwanis club members Monday for the fourth annual rodeo.

Returning to the scene of the land where the round-up had its initiation as a cowboy sport 28 years ago when Colonel Charles Goodnight challenged the cowboys of the IXL ranch to compete with the cowmen of his own ranch in riding bucking broncs and bulldogging steers, "Fog Horn" told the Kiwanis that Cheyenne, Wyo., placed the rodeo on record three years later as a public entertainment, and that it has been carried on throughout the southwest since that time.

The speaker, who was the guest of the club at its regular weekly luncheon held at the Kemp hotel, said that he has "gained forty-seven pounds in the last few years," and that the "Kiwanis, Lions and Rotary clubs are to blame, because they invited me to dine with them."

Clancy, who is publicity manager for the round-up, stated during his remarks that the rodeo held in Wichita Falls is equal to the greatest in the country.

The Kiwanians were entertained by Jack Gamble, the cowboy artist, who drew several pictures while Miss Tillie May Schaffer sang. Miss Schaeffer was accompanied by J. S. Pittman at the piano.

"Ma" Burdick, of the Salvation Army, was the guest of the club and reported the work the army has done here during January, February and March. In a short address, she said:

"Unless you are as wise as a serpent and as harmless as a dove, you are very likely to be taken in. The greatest needs of the day is man-building. The greatest charity work that can be done is constructive work, and the Salvation Army aims to teach unfortunates to help themselves."

The report which she read to the Kiwanians follows:

Two hundred twenty-three persons supplied with 587 meals.

Beds supplied to 221.

Pounds of coal given to the needy, 6,250.

Number of garments given out, 2,463.

Number of pairs of shoes supplied, 184.

Number of loaves of bread supplied, 5,026.

Cash given out for groceries, medicines, etc., $1,690.80.

JURY RETURNS 15 INDICTMENTS

Six Made Known by Sheriff's Office

Fifteen true bills were returned Monday in open court when the special grand jury of the 78th district court made a partial report to Judge E. W. Napier.

The grand jury reconvened Monday morning and were in session practically the entire day with E. L. Bulton, county attorney, and Sam Holliday, assistant district attorney.

District Attorney W. F. Schenck, who stated last week that he would be here Monday to attend the session, was not present.

Following is the list of the indictments made known:

T. L. Barnett, theft, (four counts).
Frank Marnin, burglary.
Emil Patterson, burglary.
B. A. Tate, burglary.
B. A. Tate, theft, (two counts).
W. H. Barnett, theft.

Tank Moved; Suit Filed for $1,500

Alleging that the defendant company removed a 1,000-barrel steel tank from the property of the plaintiff corporation, six miles north of Burkburnett, and claiming that whether the company removed it or not that the tank is being held in the "unlawfull possession of said defendant," The Osage Oil and Refining company of South Dakota, Monday filed suit in the 30th district court against the Travis Oil and Refining company for damages of $1,500 together with interest dating from June 1, 1921, when, it is alleged, the tank was taken.

The plaintiff company sets out in its petition that the tank was moved to the property of the defendant corporation at Burkburnett, and has been in use since June, 1921, and hat if the petitioners are "mistaken with reference to the taking and transporting" of the tank, it is now in use by the Travis Oil and Refining company, who refuses to release it or pay for its use.

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Bryan Announces In for Constable

Will Bryan, deputy sheriff under Sheriff Fred Smith and a resident of Wichita county for 32 years Monday announced his candidacy for constable from Precinct 1, subject to the action of the voters in the democratic primary to be held in July.

"I stand for impartial enforcement of all laws and if elected I assure that all laws whose enforcement come properly under the jurisdiction of my office will be enforced," Mr. Bryan declared in announcing his candidacy "and I believe that the experience I have had in this county as a peace officer assures that I can carry out my promises."

Mr. Bryan has lived in this city eight years during two periods coming here from Burkburnett three years ago the last time. He served as deputy sheriff under former Sheriff Randolph. He also served as constable and city marshal at Burkburnett for several years. He has been deputy sheriff under Sheriff Smith for three months.

EMBEZZLEMENT CASE

Charges of embezzlement were docketed against Albert O'Hara by the sheriff's department Monday in connection with money alleged to have been taken from the Model laundry here recently, O'Hara, who was arrested in Greenville, Texas, having been brought to Wichita Falls yesterday.

Charges of theft were brought against Jim Harris.

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COUNTY BUYS WESTERN SAND

Better Grade Will Be Furnished

After a representative of the company had appeared before the court and promised that the sand sent in the future would be superior in quality to that in the past the county commissioners court late Monday afternoon passed an order to purchase sand from the Western Sand & Gravel company of this city to be used in the construction of concrete roads.

The action was taken after considerable discussion and when the vote was taken Commissioner Lee Prescott of Burkburnett voted in the negative declaring that "we gave them two chances and that is enough."

Isbell Requested It

The action Monday is another development in the disagreement between the court and the company, which started several weeks ago when County Engineer Isbell refused to accept sand which the company had sent from their Seymour pit declaring that it had failed to meet requirements for concrete work. Since that time the company in a series of open letters in local newspapers has made known their attitude attacking the court which supported Mr. Isbell in his action. Recently the company ceased their attack and in a final letter retracted part of their previous statements.

New Machine In

J. E. Walsh, representing the company said the recent rains had made plenty of water available to wash the sand and said also that new machainery had been installed which would add to the quality of their product. He promised that if the court would give them an order they would show that their product was cheaper than that now being purchased from other companies.

Asked concerning his opinion, Mr. Isbell said that if additional sand was ordered he would hold the company to the same standard as before and that in addition they must show that they could furnish the sand cheaper than other companies.

ACTION ON WAURIKA EXTENSION EXPECTED BY FIRST OF MAY

Action by the interstate commerce commission upon application for permit to build the rail extension to Waurika, Okla., is expected by Frank Kell about May 1, according to a statement Monday following his return from Washington. No objection to the issuance of the permit has been filed, nor is one expected by Mr. Kell. Beginning of construction is waiting on the issuance of the permit.

When the permit was gained for the extension of the rails of the Wichita Falls & Southern to Graham and Breckenridge, Mr. Kell was forced to fight determined efforts against it by four other railroads.

M'GREGOR MAY BE PINCH HITTER THIS WEEK AT LUNCHEON

By H. N. F.

Hon. T. H. McGregor of Austin is here representing his clients in an important case now on trial in one of the district courts. Mr. McGregor has been prominent in the politics of Texas for many years. He is proud of the fact that one of his kinsmen died in the Alamo.

A native of Tennessee, McGregor journeyed to Missouri where he pursued the law. He married in Missouri after a short residence in that state and then moved to Texas where so many Tennesseans have made history from the earliest settlement to the present day.

Harris County sent him to the legisltaure where he became a leader and author of several important laws. Then he moved to Travis county and the Democrats of the capital city district sent him to the upper house. Later he became assistant attorney general and during the administrations of Colquitt and Ferguson he was a power.

James E. Ferguson launched the American party and two years ago when Ferguson made the race for president McGregor was the nominee for the party for governor of Texas and polled many thousands of votes. Death came to the American party and McGregor returned to his first love.

He is a Democrat now.

A forceful campaigner a most incisive writer this stormy petrel of Texas politics has a most engaging personality, a witty and at times, caustic tongue and yet is one of the most companionable of men. He is for the written law and its enforcement and no higher law and he does not hesitate to say so.

Speaking of senatorial candidates —well ,to be honest, he does speak a plenty but not for publication. He will be here during the week and if some one of the clubs of the city runs short of an orator on luncheon day if McCregor can be dragged to the speaker's table he would be entertaining for awhile.

He is a recounter as well as a speaker and writer and when it comes to legislation which would lighten the load of Jones the taxpayer, McGregor is loaded to the guards with statistics, information, irony and ideas.

Texas Investments Given Boost By Missouri Bankers and Head Of Big Insurance Company Here

An excellent impression of Wichita Falls and a belief in its prosperity and stability of realty values, was voiced by Massie Wilson of St. Louis Mo., president of the International Life Insurance company, who with A. H. Carter, Dexter (Mo.) banker, and August Schlafly, banker of St. Louis, is making an inspection here in connection with investments from the reserve funds of the company.

The two bankers are directors in the company. While here the party went over the city in company with Frank Kell and with Joseph Kell.

A clean bill of health for Texas investments of the company was given by Mr. Wilson, who declared that of the $2,000,000 investment in the state there was not a penny of delinquent interest or principal payments outstanding—a record, he said, which could hardly be matched by any other state.

"You can see from that that the Robertson law doesn't bother us—we could hardly find a better place for our money." Mr. Wilson said. Mr. Wilson said that his company now had about $15,000,000 worth of insurance in the state.

Wichita Falls is not entirely strange to either Mr. Wilson or Mr. Carter, both of whom have visited it in the past, the first time years before it blossomed out with the office buildings which it now boasts.

"I know this country well," said Mr. Carter.

"As a result of this knowledge I am not like some investors who know only that Missouri, for instance, has an annual rainfall of 43 inches and this part of Texas one of about nine and conclude that that renders it unsafe. I know better."

WICHITA PICKED AS RAIL CENTER

Wholesalers Select Town Over Others

With two wholesale houses recently added to the number located here, and another in prospect, Hubert Harrison, general manager of the chamber of commerce, plans to capitalize the attention attracted to the obvious advanages of Wichita Falls as a distributing cener in an intensive campaign among sales managers of large concerns.

"I believe in this way we can add a number of other houses, and that the work will be easier as a result of the work already done, and the approval of Wichita Falls as a location by these other concerns," Mr. Harrison said.

The concerns recently establishing branches here are the E. W. A. Rowles Co., of Chicago, dealers in school and church furniture, and the Archenbold company of Waco, wholesale dealers in automobile accessories. The identity of the third can not be made known for a few days longer, Mr. Harrison said.

Motor trucks are used to interchange freight among the eight railroads entering Cincinnati, Ohio. This has resulted in eliminating 30,000 switching cuts.

SHRINE PATROL MINSTREL AGAIN

Maskat Talented to Make Up Cast

Announcement was made yesterday by Horrace Robbins, captain of Maskat patrol, that the patrol and band was on the eve of embarking upon the sea of amateur theatricals with what has been named "Minstrel Revue" by those in charge of the arrangements. It is planned to have at least seventy-five of the most capable Shriners and young ladies of the city as members of the cast, and it is anticipated that this effort will prove quite as pleasing as the show which the same organization presented to the people of Wichita last October when they staged their "Oh Joy Musical Revue."

Again under the competent direction of Lewis L. Lacey, who staged the October show, local talent will shine in a very new light, and the show is described by those in charge as being exceptionally clever, and incorporates a "wicked" minstrel first part.

As planned, the show will be staged at the Wichita theater on the nights of Thursday and Friday, May 11 and 12, and much enthusiasm is being generated by the Shriners, who assert that this show will far surpass all efforts of the past.

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