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# BANKER THINKS 'APRIL FOOL;' BANDIT FLEES

# *Nine Held For Thefts In Vernon*

## $3,000 IN LOOT IS RECOVERED BY OFFICERS

Series of Robberies in Towns Along Denver Are Solved

### TWO CONFESS PARTS

Raid on Farmhouse Nets Deputies $750 Worth Of Property

(Special to The Record News.)

VERNON, April 1.—Nine persons were under arrest here tonight and approximately $3,000 of goods stolen in and around this city in the past few weeks has been recovered as the result of an intensive day's drive by the Wilbarger county sheriff's department. Confessions have been obtained in several cases and officials were of the opinion here that they might have some of the culprits responsible for recent robberies in Wichita Falls.

**Solve Many Thefts.**

The arrests were made by Sheriff Frank Edmondson, Special Officer Warren Belcher and deputies on the sheriff's force. Thefts from Mankins, Chillicothe and Quanah are known to have been solved with the arrests, while several oil field robberies are also believed to have been cleared up.

Over $1,000 worth of dry goods, clothing and notions taken in store robberies at Mankins and Chillicothe were recovered with the arrest of three men and one woman early Thursday morning. Most of the material has already been identified by the losers and a confession has been made, officers asert.

In a raid on two farm houses 25 miles from the city this morning about $750 worth of dry goods stolen from a Quanah store recently were recovered.

**Two Confess.**

Two men were arrested in connection with this theft and are said to have confessed. Three men are also in jail in connection with the recovery of about $1,000 worth of oil field supplies taken from south Vernon fields the past two weeks.

It was also announced by the sheriff that the man responsible for the looting of the Piggly Wiggly safe here Wednesday night had been captured. Some of the money and checks stolen from the safe have been recovered and identified. Complete identification of the alleged thief is awaiting a report on finger prints that have been made and are now being catalouged in Wichita Falls.

### EXCHANGE CLOSES

**New York Financial Houses To Observe Good Friday.**

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—The New York stock exchange and other securities and commodities markets will be closed tomorrow in observance of Good Friday. The banks will be open as it is not a legal holiday. The stock exchange will resume business for the usual two hour session on Saturday but the cotton exchange, the coffee and sugar exchange and rubber exchange will take a three day recess until Monday.

The produce exchange will be open on Saturday. European exchanges generally will suspend, until after Easter.

### CLAIMS "MA'S" REWARD

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Sheriff George M. Allen of San Marcos may get the first of the $500, reward for conviction of "rich bootleggers" offered by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson.

### THE WEATHER

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period reported by the Wichita Falls Electric company bureau: Maximum temperature 73 degrees; minimum 40; at 5 p. m. Thursday 71; southwest breeze no precipitation; partly cloudy; maximum wind velocity 10 miles per hour; average wind velocity 18 miles per hour; barometer 28.70.

OKLAHOMA: Friday rain or snow, much colder; Saturday partly cloudy to cloudy.

EAST TEXAS: Friday partly cloudy to cloudy, colder in north portion; Saturday unsettled; moderate to fresh southerly to westerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Friday unsettled, probably snow in north portion; Saturday partly cloudy to cloudy.

**THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS.**

The Business Council of chamber of commerce, noon, Kemp hotel.

"The Whole Town's Talking," Junior college, 8 p. m.

The Olympic, Bert Levey vaudeville; "Tumbleweeds."

The Majestic, B. F. Keith Interstate-Orpheum vaudeville.

The Strand, "Bright Lights."

The Mission, "Sally."

The Palace, Shaver's Dancing Dolls; "The Apache Dancer."

The Garden, "The Blind Trail."

The Gem, "Three in Exile."

**THE DAY IN WASHINGTON.**

Additional testimony on farm relief bills was taken by house and senate committees.

The league of nations circular to world court members caused a stir in official circles.

Gerald Chapman failed to obtain a stay of his execution from supreme court justices.

The senate's tariff investigation adjourned when Commissioner Dennis suffered a nervous attack.

Recent comment on the debt situation by Winston Churchill brought heated response on the senate floor.

A near fist fight developed on the house floor between Representatives Mills, New York and Rankin, Mississippi.

The house adopted a resolution of impeachment directed against Federal Judge English of Illinois.

## Bath Tub Party Causes Indictment of Carroll

### Perjury Charged For Denying Story of Wine Plunge

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—The alleged "wine bath" party which startled Broadway a month ago resulted in the arrest of Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, on a federal indictment charging perjury. If he is convicted, it may cost him as much as 30 years in prison and a $12,000 fine, should the maximum penalty be exacted.

The indictment was the result of the federal grand jury investigation into a party given by Carroll on the night of Feb. 22, and early morning of Feb. 23. The feature of the affair was a bath said to have been taken by Joyce Hawley, show girl, in a bath tub on the stage containing what was variously described as fruit juice, gingerale and wine.

Carroll, summoned as a witness, was indicted on six counts, the principal charges being that he falsely testified that he had no record of the guests at the party, that no intoxicating liquor was served, and that no one got into the bath tub at any time during the festivities.

Arrested on a warrant, Carroll was arraigned, pleaded not guilty and was released in $2,500 bail, on the understanding that he cannot leave Manhattan before his trial.

Among those who testified before the grand jury was Irvin S. Cobb, Miss Hawley, newspaper men and other guests. The guests who were not summoned included the Countess of Cathcart and Harry K. Thaw.

On November 3, 1924, Carroll was arrested when police charged that posters displayed at his theater were indecent. He later was acquitted.

## Postoffice Loses But $28,000,000 During Year 1926

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP)—Operating deficit of the postoffice department for the fiscal year 1926 was estimated today at $28,000,000 by Joseph Stewart, executive secretary of the department before a senate committee considering postal rate change.

The cash deficit was placed at $18,000,000 because it was discovered unexpected appropriations would be turned back, principally from the fund to pay for railroad mail transportation. This was due to a diminution in the quantity of mails carried under the rates now in effect.

Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee said that over a period of ten years the railroad compensation has been increased from $46,000,000 to $100,000,000 without a proportionate increase in the quantity of the mails.

## Blood Poisoning May Prove Fatal

J. L. Pride, Burkburnett automobile salesman who suffered the loss of his left foot when it was crushed under a tank car at Burkburnett two weeks ago, is in a critical condition in a local hospital. Blood poisoning has set in and the infection has spread over the entire body.

Mr. Pride accidentally fell beneath the moving tank car and the foot was so badly crushed amputation was necessary.

### RUTLEDGE RELEASED

SANDERSON, April 1.—(AP)—George W. "Tinker" Rutledge, Jr., charged with shooting and killing Max Luckie near Dryden last Tuesday, was released Thursday on $4,000 bond.




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## *Validation of Road Bonds By Legislature Permissible Attorney General Declares*

Dan Moody, at Request of Lieutenant Governor, Says Special Session Can Legalize $10,000,000 Issues

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—An opinion which may solve the Archer county bond case involving approximately $100,000,000 worth of Texas road district bonds, written at the request of Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller, was made public here tonight by Attorney General Dan Moody.

The opinion states that the legislature, when not restricted by the constitution may legalize the unauthorized acts and proceedings of subordinate municipal agencies, where such acts and proceedings would have been valid if done under legislative sanction previously given. The legislation of such unauthorized acts may be made at a special session of the legislature, the opinion states.

This opinion obviously leaves the way open for the calling of a special session of the legislature to validate the district road bonds, and is in reply to Miller's letter which in part reads:

"Believing that this matter is of the very greatest concern, not only for those who hold bonds, but to the credit of the state and one which should not be delayed in its solution a moment longer than is absolutely necessary to make the action taken legal, I feel that I am warranted in asking this opinion." The letter also asked if a special session of the legislature could validate the bond decreed unconstitutional by the U. S. supreme court and answered in the affirmative. The opinion said: "This legislation may be passed at a special session, provided, such legislation is designated in the proclamation of the governor calling such session or presented to them by the governor."

"It is our opinion that the legislature of Texas has the power to validate the creation of such road districts and to valiate such bonds, or in fact, they are invalid," the opinion reads. Suit sustaining this conclusion by Assistant Attorney General C. A. Wheeler, author of the opinion was several authorities.

"You are advised that while we might cite other decisions in line with

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## JUDGE ENGLISH TO BE OUSTED

House Votes Impeachment Chargest Against U. S. Jurist

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP)—Impeachment charges against Federal Judge English of Illinois were approved late today by the house.

The first of the five articles of impeachment prepared by the judiciary committee was adopted after three days of debate. It charges "tyranneous and oppressive conduct" toward jurors, attorneys, state officials, and newspapers.

This charge alone, if it stands is sufficient to bring the judge to trial before the senate, sitting as an impeachment court. Another vote must be taken on the impeachment resolution as a whole, however, before the case is passed along for senate hearing. The first article of impeachment was adopted by a standing vote of 260 to 101.

Opponents of impeachment made no effort to bring about a vote on the other four articles. A roll call on the resolution which was approved by an overwhelming vote, began immediately.

Under the rules, the house must advise the senate at 1 p. m., tomorrow of the action taken. The senate immediately must issue a summons for the judge, and later will determine by what date he must file an answer.

It has not been determined whether the senate has a legal right to sit in special session after adjournment of congress to try the judge. Congressional leaders favor this step if it can be taken.

The impeachment resolution was adopted, 306 to 60.

## Committee Hears Enough of Farmer

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP)—The house agriculture committee indulged today in a discussion as to whether it had not heard enough about distress among farmers and should act on some relief proposals, then went ahead with examination of witnesses, which no end of its hearings in sight.

Testimony for the day was offered by Representative Little, democrat, Kansas, who continued arguments presented yesterday in support of his bills to fix prices, store surplus crops and prevent speculation.

### POLICE GUARD TAXES

**San Antonio Taking No Chances On Robbery Repetition.**

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—(AP)—Three special officers stood guard in the office of Commissioner of Taxation Frank H. Bushick today as the taxpaying season opened, as a precautionary measure against any such situation as developed Tuesday when four men robbed the San Antonio National bank.

Approximately $45,000 had been paid in by taxpayers up to noon, with the day's total unavailable.

### AUTO MAN SLAIN

DALLAS, April 1.—(AP)—Lawrence S. Deane, 42, formerly regional manager for the Stutz Motor Car corporation was found dead by his wife in their apartment here late Thursday. He had been shot through the left breast. A coroner's inquest resulted in a verdict of suicide.

## BODIES FOUND IN SEED PILE

Laborers Smother, Seeking Warmth In Memphis Oil Mill

MEMPHIS, Tex., April 1.—(Special)—The bodies of two men, believed to be Howard Davis of Seagrave, and Thomas Marshall of East St. Louis, Ill., were found early Thursday morning buried under a pile of seeds at the Memphis Oil mill. It is believed the two had been dead since Saturday night when they are supposed to have crawled into the seed pile for warmth.

The discovery was made by Alley Bell, a seed hauler for the mill. In loading seed from the pile into his wagon, his fork struck something and an investigation revealed the body.

**Close Together.**

Officers were notified and in getting the first one out, the second was brought to light. The two were lying close together.

In the pockets of clothing of one of the bodies was found a billfold with an identification card bearing the name "Howard Davis," and stating that in case of accident, Mrs. E. J. Davis of Seagraves be notified. Marshall was identified by a state miner's certificate issued January 14 at Boylton, Franklin county, Ill. He also had several post cards with Illinois views addressed to various parties, including one to Mrs. H. Marshall, E. St. Louis, Ill.

**Both Were Young.**

Both men were apparently laborers. They were about 20 years old and no cash or valuables of any kind were found in the clothing.

The condition of the bodies first led to the belief they had been dead several weeks, but in the pockets of Davis was found a copy of the interscholastic meet held in this city last Friday and Saturday. Later it was learned. Davis had been seen on the streets here late Saturday afternoon.

### BAYLOR GIRLS WIN.

**Debating Team Triumphs in Contests At Estes Park.**

ESTES PARK, Colo., April 1.—(AP)—Baylor college of Texas today won the women's debating championship by defeating southwestern college of Kansas in the contest held in connection with the annual convention if Pi Kappa Delta, national forensic fraternity.

## CHURCHES HERE IN PRE-EASTER SERVICE TODAY

Many Programs Planned At Various Points In City Friday

### UNION MEETING AT 3

Unique Hour of Worship Is Planned at First Christian

Easter is being ushered into Wichita Falls with elaborate services preceding Easter Sunday, and has many appropriate programs planned for the services, according to the announcements from the various churches over the city. The First Christian church of which Rev. Floyd Allan Bash is pastor has observed the week with special services each evening. Tonight at 7:45 o'clock a drama sermon in costume, "Pilate, Roman Governor," will be given. This is called young people's night, and an interesting program is arranged. A large audience is expected to attend.

**Pre-Easter Services.**

Pre-Easter revival services have been conducted by several churches, including the Grace Methodist church of which Rev. Leslie Miller is pastor, Drummer Evangelist Theodore H. Osborn is conducting the evangelistic campaign with far-reaching results, having had a number of professions of faith.

Rev. Joe Bickley of Graham is conducting a revival service at the Yale Avenue Evangelical church. Sunday will be observed as a day of dedication and consecration.

An evangelistic campaign will begin Sunday at the Floral Heights Methodist church when the pastor, Dr. S. A. Barnes will be assisted by Rev. Will Hogg, well-known evangelist.

Other churches in the city are including special Easter services of music and sermons for Sunday.

One of the big things planned is

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## Verdict for Davis Will Be Identical With His Father's

TOPEKA, Kan., April 1.—(AP) Jonathan M. Davis, former Kansas governor and his son, Russell, will be freed together or convicted together. The jury which is trying them on charges of selling a pardon will be instructed tomorrow by District Judge Otis E. Hungate to return the same verdict for each defendant. The county attorney announced tonight an agreement with defense counsel that the elder Davis could not have been guilty of accepting a bribe unless he had knowledge of and gave consent to the payment of $1,250 to his son by Fred W. Pollman, paroled banker convict.

Judge Hungate indicated a willingness to issue this instruction, which had been asked by Mr. Davis' attorneys, after submitting the question for the approval of the state prosecutors.

### HANSON ASSAILED

**Border Immigration Chief Charged With Partiality.**

EAGLE PASS, April 1.—(AP)—Charging that W. H. Hanson, federal immigration official in charge of the Laredo district 'has an animosity against Mexican people and that his services cause friction between the people of the two nations," the United States and Mexico, committees of the Del Rio and Eagle Pass chambers of commerce, meeting jointly here today adopted a resolution inviting the congressional committee investigating border conditions to come to the border and investigate the immigration officer's administration.

### IN CALIFORNIA TOO

**Bandits Rob Bank, Escaping With $25,000.**

TURLOCK, Cal., April 1.—(AP) Two high-way men held up and robbed the Security State Bank of Turlock this afternoon of cash and negotiable bonds to the value of more than $25,000.

## *Thirsty Wichitans Wait Eagerly But Vainly For Swig of New Near Beer*

Wichita Falls druggists the past few days have received numerous calls from thirsty souls anxious to try the new medicinal beer recently authorized for sale by the treasury department.

It is a fruitless search, however, since Texas druggists are barred by provisions of the Dean law from handling the new "medicine." This is a point on which a few druggists are as yet uninformed, it seems.

"We're ready to go ahead," several druggists said yesterday, "as soon as any sort of authorization is received and we get a supply laid in. There have been plenty of calls the past day or two, but we haven't been able to supply any of them as yet."

The "medicine" which is said to have something more of a kick than orthodox near-beer but which still does not pack the satisfying wallop of pre-prohibition days, has been authorized for manufacture and sale by the federal government but in Texas if happens to still be in conflict with the state laws.

However, thirsty Wichitans, inspired by newspaper reports of sales in other points, have been waiting with eager anticipation for more refreshing days that cannot come.

### SALM'S MOTHER SUES MILLICENT



Count Ludwig Salm Hoogstraeten and his mother, Countess Adolfine upon their arrival in America.

CANNES, France, April 1.—(AP)—Count Ludwig Salm Hoogstraeten today confirmed that his mother, Countess Adolfine, was suing his wife, the former Millicent Rogers, for the return of a number of jewels which the dowager countess alleges she loaned her.

"It is not a new affair," said the count, "because it started when I was in America. For once the American papers must leave me alone since I am not mixed up in the case."

The count seems delighted on his return to the Riviera and is much sought as a guest in high social circles where he tells some amusing stories of American life.

## *Lofty Swiss Peak, 5,500 Feet High Found To Be Moving At Rate of Four Inches a Year*

Great Plateau Also Sinks Six Inches Annually, Presaging Great Landslide Within Near Future

BELLINZONA, Switzerland, April 1.—(AP)—Careful observations kept by the Swiss topographical bureau since 1888 shows that the motto D'Arbino, a mountain 5,550 feet high near Bellinzona in the canton of Tessin is moving.

Engineers and topographical experts have been taking careful measurements day by day, and reports show that the great plateau that forms the summit, covering an area of nearly 100,000 square feet, has become dangerously undermined.

Nearly 40 years ago it was found that the summit was shifting horizontally at the rate of nearly an inch a year, a movement that increased progressively until some months ago, when the rate had increased to four inches a year.

The mountain sank at an average of nearly an inch and a half a year during the first 14 years of observation. The latest report is that there has been a subsidence of more than six inches during the last twelve months. Observers say when the underlying mass of rock gives way the whole of the great plateau will crash into the valley.

Precautions have already been taken to prevent loss of life should the plateau fall.

## Rangers Peeved At Search-Seizure Law Restrictions

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Killers and killings and men who need killing form the fascinating topics of discussion at the almost ancient headquarters of the famous Texas ranger force, when noted peace officers gather for friendly chats in the dismal and dilapidated rendezvous in the state house.

Criticism is heaped on the new "search and seizure" law, which they claim, hobbles the officers and protects the criminal.

### DEFER DECISION.

**Department of Agriculture Postpones Ruling on Cotton.**

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP)—The publication of a report by the department of agriculture on the result of the recent New Orleans conference with officials of the ten designated spot cotton exchanges and of its investigation of the Houston and other spot cotton exchanges has been postponed until a plan for determining price differences has been agreed upon by the department and cotton exchanges.

A system for development of uniform methods of arriving at these price differences is now the subject of continuing discussion between the department and the exchanges.

### SCHAEFER AGAIN LEADS.

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Jack Schaefer, challenger led Willie Hoppe, champion, 2,400 to 2,070 at the end of the seventh block tonight in their 3,600 point match for the world's 18.1 balk line billiard title. Schaefer set a new record high run of 241 adding 22 to his unfinished string of 219 in the afternoon.

### BIDS REJECTED

AUSTIN, April 1—(AP)—Bids for the gravel resurfacing of 9.22 miles of highway 24 in Falls county were rejected today by the highway commission, and advertising for new bids authorized.

Bids soon will be asked for the placing of a rock base and bituminous top on 7.9 miles on highway 20 in Travis county, between Oak Hill and the Hays county line.

## Chapman's Appeal For Execution Stay Refused by Judges

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP)—Gerald Chapman, bandit, failed in his effort today to obtain a stay of his execution set for next Tuesday from supreme court justices.

Ray M. Wiley, Springfield, Mass., one of the condemned man's counsel, came to Washington to appeal for an order of postponement but Justices Stone and Holmes to whom he attempted to present his case, declined to intervene.

Wiley contended new evidence had been discovered which would substantiate Chapman's claim that he was not in New Britain, Conn., the night he is said to have murdered a policeman. He also held that constitutional questions had arisen which would warrant the supreme court to re-open the case.

### INCOME TAXES GROW

**Payments During Quarter Assures U. S. Surplus.**

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP) Final income tax collection figures for the March quarter, the first under the reduced rates of the new revenue law, showed a total payment to the government of $490,660,000.

This is almost $60,000,000 more than was collected a year ago under the higher rates and is $100,000,000 more than treasury officials estimated would be collected for this quarter.

The collections assure a surplus at the close of this fiscal year, June 30, which probably will be applied to the public debt.

### A REAL LARK.

**Snowbound Passengers Have Jolly Time Awaiting Relief.**

PAWHUSKA, Okla., April 1.—((AP)—A kangaro court, presided over by a roteund salesman on a suitcase bench, was the chief diversion of passengers on a snow bound Midland Valley train that arrived here late today after spending two days in a cut between Foraker and Grainola, Okla.

Culprits were hailed before the court and given appropriate sentences for "getting lost in the snow," "sleeping with clothes on," "trespassing on Indian lands" and similar other charges.

## $5,000 TAKEN BY YOUTH IN GARLAND RAID

Lone Man Locks Teller And Customer In Bank Vault

### SEE IT AS JOKE

Escaping, Robber Loses Cash, Others Help Him Pick It Up

DALLAS, April 1.—(AP)—Officers early tonight were reported to be hot on the trail of the robber who looted the First National bank at Garland shortly after noon today. The robber made away with $5,000 currenc and upon reaching the suburbs of Dallas his motor car collided with another automobile. Picking himself from the debris of the wreck, the robber commandeered a truck, forcing its chauffeaur to drive hime to safety. In the wreck the man's loot was scattered and much of it was lost, the wind whipping bills of large denominations about promiscuously.

Dallas county officers immediately took up the robber's trail. Some time later, the driver of the truck as found in a lonely spot on the west Dallas pike. The robber had dumped him out of the truck and driven away.

**Help Gather Money.**

The bandit, attired in unionalls, entered the bank and ordered the employes to hold up their hands. Two employes and a customer were locked in the vault by the robber. Within an hour after the holdup the robber's automobile escaped his control and ran onto a lawn in the suburbs of East Dallas, and the bank loot was scattered over the street.

Sympathetic pedestrians and motorists passing by at the time of the crash assisted the robber in recovering lost bills and coins. At intervals, however, he busied himself with defacing the license plate of the motor car. After a portion of the bank loot was collected, the man drew a gun on the driver of a passing delivery truck and forced its chauffeur to driv hi maway.

The police were notified by the surprised spectators and the chase got under way. Officers then collected nearly $300 more of the scattered loot.

With his bandit passenger aboard, Raymond Smith, driver of the truck, was abliged to drive through the business section of Dallas, thence across the Oak Cliff viaduct onto a lonely street, where the driver was dropped. Smith reported the escapade by telephone to the police on first opportunity. The robber carried two guns, the truck driver told the police.

**Thinks It a Joke.**

When the robber first entered the bank, where he obtained some silver pieces in exchange for a bank note, customers said there was a large crowd in the bank. He returned later, unmasked, after the crowd had thinned out and punching a revolver into the ribs of W. C. Jamison, cashier, ordered him to fill money sacks with coins, even taking $31 in change which the cashier had been counting.

Mrs. Thelma Morrison, bookkeeper, was outside the cage and started toward a back door. The robber saw her and ordered her back.

A negro, by the name of Alonzo Hutson, came into the bank while the robbery was in progress. The negro needed but little admonition and joined the bank employes, who were locked in the vault. Asked after the robbery why he did not run for help when he saw the bandit, the negro said: "Boss, I jus couldn'd move."

**Reads Newspaper.**

L. L. Caldwell, president of the bank, was at lunch when the robbery took place. When a citizen telephoned his home and reported the robbery, the bank president, believing the massage to be an April fool joke finished his meal unperturbed before returning to the office.

The loss was entirely protected by insurance.

Mrs. Morrison was married only last week. Her husband, Oscar Morrison, upon coming into the bank while his wife, the cashier and the negro were locked in the vault, heard them inside but thinkingthey were playing an April fool joke proceeded to read a newspaper. Later, persons who had learned of the robbery notified him.

Mr. Jamison picked the inside mechanism of the vault locks so that persons on the outside could open the door.

### STATE MONEY HERE.

**Treasurer Reports $800,768 on Deposit in Wichita Falls.**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Reserve depository banks in nine Texas cities have the total amount of $17,063,752.09 of state funds on deposit, W. Gregory Hatcher, state treasurer, announced today. The funds are secured by government bonds, he said.

The money is in the following cities: Austin, $4,510,285; Dallas, $4,249,232; Fort Worth, $2,338,119; Houston, $2,357,312; San Antonio, $1,093,221; Waco, $760,298; Wichita Falls, $800,768; Galveston, $704,413; Beaumont, $250,000.

### DAM IS SOUGHT

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP) Representative Box, democrat, of Texas, introduced a bill today to authorize local interests to build a dam on the Neches river above Beaumont, Texas. Plans and specifications for the proposed dam would be subject to approval by the secretary of war.

### SON JOINS PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP) President and Mrs. Coolidge were joined today by their son, John, who came from Amherst college for the Easter vacation.

# WEATHER AIDS SOUTHWESTERN WINTER WHEAT

### Government Report Shows Texas Growing In Importance In Crops

TOPEKA, April 1.—(AP)—A mild winter, with timely snows and early spring rains; a minimum of damage from soil blowing; scientific farming that aids in conserving moisture and controlling insect pests—these factors give early promise of a bounteous crop of winter wheat in the southwest this year.

Although much depends on the weather of May, conditions at the present time would indicate a banner crop in the wheat belt of Kansas, western Oklahoma, Northwest Texas, New Mexico, Colorado and Nebraska, said a report issued today by the agricultural development department of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway after a monthly survey. Prospects were declared to be equally bright in Iowa, Missouri and Illinois, although the acreage in these states was not as large as a year ago.

**Texas Crop Heavy.**

Information from 70 counties shows that the Texas cotton acreage will be heavier this year than last. Heavy rainfall is reported from nearly every county in the last two weeks, and the ground is in exceptionally fine condition. Cotton planting will start as soon as the soil is dry enough. Small grains are well along, and some corn is up. No pests have been reported.

There will be a heavy increase in the acreage of vegetables in central and East Texas and of row crops in the western counties. There will be a heavy acreage of melons. Ranges everywhere are good; cattle came through the winter without difficulty and will fatten early. Business in most localities is better than it was a year ago. The situation in southwest Louisiana is about the same as that in East Texas.

There has been plenty of rain in Oklahoma, and early prospects give farmers a hopeful feeling. The main crops which will be grown on increased acreage are cotton, oats, tame hay, broom corn, potatoes and peanuts. Apparently fruit has escaped frost damage.

**Yield Expands.**

The federal crop statistician at Oklahoma City, after conducting a survey to learn the farmers' intentions to plant, reported a tendency toward general expansion, and added that "if those intentions are carried out, and the weather during the season is average, the yields and production of most Oklahoma crops will be larger than in 1925. Farmers have expressed intentions to plant more of all crops except corn and grain sorghums than was harvested last year."

Cultivated area will be larger in New Mexico this year, much new land having been brought under the plow. Recent rains and snows soaked farm and range land generally, and early crops are being sown in the southern counties. Curry county reports 100,000 acres of the best wheat ever reported from that section. Garden truck will occupy an increased area—lettuce, peas, cauliflower, tomatoes, onions, cabbage and vine crops, and Colfax county will have an increased sugar beet acreage. Stockmen predict a good calf and lamb crop. The wool clip will be heavy and of excellent quality, production being estimated at 10,000,000 pounds. Metal mining and lumbering industries continue active and new capital is finding its way into mineral and public utilities in the Pecos valley and the San Juan basin. A pipe line is under construction from Gallup to the San Juan district.

**Kansas Wheat Heavy.**

In Arizona a normal acreage of cotton is being planted under good soil conditions, due to general rains. Notwithstanding low prices for copper, there is na note of optimism in the mining industry. Building permits parallel those of a year ago, with bank clearances slightly higher. New settlers have increased the farm building operations.

In her greatest wheat year Kansas, the leader of the wheat belt, produced 180,000,000 bushels of wheat. That was in 1914. Today there are 2,750,000 more acres planted to winter wheat in this state than in 1914 and conditions are said to be generally more encouraging than in April the record crop year.

## Gives Ball as His Victim Slowly Dies

MELUN, France, April 1.—Andre Hamard, aged 22, must die on the guillotine for the murder of Mme. Joseph Leory, aged 86. Hamard won the confidence of the aged woman and got rid of all her servants. Then he locked her in a cellar room to starve to death. While she was dying slowly the young man went to Paris and gave a magnificent ball for a woman on whom he was lavishing thousands of dollars stolen from his victim. This woman finally left him because of his jealous acts and told the police that Hamard's life should be investigated.

**CITY GOLF LOSING VENTURE.**

LEEDS, Eng.—The municipal golf course venture here has resulted in a loss of $15,000 in 18 months because Sunday playing is prohibited.

## French Pretender To Throne Arises On Death of Duke

PARIS, April 1.—(AP)—News is received from Palermo that the Duke of Guise intends to claim succession of the throne of France following the recent death of the Duke of Orleans.

Royalist circles are not surprised at this although they point out that no action on his part is necessary to establish his pretentions.

Only in case he intended to renounce all rights would it be necessary for him to make a formal declaration.

The royalist leaders are not aware thus far of the terms of the Duke of Orleans' will, and are doubtful whether he expressed himself in any way regarding the succession. The general impression is, however, that he must have made the Duke of Guise his political heir if not heir to part of the Orleans fortune.

# 'HERETIC' WINS IN CHURCH TRIAL

### Manager of Recreational Hall Succeeds in Admitting Newspapermen

PALYMRA, Ind., April 1.—(AP) Clyde Martin, aided by the Rev. Otis Scott of Borden, Ind., won the first round of his defense against charges made by church members when his twice postponed trial before the Church of Christ began here today.

Shortly after the trial started newspapermen, barred from the previous hearing, were admitted after Mr. Scott had persuaded the elders to drop their earlier policy of excluding the public. Martin had been contending for an open trial all along.

The charges grew out of Martin's operation of a recreation hall at which he taught young people of the church basket ball and other sports. Some of the elders maintained that his activities were not in keeping with the teachings of the Bible.

**Roller Skates "Evil."**

Mrs. Lula Vosgang and John Coleman, the first two witnesses, told the elders that the roller skates used in the recreational hall had "the appearance of evil" and Coleman said a slot machine there offended him from a spiritual standpoint. He said he had taken part in spelling bees and fiddling contests at the hall.

Mrs. Vosgang objected to roller skating as revelry because it was done to music. Questions brought out that she had been to one circus and two picture shows in her life and she explained that she had not gone to more because "when one becomes a child of God he or she should put these things aside."

It was brought out that the chief charges against Martin are that he was conducting a skating rink and operating slot machines.

It was said at the church that Martin had filed a declaration of his candidacy for congress on the republican ticket today as his friends had indicated he would.

# JEWS THRONG TO JERUSALEM

### Exalted City Mecca For Thousands as Easter Draws Near

JERUSALEM, April 1.—(AP)—Jerusalem exalted in the memory and imagination of Jews, Christians and Mohammedans again is filling with thousands of pilgrims and tourists as the annual Easter celebrations draw near.

The faithful, traveling by train and automobile on animal and afoot, through the orange and banana groves from Jaffa and the Jordan valley, across the plain of Sharon, past enormous cactus and eucalyptus trees all are alike in their sincerity. The Moslems are coming to pray where Mohammed prayed, the Jews to weep beside the walls of their vanished temple, while the Christians are gatheing around the place of crucifixion.

Members of the American missionary and relief societies are vieing with the hospices and convents in extending hospitality to tourists from the homeland. The American Near East Relief, which already has welcomed 7,000 American tourists to the holy land this season has arranged to have groups of American pilgrims escorted to the church of the holy sepulchre and the Mount of Olives by children from its orphanages at Bethlehem and Nazareth. In spite of the inroads of modernity, Jerusalem at the Easter season still seems the most picturesque piece in the near east.

**TO STAY IN AUSTIN**

Robert (Bob) Goodfellow who is chief of the sheriff's division of the comptroller's office at Austin will not return here to enter the race for sheriff, according to information received here yesterday; Goodfellow is a well-known peace officer of this city.


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# BAPTIST CLASS PLANS DINNER

### Mother-Daughter Banquet To Be Held Early In May

Plans for the annual mother-daughter banquet of the church were made Thursday night by the Pollyanna class of the First Baptist church in the regular monthly business meeting and supper at the church. The mother-daughter banquet will be held at the Wichita club the first Friday in May, it was decided. Plans were also made for a rummage sale and weiner roast to be held Friday, April 9.

Officers for the class were elected for the ensuing 12 months as follows: Irene Thompson, president; Lucy Smoot, first vice president; Dolly Hull, second vice president; Cleo Bowers, third vice president; Ruth Cullen, secretary; Zolla Mae Cunningham, assistant secretary; Elsie Bagwell, treasurer; Bernice Strawn, reporter.

The following members were present: Mrs. Ralph Hines, Daisy Adams, Gladys Pric, Zolla Mae Cunningham, Allie Pittillo, Gladys Porter, Bessie Lewis, Carmen Simpson, Dollie Hull, Florence McNeill, Pansy Trotter, Pearl Dawson, Vivian Glidewell, Ruth McBee, Grace McBee, Juel Caven, Era Lee Lewis, Martha Peters, Adelle Ray, Ray Walker, Ruth Morrison, Norma Rollins, Jessie Poyner, Ina B. Ponder, Madena Roberts, Reba Roberts, Lola Leath, Earle Carter, Cleo Greer, Maurine Stewart, Lola Abbott, Irene Thompson, Reba Lucile Dunlap, Mary Old, Mrs. W. E. Martin, Mrs. B. F. Roberson, Mrs. J. G. Sane, Evnice Wyatt, Vada Callihan, and Mary Cowhart.

## WAURIKA

**BRIDGE CLUB**

Thursday Bridge club held its regular weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Dilley which was festive with spring flowers, potted plants and cheerful with the singing of birds. In the games Mrs. J. N. Johnston had high score, Mrs. W. T. F. Bush hon[illegible] and each was remembered with t[illegible] prize, Mrs. G. A. Nelson ha[illegible] high score for the guests was given a china plate. Lovely refreshments were at the close of the games to the club members and to Mesdames A. D. Cummings, A. D. Kerr and G. A. Nelson.

**SOROSIS CLUB**

Sorosis club was entertained at the library last Friday afternoon, Mrs. Guy Green hostess, Mrs. Earl Morris leader of the lesson on Contemporary Fiction. The interesting program consisted of roll call, name a writer of fiction. The Popularity of the Novel, Mrs. Gail Durham. A general discussion of characters, plot and purpose of a novel, Mrs. W. Y. Dilley. Howell, James and Crawfors, America's First Modern Novelists, Mrs. Chas. G. Morris. A most inviting tray luncheon was served after the lesson. The next regular meeting will be held at the library, Mrs. Rod Phelan, hostess.

**KUREANS MEET**

Kureans held their regular social meeting Monday night in the Coleman apartments with Misses Mabel Cranmer, Esther Eyler and Mrs. Fred Pittman, hostesses. The guests were received in Miss Cranmer's apartment and after a social half hour were invited into Miss Eyler's rooms where a lovely three-course dinner was served at three small tables which were beautifully laid. Centered with tulle tied crystal baskets of lilac blossoms they accented the decorations of the apartment, redbuds, lilacs and potted plants giving a cheerful spring time atmosphere which belied the cold and storm outside. Place cards were Easter greetings each with a tint spring flower boutonniere while the favors were candy rabbits with a number of tint gaily hued Easter eggs.

After dinner the evening was spent with a number of enjoyable contests, Miss Helen Huffman winning the prize in an original bit of free verse on the evening's entertainment. She was remembered with a lovely picture as was also Mrs. O. E. Heacock who named the parts of the body most acceptably.

Guests for the evening were Misses Jeffy Thompson, Hazel Robbins and Helen Huffman.

**CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

To celebrate her thirteenth birthday, Miss Mary Wade Durham was hostess to a group of little sub-subs on Saturday afternoon. The time was spent with music, dancing, a number of games, with a style show staged. A delicious repast was served late in the afternoon and the young ladies, 14 in number, spent the evening at the Empress theatre.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

To celebrate the fifteenth birthday of her son, Frank, Mrs. M. C. Groseclose entertained with dinner Sunday. The table was centered with a bowl of gaily hued tulips, with an accompaniment of trailing greenery. A three course dinner was served with a birthday cake with the 15 lighted tapers. Guests for the occasion were Myron Groseclose of Fort Worth, Miss Nalora Blodgett also of that city, and Mrs. Lizzie Varvill of Addington.

**DELPHIANS MEET**

Delphians had a most enjoyable and interesting lesson last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carl Summers. The gloomy skies outside were forgotten in the cheer and warmth of the Summers' living room which had one entire side of the room filled with flowers and trailing ferns. After the business meeting roll call was given, and consisted of current events. Many interesting things were brought out at this ttime. In the absenec of the leader, Mrs. O. L. Sims, Mrs. J. M. Dyer had charge of the lesson which was a resume of the program given at the Woman's Congress held in 1893. A great deal of humor was brought out by a discussion of the various literary efforts made at this meeting by Elizabeth Cadt on self-government and woman's suffrage, the right to vote by Ida Harper, and the moral initiative by Julia Ward Howe. A panacea for all the ails in the old world was promised by these women if the vote could be given to the "remonstrants" as th styled themselves. Their stilted addresses were laughable viewed from this disthnce. Mrs. Harry Sutton gave a review of Rev. Anna Shaw's at that time masterpiece, "Marriage" and "Domestic Service" by Jane Adams, both of which the world of women have long since out grown. Mrs. J. N. Johnston closed the program with a most enjoyable contribution in "The Stage and Its Women" including personal reminiscences of Melba. Also a review of "Polish Women" and an interesting discussion of Paderewski. Plans were made for the attendance at the McDowell concert in Comanche, April 8.

**HOUSE PARTY**

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holding of Duncan were hosts Saturday night to a house party which was most enjoyable, following the musical given under the auspices of the Duncan Music club of Duncan. A lovely dinner was served at 7 after which the evening was devoted to a talk fest and an impromptu musical program, Mrs. C. A. Holding and Mrs. Paul Ketchen, soloists, with Miss Helen Huffman, accompanist. Those present from Waurika were Mrs. O. E. Heacock, Miss Helen Huffman, Miss Polly Anna Heacock.

**CHILD HONORED**

Quite the loveliest children's party of the season was that given by Mrs. R. C. Wright at her country home, to celebrate the seventh birthday of her little daughter, Katherine. Lilacs, redbuds and soft greenery in profusion decorated the rooms which were lighted with twinkling pastel candles. Games were enjoyed and an Easter egg hunt indulged in. All kinds and colors of eggs were found, the "golden egg" being the most eagerly sought for. Miss Marjorie Reed was the lucky finder and she was given a life sized pink eared bunny.

The long table in the dining room very beautifully suggested the Easter season. The big birthday cake with its pink and green trimmings was encircled with an immense ring of vari colored Easter eggs and chickens, forming a beautiful centerpiece. Easter rabbits and fluffy yellow chicks in nest of green filled with colorful eggs, and tall pink candles in crystal candle sticks ornamented the ends of the table.

In the birthday cake the ring was found by Marjorie Dunkin, the silver thimble by Dorothy Ruth Brown, the three dimes by Clyde Murphy, Mary Louise Pruet and Junior Martin.

Favors were tiny Easter baskets filled with gaily hued eggs. Mrs. Wright was assisted in entertaining the little guests of her daughter, by her mother, Mrs. Joe Wood. Those present were Misses Polly Anna Heack, Mary Louise Pruet, Elisabeth Gresham, Clyde Murphy, Mary Jane Ketchen, Ruth Storms, Dorothy Ruth Brown, Marjorie Dunkin, May Faye Reed, Allene Vanhebber, Virginia Tucker, Joyce Wenkley, Lee Alice Ellis, Thelma Louise Largent, Martha Brown, Caroline Dale, Martha Mae Hobbs, Marjorie Reed, Juanita Clymer, Marian Tetter, Junior Martin, Walter Clifford Pittman, Gordon McCraw, Jack Morris, John Countiss and Wayne Jackson of Kansas City. Additional guests were Mesdames J. N. Johnston, D. M. Bridges, E. B. Ellis, Misses Charlotte Bridges, Grace Dunkin and Richard Carter.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Helen Huffman was notified this week that she was to furnish a piano number for the Federated clubs meeting which will be held in Lawton, May 7-8-9.

J. B. Gilstrap of Ardmore spent Friday in Waurika the guest of his neice, Miss Hazel B. Satterfield.

Ernest Kiser of Graham, arrived in Waurika Sunday to join his wife in a visit with homefolks. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sessions, their son, Charlie and Clinton Maupin drove to Lawton Sunday to spend the day with Mrs. Sessions' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Leininger. To celebrate Mrs. Sessions' birthday, her mother had prepared a lovely birthday dinner.

Mrs. Clyde Dunn went to Fort Worth Thursday to visit Mr. Dunn's sister, Mrs. S. E. Hays and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in Ringling at the O. C. Clonch home.


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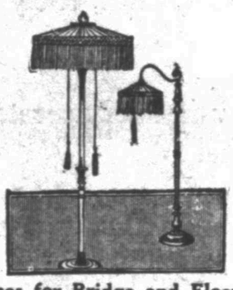
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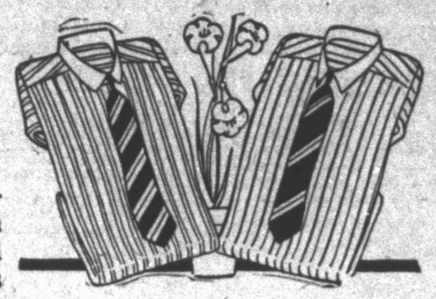
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# DEFENSE WINS IN WATER SUIT

Callahan And Irrigation District Upheld By Judge Atwell

A verdict for the defendants, Callahan Construction company, water improvement district No. 1, et al, was returned by Judge W. H. Atwell in the federal district court late Thursday afternoon in the suit of the Maney Brothers and company of Oklahoma City for a reclassification of certain work done in the construction of the irrigation project here. The reclassification if granted by Judge Atwell would have entailed a judgment in favor of the plaintiffs in the approximate amount of $35,000.

In rendering his decision Judge Atwell stated that as he saw it, the contract between the parties concerned in the suit named the chief engineer of the project, H. A. Thompson, as final arbiter in questions of the nature involved. Mr. Thompson was put on the stand the last thing Thursday by the defense, and his testimony in substance favored the original classification.

The trial occupied two days.

## The Old Home Town

J. A. Wise, local realtor, is ill at his home, 2406 Ninth street. .. ..

Miss Verna Sellers, teacher of English in Junior college, is reported slightly improved at the Wichita Clinic-Hospital where she is being treated.

Miss Susie Downin got T. W. C., and Miss Ruth Downing of C. I. A., are spending the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Downing.

There was one marriage license issued at the county clerk's office Thursday, that going to ohn Amos West and Miss Minnie Davis Jackson, both of Wichita Falls.

Ray Ballard, deputy sheriff, returned Thursday from a business trip to Lubbock. Snow and bad roads made the trip coming back near two-day matter, Mr. Ballard reported.

Judge W. B. Chauncey and Lester Jones, who went last week to San Jacinto, Calif., on business for the local school board, are expected to return here this week-end. No word concerning their mission has been received, it was said yesterday.

## Other Things Out Of Balance, Also

"Out of balance."

It is not only book-keepers that have to worry when their accounts don't balance, the clerical force of County Tax Collector Guy C. Raley complained Thursday. There are other things which sometimes fail to come out even, they state.

To narrow a generality down to a specific instance it is the certified poll tax list that is the cause of all their worry. The poll tax list shows an excess of five or thereabouts over the number of receipts issued, and the exemption list an excess of two. The error, of course, is purely a clerical mistake, but a good part of Thursday at least was spent in rechecking in an attempt to discover it.

The list is otherwise complete. It will be ready for the city election on April 6, it is stated.

## K. T. Degree Team To Corpus Christi

Members of the degree team of the Wichita Falls Commandry No. 50 Knights Templar, will leave Friday morning for Corpus Christi to confer the order of Malta in long form before the conclave of the Knights Templar of Texas which meets there April 5-8.

The team is composed of Leslie R. Stringer, George W. Fowler, Otto Stehlik, Al Ellis, George Dwyer, Lee Faught, W. B. Guthrie, M. M. Cook, B. B. Bacon, J. L. McElreath, E. H. Nicholson and J. D. Bright, all of Wichita Falls. Charles Richardson and Jack Marcell, of Olney, and J. Coghlin, of Seymour, will accompany the local Templars on the trip.

The team will stop in Cisco and confer the degree for the Cisco Commandry Friday night. They will be in Brady Saturday night.

## Robertson Funeral Services Are Held

The funeral for Mildred Robertson, fourteen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Robertson was held from the First Presbyterian church Thursafternoon with the Rev. L. W. Grafton of Electra officiating. Burial was in Riverside.

Miss Robertson died Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock following a short illness of pneumonia.

## Hold Food Sale

A food sale of the Girl Reserve club of Junior high annex was announced for Saturday in a meeting of the club Thursday afternoon. The announcement was made by Montie Ranst. The devotional was led by Gladys Ragland.

A discussion was held on the study "A Girls Love of the Beautiful," with talks by Saidee McKinney, president; and Evelyn Coombs. Miss Minnie T. Baker is adviser of the club.

### EXPLORER FINDS RUINS

Norsement Found America Before Columbus, He Thinks.

KANSAS CITY, April 1.—(AP) Old Norse ruins that indicate the Norsemen settled on the North American continent at least three hundred years before Columbus reached the West Indies will be investigated by Captain Donald B. MacMillan, veteran explorer of polar regions, on his expedition to Labrador in June. Captain MacMillan who was in Kansas City today to deliver a lecture made the statement about the purpore of his expedition.

Captain MacMillan explained that ruins were not of Eskimo construction. The ruins included a church, with 12 foot walls, a large cattle pen and the faint outlines of a dozen buildings grouped around the church.

### LUCKY IT WASN'T BOBBED

WINNETKA, Ill.—When 14-year-old Clara Masson fell under a moving train a bystander grabbed her by the hair and dragged her out.

## R. E. L. Knight, Jr., Funeral in Dallas Awaits Kin's Return

DALLAS, April 1.—(AP)—Funeral arrangements for R. E. L. Knight, Jr., 31, who died here this morning as the result of a pistol wound had not been made tonight, although Saturday is the probable date for the burial. Complete arrangements await the arrival of his wife and brother, Richard A. Knight, from New York City. Knight was found in a dying condition about midnight Wednesday by his brother, Marion A. Knight. He was lying face downward on the floor of the living room, a pistol nearby on the hearth.

Dr. Charles W. Flynn, his brother-in-law, said Mr. Knight appeared cheerful Wednesday afternoon and played a round of golf.

## 27 CANDIDATES FOR DE MOLAY

Largest Class in History Initiated Thursday Night.

Jack Welch was elected master councilor of Hope chapter, order of De Molay, at the regular election of officers held Thursday night. He succeeds Jerry Vinson whose term expires at the next regular meeting of the council.

Wayne Green of Electra was elected to the office of senior councilor and Isadore Cohen to the office of junior councilor.

In addition to the elections, a class of 27 candidates was installed. This, it is said, was the largest number to be inducted in the history of the organization. W. D. Cline, a member of the advisory board, expressed belief that the ceremonies of initiation were better presented by the officers and the degree team than ever before.

Most of the candidates were from Electra.

## Singing Strings To Be Heard In Tipica Concert

All the witchery of singing strings will be unloosed here next Tuesday night when the famous Mexican Tipica orchestra, one of the premier musical organizations of the world, appears at the Junior college under the auspices of the Musicians club. Advance seat sales for the orchestra are exceedingly gratifying and a full house is expected.

The Tipica orchestra stands alone in the world of music. There is nothing exactly like it anywhere, for it typifys more perfectly than could any other organization the rich and colorful music of Old Mexico. Over 40 members, all trained musicians, have been gathered by Juan Torreblanca, the conductor; and each individual has been specially trained to fill his part in the harmonious whole that the orchestra turns out.

Not the least important feature of the orchestra is the famous Marimba band of the six Marin brothers—a sextet recognized throughout the world as the most famed extant. Violin, harp and vocal soloists of unusual ability are also carried in the troup.

## Spring Stages A Rapid Comeback

Spring battled hard for a comeback Thursday and finally succeeded in gaining a decisive upper hand over a wintry adversary that has ruled for the past three or four days.

A balmy south wind and a temperature that reached 73 degrees as a maximum was the weather man's offering for the day. It was more typical by far of March weather than the last few days of the month. A minimum temperature of 40 degrees was recorded during the day, while the 5 p. m. reading was 71.

Probably cloudy with possible showers was the prediction for Friday.

### SCARE INDEED

April Fool Jokesters Ring Treasury Burglar Alarm.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP) Crossed wires or something played an April fool's prank on treasury department guards today when alarms in two money vaults clanged.

For five minutes the richest building in the world was an armed stronghold, with guards and secret service men dashing about in vain search of supposed bandits. The treasury's financial statement shows nearly four billion dollars in gold and silver are in its vaults.

### TRIANGLE IS BROKEN.

VIENNA, April 1.—Frau Augusta von Kursten is dead, her husband has had to resign his government post and Mlle. Therese Zarody has given up a promising stage career as the result of an "eternal triangle" tragedy. This had its climax in the suicide of Frau von Kursten by hanging in the home of Mlle. Zarody, for whom von sten Kursten had deserted his wife. When von Kursten accompanied Mlle. Zarody home after the evening performance they found the body of the deserted wife hanging from a rope fastened to the stair rail.

### WRECK IS FATAL

SHERIDAN, Wyo., April 1.—(AP One person was reported killed and several injured in a collision between Chicago, Burlington and Quicy passenger and freight trains near Moorcroft, Wyo.

### SPRINTER LOSES FOOT

CAMBRIDGE, Eng.—Guy Lintott, one of the best Cambridge sprinters, has had to have a foot amputated following a motor accident.

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# SOCIETY

## Art Department Of Woman's Forum Holds Important Meeting

Members of the art department of the Woman's Forum combined an important business and social session at their last meeting of the season held at the Y. W. C. A. Thursday afternoon when officers of the department acted as hostesses, and included Mesdames W. P. Killingsworth, chairman, T. M. Conrey, M. E. Peters, W. W. Silk, Lyle Sproles and Miss Jennie Roberson.

The recreation rooms at the "Y" were decorated in spring flowers for the occasion with a daintily appointed tea table adding to the attractiveness.

During a brief business session new officers were elected for the coming year including Mrs. G. L. Shapard, chairman; Mrs. Lyle R. Sproles, vice-chairman; Mrs. W. P. Killingsworth, secretary-treasurer; Miss Jennie Roberson, program chairman and Mrs. W. W. Silk, exhibit chairman.

The program included a group of delightful musical numbers and readings given by Mrs. Joe Crouch and Miss Monterey Lewis on the violin, accompanied by Mrs. M. A. Lewis, and a group of monologues by Miss Kathleen Tobin, accompanied at the piano by Miss Madeline Wilson, also a splendid talk by Mrs. Luther Hoffman on "The Texas Colony of Artists at San Angelo."

Mrs. Hoffman told in an interesting manner of the work accomplished by this colony and of interesting sketches and paintings made there.

Tea was poured by the hostesses and a dainty refreshment plate carrying out the suggestion of "art" was served.

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### College Life To Be Presented Saturday

"College Life" a three-act comedy will be presented at the Junior college auditorium in a matinee performance Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and evening at 8:30. It is directed by Mrs. J. S. Pitman and includes in the cast her expression pupils. Among matinee parties for the performance will be the girls who lost in the recent contest between the members in the junior department of the First Presbyterian church entertaining the boys and their mothers. The play is being given for the benefit of the P. T. A. council and the program follows;

Time: The present.
Place: An Eastern college.

Cast of Characters.

Madeline Stone (Dave the hero)—Helen Willgus.
Constance Kemper (heroine)—Mildred Mosley.
Anna Henrietta Emeline Fitzhugh (A. B. C. Manager)—Mildred Cobbs.
Katherine Durkin (Heavy)—Lillie May Wolf.
Marie Emerson (Cute, the scene painter)—Juanita Burgess.
Frances Minor (Bunny, class costume maker)—Dolores Graves.
Ruth Haggert (a real girl)—Mildred Schaefer.
Ellen Perry—Lois Baber.
Mrs. McNab (Dave's Aunt)—Joyce Samuels.
Dorothy and Alliene (Girls of the class)—Eleanor and Clarice Pitman.

Act 1—Dave's dressing room. Preparing for the play.
Act 2—Behind the scenes. Ruth makes an offer. Dave makes a statement.
Act 3—Same as Act 2. Ruth is discovered.
Between Acts 1 and 2 Miss Dorothy Parker will give a dramatic reading, "The Highwayman."
Between Acts 2 and 3 Little Marjorie Fay Hoenschiedt will appear in popular songs and dances.

**Wilbur R. Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carter, 2014 Ninth Street, who is a student at Oklahoma university, Norman, arrived home Thursday night to spend the Easter holidays.**

### Today's Calendar

Mrs. W. D. Gant, 1603 Pearl Street, will be hostess to the Twentieth Century club, afternoon.

Mrs. Hubert Harrison will be hostess to the Coterie club at her home, 2903 Ninth Street, afternoon.

The Travel club will meet at the library, afternoon.

The Stitch and Chatter club will meet with Mrs. H. D. Biles, 2119 Brown Street, afternoon.

Mrs. R. P. Watts will be hostess to the New Century club at her home on Monroe, afternoon.

The Alamo P. T. A. will meet at the school at 3 o'clock, afternoon.

Mrs. Ell Morgan is holding an Easter flower show at the Morgan Floral company this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

### Dark Laughter Subject For Pieria Club Study

Sherwood Anderson's "Dark Laughter," as an outstanding modern novel, was the subject for the Pieria club at the meeting held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. H. Railey, with Mrs. Edwin Bebb, leader.

Roll call was responded to with current events and members of the club engaged in a round table discussion of contemporary writers, as to style, reaction to life, purpose, trend of thought and atmosphere.

Refreshments were served during the social hour to Mesdames Edwin Bebb, A. C. Dulaney, John L. Elliott, A. B. Duncan, O. T. Gorsline, A. Hallman, A. C. Parks, Chester Pugh, George Alvis and Misses Clara Schultz and Vivian Railey.

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### Wednesday Study Club Enjoys Lesson On Luris

Members of the Wednesday Study club met at the library and under the direction of Mrs. Charles William Wallace studied Browning's "Luris."

A brief business session was held and those present were Mesdames C. N. Alexander, T. E. Allday, Bert Bean, T. R. Boone, S. L. McDowell, J. W. Cantwell, W. B. Chauncey, Harry Davis, T. B. Smith, B. L. Fair, J. C. Humphrey, T. F. Durgin, Bernard Martin, O. E. Nichols, J. J. Perkins, Charles W. Wallace, E. R. Collard and Miss Bernice Martin.

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### Francis Grice Chapter D. A. R. Monthly Program

Members of the Francis Grice chapter of the D. A. R. will hold their monthly program and luncheon at the Country club Saturday at 12:30 o'clock. Hostesses will be Mesdames S. H. Burnside, A. W. Burnside, Ben Bell, Charles Borland, C. W. Beavers, G. T. Buchanan and Miss Nell Gibbs. Members who are unable to attend are asked to phone one of the hostesses before 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

**Mrs. A. E. York and son, Junior, have returned to Wichita Falls from an extended visit through Kentucky and Ohio.**

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### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ballew, 1654 McGregor street, announce the arrival of a daughter, Jane. Mother and baby reported doing nicely.

Mrs. R. L. Toombs of Springfield, Mo., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Y. Cummings.

Miss Bessie Stewart, principal of the Austin school, leaves today to spend Easter at her home in Sherman.

Mrs. Edwin Foster of Fort Worth is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams of Taylor.

Miss Joe Betsy Miller of S. M. U. is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Claude Miller.

Select with discrimination your nicest shoes for Easter and after at the Orchid Slipper Shop. Prices you will approve of.—Adv.

### Junior Travel Club Studies Tarkington

"Booth Tarkington" furnished the subject for the Travel club study Wednesday afternoon when it met at the home of Mrs. E. T. Duff on Austin, with Miss Iva Willis, leader. Miss Willis gave a sketch of Tarkington's home followed by a discussion on Tarkington as a writer, and criticism of "The Midlander," by Mrs. G. K. Wilson. Mrs. Thelbert Martin read a paper on "Tarkington, as a Portrayal of Adolescent Life." Roll call was answered with witticisms.

Those present included Mesdames O. T. Ailes, T. R. Brunson, E. C. de Montel, E. T. Duff, J. J. Fennessy, A. L. Lane, Thelbert Martin, W. P. Smith, Wayne Somerville, J. Truman Stevens, G. K. Wilson, Joel MacGregor, W. A. McCarty, O. W. Wilson and Miss Iva Willis.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS MEET

The Wagito Camp Fire Girls met in business session at the headquarters Wednesday afternoon and elected officers as follows: Marjorie Jones, president; Florence Redwine, vice-president; Thelma Bridger, secretary; Muriel Jones, treasurer and chairman of finance committee, and Helen Ackerman, chairman of membership committee.

The group decided to meet at the homes of the various girls each Wednesday afternoon and the next meeting will be held at the home of Marjorie and Muriel Jones, 1601 Elizabeth street.

RIVALS VODKA

Frenchmen Turn to American Dish In Preference to Liquor.

PARIS, April 1.—(AP)—Ice cream shares with vodka an ever-increasing favor with Frenchmen. Many cafes advertise ice cream by special signs posted prominently over the cashier's desk and the once insurmountable French aversion to "glace americain" is passing.

Oddly enough, ice cream often is classed as a beverage. Small cafes carry it in such a list as this: "Tea, Chocolate, Coffee, Ice Cream, Vodka, Wisky, Gin."

FORM AIRPLANE CLUB

Gay Young Blades of London Will Take to Air.

LONDON, April 1.—(AP)—To the many clubs in London is added one for owners of private aircraft. The club starts with twelve members who possess aeroplanes of their own, and it is intended that flying contests will be promoted and prizes offered.

RAIN INCREASES

Reports from the weather bureau of the Wichita Falls Electric company showed that the rainfall of March, 1926, was three inches more than that of the same month of 1925. Total precipitation for March this year was 3.57 inches; for March 1925, .14 inch fell.

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## Moody Quits, Saloons Reopen! Yeh! April Fool

### Dallas Newspaper Head-Writer Has Fun With Readers of 'Sheet'

DALLAS, April 1.—(AP)—Dan Moody had announced his withdrawal from the gubernatorial race for governor; William Hollenzollern, former Gereman ruler was the guest of honor at a dinner at the French legation in the German capital tonight; United States Prohibition Commissioner White of the Texas district today granted permits for reopening four Dallas saloons, and a large Dallas hotel had graciously announced that visitors to the city will be given free lodging—but the headwriter of the Dallas Times-Herald put this news head at the bottom of the item! "April fool."

SCOUTS AT THEATRE

Members of the Boy Scouts will be guests of the Olympic Theatre to day, according to announcement yesterday. The boys are asked to meet in the office of Scout Executive Creighton at the First Christian church at 4:15 o'clock and go from there to the theatre.

## DAVIS BIRTHDAY TO BE OBSERVED

### National Celebration Is Planned In Honor Of 183rd Anniversary

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—The hundred and eighty-third anniversary of Thomas Jefferson's birth will be celebrated with birthday parties in many sections of the country April 13, the principal ceremonies centering at Monticello, which now is a national memorial to the statesman.

Students, faculty and alumni of the University of Virginia, which Jefferson founded, will gather at the home in the morning to celebrate Founder's day. Glenn Frank, formerly editor of The Century and now president of the University of Wisconsin, will be the speaker.

In the afternoon, special exercises will be held at Shadwell, a short distance away, where the Thomas Jefferson Memorial foundation has erected a monument to mark his birthplace. Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, and Senator Willis, of Ohio, will be the sepakers.

Governor Harry Flood Byrd of Virginia, will officiate later at a reception at Monticello and after this floral tributes will be placed upon Jefferson's grave. In the evening there will be a ball.

The parties throughout the country are being held as a result of an invitation issued by Breckinridge Long, chairman of the Jefferson Centennial committee, and they are being sponsored by Daughters of the American Revolution and other organizations.

Secretary of State Kellogg and Governor Smith, of New York, will deliver addresses at Monticello, July 5, when the hundredth anniversary of Jefferson's death will be commemorated and the hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence celebrated. The ceremonies will begin July 4 and continue through the following day.

RADIO IN HAWAII

HONOLULU, April 1.—(AP)—An automatically controlled radio telephone service is in operation between two private stations, one in Honolulu and the other on the Island of Lanai, sixty miles distant. The system includes a bell ringing device to notify one end of the "line" that the other desires to converse. Power is supplied by storage batteries.

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Pre-Easter Sale of Hats



Here is rare opportunity for the thrifty to save on her Easter Hat. Placed on sale today is a large group of pretty spring Hats of horse hair braid—in large and medium shapes and in all head sizes.

Values to $6.00 $2.95
Values to $12.50 $5.00

Pretty Accessories To Complete the Easter Mode

GLOVES

New Gloves in spring shades. Flare cuffs or turnbacks in two-tone kid to the more silver shades.

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Handkerchiefs

Novelty Handkerchiefs in unusual designs, made of imported voile, georgette, chiffon and crepes, in beautiful shades — very reasonably priced.

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Just received, a new shipment of lovely new hand bags of leather, beads or mesh bags, in small, medium and large, beautiful in colorings and designs. Frames are plain, jeweled, in gold and silver finishes.

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# Wheeler and Williams Hurl Against Oklahoma City Today



TOP O' MORN STUFF
*By Blondy Cross.*

**JINXED ! ? ! ? ! !**

Dame Fate and the breaks are against our noble Spudders this spring! Balked day after day by rotten training weather conditions, hampered by a crop of small injuries, ranks half swept out at intervals by inronds of the flu, and then the bad run of luck turns from poor to poorer, Freddy Dorman cracks an ankle!

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**Freddy may have fitted nicely in Brainard's infield schemes before many weeks had passed. The youngster is full of life, one of the fastest fielders in the league, was improving with the bludgeon and, to say the least, stacked up as a very promising prospect.**

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With the strength of Pete Turgeon's throwing arm still a large interrogation point, it's problematical just how the Spudders will line up on the infield proposition. An extra infielder will be carried. The chase for a regular berth with the utility job attached as consolation prize was between DeFate, Turgeon and Dorman. Now with Dorman out, if Pete's arm doesn't come through and somebody else gets hurt, something which is almost unavoidable through a whole season's campaign, the domestics will be up against it for sure.

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**MAYBE NOT SO BAD**

**There's still a wee bit of satisfaction (?) remaining: The run of luck is sure to change sooner or later. And it's better that all the breaks go against the club during the spring than during the pennant drive proper.**

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That's a poor excuse for an April Fool's joke Old Man Joe Jinx pulled on Freddy and the Spudders. A man with the finest sense of humor couldn't enjoy that.

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**INCORRIGIBLE!**

And speaking about sense of humor, Cowtowners don't have it! Stockyards scribes were all steamed up the other day over suggestion laughingly made by Manager Brainard that the season be split to enable his Spudders a chance to get into condish by the midway mark then have a chance for the flag in the second portion of the race. Excited query came over the wire from Cowtown and when told Brainard was merely joking, ivory-domed scribes went into an ugly peeve and wrote unkind nouns and adjectives about Wichita Falls throwing such a scare into 'em, albeit not admitting they had been "scairt," as Pop Boone would spell it.

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Wrestling Matchmaker Alec Ross was "scairt" a bit himself yesterday. Faked a wire out of Columbus, Ohio, to him with the tidings to effect Joe Stecher had been injured severely in an auto accident and the match here April 19 would naturally have to be cancelled.

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**Alec should have seen through the joke immediately. What for would a wrestler be riding in an automobile, anyhow?**

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**Always Wondered What Was Wrong.**

Spudder diamond worm, W. R. Duke, advances information that Carl Williams is the most "verse-tail" man on the squad, whatever that is!

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**HOLY MOSES!**

Yaqui Joe, Indian grappler, who tangles with Jack Gorman at the Majestic Monday, is a rough customer from start to finish, says John McCarty, Amarillo sports writer.

Received a missive from McCarty yesterday. It may prove of interest to Wichita Falls mat fandom.

The letter:

"Dear Blondy—You can tell your wild wolves down there that this Yaqui Joe is poison. He is rougher and tougher than Dutch Mantell, he is faster and in fact everything more so, than Dutch except for two things: Dutch can take more punishment than he can and Dutch is smarter. The Indian is plenty smart but then he has not had all these years of rough work to make possible the extensive and proper brain connections that our friend the Dutchman has.

"Dutch has bought a lot of property here and is now making his home in Amarillo. He might be selling it after Friday since he meets the Indian in a return bout then. Jack Gorman is a wonderful gutty wrestler and I like him first rate but then he has absolutely not a chance in the world against the Indian.

"I appreciate your column and your snappy writeups and want to thank you for many suggestions unconsciously given which I am using to improve my sports page.

"Just tell your fans if they crave the wildest evening of their experience with wrestling matches to hook up Yaqui Joe with someone who will make him extend himself. Waters did it last Friday but then when he clamped his headlock on that Childress boy he began hunting for the camphor."

## BRAINARD NINE LINES UP FOR 3-TILT SERIES

**Western League Invasion Not Expected To Be Rough**

Wichita Falls' Spudders, having managed to squeeze in almost a day and a half of practice already this week, don't seem to care if they do break the present spring precedent by slipping over another half-day's session before the week is out, are wavering on the verge, weather permitting, of engaging the Oklahoma City Indians in an exhibition affair this afternoon at Spudder park.

Apparently none the worse for all the heavy labor indulged in this spring (note: the sun has shined three days since March 5 and the Brainard outfit has gotten in almost four full two-a-day sessions), the boys really are anxious to cross bats with the Western leaguers today. Getting to be regular gluttons for exercise.

And weather permitting (we said weather permitting, which it will be unusual if it does), the first of a three-game series swings under way at 3 bells.

Rip Wheeler and Carl Williams, it is indicated, will do the spinning for the home talent. Fact of the matter is, this duet composes the sum and total of Spud flinging material, one could say without fear of being called down by the wisenheimers, in sufficient physical condish to divide a nine inning game between them and get away with it.

Both have turned in neat five-inning exhibition performances already, and unless recent upheaval of the elements which brought both rain and snow has warped their chunking implements they should be able to stage a bit of high and fancy slinging this afternoon.

The same lineup will be in order that started the Kansas City series last week unless some of Brainard's exalted athletes oversleep today following that orgy of midnight riding enacted April 1 through the swamps of Young county in return voyage from the Newcastle exhibition.

Wray Query probably will be on the receiving end of Spud slants today. Denison's peanut buyer stayed home yesterday with the detachment left to defend the fort while the heavy artillery was bombarding the coal mining district. He took great pains to nurse Ripper and Carl along and keep their highly attuned chunking mechanisms well oiled.

Spudder boxmen who didn't go down and battle the quick sands of Young county indulged in a pair of lively limbering up exercises and willow sessions. Of course, Willard Carl was the boss with the big stick. He shook up the timbers of the centerfield barrier with a number of roisterous raps.

If, yes, IF, the Spudders recuperate sufficiently from yesterday's ordeal to lift their bats from their shoulders this afternoon they ought to win in a walk. Tribesmen don't seem to be able to get started yet this spring. Been letting all the boys, including T. C. U. lads, kick 'em under.

## TEXAS CAGERS TAKE ANOTHER IN TITLE MEET

**Salem Spring Upset By Tagging It on K. C. Quint**

CHICAGO, April 1.—(AP)—The biggest upset of the national scholastic basketball tourney at the University of Chicago came tonight when Salem, S. D., defeated West Port high of Kansas City, Mo., 28 to 26 in a game during which the score was frequently tied and the result in doubt until the final gun.

Brackenridge high of San Antonio, Texas, defeated Pine Bluff, Ark., in an unimpressive game 26 to 22. The result was somewhat of an upset, Pine Bluff having previously won two games in handy fashion while the Texans had taken only a slow game from Torrington, Conn., on the opening day. Elkins, whose efforts gave the Texas team the first victory, led the offense which kept ahead of the Arkansas team throughout the tilt.

West Port, third place winners in the 1926 tourney, had been regarded as one of the strongest contenders for the national title while the Salem team, from a little prairie town of 1,000 inhabitants, came to the meet unheralded.

Towards the last, although apparently somewhat nervous about it, the Dakotans dropped into an airtight defense and successfully held the ball to frustrate a despairing attack by the trailing show-me team.

Wheeler, 'Sippi champions and fourth-place team in the 1925 tourney was nosed out 17 to 14 in the closing minutes by Nanticoke, Pa., an entry which passed with little notice in the opening round. Gaylord, Minn., came through with a surprise, smothering the Atlanta, Ga., quintet, only one southern field goal being represented in the final score of 23 to 7.

The east strenghtened an unanticipated bid for the title as a result of the Nanticoke victory and that of Fitchburg, Mass., which romped through a game with Roswell, N. M., 31 to 12.

Fargo, N. D., dropped Elkins, W. Va., out of the running when the westerners took a fast over-time tilt 22 to 20. Both teams used dribbling attacks, Fargo taking the game, when the West Virginians went cold on the basket toward the close, Elkins having led at the half, 6 to 5. The count at the end of the regular playing time was 20-20.

Miners in Mexico have devised a combined screw and tractor to travel over land or water.

## CRUICKSHANK ON TOP

PINEHURST, N. C., April 1.—(AP)—Bobby Cruickshank of New York, today led the field in the north and south open championship at the end of the first 36 holes of medal play with a 71-74—145 score.

Despite the high wind the diminutive New Yorker played steadily and for the first nine holes he was two under par. On the inward journey of the morning he was only one over par and in the afternoon round he was two more over par.

Jock Hutchison, Chicago, with a score of 147, was tied for second place with Arthur M. Ytes of Rochester, present north and south amateur title holder.

**N. T. A. C. BEATS SPRINGS**

ARLINGTON, Tex., April 1.—(AP)—The North Texas Aggies won their second junior college conference baseball game today, defeating Thorp Springs, 6 to 2. The two teams will play again Friday. Score.

| Club— | R. | H. | E. |
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| Thorp Spring | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| N. T. A. C. | 6 | 7 | 1 |

Batteries: James and Walker; Dickey and Caine.

**JOHN TARLETON WINS**

BROWNWOOD, Texas, April 1. (AP)—John Tarleton of Stephenville defeated Howard Payne here Tuesday afternoon in the first baseball game of the season. The score was 6 to 5.

## *Signed His Contract With a Bat*



Central Press Photo

Otis Carter, one of rookies fighting for permanent job with Giants, may be said to have signed his contract with a bat. Day that Giants signed Carter, home run star of Richmond, Virginia League team, he slammed out his fortieth circuit clout.

## TRAINING CAMP NEWS

**CARD SECONDS DEFEAT BEARS**

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—(AP) Unable to connect with the southpaw slants of Eddie Dyer and Ed Clough, the San Antonio Bears were beaten in the final game of the Cardinal series today when the second St. Louis squad made it 6-1.

This game ended the Cardinal training season here this year. The team left for Houston tonight to play games on the way to St. Louis.

The Des Moines Western league team, which is training at New Braunfels, will start a three-game series with the Bears Friday.

Pitchers Clarence Winters and Frank Watt arrived today to join the Bears, Watt being turned back by the Detroit Tigers.

(second team)

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| St. Louis | 6 | 10 | 1 |
| San Antonio | 1 | 6 | 1 |

Dyer, Clough and Mancuso; Ward, Paulson and Wirts.

**SHIPPERS BACK ON HOME LOT**

BEAUMONT, April 1.—(AP)—The Exporters worked out in their park today for the first time since Saturday, going through a practice game which went to the Yans, 13 to 12. Ground rules were necessary, since the outfield was also occupied by Carpenters busy at rebuilding fences which were levelled by the storm early in the week. A team will journey to Orange tomorrow and Saturday for games with Omaha and the series winds up here Sunday.

**PANTHERS CLOUT INDIANS, 14 to 6.**

FORT WORTH, April 1.—(AP)—Stiff winds helped baffle the fielders and a broadside of base and extra base hits marked a 14-6 victory for the Panthers against the Oklahoma City Indians in an exhibition game here this afternoon. Eleven of the 31 base clouts carried bonus bases, including a home run by Paul Wachtel, Cat spitter.

Chick Howard and Wachtel worked for the Panthers and Red Roberts and Buckshot May hurled for the Tribe. Chick, a youngster, made a better showing than the three veterans, allowing five hits and two runs in six innings. Score:

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| Oklahoma City | 6 | 12 | 4 |
| Fort Worth | 14 | 19 | 1 |

Roberts, May and Fitzpatrick, Groft; Howard, Wachtel and Smith.

**MIKE ON WAY TO SAN TONE.**

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—(AP)—Pitcher Mike Collins is on his way to join the San Antonio Bears, finally having decided that the club's terms were satisfactory.

Manager Honus Mitze is putting his charges through long morning hitting practices, seeking to develop a punch in the batting order.

**CARDS STEP ON DALLAS, 11 TO 4**

DALLAS, April 1.—(AP)—The Cardinals' victory this afternoon over the Dallas Steers by a 11 to 4 count was the twenty-fourth straight victory of the St. Louisians. As usual, fast fielding and hefty swats featured their performance.

In spite of chilling winds, 300 people saw Rogers Hornsby and his men dive into their glittering plays. The only great moment for the Steers came in the first when Hamel lashed out a homer and scored two ahead of him.

| Score— | R. | H. | E. |
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| St. Louis (N) | 11 | 11 | 1 |
| Dallas (Texas) | 4 | 10 | 4 |

Batteries: Sherbel, Haines and O'Farrell, Warwick; Shuman, Darrough and Wicker.

**MARSHALL KICKS SPORTS LOPSIDED**

SHREVEPORT, La., April 1.—(AP)—The Sports invaded the camp of the Marshall club of the East Texas league Thursday and returned home on the short end of an 8 to 2 count. Friday afternoon the Sports will open their final exhibition series of the season with the Chicago White Sox. Sunday night the Sox break camp for the north.

## Dischmen Play At Shreveport Today

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Coach Billy Disch, and 14 Texas University Longhorn baseball tossers left today for Shreveport, where Friday and Saturday the Steers will play the Centenary gentlemen.

Nen Baker is slated to pitch for Friday and Leslie Cox, Saturday. The rest of the team will line up as follows: Ramsey, c; Falk, 1b; Thompson, 2b; Olle, 3b; Radford, ss; Baumgartner, lf; Captain Pratt, cf; Howard, Williamson, rf.

## EXHIBITION GAMES

ATLANTA, Ga., April 1.—(AP)—

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| Toronto (IL) | 2 | 7 | 2 |
| Cleveland (AL) | 10 | 13 | 0 |

Faulkner, Carroll and O'Neill; Smith, Shaute and L. Sewell.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 1.—(AP)—

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| Birmingham (SA) | 10 | 13 | 2 |
| Boston (A) | 7 | 12 | 2 |

Stewart, Friday, Judd and O'Brien, Yaryan; Lundgren, Wingfield, Ruffing, Sommers and Gaston.

WAYCROSS, Ga., April 1.—(AP)

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| Philadelphia (A) | 9 | 8 | 3 |
| Rochester (I) | 2 | 5 | 2 |

Walberg, Groves and Cochran; Moore, Prudhomme and Head, Devine.

**INDIANS GET HOCK.**

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 1.—(AP)—Eddie Hock, one of the stars of the Western League last year, has been released outright by the Pittsburgh Pirates to the Oklahoma City club from which he was obtained last fall.

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## Moke Won't Come, But Calvo Heads For Jake's Camp

FORT WORTH, April 1.—(AP)—Jack Calvo, with the old arm as good as new will be with the Cats this year, but Moke Meyers is possibly lost to organized baseball.

This the most authentic information which could be had today on the lost, strayed or stolen department of Pantherville. A cablegram from Calvo at Havana this morning stated that the Cuban star would sail not later than Monday to join the Cats. He has been detained by illness of his wife, the cable stated.

Meyers, denying he is a holdout, says he has merely gone into business for himself, distributing storage batteries in the state of Washington. He announced his retirement and took the agency before he knew he would be a Panther this year and now doesn't feel like turning loose until he has given the venture a fair trial.

## WEDNESDAY'S FIGHTS

MEADVILLE, Pa.—Mike Wallace, Cleveland, beat Pedro Lopez, Wheeling, W. Va., ten rounds; Akron, Ohio, Mazie Holub, Akron, Ohio, defeated Louis DeAcro, Cleveland, ten rounds. Tommy Hughes, Detroit, shaded Andy Tomskey, McKeesport, Pa; Havana, Black Bill, Cuba, defeated Henry Catens, Norfolk, Va., 10 rounds; Lee Angeles, Fidel LaBarba, flyweight champion beat Clever Sencio, Philadelphia, ten rounds; Oakland, Roland Todd, England, and Frankie Campbell, San Francisco, fought a draw.

## *Sports Through Edgren's Eyes*

By ROBERT EDGREN

Cornell, Yale, Princeton Harvard, Pennsylvania and all the eastern colleges strong in track athletics are going to have an interesting time in the intercollegiate championships this spring. From present indications the Far West is very likely to walk off with the big college event again.

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The University of Southern California has developed what is probably the strongest track and field team that ever represented an American college.

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A glance at the performance of some of the U. S. C. point winners shows what the Eastern colleges can expect in the way of competition at the championships.

Hundred yard dash, won by House, time 9:9 seconds; 220 yards, won by House, 21.7 seconds; high hurdles, won by Leighton Dye 14.6 seconds, only a fifth of a second behind Earl Thompson's remarkable world's record; low hurdles, won by Grumbles, 24.2 seconds. Shot put, won by Bud Houser, 50 feet 15-8 inches, within a foot of the old world's record made by Ralph Rose. Discus throw, won by Houser, 140 feet 31-2 inches; Javelin throw, won by Cook, distance 175 feet, 5 inches; running broad jump, won by Reynolds, 23 feet one-half inch. Pole vault, won by Lee Barnes (Olympic champion) height 12 feet, 6 inches.

After winning at this height Barnes had the bar raised to 13 feet, 8 inches for one try to beat his own American outdoor record of 13 feet, 6 inches, and knocked the stick down with his arm after clearing it. He is good for 13 and a half feet now and may go close to 14 feet this summer.

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**West Has Advantage.**

The Far Western athletes have the advantage of training outdoors through the winter and competing outdoors while the Eastern college men are still under the roof and running on board tracks. The U. S. C. draws its athletes from a district famous for having developed Charlie Paddock, Earl Thompson, Hartranft, Houser, Kelly, Beeson and many other world's record holders.

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Jack Dempsey sends for Tex Rickard and Tex rushes out to Chicago for a conference. Can it be possible there'll be a world's championship heavyweight fight this year after all? A great many people will believe it only when they see the men in the ring.

Rickard says: "I think Dempsey is ready to fight."

If Dempsey is ready to fight there's only one promoter big enough at this time, to handle the affair, and that's Rickard.

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**Hoff Good Showman.**

Hoff beats his indoor pole vaulting world's record for the tenth time. Hoff is a good showman. He can go higher. In this event he has advantages in indoor competition. There is no wind to interfere with the run or the leap, there is no blinding sun overhead, and there is no muddy runway to vault from after a run. When he vaults indoors they build him a special running path to the vault and fix a landing pit deep in sawdust. So far, he seems to be alone in his class until he meets Lee Barnes in the outdoor A. A. U. championship meet.

De Hart Hubbard, clearing 24 feet 7 1-4 inches in the broad jump to break Hoff's indoor world's record by a foot, can do a foot better in midseason. Hubbard is as great in his line as Hoff among vaulters.

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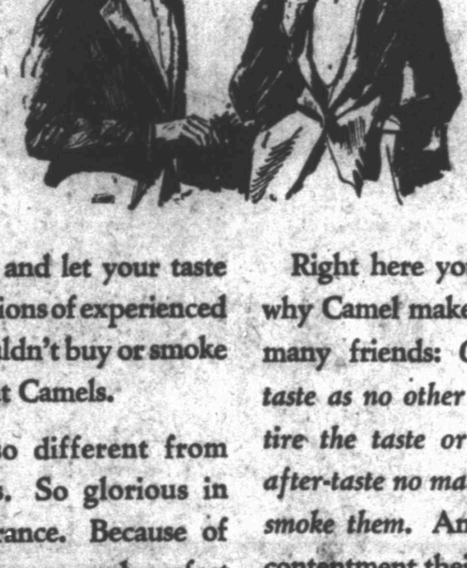
Babe Ruth is showing the effects of his refrom wave. Babe clouted out a homer and a double in the Yankees-Philadelphia National game. If Ruth is in good conditiou, and stays in good condition through the season, he'll win back his old popularity, and there's every indication that he'll be there with bells on. This is the first spring in a long, long time that Babe hasn't been in a hospital for some reason or other connected with neglected training and poor condition.

**DAWES FLINGS FIRST BALL.**

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP)—For the first time in many years the American League season here will be inaugurated April 13 by a personage holding lower rank than the president. Because of the death of his father President Coolidge has decided not to participate in the opening ceremonies and the first ball will be tossed into the fray by Vice President Dawes.

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# Dorman Snaps Ankle During Newcastle Exhibition Affair



## Ed Hughes' Column

It pays to realize one's limitations, and the fistic highway is strewn with the skulls of dead hopes of those who permitted plain conceit to send them to disaster. All of which has somewhat to do with Paul Berlenbach and Mickey Walker, not to mention others who feel they can succeed where these two failed so dismally.

Berlenbach has been quoted to the effect that he is not yet convinced he cannot whip most of the heavyweights. For the sake of Berlenbach's arenic future this writer hopes he has by this time changed his mind. "Punch 'Em" Paul is a good man in his class, and that class is the light-heavyweight—and nothing but.

Berlenbach isn't big enough, skilful enough or smart enough to whip a good heavyweight with any kind of a punch. Had Berlenbach a more durable chin the case might be different. But the Astoria Ox has too often revealed the fact that he cannot take a solid smash on the chops without going dizzy. Delaney, McTigue, Slattery, Risko—practically every good man he has met has proved this.

Berlenbach is dead game and he is a terrific hitter. But that lets him out. He is wide open boxer who is unable to avoid blows by rolling, dodging or ducking in the manner of Dempsey. Berlenbach takes punches in a set position, even the worst of telegraphed' round-house swings. Such a performer is almost certain to be stunned at some time or other. In fact, he is almost in constant danger of being knocked out by a sharp-hitting foeman.

A short time ago, many people were seriously talking of a bout between Berlenbach and Jack Dempsey. Now such a suggestion, pictured in its true light by the Risko bout, develops nothing but laughs. Dempsey would probably knock out Paul with his first solid shot to the chin that bent under Johnny Risko's sweeping left hook.

Far from considering a Dempsey or a Wills, the light-heavyweight king would have no chance against even a Tunney, a Renault or a George Godfrey.

The sooner Paul Berlenbach realizes he is a light-heavyweight champion and is satisfied with that honor the better it will be for him.

Mickey Walker's severe drubbing at the hands of Harry Greb is a parallel case. Greb came near to ruining the Toy Bulldog when the latter thought he was good enough to concede weight to the then formidable middleweight champion. Walker hasn't been itching for any middleweight action since. Perhaps the heavyweight division will now inspire Berlenbach with something of the same saving respect.

**Many Boxers Unfitted For Game.**

An interesting letter comes from Georgie Monroe on the good and bad of professional boxing. The lines take on genuine significance, owing to the fact that the writer is the son of the oldtime boxer of the same name. Monroe was one of the best bantams that ever lived. He gave Terry McGovern two of the hardest battles of that ring immortal's career. Son George writes:

"My Dear Hughes—You at various times have commented on the lack of science and ability on the part of boxing contestants, who subjected each other to unwarranted beatings.

"Of late I have observed two lads in a gym whose pugilistic activities have changed their features to the facial adornment trademark of this profession. Although I wish them success, I am inclined to relegate them to the class whose efforts might be better spent in some other occupation. In my column, "Observations" for General Summerall's newspaper, The Bridgehead Sentinel, I at all times encouraged mass athletics but frowned on those boys who would specialize in boxing who had nothing in their makeup which would recommend their adopting this game. I have always been absorbed with the idea that my father's death in the prime of his life was perhaps hastened by whatever body punishment he may have received in sparring matches during his professional career.

**Fighter's Life Anything But Rosy.**

"There is nothing to be lost by sports writers whose articles reach our young men to emphasize the hazards attending the life of the prizefighter. Unless a chap is capable of riding with the blows of an opponent, which has the tendency to lessen the shock, and has sufficient cleverness to escape beatings on his head and anatomy, he should be shunted from this game and the entry of others into their ranks should be supervised with the utmost expertness.

"Our present youth should have pointed out to him the advantages in oth fields. The doctor, the lawyer, the engineer, the writer an dothers who are at the top of their profession receive far more remuneration than the champion fighter of any class. His value to mankind is not to be compared. Only those fighters near or at the top are well paid. The average run is eventually happy to accept any menial labor. Just like other professions, it has its successes and failures; mostly failures.

"If one were now to predict the prohibition of boxing he would not be taken seriously, yet stranger things have happened. Let us have our boxing contests, but not at the expense of the careers and mentality of our boys.

"Yours very truly,
"GEORGE H. MONROE."

**JAKE MUST GO.**

**Druggists Given to June 1 to Dispose of Drug.**

FORT WORTH, April 1.—(AP)—Druggists who have not disposed of their stocks of jamaica ginger will have until June 1 to do so under a new ruling of the treasury department, it was announced here last night by Major Herbert H. White, prohibition director for Texas and Oklahoma.

After June 1, jamaica ginger, or "Jake" will be allowed to be sold only on prescription by a physician.

**RESIN USE OPTIONAL.**

BELLEAIR, Fla., April 1.—(AP)—The use of resin for drying the hands is the option of pitchers and not of leagues, Commissioner Landis decrees in a letter to John H. Farrell, president of the National Association of Minor League Baseball clubs, given out Thursday.

## SLIDE AT BAG PUTS FRED ON CASUALTY LIST

**Wichita Falls Wins Game From All-Star Club, 4 to 2**

Freddy Dorman, Spudder infielder, slid into second during the seventh inning of a nine-inning exhibition affair at Newcastle yesterday, snapping a bone in his right ankle. Dorman was rushed to a Wichita Falls Hospital where it was estimated it would be many weeks, if not months, before he can play baseball again.

The accident leaves Manager Brainard with but four infielders other than himself. They are Washburn, Distel, Turgeon and DeFate.

Wichita Falls won the game, which was played with an all-star aggregation put together at Newcasle, 4 to 2.

Spudder bludgeoners failed to break out with any amazing number of base wallops combed off the delivery of Lefty Coop and Hale, but ten safeties mingled with errors served to send enough runners across the plate to win behind immaculate pitching performances of Martin, Morgan and Fussell.

Martin worked three innings and allowed a lone bingle, an infield reverse English ball Brainard couldn't get over quick enough to catch the runner at first.

A high wind and dust hampered outfielders, Lamb of the Spudders and Neely of the Newcastle outfit were forced to stage some fancy acrobatics on several catches.

Bullock of Newcastle pulled off a couple of sensational fielding stunts at short.

The Spudders scored in the first inning. Distel drew a walk and made third on a pair of infield outs. Washburn hoisted a high fly back of second, Distel scoring when Hunt dropped the ball.

Martin was safe at first when Coop booted. The new two batters were retired by the outfield. Then DeFate connected for a triple down the left field foul line, scoring Paddy.

Brainard opened the fourth with an infield hit, but was forced at second by Lamb. Lapan singled between first and second. Martin walked, filling the bases. Distel walked, forcing in a run.

The Spudders scored again in the fifth. With one away, Bodie drew a pass but was forced at second by Brainard who a moment later advanced on a steal. Lamb singled to right, sending Brainard home.

Newcastle scored in the sixth. A boot at short put Hale on. Collins singled past first, sending Hale to third. Hale scored on a single to left by Meyers. Bullock doubled to left, scoring Collins.

| W. Falls | ab | h | po | a | Newcastle | ab | h | po | a |
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| Distel ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Collins, rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Fits'er'ld cf | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Hunt, cf | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| DeFate 3b, 2b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | Meyers cf | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Fate 3b-2b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | Aubrey, 3b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Turgeon, 3b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Bullock ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| W'shburn 1b | 4 | 1 | 13 | 0 | W'tson, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| Bodie, rf | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Neely lf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Metzler rf | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | B. W'ts'n 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brai'ard 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 4 | Jones c | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Dor'an 2b | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Rainey c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lamb, lf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Coop p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Lapan c | 3 | 2 | 4 | 0 | Hale p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Knox, c | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | | | | | |
| Martin p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | | | | |
| Morgan, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | | | | |
| Fussell p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Totals | 20 | 10 | 27 | 11 | Totals | 27 | 9 | 27 | 13 |

The score:

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| WICHITA FALLS: | | | |
| Runs | 101 | 110 | 000—4 |
| Hits | 001 | 221 | 121—10 |
| NEWCASTLE: | | | |
| Runs | 000 | 002 | 000—2 |
| Hits | 001 | 113 | 012—9 |

Runs, Distel, Brainard, Lamb, Martin, Collins, Hale. Errors, Distel, Hunt, B. Watson, Jones, Coop. Two-base hits, Neely, Bullock Aubrey. Three-base hit De Fate. Stolen bases, Brainard, DeFate, Dorman. Double play, Brainard to Distel to Washburn. Struck out by Martin 2 (Aubrey, A. Watson), by Morgan 2, (Collins, Aubrey), by Coop 1 (Morgan). by Hale 4, (Washburn, Fussell 2, Distel) by Fussell 3, (Collins 2, Meyers). Bases on balls, off Coop 5 (Distel 2, Washburn, Martin, Bodie), off Hale 1, (Metzler), off Fussell 1, (Hale). Left on bases, Wichita Falls 14; Newcastle 9. Hits and runs off Martin 1, and 0 in three innings. Hits and runs off Morgan, 5 and 2 in three innings. Hits and runs off Fussel 3 and 0 in three innings. Hits and runs off Coop, 5 and 4 in five innings. Umpire Fanning.

## A Case of Moral Tunney--Tude




NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Tex Rickard drew back the curtain from a good share of his prospective 1926 heavyweight drama today. He disclosed an elaborate program all bearing the earmarks of staging a heavyweight championship tilt between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney on August 12, or September 3.

The promoter revealed that he had closed negotiations for a 1926 lease on the Yankee stadium which he plans to open with a return light heavyweight title match between Paul Berlenbach and Jack Delaney on or about June 10. He said he also would operate his Jersey City arena, Boyle's Thirty Acres beginning about March 18.

**Both Arenas Ready.**

Both big arenas Rickard said, would be ready for at least "one big shot." While he refused to say so flatly, he launched into a discussion of dates and possibilities which left his hearers convinced that he figures on staging Dempsey's return to the ring, with Tunney as his opponent. Tunney already is under contract to Rickard for this season and it is understood the promoter has an agreement with Dempsey which will materialize into a formal contract after August 3, when the champion's contract with his erst while manager, Jack Kearns, expires.

Rickard pointed out that with Boyle's Thirty Acres at his disposal he will be able to shift a Tunney-Dempsey match to Jersey if present objections to it here by the New York state athletic commission are not removed.

**May Move Objections.**

These objections hinge around the commission's insistence that Harry Wills, negro challenger, be given first call on a title match. They may be moved, however, if was indicated today, by the commission deciding that Wills already has violated the rules by entering into his agreement with Dempsey and Floyd Fitzsimmons, Michigan City, Ind., promoter at a time when Dempsey was on this state's ineligible list.

Wills, however, in Rickard's opinion, is not yet out of the heavyweight picture altogether, although the negro's chances of meeting Dempsey have diminished. If a Dempsey match is found impossible otherwise, Rickard indicated he would be willing to stage an eliminatfon test between Wills and Tunney, the winner to face the champion.

Rickard expects to leave on another "secret mission" to Chicago next week but has promised another "big announcement" before departing. His interviewers today interpreted this to mean he may announce definitely he has clinched the Dempsey-Tunney match.

## JAKE REGAINS LEAD

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Jake Schaefer of Chicago today regained the lead in his fight to wrest the world's 18.1 balk line billiard championship from Willie Hoppe, scoring 384 points to the title holder's 34 and completing the seventh block with an unfinished record run of 219. The score at the close of the day's play was:

Schaefer 2,100; Hoppe 1,834.

CHICAGO.—"All I can say," testified John Hennessy when accused of beating his wife, "is that this lady is a large liar."

## Southwest Speeds Up More In Athletics Than Any Other Sport Conference, Says Major Griffith

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—During the past five years, athletics in the southwest have made more progress than in any other section of the country, Major John L. Griffith, commissioner of athletics for the Western conference, said. He was here last week to act as referee and starter for the Texas university relay games.

Incidentally, Major Griffith, who is recognized as one of the country's strongest advocates of amateurism in college sports, is not apprehensive lest professional football crowd out of the spotlight the college grid game.

"The time will come soon, as the population of Texas increases at so rapid a rate, when crowds of from 60,000 to 75,000 spectators will witness the major southwest conference football clashes," Major Griffith predicted. "The vast expanse of the state heretofore has kept down attendance. As the density of population increases the crowds at football games naturally will increase.

"Within a radius of 100 miles of the University of Illinois, two million persons live, and just 28 miles beyond the 100 mile radius is Chicago, with its three million inhabitants. Hence, there are comparatively near hundreds of thousands of persons interested in the games played by the University of Illinois."

Major Griffith said collegiate baseball had been injured in a measure by the professional game, and college football, too, would be slightly injured by the professional football. "However, football will be able to withstand the competition better than baseball.

"The football season is much shorter than the baseball season and the crowds prefer the college game to the professional, for naturally the college game is firmly established after more than a quarter of a century of success.

"College athletics are becoming more and more systemized. Expenses are being reduced every year by efficient management.

"One of the most hopeful features is the broadening of the field of athletics in the universities and colleges. Practically every sport has a large number of devotees—both those trying out for the varsity teams and those participating in intramural competition."



## The BROWN South

By NORMAN E. BROWN
Central Press Sports Editor.

Will wise old Bill Killefer succeed where Ty Cobb and his mates failed? That's the question being asked by Cardinal fans as they discuss the possibility of Sylvester Johnson becoming an important pitching factor in the struggle of Rogers Hornsby's men to win the National league race.

You may recall that Johnson and Herman Pillette, after starring with the Portland club of the Pacific Coast, were purchased by the Detroit club in the winter of 1921-22 for the neat sum of $40,000.

They joined the list of that multitude which have at one time or the other been slated to "Solve Ty Cobb's Pitching Problem," according to the headlines.

Pillette did help the Tigers for a time but he curve-balled himself out of the big leagues in a few seasons, his arm going dead under the constant strain of "hooking" the ball. Johnson, failed to get going. But Cobb hung onto him until last season in the hope that he would finally find himself. Then, the Tiger boss sent him back to the pacific Coast.

Now the Cardinals have him and Killefer has hopes at least of making him of some value to the team. This despite the fact that his 1925 record with Vernon gives him only three victories and 17 defeats. Little to enthuse about in that record. He allowed close to five runs a game and in 24 games allowed 168 bases on balls.

However, Killefer is the man who can teach him the fine points of pitching if the lack of technique is the thing that is holding him back.

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Heavens knows there is plenty of work for Bill on the Cardinal team, what with Allan Sothoron and Leo Dickerman there in addition to Johnson. Sothoron has been laboring for years under various masters to overcome a fielding weakness in addition to a flighty pitching disposition. Dickerman was a protege of Uncle Robinson of the Dodgers for two or three years but the fat one finally despaired of making a good pitcher of him.

If Killefer, who made Vic Keen of the Cubs a good pitcher only to see the lad sent to the Cards ahead of himself, makes a consistent winner out of Johnson, Dickerman or Sothoron the Cardinals will be one step nearer the pennant. And they haven't been many blocks away for two or three years.

## Coyotes Plan Big Track Tourney

**Wichita Falls high school athletic powers are planning an invitation practice track meet on the Junior college field Saturday.**

**Invitations have been sent 20 schools of this district. Nearly all of the schools are expected to send entries.**

**The Coyotes inaugurated a belated spring training yesterday, which has been held up by poor weather conditions.**

**STABBED BY UMBRELLA**

BERLIN—Frau Augusta Halbich stabbed a holdup man in the eye with an umbrella when he tried to rob her.

## SKULL PRACTICE

If Manager Harris gets by with his aged pitching staff of Johnson, Coveleskie, Bush and Reuther this year he ought to make a lot of money next winter lecturing before osteopathic societies on how to keep old arms limber.

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Wrestler got so angry the other night that he forgot himself and threw his opponent in less than an hour and a half.

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Fighter named Bass is in bad with the Cleveland boxing commission because he didn't let himself get hooked.

**KIDNAPED MAN RESCUED**

DUBLIN—Two men kidnaped from a local hotel were rescued from their captors in the Wicklow mountains.

NEWPORT, Eng.—Two hundred delinquent taxpayers notified the collectors that they will never pay up.

## Christians Smash Ponies in Opener

DALLAS, April 1.—(AP)—Texas Christian university's baseball team, perennial challengers for the Southwestern conference title, opened the conference season here this afternoon by winning a slow game, from the Southern Methodist university nine, while a chilly wind blew, 7 to 2.

The Frogs took advantage of every miscue of the Mustangs and coverted eight hits into seven runs. Henekias Carson, the Horned Frogs' 143 hurler, held the S. M. U. batting order safe within the palm of his right hand all afternoon. He held the Mustangs to four scattered hits, and one earned run.

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| S. M. U. | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| T. C. U. | 7 | 8 | 2 |

Batteries: Woolridge and Kimbrough, Craig; H. Carson and Washman.

**BAILEY NEAR DEATH**

HOUSTON, Texas, April 1.—(AP) Bill Bailey, veteran left-handed pticher for the Omaha Burchrods hovered between life and death today with the possibilities of his ultimate recovery discouragingly remote according to reports from the hospital.

## Guard Officer Falls In Glove Bout, Head Hits Concrete, Dies

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—(AP)—A slip of his foot during a boxing match cost the life of Captain Horace L. Morrow, 28, overseas veteran of the wrld war, at Waelder, near here, last night, according to telephone advices reaching here.

Morrow, who is commander of Company I, 141st Infantry, Texas National Guard, was taken part in a boxing match with a comrade after the conclusion of the national guard work in the armory, the advices said.

His foot slipping, Morrow lost his balance and fell to the floor, striking his head on the concrete. He was dead when comrades reached him after he remained inert. Death was said to have been almost instantaneous.

**DEATH BALKS WEDDING AT 82.**

SHOREDITCH, Eng.—A few minutes before his marriage to a widow of 71, Frank Pelling, aged 82, dropped dead.


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# Prideaux Pool Is Now Over Half Mile Square With No Drys In Field

## NEW DISTRICT IS PROMISING SHALLOW FIELD

### Two Hundred Barrels Present Potential of Southeast Archer District

The new Prideaux district in southeast Archer county with over two hundred barrels potential daily production over half of which is now being carried by pipe line connections is showing all the earmarks of a new shallow district which may compare favorably with the grass root pools found in the central part of the state. Production, which appears to be holding up despite its shallow depth comes from a true sand or sandy lime and is found at an approximate of 650 feet. The wells in nearly every instance are shot due to the hardness of the strata, and after shooting vary in initial output from 10 to 40 barrels. At present the field is over 3,600 feet in length east and west and 3,000 feet north and south with no dry holes in the field proper. Two or three abandoned wells appear but were lost either through poor shooting or on fishing jobs.

The field received a 2,000-foot south extension last week when Shaw & Rathke's No. 1, Prideaux in block 23 of the Fraley subdivision came in for an initial after shooting of 41 barrels.

The oil in the field has been subject to some unjust criticism following the running of tests from the first well in which it was found that the oil had only a small gasoline content. This freak condition, however, has not shown up in any of the latter producers and the field now shows a nice grade of gasoline in oil which varies from 33-35 degrees gravity Baume.

**Principally Development Work.**

To date almost without exception the field has been the object of development and drilling without pumping. Accordingly its real potential production has remained a matter overlooked by the average operator. Now with pipe line connections at the field which were made about two months ago by the Wichita Pipe Line company with a two-inch line from the Benson pool, there are several wells which are not on the beam but are known to be good for 20 to 30 barrels each. It is this fact coupled with its distance from the regular producing districts that has kept the area more or less away from the prominence which it apparently deserves.

At present there are several wells drilling within the confines of the pool as well as a number of others in distances away varying from one to five miles. These completions may further extend production or mean the bringing in of altogether new producing areas.

**North Young Well Brings Interest.**

The district has been receiving some belated attention this past week of 10 days due to the finding of oil in the wildcat test of Jack Harris on the Watson farm to the north of Markley. Sand in this test which came just below 500 feet was shot but due to some trouble or other the well failed to come up to expectations and is now going on the pump as an estimated 58 barrels producer. Its completion means not only another pool for the district but also that there are two producing horizons, approximately 100 feet apart. To the south of Markley the wildcat test of Appleby and associates is now shut down on an oil sand topped at 610 feet, the completion of which will be closely watched by followers of the district.

The number of recent wildcat locations has also been the source of much comment and will serve to bring the area more or less before the operators eye. To the north of the pool proper the United Producers and Kell and associates are drilling close to the sand in the J. Hann survey. To the south of the pool locations have been made by the Phillips Petroleum and the Sugget McElreath interests. Two wells are to be drilled on these operators tract of acreage the location of the first of which will be 1,490 feet east and 1,170 feet south of the northwest corner of the R. W. Wilson survey abstract 1270. This well will be drilling within the next week or so. This test lies approximately half way between the Harris producer and the Prideaux pool. To the east a short distance Whittekin and associates will be drilling next week on their No. 1 Inman in the S. McKimb survey 2,031 feet north and 1,404 feet east of the southwest corner.

A short resume of the district reveals numerous others of like interest and will no doubt be the means of bringing the district very much before Wichita operators within the next few months. The field over half a mile square now with no dry holes in its confines, pipe line connections and numerous tests going down on all sides which may mean either the extension of same or new districts make the area well worth watching.

## *Consolidated-Cosden Get Best Well In Oldham Pool, Rated 1,500-2,000*

### Well Drills Forty Feet Of Sand; Is Best Yet

Apparently the best completion in the Oldham area swabbing and flowing at the rate of 1,500 barrels, the No. A-4 test of the Consolidated and the Cosden Oil corporations, came in late Thursday from sand topped at 1,346 and drilled solid for 40 feet. The well is located on a 70-acre lease purchased two weeks ago from L. P. Hammond for a consideration of $350,000. This is the second large producer which the lease has enjoyed, the first being that of number B-1 which came in flowing and swabbing nearly 1,000 barrels. Thursday's completion by all odds is the best in the new district which now is nearly one mile square with production coming from two different horizons. The pool now compares favorably with anything found in either north or south Archer and means the end of the old saying that apparently the central part of the county was an area of but scattering pools and small production.

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## News Of The Fields

**Jeffers, Harrel**

Jeffers and Jeffers are coring a dry brown sand at 1,811 feet in their No. 1 Harrel test located in section 4, league 2 of the Denton county school lands.

**Burton, Turbeville**

The wildcat test of Burton, Perkins and Cullum located in the northwest corner of the southeast 40 acres of block 124 of the Harris Club ranch and on the Turbeville ranch is spudded and drilling.

**Burton, Wilson**

C. P. Burton and Staley & Wynne have made location for a test to be drilled four locations south and west of the Kentucky-Empire abandoned producer in the northeast corner of the Wm. Walker survey, Archer county.

**Sun Brown**

The Sun company has made location and are rigging up on their No. 1 H. Brown lease in section 1 of the Thomas McCo survey. The test will be 150 feet in the northeast corner of the lease.

**Hammon, Frieberg**

W. H. Hammon and associates have spudded and are drilling on their No. 1 Friberg test located in the northwest corner of the east half of lot 1 of the Henry Hastle survey, abstract 98, Wichita county.

**Comanche County Wildcat**

Shaw & Rathke are rigging up on their No. 1 Allen wildcat located in the northeast corner of the east half of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 24-2n-10w, Comanche county, Okla.

**Pet. Producers, Dutton**

The Petroleum Producers and the United Producers are drilling at 1,610 feet in their No. 1 Dutton located 150 feet south of the center of the north line of section 18, league 4 of the Denton county school lands.

**Pet. Producers, Douglas**

The Petroleum Producers and the United Producers have skidded derrick 300 feet to the north and east of No. 1 on the Douglas land in section 11, H&TB survey, Wichita county, for No. 2. No. 3 went on the pump for 15 barrels from sand 1,608-30 feet.

**Lomax, Wilson**

Thornton Lomax is setting casing to test a sand topped at 1,530 feet and drilled one foot in his No. 1-J Wilson test located in section 87, ATNC survey and midway between the Buckley Meadows and the Wichtex-Dixie pool. Elevation on the test is 969 feet ground.

**Shaw-Rathke, Prideaux**

Shaw & Rathke are spudded and drilling on their No. 1 Priedeaux, a 300-foot offset to their No. 1 Matlock recently completed as an estimated 30 barrel well and effecting a 2,000 foot south and 700 foot west extension to the Prideaux pool.

**R. Carter, Cowan**

Roy Carter is skidding derrick to location for No. 5 Cowan to be 300 feet west of No. 4 on his lease in the south half of block 61 of the Jefferson county school lands. No. 4 is being equipped to pump as an estimated 60 barrel well from sand 1,052 1-2—60 feet.

**Hart-Hopkins, Moss**

Hart & Hopkins bailed the sand in their No. 1 Moss located in the southwest quarter of H&TB survey, abstract 199, Archer county. Sand in the test is reported to have been drilled 4 feet and topped at 911. The test Thursday was showing up as a two barrel producer.

**Texhoma, Douglas**

Texhoma is completing its No. A-1 Dougles in section 11, H&TB survey and to the east of Electra townsite as a dry hole at 2,000 feet. The well had a show on which casing was set at 1,602 feet but due to a broken condition of the sand failed to make a producer.

**Texhoma, Hamilton**

Texhoma is equipping to pump its No. 8 Hamilton in section 22, league 4 of the Denton county school lands from sand drilled 5 feet and topped at 1,801 feet. Late Thursday oil was coming in at the rate of 200 feet in 45 minutes.

**Whitehead-Gardner, Milner**

C. W. Whitehead and Jimmy Gardner have made location for a test to be drilled approximately 2 miles west of the south Vernon pool and located in the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 31, block 9, H&TC survey, Wilbarger county. Tools are now moving on. The well will be a 2,500 foot cable tool test.

**Maer & Staniforth, Prescott**

Maer & Staniforth have spudded and are drilling at 500 feet in their No. 1 Prescott. The test, a wildcat, is located 1,050 feet east and 150 feet south of the northwest corner of the J. W. Prescott land in the McKinney & Williams survey, abstract 308, Archer county, or approximately one and one-half miles southeast of Dundee.

## NORTH TEXAS IS SECOND IN OIL ACTIVITY

### Oklahoma Leads Mid-Continent Field With 1,436 Operations

Oil operations in the Mid-Continent fields, including North Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, reached a total of 3,103 during the week just ended, the Oil Weekly will say Friday.

Oklahoma led the other states with a total of 1,436 operations, North Texas followed with 1,102, while 565 operations were reported from Kansas fields. All state fields showed an increase over the previous week except Texas, which fell off slightly.

The West Texas wildcat district led the other North Texas fields with 391 operations, Wichita Falls followed with 344 and the Panhandle fell into third position with 204 wells in the different stages of operation.

Following is the table from the Oil

NORTH TEXAS:

| Weekly: District | Locations Made | Drilling wells | S. D. Wells | Completions | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wichita Falls .. | 83 | 193 | 43 | 35 | 354 |
| W. Tex wildcats | 37 | 227 | 53 | 24 | 341 |
| Panhandle .... | 89 | 87 | 23 | 4 | 204 |
| Stephen Co. ... | 10 | 38 | 10 | 12 | 66 |
| Eastland Co .... | 9 | 40 | 9 | 4 | 62 |
| E. Tex Wildcats | 7 | 5 | 16 | 1 | 25 |
| Mexia Dist .... | 1 | 3 | 2 | .. | 6 |
| Total ..... | 258 | 603 | 182 | 59 | 1102 |
| Prev. Week | 253 | 571 | 189 | 81 | 1094 |
| OKLAHOMA: | | | | | |
| Total .. | 100 | 211 | 795 | 226 | 104 | 1436 |
| Prev Week | 83 | 155 | 680 | 183 | 104 | 1205 |
| KANSAS: | | | | | | |
| Total .. | 75 | 103 | 288 | 112 | 37 | 565 |
| Prev Week | 71 | 104 | 241 | 102 | 72 | 590 |
| SUMMARY: Oklahoma, North Texas and Kansas: | | | | | | |
| Total | 175 | 572 | 1636 | 520 | 200 | 3103 |
| Prev Wk. | 161 | 536 | 1612 | 526 | 257 | 3092 |
| Increase .. | 14 | 36 | 24 | .. | .. | 11 |
| Decrease .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 57 | .. |

## Obtains Contracts

J. W. Chatham, industrial and traffic commissioner for the chamber of commerce, began the task Thursday of getting contracts for use of gas under the contract closed Wednesday with the Upham Gas company. He reported unusual success during the day and expects to compelte the work in the next few days. Under the terms of the contract with the Upham Gas company, the chamber of commerce is to furnish contracts calling for 15,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day. The new gas line is to be completed and in operation by September 1.

**TO MAKE REPORT**

Reports of the sale of the fair stock in the $100,000 campaign will be made at a meeting of the Business council today at noon at the Kemp hotel, it was announced yesterday.

## BUILDER TELLS OF RAILROAD FIGHT IN TEXAS

### Duff Outlines Opposition He Meets From Rival Lines

BEAUMONT, April 1.—(AP)—The struggles he has had in keeping the two port lines he now owns in east Texas and constituting the Waco, Beaumont, Trinity and Sabine going and the way he has been thwarted by consolidations and the protest of the Kansas City Southern in applying for a certificate of convenience and necessity to extend the road from Weldon to Waco and from Livingston to Port Arthur, was graphically told by R. C. Duff, president of the line in the hearing now being held here before the Texas railroad commission and an examiner for the interstate commerce commission. Colonel Duff was on the stand all the afternoon and during the night session. He introduced scores of exhibits giving many figures on port and railroad development in Texas in support of his contention that it was essential that the interior of the state be more closely connected with the ports of the Sabine district.

Colonel Durf exhibited correspondence with railroad officials showing that at various times the International and Great Northern, Trinity and Brazos Valley, Missouri, Kansas and Texas and St. Louis and Southwestern were anxious to make traffic agreements with the road and were willing to make trackage arrangements where necessary.

When the big consolidation movements started one after another of the lines reversed themselves after they had become dominated in the end by L. F. Loree, chairman of the board of the Kansas City Southern. During the course of his testimony he declared that the M. K. & T. was under contract with the people of Texas as evidenced by an agreement judgment and signed agreement with the attorney general of the state to extend these lines, and he had merely taken the burden off of that line. If the Kansas City Southern has taken over the M. K. & T., he said, they have bought this contract and the trouble of carrying it out.

The plan for reopening Lake Michigan's old outlet by way of the Gulf of Mexico is not a new one. In 1673 the French explorers had the idea of opening the lake's outlet by building a ship canal connecting with the Illinois and Mississippi rivers. In 1822 the United States congress first authorized Illinois to open the canal.

## OFFICERS BACK FROM AUSTIN

### Everything Is All Set For Work to Start On Free Bridge

Work on the new free bridge across Red River north of Burkburnett should start within the next week or ten days, according to the opinion expressed Thursday by Judge B. D. Sartin, who returned early in the day from a conference with state officials at Austin in regard to the matter. He stated that Austin Brothers Bridge company men there at the time declared that they would begin moving material on the ground for the work immediately.

Everything is cleared now from a legal point of view, Judge Sartin stated Thursday. The visit to Austin, to which place he was accompanied by Judge A. H. Britain, C. C. McDonald, Senator J. D. Parnell and county engineer Isbell, accomplished four things, it is pointed out. First, the litigation surrounding the granting of state aid to the project was dissolved. Second, the state aid appropriation was approved; various contracts involved in the construction of the bridge were given final approval, and the project agreement between all parties consummated.

Various of the papers brought back to Wichita Falls by Judge Sartin carried the signature of the governor, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson. This was obtained without difficulty, it was stated, she apparently being already familiar with every phase of the matter.

**U. S. MUST HURRY**

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP) The United States has four months left in which to make up a wide difference between its favorable trade balances for this and the last fiscal year.

Figures made public today by the commerce department for the eight months ending with February show the excess of exports over imports amounted to $328,123,512 as against $878,456,423 for the same period last year.

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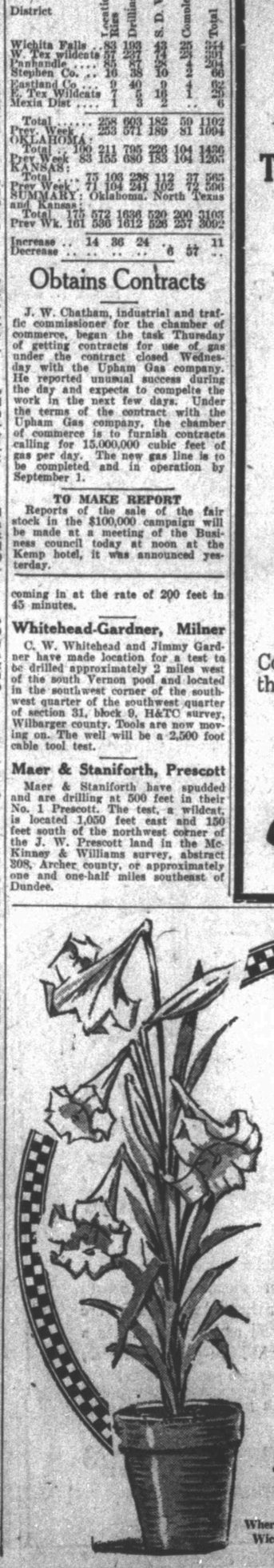
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# F. H. M. E. PLANS REVIVAL SERVICE

## Committee Names Thursday Night For Big Campaign Of Evangelism

Plans were made in detail Thursday night for the evangelistic services to be held there staring Sunday with the Will Hogg evangelistic party in charge. Rev. S. J. T. Williams, advance director for the party, gave an inspirational talk to church members and outlined some of the aims for the service. Various committees and their objectives were discussed after committee appointments had been announced.

These are as follows:

Executive: J. M. Bland, chairman; S. A. E. Morgan, F. B. Cox, W. P. Ferguson, Walter R. Guthrie, T. R. Boone.

Publicity: S. H. Trevathan, chairman; H. H. Davidson, Clyde Tittle, S. J. T. Williams.

Finance: W. P. Ferguson, chairman; T J. Waggoner, W. R. Chauncey, Marvin Smith, Lester Jones, treasurer.

Prayer Meetings: Mrs. T. R. Boone, chairman, Mrs. W. R. Chauncey, Mrs. Merle Waggoner, Mrs. R. E. Fleming, Mrs. L. E. Cowling, Mrs. John C. Kay, Mrs. F. B. Cox, Mrs. S. M. Gose Sr., Mrs. W. R. Guthrie, Mrs. Leon Deaton, Mrs. Lester Jones, Mrs. T. J. Waggoner, Mrs. T. C. Thornberry, Mrs. John Tanored, Mrs. J. A. Gardner.

Music: Mrs. Luella B. Thompson, chairman; Mrs. Geo. W. Thornburg, S. M. Gose, Jr.

Transportation and Parking: Walter R. Guthrie, chairman; E. C. Spell, vice chairman, Paul S. Cotner, Mrs. J. A. Gardner, Mrs. Milo Connelly.

Entertainment: C. C. Knight.

Personal Work: B. M. Long, chairman; P. M. Martin, F. B. Cox, F. J. Lea, L. E. Cowling, Cecil Porter, Miss Mildred Mays, Miss Isabelle Sterling, Mrs. F. B. Cox, Mrs. L. E. Cowling, Mrs. F. A. Martin.

Ushers: Walter Nelson, chairman; J. M. Alexander, vice chairman; Leon Deaton, Merle Waggoner, H. A. McCarty, E. R. Archambeau, P. B. Richardson, S. D. Harper, T. C. Thornberry, C. C. Knight, L. E. Cowling, C. M. Crowell.

Reception: Milton Johnson, chairman; R. E. Schoolfield, Clyde Tittle, Whitt Smith, Paul Scott, Jasper Ferguson, Paul Harding, G. W. Winburne Jr., Mrs. T. B. Boone, Mrs. P. S. Richardson, Mrs. Francis Jackson, Mrs. Merle Waggoner, Mrs. F. B. Cox, Mrs. Milo Connelly, W. E. Wilson, W. S. Ellis, J. L. McClure, P. B. Cox, W. R. Chauncey.

Young People: S. J. T. Williams, chairman; Mrs. S. A. Barnes, vice chairman; J. M. Bland, Mrs. Ed. Peterson, Cecil Porter, Miss Lasbelle Sterling, Louis Hasraft, Miss Hazel Champion, W. C. O. White, Miss Vibginia Creath, Vernon Bullard, Miss Harriet Peterson, Lloyd Bland.

Children: Jeff Wall, chairman; Mrs. S. H. Trevathan, vice chairman; Mrs. O. F. Coleman, Mrs. W. S. Curlee, Mrs. Harold Murph, Mrs. W. S. Ellis.

Nursery Matron: Mrs. O. W. Harvey.

Visitation: Mrs. W. R. Chauncey, chairman; Mrs. John Tanored, Mrs. J. A. Gardner, Mrs. R. E. Fleming, Mrs. Merle Waggoner, Mrs. Lester Jones.

"Dr. Hogg and Jeff Wall, the singer, will arrive in the city Saturday night," Mr. Williams said.

# Church Choir To Give Big Cantata

Music typical of Good Friday will sung at the First Presbyterian church Friday night when the choir, under the direction of Alva Willgus will sing Maunder's beautiful cantata "Olivet to Calvary."

The cantata recalls simply and reverently the scenes which mark the last few days of the Saviour's life on earth and some of the reflections suggested thereby. The rejoicing of the multitude with horannas and palms, the view of Jerusalem from the steeps of Olivet, the scene in the temple and the lonely walk back over the mount at night, form the chief features of the first part.

Part 2 opens with the supper of the passover, at which Jesus washes His disciples feet, and gives to His friends the new commandment of love for one another as the sign of true discipleship. From this the scene passes to the infinite pathos of the garden of Gethsemnae, the sudden appearance of the hostile crowd, Jesus forsaken by His disciples, His utter lonliness among the ruthless foes, the tumult before Pilate in the judgment hall, the passage of the cross, the tragedy and triumph of Calvary.

The members of the choir are:

Sopranos: Mesdames T. C. Brownell, E. H. Gibson, A. R. Willgus, Geo. Sloan, A. E. Hull, Thayer Shelton, C. E. Bevers, Misses Helen Leach, Nan Scott, Fay Goss, Arlene Wood, Nellie Lewis.

Altos: Miss Dorothy Burks, Mrs. J. S. Pitman, J. M. Bell, W. H. Apple.

Tenors, Paul Van Allmen, J. P. McDougal.

Basses, Fred Goss and R. Mills Tittle.

Organist, Mrs. O. E. Maer.

Director, Alva R. Willgus.

# Mrs. Stevens Named Art Club Prexy

Mrs. J. Truman Stevens was elected president of the Wichita Falls Dramatic Art club in the annual election of officers held at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Young. Mrs. E. H. Nicholson was chosen vice-president; Mrs. A. G. Deatherage, secretary; Mrs. B. D. Bolton, treasurer; Miss Lucile Ballard, reporter; Mrs. J. B. Bell, physical culture director.

A calling committee composed of Mrs. F. M. Noe and Mrs. Deatherage, was appointed; social committee, Mrs. Lloyd Young, Mrs. Noe and Miss Estelle Stanfield.

Roll call was answered with current events, and a lesson on modern writers was discussed.

# Land Suit Today

The condemnation proceedings of the city of Wichita Falls vs a small 5.9 acre tract owned by P. P. Langford east of the city, intended as a portion of a site for the new sewage disposal plant are set for this morning in the county court at law. The apparisal board of which J. M. Baber is chairman is expected to report at that time and attorneys representing the city and Mr. Langford are to be heard following that.

**AUBREY WILL SPEAK**

Rev. John E. Aubrey of Denison, Texas, who occupied the pulpit last week at the First Presbyterian church will speak both morning and evening Sunday at the church. His theme for the morning hour will be "If Christ be Not Risen" and for the evening, "His Name shall be Called Wonderful." Miss Dorothy Burks will sing the offertory solo in the morning—"Christ is Risen," by John Prindle Scott. At the evening hour the music will consist of Easter selections by the chorus choir under the direction of Mr. Willigus, and also by the mixed quartette.

Nat F. Grafton will be in the service for the first time in two months at the morning hour. He will receive members and administer the ordinace of baptism, using water from the River Jordan for that purpose. Dr. Grafton leaves shortly after Easter and this will be the last opportunity he will have for this service until September, when he resumes his regular work again.

# *Fight Begins to Send Durkin, "Sheik Bandit" to Gallows*



State's attorneys in Chicago declare they are ready to wage a fight to send Martin Durkin, two-gun "sheik bandit" to the gallows for the murder of two police officers. The trial opens April 5. Durkin says he committed the crimes in "self-defense." Photos show Durkin and two women who will figure prominently in the trial, (left) Betty Werner, the woman he deserted to marry (right) Irma Sullivan. He was trapped on his honeymoon.

# *Votes in City Election May be Cast At City Hall Today If Voter Is To Be Out of the City on April Sixth*

## George Dwyer Is First to Cast His Ballot In This Manner; Poll Tax Receipt Must Be Presented To Obtain a Ballot

Citizens of Wichita Falls who wish to vote in the coming city election on Tuesday, April 6, but who are going to be out of town on that date may cast their ballot today by appearing at the city clerk's office and presenting their poll tax receipts, it was stated Thursday by City Clerk W. E. McBroom. After today the regular time prescribed by the amendment of 1923 to the Terrell election law for the casting of such ballots will have expired, Mr. McBroom states.

Upon presentation of the poll tax receipt at the city clerk's office a ballot is handed the voter, who makes it out, pins it to his poll tax receipt, and seals it in an envelope. This is given on election day to the judge of the election in which the voter would vote if he were in town, who casts it himself, returning the poll tax receipt by mail.

**Dwyer Casts First**

George N. Dwyer of the Williams-Dwyer Insurance company, cast the first ballot prior to election day in a city election in Wichita Falls since the passing of the amendment in 1923, it was stated by Mr. McBroom. Mr. Dwyer appeared at the city hall Thursday for that purpose, it being his intention to leave today for Corpus Christi.

Everything is in readiness now for the election Mr. McBroom states. There will be three boxes, one at the city hall and two at the courthouse. Voters residing east of Lamar avenue and north of the Wichita river will vote at the city hall; those living west of Lamar and north of Tenth street will vote at box No. 1 at the courthouse in the justice of the peace court room of Judge Gwinn; those residing elsewhere in the city will vote at box No. 2 at the courthouse in the court room of Justice of the Peace O. L. Gibbs.

# U. S. PRISONERS LEAVE FOR PEN

## Seven Depart Thursday For Long Trek to Kansas Penitentiary

Several federal prisoners said goodbye to Texas for a time at least Thursday afternoon when they started their trip to Leavenworth, Kan., to begin serving their terms, as assessed Monday and Wednesday by Judge W. H. Atwell of the federal district court. The group left Wichita Falls at 3:25 Thursday afternoon in company with Deputy United States Marshal John Bartlett, Constable W. R. Bradford of this city, and a deputy constable. They will arrive at Leavenworth this morning shortly before noon.

Those leaving were Sam Cole, Dr. S. E. Smith, H. B. Porter, H. E. Lovett, J. Gould, J. C. Patterson, and B. B. Bruce. With the exception of the sentence of Dr. S. E. Smith, under sentence of 30 months for selling of narcotics, all of the sentences were for either a year and a day or a year and two days.

# Many After Tags

Thursday, April 1, with its one-fourth reduction in the cost of automobile licenses for this year, brought a large number of automobile owners who have only purchased cars in the last few days to the windows of the tax collector's office to equip themselves with the requisite metal tags.

A fourth of the registration tax price is deducted at the end of every three months to allow for time during which the car has not been in use.


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| $1.25 Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound 99¢ | $1.25 Creo Mulsion Coughs and Colds 99¢ |
| $1.10 Tanlac Spring Tonic 89¢ | $1.20 Listerine Mouth Wash 89¢ |
| $1.20 Syrup Pepsin For Stomach and Bowels 89¢ | $1.00 Lucky Tiger Hair Tonic 89¢ |

Doctors and Druggists agree Cassell's is cheapest and best.


# "Consequences Of Sin" Is Bickley's Thursday Theme

Taking as his subject, "The Consequences of Sin," Rev. Joe W. Bickley preached an interesting sermon to a large crowd at the Yale Avenue Evangelical church Thursday evening.

Using as his text Prov. 11:19 "As righteousness tendeth to life: so he that pursueth evil, pursueth it to his own death." He said in part, "As it is true that a good man goes to heaven, so on the other hand it is true that the sinner that dies in his sin goes to hell. And while everyone would expect any minister who may hold a service at the death of a real Christian to say that this deceased friend has gone home to glory, they would be ready to say that he was very badly mistaken if he should attempt to tell that a man dying in his sin had possibly gone to the same place. You cannot be preached to heaven, as the place is a place to which the saved are drawn by spiritual gravity, as hell is a place that draws the unsaved souls together. Sin is like that dreadful disease leprosy, which not only affects the one who suffers with it but is transmitted to the posterity of the victim. So is sin and its effects transmitted to our children." He appealed to the fathers and mothers to turn and give their hearts to God that the future generations might not suffer from the evil effects of their mistakes and sins.

**REMUS SUES WIFE**

**'King of Bootleggers' Wants Property Returned.**

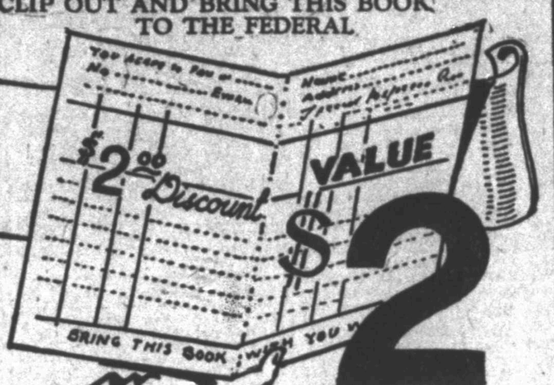
CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 1—(AP)—George Remus, former Cincinnati "bootleg king," filed suit in federal court today to regain $1,000,000 of his personal property naming his wife, Imogene, four Clevelanders and two Lexington, Ky., residents as defendants.

Remus charges that his property was taken from him illegally while he was imprisoned at Atlanta penitentiary for violation of the prohibition law.


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BRING THIS BOOK USE YOUR CREDIT




This book is your reference and your first payment also!

You should not delay a day buying your Easter outfit when a store with a standing like ours *opens a charge account for you* without any questions asked and offers you guaranteed unbeatable values at a $2 cash discount besides.






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For these Glorious Easter Clothes!

FOR ALL THE FAMILY

Join the Happy Easter Crowds

All the brilliant new Easter styles are here. Dresses in fetching variety of silks, satins and georgettes. Colors galore! Men's suits, hand-tailored, all wool, single and double breasted. Every wanted style. Stock in abundance to meet your particular taste and requirements. Values guaranteed by our big buying power and 75 distributing outlets.

Dresses & Coats—Men's Suits

17.98 ~ 32.50

BARGAINS! For MEN and BOYS

SUITS with extra pants FREE!

very exceptional values—newest styles for BOYS—for MEN

$7.49 to $27.50

MEN'S HATS and SHIRTS

Some Unbeatable Easter Specials!

We bought three special lots of dresses, coats and ladies' hats and we're placing them on sale at practically cost—a real festival of values to celebrate Easter with!

| The Dresses | The Coats | The Hats |
|---|---|---|
| 10.98 | 19.98 | 3.49 |

Full Fashioned Silk Hosiery

Girls' Coats



OUR GUARANTEE:

If you can buy it better or cheaper elsewhere BRING IT BACK!

Federal CLOTHING STORES

909 Indiana Ave.


# FEDERAL STORE STAGING BIG EASTER SALE

## Styles Supreme, Bargains Galore, Easy Credit and Big $2.00 Discounts Special Features.

The local branch of the Federal Clothing Stores which operates a nation-wide chain of 75 high class credit apparel shops throughout the country, announces an extraordinary value giving Easter sale for Friday and Saturday, April 2nd and 3rd.

The sale is not only extraordinary for the values to be given but also for the other special features.

Chief among these features is the special charge account book that is being printed in all the newspapers, in dodgers and that are being enclosed with personal invitation letters that have been mailed out by Mr. J. M. Sydeman, President of the Federal Chain. Every man, woman and child in the city is being reached in this manner in order to broadcast this wonderful sale.

The book entitles the bearer to an open charge account and all the privileges of charge service and easy credit terms of five months to pay.

The book means even more—it shows a $2.00 payment. This $2.00 is deducted from any purchase made by the bearer—just like $2.00 cash.

Seldom is there such an opportunity presented to the people at this time of the year, right before Easter when everybody needs clothing and is buying it for dress up purposes. The Federal's liberal credit makes it easy for with this sale and with the book all one has to do is to take that book, bring it to the store, pick out what they want and just say "Charge It."

## Style and Quality Rule Supreme At the Federal

All the new Spring styles are ready at the Federal for the big Easter sale. These styles come direct from the New York buying headquarters of the Federal's vast chain of 75 stores. The tremendous buying power of the Federal enables them to offer these unbeatable styles at lowest-in-the-city prices.

All these spring styles are now collected at the store in brilliant array. Suits for men are being presented at a remarkable saving. Dresses are being sold to ladies at a ridiculously low price—a special price that has been made possible only by extremely close buying and big turnover. Then there are new stylish Spring coats trimmed and tailored in excellent fashion at practically give-away prices.

However, the Federal is presenting these specials with one idea in view—to please and satisfy everybody. They want to gain the good will of the public and this tremendous sale is the means for doing so. Everybody is invited to attend.

## 30 Years Rapid Growth Reads Like Fairy Tale

Some 30 years ago the first Federal store was established in a little two by four shanty in Troy, New York. Since then the organization has made rapid strides. The unbeatable service, styles and values at this first store attracted much attention and this store soon grew beyond proportion. Another store was opened and then another and each succeeding store met with the same astounding success. And the secret of it all was the basic policies of the organization to give values supreme.

Today the vast Federal chain which stretches from coast to coast operates 75 separate distinct stores—each working along the same policy and in the same successful manner, acclaimed by patrons and friends as an institution of merit in their respective communities.

The Federal is proud of the wonderful name it has built up. It is proud of the wonderful chain that has grown from that small little store in Troy. And it is more than proud of the many wonderful friends it has made in its long years of unbeatable faithful service to the public!

## Genuine Guaranteed Bargains in Clothing for All the Family

A sweeping guarantee is issued by the Federal with all merchandise sold—not only during the present big Easter sale but all the time.

This guarantee is to the effect that the values are absolutely unbeatable—that quality for quality and price for price, no garment purchased at the Federal can be duplicated elsewhere. If it can, the Federal makes an absolute promise to make good.

A glance at some of the rare values advertised instantly proves that the Federal is not making any rash statements.

With the guarantee in mind the Federal goes on record promising the finest styles it is possible to find, made of the best fabrics and prices that are marked lowest in the city.

The promise is backed by the guarantee.

The guarantee is backed by the Federal nation-wide organization of 75 stores with 30 years success in satisfying people so well that complaints are remarkable for their small number.

Try These Columns For Quick Results

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We will not assume responsibility for more than one incorrect insertion. When your ad first appears, check it for any possible errors.

All discontinuance orders must be made in writing.

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Copy for Classified Ads for both daily and Sunday insertion must be in this office before 6 o'clock p. m. on the day previous to that on which appearance in order to be properly classified.

**Ring 4121**

Before 5:15 P. M.
and we will send, within a reasonable distance of the office for your classified ad.

SPECIAL PHONE SERVICE
Classified ads may be given over the phone as late as 6 p. m.

Charge accounts are opened with the understanding that payment will be made when the bill is presented the first time.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

**Lodges.**

Benevolent Protective Order of Elks — Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105 meets every Monday at 719½ Eighth. B. A. Lowry, E. R.; H. C. English, secy.
Knights of Columbus—Council No. 1473 meets every Monday at 1509 Ninth Street. Jas. L. Duffy, G. K.; Jno. J. Block, F. S.
Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 43 meets every Tuesday at 812½ Ninth. J. H. Simmons, C. C.; P. L. Myers, K. of R. & S.
MASONIC BODIES
Masonic Temple, northeast corner Tenth and Scott.
Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. —Meets second Fridays. Geo. V. Harpin, H. P.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.
Wichita Falls Commandery No. 39— K. T. Meets first and third Thursdays. Leslie R. Stringer, E. C.; Geo. W. Lawler, Recorder.
Wichita Falls Council No. 146, R. & S. M.—Meets first Monday. Otto Stehlik, T. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.
Wichita Falls Lodge No. 625, A. F. & A. M.—Meets the first and third Fridays. Joe R. Ward, W. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, acting secy.
Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M. —Meets first Wednesday night each month. Otto Stehlik, H. P.; W. B. Baldwin, secy.
Shrine, Maskat Temple—Meets first Thursday of each month at 813 Scott. R. E. Shepherd, potentate; Albert Ellis, secy.
Wichita Falls Chapter No. 227, Order of Eastern Star—Meets Masonic Temple on first and third Tuesdays. Edna Vogt, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, secy.
Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays, 113 Scott. Walter H. Caldwell, W. M.; O. W. Curd, secy.
Order of DeMolay, Hope Chapter—Meets on second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Temple. Patrol meets every Wednesday night. Ted Brown, M. C.; Jerry Vinson, scribe.
Faith Chapter No. 713, O. E. S.—Meets the second and fourth Monday nights of each month at 813 Scott. Mrs. Eva M. Rutledge, W. M.; Mrs. Lillie Mae Edmonds, secy.
Rainbow Assembly No. 17—Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Mary L. Cox, M. A.; Mary Maredith, secy.
Modern Woodmen of America.
Lone Star Camp No. 4108, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Eula Islar, C.; Mrs. Susie Boone, secy.
Wichita Falls Camp No. 1396, Modern Woodmen of America—Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.
Odd Fellows.
Wichita Canton No. 16, P. M.—Meets the second and fourth Tuesdays at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; Dunn, capt.; J. W. Bussey, clerk.
Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets on second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. J. T. Martin C. P.; J. W. Bussey, scribe.
Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 810½ Ninth. A. L. Ayer, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secy.
Rebekah Degree No. 256—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Miss Maud Soula, N. G.; Mrs. Ada Ramsey, secy.
Woodmen of the World.
Wichita Camp No. 3001, W. O. W.—Meets on first and third Wednesdays at 705 Travis. R. C. Carr, C. C.; R. J. Claypool, clerk.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading will be published the names of the candidates for public office. The fees for announcement will be as follows:
For judicial district offices...$25.00
For county offices.....$25.00
For justice of peace.....$25.00
For precinct offices.....$25.00
For city offices.....$20.00

**COUNTY OFFICES**

For county offices subject to the decision of the Democratic primary:
Constable, Precinct No. 1:
L. P. LILE

Clerk District Court:
A. F. KERR.

ELIZABETH HALL
County Clerk

GUY C. RALEY.
Tax Collector.

HENRY J. ANDERSON
County Tax Collector

MAX SHUMAKE
County Tax Collector

For District Attorney,
30th Judicial District,
JOE B. CARRIGAN.

BEN P. ALLRED
For District Attorney

W. W. COOK
78th Judicial District.

Sheriff
FRED K. SMITH

J. V. HOWELL, state representative District 1111, Place No. 2.

Congress, 13th Cong. Dist.—
B. D. SARTIN.

J. P. JACKSON.
County Commissioner,
Precinct No. 1.

County Attorney:
WAYNE SOMERVILLE.

O. L. (RED) GIBBS
Justice of Peace
Precinct No. 1, Place No. 2

County Supt. of Schools
BURL BRYANT

W. D. McFARLANE
For State Senator, 23rd District.

**CITY OFFICES**

JULIAN E. WARD
For Street Commissioner

Street Commissioner—
ROSCOE STATON.

You Will Be Pleased With the Results Obtained From a Want Ad in the Record News.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**Personals 4**

RUMMAGE sale Saturday at 722 Ohio.

MARCELLING, 75c. 1404 Holliday. Phone 6586.

MARCELLING 50c. Retracing 25c. Call Mrs. Gunter, phone 3785. 1106 17th street.

FOR SALE—Tickets to the Military Frolic Saturday, April 3, Majestic theatre.

MR. AND MRS. MARTINEZ will trim and marcel your hair the right way, ask for our real, French steam marcel the everlasting wave. We know how. Phone 6017. 607 8th Street.

IF YOU have your clothes dry-cleaned regularly they always look like new. Try us on your silks and fine garments. Uneeda Tailors. The Spot for Spots. 1105 Eighth street. Phone 5585. Cleaning and pressing of suits and wool dresses $1.00. Suits made to order, satisfaction guaranteed.

**Lost and Found 6**

LOST—Pair of shell rim glasses from Record News office. Finder please leave at Record News.

LOST—Small Boston bull male pup. 2702 Ninth Street. Call 9183. Reward offered.

STRAYED or stolen from 106 Galveston street, Boston screw tail, female. Has skin disease; answers to name of "Papay." Reward. Finder please phone 9100.

REWARD.
We will be glad to pay a reward for information leading to the recovery of our Ford coupe license No. 853271, motor No. 10288204.
ALVEY MOTOR CO.
1007 Lamar St. Phone 21240.

LOST—Diamond dinner ring containing 3 large diamonds and 19 small diamonds. Route from 1300 block of Austin street down Fourteenth to Lamar, left on Tenth to Brook street, right on Brook street to side entrance of General hospital, leaving same entrance after visiting room 220. Then left on Eighth street to Indiana where ring was first missed. Please call 3769 if found and receive reward.

## AUTOMOTIVE

**Automobiles for Sale 8**

We Will Buy Your Car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
Eighth and Lamar Sts. Phone 9015.

FOR SALE—1924 Overland touring car, first class mechanical condition, new HOOD TIRES, good paint. Earl Jameson, 908 9th Street.

USED CAR EXCHANGE
We will buy or sell your car. Cash paid, and terms made.
ALVEY MOTOR COMPANY
1007 Lamar Phone 2-1240

**Auto Top and Painting 11**

WICHITA AUTO TOP & PAINTING CO., authorized Duco refinishing station, 609 Scott.

WILLIAMS TOP CO.
Automobile tops, seat covers, top repairing and Hampden glass enclosures. 905 Lamar. Phone 9390.

LET GEORGE DO IT
Auto tops, seat covers, curtains and high-class car trimming. On Eleventh between Scott and Lamar. Phone 8700.

## BUSINESS SERVICE

**Building and Contracting 13**

WHEN you want first class carpenter. See J. S. W rren. 1510 Austin.

HOMES built to your plans, we finance the deal. Prices reasonable. E. E. Cook. Phone 4746.

ELECTRIC SPECIALTY CO.—Electrical contractors. Wiring, repairing and fixtures. 623 Scott. Phone 4216.

FOR PLASTER and brick cement work, phone 8731. All work guaranteed; driveways a specialty.

WANTED
Carpenter work building and repairing, best of cabinet work. Furniture made or repaired. No job too large or too small. J. B. Ferratt, shop 1020 Ohio avenue. Phone 21525.

BUILDING AND REMODELING
Our Specialty.
Will furnish plans and estimate Call Wichita Bungalow Building Co. Phone 4918. 804 Ohio.

SUDDEN SERVICE CEMENT CO. 20 years experience in high-class concrete work, walks, drives, floors, etc. Modern machinery and skilled workmen. Let us estimate your work. S. P. Lyon, Mgr., Ph. 3252-7529.

**Business Service Offered 14**

AMERICAN Shoe Shop, 815 Ninth street. All work guaranteed, prices reasonable.

**Dressmaking, Millinery 16**

MRS. DEAN, dressmaking. Phone 3066. 1409 Lamar.

LET ME help you with your Easter sewing. 1706 Eleventh. Phone 5252.

DIAL 4674, Mrs. Miller, Cost and Dressmaker. 908 Fifth street.

DESIGNING, dressmaking, plain and fancy sewing. Mrs. Street, 410 Brook. Phone 21340.

DESIGNING, dressmaking by experienced dressmakers. Call 4441. Cinderella Fashion Shoppe.

PEGGYS, TOTS' children frocks, hemstitching and buttons covered. Cinderella Fashion Shoppe. Phone 4441.

HEMSTITCHING, dressmaking. Mrs. Hattie Robertson. On balcony Miller-Ferguson Co.

DRESSMAKING, hemstitching, 5c; hats remodeled, children's Easter hats, dresses and coats. 1401 Monroe. Miss Ingham's Shop. Phone 9777.

DRESS-MAKING, hemstitching, button-covering and rhinestone setting. Mrs. Blackmon, 1315 Ninth. Phone 8773.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker. Make a specialty of children's clothes. Formerly of Dallas, Texas. Mrs. R. I. Myers, Mrs. W. B. Albright. 2108 Taylor. Phone 9607.

Read Record News Want Ads for Used Cars.

## BUSINESS SERVICE

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**Good Things To Eat 17**

ASK for Malt-O-Meal, the delicious breakfast food at your grocery and cafes.

JUST opened barbecue stand, old fashioned barbecue, at 113 Lake Street. Will give good service and appreciate your business. Charley Newton.

**Heating, Plumbing, Roofing 18**

L. B. VENABLE, plumbing. Phone 8180.

PLUMBING—David Black. Phone 3644.

DIAL 8246 Quick Service Plumber. Dial 8246.

QUICK, satisfactory plumbing work. Call us first. Phone 6300. Moore Plumbing company.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone 5444.

Phone 8343
SCOTLAND PLUMBING CO.
"Your Plumbers"
"Fixtures Too" 607 N. Broadway.

FURNACE cleaned and repaired, broken parts replaced. Formerly Lewis Sheet Metal Works. Now LEWIS-HAGER SHEET METAL WORKS.
215 Indiana. Phone 6920.

**Hatters 20A**

WICHITA HAT CO.—Cleaning and Pressing. Call for and deliver. Phone 4253. 707 Ohio.

**Moving, Trucking and Storage 21**

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey. Residence phone 7665.

STAR Transfer company, baggage service, heavy and light oil field hauling. Office St. James Hotel. Phone 9864.

**Painting, Papering, Decoration 23**

TEX SIGN WORKS, over Senate Cafe. Phone 6748. 710 1-2 Ohio.

JONES, paper hanger and painter; work guaranteed. Phone 7458.

PAPER HANGING—Will paint your house on terms. Best city reference. Phone Thomas, 8328.

DO YOU want your painting and paperhanging done right? If so, call Mr. Tidwell. Phone 21037.

PAINTING and paperhanging neatly done; guaranteed. J. C. Martin. Phone 7921.

INTERIOR and exterior decorating. All work guaranteed, estimation given free. Most reasonable price in city. Phone 6205.

**Tailoring and Pressing 28**

FLORAL HEIGHTS CLEANERS. Superior service. 902 Van Buren St Phone 4651.

PALACE TAILORS.
We call for and deliver. Suits cleaned and pressed $1. 604 Seventh St. Phone 21517.

**Repairing and Refinishing 29**

ALL MAKE typewriters repaired. Guaranteed work. Phone 4216.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED. Prices reasonable. Wichita Mattress Co. Phone 4052.

WINFREY FIXIT SHOP
With Landon-Hill Co.
816 Scott. Phone 5213
We repair nearly any old thing.

OLD MATTRESSES made new. Phone 9412 and sample ticking will be brought to your door. One day service on work. Bell Mattress Co.

**Wanted—Business Services 30**

ANDREW YOUNG CO.—Locksmiths Phone 6358. 1005 8th St., Wichita Falls, Texas.

**Welding 31**

ELECTRIC and oxcetylene welding. Welding is all we do so we should know how. Phone 4415. Electric Welding Co. 316 Ohio.

**Bicycles 33**

FOR SALE—Boy's bicycle in good condition. Call at 2104 Buchanan street.

HERMAN MUNDEN—Bicycles and supplies, lawn mower sharpening, light welding and brazing, repair work of any kind. Work called for and delivered. Phone 6942. 713 Tenth St.

## EMPLOYMENT

**Help Wanted—Female 34**

WANTED—Two ladies to do direct selling. Highest merit. Guaranteed salary. Give name and phone number. Box B, 75, Record News.

EXTRA saleslady for Friday and Saturday, experienced in ladies ready-to-wear. Apply early. Federal Clothing Store. 909 Indiana Avenue.

**Help Wanted—Male 35**

WANTED — Three barber students. Tuition fee $25.00. Start today. 517 Seventh.

WE CAN use another real estate salesman for city work. Must have car and know the town. Box A, 182, Record News.

WANTED—Men to sell nursery stock, local and traveling; good commission. References required. Tyler Pecan Nursery Sales Co., Tyler, Texas.

GROCERY AND DRY GOODS CLERKS.
If you are bright, alert, ambitious, and anxious to break away from long hours and small pay, and tackle a he man's job where you can earn a man's pay and real advancement we would like to talk to you. A nationally known firm, our ads appear in the Saturday Evening Post every other week. A really unusual opportunity for four men who can recognize a chance when it comes. This may be the turning point for you. Also need men in nearby towns. Apply after 6 o'clock. O. T. Gooding, 215 Perkins-Snider Bldg.

**Situations Wanted—Female 37**

COLORED woman wants work with servants quarters. Phone 9084.

EXPERIENCED young lady desires position at once as cashier, typist, steno and bookkeeper. Phone 5338.


*Sold Your Home Yet?*



*Someone here in Wichita Falls is looking for just the sort of home you have been wanting to sell.*

*Buyers are reading these columns—and selecting homes each day.*

*Will they see YOUR Classified Ad here?*

*Make it a point to call 4121 and ask for an Ad-Taker today.*

The Record News
*"Want Ad Headquarters"*


## EMPLOYMENT

**Situations Wanted—Female 37**

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires employment. Permanent or temporary. Phone 4874.

**Situations Wanted—Male 38**

YARD work, cemetery work and dirt hauling. Phone 21618.

GRADUATE of Draughon's college desires position as bookkeeper. Will keep small set of books. Phone 21233.

**Solicitors, Canvassers, Agents 39**

SALESMAN
At once with backbone instead of wishbone for city and road work. Energetic capable men guaranteed $50 week minimum. I. Kubert, Hotel Marion. Phone 3128 Wednesday between 8 and 12 a. m.

## FINANCIAL

**Insurance and Surety Bonds 41**

J. C. OWEN—Insurance, 2130 Ave. F. Phone 6047.

**Investments, Stocks and Bonds 42**

TEXAS CREDIT CO., SMALL LOANS, CONFIDENTIAL, 605 1-2 SEVENTH ST., ROOM 10. PHONE 4436.

CITY LOANS—Six to eight per cent farm and ranch loans, six per cent. Jas. R. Welch, 418 First National Bank building.

MONEY TO LOAN
Licensed Pawnbrokers
Apply SHAIN Jewelry Co.
718 Ohio.
No Loan Too Large or Small.

**Money to Loan, Mortgages 43**

MONEY when you need it. Empire Loan Co. (Business Confidential.) 710 1-2 Indiana. Phone 5987.

MONEY—MONEY.
City Loan and Jewelry Co.
Loans on personal property.
Unredeemed bargains in diamonds. 613 Eighth. Phone 7842.

PERSONAL loans made in a refined and business like manner, legal interest. 10 monthly payments Wichita Falls Finance Co. Inc. 800 Eighth St. Kemp Hotel Bldg.

## MERCHANDISE

**Miscellaneous for Sale 46**

FOR SALE—No. 9 new Oliver document typewriter, takes any size sheet. Cost $135.00; price $15.00. 118 Jalonie. Phone 6509.

MERCHANTS
NOTICE

When you want fresh beans and all kind of vegetables phone 3893 before buying and I will make all of these high-jackers stay in line.

1001 Ohio. Phone 3893.

**Furniture 47**

FOR SALE—Good piano; cheap. 1606 Broad Street. Phone 5876.

HOUSEHOLD specialties. Easy payments. Phone 6355. 1013 9th Street. L. B. Price Mercantile Co.

CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 613 Seventh. Phone 3223.

YOU'LL like trading at Bolton's Good furniture at a low price. Sell or trade us your old furniture.
BOLTON FURNITURE CO.
807 Tenth street. Phone 3380

When You Are Looking For a Home or Want to Sell or Buy Anything—Try a Want Ad in the Classified Columns of the Record News—Satisfactory Results.

M-O-N-E-Y
IN YOUR HOME
Note that used and old furniture you have for sale, then phone 6011 for our high cash bid.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
922 Indiana

**Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds 49**

WATCH REPAIRING—Prices low W. C. Broyles, Jeweler. 707 Tenth St. Phone 9579.

J. C. MARTIN, WATCHMAKER. Has moved from 722 to 707 Ohio. Six doors north of Gem theatre. 12 years in Wichita Falls. Phone 4253.

JOHN A. MILLER
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
28 Years Experience
707 Indiana Ave. Phone 5461

**Musical Merchandise. 52**

PIANO cheap, first-class condition, cash or terms. Phone 21419.

CALL Ripley-Jones for piano tuning and player repairing. Residence phone 7063.

Why Not Place An Ad in the Classified Columns of the Record News if You Want to Sell Buy or Rent.—Satisfactory Results. Try one.

## MERCHANDISE

**Poultry and Supplies 57**

BABY CHICKS
Thoroughbred, trapnested, winter laying, English White Leghorns, 20c and 35c, purebred White and Brown Leghorns 15c, Park Egg Strain, Barred rock 20c, egg strain Rhode Island Red 20c, purebred Barred Rock and Rhode Island Red 16c, silved tipped Anconas 16c, heavy type table chicks 12c. Place your order now, plenty of room for custom hatches. Bring your eggs anytime. We also have 500 young White and Brown Leghorn hens for sale. Follow pavement out f Wichita Falls to Burkburnett cemetery, then follow hatebery signs, we are on old Burkburnett road. Wichita Chick Hatchery, Box 643, Phone 190F2, Burkburnett.

## REAL ESTATE—RENT

**Rooms With Board. 62**

ROOM and board. 1207 11th St.

ROOM and board, $10 week. Call at 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

AUSTIN HOTEL, 700 Austin street. Clean rooms and delicious home cooking. Phone 3500.

BOARD and room for two working men, $9, on car line and pavement. Garage. 1401 Lamar. Phone 21219.

LOVELY front bedroom with garage, reasonable with or without meals. 1715 Lucille. Phone 9887.

TWO working ladies to board in private home, use of telephone, living room. Everything new and modern. Reasonable. Phone 21944 after 6.

WANTED—Refined, employed young lady to share nicely furnished bedroom, private home, near car and Monroe bus line. Two meals furnished if desired. Phone 7393.

**Rooms Without Board 63**

FOR RENT—One sleeping room, next to bath. Phone 21719.

NICE bedroom, convenient to bath. Gentlemen. 1300 Tenth. Phone 9232.

FOR RENT—Bedroom adjoning bath running hot water. 1509 Travis.

ROOMS with bath, two blocks from Kemp hotel. 706 Travis.

SOUTHWEST bedroom, connecting bath, garage. Men only. 1920 Ninth Street.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished south bedroom, private entrance. 2302 Eighth. Phone 6817.

NICELY furnished room on pavement, one block of car line. 1601 Burnett. Call Douglas, 6245.

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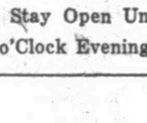
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## ELECTRA

**HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.**

The cast of the Senior Class play which will be given for commencement exercises, has been selected with the girls taking part, Miss Inez Igou, Evelyn Smith, Irene Lebus, Eunice Griffin, Nana Kilpatrick and Norma Andrews. The boys are Lonnie Grisham, Jack Parr, George Hawley, Ralps Turner and Dink Robb. Mrs. Jodie D. Smith will have charge of the play and the young people promise the best class play ever given in Electra. The cast is to gather for their first practice in the auditorium Wednesday afternoon.

**ELECTRANS HONORED.**

Mrs. B. J. Thomas of 1409 Kemp boulevard, in Wichita Falls, honored Mrs. J. B. Rogers, Miss Fannie Christophl and Mrs. L. R. Reynolds of this city with a house party at her home during the week-end. About twelve guests of Wichita Falls were also in attendance. On Saturday evening Mrs. J. L. Wa ers of Travis street gave a dinner honoring Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Christolph with pretty appointments in Easter suggestions and plate favors in white and pale green. A three-course dinner was served. During the evening the young people with a group of friends enjoyed music and game at th hom of Mrs. B. J. Thomas, with the climax of the week-end affair being a luncheon given by Mrs. Thomas. Mrs. Rogers was also a guest of honor, being in Electra and Wichita Falls for a vacation from her home in Chicago, Ill.

**CONCORDIA BRIDGE CLUB.**

Mrs. W. D. Gross was hostess to the Concordia Bridge club Tuesday afternoon with three tables of bridge, guests were Mesdames E. W. Barr, W. C. P'Pool, Paul Green, J. M. McDonald and Miss Carrie Cross. Club members were Mesdames Mitt Williams, George Estill, E. G. Latimer, G. J. Gillis, Homer Grimsle, Frank Lebus and Jere Barnes. Mrs. Paul Green received the guest prize which was a potted Easter Lily, while the club prize, a set of cocktail glasses went to Mrs. George Estill. At the conclusion of the evening a two-course luncheon suggesting Easter was carried out, as was shown in the score cards. Mrs. George Ezell will be hostess next week.

**CATHOLIC LADIES MEET.**

The Altar society of the Catholic church met on Monday afternoon at the Knights of Columbus hall. The principal business which came up was the completion of plans for the banquet to be given the Knights of Columbus of Wichita Falls and Electra on April 8. Music and a program with plenty of refreshments will be the main feature of this entertainment.

Those present at the meeting Monday afternoon were Mesdames J. P. Parr, Rollo Davidson, Fred Keller, E. B. Marchant, J. A. O'Donnald, Edward Schlaffke, W. H. Chaffie, George McGann, J. H. Marriott Sr. Mays and Dempsey of Dallas and Cummings.

**L. O. P. H. BRIDGE CLUB.**

Misses Grace Hair and Velma Burns were joint hostesses to the L. O. P. H. Bridge club Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. T. B. Clay. Three tables of bridge were played. Those playing were Misses Jinnie Coonrod, Virgie, Edith and Lana Hanna, Nina Jones, Ellen Paxton, Celia Mallow, Bonnie Rinker, Eula Tucker, Velma Burns and Grace Hair, and Mrs. T. B. Clay. Mrs. Clay was given a lovely hand-painted plate as the guest prize and Miss Bonnie Rinker won a piece of lingerie as the club prize. Easter baskets of candies were served during the games, and at the conclusion of the evenine pie ala mode with hot chocolate was served, with tiny chickens as favors.

**HONOR DALLAS GUEST.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marriott Sr. entertained with a luncheon honoring their guests, Mrs. J. M. Dempsey and Miss Irene Spergeon, of Dallas, Palm Sunday, at their home in Woodruff heights. Places were laid for the following: Miss Irene Spergeon, Mrs. J. M. Dempsey of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marriott Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marriott Sr., M. O. Turner and family of Elliott community and E. W. Marriott and wife of Wichita Falls.

In the afternoon the dinner party was joined by Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Marchant and Mrs. S. B. Marchant, Leona Mae and Oren Parr at which time music and merry chatter was enjoyed in the drawing room until a late hour.

**S. A. L. BRIDGS CLUB.**

The S. A. L. Bridge club met with Miss Effie Giles at the home of Mrs. Ed Campbell with two tables of Bridge. Miss Velma Porterfield won the high score and Miss Lois Mae Anderson the guest prize and each were awarded lovely remembrances. Easter decorations were used and a lovely two-course luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games. Those playing were Misses Carrie Cross, Lucille Wheeler, Kathryn Barr, Mary McGann, Effie Giles, Velma Porterfield, Lois Reeves and Lois Mae Anderson.

**PERSONALS.**

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton announce the arrival of a baby son, which they call George Calvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eggenberg announce the arrival of a son.

Earl Foreman is confined to his bed this week.

Mrs. C. B. Stringer is confined to her bed this week.

Miss Leta Biard is in Electra for a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Clayton and Misses Margaret and Toby Biard. Miss Leta Biard's home is in Tuscola, Texas.

Ferd Keller Jr., returned from Springfield, Ill. from attending the death of a sister. He made the trip by automobile.

Mrs. J. M. Dempsey with Miss Irene Spergeon of Dallas, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marriott Sr. Mrs. Dempsey is a daughter of Miss Marriott and Miss Spergeon a niece.

**Wind Generates Electricity**

By installing a wind mill at a place where the wind currents are constant a railroad in Montana has generated sufficient electricity for the operation of its block signals. The electricity thus produced operates the signal over a stretch of 105 miles and has proved a very successful experiment.

**Musicians at the Age of Three**

Herbert Kaufman, a three-year-old boy in Atchison, Kan., has already given a piano recital in the high school auditorium that caused his listeners to marvel. He plays entirely by ear and in his recital program had 12 numbers including "Collegiate," "Follow the Swallow," "Mandalay" and "Humoresque."

**Raccons Raised Commercially**

In Alberta, Canada, a new industry has started that is given considerable attention by the resident of Calgary particularly. It is a silver raccoon farm. It is not primarily for the fur trade, but rather to start a genuine breeding farm for these silver raccons for the purpose of supplying fur ranchers.

**Tourist Fee Extracted**

In Greece foreign tourists pay a fee for the privilege of visiting the old museums and places of interest. The original charge was about $5 but a movement has been underway to increase this to $10. Evidence of having paid the fee admits the tourist to all the places of antiquity.

**Antelope Have Danger Signal**

When the pronghorned antelope scents impending danger, he erects a patch of white hair on its back into a fluffy white tuft or ball which shines in the sunlight and warns other members of the herd to be on the lookout for dangerous intruders.

**7-YEAR-OLD CLUB MEMBER**

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## MORROW GIVES PRINCIPAL TALK

### Impressive Program Is Held At Kemp Hotel Thursday Night

Scottish Rite Masons of Wichita Falls and surrounding territory met Thursday night at the Kemp for the annual Maundy Thursday banquet—a traditional dinner and program observed by Masons throughout the world. A large attendance was present to hear the principal address, delivered by Temple Houston Morrow, 32d, of Dallas. In his address Mr. Morrow touched on the principles and ideals of Scottish Rite Masonry and gave a thoroughly inspiring talk.

W. D. Cline, 32d, K. C. C. H., acted as toastmaster for the evening. Invocation was said by Rev. Paul Henry Packard, 32d; and the address to the president of the United States was given by R. E. Shepherd, 32d. The address to the supreme council was given by Bernard R. Bryant, 32d, of Stamford; to the Sovereign Grand Commander, John H. Cowles, 33d, by Isaac O. Newton, 32d, of Seymour; to the consistory, by H. D. Miller, 32d, Electra; to the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, by C. A. Rogers, 32d; to the Sovereign Grand Inspector General in Texas, Sam P. Cochran, 33d, by Glenn Kincaid, 32d, of Burkburnett; to the memory of the brethren of these degrees whose labors here below have ceased this Masonic year, drunk in silence.

The address of Mr. Morrow followed and the meeting concluded with the song "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," sung by all present.

The committee in charge included J. A. Kemp, 32d, I. G. H.; J. D. Avis, 32d, K. C. C. H.; W. D. Cline, 32d, K. C. C. H.; L. G. Hawkins, 32d, K. C. C. H.; Otto Stehlik, 32d; Albert Ellis, 32d; R. E. Shepherd, 32d.

Members who have died during the past Masonic year were I. A. Lyons, A. L. McFarlin, I. H. Roberts, J. N. Hall, R. C. Knight, Joe Spitz, J. M. Burkett.

## 2½ Hours of Fun When Artists And Models Appear Here

Elaborately and artistically staged, "Artists and Models," the Messrs. Shubert's sensational revue from the Winter Garden, New York, which comes to the Palace theatre Tuesday, April 6th., races through two hours and a half in true Broadway fashion. Never from the time the curtain goes up until it drops on the finale, is there any evidence of a let-up. In every department the production is, as is expected of the Shuberts, expensively presented. A large orchestra—talented actors—more than one good voice—clever specialties—all these things go to make up "Artists and Models," the most talked of revue in the world. The outstanding features of the revue is the dancing of the 18 Gertrude Hoffman girls. Topping the Hoffman troupe is attractive, vivacious Dolly Truckaess, 17, whose work is delightful, and with her is a rare collection of nimble, graceful girls who convince before the show is over that they not only do their bit in the ensemble, but can do fine specialties as well. The Winter Garden orchestra is a feature of the revue.

## Burbank's Friend, A Dog, Bonita, Slips Into Patient's Room

SANTA ROSA, Calif., April 1. (AP)—Luther Burbank had an unannounced visitor today who defied the orders of his doctor and his four nurses, but who was gratefully received by the distinguished patient nevertheless. The visitor was Mr. Burbank's dog Bonita, his constant companion in his work among the plants, fruits and flowers and the close friend of his reading hours.

The dog, slyly awaiting his chance slipped into the house and up the stairs to a good hiding place near the patient's room. There it waited for some one to open Mr. Burbank's door. It was rewarded in a few minutes when a nurse stepped out. The dog slipped into the room and when the nurse returned had its forepaws on Mr. Burbank's bed.

### HELD AS SLAYER

**Marlin Man Is Charged With Slaying His Wife.**

MARLIN, April 1.—(AP)—Mrs. Charles Reamy, 25, was shot to death tonight in her home here, and her husband, Charley Reamy, 38, black smith is tonight in the county jail held pending investigation by officers. No charges had been filed, and Reamy had declined to make a statement.

Mrs. Reamy is a sister of Dophitt Briggs, recently tried for the murder of Mrs. Dolly Gameson. Mr. and Mrs. Reamy have lived in Marlin for many years. They have one child, a girl.

## A Group of Models at the Palace



## Beery at Mission



Wallace Beery in "The Lost World"

## Star Cast Takes Part in Feature Picture at Strand

The cast of "Bright Lights," Robert Z. Leonard's production playing at the Strand theatre, contains the names of four stage favorites.

Lilyan Tashman, formerly one of the most decorative members of the Ziegfield Follies, plays Gwendolyn, a chorus lady. It is Miss Tashman's first comedy role in pictures.

Eugenie Besserer, who is seen as "Mrs. Delaney," was at one time one of the most famous actresses on the stage. She has played "Camille," "Madga," and other favorites of 25 years ago.

Ned Sparks, for years a favorite stage comedian, plays Barney, a stage-door millionaire, the type of part he has been most successful at portraying on both stage and screen.

Lawford Davidson, who has been a prominent figure on the London stage, received his first big opportunity in American films as Marty Hess, the "heavy" of the piece. Davidson, it is predicted by Mr. Leonard, is destined to become one of the screen's most "loved" villains.

Charles Ray and Pauline Starke are co-starring in this Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, which is a story of the Great White Way and Main street. A musical comedy headliner, disillusioned by her unsavoy environment, goes to the country to forget. An unsophisticated, upright young farmer inventor restores her faith in human nature. But when he, believing she is impressed by a certain New Yorker's manners, apes his slick ways, the girl loses all interest in him. Her girl friend lends Cupid a helping hand and effects their reconciliation.

## CITY IMPOSES $35,964 FINES

### Large Amount Involved In City Police Court Past Year

There were 4,437 cases handled by the city corporation court during the city's fiscal year ending March 31, according to the annual report as compiled Thursday by Sergeant C. B. McConnell. Of the cases, fines were imposed in 1,418 of them, bonds were forfeited in 2,456 instances; there were 1,098 dismissed; not guilty verdicts in 362 cases; 96 were transferred to the county, three to the federal authorities, and 14 to the juvenile authorities.

Prisoners numbering 243 served time in jail; there were 127 cases appealed, and 39 judgments set aside. Three prisoners escaped, and 24 prisoners served time on the streets.

**$35,964 In Fines.**

The fines imposed totaled in value $35,964.50. Value of the fines served in jail amounted to $783; fines served on the street to $76.50; fines escaped to $541.50; fines suspended to $5,808.05; fines released to $2,208; with the total collections amounting to $28,487.45.

The report for March shows a total of $3,019 imposed and bonds forfeited, with total collections amounting to $2,501. There were 118 fines imposed, 186 bonds forfeited, 933 cases dismissed, 16 transferred to the county, two to the federal authorities, and 21 not guilty. The total number of cases amounted to 436.

## OLYMPIC HAS FAST SURPRISE

### Vaudeville Bill This Week Proves One of Best Of This Season

Surprises follow each other in rapid-fire order, while comedy, music and dancing tumble one after the other in equal style in this week's Bert Levy vaudeville being offered at the Olympic theatre. It is one of the best balanced and most entertaining bills exhibited here this season.

Olympic patrons thought Larry Semon in all his comic array had come to town when Bert Clinton, styled as "The Larry Semon of vaudeville, came out with his parallel bars, his freak make-up and his undeniably entertaining antics. His stunts brought gales of laughter from first to last.

**Songs and Dances.**

Songs, dances and fun are intermingled in profusion in "An Evening at Home," the offering of the Conners troup which does a lot of surprising throughout their tenure of the stage. Acrobats of parts, they put on some amazing stunts of this sort and then mix it all up with some high class dancing steps and other entertainment features just for good measure.

To those who are always amazed at the art of ventriloquism, John Raymond and Ruth Ann are better than any puzzle ever devised. Their "Ventriloquial Varieties," in which a number of puppets jabbered and scolded with life-like perfection, turned out to be one of the best acts of its kind ever shown here.

"A European Novelty," offered by Wally and Harcourt and billed as "constructed mainly for laughing purposes," seemed to be constructed perfectly." It is a fast-traveling series of song, dance and joke, all of which are molded into a mirthful and pleasing whole.

**A Touch Of Artistry.**

An unusual touch of artistry has been added to the bill by the exceptional stage settings and gorgeous scenery of the Roulett Duo. The act is not long, but it is crammed full of action that never lets up from the moment it starts until the final curtain.

In addition to the vaudeville, the Olympic is offering the usual feature picture, this week's being William S. Hart in his latest production "Tumbleweeds."

## "The Whole Town's Talking" Will Be Presented Again

So much appreciated was the three-act farce "The Whole Town's Talking," which was presented at the Junior college auditorium Tuesday and Wednesday night, the cast will repeat the performance again Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The play is conceded to be the best amateur production that has been given at the college during the year, and those who saw it have commented favorably on the excellent work done by the characters in presenting their roles. Miss Juanita Kinsey, director of public speaking, superintended the play.

The story centers around the home of Mr. and Mrs. Simmons whose daughter, Ethel, finally becomes engaged to Chester Binney, whose mythical wild past lends a glamor of romance to the sentimental girl. How it is all brought about keeps the audience in an uproar of laughter throughout the evening when amusing situations follow one after the other.

Miss Dorothy Reed and Miss Delores Peavy took the leading female roles, and were ably assisted by Shirley Donnell and William Atkinson. Others who took part in the play, doing their parts well were Lucylle Collier, John Wolf, Faye Baldwin, Kathleen Melat, Mary Peters, Adeena Kouri, Robert Cummins, Mary Beth Martin, Joel Chandler Crump.

Mrs. Roma Tandy, interior decorator, furnished the stage with beautiful lamps, rugs, and accessories.

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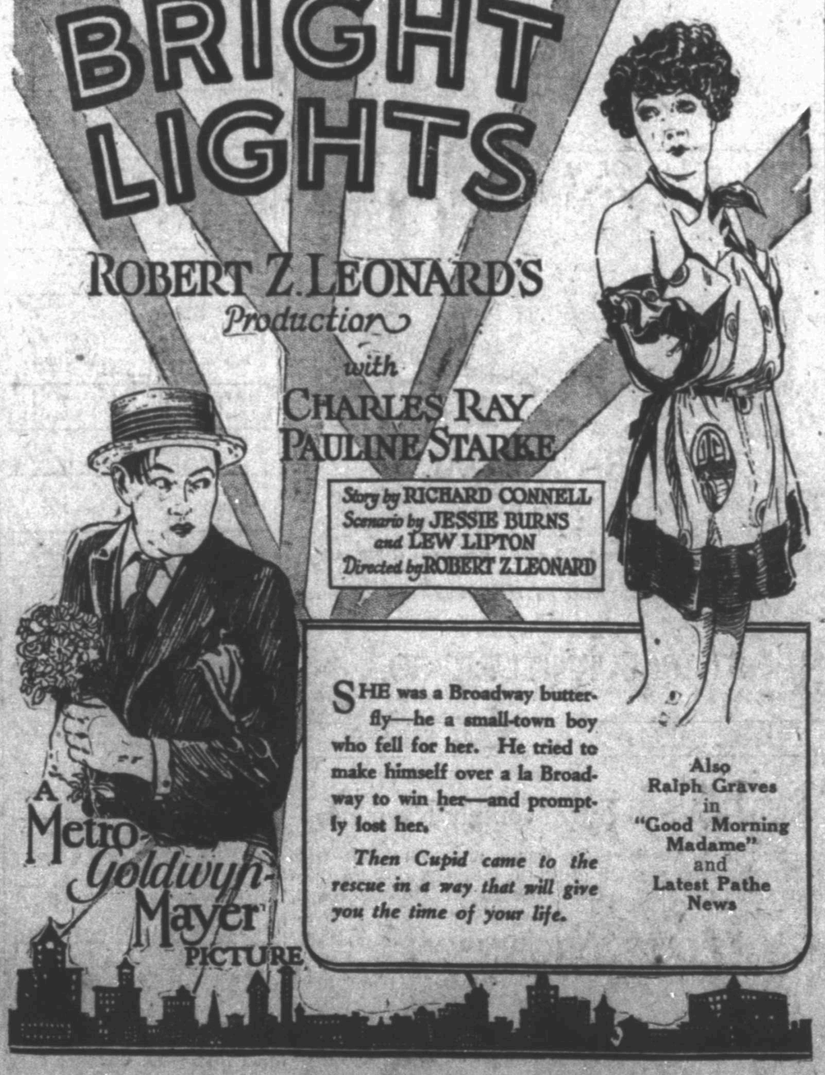
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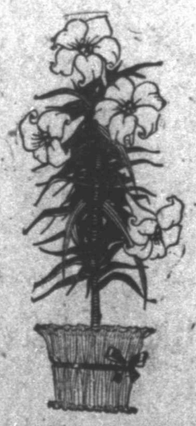
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"When I have lived for so long on my own?
No! I have made, once for all, my decision—
Clear to my grave I shall journey alone."

Once lived a spister, whose years were just twenty,
Who met at a party this bachelor chap,
Of wealth she had none, but of nerve she had plenty
And she felt she was fitted for luxury's lap.
She looked in his eyes, and she said: "You are splendid,
You would make a great hit as a cinema star.
I always am frank, so please don't be offended
When I say what a wonderful person you are."

She patted his hair and she smoothed out an eyebrow,
She straightened his tie with a feminine grace—
And said, "I am sure that you must be a highbrow
Because you have such an intelligent face."
That night at her doorway the bachelor tarried
And thrilled when she called him a lovely old dear,
And week after next they were happily married—
And lived in that fashion for many a year.

When a man prides himself on sufficient resistance
To evade all the lures that a woman puts out,
And lead all his lifetime a single existence—
That fellow is nothing to worry about.
No woman as yet has endeavored to get him,
He isn't the kind that attracts them, that's all,
But as soon as one takes the trouble to pet him
And tell him he's brilliant and handsome, he'll fall.

## State Revenue Fund Has $8,472,953 On Hand, April First

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—W. Gregory Hatcher, state treasurer, announced that with the beginning of business today. $8,472,953.29 was in the general revenue fund. He said that the oil royalties now aggregated $2,800,164.07 and had been deposited to the permanent University of Texas building fund in pursuance of the judgment of the supreme court in declaring the act of the 39th legislature unconstitutional.

### HONOR REQUISITION

**Governor Sends Alleged Bandit Back To Indiana.**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson today honored the requisition of the governor of Indiana for the extradition of Kenneth Reeves, wanted in Marian county Indiana, on indictment enarging conspiracy to commit a felony, auto banditry robber, and grand larceny. Reeves is in custody in the Mexican border city of Laredo.

Reeves was indicted with Robert Hostetter, Dennis Hostetter and Rose Mary Kaiser, who are charged with participating in the robbery of Leonard McAlpin at the Citizens Bank at Southport, Indiana, Feb. 8, of $1,699.

### TO VISIT EUROPE

**University Professor Chosen Member of Peace Commisison.**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Dr. C. P. Patterson, Texas university professor of government, will be one of a party of 50 university and college teachers, who under sponsorship the Carnegie Endowment of International Peace wil lthis summer visit Europe in making a study of international relations and cooperatic. He was notified Tuesday, of his appointment.

The party, which will sail from New York July 28, will visit among other places, Paris, The Hague and Geneva.

## Gold May Furnish Rich Indian Tribe With Added Wealth

PAWHUSKA, Okla., April 1.—(AP)—Valuable metals may add to the richest of the Osage Indians, whom oil already has made the wealthiest people, per capita, of the world.

J. George Wright, superintendent of the Osage agency here, today announced that he would sell at auction on April 30 a mining lease for gold, silver, lead and zinc, on a small tract near the town of Nelagoney, seven miles southeast of Pawhuska.

Prospectors are said to have found indications of the presence of these metals on the tract.

## Veterans Asked To Meet in Archer City

ARCHER CITY, April 1.—Confederate veterans and sons of confederate veterans in this city are requested to meet at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of Saturday, April 10, at the reunion grounds here to elect delegates to the annual confederate reunion in Birmingham, Ala., and to transact such other business as may come before the veterans.

The call for the meeting was issued here recently by C. A. Montgomery, adjutant pro tem.

### APPEAL FOUR CASES

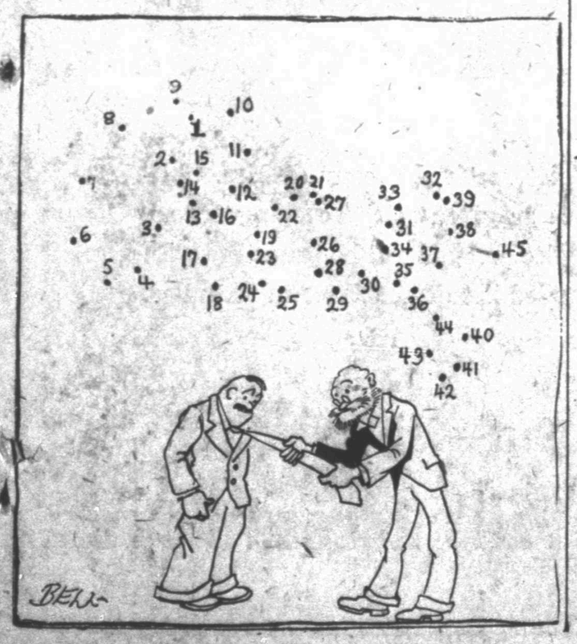
AUSTIN, April 1.—((AP)—Four cases were submitted today in section B of the commission of appeals. They are: Troy Hatley vs West Texas National bank of Big Spring, Howard county; James M. Shelton vs W. O. Brien, Potter county; N. M. Egan vs Lockney Farmers Cooperative Society, Floyd county; and George S. King vs B. F. Calloway, Dallas county.

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# FRENCH BUDGET NEAR BALANCE AFTER TURMOIL

### Four Cabinets and Six Finance Ministers Pass Before End Reached

PARIS, April 1. — (AP)—The French budget is finally balanced after two years of efforts in which four cabinets and six finance ministers have fallen.

The chamber of deputies concluded an all-night session at 9 o'clock this morning by voting new resources sufficient to wipe out the budget deficit and establish a surplus of between 30,000,000 and 60,000,000 francs. This success is looked upon as assuring the continuance of the Briand ministry for several months at least.

The vote on the combined measures was 236 to 150 with 190 deputies abstraining. The senate is expected to pass the bills promptly without essential amendments, thus ending the first phase of France's effort to restore her finances.

**Plan Sinking Fund.**

The second phase will open when parliament meets after the Easter vacation. Finance Minister Peret will then introduce measures to finance a sinking fund to take care of the inter-allied and domestic debts.

Bills already passed by the chamber authorize a national lottery and provide for the receipt of voluntary contributions for this purpose. M. Peret, however, does not regard these provisions as sufficient and will probably introduce a bill for some sort of obligatory contributions acceptable to the powerful groups of the left.

The receipts from the new measures are estimated at 2,500,000,000 francs ($87,500,000) while the budget deficit was 2,450,000,000 francs ($85,750,000.) Allowing for variations in the yield from the new measures the surplus will be somewhere between 30,000,000 and 60,000,000 francs.

**Indirect Taxes.**

Three-quarters of the new taxes are indirect. The biggest sum, 1,200,000,000 francs ($42,000,000) is provided by the increase in the tax on business turnovers of wholesalers and jobbers. Alcohol is asked to furnish 225,000,000 francs ($7,875,000), while the individual poll tax is expected to bring 570,000,000 francs ($19,950,000).

The government's success is attributed partly to Premier Briand's skill in utilizing the divisions in all the groups and partly to the personal popularity of his minister of finance.

# ILLNESS FATAL TO GEN. FLORES

### One Time Candidate For Presidency Dies of Pneumonia Attack

NOGALES, Ariz., April 1.—(AP) General Angel Flores, Mexican statesman, military leader and one-time aspirant for the presidency of the southern republic, is dead, dispatches received here from Culiacan, Sinaloa, Mexico, said.

Stricken with pneumonia several weeks ago the former military governor of West Mexico suffered a relapse and succumbed after physicians had pronounced him out of danger.

Flores had played a prominent part in Mexican national affairs since he opposed President Calles for election in 1924 as the nominee of the reformed revolutionary party. Although rumor had it from time to time that he would head a revolution to depose Calles, he offered no open opposition and Calles was inaugurated on December 1, 1924, as the second chief executive in the history of the republic to assume office with a peace time status. From the time General Guadalupe Victoria ascended to the presidency on October 10, 1824, until Calles took the oath of office, no Mexican had assumed the office without the presence of armed opposition.

## Honesty of Youth Causes Arrest Of Mother on Coast

LOS ANGELES, April 1.—(AP)—When George Washington admitted the destruction of the cherry tree he set an example in veracity for five-year-old Jimmy Fields.

When officers approached the lad while his mother was away and asked him if his momma had any liquor he told them: "Yes, sir," and proceeded to help them locate it.

Fined $100 in municipal court yesterday, the mother, Mrs. Mary Fields, was asked whether she had punished the boy for telling about the liquor.

"No," she answered, "in a way I was sort o' proud of him."

**HIS WAITING LIST.**

**Prospective Bridegroom Asks Society to Find Him Bride.**

DALLAS, April 1.—(AP)—A prospective grass widower still somewhat vague about his ability to get rid of his present wife, asked welfare officials to have a marriageable young lady for him when he gets his divorce.

The only drawbacks facing his now helpmate are that he must have breakfast at 4:30 o'clock every morning, and receives only $18 a week. The applicant said, however, that he would do everything by the proposed new mate.

Single young ladies about the city hall informed of their chance, were not interested regarding any such arrangement as a "leap in the dark," they said.

**480 TEXAS FIRES**

**State Marshal Reports Loss of $1,336,156 During March.**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—During March 480 fires were reported to State Fire Marshal Holton, with a total loss of $1,336,156.14 in Texas. Eleven conflagrations were incendiary, 129 of unknown cause, and 19 were caused by cigar and cigarette smokers. Five fires were caused by spontaneous combustion, 33 by defective flues, 75 by sparks on roofs, 25 by electricity and 59 by exposure to conflagration.

**ASKS EXTRADITION**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson issued a requisition on the governor of Oklahoma for the rendition of Eva Paul, wanted by indictment in Bowie county, Texas, on a charge of murder in connection with the slaying of Shilo Daniels, Sept. 4, 1920. It was stated that Paul had been sought for more than five years is in custody in Muskogee, Okla.

# "HER MAN"

### --By Beatrice Burton--

READ THIS FIRST:

SYLVIA STARK has been engaged to RANDALL PHELPS for nearly a year when he asks her to break their engagement. He explains to her that he's in love with her chum, FAY SHIRLEY.

Heartbroken, Sylvia gives him up, gently to the satisfaction of her AUNT AGONY, the shrewd old maid who reared hr. Aunt Agony says that Ranny will never stick to any one woman, and that he's a lazy good-for-nothing, besides.

Her opinion of him seems to be more than justified, too, when he and Fay give each other up, and he elopes with Sylvia, after all, and marries her. For not long after the end of their honeymoon, Ranny seems to fall once more under Fay's flirtatious spell. He spends most of the family funds on poker-playing while Sylvia does her own work and gets along on very little.

But when Sylvia tells him she's going to have a baby, he turns over a new leaf and miraculously settles down. Presently Fay announces her engagement to EDDIE CARTER, her old beau, and asks Sylvia to be matron of honor.

But long before the time for Fay's wedding, Ranny's young sister, LOLLY, secretly marries her father's chauffeur, THOMAS BOYLE, thereby bringing down upon her head the vials of her parents' anger. So she



"I Am So Happy, I Could Die," She Smiled Up at Him.

packs up her clothes and leaves home with Boyle. Weeks pass without any word from her.

On the night of the dress rehearsal for Fay's wedding, Ranny suddenly announces that he's not going to the wedding, and forbids Sylvia to. His reason is that PETER WILK, a bachelor who has been in love with her for years, is to be best man, Ranny has always been absurdly jealous of Peter.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER XXIV.

The upshot of it was that they did not go to the wedding rehearsal. Sylvia, still in her lovely, lacy dress, sat down at the telephone in the tiny hall and called Fay.

"My word, Sylvia! Haven't you left home yet?" Fay's voice, sharp and nervous, came over the wire. "We're waiting for you and have been waiting for half an hour!"

At that instant Sylvia felt the receiver being taken out of her hand and Ranny spoke into the phone: "Hello, Fay, this is Ran—Sylvia's not feeling well enough to come over tonight. She's completely worn out and I believe you'd better ask someone else for your matron of honor, tomorrow, too."

He broke off abruptly, and although the little instrument Sylvia could hear Fay answer him shrilly, but she couldn't make out what she was saying.

Then Ranny spoke again: "I know it's the eleventh hour, but Sylvia ought not to have promised to be your matron of honor, and anyway"—his voice sank—"anyway, I'm not so keen myself about coming to your wedding. You know I think a lot of you, and it's not going to be the pleasantest thing in the world for me to see you walk off as Mrs. Eddie Carter."

There was a long silence and then he said "Goodby, Fay," in a tender, lingering sort of way, and hung up the receiver.

When he turned around to face Sylvia her eyes were blinking as they did whenever she was angry. Some people's eyes blaze at such a time, but Sylvia's were too soft and too hidden by their thick lashes ever to look fiery.

"Why did you say that to Fay?" she asked, snipping off her words.

"Why did I say what?"

"Tell her that you still think a lot of her and hate to see her marry Eddie Carter?" Sylvia asked. "Do you really think so much of her?"

Ranny threw back his head and gave a guffaw of laughter.

"Why, of course not!" he answered, "but she was awfully sore when I told her we weren't coming to the wedding, and I had to jolly her along a bit—sweeten her up a bit and soothe her wounded feelings. You know that was a pretty shoddy trick to tell her at the last minute that you wouldn't be her matron of honor!"

"Of course it was a rotten trick, but you made me do it!" Sylvia reminded him. "Why didn't you tell her the truth—that you're jealous of Peter Wilk's friendship for me?"

Ranny's face was ugly with a scowl as he answered her: "Yeah, and have everybody know it! No, thank you!"

Sylvia's hands went out in a little gesture of despair.

"But, Ranny," she said, "this way everybody will think you're still in love with Fay! She thinks so now, no doubt, and she's sure to tell it all over, and everybody will pity me! Everybody will think you don't love me!"

Ranny shrugged his shoulders. "It's a good deal better for them to think that than for them to think I'm jealous of Peter Wilk. I simply will not be a laughing stock! And that's what I will be if the crowd ever finds out the real reason why we aren't going to the wedding!"

"In plain words, you don't care what people think of me so long as they think well of you!" Sylvia cried. She was trembling all over, angry as she never had been angry before in her quiet, uneventful life.

She sank down on the floor and covered her face with her hands, the heavy pillows of her dress all around her like a silver-white pool.

She was too hurt to cry.

To think that Ranny would let Fay stirred her as nothing else anywhere had ever stirred her—could ever stir her.

"I love you, I love you," she said over and over, foolishly, and then, just as senselessly, she began to cry. She didn't know why, either. Perhaps because they had quarreled. Or was it because he had told Fay he still cared for her, or because he had lied?

Sylvia couldn't figure it out.

It was a week later that Lolly telephoned one night, while Sylvia was cooking supper.

"Hello, there, Sylvy! Guess where I am!" her saucy little high-pitched voice greeted her.

Before Sylvia had time to speak, she was answering her own question:

"I'm right over here at Mother's house! Tommy and I 'Forded' into town this afternoon and we're having a family reunion over here! We want you and Ranny to come right over!"

Sylvia called out the cheerful news to Ranny as she danced into the kitchen to turn out the gas flame under the Irish stew and put the salad back into the ice box.

"I wish we had a wedding present for them," she said to him wistfully, a few minutes later, as they swept along the dark streets toward the Phelps' homestead. "I suppose some silver butter plates would be nice for them."

"Better give 'em something sensible—kitchen utensils or a vacuum cleaner," growled Ranny. "Remember, Lolly's married a chauffeur!" He broke off short, as if his displeasure were too great for words.

But Thomas Boyle in a plain gray suit was a very different Thomas Boyle from the chauffeur in uniform who had driven Mrs. Phelps around town to make calls and go marketing.

He was every inch a gentleman, and his eyes met Ranny's unflinchingly when he shook hands with him that night. If he felt that in marrying Lolly he had married above his station in life, he certainly did not show it.

"He thinks he's as good, if not better, than anybody!" Mother Phelps said humorously to Sylvia after dinner, when the three women were together in Lolly's room.

Lolly shook her bobbed head, lifted it, and opened her agate brown eyes very wide with surprise. "He is just as good as anybody on earth!" she said. "He's a wonderful person, whether you know it or not! He was a captain during the war, if anybody should happen to ask you! And if he drove our car to pay his way through law school, you should worry. Don't be a snob, Mother!"

She jumped up suddenly, shook out her short taffeta skirts and ran downstairs to join the men in the library. "Sometimes I can't stand women!" she sang out impudently, as she went, "they're such snobs and busy-bodies!"

Mother Phelps looked pained. "Lolly's a rude little thing," she said, biting her full red lip. "She always has been! I've taken more impudence from her than I ever thought I'd take from anybody. Really, I don't know what to do with her sometimes!"

Sylvia couldn't help laughing as she answered: "Lolly's not rude, mother. She's like you—she speaks her mind. For instance, I can't imagine you ever dodging the truth about anything."

Under her swirl of waste hair, Mother Phelps' fine black eyes rested thoughtfully on Sylvia's face for a minute or two. Then she leaned forward in her chair and took the girl's hands in her own.

"My dear," she said very softly, "you know I am very proud of my son, don't you? But sometimes I find it in my heart to wish that he had that one quality of mine—truthfulness."

Up went Sylvia's little chin as if she were balancing something on it. "I've never caught Ranny in a lie," she said proudly, and only the telltale flush on her cheeks betrayed the fact that she was not telling the truth.

Mother Phelps saw it, of course. "My dear, you're very loyal to Ranny," she remarked, getting up from her chair, "and I love you for it."

After that the two of them were always better friends, somehow, than they had ever been before.

It was to Mother Phelps that Sylvia telephoned on a night, some five months afterward—an April night, when the wind shrieked and the rain beat on the window panes of The Nest.

Ranny was out playing cards somewhere and she was all alone in her bedroom when she awakened and knew that her hour was upon her—that hour when every woman who is a mother, goes down into the valley of the shadow for the little new life she is to bring back to this world.

"Come quickly!" she all but screamed into the receiver, "and bring Dr. Buzzard along!"

She was in pain, but her fear was the thing that shook her—a terrible fear that she was going to die before Ranny came home and she would never see him again!

And she wanted him! She needed him! She could bear this unbearable pain if only she had his hand in hers, his voice in her ear to give her courage.

She reached for the telephone book, wondering what number to look up, trying to think of places where he might be that night.

She couldn't think. Her brain seemed to be burning up, along with her body. For her agony was like a great flame now—a flame that bathed her from head to foot—a flame that followed her as she crept on her knees toward a picture of Ranny that stood on the living room table.

Then, after what seemed to be hours, someone in white put an ether-cone to her nostrils. She took the cone in her hands and pressed it close to her nose, breathing the ether with mad eagerness. Darkness came over her, like peace. "I must be dying," she thought—"Ranny, Ranny!"

There was soft April sunshine in her eyes when she opened them again.

She was lying in her own room on her own bed, feeling as if she had run a great race and was too tired to move again. She closed her eyes.

The next time she wakened it was night once more. A white capped nurse was leaning over her, shaking her gently.

"Mrs. Phelps," she was saying softly, insistently, "Mrs. Phelps. Wake up and see your son!"

Your son! In an instant Sylvia remembered. All the facts of her life came tumbling back to her, except the memory of that flame-like pain. Mothers have a wonderful way of forgetting that!

She tried to lift herself in bed, but the nurse pushed her back on the pillow and laid the tiniest warm bundle down beside her.

Sylvia turned her weary head and looked at it—small and fragile and more precious than fame or pearls or happiness—Ranny, Junior, in all his newness, in all his heart-rending littleness!

Then she looked beyond him and saw Ranny himself standing just outside the door. He came toward her slowly, and there were tears pouring down his face.

"Don't, dear," she whispered. "I'm so happy I could die right now!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

**Sylvia discovers that Ranny was not home at all on the night the baby was born. And he starts going out in the evening afterward. His indifference speaks of another love affair. Who is the girl?**

**TRAINMEN KILLED**

LANCASTER, Pa., April 1—(AP)—A Pennsylvania railroad fireman was killed and two passengers slightly injured in a train wreck at Gap, near here, today. The man killed was T. N. Van Horn of Trenton, N. J.


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# GIRL CHARGED WITH BANDITRY

### Pretty, Red-Headed Woman 'Got Kick Out of Being Chased'

HOUSTON, April 1.—(AP)—Ella May LaFawn, 19, pretty and red headed, was in jail here today with her husband, Gene, 24, and William Massey, 17, all charged with burglary. A fourth person, also said by the police to be a member of the alleged band, is being sought.

Mrs. LaFawn, who also is known as "Sunshine," told police and newspapermen that the only "kick" she got out of it was when she was pursued by two motorcycle officers on a rainy night. She eluded them, she said, on the slippery pavements and asserted she got quite a thrill out of the race.

She and her husband each face three charges of burglary. Massey and the man whom the police are seeking are each charged with 12. Police say they have signed confessions from all three, indicating that their operations in Houston and immediate vicinity extended from December 13 to March 25. At five places they got nothing, according to the police version of the confession, which added, however, that other numbers netted them $514 in cash, a loot was taken, it was indicated, in a series of raids on stores and ranged from plain burglary to hammering the knobs from small safes.

**SEAT CONTEST ON**

**Senate Agrees to Pass on Brookhart-Steck Dispute.**

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP) The Brookhart-Steck senatorial contest from Iowa will be taken up by the senate at 2 o'clock tomorrow and kept before that body until a vote is reached.

At an executive session of the senate late today Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, served notice that he and others favorable to Senator Brookhart, a republican whose right to his seat is being challenged by Daniel F. Steck, democrat, would nto submit to further delay in calling up the report which disposition is adverse to Brookhart.


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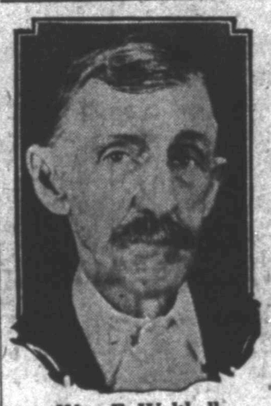
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# BRITONS FAVOR ARMAMENT PLAN OF WAR ALLIES

### Government Will Participate in Geneva Conference Whole Heartedly

LONDON, April 1.—(AP)—The British government will participate whole-heartedly in any international steps leading to general measures of disarmament and Lord Cecil will go to Geneva prepared to urge some definite scheme.

This was made clear in the house of commons today by Godfrey Locker-Lampson, parliamentary under-secretary for the home office, answering a question raised by Arthur Ponsonby, who was a member of Ramsey MacDonald's labor ministry.

"What we have to do, if we can, is to exorcise the demon of international suspicion," said Mr. Locker-Lampson, "Lord Cecil will certainly go to Geneva prepared to urge some definite scheme of disarmament. We took the initiative with the United States regarding naval disarmament because it is appropriate to do so, but in all probability it will be more appropriate for some great military power at Geneva to take the initiative regarding military disarmament.

**Steps Already Taken.**

"After all the first definite step has already been taken, because at Washington a very important treaty was signed between five powers imposing very definite limits on their navies. I think it is unfortunate that similar obstructions were not applied to submarines. Very careful consideration must be given as to how much further these principles can be carried. The government hopes they will be carried further and will do their best in this direction."

Pointing out that the British navy army and air force had been reduced the secretary declared vulnerable trade routes must be protected and nothing must be done to endanger them, but the government was very anxious to cooperate in any general scheme for the limitation of armies and their forces.

Mr. Ponsonby's speech, to which Mr. Locker-Lampson replied, was in effect a plea for reduction of armaments. He said that when Germany entered the league of nations next September the league must secure for her a position of equality with the other nations, abolishing any distinction between the former allies and their former enemies.

**German Arms Allowed.**

This would mean that Germany must be allowed to arm herself to the same standard as the other powers which he termed impossible, or that the members of the league should forthwith disarm to the same standard as Germany.

After expressing regret that Great Britain's expenditure for armaments showed an increase in money value as compared with 1914, Mr. Ponsonby said he hoped that the words ascribed to American Ambassador Houghton that the disarmament conference was poisoned before hand and doomed to failure might prove inaccurate.

He also deplored the traffic in arms and said it was a pity that the surplus stocks of munitions of the western Christian powers should be used by the "peaceful Chinese," who had been fighting for two years.

# HEADS OF KATY INSPECT ROAD

### Tour Expected to Bring Out Plan of Tri-Line Merger

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—(AP)—L. F. Loree, chairman of the board of the Kansas City Southern railroad and director of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas and St. Louis Southwestern (Cotton Belt) railroads, left here today with officials of the three roads for a tour of the M. K. T. system.

Loree was not ready to discuss details of his plan for centralized control of the three lines, but said that in the near future he would submit a plan to the interstate commerce commission which called for operation of the lines "as a family group with the element of competition maintained."

Great railroad consolidations would be necessarily limited, Loree said, by the capacity of men to direct them and the length of the working day. He said the vast reaches of this country offered ample opportunity for combines, but man power had its limitations and could not effectively handle programs that were too ambitious.

Loree is expected to fill with one of his own men the chairmanship of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas board vacated recently by the resignation of Henry Ruhlender. Local officials said there was little likelihood of other replacements in the present personnel.

Loree was accompanied by C. N. Whitehead, operating vice-president of the Katy, who will shortly succeed to the presidency on the retirement of C. E. Schaeff; J. A. Edson, president of the Kansas City Southern, and Daniel Upthegrove, president of the Cotton Belt.

**RELIC OF THE PAST**

**Sullivan's Gold Belt Melted At Mint For Gold.**

PHILADELPHIA, April 1—(AP) What is said to have been the famous $10,000 championship belt of John L. Sullivan has been melted at the mint here for the gold that was in it.

The belt with its 397 small diamonds missing, found its way to the mint through a Baltimore junk dealer who brought it here and received a check for a little more than $800 for the precious metal it contained.

The emblem was presented to Sullivan by citizens of Boston in 1887.

**$20,000 STOLEN**

**Jewelry Store Held Up By Two Bandits In Kansas City.**

KANSAS CITY, April 1.—(AP)—Jewelry and diamonds valued at about $20,000 was stolen by two armed men from the M. Daniels Jewelry store in the lower downtown district when Harry Cohn, clerk, opened the store this morning. The men with drawn revolvers pressed close to Cohn when he approached the store and ordered him to open the door.

Inside they made the clerk open the larger of two safes and took out two boxes containing diamonds and jewelry. The men escaped in a motor car.

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## *Champion Ford Old Fiddler Comes Out of Tennessee Hills*



"Uncle Bunt" Stephens of Tullahoma, Tenn., winner in old fiddler contest sponsored by Henry Ford, is preparing to tour the country. He is seen in New York with his wife, "Aunt Lizzie," and his fiddle which he bought 85 years ago for $25. It bears 1699 date and may be an "old master."

## Marines to Fight Mosquitoes From Wings of Airplanes

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP) Marines stationed at Quantico, Va., plan to fight mosquitoes this summer with airplanes.

Co-operating with the public health service and the department of agriculture commander, Norman T. McLean of the medical corps of the navy has developed a preparation which, he expects, will rid Chapawimsic creek and the swamp lands near the camp of the germ breeding insects.

Sawdust soaked in water containing arsenic is the new weapon to be used against the pest and it will be scattered over the creek and swamp lands from airplanes. Experiments have demonstrated its effectiveness against mosquitoes, Commander McLean said, and far from proving harmful to vegetation, fish, fowls or persons, it will serve as a tonic.

**CATCH ATTACKER**

**Indian Charged With Statuatory Offense Caught In Hills.**

McALESTER, Okla., April 1.—A 10-day search for Ellis Ramsey, Indian, sought for an alleged attack upon Mrs. Elam Taylor has ended with his capture in the mountainous country near Featherstone.

Ramsey is alleged to have dragged the woman from her home after routher husband and son with an axe.

# SAILORS HELD IN ARMS PLOT AGAINST MEXICO

### Seamen on Ward Line Ship Nabbed After Ammunition Confiscated

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Charged with violation of the president's proclamation forbidding the exportation of arms and ammunition from the United States to Mexico three members of the crew of the Ward Line freighter, Cauto were held under arrest today. Their arrest followed discovery of 20,000 cartridges secreted on the ship.

Seizure of the ammunition and arrest of the three men took place last night, but was not revealed by members of the special service squad of the customs house who made the raid until today.

The men under arrest are Horton Norman, first assistant engineer; Antonio Esteban, a fireman, and Frank Fernandez.

**Officials Tipped.**

The raid was made on a tip that 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition were to be shipped today to Mexico for use in connection with a revolt against the present government. Shipping schedules showed that the only ship leaving today for Mexican ports was the Cauto and her crew had been shadowed from noon yesterday.

Officials observed a number of packages being carried aboard in a suspicious manner. The special service squad boarded the ship just before midnight. In the sleeping quarters of the engine crew they found Esteban, whom they had seen on deck just before boarding the liner, apparently asleep in his bunk. They pulled off his blankets and he jumped up fully dressed with a revolver in his hand. He was disarmed and handcuffed and a search was then begun which resulted in location of the ammunition which was of .32, .38 and .44 calibre.

**Permitted to Sail.**

Cauto was permitted to sail this afternoon for Vera Cruz. Officials of the Ward Line disclaimed any knowledge of the attempted violation of the proclamation.

But for an error, the special service squad believed that it would have made a much larger haul. Under the mistaken impression that the boat sailed at daylight, the raid was made at midnight. If they had waited until this morning as they might have done if they had known the correct sailing time, members of the squad expressed the belief that more ammunition would have been on board.

**CRIMES SWEEP CUBA**

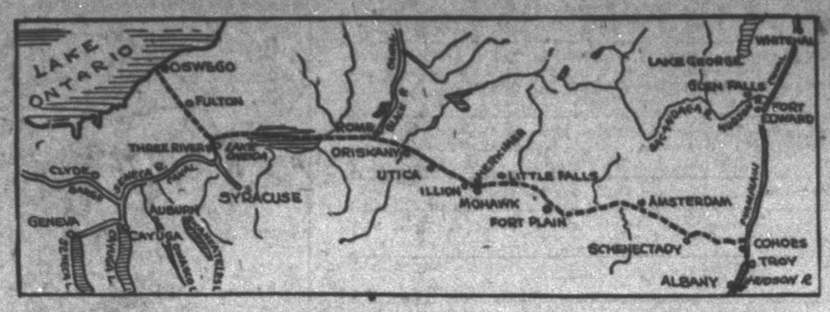
**Two Murdered, Two Wounded Are Discovered in Camaguey Province.**

HAVANA, April 1.—(AP)—Two men murdered, two seriously wounded and the discovery of a man's body hanging from a tree are the latest developments reported from western Camaguey province which has had a plague of bandits for the past month. More than a dozen persons have been killed or wounded in the past two weeks.

Near Velasco two men were shot and killed and two others seriously wounded when bandits hel dthem up in their homes yesterday.

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## *N. Y. Shows Way to Link Lakes With Ocean*




Many business men are following the lead of Gov. Al Smith of New York in advocating transfer of the state's barge canal to the federal government for conversion into an all-American ship canal intended to supplant the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterway project. Beginning at Oswego on Lake Ontario, the canal would run to the Hudson river, which would be deepened to permit passage of larger ocean vessels.

**BUTCHERS PREYED ON.**

**Psuedo State Inspector Accepting Fees in Central Texas.**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Proprietors of butcher and barber shops in Central Texas are being fleeced by a man posing as an inspector of the pure food division of the state department of health, Dr. H. O. Sappington, state health officer, said today.

Dr. Sappington said the man is an imposter and warns proprietors of shops subject to inspection to not pay fees to any inspector, until his identity is ascertained.

**BOY KILLS SELF**

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—(AP)—Reprimanded by his aunt for playing hooky from high school, George M. Bibb, 13, shot himself in the head today.

# MONTANA KIDS OLD MAN WINTER

### Straw Kelly Parade Jolly Boreas as Celebration Gets Under Way

GREAT FALLS, April 1.—(AP)—Joining in the spirit of All Fool's Day, Great Falls today kidded the weather ,the weather man and all his assistants, with a straw hat parade and a general celebration of a "winterless winter."

Smiling skies greeted the dawn with a chilly breeze blowing out of the north. Yesterday and last night were the coldest of the winter, and the committee on arrangements made ready to meet any gust of winter by turning the day, on an instant's notice, into a celebration of a "one day winter" should the conditions require.

Regardless of the weather's whims, however, Great Falls folk were out today with straw "kellys," ready to go through with the affair. State officials, including Governor Erickson, were here with "hay hats" to join in celebrating the Florida-like climate within a few miles of the Canadian border and high in the Rockies.

**MA GETTING READY**

**Governor Declines Invitation To San Antonio Fiesta.**

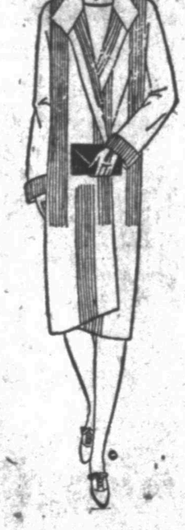
AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson will open her campaign for re-election as governor of Texas on or about April 20, according to indications at the state house. The governor recently declined an invitation to attend the annual San Antonio fiesta on that date, and, it was learned today that it was for the reason she is planning to open her campaign then.





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### ONE YEAR AGO TODAY
April 2, 1925

*W. A. Obenchain takes office as divisional engineer to take charge of the state highways in this district succeeding Edward Maddox.*

*Mrs. W. W. Silk elected member of the Wichita Falls Independent School District board to fill unexpired term of Mrs. M. M. Adickes.*

## FACTS FOR THE FARMER

SOUTHERN agriculture has lost its balance and forgot that the fundamental reason for living on a farm is to make a living. This is pointed statement made by Edward Woodall of Dallas, a member of the executive committee of the Texas Safe Farming association.

He said it in a warning pointing out the dangers of producing a large cotton crop without the proper proportion of food and feed crops. This warning came after it had been stated by the department of agriculture that a world cotton crop of 27,800,000 bales for the year represented an increase of 12.1 per cent over the year 1924.

This statement was issued by the department on the basis of returns from the leading producing countries of the world. In the United States the yield was more than 16,000,000 bales, leaving a balance of 11,000,000 bales as the record established by other cotton growing countries.

This member of the Texas State Farming association reminded the Texas farmer that we have the smallest number of hogs in the south in forty years and the whole nation has 9,000,000 fewer cattle than in 1920, and more than one-half this shortage is in the south. Furthermore, he said, that it has been estimated that the whole south imported last year approximately one billion dollars of food and feed and Texas $240,000,000.

In conclusion he said, "can we keep this money at home and in the doing so rebuild our inpoverished soil and leave as a heritage to our children a soil that will permit them to carry on. It is a condition that demands the serious consideration of all classes of our people, for we must rely for a sound business and even sound political institutions on a like agriculture."

A world crop of 27,000,000 bales in 1926 may result in fifteen cent cotton. Now why should the people of the south, the cotton growing south, invest a billion dollars every year in the food stuffs of the northern states when these food stuffs and feed stuffs can be grown here at home.

Why should Texas invest $240,000,000 in food stuffs and feed stuffs when the state could produce sufficient for home consumption and an enormous surplus for sale in other states and countries. This, for the southern farmer to make answer.

He is the master of his own destiny. He should not overlook the fact the fundamental reason for living on a farm is to make a living.

## DALLAS AND NEW YORK

DR. J. F. KIMBALL is a noted educator of Dallas. He was for years superintendent of the Dallas city schools. He has written a book dealing with community civics. It is his contention that tyranny is neither the worst nor the most dangerous foe of a free people. It is his conclusion that anarchy and lawlessness are the most dangerous foes to our freedom in America today. This is an excerpt.

"How does Dallas stand in this matter? We must sail with shame and indignation that in the city of Dallas alone had nearly twice as many homicides as London; more than twice as many, if we include our immediate suburbs, yet London has thirty times as many people as Dallas. Our Dallas record in 1924 was neitther worse nor better than other years, but it was more than four times as bad as New York City. Unfortunately our death loss by accidents also is frightful. In 1925 there were 247 deaths by violence, accidental or criminal in Dallas. A frightful toll to carelessness and crime."

Now what is the matter with Dallas, a city of churches, colleges, schools, public and private, many courts, many judges, a huge police department and a sheriff with a large staff of assistants. Why not put away the killers? Why not put away the gunmen? Why not put away the gun toters?

Perhaps if the business men and professional men of Dallas would respond with alacrity when called for jury service, all this could be done. Why should business and professional men dodge jury service? It is useless to condemn the courts. Killers are turned loose by jurors. When they are not turned loose they are convicted and given very light sentences.

But the Texas of today in law enforcement is a far different Texas than the Texas of ye good old days. In many communities killers are convicted. They are given long terms. They are made to feel the leaden heel of justice.

## BIG TIM IS FREE

BIG TIM MURPHY of Chicago is free. He is a product of Chicago. He first saw the light in the stockyard district. If there is any tougher district in any city in the world than the stockyards district was before the coming of prohibition then it has escaped the attention of the reformer.

Big Tim was born in poverty. He became a newsboy. He was a fighter. He was taught the plumber trade. He became the czar of organized labor in his district. He became a politican. He made the big bosses fear him. He ruled with an iron hand, and when iron hand was insufficient, he ruled with a club and some of his followers ruled with guns.

Big Tim became an assistant sargeant at-arms of the lower house of congress. Then the republicans came in and they threw Big Tim out. He returned to Chicago and became a member of the Illinois legislature. He grew weary of this and returned to the czar business. He was a mighty man until he was arrested in 1921 for having a hand in a $385,000 mail robbery.

Big Tim, it was charged by the federal authorities, staged the robbery and a jury convicted him of conspiracy and a federal judge gave him three years at Leavenworth, in the state of Kansas. Big Tim says he was a victim of conspiracy and conspirators. Big Tim demands vindication. Big Tim has a big following in the stockyards district. Big Tim may stand for a seat in congress or a seat in the upper house in the Illinois legislature.

Big Tim has a wife. She has been loyal to him. Mrs. Big Tim has told Mr. Big Tim that vindication is necessary to remove the taint from the family escutcheon. It appears that the Big Tim family have an escutcheon. They must have found it in the stockyards district.

This is a merry old world. There are many people in it. Big Tim is one. Now he is on the way to political place in legislative halls or on the way to the ditch where the discards are thrown.

## IS TEXAS CHIVALRY DEAD?

IS TEXAS chivalry dead? Has it gone to join the buffalo, the wild horse and the dodo? Miss Margie Neal is a candidate for the democratic nomination for state senator in the Panola district. She has been in the field for some time on the principle that the early bird catches the worm. Now Gary B. Sanford has announced his candidacy. He is going to do his best to take the nomination away from Miss Neal.

There are five counties in this senatorial district; Rusk, Gregg, Harrison, Panola and Shelby. Miss Neal has a state wide reputation. She is a regular democrat. That is, she votes the ticket and follows the flag. She was a disdrict delegate to the San Francisco convention in 1920, and saw James M. Cox walk away with the nomination.

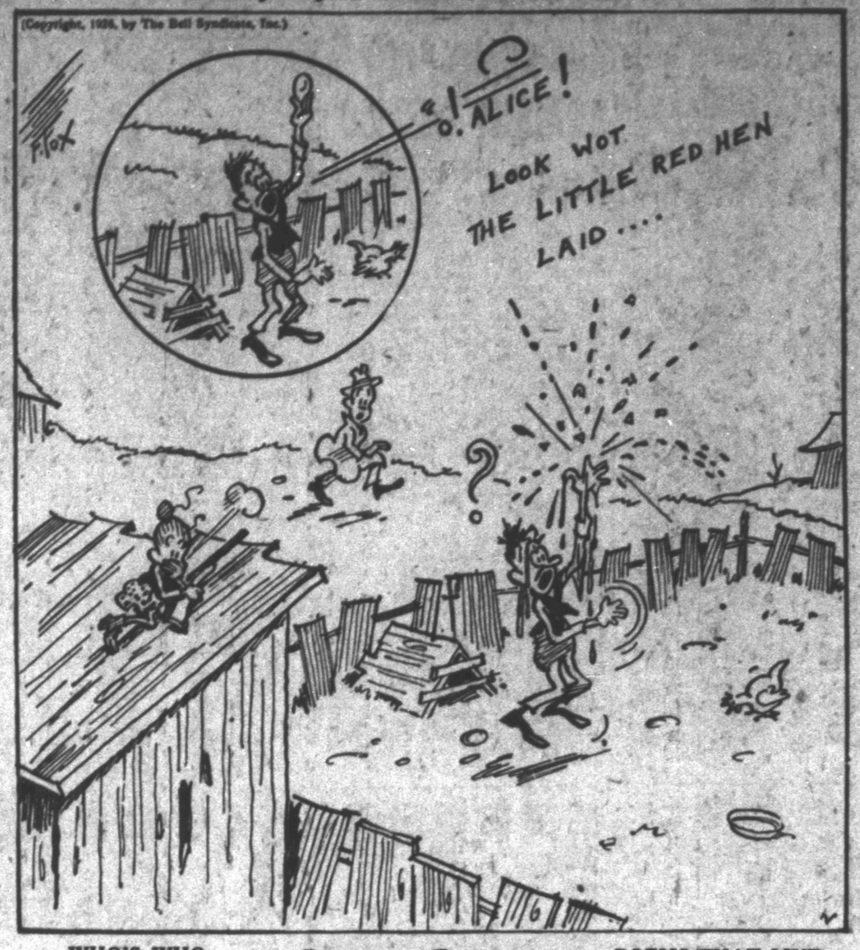
She never fluttered, or shed a tear when the flag of McAdoo went down, and Thomas B. Love admitted, like Bryan, that his heart was in the grave. There is going to be a very interesting contest for the senatorship in this east Texas district.

Now what are the women democrats going to do? Are they going to cast a solid vote for Miss Neal or boost the cause of the youthful democrat who has a term to his credit in the lower house of the legislature.

## WHY WE PROSPER

A COUPLE of English engineers who came to this country unheralded to study the conditions which made prosperity possible here while industrial depression and unemployment are the rule at home have just made a report to their countrymen which will not be pleasant reading for them. They find the secret of our progress to be our willingness to pay high wages, our open-mindedness with respect to new ideas and new methods and machinery and the thoroughness with which we are willing to accept and apply the results of scientific research. It used to be one of the reproaches cast at American manufacturers that they did not pay enough attention to research, and they were especially contrasted with the Germans in this respect. If the British observers are correct in their conclusions, we have awakened at last to the vital importance of research as a factor in economic progressiveness, and the results are evident to the outside world.

## Tomboy Taylor Couldn't Resist That Shot




## WHO'S WHO

**SIR ROBERT KINDERSLEY.**

A British visitor whose name is well known on this side of the Atlantic is Sir Robert Kindersley, one of the directors of the Bank of England and


SIR ROBERT KINDERSLEY.

principal representative of Great Britain on the Dawes - Young negotiations commission. He acted as chairman of the committee which attempted the stabilization of German currency.

In Canada he achieved recognition a number of years ago as governor of the Hudson Bay company. This trading company gained a charter in 1670 from King Charles II. It prospered largely because of its adriot handling of neighboring Indian tribes. While colonists in the states were ofttimes suffering torture at the hands of the redmen, Hudson Bay Post settlers experienced little difficulty in maintaining friendly relations.

In 1900 he presided at ceremonies at Lower Fort Gary, in Winnipeg, which commemorated the 250 anniversary of the granting of the charter. Sir Robert is an officer of the Legion of Honor and a commander of the Order of Leopold. He is 54 years old.

He is also a Knight of the Grand Cross Order of the British Empire and a Knight commander of the British Empire.

## DINNER STORIES

The ocean liner was rolling like a chip, but as usual in such instances one passenger was aggressively, disgustingly healthy.

"Sick, eh?" he remarked to a pale-green person who was leaning on the rail.

The pale-green person regarded the healthy one with all the scorn he could muster. "Sick nothing," he snorted, "I was just leaning over the side of the boat watching the captain crank it!"

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At a small, country station a freight train pulled in and sidetracked for the passenger train. The passenger arrived and pulled out; then the freight started to do its switching. A placid well dressed woman had alighted from the passenger train and was passing close to one of the freight brakemen when he yelled to his buddy.

"Jump on her when she comes by Bill, run her down by the elevator, cut her in two and bring the head end up by the depot!"

The lady picked up her skirts and ran for the station yelling murder at every jump.

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The tourist from the east had stopped to change tires in a desolate region of the far south. "I suppose," he remarked to a native onlooker, "that even in these isolated parts the bare necessities of life have risen tremendously in price?"

"Y'er right, stranger," replied the native, "and it ain't worth drinkin' when ye get it."

## POEMS THAT LIVE

**SPIRITUAL LOVE**

What care I tho' beauty fading
Die ere Time can turn his glass?
What tho' locks the graces braiding,
Perish like the summer grass?
Though thy charms should all decay,
Think not my affections may!

For thy charms—tho' bright as morning—
Captured not my idle heart;
Love so grounded ends in scorning,
Lacks the barb to hold the dart.
My devotion more secure
Woos thy spirit high and pure.

—William Caldwell Roscoe.

## Deputy Is Cleared In Death of Kin

HOUSTON, April 1.—(AP)—A no bill was returned by the Harris county grand jury today in the case of L. T. Hamilton, deputy sheriff at Goose Creek and former Texas ranger who was charged with murder in connection with the killing of his son-in-law, R. L. Laird, January 11.

In the preliminary hearing January 27, Hamilton testified that Laird had attacked Mrs. Hamilton. The shooting took place in the bank at Goose Creek.

**URGE FALL BAIL.**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—H. P. Fall, charged with murder in connection with the killing of Mr. and Mrs. Camden Sanborn should be allowed bail because the state raised the issue of self-defense by placing on the stand James Whitten, railway station agent, Fall's attorneys argued today before the court of criminal appeals.

# DOROTHY DIX

Questions From the World of Love Answered by a Noted Authority

**You Girls Belong to the First Generation of Women in All the World Who Can Marry When and Whom They Please—If You Couldn't Work You'd Have to Marry for a Living or Else Be a Poor, Unwanted Relation.**

In one of the new plays there is a line to the effect that there are three great moments in a woman's life. One is the thrill she gets when her lover kisses her for the first time. The second is when she kneels with her new-made husband at the altar. The third is when she feels the downy head of her first-born upon her breast.

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Take it from me, the working woman knows a fourth great moment—when she gets her first pay envelope, the money that she has earned with her own head and hands, and when every drop of blood in her veins throbs with the proud consciousness that she is no longer a measly, spineless, limp dishrag, clinging vine, but is registering as a sturdy oak herself.

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For the first time in her life she is standing on her own feet. For the first time in her life she is free and independent. She has proved that she can support herself.

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She knows that she will have to find how bitter is the bread of dependence or how steep the stairs of another's house. She does not have to cringe or wheedle or beg for money. She can earn it. She knows what the poet meant about the glorious privilege of being independent, and her heart sings hosannahs to it.

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And it means something more. It means the chivalry of womanhood. When a pretty young girl elects to live in a hall bedroom, and cook her meals over a gas stove, and wear cheap clothing and stand for eight or ten hours a day behind a counter, or bending over a typewriter or ledger, it means that she has chosen the hardest way instead of the easiest way and that she is keeping alive all of the fine white things of life.

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So don't pity yourselves, you girls who stand behind counters, who pound typewriters all day, who work in factories. Be thankful for the privilege of working. Did you ever stop to think what the right to work meant to a woman and that you belong to the first generation of women in all the world who were not forced to marry for a livelihood if they happened to be poor, or else go into the poorhouse or be a hanger-on, despised and ill-treated, in some family where they weren't wanted?

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The poor girl of the past had to sell herself for a home. She was obliged to marry whether she wanted to or not. She couldn't even wait, in the hope that the right man might come along or that she might win the man she fancied. She was obliged to take the first good chance that offered because she dared not run the risk of being left an old maid, with no support.

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Of all women, the working girl is now freest to follow the dictates of her own heart. She does not need to marry for a living, because she can make a living for herself. She is not driven into marriage by the fear of being an old maid, for the self-supporting bachelor girl is an object of respect and envy, not of pity and derision.

## WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

By MARY BLAKE

**Aries.**

Today's planetary aspects are favorable until late in the afternoon. They then become overcast and, although not definitely adverse, will be found to exercise a strong influence on temperament. During the day, the signs denote that all operations in connection with mining or manufacture will be prolific of good results provided that they do not savor of speculation or foolish hazard. On the other hand all work of a constructive character promises not only beneficent but speedy returns. In the evening the chief thing required to avoid the unfortunate temperamental influences that will prevail is pois and self-control.

A girl born today will be practically free from all sickness during infancy. Later on, however, much vigilant care must be exercised in order to avoid a general decline caused by an anaemic condition. A boy will not be fortunate in his infancy, although good nutrition and an abundance of fresh air will mitigate the seriousness of many of the illnesses from which he may suffer. He will, however, successfully outgrow these early weaknesses and later on develop along normal lines. Temperamentally, the boy will be reserved and taciturn. The girl will be talkative and, in a sense, irresponsible. The boy will be serious minded and introspective. The girl will be care free and rather callous. The boy will be capable of great emotion, whereas the girl's affections will never be deeply rooted.

If today is your birthday the signs at your birth were very favorable, and indicated strength of character, tenacity of purpose, and an ability to achieve. Your methods may not be always ethical but nothing can hold you back when you have determined to achive a given goal. You are forceful but not tactful. You are frank to the point, sometimes, of brutality. Your ambitions are more practical than ideal and you center all your energies on the attainment of material success.

You carry your dominating characteristics into your home and, though all those nearest to you respect and possibly fear you, there is a marked absence of that affection which characterises so many contented families. You derive happiness from the contemplation of your success but it is doubtful if it gives real happiness to others.

Successful people born this date are:

Erastus D. Palmer—Sculptor.
Thomas Jefferson—third president of the U. S.
Alfred H. Littlefield—manufacturer and ex-governor of Rhode Island.
Daniel Draper—meteorologist.
George H. Putnam—publisher.
Nicholas Murray Butler—educator.

**WHEW! SURE A JOKE.**

**Fort Worth Detective Almost Victim of 'April Fool.'**

FORT WORTH, April 1.—(AP)—"Hello," said Detective Secretary Helm, taking up the receiver. He had been so busy he had forgotten what day it was and that Fort Worth is like any other American city.

"This is the Express company," came the answer. "Wish you'd send one of your men down here right away. We've got a bad case for you."

"What are the circumstances?" inquired Helm methodically.

"Well you know we don't keep eggs over 30 days," was the reply.

"Rotten joke. Save it for Easter," grumbled the detective.

## Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

**WHAT'S ALL THIS TALK OF APRIL?**

What's all this talk of April showers?
I know it sprinkles now and then,
But April has its happy hours,
Like all the other months of men.
A little rain—and sun again!
A little gray—and then the blue!
What's all this talk of April, when
You know the trouble soon is through?

What's all this talk of human ills,
The little ills of every day?
Some little hurt the morning fills,
But trouble seldom comes to stay.
Unless you keep your own sky gray,
The sun will soon come bursting through!
The clouds of care will roll away
The way the clouds of April do!

So here's a song for April skies,
And here's a song for foolish tears.
The really happy are the wise
Who, when a little rain appears,
Remember there are other years,
And other folks, and other things,
Who wait until the weather clears
And pick the flowers that April brings.

## WILLIE WILLIS



"I'm glad parents is ashamed to say no if you ask for a nickel when there's company."

## What Do You Know About It?

**Daily Science Six**

1. What is the highest mountain in the world?
2. What is the higest mountain in the U. S. A.?
3. What are the oldest mountains in America?
4. What state has the least hilly ground?
5. In what state are the Black Hills?
6. Where are the Ozarks?

(Answers to these questions in tomorrow's Record-Herald.

**How High Is a Mountain?**

When somebody asked Abraham Lincoln how long a man's legs ought to be, intending to ridicule him for his long legs, he replied, "Long enough to reach the ground." A mountain, similarly is as high as it looks. Near Denver there is a slight rise in the ground called Mt. Washington, because it is just the same height as New England's proudest peak, a little over 6000 feet high. This is intended to make the New Englander feel small, but as a matter of fact few mountains in Colorado are as high from their base to their summit as Mt. Washington. If you start at six thousand feet, a mountain ten thousand feet high is really only 4000 thousand feet high; Mt. Washington has an apparent height of five thousand feet. Also, a mountain is what you please to call it. In Florida the highest point of land is about two hundred feet and it is the pride of the state. No doubt if you took alpine stocks and tied a rope around your waist and carried oxygen respirator, you could get as much thrill out of Florida's mountain as out of the Matterhorn.

Now what do you know about that?

**Answers to Yesterday's Questions:**

1. The Amazon is the world's largest river.
2. The Nile, Congo, and Niger are Africa's three chief rivers.
3. The Colorado river has the highest banks in the world, where it flows through the Grand Canyon.
4. The Columbia is the largest American river emptying into the Pacific.
5. The Mississippi rises in Minnesota.
6. The Mackenzie flows to the Arctic.

## Jim Is Confident Of Ma's Election, He Tells Paper

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—(AP)—Confident that Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, will be re-elected governor with comparatively little opposition James E. Ferguson today announced that the state's chief executive will launch her campaign in a north Texas town within the next 30 days.

"My wife has officially approved the law against illegal search of homes and seizure by peace officers," Mr. Ferguson stated, "and upon this issue the approaching campaign will revolve." He added that "the private business of a citizen is one of the chief bulwarks of American government."

He also predicted that the strongest opponent this year will be no stronger than Felix Robertson was in the 1924 campaign.

"My visit is entirely political as I am here visiting my friends," the former governor said.

**PER CAPITA COSTS.**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Average cost per capita for inmates in the 18 eleemosynary institutions of the state in February was $21.31, with the girls training school at Gainesville being the highest at $65.08 and the San Antonio state hospital $12.00 the lowest, reports from the state board of control made public today showed.

During the month there were 12,427 inmates on the rolls with 1,729 employes receiving the average salary of $57.15. Total amount expended was $233,273.78, with $92,420.14 being spent for construction.

**INVITED TO RACES.**

AUSTIN, April 1.—(AP)—Invitations to Adjutant General Dallas J. Matthews and the air squadron of the thirty-sixth division, Texas National Guard to attend the national elimination balloon races and air meet at Little Rock, April 29 and 30, were received Wednesday from Adjutant General James R. Wayne of Arkansas. The invitations are under consideration Lieutenant Colonel Neal Bannister, assistant adjutant said.

## The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

**Who Cares For April Showers!**

April's shower-and-sun month,
Of springing grass and flowers,
But every month is fun month
For merry hearts like ours!

**He Knew**

Sherwood: "What do you mean? Your wife isn't cross-eyed!"

Barnes: "You should have seen how cross they were when I got in at two o'clock this morning!"

**WALLY THE MYSTIC**
**He'll Answer Your Questions**

At Easter time come problems that
Involve the well-known Easter hat;
That Wally solves them is no myth,
As witness problems solved herewith!

**A Wife's Cross**

Dear Wally:
Things are far from right;
Doggonit, I have got to fight
Each year to get an Easter hat,
And then don't always get it.
SPAT

Dear Spat:
As rules of war advise,
Attacks too soon are most unwise;
So charge a hat to him, and that'll
Postpone till Easter morn the battle!

**Unquestionably Good Taste**

Dear Wally:
I've an Easter hat!
Would you advise, when wearing that,
To wear some snappy garters, too,
Or would they be distractful?
LOU

Dear Lou:
With some they might distract.
Don't be dissuaded by that fact:
The garters seem all right to me—
That is, as far as I can see!

**Difficult**

Lawyer: "Yes, I think we can sue him for breach of promise. Bring all his love letters to court with you."

Fair client: "That's the hard part. He's an aviator and all his love-letters were in sky-writing."

—Amram Hookerman.

There's usually so much in a woman's smile that the man who receives it spends the rest of his life puzzling over what it means.

**He Got His Feet Into It!**

Little Randall, a proud first-grader, returned from school one day and said: "Mamma, we were weighed and measured in school today, and I am 14 inches high."

"Fourteen inches!" his mother exclaimed.

"Well, maybe it was 14 feet then," Randall replied, "I know it was one or the other."—Mrs. F. Treadwell.

**FORTY YEARS AGO**
**(From Ye Funne Shoppe—1880)**

John—Yes, by cracky! I can drive the horse and buggy with one hand!

Samantha—Ain't that fine! Then you can hold the whip with the other one.

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Sylvester—Is your hair natural dear, or artificial?

Susanah—Well, I do say, but you are curious! It's a switch, but I think it looks like it was my own, don't you?

Sylvester—Well, I allow it does! But what's that—er—thing on the back of your dress?

Susanah—My bustle! Now if you ask me if that's natural I'll never speak to you again as long as I live!

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Mr. Spinnerton— Thunderation, Daughter! Where have you been the hull night?

Susan—I've had to-boo, hoo—walk b-b-home from a b-b-bicycle ride, papa.

**He'd Find Lost Golf Balls**

Bowers: "My boy found every colored Easter egg that we had hidden away! At Christmas time it was the same way—he found every package we had hid in the house."

Hackett: "You ought to let him grow up to be a caddy!"—F. K. Blumthal.

**Strongheart, the Pup**

**IN KLASS AT KRAZY KOLLEGE**
(Conducted by Gertrude)

Teacher:
"You seem a trifle dense today, Mrs. Jooiry—suppose you try a couple of denses. 'Condense' and 'evidence' to be specific."

Selma Jooiry:
"I can shake the Tolkish hoochy, I can hoof an Irish clog,
I'm a riot at the Yiddisher kazotsky;
I condense you any other dence, but one has got my goat—
Vill I evidence the Charleston? It seems notsky."

—Bruno Pattison.

**KRAZY KINDERGARTEN**
(Conducted by Dusty)

Teetcher:
"Try 'hypothesis' for a change, Ida and speak softly so as not to disturb Gertrude Jr., while she teaches the goldfish to practice their scales."

Ida Bin There:
"Last nite I climbed in thru the window,
I was late and thawt pa mite not see,
He yelled 'Robbers!' and reetched for his shotgun,
So I quick sed, 'Hypothesis me!'"

**DRINKS FOR PALLBEARERS.**

STRATFORD, Eng.—The will of W. G. Waters provided funds to buy drinks for the pallbearers at his funeral.

## HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS




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# The Record News Review of Markets and Finance

### MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK.—Stocks, strong; general rally lifts prices 1 to 6 points.

Bonds, higher; French issue rise briskly.

Foreign exchanges, mixed; French francs higher, Belgian at new low.

Cotton, barely steady; bullish weather.

Sugar, easier; commission house liquidation.

Coffee, lower; European selling.

CHICAGO.—Wheat, lower; bearish private crop estimates.

Corn, steady; unfavorable weather.

Cattle, higher.

Hogs, firm.

## Cotton

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES.

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 4 to 5 points.

| | High | Low | Close | Prev. Low |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 17.00 | 17.00 | 17.04 | 17.00 |
| May | 18.18 | 18.06 | 18.16-16 | 18.05 |
| July | 17.82 | 17.66 | 17.72-74 | 17.67 |
| Oct. | 17.15 | 16.98 | 17.04-08 | 16.99 |
| Dec. | 17.11 | 17.03 | 17.08 | 17.02 |

Opening: January 17.04 bid; May 18.00; July 17.71; October 17.05; December 17.04.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—(AP)—The cotton market was rather quiet today being dominated entirely by pre-holiday influence more than usually potent in this instance because of the fact that the market will be closed from this afternoon quntil Monday morning. While the initial gain of 15 to 16 points was due largely to the forecast for rain in the western belt, the narrow fluctuations of the rest of the day were due mainly to evening up in advance of the triple holiday. Before noon prices had lost nearly all of the early gain on preholiday realizing and dropping to levels 12 to 14 points below the early highs. Late in the afternoon prices made new lows 13 to 17 points under the highs but rallied 8 to 10 points right at the end on covering. The close showed net gains for the day of four to five points. At the start first trades were two to six points higher in sympathy with better cables than due. After brief hesitation prices advanced on the official forecast for rain in the west over the holidays, May trading up to 18.18, July to 17.82 and October to 17.15 or 13 to 16 points above the close of yesterday.

Late in the morning the bulge attracted realising and prices gradually eased off until May traded down to 18.06, July to 17.69 and October to 17.01, or 12 to 14 points down from the highs. After fluctuating within the previous range the greater part of the afternoon prices eased off again in the late trading, making new lows on most active months with July down to 17.66 and October to 16.98 or one point under the previous close. There was a rally of eight to 10 points in the final trading on covering.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 5 to 10 points.

| | High | Low | Close | Prev. Low |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 17.35 | 17.22 | 17.32 | 17.27 |
| May | 18.90 | 18.78 | 18.88-87 | 18.77 |
| July | 18.40 | 18.20 | 18.37-39 | 18.27 |
| Oct. | 17.78 | 17.63 | 17.72-73 | 17.65 |
| Dec. | 17.45 | 17.32 | 17.40 | 17.53 |

Opening: January 17.33; May 18.80; July 18.30; October 17.66; December 17.38.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—An early advance in the cotton market was followed by reaction under pre-holiday realizing, but prospects for unfavorable weather in the south had a sustaining influence. The close was firm at net advances of five to 10 points. After selling at 18.40, July broke to 18.29 and closed at 18.37, compared with 18.27 at the close yesterday.

The market opened at an advance of three to six points, actiy months showing net gains of eight to 18 points in early trading in response to relatively firm Liverpool cables and apprehensions of renewed rains in the south. Some of yesterday's sellers covered on the advance, with moderate dmand from commission house and the trade. Contracts were supplied by further realizing of recent buyers, however, and th mid-day markt eased off. Except for profit taking, offerings were restricted by the fear of continued bad weather. While an early afternoon bulge was followed by dips when southern selling, last prices were within five or six points of the best on most positions.

Both the New York and New Orleans markets will be closed until next Monday, and Liverpool until Tuesday.

There was probably some selling on the bulges today, on belief that storms expected in th south would be over before the market re-opened next week and that with good weather during April, delays so far reported in farm work would be forgotten. Much of the day's business was attributed to the evening up of old accounts but there was some selling here late in the afternoon supposed to represent hedging, possibly against an increased spot business in the south.

Exports for the day were 58,934 bales, making 6,589,971 so far this season. Port receipts today 15,776. U. S. port stocks 1,146,650 bales.

SPOT MARKETS.

DALLAS, April 1.—Spots closed steady, 30 higher; sales 1,467 bales. Middling fair 19.90; strict good middling 19.75; good middling 19.25; strict middling 19.20; middling 18.25; strict low middling 18.05; low middling 18.25; strict good ordinary 13.25; good ordinary 13.25.

GALVESTON, April 1.—The spot market closed steady, unchanged; sales 906 bales.

HOUSTON, April 1.—The spot market closed steady, 10 up; sales 1,880 bales. Low ordinary 9.10; ordinary 10.80; good ordinary 12.10; strict good ordinary 13.60; low middling 15.35; strict low middling 17.35; middling 18.85; strict middling 19.35; good middling 19.50; strict good middling 19.65; middling fair 19.80.

LIVERPOOL, April 1.—(AP)—Cotton spot quiet; prices steady. American strictly good middling 11.16; good middling 10.86; strictly middling 10.61; middling 10.16; strictly low middling 9.50; low middling 8.51; strictly good ordinary 7.66; good ordinary 6.96. Sales 6,000 bales, including 3,500 American; receipts 21,000 bales, American 6,400. Futures closed steady: April 9.55; July 9.51; October 9.27; December 9.16; January 9.15; March 9.15.

CHICAGO, April 1.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed: May 18.32; July 17.88; October 17.13.

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, quotations revised, middling 7 points up; sales 3,652 bales. Low middling 14.87; middling 18.37; good middling 19.22; receipts 161; stock 360,681 bales.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Foreign exchange, irregular; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.85 7-16; cables 4.86 3-16; 60-day bills on banks 4.81 3-16. France demand 3.44½; cables 3.45. Italy demand 4.02; cables 4.02⅜. Demand: Belgium 3.64; Germany 23.80; Holland 40.06; Norway 21.40; Sweden 26.80; Denmark 26.17; Switzerland 19.26½; Spain 14.12; Greece 1.34; Poland 12.40; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.76; Austria 14; Rumania 41⅛; Argentina 39.8C; Brazil 14.16; Tokyo 46; Shanghai 72⅞; Montreal 99 13-16.

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## N. Y. Stocks

| | Sales | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am Tel and Tel | 20 | 145 | 143⅞ | 145 |
| Am Tobacco | 7 | 114 | 112⅞ | 113⅞ |
| Am Woolen | 6 | 34 | 33⅞ | 33⅞ |
| A T and S F | 43 | 126 | 125⅞ | 125⅞ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 32 | 45¼ | 43¼ | 44¼ |
| California Pet | 301 | 35⅛ | 34⅛ | 35⅛ |
| C R I and P | 37 | 44⅛ | 43¼ | 43⅝ |
| Chrysler Motor | 502 | 35 | 33⅝ | 33⅝ |
| Coca Cola | 70 | 139⅝ | 136 | 137¾ |
| Consolidated Gas | 41 | 91½ | 91 | 91½ |
| Corn Products | 42 | 38⅛ | 37 | 37⅝ |
| Dodge Bros pfd | 18 | 83½ | 83 | 83½ |
| Dupont de Nem | 57 | 206 | 203 | 204½ |
| Fisk Rubber | 53 | 17⅝ | 16⅜ | 16⅜ |
| Freeport-T Co | 70 | 24½ | 23 | 23⅝ |
| Gen Electric | 230 | 308¼ | 302¼ | 304½ |
| Gen Motors | 413 | 121¼ | 119¼ | 120 |
| Gen Petroleum | 246 | 60⅝ | 58⅛ | 60 |
| Gulf States Steel | 4 | 71¼ | 71 | 71½ |
| Ind Oil and Gas | 117 | 24⅜ | 23⅛ | 23⅜ |
| Kelly Spring T | 5 | 16⅛ | 16 | 16⅛ |
| Louis and Nash | 17 | 124⅝ | 121 | 121 |
| Mack Truck | 190 | 113⅛ | 109⅝ | 110⅛ |
| Maxwell Oil | 388 | 54⅛ | 53 | 53⅛ |
| Mid-Cont Pet | 49 | 31⅜ | 30 | 30⅝ |
| M K and T | 33 | 36 | 35⅛ | 35½ |
| N Y Central | 116 | 122⅞ | 121 | 121⅛ |
| North Am Co | 296 | 48⅛ | 46⅝ | 48 |
| Pacific Oil | 55 | 53⅛ | 52⅝ | 53⅛ |
| Pan-Am Pet B | 310 | 63⅛ | 61⅝ | 62⅝ |
| Phillips Pet | 273 | 43⅜ | 42⅛ | 43¼ |
| Pure Oil | 30 | 27 | 26⅝ | 26⅞ |
| Radio Corp | 30 | 35 | 35¼ | 34½ |
| Reyn Tob B | 10 | 92 | 91½ | 92 |
| St L and S F | 52 | 99⅝ | 98⅜ | 98⅜ |
| Shell Union Oil | 37 | 24⅝ | 24⅜ | 24⅝ |
| Simms Pet | 140 | 22⅜ | 21⅞ | 22 |
| Sinclair Con Oil | 141 | 21⅝ | 21 | 21⅜ |
| Southern Pac | 28 | 98⅛ | 97⅜ | 98⅛ |
| Southern Ry | 68 | 110⅛ | 109⅝ | 109⅞ |
| Stand Oil of Cal | 73 | 54⅛ | 53⅝ | 54 |
| Stand O of N J | 81 | 43 | 42⅜ | 42⅝ |
| Stude Corp | 59 | 54 | 53 | 53 |
| Texas Company | 62 | 50⅝ | 49⅝ | 50 |
| Tex Gulf Sulp | 66 | 129⅞ | 126 | 132 |
| T and P | 43 | 47 | 46⅛ | 46⅛ |
| T and P C and O | 47 | 14⅝ | 13⅝ | 13⅝ |
| Transcont Oil | 16 | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ |
| Union Pacific | 7 | 144⅝ | 143¼ | 144⅝ |
| U S Rubber | 131 | 67⅝ | 65⅝ | 66⅛ |
| U S Steel | 437 | 123 | 121⅛ | 122⅛ |
| Willys Over | 187 | 23⅛ | 22⅞ | 23 |

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Stock prices maintained a firm undertone today despite intermittent selling by professional traders who had bought stock "for a turn" in the two preceding sessions. Closing quotations disclosed some irregularity, a long list of gains ranging from one to five points being counteracted by a shorter list of corresponding net losses. Trading showed a further reduction in volume, the day's sales aggregating 1,864,600 shares, a scompared with 2,576,200 yesterday and 3,317,300 the day before.

Lowering of the call money rate reflecting the return flow of funds withdrawn from the New York market during the past ten days, helped to revive speculative confidence. The day's trade news also was constructive in character, the chief item being a report that the mills of the United States Steel corporation were operating practically at capacity, the announcement of John D. Ryan that the business of the American Brass company broke all records for the first quarter and publication of several notable earnings statements by motor car and oil companies.

Oil shares received strong business support today on trade predictions of record breaking gasoline consumption this year. Atlantic Refining scored six extreme gain of 4½ points at 106 and then yielded slightly on profit taking, while net gains of one to two points were recorded by California Petroleum, General Petroleum, Houston, Mid-Continent, Pan-American Petroleum "B," Pan-American Western, Skelly and Tidewater preferred.

Most of the standard industrials recorded moderate gains on the day. U. S. Steel common showed an extreme gain of two points by touching 123 and then sagged back to 122⅛ on realising. American Telephone, DuPont, Marine preferred, North American company, Sears Roebuck and Texas Gulf Sulphur showed net gains of one to three points.

A late wave of profit taking materially reduced of cancelled the early gains in the motor shares. Hudson fell from 79⅛ to 77¼. Mack Trucks from 112⅛ to 110¾ and Chrysler from 35 to 33⅛.

Bear traders made another, unsuccessful attempt to unsettle the general list by hammering the railroad equipment shares. American Locomotive tumbled from 96⅜ to 93 and then rebounded to 93¼, off 2¾, and Baldwin dropped from 101¾ to 97¾ and then rallied to 98⅜, where it was up nearly one point on the day.

Good buying developed in several railroad shares, particularly Delaware and Hudson, Lackawanna, Great Northern preferred and Northern Pacific all of which showed net gains of more than a point. Chesapeake and Ohio was heavily offered by traders who apparently had bought the stock to get the six dollar cash dividend, which came off today, the closing quotation of 122 representing a net loss of two points. Southern railway and Louisville and Nashville also were heavy.

Call money renewed at 5 per cent, eased to 4½ and thence to 4, closing at the bottom. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Foreign exchange trading was quiet, with most of the principal rates showing an easier undertone. Demand sterling ruled around 4.85⅝ and French francs around 3.45 cents.

PARIS.—Three drunken men entered the home of Andre Mellise, aged 69, at l'Orient, and burned him to death in his bed.

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## Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, April 1.—The Fort Worth livestock trade received slightly increased receipts in cattle and calves over a week ago and slightly decreased arrivals from the same period. 2,000 grown cattle and 300 calves against 2,035 cattle and 511 calves. Hog arrivs were 800 and sheep 600 compared with 555 and 430.

The resultant market looked steady on the bulk of the cattle and calves. Hogs were a quarter higher and sheep steady, with a decline of 25 to 50c on genuine lambs for slaughter.

Bulk beef cattle grassers from south Texas, light weight $6.65—five loads. Fed cattle up to $7.50.

In the stock division best beef cows up to $7.00, eight loads in canner class at $3.50. Effort seen to get strong weight canners at lower cost. Six cars desirable butcher cows at $5.50.

Yearlings and kalfs at $9.00 for inquiry lends, bulk odd lots $10.00 down to $3.00.

Bulls steady but few calves continue to retain good position of past two weeks, choice veals $10.25. Medium weight veals up to $9.75. Good heavies $7.50 to $8.00.

Hog trade showed advance of 15 to 25c, lights of 260 to 300 pounds a top of $13.00. Hogs of 250 to 300 pounds $12.00 to $12.25. Slaughter pigs and heavy packing sows unchanged.

Grown sheep and yearlings steady former at $8.50, the latter up to $10.00; slaughter lambs 25 to 50c lower at $10.00 to $13.50.

Cattle, 2,000, including 300 calves; market steady; beeves $6.00@9.00; stocker steers $5.50@8.25; fat cows $5.00@7.00, cutters $4.50@5.00; canners $3.00@4.00; yearlings $8.00@10.00; heifers $5.50@9.00; bulls $3.75@5.25; calves $8.00@10.25.

Hogs, 500; market 15 to 25c higher; good to choice lights $13.00@13.10; fair lights $12.90@13.00; medium weights $12.00@12.50; good mixed $12.40@12.60; heavy packing $11.25@13.00; common $6.00@8.00; packing sows $10.25@11.00; pigs $9.00@12.25.

Sheep 600, including 300 direct; market steady to 50c lower; slaughter lambs $12.50@15.50; stocker lambs $10.00@11.00; yearlings $9.50@10.00; wethers $8.00@8.50; ewes $7.50@9.00; culls $1.00@4.00; feeders $6.50@7.50; goats $1.00 each.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, April 1.—(AP)—Cattle 5,000; fed steers of value to sell at $10.00 and above strong; top steers $10.85; yearlings $10.75; no change in other classes; vealers $10.00@10.50; to packers.

Hogs 6,000; uneven 25 to 35c higher; 240 to 300 pound butchers $14.80@12.25; 200 to 225 pound weights $12.00@13.20; 180 pounds down $13.25@13.60; sows $10.20@10.90; pigs $13.50@13.75; estimated holdover 5,000.

Sheep 9,000; fat lambs generally 25c higher; yearlings and shearing lambs sharing advance; fat sheep fully steady; fat wooled lambs $12.75@13.25; top $13.75; clipped lambs upward to $11.00; woolen yearling wethers $11.25; fat ewes upward to $9.25; choice clipped wethers $8.75; shearing lambs $13.00@13.25.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, April 1.—Cattle, 2,000; calves 500; best steers and fat she stock very slow, barely steady; choice lightweight steers $9.85; good medium weights $9.40; bulls and veals steady; practical top veal $10.00; stockers and feeders dull.

Hogs, 3,000; early sales mostly to shippers and traders 15 to 25c higher; mostly 25c up; packers bought sparingly; closing dull; late bids around steady; top $12.95 on 175 pound averages; bulk of sales $11.10 to $12.65; desirable 180 to 240 pounds $12.15 to $12.90; assorted light lights up to $13.20; 250 to 325 pounds $11.00 to $12.00; packing sows $9.75@10.55; stock pigs scarce.

Sheep, 3,500; lambs steady to strong; top $12.65; other desirable weight kind $12.25@12.60; 94 pound offerings $12.10; odd lots sheep steady.

## Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, April 1.—(AP)—Eastern selling which developed after various unofficial crop estimates were issued, gave the wheat market today a decided downward trend. The estimates were interpreted as suggesting a probabl yield of 565,000,000 bushels of winter wheat in the United States this season, compared with 398,000,000 bushels yast year.

Wheat closed unsettled ⅞ to 2¼c net lower, May (new) $1.56 to $1.56⅛ and July $1.33⅝ to $1.33⅞, with corn unchanged to ¼c higher, oats at ¼c decline to a shade advance, and provisions unchanged to 15c off.

Corn and oats were steadied by dearth of receipts and by reports that country roads are bad as a result of storms. Further delay of oats seeding was noted.

Commission house selling eased the provisions market, despite higher quotations on hogs.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT— | | | |
| May new | 1.53⅛ | 1.53⅛ | 1.53 |
| May old | 1.56⅛ | 1.54⅝ | 1.55⅛ |
| July | 1.35⅝ | 1.33⅝ | 1.33⅝ |
| Sept. | 1.31⅛ | 1.29 | 1.29⅛ |
| CORN— | | | |
| May | .73⅛ | .73⅛ | .73⅛ |
| July | .77⅛ | .77⅛ | .77⅛ |
| Sept. | .79½ | .79⅛ | .79⅝ |
| OATS— | | | |
| May | .41⅞ | .41 | .41⅜ |
| July | .41⅝ | .41⅛ | .41⅜ |
| Sept. | .41⅝ | .41⅛ | .41⅜ |
| RYE— | | | |
| May | .87⅝ | .86 | .86 |
| July | .86⅞ | .87⅛ | .87⅛ |
| Sept. | .88⅛ | .87⅝ | .88¼ |
| LARD— | | | |
| May | 14.32 | 14.27 | 14.27 |
| July | 14.58 | 14.47 | 14.50 |
| RIBS— | | | |
| May | 14.62 | 14.60 | 14.60 |
| July | | | 14.70 |
| BELLIES— | | | |
| May | 15.07 | 15.05 | 15.07 |
| July | 15.45 | 15.40 | 15.45 |

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, April 1.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group three or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange:

Wheat: No. 2 dark hard, $1.72@1.74; No. 1 ordinary hard, $1.72@1.74; No. 1 red, $1.78@1.82; No. 1, 75 per cent red $1.76@1.78.

Corn: No. 2 white, 88@89c; No. 3 white, 88@88c; No. 2 white 87@88c; No. 3 mixed 87@88c; No. 2 mixed 85@87c.

Oats: No. 2 red, 52@54c; No. 3 white, 53@54c. Snapped corn 85c@$1.00; No. 3 barley 80@82c; No. 3 milo $1.20@1.23. No. 3 kaffir $1.17@1.19; maize heads $22@24; kaffir heads $18@20; red top cane seed $2.10@2.20.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, April 1.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.52@1.59; No. 2 red, $1.57@1.58; May $1.46¼; July $1.24⅝; September $1.21¾.

Corn: No. 2 white 65½@67c; No. 2 yellow 68½@70c; No. 2 milled, 67½@68½c; May 68¾c; July 71½c; September 74⅝c.

Oats: No. 2 white 41½@42½c; No. 3 white, 40½@41½c.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, April 1.—(AP)—Wheat: No sales.

Corn: No. 4 mied 66½@68½c; No. 3 yellow 71½@72½c; No. 3 white, 72½c.

Oats: No. 2 white 42@43¾c; No. 3 white, 41¾@42c; No. 4 mied 40½@41½c.

U. S. BONDS.

NEW YORK, April 1.—United States bonds: Liberty 3½'s, 100.26; second 4's, 100.8; first 4½'s, 102.3; second 4½'s, 100.25; third 4½'s, 101.8; fourth 4¼'s, 102.15; treasury 4's, 103.26; treasury 4¼'s, 107.28.

CALL MONEY.

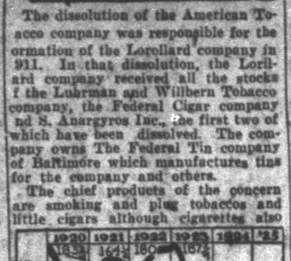
NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Call money, easier; high 5; low 4; ruling rate 5; closing bid 4; offered at 4½; last loan 4; call loans against acceptances 3¾. Time loans, firm; 60-90 days 4⅝@4¾; 4-6 months 4⅝@4¾; prime mercantile paper 4½.

## STOCK-A-DAY



The dissolution of the American Tobacco company was responsible for the ormation of the Lorollard company in 911. In that dissolution, the Lorillard company received all the stocks f the Luhrman and Willbern Tobacco company, the Federal Cigar company nd S. Anargyros Inc. The first two of which have been dissolved. The company owns The Federal Tin company of Baltimore which manufactures tins for the company and others.

The chief products of the concern are smoking and plug tobaccos and little cigars although cigarettes also




are manufactured. The plants of the company are located at Baltimore, Lancaster, Pa., Jersey City, Middletown, O., New York City, Richmond, Wilmington, Louisville and Madison, Wis.

Capital stock of the company consists of $11,307,800 in 7 per cent cumulative preferred shares of $100 par outstanding and $30,305,550 in $25 par common. Funded debt totals $20,445,200 with the first maturity in 1944. Earnings have been consistent although they were not especially impressive in 1923 and 1924 due to the fact that the main expansion in the industry was in cigarette sales.

Dividends have been paid at rates not less than 12 per cent annually on the common stock since 1914. As of January 1, 1925, current assets were $47,321,804 and current liabilities $2,160,373 leaving net working capital of $45,161,491. Annual average net income from 1925 to 1924 inclusive was $5,469,728.

LEAPS TO SAFETY.

TYLER, April 1.—(AP)—Leaping from a window for his life, Judge Barney Frazier, clad only in his night clothes, escaped with serious injuries from the fire which destroyed his home at a loss of $8,500.

Judge Frazier was hurt about the face and head, and his back was sprained in his jump to the ground.

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## Produce

CHICAGO POULTRY.

CHICAGO, April 1.—(AP)—Poultry alive, firm; receipts three cars; fowls 23c; springs 32c; turkeys 33c; roosters 21c; ducks 30@32c; geese 19c.

TEXAS PRODUCE.

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—(AP)—There was a generous fruit and vegetable movement from Texas yesterday. Spring beau shipments jumped to five express cars; there moved an express shipment of strawberries and two express cars of potatoes as well as 29 freights of spinach, four freights, three express cars of mixed vegetables, three freight shipments of sweet potatoes, one of lettuce and 38 of cabbage. The unreported movement of March 30th consisted of 87 Texas in a total of 91 cars cabbage and for the 25th there was a pick up for this commodity of 44 cars. The previous day unreported movement for the 30th of mixed vegetables was 29 Texas and a total of 38 cars.

Spinach shipping markets were weak at 90 cents per bushel basket. Beets steady at 85@90c, carrots firm at 85c@$1. Potatoes steady at $7 per cwt and cabbage stronger at $40@45 per ton. The demand for string beans was about steady at $4.40@4.60 per bushel.

Poultry, butter and eggs show no material changes this morning at Texas markets. Receipts are rather light.

San Antonio: Hens mostly 22c; fryers mostly 38@40c; leghorns lower; roosters 12c; turkeys 30c per pound liveweight basis.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts $7.00@7.25, few higher.

Fort Worth: Hens 20@22c; springs large 40@42c; small 30@32c; old roosters mostly 13c; turkeys 30@32c per pound liveweight basis; geese medium sizes $1.25@1.50; ducks 60@65c; guineas 30@35c each.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts to producers $7.25@7.50 per 30 dozen case.

Butter, packing stock country 23c; creamery A 42c; B 40c per pound.

2 DROWN ON HONEYMOON.

GENOA.—Giuseppe Ralli and his bride drowned on their honeymoon when their motorboat was wrecked in the Mediterranean.

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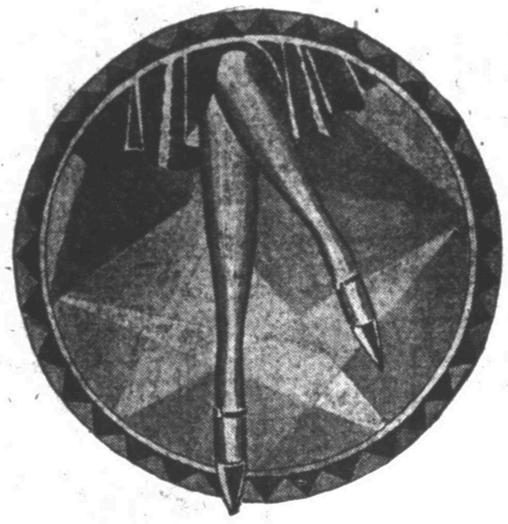
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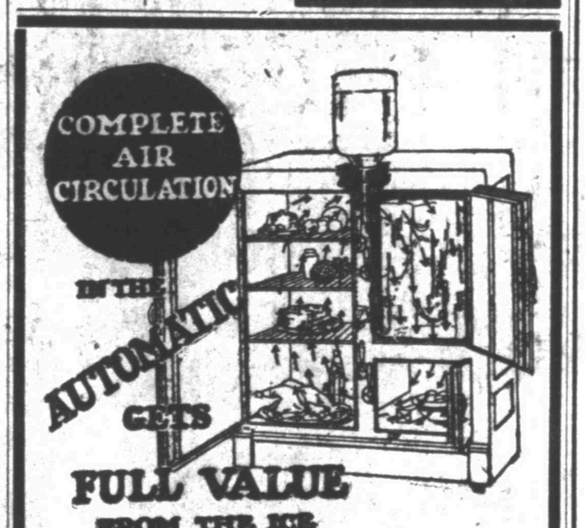
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# BANK ROBBING SUSPECTS KEEP THEIR SILENCE

### San Antonio Men Held For Holdup, Decline To Explain

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—(AP)—Four men charged today with robbery of the San Antonio National Bank Tuesday, maintained their innocence.

Questioned by reporters at the county jail, Otis Yeager and Joe Hobrecht, contented themselves with simply stating they knew nothing about the robbery. Jack and Kenneth Smith, brothers, though visibly nervous were more talkative and declared they were innocent of the charge.

"I was never in that bank in my life," declared Jack Smith, the elder brother. "We have been picked on suspicion and the officers have nothing on us. We will be able to prove an alibi."

Smith then inquired if his wife still was being held and seemed much perturbed when told she was.

**Lots of Evidence.**

Kenneth Smith declared that if he and his brother could get out of jail they could find witnesses who would satisfy the officers of their innocence.

"Dont' worry, we'll get out," remarked the elder brother.

"I know," replied Kenneth, "but they have a lot of circumstantial evidence which must be explained and we cannot find our witnesses here." Charges were filed against the four men before Justice of the Peace Anton Adam, accusing them of robbery by assault with firearms of William Herff, president of the bank. Kenneth Smith waived preliminary hearing and was remanded to jail without bail.

Soon after the charges were filed attorneys for Yeager filed an application for writ of habeas corpus in the 37th district court. When it was learned that the complaints had been filed the application was withdrawn and it was announced another application probably would be filed tomorrow.

**Find Shotgun.**

Officers soon afterward reported the finding of a sawed off pump shot gun in the San Antonio river, where one of the men said he had thrown it. The weapon proved to have been recently shortened.

With the gun was found a canvas case and a cleaning outfit.

The suspect who admitted throwing the gun into the river told District Attorney C. M. Chambers he had the gun sawed off to shoot quail. Asked why he had thrown it into the river, the man said he heard of the robbery and was afraid he would be suspected if found with the gun. Chambers reminded him that the quail season will not begin for about nine months.

Officers still held two other men and two women, although they had not been able to connect them with the robbery. These men and women probably will be released.

**PLASTERERS STRIKE.**

**Refuse to Work When Denied Raise to $14 Daily.**

DALLAS, April 1.—(AP)—More than 150 journeymen plasterers were called out on strike today by local union officials, because of contractors' refusal to grant a wage increase from $13 to $14 a day.

For the present, the union officials do not contemplate calling out other union workmen on a sympathetic strike, they said.

A meeting was to be held this afternoon by the Plaster Contractors association to make plans to bring open shop workers to Dallas to succeed the strikers.

**OBREGON CANDIDATE.**

**Former Mexican President Again Seeks Executive Chair.**

NOGALES, Ariz., April 1.—(AP)—General Alvaro Obregon, former president, last night announced his candidacy for the presidency of Mexico in the 1928 elections, says a special dispatch to the Herald from Mexico City.

General Obregon was greeted and cheered by one of the largest crowds ever seen in the streets of the capital city. The general was met on his arrival by President Calles.

# GUNS MENACE CLAIM JUMPERS

### New California Gold Fields Bristle With Pistols And Rifles

BAKERSFIELD, Calif., April 1. (AP)—A special dispatch to the Morning Echo says that "six guns" and rifles are beginning to make their appearance at the scene of the gold strike in the Kramer hills, less than 50 miles of Mojave, as the miners and prospectors prepare to protect their property from claim jumpers.

Gold seekers continue to flock to the new field in any conveyance that will carry them. More than 200 automobiles were at the Herkelrath mines when John Herkelrath was kept busy keeping them away from the collar of the shaft which has been temporarily covered and roped off with wire lines.

"My cousin Ed," said Herkelrath, "is in San Francisco closing a deal with some Los Angeles people for a townsite on our patented land. It sure keeps one man busy protecting his property from curiosity seekers and high graders."

"Say," he continued, "in the past two days I've talked to miners from the Cobalt district in Canada, from Nome and the Klondike, from Goldfield and Arizona. They're flocking in here from all parts of the world."

Tod Roy and Elmer Woods hauled in the first gasoline and oil to be put on sale in the camp and Elmer Woods states that by Sunday they will have a service station ready for business. Water is being hauled from Randsburg for sale in five-gallon demijohns at 10 cents per gallon. No food is available in camp, but leases have been made for lunch stands to be opened within the next two days.

High grade strikes are reported being made in many parts of the new Eldorado.

WALSALL, Eng.—Playing his first golf match this year, William Charlton, a mine instructor, dropped dead.


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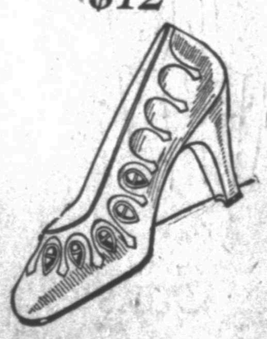
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# U. S. STEAMER RECUES CREW IN MID-OCEAN

### British Tanker, on Beams End and Lifeboats Gone, Is Saved

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Adding a brilliant chapter to the long tale of thrilling rescues at sea during storms of the past winter, the British tanker Shirvan was en route for Falmouth, England, today with 29 seamen rescued from the British freighter Laleham.

The Shirvan, racing to the side of the stricken freighter in a gale 400 miles off Halifax last night, beat the liner Maurtetania, which also had swerved from her course for New York after Captain A. H. Rostron had relayed a brief dispatch of the rescue by the Shirvan.

Captain Roston, who was in command of the Carpathia when he rescued the survivors of the Titanic in 1912, reported that the Laleham was nearly on beam's end and all her life boats carried away. His message gave no details of the rescue, except that the Laleham was sinking rapidly.

The storm which raged over the entire north Atlantic coast also imperiled the American freighter, Blair, which sent out an SOS call yesterday. The call was not repeated, leaving her fate in uncertainty. The Blair was due in New York April 6.

The Laleham left Newport News, Va., March 25.

The storm caused the death of one seaman, swept overboard from a coast guard patrol boat. Six destroyers and 15 coast guard boats were riding out the gale at sea.

Small boats along the coast and in Long Island sound were harborbound and two thrilling rescues were reported.

At Lewes, Del., the dredge Claremont, in two of a tug, capsized, throwing her crew of 15 into the water. All were saved by the crew of the tug. Three negroes were rescued from the ferry boat Brennan, which was driven on a road ledge in Long Island sound off Port Chester, N. Y.

Over most of Ontario, especially east of Toronto, the gale left towns, cities and villages deprived of communication with the outside world.

Estimates of damage suffered by the Bell Telephone system alone ranged from $500,000 up.

## Aged Man, Arrested, Takes Fatal Potion And Defeats Police

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—(AP)—Wanted on a felony warrant for the chief of police of Wills Point, Texas, a 55-year-old man took poison, after deputy sheriffs informed him of his arrest.

The man was located in the room of a downtown hotel, through a long distance telephone call placed by himself.

He was taken to a hospital, but the poison already was effective.

## Rotary Completes Intercity Planning

Plans were completed Thursday at noon at the Rotary club for an intercity Rotarian meeting to be held at the Junior college, April 9, as a closing feature of the regime of Walter D. Cline, district governor, and Frank Keim, president of the local club. Rotarians and their wives from this section of Texas and Oklahoma will be invited to attend the meeting.

Josh Lee, head of the public speaking department of the University of Oklahoma, has been invited to deliver his address on "The Pot of Gold."

An address on the "Rotary Ideal of Service," was made by Dr. Walter J. Johnson, pastor of the First Methodist church, south. He was introduced by Dr. J. W. Powers.

Plans for the I. H. Roberts memorial were outlined by Walter D. Cline. Horrace Robbins, chairman of the "On To Amarillo" committee, announced plans for the special Rotary train for Rotarians to take them to Amarillo to the district conference.

## Victims of Storm Reported Improving

HOUSTON, April 1.—(AP)—Five persons injured in Monday night's storm, who were brought to Houston hospitals today were reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hurst, of Liberty, were among the most seriously injured when their home was wrecked in the storm. Mrs. Hurst sustained a broken arm and bruises about the body. Mr. Hurst was suffering from temporary paralysis of the right leg due to an injury to his head.

J. B. Roberts, also of Liberty, while still in a serious condition, was believed to be out of danger, according to hospital attaches. Both of his legs and one of his arms were broken.

B. D. Smithey and O. M. Backer, were the other two in the hospital. They sustained minor injuries when an oil derrick near Almeda was blown over.

## Price Dies From Oil Fire Injuries

M. A. Price of Burkburnett died in a local hospital Thursday morning from burns received about noon Wednesday when his clothing which was saturated with oil was ignited from sparks from a truck. He was working on a well for the Northwestern Pipe and Supply company of Burkburnett and oil flowing from the well saturated his clothing and he was a mass of flames when the spark ignited the oil.

The body will be forwarded by the Hines Mortuary to Avery, Okla., for burial Friday afternoon. His widow and two small children of Burkburnett survive him.

Arthur Lee who was burned at the same time Price received the fatal injury is in the General hospital in a serious condition.

**RAIL VALUATION SET**

Tentative valuation of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern railway of Oklahoma was fixed Thursday by the interstate commerce commision at $5,664,924. The figures are as of June 30, 1918.

A final valuation of $209,720 as of June 30, 1919, was placed on the Oklahoma, Kansas and Missouri railroad.

## *Crepe Continues Fabric Favorite*



Flat crepe continues to be a favorite fabric for afternoon gowns. This embroidered model features revers, scarf tie and peasant sleeves.

## INDIANS USHER IN EASTERTIDE

### Wail of Reed Flutes An Beat of Tom Toms Herald Season

DENVER, April 1.—(AP)—The near approach of Easter was ushered into the southwest tonight by the throb of Indian tom-toms along the southern border of Arizona and the wail of reed flutes from northern Mexico.

Following preparations which have been underway for weeks and preliminary rites veiled in mystery, the red men of the desert country and the descendants of the Spanish conquerers in the foot hills will begin their annual enactment of versions of the passion play and the crucifixion.

More than 900 Yaqui Indians from Arizona and northern Mexico have gathered at Tucson for their ceremonial which will continue without cessation until 8 o'clock next Sunday morning. Tourists by hundreds have flocked to the old Indian pueblo to witness the Oberammagau of the southwest which will be enacted in its tiny plaza. Each village has its own celebration, varying in intensity with its distance from contact with civilization.

The penitente rites consist mainly of flagellations and self-torture in which participants indulge as they make their pilgrimages from one morada to another. Its climax comes in the crucifixion of an effigy on Friday night.

Both people derived their practices from the same source, that of an order of monks, members of which came from Spain with the earliest Spanish explorers.

**AIDS POTASH SURVEY.**

**Sheppard Confers With Coolidge on West Texas Fields.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 1.—(AP)—Senator Sheppard and Representative Hudspath, democrats of Texas, discussed with President Coolidge today the bill of Senator Sheppard for government assistance in determining the real value of potash deposits discovered in Texas in the course of drilling for oil.

Government assistance is desired in determining whether the deposits are of sufficient value to warrant development.

**CAT STARVES FROM GRIEF**

DOVER, Eng.—Refusing to eat after the death of its mistress, Mrs. J. C. Sneath, a cat died in twelve days.

**SUICIDE BEFORE ALMS**

PENGAM, Eng.—Rather than accept alms in the form of the unemployment dole James Carter hanged himself.


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# STATE NURSERY EXPERT HERE

### R. F. Williams Inspects Trees In Country Club Estates

R. F. Williams, state nursery and forest inspector, spent Thursday in Wichita Falls inspecting the large pin oak trees now being planted by the Hamilton-Martin Investment company in the Country club estates subdivision of this city.

The state of Texas maintains a department for the inspection of nursery stock and trees "for the purpose of assisting the nurserymen and those planting trees, to prevent the destruction of plants and trees due to the insects and pests. Also, the state inspects very carefully shipments of shrubbery and trees from other states," Mr. Williams said in explaining his visit to Wichita Falls.

"The City of Wichita Falls is to be congratulated upon the very excellent shade trees being planted here in the country club estates subdivision he continues. "I found these trees, which are being moved frm nrthern Louisiana, in exceptionally healthy condition. The pin oak tree, which is the tree being planted here, is one of the most beautiful shade trees, if not the most beautiful, grown in the south. It is a tree that is easily transplanted and should be used more extensively in the planting of streets and boulevards in our cities. It is far less susceptible to attacks from insects and pests than other types of trees which are generally ued for such plantings. I found the soil in the Country club estates exceptionally well adapted to these oak trees, and I expect those planting these trees to have a very fine succes with them."

**Encourages Planting.**

Mr. Williams emphasized the very fine civic service rendered by anyone who plants a long lived shade tree, and stated every encouragement should be given to such work. The quality as well as the quantity of the trees being used in the Country club estates appealed especially to him, and he was very warm in his praise of the company going to this very large expense in beautifying a section of the city, not only for the present generation, but also for the enjoyment of those to follow.

Mr. Williams returned to Dallas last night, but expects to be back in Wichita Falls from time to time and at a later date will take up with the municipal authorities the question of spraying all shade trees in Wichita Falls, and the eradication of the large amount of insects and other pests which have been so prevalent the last few years in this city.

# EASTER

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the community Easter sunrise service to be held Sunday morning at 6 o'clock on the bluffs just off the Seymour road a short distance from the city. Chorus choirs of the city churches will take part in the antiphonal singing and Rev. Paul Henry Packard will speak.

**To Give Cantata.**

The choir of the First Presbyterian church will give the cantata, "Olivet to Calvary" Friday evening at the church under the direction of Alva Willigus.

From noon until 3 o'clock Friday afternoon the passion hour service will be held at the First Christian church.

**Special Service Today.**

The commemoration service of the passing hours of Jesus will be given at the First Christian church Friday from noon until 3 o'clock when the evangelistic churches of the city will participate. This service is the first one of its kind to be held in Wichita Falls with all the churches taking part. The service is being held with the co-operation of the Ministerial Alliance of the city. C. P. Mosley and Rev. S. A. Barnes will assist in the presiding.

Between the numbers, the audience may retire quietly, it was said. It is expected that business houses will grant permission to their employes to attend the service in groups at various intervals.

The program follows:

12:00.

C. P. Mosley, Dr. S. A. Barnes, Wm. J. Spreen and Rev. Floyd Allen Bash, presiding.

Prelude, "A Prayer" (by E. Lemarge), Mrs. J. V. C. T. Christenson.

Hymn, "Rock of Ages," No. 846.

The First Word—"Father, Forgive Them, for They Know Not What They Do." Luke 24:24.

Address, Gaines B. Hall, S. Presbyterian church.

Prayer.

Quartet, "God So Loved the World," (Stainer), Miss Cushman, Mrs. Trout, Paul Rutledge, R. E. Shepherd.

Hymn, "Love Divine All Love Excelling," No. 555.

12:25.

The Second Word.

"Today Thou Shalt Be With Me in Paradise." Luke 23:42.

Address, Rev. A. K. Scott, State Evangelist, Fort Worth, Texas.

Prayer.

Solo, "There's a Green Hill Far Away" (Gounard), Mrs. Wayne Holmes.

12:50.

The Third Word.

"Woman, Behold Thy Son; Son, Behold Thy Mother," John 19:26, 27.

Address, Rev. W. D. Cook, Yale Evangelical Church.

Solo, "On Calvary" (by Ball), H. E. Kurtz, Highland Heights Christian church.

Prayer.

Hymn, "There Is a Land of Pure Delight," No. 701.

1:15.

The Fourth Word.

"My God, My God, Why Hast Thou Forsaken Me." Mark 15:34; Matt. 27:46.

Address, Dr. Walter J. Johnson, First M. E. church, South.

Prayer.

Solo, "He Was Despised" (From the Messiah, by Handel), Mrs. Luella Thompson, Floral Heights M. E.

Hymn, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," No. 132.

1:40.

The Fifth Word.

"I Thirst," John 19:28.

Address, Rev. J. P. Ingle, Nazarene church.

Prayer.

Solo, "The Name of Jesus," Rev. Leslie Miller.

Hymn, "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross," No. 587.

2:05.

The Sixth Word.

"It is Finished," John 19:30.

Address, Rev. Henry Paul Packard.

Prayer.

Duet, "Nailed to the Cross" (Fuller) Joel H. MacGregor and E. F. Bohmfalk, First M. E. church.

Hymn, "In the Cross of Christ I Glory," No. 130.

2:30.

The Seventh Word.

"Father, Into Thy Hands I Commend My Spirit," Luke 23:46.

Address, Rev. Leslie Miller, Grace M. E.

Quintet, "Into Thy Hands I Commend My Spirit" (by Stainer), First Presbyterian church, with R. E. Shepherd, tenor obligato, Alva Willcus, director.

Hymn, Silent Prayer, "Nearer, My God, to Thee." Organists: Mrs. R. E. Strange, Mrs. J. V. C. T. Christenson.

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# BOND OPINION

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the above, we have found none holding contrary to the proposition, "that the legislature, when not restricted by the constitution, may legalize the unauthorized acts and proceedings of subordinate municipal agencies, where such acts and proceedings would have been valid under legislative sanction previously given."

It is pointed out that the U. S. supreme court decision did not declare any outstanding bonds of Texas road districts invalid, as that question was not before the court. The opinion says that the Archer suit was one timely brought to prevent the issuance and sale of bonds on behalf of road district number two, Archer county, before the bonds were actually issued and sold and "in that case the court held that the act under which said bonds were to be issued is repugnant to the due process clause of the fourteenth amendment of the federal constitution and this is the act under which all road districts bonds of Texas have been issued.

**Bonds Invalid.**

"This act having been held by the supreme court of the United States invalid, has given rise to the opinion on the part of some that all road district bonds issued under the authority of this act are invalid and while no outstanding bonds issued by road districts in Texas were declared invalid by the supreme court of the United States in the case referred to, we assum that you intend to ask whether such bonds may be validated by legislative act in the event they are invalid by reason of the decision in the Archer county case."

"The supreme court of the United States seems to have held the act under which road districts in Texas were created invalid for the reasons," the opinion states, that "the legislature did not create the road district; the legislature did not levy the tax or fix the amount to be raised; and there was no legislative determination that the roads to be constructed would be of benefit to the property taxed."

After citing the ruling of the supreme court on these reasons the opinion says: "thus, it is seen that the supreme court in this case lays down the rule that if the legislature had created the district and the burden was spread by and the legislature had found that the property within the district would be benefitted by the local improvement that the district would have been properly created and the act constittutional."

**Can Legalize Them.**

The opinion then states that, "the question then arises whether the legislature having the power originally, to have created such road districts as may have bonds outstanding and to have determined the benefit to the owners of property in the district by the construction of such roads and to have levied the tax necessary to provide for the interest and sinking fund, for the maturity of the bonds, can now by a legislative act cure the defects in the act which have been pointed out by the supreme court of the United States and validate such bonds, if in fact, they are now invalid."

Then the opinion says that the legislature of Texas has the power to validate the creation of such road districts and to validate such bonds, if in fact, they are invalid, and gives authorities sustaining the conclusion.

# DEATH CLAIMS HEAD OF PRISON

### Col. J. A. Herring, Victim Of Heart Attack In Huntsville

HOUSTON, April 1.—(AP)—Colonel Jacob A. Herring, 62, chairman of the Texas prison commission, will be laid to rest in the shadow of the state penitentiary at Huntsville, with which he had been connected for the last 20 years.

Funeral services will be held in the First Baptist church of Huntsville about noon Friday, Rev. E. P. West, pastor of Baptist Temple, Houston, of which Mr. Herring was a member, will officiate.

Heart trouble, with which he had been bothered for several years, struck Mr. Herring down today a short time after he had been visited by his physian, Dr. L. H. Bush, state prison doctor, and pronounced to be in "fair condition." A few minutes after Dr. Bush had left, Mrs. Herring entered the room and found her husband dying.

**CORNUCHE DIES**

PARIS, April 1—Eugene Cornuche, proprietor of the resorts of Deauville and Cannes, known as the "king of Deauville," died today aged 58.

**12 KILLED IN POLAND**

WARSAW, Poland, April 1.—(AP)—Four persons are reported to have been killed and twelve injured during a communist demonstration in the town of Strewn, in the Carpathians.

# *Dual Water System To Provide Irrigation In Country Club Estate*

The beginning of what has seemed to be the need of the public for a long time, a dual water system in the city of Wichita Falls, is being given a very definite strut by the installation of the irrigation system in the country club estates, wherein the water for irrigation purposes is carried in cast iron pipe under the same specifications of construction that the regular water supply is installed. This enables the use of an abundance of irrigation water and under the same high pressure carried by the water in the city water department, without the city being put to the expense of running this water into the settling basin through the filteration plant and treating before going into its mains.

**Large Pipes Used.**

The regular city water supply for domestic purposes is carried throughout the Country club estates in large cast iron pipes. The pressure on the city water in this subdivision is now the highest of any part of the city, due to these large mains. The permanent installation being used for carrying irrigation water in the Country club estates will give the ity its first section of dual water mains, in case the city should ever put in a dual water system, which is being advocated by many of the citizens of Wichita Falls.

In the park at the end of Harrison street, a large lake is being built, with a gravel bottom and gravel shore line. The water for irrigation purposes is taken from the canal by gravity into this lake and from here the water is picked up by electrically driven rotary pumps and put into the irrigation water mains. The lake will be beautified with trees and shrubbery and will itself be a very attractive feature in the property.

The same type of equipment as is used by the city is being installed by the Hamilton-Martin Investment company for the distribution of irrigation water for use on lawns and gardens. The irrigation water mains are extended throughout, the entire property, serving the section where the lots are 60 foot fronts, also the section where there are 70, 75 and 80-foot lots and the section where the lots are 100 feet, as well as the larger estates in the subdivision.

**Planned for Everyone.**

"Country club estates is planned for everybody," stated N. H. Martin. "The restrictions are wisely drawn, providing for brick, stone or stucco construction. This restriction goes throughout the entire property, but does not prevent the man who desires a cottage home from building in the Country club estates, as well as the man who wishes to build a larger home on 80, 90 or 100 foot lot. The same type of improvement is carried throughout the entire property. The man with the small home will have irrigation water for his lawn and garden just the same as the man who has a home on a 100 foot lot. With the abundance of cheap irrigation water and the brick construction, within a few years Wichita Falls will have a large residential section which will far surpass anything in any other city in Texas or the southwest."

It is the opinion of Mr. Martin that the irrigation school to be conducted by the fair will teach the citizens of Wichita Falls, as well as those who live in the irrigated valley, many new uses of irrigation water and will be also as beneficial to them as to the persons who are living on the irrigated lands in the valley.

# Bead Is Removed From Baby's Lung After 3 Months

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—(AP)—A glass bead which lodged in the lung of Thomas Rice, five-year-old son of the Rev. and Mrs. Ray E. Rice, missionaries in Damah, India, three months ago, was removed today in a delicate operation at Philadelphia, performed by Dr. Chevalier Jackson, inventor of the bronchoscope.

The parents decided to make the trip of approximately 10,000 miles when the bead, inhaled by the boy when he was playing with others, caused inflammation of the lung and his condition became serious. Leading surgeons of India failed in two efforts to remove the bead.

**QUEEN LONDOLF DIES.**

HOUSTON, April 1.—(AP)—Queen Aljean Londolf died here today after two blood transfusions failed to save her.

Queen Londolf was a dog but a thoroughbred, registered American shepherd police dog valued at $200 and owned by L. O. Leipe, of this city.

A veterinarian used another police dog for the blood transfusions. It was one of the few instances, he said, where that method had been used in animal surgery.

**AND HE'S HUNGARY YET**

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—(AP)—On a dare Thomas McCormick, grocery clerk, drank 44 raw eggs within a half hour's time here last night. He suffered no ill effects and expressed willingness to attempt a better record.

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