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SALE OF WICHITA-RANGER ROAD IS RUMORED

Burbank, Admitted Infidel, Attacked By Texas Minister

ALL RELIGIONS ARE TOTTERING, BURBANK SAYS

Plant Wizard Scoffs At Theory Of a Life Beyond Death.

ADMITS HE IS INFIDEL

We Survive Only in Spirit Of Good We Have Done, Scientist Says.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—(AP) The San Francisco Bulletin in a copyrighted article says today that Luther Burbank, the famous horticulturalist of Santa Rosa, Cal., has announced that he is " an infidel in the true sense of the word; that he does not believe in a personal resurrection and that science disproves popular theories of reincarnation and life after death."

In the article Burbank says "all religions of the past and probably all of the future will sooner or later become petrified forms instead of living helps ot mankind. As a scientist I cannot help but feel that all religions are on a tottering foundation. None is perfect or inspired. As for their prophets, there are as many today as eevr before only now science refuses to let them overstep the bounds of common sense.

"The idea that a good God would send people to a burning hell is utterly damnable to me. I don't want to have anything to do with such a God."

Discussing Reincarnation

Touching on reincarnation the great plant scientist said:

"The universe is not big enough to contain perpetually all the human souls and their living beings that have been here for their short span. A theory of personal resurrection or reincarnation of the individual is untenable when we but pause to consider the magnitude of the idea.

"On the contrary I must believe that, rather than the survival of all we must look for survival only in the spirit of the good we have done in passing through.

"Life Like An Auto"

"Once obsolete, an automobile is thrown to the scrap heap. Once here and gone, the human life has likewise served its purpose. If it has been a good life it has been sufficient. There is no need for another.

"The theory of reincarnation, which originated in India, has been welcomed in other countries. Without doubt it is one of the most sensible and satisfying of all the religions that mankind has conceived. This, like the others, comes from the best qualities of human nature, even if in this, as in the others, its adherents sometimes fail to carry out the principles in their lives.

"I do recognize the existence of a great universal power—a power which we can't even begin to comprehend and might as well not attempt to. It may be a conscious mind and it may not. I don't know. As a scientist I should like to know, but as man I am not so vitally concerned.

Says Christ Belied

"As for Christ—well, he has been most outrageously belied. His followers, like those of many scientific and literary men who produce no real thoughts of their own, have so garbled his words and conduct that many of them no longer apply to present life. Christ was a wonderful psychologist. He was an infidel of his day because he rebelled against the prevailing religion and government.

"I am a lover of Christ as a man and His works and all things that help humanity, but nevertheless just as he was an infidel then, I am an infidel today. I do not believe what has been served me to believe. I am a doubter, a questioner, a skeptic. When it can be proved to me that there is immortality, that there is resurrection beyond the gates of death then will I believe. Until then, no."

Burbank's statement was occasioned by a statement by Henry Ford in which the automobile manufacturer was quoted as expressing faith in the theosophist theory of reincarnation. Ford and Burbank are friends and follow each other's work closely.

"Another Good Man Has Lost His Way," Dr. J. M. Dawson Says.

WACO, Jan. 22.—Rev. J. M. Dawson, prominent committeeman of the Southern Baptist association, and leader of that church's denominational activities throughout the Southern Baptist domain, in a statement to the Waco News Tribune tonight declared that in Luther Burbank's declaration of infidelism, "another good man has lost his way." Rev. Dawson, who is pastor of the First Baptist church of Waco and a prominent author in the religious field said in his statement:

"For the genial nature-lover, Luther Burbank, I share the wide-world's appreciation. Any man who loves little children, who cultivates loving thought toward all men, who lives so close to the heart of nature that he has learned many of nature's long-hidden secrets must command the respect, if not the admiration, of all right-thinking people.

Is A Materialist.

"Mr. Burbank is a materialist. As such, he denies the reality of man's spiritual faculties. As a materialist, he finds no foundation for a valid spiritual experience. Being such, he is perfectly logical in his denial of the need of a divine revelation. He is himself nothing new under the sun, for have not thousands in all ages before him thought to find in nature a complete explanation of this mysterious thing we call life? He has rejected any divine revelation. He thinks he is sufficient in himself.

"Others from Plato onward, and indeed long before have felt the need of a God or a God-man to guide them. Nature has a wonderful guidance, to be sure, but it is not adequate. The various religions of the earth represent man's groping after light. Mr. Burbank unwittingly pays Christ the kind of compliment which has always made Jesus absolutely unique among all earth's men, in that he sees in Jesus the supreme expression of his own ideal.

Jesus The Teacher.

"Thus the teacher has ever proclaimed Jesuus the Teacher, the lawyer calls him the Law Giver, the sinners know him as Saviour. During the past year, Henry Austin, embracing a certain philosophy of life, has written a book calling Jesus "a small-town man," and Bruce Barton, a business man, has written another book calling Jesus the "founder of modern business." In the same manner, we have in Burbank one more striking proof that Jesus is what a southern poet, Sydney Lainer said, he said he was "All men's man, the crystal Christ," who is the truth, the way, and the life. And in the words of another world-weary man, "To who else shall we go for the words of eternal life?"

Admits His "Bankruptcy."

"The aged gentle Burbank would hardly ask baffled, beaten, bewildered humanity to come to him, surely. He confesses his own utter bankruptcy in the words 'I am a doubter, skeptic, I don't know.' He further declares himself a rebel, even against the prevailing government. What has he to offer? Pity men if they follow such a self-confessed, blind empty and rebellious leader!!

"As for Christianity being dead, it has been pronounced dead century after century, its obsequies have been conducted time and time again by men as great and learned as Burbank, but a strange vitality it has always burst the bars of the grave asunder and risen to more vigorous life than hitherto displayed. Is not that one indisputable proof of its divine nature? Let not the followers of the Christ be dismayed. Rather let them feel another good man has lost his way."

2 Shot to Death In Oil Field Fight

ALEXANDRIA, La., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Two men were killed, one is in a serious condition at a local hospital and two others in the La Salle parish jail at Jena today as a result of a shooting affair at Tullos, in the new La Salle oil field, last night. No cause of the killings has been advanced.

The dead:

Nick McCarty.

Tlad Black, said to be residents of Natchitoches.

Willie Black, brother of one of the men killed and W. J. Scott are being held in the Jena jail as material witnesses.

2 Killed, 1 Shot In Texas Tragedy

SINTON, Texas, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Two persons are dead and a third, the wife of one of the dead men, is in a critical condition in a Corpus Christi hospital following a triple shooting here this afternoon.

W. L. Barket, 68, and his son-in-law, N. S. Reed, 34, were found dead of gunshot wounds, and Mrs. N. S. Reed, daughter of Barket, had bullet wound in the abdomen and left arm, when neighbors entered the Barket residence after hearing five shots fired.

CANADA'S TOTAL TRADE IN 1925 IS $2,161,000,000

OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Canada's total trade in 1925 aggregated $2,161,000,000. This was an increase of $235,000,000 over 1924. Imports were $889,000,000 or an increase of $82,000,000 and exports (Canadian) $1,271,000,000, an increase of $212,000,000.

W Texas Man Freed In Babe's Death

FORT WORTH, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Ralph G. Vancel of Ballinger, who was charged with murdering his eight-year-old son, Ralph Jr., on Nov. 11, 1923, is a free man, it was revealed here today when complete court records of 1925, were checked by newspapermen. Vancel's case, in which he was sentenced to 40 years imprisonment, was dismissed last Christmas eve on motion of the district attorney's office.

The court order had been kept hidden until today.

2 GUARD MEMBERS HELD FOR ARMORY THEFTS

AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—Charges of theft were filed against Ed Trachlek and Wesley Moore, members of the state national guard before United States Commissioner Marshal O. Bell by a department of justice agent today following an investigation of a series of alleged thefts of clothing and equipment from the armory of Company D, 141st infantry here.

A loss of property worth $1,000 was reported to city detectives.

ELECTRA C-C MAKES PLANS FOR BIG YEAR

Annual Banquet Hears Review Of Past and Picture Of Future.

200 IN ATTENDANCE

G. E. McDavid, Retiring President, Gives Report Of 1925 Activities.

By ELOISE GAFFORD, Record News Staff.

ELECTRA, Jan. 22.—Not content with a year of successful accomplishment through which they have just passed, Electra business men here tonight made plans at the annual banquet of the Electra chamber of commerce for another active 12 months of civic development and community progress.

The meeting was held in the basement of the First Methodist church and was attended by approximately 200 persons. As a civic event of importance, it is outranked, probably, by no other single affair of its kind, and tonight's dinner and the program following it came up in all respects to the standard set in other years.

Of chief interest at the meeting was the report of the past year's work, submitted by G. E. McDavid, retiring president of the chamber of commerce and announcement of committee and board of trustee appointments, made by R. V. McGee, now president of the organization. The latter made public the names of 11 men added to the board and also announced nine committee chairmen for the year.

New Board Members.

New members of the board are R. V. McGee, W. A. Hughes, H. C. Obenhaur, William Calvert, A. L. Rodd, C. A. Hodges, George Lebus, Ben Tipton, Gordon Douglas, A. C. Rippey and Ed Mourland. Committee chairmen were named as follows: W. A. Asbill, agriculture; J. A. Brannon, civic affairs; S. B. Marchant, mercantile; J. M. Hemby, oil and refining; E. M. Friend, good roads; Hy Newsome, fire prevention; W. A. Hughes, publicity; E. R. Brown, legislation.

Guests of the evening gathered in the church basement and opened the dinner with the singing of America. Invocation was said by Rev. L. D. Grafton, pastor of the First Presby-

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FARM BILL TO GET CLEAN PATH

House Will Give Privileged Status to Administration's Pet Measure.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22—(AP)—By unanimous consent the house today agreed to give privileged status to the Haugen cooperative marketing bill. It is expected to be taken up tomorrow.

The measure, embodying the administration's plan for a division of cooperative marketing in the agricultural department will be in order as soon as the navy department appropriation bill is disposed of, and it is the hope of leaders that general debate on the Haugen bill will be concluded before week-end adjournmen tomorrow night. This would practically insure a vote on the bill Monday.

Negroes Guilty Of $100,000 Rum Theft

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Ross Haynes, negro bootlegger of Richmond, Va., and Henry Bennett, negro butler, were convicted today of the theft of $100,000 worth of rare liquors from the wine cellar of Allen Bond, former president of the New York cotton exchange. They will be sentenced Jan. 28.

Some of the stolen wines and liquors, Mr. Bond testified were of the vintage of 1820. The theft took place while he was in Europe last summer.

Frisco Buys Big Interest in CR&I

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Creation of a new southwestern railroad system, uniting the St. Louis-San Francisco and the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway companies with combined assets of $875,000,000 and total trackage of more than 12,000 miles, was foreshadowed tonight with the announcement that the Frisco had purchased a large interest in the Rock Island.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON.

The Greek debt negotiations were halted.

The house commerce committee completed its rubber inquiry.

Federal Trade Commissioner Huston Thompson testified in the aluminum inquiry.

World court advocates obtained the necessary signatures to ask for senate cloture.

Erroneous reports of a settlement of the coal strike disturbed congress and the capital.

The reports of the senate finance committee on tax reduction was submitted to the senate.

The department of justice accepted as final the dismissal of the indictment here against Senator Wheeler.

Disapproval of forcing railroad consolidation was expressed by Chairman Esch of the interestate commerce commission.

Faith, Hope and Love Are Three Cardinal Principles For Life Of Worth, Dickey Tells Graduates

Local Attorney Speaks Friday Night to Large Mid-Year Class at Junior College; Awards Of Scholarships Made By S. H. Rider.

"There are certain cardinal and fundamental principles which, if adhered to will bring success," Judge J. S. Dickey told members of the fourth mid-year graduating class of the senior high school, and the first member of the mid-year class of the Junior college in the commencement address held at the Junior college auditorium Friday night. "I might suggest these three things that would bring to a person the highest achievements and the most outstanding victories—Faith Hope and Love."

Are Cardinal Attributes.

"These are the cardinal attributes I would commend to you. With them, you can not go far astray," he advised in the address. "There may be times when it would seem the load is heavy and the road too rough, but with that calm faith and perseverance that I am sure you will possess, girded with these three great attributes, your lives can not help but reach the fullest and truest fruition."

The program for the exercises opened with music by the high school orchestra, directed by Miss Winifred Alvis followed by vocal numbers by the glee clubs of the high school and college. The invocation was said by William J. Spreen, assistant pastor of the First Christian church.

Judge Dickey was introduced by Dr. J. W. Cantwell, president of the college and superintendent of the city schools. The presentation of the diplomas was made by Judge W. B. Chauncey, president of the board.

Scholarships Awarded.

Scholarships were awarded to Miss Mabelle Marie Moore and George Bodkin, honor graduates among the girls and boys of the class by S. H. Rider.

Announcement was made of those students making the honor roll, Mabelle Marie Moore, Odra Lee Jenkins and Virginia Ruth Smith.

E. F. Bohnfalk pronounced the benediction.

It is said that eighty per cent of the members of the class expect to continue their school work in the Wichita Falls Junior college.

CLAYPOOL NEW LEGION LEADER

Past Post Adjutant Is Elevated Friday To Commander.

R. J. Claypool, adjutant of Pat Carrigan post, American Legion, the past two years, heads the organization for 1926. Claypool was voted post commander Friday night in the annual election of officers. J. F. Friberg succeeds Claypool as post adjutant. Ben C. McAdams of the Wichita State bank was re-elected for a second term as post finance officer. V. N. Armstrong was re-elected post historian. T. R. Brunson is the new sergeant-at-arms, and Dr. L. I. Lucey was elected first vice commander, W. N. Huey second vice commander and C. C. Kirby, third vice commander.

Many matters of legion interest weer discussed including a possible home in Wichita Falls for ex-service men, the legion convention slated for Paris in 1927, a doughboy statue for Wichita Falls junior college, and intensive plans for continuation of the legion membership drive.

Ailes Makes Address

O. T. Ailes, retiring post commander, gave a brief resume of legion activities the past year, explained the method and route legionnaires must take to attend the Paris convention and stated that Houston has been designated as the southern port of embarkation. He further stated that the minimum cost would be $175 from port to port and the minimum time from 23 to 27 days, although tickets are good for three months, beginning September 1 to December 1. He estimated that from 30,000 to 50,000 ex-service men would attend the convention.

The retiring post adjutant, Mr. Claypool, gave a detailed financial report of the legion's finances and activities of the past year. It was shown that a substantial cash balance was now on hand in the treasury. At this time, Mr. Claypool said, the local post has attained a standing of considerable importance in Wichita Falls and is now more firmly intrenched than ever as a civic institution.

Held at Headquarters

The meeting was held at legion headquarters, 812 1-2 Scott avenue, with a good attendance.

The executive committee of the legion will be announced by the new commander within the next few days. The first meeting, at which time the newly elected officers will be installed, has been called for Friday night, February 5. All members and ex-service men are urged to attend and help in making 1926 the most prosperous year in the local posts history.

Outgoing Past Commander Ailes was presented with a handsome Past Commander's badge of 14 karat gold with the legion insigna enameled on the front and the name, post and office engraved on the back. Mr. Claypool was presented with the same badge of past adjutant design.

Packard Asked To Take Pulpit Of Highland Church

Dr. Paul Henry Packard, noted evangelist in revival at the Highland Heights Christian church, has been asked to serve as permanent pastor of the church, a new organization. He plans to give a report to the congregation Sunday.

Dr. Packard was extended a call by a pulpit supply committee and it is believed the evangelist's reply Sunday will be favorable.

The evangelist will speak Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on the subject, "The Will of God," and Sunday evening on "Can a Man Be Saved Outside the Church?"

Despite bad weather each night this week, many people have responded to the appeals of Dr. Packard and the membership of the church nearly reaches the 200 mark now.

OLD INDIOHOMA REFINERY IS SOLD TO TULSA FIRM

OKMULGEE, Okla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The Independent Oil and Gas company of Tulsa today is concluding a deal with eastern capitalists to purchase the old Indiahoma Refinery, the Indiahoma's 200 miles of pipe lines and the tank farm.

CITY FLOATS IN ICE WATER

Winter Moves On—But He Takes His Time About It.

Old Man Winter packed some of his icicles and frigid winds and started for other climes Friday, but he wasn't in any particular hurry and the result was another day of snow, ice and low tempertaures in northern Texas.

Wichita Falls, promised a respite from Thursday's snow storm, awoke Friday morning to find the sun beaming brightly with the thermometer standing at a 14 degree mark. As the day progressed things warmed up a little but it was short respite and the coating of snow on the ground failed to shrink to any great extent.

Lots of Water.

The streets and sidewalks, under the rays of the sun, were transformed into slushy, streaming rivulets of ice cold water that soaked shoes through and through and spattered in muddy splotches on coats of pedestrian standing too close to passing cars.

Automobiles presented unique appearances with huge masses of ice depending from the fenders and caked around springs and axles. It was a good day for the tire men, probably, who found the sharpedged accumulations of ice in the streets like so much glass.

To Be Warm Today.

Friday night brought a partially over-cast sky with a very light wind from the north and tempertaure hovering around the mark. It was indicated that warmer weather might be in store for today.

Banker Is Shot; $18,000 Stolen

TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Edward L. Finn, branch manager of the Ohio Savings Bank and Trust company, was shot and seriously injured by three youthful bandits who escaped with $12,575 in cash and $5,550 in negotiable bonds this afternoon. The manager, two attendants, and a depositor were herded into a rear room, while the gunmen rifled the cages.

THE WEATHER



"Skinny promised me his appendix before he went to the hospital, but the doctor flung it away."

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period as recorded by the Wichita Falls Electric company: Maximum temperature 28 degrees; minimum 14 degrees; at 5 p. m. Friday 25 degrees; no precipitation; north breeze; partly cloudy; average wind velocity 8 miles per hour; maximum wind velocity 12 miles per hour; barometer 29.73.

OKLAHOMA AND WEST TEXAS: Saturday and Sunday fair, slowly rising temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Saturday and Sunday generally fair, slowly rising temperature; light to fresh northerly to easterly winds on the coast.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS.

The Olympic, Bert Levey vaudeville; "Great Love."

The Strand, "Unguarded Hour."

The Majestic, Edna Park, prayers.

Junior college, Paul Whiteman and his orchestra, here under auspices the McConnell Brothers.

The Gem, "Stampede Thunder."

The Garden, "Western Pluck."

The Mission, "Red Rider."

Tomorrow night, Kemp hotel

"YOU GROW, SO DO WE," PARK SPEAKERS SAY

Iowa Park, Wichita Falls Men Meet Friday Night To Discuss Things.

CO-OPERATION, THEME

Mutual Needs of Sister Communities Stressed By Both Towns.

By A. HALLMAN, Record News Staff

IOWA PARK, January 22.—"Every time they lay a brick in Wichita Falls, Iowa Park is guaranteed an eternal market for another pound of butter and another dozen eggs!"

So said Tom Corridan, Iowa Park banker, here tonight before a gathering of business men of his own "home town" and representatives of its sister city, Wichita Falls.

"Iowa Park and the country which surrounds Iowa Park are bound in the future to be the source of supply for a city which seems destined to pre-eminence in northwest Texas," Mr. Corridan said. "Rancor, hatred, and envy are things of the past. The destinies of Wichita Falls and Iowa Park are one. As one grows, so grows the other. And, it is with co-operative mutual effort that the broadest and easiest roadway to the ultimate realization of the future is paved."

200 In Attendance.

There were nearly 200 present at tonight's meeting, styled a "Business Men's Get-together Banquet," held at the W. F. George high school building. It was this thought that dominated the whole, as put in other words by J. C. Mytinger, president of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce, who, quoting from the 133rd Psalm, said, "Behold how good and pleasant it is for brethren to live together in unity."

T. J. Pace, business man of this city, made the first of the talks tonight. He propounded the value of co-operative community spirit, mutual labor which would beget mutual enjoyment. Such cooperation, so Mr. Pace said, had already borne fruit in a clean and moral city where Iowa Park stands, a large number of good churches, good business houses and in the Iowa Park school system. It is destined in the future, he said, to build a progressive central Wichita county community which is ultimately due to assume the leadership over the entire northwest of Texas and southwestern Oklahoma.

Mayor Hines Speaks.

A similar thought was expressed by Iowa Park's mayor, "Old Ironsides" (as he was introduced by C. C. Hudson), J. C. Hine. It was Mayor Hines' comment that in his seven years as mayor of Iowa Park he had seen a spirit of antipathy between his city and Wichita Falls turn to one of friendly co-operation.

A. C. Golden, Iowa Park banker, touched on the value of an understanding between business men and farmer, going into detail as regards needed innovations in the irrigated district. He stressed the value of feedstuffs as a proper crop for the valley, pointing out that only diversification could insure against the adversity which inevitable to agriculture every so often. He stressed the need of getting new settlers for the valley, declaring that the proper kind of settler brought to the irrigated district would mean much in the growth and development of the city and community.

Mytinger, Francis, Sartin

Three Wichita Falls citizens made brief addresses. J. C. Mytinger spoke a few words on inter-city relations, and carried the greetings and goodwill of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce to the meeting. C. I. Francis touched on the problems of community building, stressing cooperation and elimination of cliques and clans which might pull against each other. Judge R. D. Sartin touched upon the city of the future, where "taxes won't be taxes on success alone, where both residences and business houses will be built with an idea of beauty, and where all business will react eventually for the common good."

Rev. R. A. Highsmith of Iowa Park concluded the evening's addresses with a discussion of the need for a luncheon club in the city.

Dinner was prepared and served nearly 200 guests by the domestic science class of the high school under the direction of Miss Louise Thomas, teacher. Music was furnished by the "Ukelele Girls," Katherine See Ralston, Elizabeth Phillips, Ray oGlden and Mrs. James Barker; by Jimmie Baker, diminutive soloist; by Miss Carroll Webb, soloist, and Miss Agnes Fields, reader. C. C. Hudson, editor of the Iowa Park Herald was toastmaster of the evening.

Battle Naked In Snow for the Girl

The eternal triangle!

Only, the lady in the case didn't witness this phase of it.

Police answering a riot call on lower Ninth street shortly before mid-night Friday found two youngsters, stripped to the waist, and fighting it out according to Marquis of Queensbury rules and the custom of a country where "men are men."

Either was giving the other a sound pummeling, seemingly unmindful of nearly a foot of drifted snow and a cold biting north wind when the police appeared.

Neither of the two pugilists was in his twenties yet. It was tacitly understood at the police station that there was a young woman back of the affair.

PRESIDENT OF GOGDYEAR RUBBER COMPANY DEAD

AKRON, Ohio, Jan. 22.—(AP)—George M. Straddelman, president of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company, dropped dead at his home here at 8 o'clock tonight.

France Counting On Dawes Revenue To Pay U. S. Debt

PARIS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—France's expected receipts from the Dawes plan, re-entered the discussion of her financial problems today when it developed that the radical and socialist members who dominate the French committee of the chamber of deputies are counting on these resources to help build a sinking fund to pay the war debts.

The Dawes receipts, however, would be applied to debt payments only by an indirect route, and in official circles tonight it was said the result achieved if parliament adopts the left parties plan would differ but little from proposals of previous finance ministers.

The socialist-radical plan is considered not to differ materially from what finance ministers Caillaux and Painleve had in mind, while it is understood that the present finance minister, M. Doumer, also considers the Dawes plan receipts as resources for meeting the war debts.

Premier Briand continues to keep secret his intentions respecting the financial debate which is expected to reach the floor of the chamber Monday.

COUNTY BANK CLUB PLANNED

26 Executives, Meeting Here Discuss Wichita Co. Organization.

Organization of a Wichita County Bankers' association will probably be undertaken in a short time as a result of agreements reached Friday night when 26 bank executives from Wichita Falls, Electra, Burkburnett and Iowa Park met at a banquet at the Wichita club to discuss the matter. The meeting was held with the Wichita Falls Clearing House association acating as host and with W. M. McGregor, president of the First National bank of Wichita Falls and also president of the clearing house association serving as toastmaster.

The bankers were of the unanimous opinion that an organization of some kind should be formed and it seemed to be the prevailing idea that this should assume the form of a county association. A district association was discussed as a possibility, but this was not looked on with the favor of a county organization.

Talks were made by Mr. McGregor, Ruben R. R. Cook, vice president of the First National bank, Electra; C. W. Coffey, president of the First State bank, Electra; W. R. Hill, vice president of the Farmers State bank, Burkburnett and J. F. Boyd, vice president of the First National bank, Iowa Park. All of the speakers heartily endorsed the county association idea.

In the end it was voted that Mr. McGregor should appoint one active officers from each of the banks outside Wichita Falls, these to confer with a committee from the clearing house association here. Bankers attending the meeting were as follows:

First National, Wichita Falls: W. M. McGregor, Carter McGregor, A. M. Miller, W. U. McCutcheon, C. J. Norton, Robert K. French.

City National, Wichita Falls: C. E. Bigham, Oral Jones, W. S. Abbott.

Security National, Wichita Falls: N. M. Clifford, M. A. Ellis, James M. Ryan, Hugh Cotner.

Wichita State, Wichita Falls: Pat Simmons, Lester Jones, R. V. Fite, J. W. Earnhrock.

First National, Electra: Ruber R. R Cook, G. D. Esell.

First State, Electra: C. H. McGan, C. W. Coffey.

First National, Iowa Park: J. F. Boyd, Carroll Duke.

Farmers State, Burkburnett: W. L. Hill, Rex D. Smith.

Empire Mortgage Company, Wichita Falls: H. L. Hunter.

Snag Is Struck In Greek Debt Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Negotiations with the Greek debt commission came to a sudden halt today, and Secretary Mellon announced that one member of the foreign delegation would return to Athens immediately for consultation with the government concerning funding the $15,000,000 obligation.

The delay was described by Mr. Mellon as a postponement. The Greek delegates had previously informed the American commission that they lacked authority to negotiate a funding agreement unless $33,00,000 more—the unextended balance of a credit established during the war—was first turnde over to their government. The American commission found no authority for doing this, insisting that the negotiations be confined to the $15,000,000 of the credit actually extended.

BANKERS PLEDGE AID TO McFADDEN MEASURE

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Members of the executive council of the state bank division of the American Bankers association in session here today pledged their support to the McFadden banking bill now before congress which contains a compromise clause intended to check the spread of branch banking.

SOCIETY WOMAN FIGHTS OFF MAN WHO GRABS HER.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Mrs. James P. Pfeil, Milwaukee society woman, fought off an assailant who seized her as she was returning to her home. She was uninjured. The attack was the sixth this week.

LARGE SYSTEM TO TAKE OVER LINE, REPORT

Inspection of Wichita Falls and Southern Also Hints It May Be Affected.

CONFERENCE IS HELD

Officials of Two Rail Concerns Hold Parley in Yards, Breckenridge.

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Inspection of the Wichita Falls, Ranger and Fort Worth railroad properties and the properties of the Wichita Falls and Southern road was reported to be under way today. A party of officials of the latter road were in conference today at the yards of the former road.

The Wichita Falls, Ranger and Fort Worth party was headed by Frank Kell of Wichita Falls, president of the road.

Rumors current here are to the effect that the Wichita Falls, Ranger and Fort Worth road will be taken over by some large system at an early date. It also is rumored that the line will be taken out from under receivership.

1 Man Killed As Cold Hits East

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The cold wave from the northwest caused the death of one man today in Berth Amboy, N. J., while in New York two men were taken to hospitals after they had collapsed in the street.

The New Jersey man died of exposure.

The New York weather bureau tonight predicted a steadily falling mercury throughout New York, New Jersey and the New England states with no relief in sight until Sunday.

Temperatures plunged precipitately 20 to 25 degrees downward during the day. The wind reached a velocity of 56 miles an hour in New York City during the afternoon. The snow was no more than a flurry in New York City but was heavier through New England varying from 1 1-2 inches around Boston to five inches at Eastport, Me.

Urges Lattimore To Run for Governor

WACO, Jan. 22—Suggesting that it would be a great thing for the people of Texas if Judge O. S. Lattimore of Austin would allow the use of his name for governor of Texas, and also saying he thought the state would be safe and progressive in such competent hands, W. W. Woodson, today presented to Kiwanians, Judge Lattimore, who addressed the organization at the Raleigh hotel.

Judge Lattimore, who is justice of the court of criminal appeals, spoke to Kiwanians on "team work," or cooperation, urging this attitude for not only municipal growth, but in all other walks of life is to be done. His urged in closing that the word go out to the young men of this section "to stay away from the court of criminal appeals for it is a tragedy when a fine young man, who could reach almost any height in this democratic country, sinks to the level of a criminal and wrecks his reputation."

Admits Robberies In Eight States

OGDEN, Utah, Jan. 22.—(AP)—After confessing they robbed eighteen homes in Ogden, Jack Anderson and Richard Bartlett, each 21, have admitted robberies in Idaho, Wyoming, Montana, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico and Texas, a police statement today said.

Anderson says he has stolen "one automobile after another." The two give conflicting information as to their homes.

MERCIER DYING

BRUSSELS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—At 8:30 o'clock tonight the announcement came from the sick room that Cardinal Mercier would not live through the night.

ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL

But things might not have ended as they did for this man if he hadn't employed the Classified Ads to help him find his pocketbook.

The pocketbook was lost one evening and recovered the next. That's how efficiently Record News Classified Ads work.

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The RECORD NEWS

AUDITOR SAYS FIRM RECEIVED HUGE PROFITS

Statement, Taken Inadvertently, Shows Inner Workings of Co.

AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Introduction of a letter, indicating the Hoffman Construction company charged to the state "for patching" at 20 cents a gallon, when it distributed more than six-tenths of a gallon of asphalt to the square yard, today created turmoil in the fifty-third district court room here, where the state's $421,000 highway suit against the company is being tried.

The letter was signed by Phil Beattie, field superintendent of the company. Forrest Mathis, Dallas certified public accountant, testified he inadvertently carried the letter from he Hoffman office, afer completing an audit. Defense attorneys bitterly assailed Mathis and Attorney General Dan Moody for taking "private property."

Golden profits were reaped by the company from its asphalt surfacing contract with the state, Mathis testified.

Profit of $593,593.

An audit of the company's books shows from May 1 to October 10, 1925, the Hoffman Construction company made a net profit of $593,593.60 on total expenditures of $314,849.64. Construction expenses totalled $296,-805.50.

General overhead of $18,044.14 was subtracted from gross profits of 611,-637.74, leaving net profit of $593,-593.60.

The profit item of $593,593.60 does not include profits made on work done at cost-plus ten per cent, or on raising the base "to grade" preparatory to surfacing for which the state paid $79,656.60, representing 398,283 gallons of asphal at 20 cents a gallon.

Clash Over Letter.

Angry clash over the purported Beattie letter climaxed a series of sensations," marked by testimony of sub-contractors that it cost them less than eight cents a square yard to apply a single asphaltic treatment. The state paid the Hoffman Construction company 30 cents a square yard, though the defense contends their clients might have been forced to place a two-course application over all the roads.

Beattie's letter is dated Sept. 15, 1925 at Sierra Blanca and addressed to the Hoffman Construction company, Eastland.

When Moody said he purposed to introduce a certani letter from "one Phil Beattie," John D. McRae, defense counsel, asked to inspect the letter. After a conference of several minutes among attorneys and defendants, McRae asked: "Mr. Mathis, where did you get this letter?"

"From the files of the Hoffman Construction company."

"Don't you know better than to carry off private property?"

"I carried it off inadvertently, when it became mixed with some of my notes. Before I could return it, Attorney General Moody had learned of it and took it from me."

Defense counsel made angry objection to introduction of the letter. Ernest May, assistant attorney general, suggested Mathis had the right to make a copy of the letter.

Demand Return of Letter.

When it became apparent from Judge George Calhoun's remarks he intended to overrule objection, McRae said, "I don't know whether you'll get this letter back or not. This letter belongs to the Hoffman Construction company. You have no right to it."

May cried: "We call on them to produce that letter. They took it from us a moment ago." McRae made no move to return the letter.

"Mr. Mathis do you have a certified copy?" May asked, going to the witness stand.

When Mathis answered "Yes," and reached for his case, McRae threw the letter across the table to the attorney general.

Moody Glares at Him.

"I'd advise you to leave private property alone," R. L. Batts, defense attorney told Moody. The attorney general glared at Batts, and said "I'll get stuff such as this whenever I can."

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom, close in, to couple. 905 Austin Street.

Coolidge's Dad Finally Yields To Having a 'Phone

PLYMOUTH, Vt., Jan. 22.—(AP)—In order that President Coolidge might hold conversation with his father, Colonel John C. Coolidge, who is bed-ridden at the Coolidge homestead here, a telephone was installed today in the old farm house at Plymouth notch.

The elder Coolidge had refused steadfastly to have a telephone in his home and only his present disability caused him to accept the innovation.

VERNON BRIDGE SUIT IS DELAYED

Case Continued For Lack of Time After First Day's Hearing.

VERNON, Texas, Jan. 22.—Honors were even at the end of the first round in the injunction suit here which may prevent Wilbarger county from operating a free bridge across Red river. Judge Robert Cole of the 46th district court gave the suit a hearing this morning, and after sustaining two of the defense attorney's exceptions and overruling two, continued the case until such time as the court has time to hear it.

Palintiffs R. L. Castlebury et al have petitioned the court to enjoin Wilbarger county officials from further proceedings with the construction of a bridge across Red river between Vernon and Davidson, Okla.

New Law Questioned

Plaintiffs' petition alleges that the special act of the legislature authorizing the county to purchase is unconstitutional in that the constitution reads that the government must personally conduct negotiations between states, and that the commissioners court could not conduct negotiations between Texas and Oklahoma. Defense took exception to this, saying that by signing the bill which was enacted by the legislature that the governor legally authorized the commissioners court to negotiate as a representative of the governor. The exception was sustained.

Plaintiffs alleged the act of the legislature was unconstitutional because proper publication was not made in the localities affected before the act was passed. Defense attorneys took exception, citing cases to the effect that the fact that the legislature had passed the act was conclusive proof of proper publication. The exception was sustained.

Right to Buy Is Questioned

Plaintiffs claimed the commissioners court could not purchase a bridge, because it eliminated competitive bidding. The defense exception to this to the effect that the commissioners court had asked for bids for the construction of a bridge or for one already constructed was overruled.

The general demurrer of the defense against the injunction was also overruled.

NAVY BILL RESIGNS

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—William A. "Navy Bill" Ingram today resigned as football coach at Indiana university, according to an announcement made tonight by Zora G. Clevenger, athletic director at a joint meeting of alumni and members of the athletic board here.

BEBE DANIELS INJURED

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Jan. 22—Bebe Daniels has a few bruises and bumps on her head from falling off a bicycle and on a curbstone. She was fleeing movie motorcycle cops.

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"NO," GOVERNOR OF ARKANSAS IS INFORMED BY MA

She Honors Pardon Granted During Absence of Neighbor State's Executive.

AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Lieut. Governor S. B. McCall of Arkansas won his fight against Governor Tom J. Terral of Arkansas before Governor Miriam A. Ferguson late today when she denied the request for extradition of A. J. Gurley, former Miller county sheriff.

Assistant Attorney General Brooks Hays of Arkansas notified the governor of Texas that further effort to return Gurley to the Arkansas penitentiary will be made.

Convicted In 1923

Gurley, convicted December 14, at Texarkana, Ark., in Miller county circuit court, was sentenced to five years for failing to pay over county funds amounting to about $80,000 and was pardoned by Acting Governor S. B. McCall, October 20, 1925, during Governor Terral's absence. The governor's attorney charged that the acting governor failed to fulfill requirements of the law in granting he pardon with eight others.

Governor Ferguson issued a statement of Sid Crumpton of Texarkana, attorney for Gurley, and representing McCall, and Assistant Attorney General Hayes, and W. H. Jackson,, secretary to Governor Terral, that Gurley, through attorneys had presented a duly certified copy of a full and complete pardon.

Pardon "Regular."

She said in part "In the matter of the application for the extradiion of A. J. Gurley by he governor of Arkansas upon the governor of Texas, such application is respectfully denied because the said A. J. Gurley, through his attorney, has presented a duly certified copy of a full and complete pardon issued and granted by the acting governor of the state of Arkansas. The pardon appears in all things regular upon its face and its authenticity is not questioned and it is therefore presumed that all things prequisite to its issuance have been done and complied with and until the contrary appears, the governor of Texas feels impelled to recognize the same as a valid pardon."

Gurley served 15 months of his term. Crumpton said 800 Miller county citizens, where Gurley was sheriff four years, 11 of the jurors and 32 bondsmen recommended clemency for him.

A Classified Ad in the Record News Will Bring Immediate Satisfaction—Give It a Trial.

Music Contest On At Majestic Tonight

Tonight the Majestic Theatre and Edna Park Stock company in conjunction with the Wichita Falls Musicians club will conduct the second contest in search of the most popular and capable singer of old-time melodies in the city.

Last Monday night the contest was held for the first time and proved a very successful innovation at the same time it promised to uncover some ability here which up to the present has remained in the background.

Mrs. Harry Cohen, a pupil of Mrs. Lois Parker was declared winner of the contest held Monday night and will not compete again until the final Saturday night when the contest will close.

Mrs. Parker has a number of promising pupils who will be presented at some future date, some of them being presented tonight.

The stipulations of the contest holds that no contestant may use a number that is less than 15 years old. This announcement created much interest and the contest on last Monday night was thoroughly enjoyed by every one in the audience.

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terian church, and then a three-course luncheon was served by the ladies of the First Christian church. Group singing, led by Homer Hill, followed.

Mr. McDavid's report on activities of the past year was comprehensive. It went into considerable detail on what had been done, taking up the chamber's work point by point and stressing those factors which, in his opinion, had resulted in most good to Electra and her environs.

The speaker touched on the permanent and efficient business organization built up by the chamber of commerce and showed how its co-operative efforts was molding the civic and business life of Electra into an effective agency for advancement. Under the heading of good roads he reported on the 30 miles of improved highway constructed into and out of Electra in the past year, and under the publicity heading he explained features of statewide publicity the city has received through news stories and other advertising media in papers of the state.

Conventions Important.

Conventions, Mr. McDavid said, formed an important part of the chamber's work the past year. The Red River district convention for the West Texas chamber of commerce; sending of a delegation from Electra to the annual convention of that organization in Mineral Wells, and other points were stressed in this. He also mentioned establishment of a tourists' information bureau; a merchant's service in which mailing lists were made out; civic improvements which included planting of a large number of shade trees by school children; service to industries, which included industrial surveys and oil field mapping, and finally agricultural development. This latter point was one of the most important and in it Mr. McDavid mentioned the financial support given the county agent, the conducting of the Electra community fair and the paying of premiums for cotton contest winners.

Incidentally, cash prizes were awarded tonight to Albert Mason of the Elliott community who won first prize of $100 by raising 3,227 pounds on five acres, and second prize of $75 to H. S. Martin of County Line who raised 2,015 pounds on five acres.

Music by the Rotary quartet and a reading by Dorothy Joe Moore, were followed by Mr. McGee's address.

He outlined his plans for 1926 and classed them under eight general headings. 1. Further prosecution of a good roads campaign. 2. Further attention to civic questions of importance. 3. Surveys of irrigated territories around Electra. 4. Continuation of an aggressive agricultural program. 5. Extension of the Electra trade territory. 6. Extension of rural free delivery mail service. 7. Conducting of open forum meetings, and 8. Aggressive attention by the board of trustees to problems confronting the chamber.

Mr. McDavid then announced his board and committee appointments and the meeting closed with a one-act playlette "The President by Proxy" staged by members of the chamber with the addition of some outside talent. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. T. Cade.

In the absence of E. W. Barr who was to have presided, Ben W. Tipton, local attorney, filled the the role of toastmaster in excellent manner.

It was the firm and enthusiastic belief of all present that Electra is headed for a busy and prosperous year in 1926.

STUDY BED ROOMS

DENTON, an. 23.—Bedroom suites including twin beds, dressing table and bench are among the projects being worked out by advanced classes in wood-working at the College of Industrial Arts this term. Cedar cchests are also included in the hand work of the young women.

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SWIFT'S PREMIUM SLICED BACON 1 lb. Cartons ..... 46¢

Log Cabin Syrup Small Cans ..... 23c; Medium Cans 45c

White Swan Peas No. 2 Cans ..... 19¢ — Either Luncheon or Dinner

Fancy Creamery Butter SUNSET GOLD BRAND—Pound ..... 45¢

Spick Prunes 1 lb. Cartons, each ..... 20¢ — California Prunes, large size, packed in sealed sanitary cartons.

DEL MONTE YELLOW CLING HALVES PEACHES No. 2 Tall Cans ..... 21¢; Large No. 2½ Cans ..... 27¢

Comet Rice 12-oz. Pkgs. ..... 8½¢

AUNT JEMIMA CORN MEAL Per pkg. ..... 9c — White or yellow, corn cakes and corn bread go mighty fine these wintry days.

Head Lettuce Medium Size, each ..... 8¢ — Imperial Valley

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TAX SURVEY FOR STATE IS URGED

Farm Bureau Would Equalize Burden According To Earning Power.

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—(AP)— A state-wide survey of the taxing system, with a view to equalizing the tax burden according to the productive power and earning capacity of the industry taxed, was urged in a resolution adopted today by the Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

The state agricultural colleges, support for the farm bureau and approval of results obtained in the first five years of the organization's history and the work of county agricultural and home demonstration agents, was commended in other resolutions.

NEW GRAZING REGULATIONS ARE ANNOUNCED BY JARDINE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP) New grazing regulations for the national forests to give ten-year permits the full force and effect of contracts; to encourage individual allotments where practicable and to provide for organization of local grazing boards were announced by Secretary Jardine today. The effective date was made January 18.

TEX-MEX ROAD'S SALE TO SO. PACIFIC IS RUMORED.

HOUSTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Thosewho are watching the working out of the railroad grouping plan in Texas have started speculating again on the possible purchase of the Texas Mexican railway by the Southern Pacific.

DAUGHTER OF MAN SHOWN IN FAMOUS FILM LOSES SUIT

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 22.—Mrs. Virginia Bridger Hahn has lost a million dollar suit against the preducers of "The Covered Wagon." Her father, Jim Bridger, Indian scout, was depicted as a drunkard and a husband of Indian women. Federal Judge Reeves holds that ancestors cannot be defamed.

Forced to Jump Off Train; Fall Is Fatal

WACO, Jan. 22.—Charles Fields, 49, died here late Thursday night, death resulting it is said, from injuries sustained on September 24 of last year, when Fields alleges he was forced at the point of a gun in the hands of a train man, to jump from a moving Houston and Texas Central train near Dallas. His back was broken and he was paralyzed from the waist down.

Fields' home was in Durant, Okla. Some time ago he filed suit against the Houston and Texas Central. The case was transferred to Dallas county on a plea of privilege by the defendant company.

F. P. Erklin, who was with Fields at the time of the accident and also alleged he was forced to jump from the train while in motion, has a suit pending against the company for $50,000.

HELLA TEMPLE ELECTS

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Z. E. Marvin of Dallas, was elected potentate of Hella Temple Shrine at the annual meeting of the Dallas body here last night.

Other officers elected were: John L. Degrazier, chief rabban; J. T. Owens, assistant rabban; A. J. Balcom, high priest and prophet; Ernest R. Tennant, treasurer and Asher Mintz, recorder.

Henryetta Strike Cases Dropped

OKMULGEE, Okla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The last of the cases in county court involving arrests in connection with the union mine troubles in the Henryetta coal district last summer and fall were dismissed today by the county attorney on the grounds of insufficient evidence.

The case which attracted the most attention at the time was that of Maud Williams, Julia H. Thirronet, Iva Clark and Jake Land, union sympathizers, charged with intimidating laborers. Their arrest grew out of picket line disturbances at the B. & A. coal mine west of Schulter.

BIG HEART POWER FIRM LIVES UP TO ITS NAME.

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The Big Heart Light and Power company lived up to its name today when it voluntarily announced a reduction of rates for the town of Barnsdall. The new rates are from 12 to 4 cents per KW hour, while the old rates were 14 to 6 cents, the sliding scale being based on the quantity used.

SIGN BARGE EXTENSION CONTRACT ON MISSISSIPPI.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—A contract under which the Inland Water Ways corporation will extend its barge operations on the Mississippi river from St. Louis, north to Minneapolis and St. Paul, was signed today by Secretary Davis of the war department as chairman of the corporation.

CUBAN PLANE FLIGHT IS DELAYED BY BAD WEATHER.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Flight of the 25 seaplanes to Fernandina, Fla., on the next leg of their journey to Guantanamo, Cuba, today was again postponed. The hop to Fernandina will be made tomorrow if weather conditions permit.

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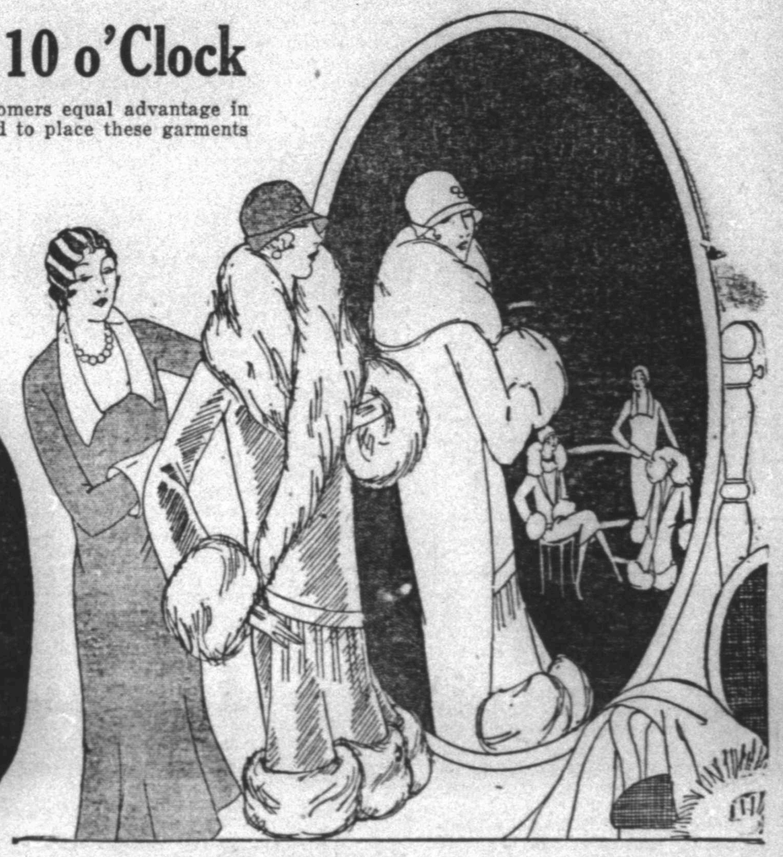
Many of these garments sold for as much as $125.00, and are made of the season's best fabrics. The Dresses are of both wool and silk, and in afternoon, evening and street styles. Lovely color combinations and trimmings.

Be Here at 10 o'Clock

In order to give our customers equal advantage in this sale, we have decided to place these garments on sale at 10 o'clock, and they will not be shown until then. We feel that the entire lot will be sold in an hour or two, so exceptional is the price.

They're on Sale this morning at 10 o'Clock.

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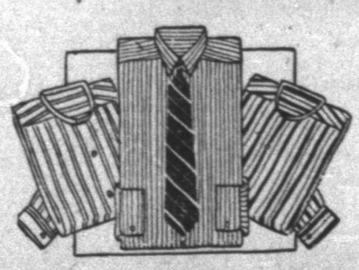
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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY
January 23, 1925
Installation of street traffic lights completed.

MELLON AND PINCHOT

GOVERNOR GIFFORD PINCHOT of Pennsylvania is pot-shotting Secretary Andrew W. Mellon. Pinchot says that William L. Mellon is one of the bosses, if not the chief boss of the republican party of western Pennsylvania, that he controls the legislators from Pittsburgh and adjoining counties, and that the legislators are wets.

And now just because young Boss Mellon is a nephew of the Secretary of the treasury, the governor is making life interesting for the head of the House of Mellon.

Is a great man responsible for the political sins of his nephew? Is a great man responsible for the political sins of his business associates? Is a great man responsible for the wetness of the rank and file of the republican party of the great state of Pennsylvania?

The great cities of the state are republican strongholds; the great cities of the state are wet strongholds; the great cities of the state are violently opposed to the Pinchot dry program of dryer laws.

This is said to be a free country. If a majority of the voters of Pennsylvania prefer the wet side of it and are ever against the dry side of it, now just what is Governor Pinchot going to do about it.

Pinchot is a knightly man; he is a very wealthy man; he is a very ambitious man; he is a very courageous man; he is a very honest man according to the records but he is up against the real thing in political life when he tackles the House of Mellon in the land of William Penn.

UNCLE SAM'S NEW YORK POSTOFFICE

NEW YORK is an imperial city. According to Post master John J. Kieley, the New York postoffice has 17,000 employees, who handle more than 15,000,000 pieces of mail daily, of which 7,000,000 are first class mail.

Seventy per cent of this first class mail is deposited into the boxes between five and nine p. m.,, and the postmaster says the fact that it is so quickly handled with few mistakes really is remarkable.

One foreign steamship landed a thousand sacks of mail early one morning, and practically before the day had ended all of their contents was out of the hands of the New York postoffice employees on the way to the addressee.

New York city has 14,000 policemen,, New York City has 10,000 firemen. In the city of greater New York more than a hundred thousand persons are on the payroll.

Greater New York has a population of 55,800,000, and in three counties just beyond the boundary line of greater New York, there are more than a million people who call themselves New Yorkers.

In the state of New York there are approximatey 12,000,000 people. It is indeed the empire state of the union.

TEXAS AND IT'S PARK SYSTEM

"IF THE Texas legislature will appropriate to the Texas State Park board $50,000 a year for two years, and will give us seventy-five paroled convicts to do the work, we will deliver $1,000,000 worth of improvements within two years and never ask the state for another dime for parks," is the challenge hurled in the teeth of the people of Texas to their lawmakers by Chairman D. E. Colp of the State Park board.

He reminded the people that they had 30,831 acres of state parks that have not cost the state a cent, but were donated by various citizens, and the Park commissioners expect this park area to be doubled from donations within the next two or three years. Chairman Colp estimates the value of this land to be in the neighborhood of $1,300,000. It is divided into 51 separate sites distributed all over the state.

He predicts that while the lawmakers have so far failed to appropriate money for park improvements, they will no doubt do so when they meet again at a regular or called session. New York state in the development of a park system has spent $25,000,000 for this purpose, and Wiconsin comes next in state park development.

Now why should Texas lag behind all other states. Why should the lawmakers be miserly as well as laggardly.

SPORT AND RELIGION

IN the groves which were "God's first temples" men and women once worshipped as reverently as they do now in cathedrals and churches.

Very recently, Bishop Manning of New York City has astonished many people and shocked many others, by announcing his belief that one can play games on the Sabbath day, and still remember it and keep it holy.

There is no reason that gloom should overspread the Sabbath, that children should look forward to it as the day of the week in which all happiness must be laid aside.

There is no reason that a man who does his duty by his Creator should not play golf or tennis on Sunday if he wants to.

Our religion is our own affair. If we are sincere in it, and make it a means of improving our way of life it is a good religion.

There are many regular church goers who, through the week, violate many of the commandments, trying to make it up by going to church on Sunday. I do not believe that the prayers of these people get very far on their way to Heaven.

Sport is a needful and natural relaxation. Most people find it necessary to give up six days a week to the earning of a living for themselves and their families.

To deprive them of the opportunity to get out into the open on Sunday, to walk or play, would be a needless cruelty, and it is an excellent thing that no government has the power to do so, as governments did in the ages gone by.

As we have said in another article, mental and moral health are best nurtured in healthy bodies. And healthy bodies cannot be had without regular and enjoyable exercise.

Any idea that religion is waning in the world will be dispelled by a glance at the number of church spires that tower over every city and and village, and by the crowds that fill the edifices on Sunday.

The preacher who complains that the golf courses and other places devoted to Sunday sports deprive him of his congregation is not the right kind of a preacher. He lacks the power to interest people.

The men who have something to say and know how to say it never fail of obtaining congregations.

I know of one man in a little town who draws people from miles away to hear his morning and evening services, and who is a great power for good among the inhabitants of five or six communities. But he does not scold his auditors for playing golf between services.

People who are fair in their business dealing, kindly to their neighbors and generous and sympathetic with those less fortunate during six days in the week will, I believe find more favor in the sight of the Creator than those who keep their religion for parading on Sunday.

As intelligence increases right living will increase, for it is the only way to real happiness. Religion is a help to right living, but it must be a tolerant religion—a religion such as that which was preached—and practiced by the founder of Christianity.

A GOLDEN STRAW

NOW comes from the capitol of the nation that the United States has a big trade balance as the annual exports by nearly $700,000,000. All this happened in 1925. Southern cotton threw for twelve months exceeded the imports the balance of trade on the side of the United States, but the exportation of petroleum products helped the cause along.

What T-O Editors Are Saying

Some people complain of the law because it isn't made to fit their prejudice.—Gotebo Gazette.

The worst man we know of got married because he heard a wife was cheaper than a janitor. —Hugo News.

It would be quite a help if the modern novelist with the ingrowing mind knew as much about life as he does about himself.—Bristow Record.

The best thing to keep roosters from crowing at 3 o'clock a. m., is a good recipe for chicken soup.—Hugo News.

English dressmakers are predicting the return of the long skirt because of the high cost of silk stockings.—Chickasha Star.

Never judge a man's religion by what he says when he gets out of bed on a cold morning.—Coalgate Courier.

Now we are to have an investigation of the Aluminum Trust. More headlines in sight. Why not begin an investigation of our professional investigators?—Okfuskee County News.

These statues to Christopher Columbus in various parts of the country commemorate a prominent foreigner who didn't come over here to lecture.—Holdenville Democrat.

It will be only a few years till the flappers grow up and begin to worry about the ways of their successors, the new "younger generation." Cheer up.—Chickasha Express.

THE MINUTE THAT SEEMS A YEAR - - - - By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



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"Love Bound In Wichita Falls"

By the Author of 'The Flapper Wife'

READ THIS FIRST:

FLOSSIE and MARY ROSE MIDDLETON are two pretty sisters, the daughters of a widowed mother. They work for the Dexter Automobile Company.

Mary Rose is secretary to JOHN MANNERS, the sales manager, and is in love with him. But he is engaged to DORIS HINIG, an heiress. Because of her feeling for him, Mary Rose repeatedly refuses to marry DR. TOM FITZROY.

Flossie, a born flirt, does a very poor job of keeping the office files. Mary Rose discovers that she is carrying on a flirtation with HILARY DEXTER, the president of the company, although she's going to marry his secretary, SAM JESSUP. She accepts gifts of jewelry from Dexter, who is married, and goes joy riding with him at all hours. The girl's mother, MRS. MIDDLETON, can do nothing with her.

John Manners falls in love with Mary Rose, as he never has been in love with Doris Hinig, and tells her so. She is in seventh heaven over it, but her joy is short lived. For that night the sisters quarrel, and to get even with Mary Rose, Flossie tells John Manners that she is "just stringing him along" and intends to marry Tom Fitzroy. Manners believes Flossie's convincing lie, and Mary Rose is hurt and puzzled by his sudden coldness.

MRS. DEXTER finds out about her husband's love affair with Flossie. When she comes down to the office, she mistakes Mary Rose for her sister, and publicly accuses her of trying to steal away her husband. Mary Rose takes the blame that really is Flossie's because, as Flossie tearfully points out, Sam Jessup will never marry her if he finds out that she's been stepping out with Dexter. The latter soothes his angry wife, and goes cheerfully on with his affair with Flossie. One night he goes too far in his love making and the next day Flossie quits her job and elopes with Sam Jessup. The day they are due to return Mary Rose resigns her position with the Dexter Company. John Manners says good bye to her in a cold way, and she goes away crying. At the door Dexter shows her a letter from the newly-married Flossie. "She wants her job back!" he says.

(Now go on with the story)

And when Mrs. Middleton had disappeared into the kitchen to give the cook some last nervous orders, he showed Mary Rose what that "something else" was.

He brought it slowly out from his pocket—a tiny circle of platinum crusted with little diamonds —a wedding ring.

Mary Rose took it from him. Within its narrow band was engraved the legend "T. F. to M. R. M. November 14."

She looked up at him with wide, startled eyes. "Why, that's today—November 14!" she said.

"I know it." He nodded and his ruddy face became even more ruddy than usual as a flush of embarrassment spread over it. He began to stutter as he always did when he was nervous or shy.

"I th-th-thought you m-m-might m-m-marry me today—just b-b-By some wild ch-ch-chance!" he exploded. "See?"

Almost before the words were out of his mouth, she was shaking her head. Then she threw it up with a quick, impatient movement. "Tom, must you spoil this perfectly good friendship of ours all the time like this?" she asked.

He smiled at her. "There's no such thing as friendship between a man and a woman when they're as young as we are," he said. "Any doctor can tell you that! A man either loves a woman and wants her—or she doesn't exist for him. Mary Rose, I'm beginning to think you are as cold as ice. I don't believe you know the meaning of love."

Yet whatever she was—cold or not—he loved her. And even though he knew that beyond friendliness, she cared nothing for him, he would have taken her if he could on any terms!

She slipped away from him and ran upstairs to dress. Before she was ready she heard the unmistakable asthmatic cough of Sam Jessup's automobile out in the street.

She ran to the window! Yes, there they were—Sam and Flossie—taking their bags out of the old Wheezer and coming up the walk with them. Mary Rose noticed that Flossie was wearing a new hat—a little gray thing of the shape known to women as the "Gigolo." The last scream in hat fashions!

"Think of paying $20 for that thing!" she said to herself.

When she got downstairs, Flossie was in Mrs. Middleton's arms and Tom was shaking Sam Jessup's hand as if it were a pump handle and slapping him on the back.

"Hah! hah! I fooled you all! Didn't I? You never thought Sam and I'd be married so soon, did you?" Flossie cried, looking from one face to another, with her blue eyes dancing.

"I fooled Sam, too," she added, with a peal of silver laughter. "I never will forget the old kids' face the day I ran away. I met him down at the corner and served notice on him that we were on our way to be married. He was 'sprised 'most to death!"

She ran on, giving little, short, delighted shrieks over the house, gay with its flowers, and she clasped her hands with joy at the sight of the table and of all the presents heaped on the sideboard.

Sam followed her, moodily silent.

"You probably notice that Sam and I are about as friendly as two strange bull dogs," she exclaimed.

"You know that's not true, Flossie," Sam contradicted her, looking her straight in the eye. He turned to Mrs. Middleton.

"She wants to go back to work and I won't let her—" he began, but Flossie broke in and drowned him out.

"I don't want to go back to work at all. But I've got to go back work—because he won't give me any money!" she said with brutal frankness. "He keeps all his money himself! In a wallet!"

She pulled off her new little gray "Gigola" hat and held it out to them. "You see this hat? Well, he wouldn't give me the money to buy it—"

"How did you get it, then?" This from Tom.

"Sent to Mary Rose for the money!" Flossie explained. She stepped close to Sam with a lightning-like movement and locked her arms around him.

"Isn't he an old peach?" she asked with mock sincerity. "Just like all the men! Cr-razy about you, until they get you! And then stingy and mean and selfish and horrid—"

Sam looked helplessly at his mother-in-law. "After I'd paid our bill at the hotel—$8 a day, you know—I just couldn't afford the hat," he said, with a kind of pathos. "Twenty dollars for that little peanut of a hat!"

"That's right! Make me out an extravagant fiend," Flossie cried. "To hear you talk, Sam Jessup, anybody would think I'm not the angel I am. And I am an angel; You know I'm an angel! And I'm going back to work Monday to earn the money for my own hats! I'd rather earn the money for my own hats! I'd rather die than ask you for a penny ever again! All I wish is that I'd never laid eyes on you!"

And with that she turned and ran upstairs, locking herself in her old bedroom. It took the united efforts of Mrs. Middleton, Tom and Mary Rose to finally persuade her to come down for the wedding breakfast.

"Gosh! That's some beginning for their married life, isn't it?" Tom asked Mary Rose two hours later, when the two of them were helping the cook with the dishes. "And if he lets her go back to work, he's crazy!"

CHAPTER LIV

When night came and it was time for Sam to take his bride home, Flossie refused point blank to set foot outside her mother's house.

"What do you want to do? Stay here all night?" Sam asked and she nodded her beautiful head sulkily.

"But is there room here for the two of us?" Sam asked nervously biting the ends of his tiny new mustache that he was growing in imitation of John Gilbert.

Flossie batted her eyelashes at him in mock surprise. "Oh, yes, there's plenty of room for us here," she said airily. "But I don't want you to stay! You can trot back to your boarding house alone. I'm sick of the sight of you!"

Sam blushed painfully under the sting of her words and turned to Mary Rose, his sole friend and ally in the Middleton house, now that his wife had turned against him.

"Wouldn't I look like a fool going back to my boarding house alone, when they all know I'm just married?" he asked her. "Why, they'd kid the life out of me!"

"I should worry whether they kid you or not," Flossie drawled and yawning elaborately she started up the stairs.

Sam looked at her retreating back with unhappy, puzzled eyes. "Won't you tell me what I've done to make you act like this?" he appealed. "If you're still sore because I couldn't afford to buy you a $20 hat, you must be crazy!"

Flossie turned and her eyes blazed at him like blue rockets.

"Crazy am I?" she asked. "Well, I may be crazy, but I'm smart enough to show you where to head in! You just keep your darned old money to yourself, if you want to—and I'll keep myself to myself, see?"

She disappeared around the curve of the stairs.

"Aren't you even going to kiss me good night?" he called after her, miserably.

There was no answer but the steady tap-tap of her high little heels, followed by the banging of her bedroom door and the turning of a key in a lock.

"Bang! Goes the honeymoon!" Tom Fitzroy remarked with his crooked smile, a minute later when the front door closed shrilly behind the hapless bridegroom and his bags.

The marriage is turning out exactly as I knew it would," Mrs. Middleton shook her head with her best I-told-you-so air. "But there's this about it—now that she's married Sam Jessup, she can't stay here. A wife's place is with her husband!" And she bustled up the stairs after her stubborn daughter.

A quarter of an hour afterward, when Tom had gone, she came down again, defeat written on her face. "Well, I can't do anything with her," she told Mary Rose. "She says she won't live with him ever again unless he lets her handle all the money. You go up and see if you can make her listen to reason."

Mary Rose found Flossie sitting up against the pillows of her narrow white bed, combing out her spun gold hair.

"No, don't stand lecturing me about going back to Sam!" she began angrily the minute her sister stepped into the room they had shared for so many years. "I'll teach him a lesson he won't forget! Telling me I've got to get along on so much a week! Why, the poor sap never would have got that $10 raise of his if it hadn't been for me, if Sam only had brains enough to see it!"

Mary Rose raised her level black brows.

"No, I don't think he did," she answered coolly, bringing her firm lips together. "I think he'd have given it to him, no matter what girl he'd married. He seems to be very fond of Sam—"

(Continued Tomorrow)

POEMS THAT LIVE

Desiderio.

Surprised by joy—impatient as the wind—
I turn'd to share the transport—O with whom
But Thee—deep buried in the silent tomb,
That spot which no vicissitude can find?

Love, faithful love recall'd thee to my mind.
But how could I forget thee? Through what power
Even for the least division of an hour
Have I been so beguiled as to be blind.

To my most grievous loss—That thought's return
Was the worst pang that sorrow ever bore
Save one, one only, when I stood forlorn,

Knowing my heart's best treasure was no more;
That neither present time, nor years unborn
Could to my sight that heavenly face restore.

—William Wordsworth.

Lyrics of Life

By

Douglas Malloch

Life's Sequel.

Life's tale is never told:
We live, and we grow old,
But life is like a book to one.
So many things are never done,
So many things are but begun.

We love, and then we part;
Some chapter in the heart
Will not be finished till dear hands
Shall clasp again, until one stands
Upon the soil of happier lands.

Our dreams we dream life through,
But some may not come true.
May not come true in that brief while,
The few short years, the hurried mile,
That fate has given us to smile.

Life's tale is never told
This side the gates of gold—
There must be worlds, another one
When this brief word is past and done,
To finish all we have begun.

There dreams shall prove their truth.
There time give back our youth,
There right shall sit up its throne
And there the loving find their own—
Yes, there life's sequel shall be known.

PETER'S ADVENTURES in ANIMAL LAND

By MRS FLORENCE SMITH VINCENT

The Head Hunter Comes.

Heyna felt so badly over the fate that had come to his mate that Peter couldn't help feeling sorry for him. But there was one thing about it all the boy didn't understand. Why had that hunter bound fast Heyna's mate? Why had he carried her away as Heyna said he had? What was he going to do with her?

"Why did the Two-Legs throw mud in her face?" demanded the boy, but he didn't find out—at least not then and there. Heyena had again buried his face in his paws and was wailing as mournfully as before. He just wouldn't be comforted, no matter what Peter said.

At last the boy gave up trying to cheer the mourner and began to look about him. What a queer country he had wished himself to! No flowers, not much grass—but rocks, rocks everywhere! Heyena had been right; it was a wilderness—no place at all to be in all by oneself. What was that moving over by the palm tree? Peter jumped to his feet.

"It may be a wild beast—a lion, perhaps, or a tiger! 'Tis all very well to have a charm in one's pocket, but I am not going to trust too much to the Lizard's tail to protect me. If an animal looks fierce and ugly, I am not going to wait and find out. I am going to run away," thought Peter, his heart skipping a beat.

Just at that second the moving object rounded the crest of the hill and the rays of the setting sun shone upon it. Peter gasped.

"A man! A little brown man! And he must have left home in a dreadful hurry and forgotten his clothes. Why, he has hardly anything on at all! Heyena, Heyena, look up! There's a man in sight and he's coming this way!"

Heyena forgot to be sad. He shambled to his feet, an awkward, homely creature.

"Where, where?" barked he, and bobbed up and down like a monkey on a stick.

"Keep still long enough and you will see. Look—over by the palm tree!" cried Peter, but before the words had left his mouth Heyena gave a loud cry.

"The head hunter, the head hunter!" wailed he. "How we Heyenas hate him! He's the very Two-Legs that caught my mate. And now he is after me!"

Next—"Hiding in a Hurry."

PLOT ON KING AND HIS CABINET ENDS HEALTH TRIP

BELGRADE, Jugo-Slavia, Jan. 21. (AP)—Discovery of a plot against the lives of King Alexander and his cabinet ministers is believed to be behind the sudden decision of Premier Pachitch to return from the Rivera where he went on January 10 for an announced lengthy stay for his health.

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The Fun Shop

By

Maxon Foxhall Judell

What a Help It Would Be, Folks!

Those winter boughs so bleak to view
Will blossom when the spring comes back;
Folks, would that clothes and shoe trees too
Did likewise, but they don't, alack!

Sickening News.

Lovesick Youth: "Sir, I love your daughter, and——"
Mr. Stern: "She's been kidding you. I'm her husband."

YOUTH WILL SERVE ITSELF

By Anthony P. Callan

Next door to me there lives a lass
Who has the neighbors guessing;
That she possesses speed and class
I'm really confessing.
No matter when she takes a stroll
She will be hailed, upon my soul,
By Sheiks who have a car and roll
With invitations pressing.

And oftentimes she takes a chance
Despite her mother's warning.
Old people's "Thou shalt nots" and "can'ts"
Young folks are always scorning.
When twelve miles out last night she had
To jump out and walk home to Dad,
Arriving home, footsore and mad,
At three o'clock this morning.

Said I, "You girls are lucky Janes
That on the ground you're flapping,
For soon, in jitney aeroplanes,
Boys will the girls be trapping."
She answered, "Run and play your flute!
We know the nature of the brute.
We'll carry our own parachute!
You will not catch us napping!"

The Very Thing.

Crawford: "What do you think of those new gun metal stockings the girls are wearing!"
Blaisdell: "They should go first rate with the powder they use."
—G. G. Cahn.

A clever girl may not be able to read music at sight, but she soon learns to pick out the sharps and flats among the young men she mingles with.

A Necessary Point.

Gentleman Visitor: "—but after my cold shower this morning, I felt as lively as a two-year old pup."
Little Billy: "With fleas?"
—Elizabeth M. Driscoll.

PROGRESS.

The elderly college professor stopped in speechless awe as his wondering eyes took in the gigantic construction work which was finally being completed after years of superhuman labor.

"Ah," gasped the college professor at last to be superintendent in charge of construction, "it is marvelous, almost superhuman in its extraordinary vastness. That mighty dam harnessing untold horse power—what a tremendous undertaking to build it! Then that enormous mass of power houses and factory buildings. The hugeness of it—the tremendous scale on which it has been done! The incredible numbers of men engaged in the work and the gigantic sums of money that have been spent. What a gargantuan thing it is to create all this and to call on nature for such illimitable power in this magnificent undertaking. Tell me, to what purpose for the good of mankind is this crowning achievement of mankind dedicated?"

"Aw, ain't you heard?" responded the superintendent. "This is the new face powder plant of the Consolidated Cosmetic Company!"
—F. H. Williams.

Second Advice!

A teacher who is a very good friend of mine told me that recently she found a little Italian girl in her class who was very dull in Grammar.

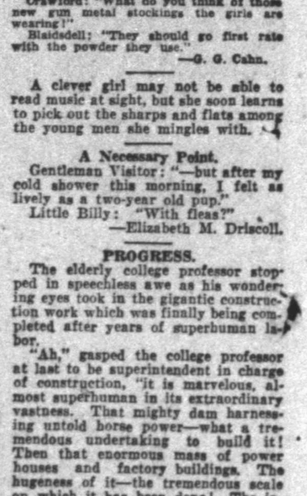
So my friend finally sent for Rosie's mother and the following conversation took place:

"My gell a badda gell!"

"No, Rosie is not a bad girl; she is a very good girl, but she cannot learn Grammar."

"I no want my gell learna de gram. She learna de gram, she getta no man. I no learna gram, I getta man. You learna gram, you getta no man."
—Mrs. I. F. Layton.

If Well-Known Plays Were Illustrated



"The Green Hat"

A Mighty Task.

Kreus (quite stout): "Doc, tell me what I should do to reduce."
Dr. Peerless: "Exercise will do it."
Kreus: "What kinds shall I take?"
Dr. Peerless: "Begin by pulling yourself away from the table three times a day before you are half full."
—R. A. B.

Not Him

Visitor to Country Town: "Do you think that 'Coolidge Economy' has hurt business?"
Proprietor of Country Store: "It hasn't hurt mine. But then, he never traded with me, anyway."
—G. G. Frochlich.

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DOGS CHASE WOLF

CHILDRESS, Jan. 22.—A big gray wolf was chased through the south side of town by a pack of dogs today. The chase was witnessed by many persons. It ran through yards close to houses and finally got away from the dogs.

FAIRFAX MAN IS FREED ON CATTLE THEFT CHARGE

PAWHUSKA, Okla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The jury in the case of the state against Newt Borrer of Fairfax, charged with theft of nine head of cattle, returned a verdict of not guilty today. The jury was out 24 hours.

$9,000,000 AIR PLANS REJECTED

Contract With Henry Ford Also Attacked in Navy Bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The navy department appropriation bill encountered a choppy sea in the house today and was stripped by points of order of sections carrying approximately $9,000,000 for new aircraft construction during the next fiscal year.

Those steering its legislative course were unable to guide the measure to port before adjournment, and tomorrow face a vote on an amendment to eliminate another section to provide $300,000 for the navy to contract with the aircraft development corporation, backed by Ford interests for an all-metal airship.

The legislative sea was churned up by an open breach between the two house committees charged with the handling of naval affairs, Chairman Butler of the naval committee charging the appropriations naval sub-committee with infringing on the authority of his group.

And He'll Learn About Women From Betty and Irma

CHICAGO, an. 22.—(AP)—Women in the life of Martin James Durkin, auto thief and gunman, may take leading pars in the efort of the state to send him to the gallows on indictments charging the killing of two detectives.

While his mother, Hattie, leads the defense, the prosecution hopes to use as its witnesses his 18-year-old blonde bride of seven weeks, Irma Sullivan Durkin, and Betty Werner, his former sweetheart. It was Betty he jilted after he escaped from a police trap into which he walked to get clothing for her baby boy.

Charges Filed In Radio Wave Case

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Eugene F. McDonald, Jr., president of the Zenith Radio corporation which owns station WJAZ, today was served with a summons by federal duputy marshals charging the aiding and abetting of illegal radio broadcasting.

S. B. Davis, solicitor of the department of commerce of Washington, conferred here with J. Elliott Byrne, assistant United States district attorney relative to proceeding against the company for broadcasting on a wave length other than that permitted by the commerce department.

McDonald accompanied Commander MacMillan to the Arctic last summer.

PESTILENCE FOLLOWS IN WAKE OF MEXICAN FLOODS

NOGALES, Ariz., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The death toll of recent floods in the state of Nayarit, Mexico, continues to grow as the result of fever and pestilence, dispatches received here today state.

Lack of transportation facilities is handicapping relief efforts. The transportation of medical supplies to the Santingo river valley where the suffering is reported most intense is made by canoe from Ruiz, the nearest railroad point.

BOURSE SUSPENDS AS PROTEST ON TAX PLAN

PARIS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Business on the Paris bourse was completely suspended today in protest against the proposed increase in taxation on the bourse operations.

The New General Motors Six at a price so unexpectedly low that only General Motors can achieve it.
McElreath Motor Co.

Taxes Drive Beauty to Stage



Ranks of British society continue to be depleted by "trade and the stage. Present high taxes on fortunes have made enormous reductions in the incomes of members of the aristocracy, compelling many to go to work. Hon. Elizabeth Pollock, daughter of Sir Adrian Pollock, is the latest to hear the call of the footlights. She is appearing in London

Mother's Slayer Must Die, Says Court

CARSON CITY, Nev., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Conviction of John Randolph, found guilty last August of the murder of his aged mother, by administering a beating to her, and sentenced to die by lethal gas, was upheld by the state supreme court here today. Randolph has 15 days in which to apply for a rehearing. Confirmation of the conviction of Randolph makes three men now in the state prison awaiting execution by lethal gas.

U. S. ACCEPTS DISMISSAL OF CHARGE ON WHEELER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The department of justice will accept as final the decision of the District of Columbia supreme court dismissing the conspiracy indictment here against Senator Wheeler of Montana.

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DEATH RULES THE HIGHWAYS

Country Road More Dangerous Than City Street, Figures Show.

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The spirit of death rules the roads more than it does city streets, the automobile death record of the United States department of commerce appears to show.

Telegraphic reports from 24 American cities released today indicate that one-fourth of the automobile fatalities reported from those cities last year actually occurred outside the city limits. The figures show the country road is more dangerous than the city street.

Dallas, the only Texas city in the list, appears to be an exception. Of the 49 deaths reported for this city, last year, 45 occurred in the city.

SAN ANGELO PLANS FOR PAVING OF 15 BLOCKS

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Jan. 22.—San Angelo's paving program for 1926 includes 15 blocks, the city to pay one-third of the cost and the abutting property owners the remainder. This is the last time the city will pay one-third of the cost, paving only the intersections in the future.

Air Investigation To End Promptly

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The latest aircraft investigation, that by the house military committee, gave indications today of coming to an early end.

Chairman Morin said various investgations of the subject had produced exhaustive records and that the committee intended to hear no more witnesses unless they had new information. He added a bill would be reported soon covering the situation.

Representative Curry, republican, California, today urged the committee to favor his measure for a department of national defense.

Charges Against Judge Unproven

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Some charges against Federal Judge Harry B. Anderson of the western Tennessee district were declared disproven in a report submitted today to the senate judiciary committee by department of justice agents.

The department's investigation, said the report, showed that there were no facts to substantiate "rumors that the father of Judge Anderson gave Robert Church $10,000 to secure his influence."

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BLANKETS
SINGLE AND DOUBLE
Kenwood, Oregon City and Mariposa
All-Wool Single Blankets, 72x84, regular $15.00 grade, sale price, each $12.95
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Wool Filled Silk
COMFORTS
Plain Satin and Brocaded Silk. Size 72x84
$22.50 grade, sale price $17.75
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Starting at 2:30 Monday Afternoon, January 25
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Kemp Hotel Ball Room
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WIFE SLAYER IS DOOMED TO DIE

W. T. Aven, Convicted of Murder in Waco Court, Gets Death Penalty.

WACO, Jan. 22.—Sentence to die by electrocution at any time before sunrise on February 27 was passed on W. T. Aven this morning by Judge R. I. Munroe of the fifty-fourth district court, which was the first time in the history of McLennan county that the sentence to die by electrocution had been imposed.

Aven was convicted of the murder of his wife, Mrs. Maude Aven, near Waco, on July 5, 1921, she having died as the result of poisoning. He has been tried twice and given the death penalty both times, the first case having been reversed.

Aven has been in jail here since the date of the crime.

Objection of sentence was made by Aven's counsel on the ground that no legal judgment had been pronounced against him, and alleging further that he is insane. Application will be made to Judge Munroe to discharge Aven, and if this is refused, the court of criminal appeals will be asked to issue a writ.

Aven was indicted for the death of his infant son and nephew, but has never been tried on either of these charges.

East Texas C of C Is Being Organized

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—An organization to be known as the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, is to be formed along the lines of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, J. C. Wells of Wills Point discussed plans for this move while attending the meeting here today of the Texas Association of Fairs.

According to tentative plans, a meeting soon is to be called for some east Texas city where details will be worked out for getting all east Texas towns interested.

VERNON

E. E. Eggleston Wednesday announced plans to erect a four-room dwelling in the rear of his home at 1428 Houston street.

Dr. A. R. Taylor has let the contract to Carl Snyder for the construction of a small dwelling on South Main.

Deputy Sheriff Boyd McClendon Wednesday received a $50 check from the war department as a reward for the capture of George Smith who was wanted at Fort Sill, Okla., for desertion.

Mrs. Carl King is reported to be very ill with a throat affection.

Mrs. W. R. Moore of South Main street is suffering from a throat affection this week.

W. M. O'Docharty is suffering with the throat malady and has been confined to his home for the past few days.

Ray Swim of West Vernon and Miss Idalorena of Farmers Valley were married here Wednesday at the home of his brother, Robert Swim. Rev. C. A. Bickley, pastor of the First Methodist church, performed the ceremony in the presence of several relatives.

Mrs. Nola Martin Carter has started a four-room bungalow at a cost of $2,250 on Bacon street.

S. C. Estes, who moved to Vernon recently from Burkburnett, has let contract for a handsome six-room bungalow with built-in fixtures, fireplace, breakfast room, at a cost of $5,500.

R. M. Moore is building a duplex on Wichita street to cost $2,500.

R. Z. Wilbanks is erecting a bungalow on Bismark street at an approximate cost of $2,000.

A. C. Estes is building two bungalows with built-in fixtures at an approximate cost of $2,400 each.

Sweetwater Man Is Blamed for Arson

FORT WORTH, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Filing of arson charges last night against John Wilkerson, Sweetwater, formerly a resident here, in connection with a fire here December 26, which destroyed a residence, is the first development in the city's campaign against arson since it was announced two weeks ago that an organized "arson trust" had been uncovered.

Satterwhite Not To Run for Governor

AMARILLO, Texas, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Speaker Lee Satterwhite of the Texas house of representatives, recently widely quoted proponent of a special session of the legislature, will not run for governor in possible opposition to Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, with whom he clashed in policy regarding the projected extra session to investigate her administration. Such was assured in his announcement here that he will be candidate for re-election as state representative from the 193rd district, composed of six Panhandle counties.

State Pays Dearly On Book Fund Loan

AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Practical depletion of the state text book fund is causing the state to be paying interest at six per cent on $800,000 of text books purchased under contracts during the past year, it was disclosed today by Prof. S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction. Interest began on December 1 and from present indications will continue until March 1, it was stated.

BURKBURNETT MOURNS FOR DEATH OF OLNEY CHILDREN

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 22.—The death of the two little Gray children in Olney comes as a great shock to the many friends of the families in this city where the Gray brothers and their mother lived for many years. Other local relatives are Mesdames Will Elliott, and C. M. Denisin, sisters of Mr. Gray. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray, the bereaved parents, were well known here.

The New General Motors Six Will Be The Chief of The Sixes. Coming to McElreath Motor Co.

Maurice Dances Into Love



Eleanora Ambrose, who became dancing ally of Maurice (Mouvet) when his partnership with Barbara Bennett broke up unexpectedly a short time ago, now is wearing the famed "society dancer's" engagement ring. The wedding bells will ring in Paris in April. Maurice and Barbara are seen practising some steps; Eleanora is inset.

Burkburnett

Fred Arrinton of Walters, Okla., was in town on business this week.

John Allen Hennent, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hennent, was bitten by a stray dog while en route to school Wednesday. The Pasteur treatment is being administered.

Married.

The announcement of the marriage of Newell W. Levell and Miss Ruth Kenner came as a pleasant surprise to their many friends in this city.

Both are popular members of the R. H. Henry store force, and will continue their positions for a while, making their home temporarily with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kenner at 205 West First Street.

The ceremony was a quiet home wedding, Rev. M. L. Hamilton officiating, with only the families of the contracting parties in attendance.

Cercy-Evans.

The marriage of A. B. Cercy and Miss Alleene Evans took place Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian Manse, Dr. Henry O. Moore, the pastor officiating.

The bridal couple was attended by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Swanson, and a few other relatives.

The occasion was celebrated with a splendid wedding dinner at the home of Mrs. Swanson.

J. R. Duggan Dead.

The death of J. R. Duggan, 43, came as a shock to the family and friends on the Will Ramming lease, west of the city.

Mr. Duggan was well known and had been engaged in farming on this lease for six years. Burial took place in the Iowa Park cemetery.

Mrs. Barton Is Honoree.

Mrs. Harry Barton was the honoree of a pleasant party which took the form mof a friendship shower given in the home of Mrs. T. B. Caldwell, 315 East Fourth Street, with Mrs. I. J. Williams, J. A. Messer and A. L. Gregg as assistant hostesses.

The opening feature of the gathering was the arrival of the little Travis Gregg with his decorated wagonload of dainty and useful gifts which he unloaded at the feet of the honoree.

At the close of the entertainment a refreshment course was served.

The gift register included the following ladies most of whom were members of the T. E. L. class of the Baptist church: Mesdames Herbert Cook, Mamie Lee Rider, W. C. Brown, D. M. Elkins, E. M. Brown, E. E. Corley, A. W. Salter, L. L. Slintz, J. D. Cook, M. L. Roe, Lelia Westerbrook, R. D. Laney, Dot Busby, O. K. Rankins, W. M. Carver, Junita Wesninger, H. D. Smith, J. H. Ezell, J. D. Riddle, Guy Wilds, Clark Hyde, E. C. Johnson, E. P. Bryant and J. H. Melton.

University Club.

Mrs. Joe H. Davis was hostess to the University club Wednesday afternoon at her home on East Fourth Street.

The attendance was good and a splendid program was rendered by Mrs. Erwin Blum and Mrs. Russell Chamberlain covering the recent events of the world in general and closing with a bit of current verse.

The hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Mary Louise Davis and neighbor, Mrs. Urban, served a delicious plate of sandwiches, pie and coffee.

Those present were Mesdames J. C. Adams, W. D. Utts, M. L. Urban, R. C. Tevis, J. M. F. Gill, W. P. Martin, I. E. Harwell, J. M. Pogue, E. H. Simons, W. R. Hill, H. C. Anderson, Erwin Blum, Russell Chamberlain, Jewel Covington, R. M. Gilchrist and John E. Haynes.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Haynes on the third of February.

Bible Class Entertained.

The members of Dr. W. B. Adams Men's Bible class in the Methodist church were entertained recently in the basement of the new church building, the guest register including the wives and lady friends of the members.

Dr. Adams, the teacher made an inspiring talk and was followed by Herman Dodson, the president, in a helpful message.

Other contributing to the program were Pat Morrison in special solos and as leader of many choruses in which the entire company took part.

Pastor to Trial For Remark About Serpent in Eden

ASSEN, Holland, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Because he is alleged to have cast doubt in a sermon he preached of the statement in Genesis that the serpent in the Garden of Eden spoke to Eve about eating the apple, the Rev. J. G. Geelkerken of Amsterdam must stand trial for heresy.

He has been summoned to appear in Assen before the general synod of the Dutch Reform church next Thursday.

Walters Debating Team Is Selected

WALTERS, Okla., Jan. 22.—Debating tryouts for Walters high school's entries in the southern conference debating teams were held today. The following were placed on the first team: Roy Morris, J. C. Rothwell, and Orville Montgomery. Second team were Loide English, Harold Lovelace and John L. Bass. The state debating question this year is: "Resolved, that the United States should enter into an agreement for the mutual cancellation of the inter-allied debts."

DIRECTOR OF CENSUS IS INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—William M. Steuart director of the census, was seriously injured here today when he was struck by a mail truck on a downtown street. He was taken to a hospital in an unconscious condition.

EVELYN NESBIT BLAMES SCHOPENHAUER FOR ACT

ATLANTIC CITY, Jan. 22.—Evelyn Nesbit is back regretting an incident in Chicago New Year's Eve. Her explanation is that slightly blue, she started reading Schopenhauer's essay on suicide and acted on impulse.

Oklahoma Slayer Is Given 40 Years

ENID, Okla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Albert E. Greer, who was charged with Roy A. Johnson with the murder of Steve Man, Medford, Okla., night watchman, this morning pleaded guilty in district court at Medford and was sentenced to serve 40 years in the state penitentiary. The trial of Johnson ended yesterday and the jury recommended he be given the death sentence.

WILL BUILD CHURCH.

CHILDRESS, Jan. 22.—Negroes of Childress plan to build a church for members of their race. A revival meeting is to be held in the court house, where a special musical program of old time southern songs will be sung. A special section will be reserved for white visitors who have been invited to attend.

BUSINESS FOR CHILDRESS

CHILDRESS, Jan. 22.—The Chamber of Commerce has received information that a number of big wholesale firms will locate branch houses in Childress as soon as the interstate commerce commission decides the railroad case for the south plains.

VERNON PLANS C. OF C. BANQUET

Activities for Year to Be Outlined at Meeting Monday Night.

VERNON, Jan. 22.—Plans for the activities of the chamber of commerce for the coming year and for the annual banquet will be completed at the regular directors' meeting Monday night, according to Secretary R. M. Fielder. A program for the coming year will be planned in order that it may be presented to the members of the chamber at the banquet Thursday night.

Arrangements for the speakers at the annual banquet are as yet incomplete, according to Mr. Fielder. Replies have not been received to invitations sent to well-known business men of the state.

RULE

Mr. and Mrs. George May of Sweetwater were the week-end guests of the former parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. May.

J. F. Jones of Abilene, transacted business here Wednesday and visited his brother, Joe A. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Norman are spending the week in Brownwood, the guests of their son, Earl Norman and family.

J. A. Cassle transacted business in Abilene Tuesday.

Mesdames Joe A. Jones and J. D. Westbrook spent Monday in Anson the guests of Mrs. R. B. Hills.

Lester Jackson of Dallas is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Jackson this week.

Sam May and Ed Verner transacted business in Haskell Tuesday.

Mrs. E. B. Harris spent Tuesday in Haskell with friends and relatives.

W. F. Neeley was a business visitor in Breckenridge the first of the week.

Mrs. J. E. Lindsey has as her guests this week the following sisters, Mrs. P. T. Serar and little daughter Bettie of Albany and Mrs. N. L. Peters of Lubbock and mother, Mrs. A. Levosoky.

Mrs. Marlin Wilson has returned from a visit to friends in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Guest of Aspermont were the guest of Misses Sarah and Nora Hudspeth Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. White visited friends in Haskell Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. R. Neal Greer spent Monday in Abilene with friends.

Mrs. A. J. Shriver and Miss Estella Tennyson of Haskell were the guests of Mrs. E. B. Harris Friday evening and attended the P. T. A. program.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson of Haskell were visitors in our city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Cosner visited friends and transacted business in our city Monday afternoon.

S. M. Davis transacted business in Austin last week.

W. H. Murchison of Haskell transacted business here this week.

W. D. Payne was a business visitor to Abilene Tuesday evening.

W. L. Stephens of Lamesa is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Chas. Fouts this week.

J. D. Wilson of Lewistown, Mont., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. E. Davis the first of the week.

Billy Sunday May Be Asked to Burk

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 22.—A meeting of the chamber of commerce, retail merchants' association and representatives of the different churches of the city will be held Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church for the consideration of several community interests. Among these will be an invitation for Billy Sunday to preach in Burkburnett at some future date; the United Charity association of Burkburnett; the community census, usually taken by the churches, and other matters of town interest.

VERNON MAN SERIOUSLY ILL IN NEWTON, KANSAS

VERNON, Jan. 22.—A. H. Murchison is very ill in a hospital at Newton, Kan., according to messages received here from Mrs. Murchison, who is at her husband's bedside. He is suffering from a severe throat affection.

Mr. Murchison left here Sunday for Trindad, Colo., to meet his wife and her sister, Mrs. T. M. Kell, who were enroute to Paxton, Ill., from Los Angeles with the body of Mrs. Kell's husband for burial.

The party reached Newton, where Mr. Murchison found it impossible to continue the journey. Mrs. Kell will return to Newton, Friday.

PASSENGER BUS SERVICE LINE PERMIT IS GRANTED.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—An application for a permit to operate a passenger bus line between Tonkawa and Enid by way of Garber and Billings was granted H. E. Small today by the corporation commission. Small recently purchased the route of A. J. Lacy, whose permit was cancelled.

COMPETITION BANNED BY UTILITIES CORPORATION.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The corporation commission late yesterday ordered that the Oklahoma Natural Gas company be authorized to discontinue service to any consumer in Sapulpa who connects with the lines of the Bartlett Gas company, a competitor.

BOX SUPPER POSTPONED

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 22.— The box supper to be given at the Presbyterian church as a benefit affair by the ladies has been postponed until Friday night, January 29.

Better Than Whiskey For Colds and Flu

The sensation of the drug trade is Aspironal, the two-minute cold and cough reliever, authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories; tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as ten times as quick and effective as whiskey, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tired.

All drug stores are supplied with the wonderful elixir, so all you have to do is to step into the nearest drug store, hand the clerk half a dollar for a bottle of Aspironal and tell him to serve you two teaspoonsful. With your watch in your hand, take the drink at one swallow and call for your money back in two minutes if you cannot feel the distressing symptoms of your cold fading away like a dream, within the time limit. Don't be bashful, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

Take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children, for Aspironal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quickest relief for catarrhal croup and children's choking up at night.—Adv.

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Our Entire Stock of Women's

SILK AND WOOL DRESSES

Everything goes today at one price — Our very best garments, lovely fabrics and models. Hundreds to select from. Every dress must go today—

YOUR CHOICE $10

Remnants---Half Price Today

Short lengths of woolens, silks, ginghams, suitings, linens, domestics, sheetings and every kind of piece goods. Liberal lengths.

On Sale Today ..... HALF PRICE

50 DOZEN WOMEN'S COLLARS and Collar and Cuff Sets, Values up to $1.00. On Sale Today ..... 10¢

Women's Outing Gowns On Sale Today ..... 69¢

One Table Women's and Children's Sweaters Today ..... 48¢

Men's Wool Sweaters On Sale ... $1.00

Men's Dress SHIRTS Today . 75¢

"Spuntex" Chiffon Silk HOSE All Colors Pair .. 75¢

Children's Taped Union Suits Today 59¢

ALL WOOL GOODS HALF PRICE

Women's Brassieres Values To $1.00 39¢

Men's Suits Extra Good Values $9.95

SATINETTE Costume Slips Light Colors On Sale $1.19

Boys' Dress Caps The 75c Grade Each . 39¢

9-4 Bleached Linen Finish Sheeting Yard 35¢

More Truth Than Poetry

STARTING A PROBLEM

The tiger in the torrid zone
Is generally left alone.
But seldom are we impolite
To animals which like to bite,
And would not hesitate to eat us—
If in the jungle they should meet us.
And that is why we do not make
Our dinners on a tiger steak.

The harmless, gentle, little pig
Is put to death when he gets big—
And sundry parts of him are taken
For pork and sausage, ham and bacon.
Upon the sheep, a kindly beast,
We also very often feast;
More over, in the winter storm,
We wear his wool to keep us warm.

But very rarely do we make
A viand of the rattlesnake,
Because the undulating cuss
If hunted, may start hunting us.
So therefore as the years slip by
He's left to live and multiply—
And does not grace by any chance
The menus of our restaurants.

If we recall the golden rule
Which we were forced to learn in school,
It states that you should always do
What you'd have others do to you.
But would you have a little pig
Put you to death when you got big?
Or have a woolly sheep wax wroth—
And make of you a mutton broth?

Not you, yet, were it not for meat,
How would we get enough to eat?

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"Give Him to Ya? For You T'give to Some Jane? I Know You Sheiks!"

GIRLIGAGS



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"I never feel so charitable towards a blind beggar," says Frivolous Flo, "as when I walk down the street with short skirts on."

Dot Puzzle's



THE NEBBS — By Sol Hess



THIMBLE THEATRE — By Segar



DUMB DORA — By Chic Young



YOU KNOW ME AL — By Ring Lardner



REGULAR FELLERS — —By Gene Byrnes



MINUTE MOVIES — By Whee'an



Aggies Nose Out On Rice, 32 to 30, In Overtime Period



TOP O' MORN STUFF
By Blondy Cross.

J. ALVIN BACK

President Gardner came home yesterday from the Catalina baseball and Los Angeles petroleum sessions all enthusiastic and happy over Spudder prospects for the impending summer campaign. Hasn't made any additions to that pitching staff, but is still on the lookout and 'most anything is likely to pop soon.

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Jabez didn't have much baseball palaver to make; he was excited and exceedingly exuberant over the joyous time he had while away. Spud prexy apparently has been on one long round of galety, starting in with his visit over at Cowtown, going on down to El Paso and then Juarez to the eating, refreshment and bullfight emporiums on out to Tucson to see Harold Bell Wright and the rest of the folks, into Los Angeles and Catalina Island and then back again.

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Gardner brought back Suds Sutherland's and Pete Lapan's signed contracts.

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There'll be quite a bit more chewing gum sold in the next week or so. Big Boss orders his crack salesmen to crack down for the Big Boss (Bill Wrigley) just about paid for everything that was purchased at the ball meeting, including the hotel bills and whatnot of 200 visiting moguls. Gardner said William wouldn't let anybody spend a dime. Everything was already paid for.

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That John Pesek-Ad Santel match slated for Wichita, Kan., last night was not held. Pesek ran out on the battle. Ad had his forfeit up on the allotted date, but John changed his mind, at least temporarily.

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Although a majority of wrestlers believe Pesek can beat Santel, admittedly in a hard match, John didn't exactly want to take the risk. He agreed to the match and then after thinking it over decided he'd better stay home. Tom Law, the promoter, had spent several hundred dollars on publicity and in arrangement expense and it began to appear he would lose out entirely, but Pesek was finally prevailed on to wrestle at a later date. Now they have 'em billed for Feb. 1.

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BIG DRAWING CARD

This match, carded as for the junior heavyweight championship of the world, draws more attention than any other bout that could possibly be lined up. There isn't a man in the world who would draw as heavily with Joe Stecher as Pesek and Santel will draw together. In short, it's the mat battle of the decade.

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Here's hoping Ad holds his own with Pesek. Incidently, John and Joe are rated by many as the only two wrestlers in the world Santel has to fear. We'd like to see a Santel-Stecher match here next spring. There's quite a possibility of such, too.

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ABOUT SULLY

If Matlock beats Martin Monday who will the legion match with Sully Montgomery, the Fort Worth heavy, here three weeks hence, that is, providing Sully drops through this way in accordance with his recent declaration he intends to do so. Martin is about the only big boy in this section who would stand much of a show with the giant Montgomery. Matlock, even if he does beat Martin, would be no match for Montgomery, being little more than a middleweight.

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Anent that Montgomery-Godfrey mill, Bob Edgren gives his version of it as follows:

There has been an epidemic of fouling in western bouts. The latest was in the fight between Sully Montgomery and George Godfrey. Sully is a former Centre football player, weight, 204 pounds. Godfrey is the husky 225 pound colored glove heaver Jack Johnson once tried to bring out as a black hope, and whose ribs were scrambled by Dempsey in the Shelby training camp. Godfrey knows nothing at all about boxing. He has only one punch, a short left hook for the body. But he has the biggest arms since Jeff's time, and he keeps them in the way to block blows. He'd make a great wrestler. If Godfrey knows nothing about boxing Montgomery knows a little less than nothing. Like Godfrey, he has plenty of strength but lacks the directing mentality. The fight was the roughest seen in California since the Spanish days when the Dons used to put a bull and a bear in a pit together. Godfrey knocked Montgomery down once with a clean left hook in the body but most of the time they wrestled while Sully tried to land short uppercuts and Godfrey pounded at his back. Once Godfrey threw Sully down and several times he threw the football tackle half way across the ring and Montgomery fell because he got his legs crossed.

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The big black fellow has amazing strength. If he knew how to hit with it he'd be a world beater, but he'll never know. Montgomery began leaping up in the clinches, trying to butt Godfrey under the chin. After being butted until his habitual good nature was seriously disturbed Godfrey drew off ten feet, jumped at Montgomery and dropping his head suddenly butted him squarely on the nose, which changed Sully's map considerably. Evidently when it came to scientific butting Godfrey was master. So Montgomery began deliberately hitting low. He was warned several times, but the referee didn't disqualify him because both were fouling continually. Finally Godfrey dropped his hands and backed away to the ropes, too badly hurt to continue, and after a quick examination was given the decision on a foul—or on a hundred fouls.

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Montgomery automatically draws a 30 day suspension in California rings, and the boxing commission is thinking of making it 30 years.

COOPER SIGNS WITH K. C. CLUB

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Harry Cooper, young Dallas golfer who is acquiring a national reputation as a professional, has signed a contract with the Lakewood Golf and Country club at Kansas City as professional, he announced today. He will go to Kansas City shortly.

ZIVIC BEATS MILLIGAN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Jack Zivic of Pittsburgh, won a judges' verdict over Tommy Milligan, English welterweight in the main 10 round bout of a Madison Square Garden boxing show tonight. The decision was greeted with a chorus of boos. Milligan weighed 143 1-2; Zivic 134 1-4.

PRETTY BATTLE DECIDED AFTER A HARD FIGHT

Work of Nevinger At Forward Features For Owls.

HOUSTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—In an added five minute period the visiting Maroons of Aggieland nosed out Rice here tonight, 32 to 30 in as pretty a contest as can be played. The Aggies tied the score on a free throw by Punk Baker after the official playing time had expired, and caused the affray to go into the overtime period. In the extra period the Owl's hopes of victory faded when Calvin registered a field goal, but first Sykes and then Bread escaped the vigil of the Rice defense and scored baskets to give their crew of ball tossers the slim lead that proved enough to win the game.

Ralph Nevinger, who has been shifted to a forward position by Coach Ashcraft, was the individual star of the contest. His floor work was of high quality and he fitted into the perfect passing work of the Owls in a style that suggests an all-conference berth. He led in scoring with four baskets and four free throws to his credit.

DECATUR BOPS REDSKIN TEAM FOR EASY WIN

Wichita Falls Cagers, Off Form, Go Down 37-15.

DECATUR, Jan. 22.—Decatur Baptist college took the first of a two-game series here tonight from Wichita Falls Junior college, 37 to 15.

The invading quintet fought furiously all the way, but was at a loss on crip shots at the basket. Goal after goal was missed by the Indians.

Captain Barksdale, Decatur forward, broke out in a basket-shooting orgy night at the start of the encounter and heaved goals frequently and with no show of quarter throughout. It was greatly through the work of this player the Wichita Falls five was defeated so badly.

Thurman Hits Loop.

Jack Thurman, diminutive Wichita Falls forward, scored all but two of the invaders' tallies. The little fellow was the only visiting player who could hit the hoop. Doyle Stephenson, substituted at guard, played a good floor game.

Riley Rawls, Wichita Falls, star forward, couldn't find the ring and was forced to content himself with a measley two points via the free-pitch route. This player was badly off form. Lorry Crites, Wichita Falls center and ordinarily very accurate goaler, couldn't hit the side of a barn. On the whole, the Wichita Falls team was decidedly off color.

The same teams play here again Saturday night, and a much harder and closer contested affair is expected.

C. C. to Cowtown.

C. C. Frazee, Wichita Falls coach immediately departed after the game for Fort Worth where he intends to match up a game or two with Cowtown teams and possibly a contest with some Dallas aggregation. It is planned to extend the Wichita Falls trip four or five days if all connections can be made, the Wichita Falls players say.

The Decatur tilts are conference affairs, but other games which are to be matched will not be included in the league race.

PORKERS ROUT BEARS

WACO, Jan. 22.—(AP)—University of Arkansas Razorbacks, picked to win premier honors in the 1926 southwestern conference basket ball race, made the young Baylor university cagers victim of their prowess here tonight by the score of 22 to 9. No outstanding stars were brought out by the game. It was star work straight through on the part of the visitors. The game many times bristled with speed and action.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

At Waco: Arkansas 22; Baylor 9.
At Houston: A&M 32; Rice 30. (5 minute extra period.)
At Austin: Texas 24; entenary 18.
At Des Moines—Oklahoma Aggies 24; Drake 23.
At Grinnell, Ia.—Oklahoma University 36; Grinnell 27.
At Cambridge, Mass.: Colgate 33; Harvard 23.
At Atlanta: Georgia Tech 28; North Carolina State 22.
At Athens, Ga.: Georgia 57; University of South Carolina 32.
At Baton Rouge: Louisiana State 24; Vanderbilt 23.
At Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh 38; West Virginia 23.
At South Bend: Notre Dame 33; Michigan Aggies 14.
At Abilene: Abilene Christian college 44; Daniel Baker 30.

NEWCASTLE WINS

Newcastle high cagers defeated the Graham basketball team Friday night at Newcastle, 18 to 13, in an exceedingly hard-fought game.

Webb of Newcastle was high point man with a total of seven tallies. Clark of Graham scored five points.

PHILADELPHIA OFFERS 500 GRAND FOR FIGHT

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Philadelphia promoters with the approval of the Pennsylvania state athletic commission, today offered Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, $500,000 to meet Harry Wills in this city or $300,000 for a bout with Gene Tunney.

Either bout would be held during the coming summer in the new municipal stadium, which will have a seating capacity of 100,000 persons. The stadium is part of the sesquicentennial building program and is now nearing completion.

4 Clubs Doped To Give Pirates Real Opposition

Giants, Cards, Braves and Reds All Bolstered Heavily.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Pittsburgh, favored by the youth and confidence of a machine which triumphed last year, will face reinforced teams in its drive to retain the National league championship.

Six teams have made major league deals to strengthen positions at which they displayed weakness last year. The Pirate lineup, however, will remain unchanged unless Hal Ryne, infielder, and Paul Waner, outfielder, Pacific coast additions, win regular berths.

Chicago, cellar occupant last year, alone of the clubs has been unable to make any outstanding winter deal in the majors, although the Cubs shifted pitcher Vic Keen to St. Louis in exchange for shortstop Jimmy Cooney, the new Cub pilot, Joe McCarthy, will make his fight with a team rebuilt from minor league recruits.

Giant Cripples Recover

Four clubs from which vigorous opposition to the Pirates has been predicted on the basis of their performances last year—New York, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Boston—have taken steps to remedy short comings.

Players whose temporary loss through injury weakened the Giant drive to head off Pittsburgh last year have recovered, while McGraw has added Jimmy Ring, former Quaker to his pitching staff. Hugh McQuillan, mound star of 1924, who was suspended shortly after the start of the season last year, is expected to add slab strength to New York.

First base in the Cincinnati lineup will have a new and capable guardian if Wally Pipp, recently acquired from the Yankees, fulfills expectations. Luque's recovery from an operation assures the same strong pitching corps Cincinnati had last season.

Cards Start Early

The benefit of an early start under the leadership of Rogers Hornsby, installed as manager of the Cardinals last June, is expected to aid the fight of St. Louis. Purchase from the Giants of the youthful Huntzinger adds to the club's pitching possibilities.

The Braves, who made a strong finish last season with the aid of young pitchers, have acquired Jimmy Johnston, a seasoned infielder, Brown an outfielder, and Jimmy Taylor, catcher, from the Robins.

Brooklyn, rebuilt with veteran material, and Philadelphia, looking for added infield strength at first base from Jack Bentley, are hopeful.

Penn Biff Commish Backfires at Tex On Tunney Match

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Negotiations which Tex Rickard is believed to have under way to match Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney for a heavyweight title match next summer prompted the state athletic commission today to warn the promoter against dickering with Dempsey in violation of the commission's present ban on the champion.

Hitting back at Rickard as a result of his statement yesterday that he was not subject to the commission's authority, particularly if he planned to stage a Dempsey-Tunney match in his Jersey City arena, the boxing solons declared the promoter would find himself "in bad" if he takes that attitude.

The commission emphasized that it had not been officially advised of Rickard's supposed steps toward a title match and therefore could take no action at present, but it was made clear that pressure will be brought to bear to prevent any negotiations with Dempsey by any New York promoters so long as the champion is ineligible in this state.

ARMY-NAVY MILL TO BE PLAYED IN WINDY CITY

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 22.—(AP) The army-navy football game on November 27 will be played in soldiers' field stadium, Chicago.

The mid-west metropolis offer for the annual service classis, including free transportation of both service units, hotel accommodations, and sustenance, was accepted formally today, by Rear Admiral Louis M. Nulton, naval academy superintendent, in joint agreement with West Point authorities.

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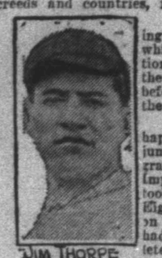
By NORMAN E. BROWN

In the fall of 1905 a rather small, slender youth of five feet five inches in height and about 115 pounds in weight, entered Carlisle Indian school, unheralded and unsung—to bask later in all the fame and glory that greatness can bring.

The other day that lad, grown to forty years of age, boasting of a man-sized frame, stepped quietly and unostentatiously from the stage to oblivion.

The man was Jim Thorpe.

Greatest of all our Indian athletes (Yea, greatest of all races, all creeds and countries, if you will) Thorpe has sung his swan song.



JIM THORPE.

Twenty-one years ago this red man, still waiting for his full growth, watched rather timidly while the old students of the famous Indian institution participated in the various forms of athletics at the school. He studied and watched for two years before anyone had the slightest inkling that he had the making of a fair, let alone a great athlete.

Then, it is recounted, the great "Pop" Warner happened to spy the young brave leap over a high jump bar at a fair height and with remarkable grace and form while dressed in ordinary clothes. Impressed with his apparent natural ability Warner took him in tow. That was in the spring of 1908 Eighteen months from that day Thorpe's name was on the lips of every sport fan in the country. He had established himself as one of the greatest athletes of the day—and in particular one of the greatest football players.

Thorpe, by that time, stood six feet tall, weighed 180 pounds and had the build of a Greek god.

In 1912 the Indian was a member of America's Olympic team and in the games at Sweden excelled every other participant, emerging from the meet as not only the big point winner but admittedly the greatest athlete the games had ever produced.

A question arose later as to Thorpe's amateur standing and in the mixup that followed he was forced to surrender many of his trophies but the records stood—unchallenged and unrivaled.

His baseball ability in college and amateur ranks and his fame and consequent drawing power caused John McGraw to sign him for a trial as a major league player. Thorpe proved a paying investment for the Giants, but failed to develop into a big league player. He could not learn to hit curved balls. He drifted back to the minors.

Meanwhile football, his first love, continued to hold his main affections.

Every fall found him playing—and playing with the brilliancy that was his in his prime. As the star of the Canton, Ohio, professional team he led that outfit to what was conceded to be the world's professional football title for many years.

Then his prowess began to wane.

He slipped further back in baseball. His services were less in demand and more often changed in football.

His iron constitution—a heritage from his people—finally broke under the strain of carefree living and failure to obey the laws of athletic training.

The other day he led a team of professional football players in an exhibition game at St. Petersburg, Fla.

There were but 300 paid admissions to the game, wires state. Thorpe, out of condition, sluggish except in flashes, and but a shadow of the great athlete he once was, drew little comment as he labored.

And at the close of the game, faced with the realization that he was no longer a "star," he announced his retirement from the game.

And so goes the red man.

DALLAS OPEN STARTS TODAY

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Despite several days of threatening cold weather, officials of Cedar Crest country club decided definitely late Friday that the Dallas open tournament, set for Saturday and Sunday, will be played as scheduled. The first threesome will tee off at 8 a. m., followed by threesomes at five-minute intervals, until all have started.

Most of the visiting pros played nine holes today, although the thermometer registered around 25 degrees. Fair weather with 20 degrees temperatures is forecast for tomorrow.

The lowest card reported for the day was 72, turned in by Bill Mehlhorn, Chicago, playing in a foursome with Johnny Manion, St. Louis.

Harry Cooper, Dallas pro, is the favorite, with Bobby Cruickshank, Bill Mehlhorn and McDonald Smith expected to furnish him the most opposition.

Jabs and Hooks

The complete card for Monday night's American legion fight show at the 812 1-2 gym was announced by Matchmaker Wofford yesterday. As carried in these columns several days ago, Buster Martin, the Tulsa-Wichita Falls heavy, meets Jack Matlock, the coast light heavy, in a ten-round return go. It's the feature mill of the program. Both athletes are said to be in the pink and rearing for action.

Buckshot Peoples meets Sailor Murphy in a six round semi-final. Murphy has been substituted for Spike Flanagan.

Flanagan tangles with Johnny Kilbane, a young 130-pounder from the coast who breezed in the other day asking for battle. This affair probably will be listed as a four-rounder.

Rusty Clowers and Lefty Hennie are billed for a four-rounder. Mickey Shay says Clowers is a whale of a fighter, hence one would conclude immediately Clowers never had on a boxing glove in his life.

Battling Lencho meets Tuffy Bryant over the four-round route.

There is to be a negro battle royal.

Read the Record New.

FREDERICK GETS ON LANDON-HILL

Landon-Hill basketeers, showing a somewhat makeshift lineup, were outplayed at Frederick Friday night, losing to the Oklahoma team in an exceptionally speedy conflict, 35 to 27.

Though ever in the rear, the sporting goods crew waged a hard game all the way and gave the fast Frederick team plenty of action. Frederick used six substitutes. The Neal outfit failed to make a change in its starting lineup.

Rufus Hyde, all-around athletic luminary of Frederick high school, led his team to victory, heaving seven field baskets for a total of 144 points. His mate at forward, M. Thrush, came through for a quintet of goals from the floor.

Don Faichney, Texhoma center playing the pivot position last night for Landon-Hill, sank five field loops and a trio of free pitches for 13 points. He was the only man on the Wichita Falls team who could get away much. The guarding of Pope and G. Thrush, Frederick defense men, was superb and made it difficult for Beck and Neal, the Wichita Falls forwards, to get within shooting distance.

Landon-Hill used Neal and Beck at forwards, Faichney at center, Foster and Allen at guards.

Gene Ignorant Of Title Negotiations

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Gene Tunney, heavyweight boxing contender, tonight denied knowledge of any contract matching him with Jack Dempsey for a championship bout at any time or any place.

When shown dispatches from both New York and Philadelphia by an Associated Press representative Tunney laughingly remarked that he had not signed to meet the present title holder, who is enjoying a brief vacation here, but added that he was ready to step into the ring at any moment.

French Fancy Helen's Eyeshade

CANNES, France, Jan. 20.—(AP) The eyeshade habit of Helen Wills has caught the fancy of the women tennis players here, the same as it did in the United States and England. It is now as much a vogue as Suzanne Lenglen's multi-colored turban innovation started four years ago.

PRESTON LEADS ELECTRA QUINT TO 24-15 WIN

Harrold Cagers Drop Fast Game on Tiger Court.

ELECTRA, Jan. 22.—Jim Reese's Electra Tigers slapped it on Harrold high school here tonight in a speedy cage tilt, 24 to 15.

Preston at forward was the leading performer, chunking seven field goals and coming within one point of scoring as much as the combined Harrold five tabulated.

The guard work of Grisham and Cloninger spelled disaster for Harrold. These lads waged an airtight defense and time and again quelled Harrold rallies.

Clynch led the Harrold scorers with a total of seven points. Kent of Electra scored the same.

The same teams meet at Harrold Saturday.

The lineups:

Electra (24)	Position.	Harrold (15)
Preston	Forward.	McNamara
Kent	Forward.	Douglas
Carnahan	Center.	Clynch
Cloninger	Guard.	Vaughan
Grisham	Guard.	McLendon

Scores—Preston 14, Kent 7, Carnahan 2, Cloninger 1, McNamara 1, Douglas 2, Hunt (Harrold substituted) 2, Clynch 7, McLendon 3.

Helen Smiles And Drives to Victory

CANNES, France, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Smiling for the first time since she began playing on the Riviera courts, Miss Helen Wills, American tennis champion, today smashed her way to victory over Mrs. Aeschlimann, formerly Miss Leslie Bancroft, after two hard fought sets in the metropole tournament. The score was 6-2, 6-2.

"At last I am coming into my own," said Miss Wills, after defeating the ranking American player, who won from her three times in 1922 and 23. "This was a satisfactory match but I can do better."

HARMON BEATS DUDLEY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Willie Harmon, New York welterweight won a judge's verdict over Harry Dudley of California in the opening ten-round match of a boxing show at Madison Square Garden tonight.

Winter League ForagE

Picked up at Random

Spudder batterymen will get an earlier start than usual this year, says J. Will Gray. It is tentatively planned to open spring training March 1 with pitchers and catchers only showing up at that time. The rest of the squad is to arrive March 10.

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"Bill Smith of the Austin American informs us that," writes Jinx Tucker down at Waco:

"Swede Lind, Austin product and a graduate of the Texas association, will have all sorts of trouble in winning the first base berth on the Dallas team this year from Ted Kearns. If Kearns happened to belong to Dallas, Lind would have considerable trouble, but Ted has belonged to Waco since he failed to make the grade with Chicago last year. Furthermore he will be Waco's first baseman this year within all probability. Last year he was sent back to Waco in midseason and inasmuch as the Cubs had Galloway, Kearns was loaned to Dallas. He was never satisfied with that team, and did not play the ball of which he is capable. With the Waco team, the redhead is expected to have another such season as he had in 1924 when his great work won for him a trial in the big show.

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Personally, Lind stacks up as a sweet young ball player. He may not as yet be ripe for class A service regularly and then again, of course, he may be. But this youngster handles himself nicely around the initial cushion, is tall and rangy and comparatively speedy. He can cram that pelote, too. Let Swede ever get hold of one and it's long gone to the tall and uncut and as a rule he wallops 'em with regularity.

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Paul La Grave and Jake Atz, Cat chiefs, are back from their jaunt to Catalina. Live news, as a result of numerous confabs with other minor moguls, is seen in the offing, but for the present neither Paul nor Jake is "putting out." Fort Worth fans realized long ago that when a deal is made they are let in on it pronto. But while the deal is in the making, the bosses are silent. La Grave, however, took the opportunity to state that Jim Blakesley, Pacific Coast outfielder, reported landed by the Cats, would not play in Fort Worth—at least as a member of the Champs. There was some talk to that effect at the coast meeting, but nothing developed.

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Wichita Falls twilight leaguers had better be looking to their laurels early this year. Lawrence Medford out at the American refinery has already lined himself up a formidable aggregation. Has 'em on the dotted line and all they need now to be ready to go is a bit of summer weather. If other teams don't get a hustle on 'em Lawrence will have most of the top-notch amateur material in town corralled and branded for the American nine.

APPROVE LOCARNO PACT

ROME, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The chamber of deputies today approved the treaty of Locarno.

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Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 49 meets every Tuesday at 719½ Ninth. A. R. Westfall, C. C.; P. L. Myers, K. of R. & S.

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Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M.—Meets second Fridays. Geo. V. Harpin, H. P.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.
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Wichita Falls Council No. 140, R. & S. M.—Meets first Monday. Otto Stehlik, T. I. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.
Wichita Falls Lodge No. 695, A. F. & A. M.—Meets the first and third Fridays. Joe E. 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. R. Shepherd, potentate; Albert Ellis, secy.
Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, 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, 813 Scott. Walter H. Caldwell, W. M.; G. W. Curd, secy.
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Mercantile corporation can utilize the services of a man 21 to 26 years of age, who has had experience in one or more of the following departments buying or selling at retail:
Candy — House Furnishings
Dry Goods — Notions
Hosiery — Ribbons
Stationery
Must be a man of good health, upright character, fair education, keen observer, student of modern store instructions. Opportunity offers chance to advance to position of store manager after undergoing a course of training. Application must state age, family, religious preference, also brief outline of former positions with wages.
S. H. KRESS & CO.

Help—Male or Female 3

Wanted—Oil Field Workers
Salesmen, real men. Work for both men and women.
LONE STAR EMPLOYMENT BUREAU
Room 202 Delphyne Bldg.
804 Indiana

Solicitors, Canvassers, Agents 35

AGENTS for Two Republic Life Insurance Company. Liberal commission. Apply W. B. Jarrell, general agent, Texan hotel.

SALESMAN EARNING $200 who want more money, better opportunities, permanency, cooperation, salary, commission, transportation or bonus, district contracts to sell life, accident, health insurance. Phone Mr. Haney for appointment or address Wichita Home Insurance or Great American Mutual Insurance Co., Wichita Falls, Texas.

Situations Wanted—Female 36

SALESMEN OR SALESWOMEN
Must be of good appearance and good address for high class proposition. Experience unnecessary. Permanent work. Good pay.
Phone 3335 or 7611

WANTED—Washing, ironing, quilting, fancy and plain sewing, alterations, coats relined. Phone 9041.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and stenographer desires permanent position at once. Call 8330.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities 38

THE biggest buy in town, new, complete and modern cafe. Located on hill on one of the best business corners to be had. See it for yourself. Apply at "The Quill." 1002 Broad.

FOR SALE—The "Old Time Barbecue Market." Doing a good business. Located at Eighth and Brook. See W. L. Valentine.

IF YOU want a cash business in groceries and confections, for about $100. Call 4740.

Investments, Stocks, Bonds 39

EVERY time a well is drilled in an oil country between production and between tests which had a show, there is a chance. Would you like to have an interest in such a test? If interested in investing from $100 or $1,000 write Box B-452, Record News.

Money to Loan—Mortgages 40

CITY LOANS—six to eight per cent Farm and ranch loans, six per cent
JAS R. WELCH
418 First National Bank Building.

PERSONAL loans made in a refined and business like manner, legal interest. 10 monthly payments. Wichita Falls Finance Co. Inc. 806 Eighth St. Kemp Hotel Bldg.

Dogs, Cats, Other Pets 47

FOR SALE—Singing canaries and lovebirds. Also Angora kittens. 1002 Burnett. Phone 7845.

THREE fine pair of canary birds, one Yorkshire singer. Also female to sell. Reasonable. 1807 Fillmore. Phone 8016.

MERCHANDISE

Classified Phone 4121

Articles for Sale 51

WASHED gravel and brick sand, screened zinc and plaster sand. Phone 3740. T. S. Pitts.

BOAT FOR SALE
New 20-foot high powered gasoline launch; a real V-type speed boat (the fastest in the country). Bargain. See it on Lake Wichita. H. K. Roberts. Phone 7758 for demonstration.

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs. Barred Plymouth Rocks, $1.50 per setting, $7.50 per 100. H. F. Williams, two miles west and one-fourth mile south of Clara.

QUILTS for sale. 411 Burnett. Phone 7146.

FOR SALE—Baby high chair. Mrs. W. A. Wilkes. 1813 Taylor.

FOR SALE—Baby high chair. 1813 Taylor.

Furniture 59

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.

WANTED—Your used furniture and stoves, phone us for highest cash prices. BOLTON FURNITURE CO. 807-809 10th. Phone 3389.

FURNITURE, Furniture, Furniture, bed springs, rugs, etc. Wichita Furniture Co. 1102 Ohio. Phone 8669.

Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds 60

J. C. MARTIN—12 years in Wichita Falls. Watch and clock repairing. 722 Ohio Ave. Phone 4253.

FOR SALE—One quick comfort heater and two new 18 and 20-inch Dangiers and one nice bed, reasonable. 1410 Brittain.

Try a Want Ad in the Classified Columns of This Paper—You Will Be Satisfied With the Results.

MERCHANDISE

Classified Phone 4121

Seeds, Plants, Flowers 63

TO SHRUB AND TREE BUYERS
I am making efforts to make deliveries, and take further orders, and will get to you as soon as I can. Phone me, if you wish, for information.
MR. MACKECHNEY
North Texas Agency
Phone 9879

Wanted—to Buy 66

WANTED to buy, men's and women's used clothing. Discarded Clothing Co., Phone 9579.

WANTED TO BUY—Men's, ladies and children's wearing apparel, bring them to the store and we will give you a fair price for them. G. W. Wright. 804 Ohio.

The Record News want ads are the quickest medium between buyer and seller. Use them for results.

WE BUY, sell and exchange new and used furnitured. Milican Furniture Co. 714 7th St. Phone 8514.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

Rooms With Board 67

ROOM and board; men only. 1200 Lamar.

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

ROOM and board, reasonable. 805 15th. Phone 8685.

NICELY furnished bedroom with board, on pavement and carline. 1634 Collins. Phone 6132.

BOARD and room, 1203 Burnett. Phone 21609.

ROOM and board for two men. 904 Baylor. Phone 8580.

WORKING men wanted to room and board. In private home; on pavement, carline, telephone; all conveniences. 2006 Ninth.

Rooms Without Board 68

ANTLERS HOTEL offers warm, comfortable rooms to working people, reasonable. With or without bath. Tenth and Indiana.

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

LARGE front bedroom with or with out board for employed people. 802 Brook. Phone 3643.

TWO unfurnished rooms. Close in 1606 Lamar. Call 8726.

FOR RENT—Nice clean bedrooms, also garage. 1316 Twelfth. Call 9714.

NICELY Furnished bedroom, close in. Convenient to bath and telephone. Very reasonable. 1107 16th. Phone 8127.

NICELY furnished bedroom. Private entrance. 1912 Tenth.

FOR RENT—Upstairs south bedroom, adjoining bath, close in. Gentlemen only. 1311 Ninth. Phone 5119.

Rooms for Housekeeping 6

"THE BUNGALOW"
TOURIST PARK
50 Modern Rooms.
Shower Baths.
COTTAGES—CAMP GROUNDS
101 NORTH BURNETT ST.

FURNISHED two light housekeeping rooms. Close in. 402 Lamar.

ONE light housekeeping room, neatly furnished. 105 Dallas. Phone 4822.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms with garage, in new modern home. 1505 Collins. Phone 8475.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, close in, on pavement. 209 Burnett.

TWO light housekeeping rooms, $20 per month. Apply 1505 Seventh.

FOR RENT—Three extra large furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 7509.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms. Modern, front and back entrance. $8. Bills paid. 1706 Truehart.

ONE or two partly furnished light housekeeping rooms. 904 15th St.

Apartments and Flats 74

APARTMENT for rent, two blocks from Kemp Hotel. 706 Travis.

FOR RENT—To adults, unfurnished three room apartment on pavement, garage. Inquire 1908 Eighth. Phone 8488.

THREE-ROOM unfurnished apartment. All modern. On pavement. With garage. 2005 Wilson. Apply at 2009 Wilson. Phone 9070.

NEW apartment over garage, attractively furnished, two large rooms and bath, built-in features. Phone 6132.

Houses for Rent 77

1221 NORTH Tenth. Half of new duplex. Garage, gas, lights and water furnished. On carline. Reasonable. Phone 5276.

FOR RENT—To reliable people, ten room house, partly furnished. Located on Tenth street. Call 5367.
WELCH, RICHARDSON & KEMP

WANTED—By Jan. 30th, 4 or 5 room house on pavement or half of duplex. Reference. Phone 3157, cashier.

FOR RENT—Three room house, 2906 Pennsylvania avenue, Fairview addition. $20 per month. Apply Morgan Floral Co. 176 Tenth.

FIVE-ROOM house at 1208 Bluff St. Modern; $60 per month. Phone 9532.

Office and Desk Room 78

Very desirable offices or desk space in the—
CHENAULT BLDG.
813 1-2 Scott Street.
C. Y. Tully Co.

Wanted—to Rent 81

Want a good room with hot and cold water near Record-News office. Must be in good respectable place and reasonable. Address Frank H. Kent, Record News.

WANTED—Room and board. In private home by employed couple. Close in. Rent must be reasonable. Box B 211, Record News.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

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Wanted—to Rent 81

NEW four-room duplex apt., east front on pavement, shades furnished. One block from new school. Sure to please. 2002 Tilden. Phone 7377 after 6:30.

WANTED TO RENT—4 or 5 room house at once. Must be modern. Prefer location in Highland, Southland or Floral Heights.
M. Q. WRIGHT.
Phone 4918. 804 Ohio.

REAL ESTATE---SALE

Business Property for Sale 82

FOR SALE OR RENT—A small building, close in on Ninth St. Phone 5804.

Farms and Land for Sale 83

FOR SALE—Tract of land on Iowa Park pavement. Three miles from business section. 85 feet front, 500 feet deep, accessible to electric lights, good water. Will build house of your design. $400 cash, balance $30 per month.
WOODALL REALTY.
Basement of Waggoner Bldg. Scott Street Entrance. Phone 3964.

FOR SALE—Two and one-half sections choice plains land; six miles from Farwell, fenced, two wells with windmills, 440 acres in cultivation. If sold in one body, $25 per acre, if broken $30 to $35 per acre. J. S. Stults, Farwell, Texas.

FOR SALE—Five-acre tract fronting road 480 feet just off Iowa Park Pavement, two and three-fourths miles from business center, with new frame house of four large rooms nicely furnished. This tract is especially adapted with pecans, grapes and other fruits, also suitable for truck or poultry. $5,375. Small cash payment, balance monthly if sold at once.
WOODALL REALTY CO.
Basement of Waggoner Building. Scott Street Entrance. Phone 3964.

Houses for Sale 84

MISSION REALTY COMPANY.
813-B Indiana. Phone 8505.

CUNNINGHAM & JOHNSON
Real estate and farms. List your property with us. 408 Perkins-Snider Bldg. Phones 9092-9322-5290.

FOR SALE—Six room house, breakfast room and bath, every built-in feature that can be desired. Hardwood floors, on pavement, servant's house and garage. Also a radio. 1604 Ninth.

FOR SALE—By owner, five-room modern house. 1316 Eighteenth. Would take car or light truck as part payment. Dial 7590.

FOR SALE—Six large rooms and breakfast rooms; double garage and servants house, located on east front corner lot on that famous Monroe Street. If interested, deal direct with the owner and dial Phone 4613.

Lots for Sale 85

FOR SALE—By owner, two lots on Rose avenue, one lot on Grant and one lot in Fairview addition. Phone 9369.

A FEW more lots in North Wichita. Address R. H. Suter, Struttgart, Ark.

$450 BUYS my equity in Brittain Street lot. Three blocks east of Junior college. See L. A. Walker, 720 Ohio. Phone 3105.

A REAL PICKUP—In two lots situated on Pearl St. on the corner on the pavement, north front, a sure enough bargain at $3,000. Phone 9957, ask for Mr. Kollman.

To Exchange—Real Estate 88

WILL sell farm near Grandfield, Oklahoma or exchange for clear city property or small hotel. Phone owner 6351.

FOR TRADE—Five-room house and three lots in Devol, Okla. Want property in or near Wichita Falls. Phone owner. 7500.

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TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON KEMP BOULEVARD BETWEEN AVENUE H AND AVENUE O AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED:
Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City to proceed with the improvement of Kemp Boulevard, by raising, grading, and filling same and installing concrete curbs and gutters and paving with Warrenite-Bitulithic Pavement on Concrete foundation, and all lots and land abutting on said street and all lots and land benefited by means of the said improvement, and such assessments, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed, and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.
On the 8th day of February A. D. 1926 in the Council Chamber in the City National Bank Building in the city of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., all such owners and their agents or attorneys, or any other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fully heard by the Board of Aldermen, and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard. The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owner thereof will be determined and an assessment therefor will be levied.
Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost thereof, and estimated amount of assessment against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.
The estimated cost of the said improvement is $57,304.77.
The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $52,006.14.
The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.40 per lineal foot of curb; and
The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $9.27091 per front foot.
All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessments therefor, the benefits thereof, and damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board at said time and place.
Done in accordance with resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 21st day of December.
W. E. McBROOM,
City Clerk.

NOTICE to truck dealers: Bids for the purchase of one two-ton truck for use in the street department will be received by the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls until 7:30 p. m. o'clock, Feb. 1, 1926. Said bids shall be filed in the office of the city clerk and shall be enclosed in plain, sealed envelopes marked "Bids for 2-ton truck." Usual rights reserved. W. E. McBROOM, city clerk.

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1924 Ford Roadster, tool pusher body.....$200
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We have a large selection to pick from.
PRICED FROM
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All reconditioned and ready to go.
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HUDSON SUPER SIX

1923 Light Studebaker.....$300
1925 Dodge Touring.....$500
1924 Oakland Touring, Rex enclosures.....$600
1924 Hudson Speedster, Six Casings.....$650
1924 Ford 4-Door Sedan.....$375
1924 Chevrolet Coupe, Duco paint.....$375
1923 Buick Roadster Six, new paint.....$200
1922 Cleveland, five passenger sedan.....$300
'29 Cadillac Roadster.....$400
'27 Cadillac Roadster.....$300

THESE CARS HAVE ALL BEEN RECONDITIONED AND ARE EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD VALUES.
WE HAVE LOTS OF FORDS, ALL MODELS FROM $50 TO $375.
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PHONES 4173-4174

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Here's Quality Values to please Discriminating Used Car Buyers.

Lincoln Roadster, good paint, upholstery, motor A-1 condition.

Cadillac sedan, in perfect condition, good tires and motor.

Marmon speedster, new paint, new tires, in excellent mechanical shape.

Cadillac 7-passenger 61, new tires and duco finish, motor runs perfect.

Big Six Studebaker touring, A-1 condition. Ask to see it.

Studebaker Light Six sedan, duco paint, balloon tires.

Dodge sedan, new paint and tires. A good buy.

Will take in good Ford on trade. Ask us to demonstrate.

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Daily Schedule
For Burkburnett, Grandfield, Loveland, Hollister, Frederick, Tipton.
Leaves
W. F.....1:30 A. M.
Altus.....8:00 P. M.
Arrives
Altus.....6:30 A. M.
W. F.....12:30 P. M.
Take Bus at Record News Office.

FINANCIAL

Loans to Build
or buy homes. Best terms. Low net interest. Wichita Falls Bldg and Loan Assn. 611 Ninth, ground floor, Perkins-Snider Bldg.

6½% Money
On Farm Property only. No commission.
Stehlik & Baker
Kemp Hotel

MERCHANDISE

APPLES
$1.25 a Bushel
EXTRA LARGE
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When your locks or talking machines go wrong, have them repaired where it will be right.
With a reliable concern where you get your moneys worth.
Phone 6358. We Deliver. 704 Lamar.
ANDREW YOUNG.

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For New and Used
FURNITURE
Winter's Furniture Co.
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For
Expert Crating
Long or short distance.
Moving or Storage.
Call 7123
E. F. Riley Furniture
Old Furniture Taken For Work.

CHRIS AND SONS
See us before you buy or sell furniture.
PHONE 7750—113 INDIANA

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BUSINESS SERVICE



Will B. Quick Says:
When worried about transferring your household goods and in need of a rest, think of everything except that moving job and we will attend to the rest.
Elkin Transfer and Storage Co.
Phone 9597.

REAL ESTATE

Beautifully Located
homes are always in demand. That's why this one will sell soon. It has nice large rooms, well arranged, and the house is unusually well built. Has a double garage and is located on Pearl Street near Brook. The owner is an oil man who has just drilled a dry hole and will sacrifice in order to get immediate action. It's the best buy I know of at $3,750 and the terms are easy. I have exclusive sale of this property and will be glad to show it to you at your convenience.
MRS. F. C. LYON
Realtor.
Phones 3252-7529. 241 Harvey-Snider Building.

6½ and 7% Money
Five Year Loans
on Wichita Falls improved business and residence property. No monthly payments. Quick action. Phone 6288.
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"22 Years in Wichita."

Want to sell your duplex?
If so, I shall be glad to show it as I have a client who is just moving here and would like to locate at once.
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REAL ESTATE

Opportunity
We have a cafe for sale in a centrally located downtown district at a rare bargain.
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Auction Sale

Now is your chance. Buy a car at your own price. These cars will be sold sharply at 3 p. m. Saturday, January 23, 1926, to the highest bidder, regardless of the bid.

These cars are all in good mechanical condition and look good.

One 1923 Dodge Roadster.
One 1924 Overland Touring car.
One 1923 Ford Coupe.
One 1921 Oldsmobile Six Touring.
One 1923 Ford Touring.

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Buick Sedan

1925 Brougham Buick Sedan

Driven a little over 4,000 miles. Looks and runs like a new auto.

Plenty of Extras

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All of our cars are kept inside of steam heated buildings and are ready to go.

SEDANS
1925 Chrysler 6 Crown Imperial.....$1,600
1925 Richenbacker Vertical 8.....$1,250
1925 Ford Four-Door.....$ 450

COUPES
1924 Chevrolet.....$300
4—1925 Fords.....$425 to $600
5—1924 Fords.....$300 to $400

TOURINGS
1—1924 Franklin, Rex top.....$750
3—1924 Fords.....$100 to $250
1—1923 Dodge.....$325

ROADSTERS
1—1924 Chrysler 6 Roadster.....$1,250
1—1923 Wills St. Claire.....$1,000
1—61 Cadillac, A-1 shape.....$1,000
1—1926 Ford, driven 500 miles.....$ 375
1—1925 Dodge Roadster.....$ 500

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Your Home With

New Furniture

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GALLOWS YAWN FOR M. J. DURKIN

State Announces Determination To Get Death Penalty.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Martin J. Durkin, 24-year-old gunman, automobile thief, police slayer and bigamist, perhaps, was in a cell at county jail tonight with a week's grace before he is required to enter a plea to the two murder indictments that face him. Aside from the week's postponement of arraignment granted by Judge Harry B. Miller this morning following an agreement between the state's attorney's office and attorneys representing Durkin, the day's developments were not of an encouraging nature to the young killer. He had lost some of his swagger and defiant air when he was locked up for the night.

"One way or another, we'll get Durkin to the gallows," State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe said tonight. He indicated that the state planned to bring Durkin to trial first on the indictment charging him with the murder of Federal Agent Edward C. Shanahan, and if a hanging verdict was not obtained on that count, to try him for the killing of Police Sergeant Harry Gray, slain when a trap set for the young killer resulted in the slaying of two men in a gun battle and the wounding of Durkin himself.

If the jury still refuses to hang Durkin, he will face a third murder trial on a charge of being responsible for the death of Lloyd Austin, uncle of Betty Werner, one of Durkin's sweethearts, in the trap in which Gray was killed, Mr. Crowe said.

New CIA Head May Be Selected Soon

DENTON, Jan. 22.—Election of a new president of the College of Industrial Arts to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Lindsey Blayney probably will be considered during the second day of the call meeting of the board of regents of the college here Saturday.

During the first session, Friday, final approval was given plans for a new $150,000 library building and a meeting date to open bids on construction of the building was set for March 15.

Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, president of the board declared himself unfavorable to the election of a president at this time, but C. U. Connellee, Eastland, who led the fight to obtain Dr. Blayney's resignation, declared he was in favor of naming a new president immediately. Another member of the board also favored the election during the present session.

Dr. Blayney's resignation becomes effective at the end of the present school year.

Emergency Fleet Sued for $28,000

SEATTLE, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Suit by Frederick Bernert of this city against the emergency fleet corporation for $28,000 was on file in federal court here today. Bernert claims damages because he was removed as chief officer of the steamer Patrick Henry after she grounded in the Philippine Islands in 1923. His complaint alleged that he was "unjustly detached."

In the World war Bernert was master of the steamer Hollywood.

At the time of the Henry's accident she was bound from Yokohama to Galveston.

MITCHELL MAY TESTIFY TO CONGRESS, SAYS HULL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Colonel William Mitchell can testify if he wants to before congressional committees despite his court martial sentence of suspension from the army, in the opinion of Major General John A. Hull, judge advocate general of the army.

Austria's Bloodless Surgeon Returns



Dr. Adolph Lorenz, famous Austrian bloodless surgeon, whose visit to the United States some time ago created nation-wide attention because of his work while here, has returned for a brief visit, mainly to check up on the patients he aided while here on his previous trip. Photo of him was taken since his arrival a few days ago.

Texan Claims Kinship to Aged Chicago Recluse

TEMPLE, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Claiming to be a nephew of Mrs. Mary E. Sterling French, aged recluse who lived in an attic of her walled-up house in Chicago, W. H. Weir, prominent farmer living near Temple, retained counsel Friday to assert his claim to an interest in the French estate. News of the woman's death was received by Weir through an Associated Press dispatch.

Youth Is Cleared Of Double Murder

TEXARKANA, Ark., Jan. 22—(AP)—Ted Hamlett, 20, Polk county youth was acquitted Friday by a jury in the Little River circuit court at Ashdown, of a charge of murder in connection wit hthe deaths of Smith Wilcox and his wife, an aged couple. It was Hamlett's second trial.

In the first trial Hamlett was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment but the supreme court reversed the case and remanded it for a new trial. A change of venue was then granted.

Emmett and Wood Norris of Polk county are serving life sentences for the crime which is said to have been committed for purposes of robbery.

BAN ON FOREIGN MINES NEAR BORDER IS LIFTED.

EL PASO, Jan. 22.—(AP) —The prohibition against foreigners owning or acquiring mining property within 100 kilometers of the border has been lifted by presidential decree, according to a telegram received in Juarez today by the Compania Minera Mosqueteros from its agent in Vila Ahumada, Chihuahua.

A Want Ad Will Find It.

Human Smuggling Fraud Is Bared

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 22.—(AP) —A scheme by which Spaniards gained entry into the United States after the Spanish immigration quota had been exhausted was brought to light here today when the federal grand jury indicted four men for conspiracy to violate the immigration laws. Federal investigators from Fresno to the Mexican border have been working on the case for weeks.

Chief Immigration Inspector Harry Blee said duplicate birth certificates of Mexicans were sold to Spaniards who presented them to border officers for vise and entered this country under the name given on the certificates.

The duplicate certificates were sold to the Spaniards for $100 cash.

Wichita Will Get Guard Batallion

Wichita Falls will have a batallion in the Texas National Guard organization, if plans of Captain Paul W. Taylor of San Antonio, and members of the local guard organization, are carried out.

Captain Taylor is quartermaster inspector representing the state adjutant general's department at Austin. He has been in Wichita Falls for several days in organizing Company M, 142nd infantry. There are 55 men in the new company under Captain Joseph W. Marlow. The first lieutenant has not been named yet. Don Wofford, is second lieutenant.

The first ball given by Company M, was at the William-Mary hotel Friday night and was attended by 100 couples.

CONGRESSMAN DIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP) Representative Baker, democrat, California died here tonight.

CAPITAL UPSET BY COAL 'PEACE'

Congress and Other Parts Of Washington Exercised Over Reports.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Congress and a good part of the national capital were agitated for a time today over a "fake armistice" in the anthracite controversy.

Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania, apparently believing he had authentic information interrupted the world court debate in the senate to advise his colleagues and the country that the strike had been settled.

When told a moment later by the Associated Press that his announcement was erroneous the Pennsylvania senator replied that his information came from sources he believed reliable. However, he did not have an opportunity to withdraw the announcement which with time took the usual rapid course of unreliable reports throughout official Washington.

LATEST EFFORT TO END COAL STRIKE IS FAILURE.

PHIALDELPHIA, Jan. 22.—(AP) —The latest effort to end the coal strike has apparently failed.

Anthracite operators announced today that the Scranton Times plan to end the coal strike "did not meet any requirements of the situation."

The following statement was issued:

"Regarding reports that the anthracite operators had accepted a strike settlement plan proposed by E. J. Lynett of the Scranton Times, the Philadelphia office of the anthracite operators' conference states that Mr. Lynett's plan did meet any requirements of the situation and had not been accepted by Mr. Inglis or the operators."

MINE WORKERS GIVE PLAN CONSIDERATION.

SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 22.—(AP) —The brightest hope yet developed for a settlement of the anthracite strike, now in its fifth month came today when the miners accepted as a basis of negotiations a proclamation advanced by the Scranton Times.

Announcement that the mine workers would consider the plan was made by John L. Lewis, president of the mine union.

Mrs. Gaffney Shows Steady Improvement

Mrs. M. Gaffney who was run over by an automobile early Wednesday evening at Eleventh and Austin Street is reported to be improving at the Hargrave-Walker hospital where she was taken for treatment. Mrs. Gaffney is suffering from several cuts and bruises.

The automobile which struck her was driven by a woman who rendered aid at the time. The driver has been under a doctor's care since the accident, it was reported last night.

Magnolia Buys In New Mexico Field

EAST LAS VEGAS, N. M., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The Magnolia Oil company of Texas purchased 125,722 acres for oil prospecting on the Anton Chico Land grant in San Miguel and Guadelupe counties, it became known here today. The land grant is one of the oldest in the southwest, being originally established in 182 when New Mexico was under rule of Mexico. The deal affects approximately one-third of the grant.

GOVERNOR'S SECRETARY TO TALK TO WATER MEN.

AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Mrs. Lena West Guinn, one of Governor Ferguson's secretaries, will address the Texas section, Southwest Water association, at Fort Worth Saturday for the governor. Governor Ferguson was unable to attend the meeting because of pressing business at the capital.

Landreth to Spud In Wilbarger Wildcat

VERNON, Jan. 22.—With the spudding of AAA-1, Landreth Production corporation of Breckenridge is to make its first venture in strictly wildcat territory in Wilbarger county. A rig has been erected, and plans have been made to drill a 3,500-foot test well, in section 8, block 5, seven miles south of Harrold.

Heretofore the Landreth corporation has contented itself with operations in proven and semi-wildcat territory. The company has purchased a 1,300-acre lease in the general neighborhood of the AAA-1 location, and is preparing to test out the lease thoroughly, according to announcements made from the local office.

Several dry holes have been drilled in the general neighborhood of the Landreth wildcat location, although none has been drilled within two miles of the exact location, and none has been carried as deep as the Landreth test is to be drilled.

9 WITNESSES TESTIFY IN SNOW MURDER TRIAL

STEPHENVILLE, Texas, Jan. 22 —(AP)—Nine witnesses were examined by the state today in the case of F. M. Snow, wood chopper and tenant farmer, charged with the murder of his step-son, Bernie Connally. The district attorney announced upon adjournment of court at 5 p. m., that the state would offer 10 more witnesses.

Luque Able to Leave Hospital.

HAVANA, Cuba.—Adolfo Luque, star right-handed pitcher of the Cincinnatti Reds, has made rapid strides in his recovery from an operation for appendicitis. He was able to leave the hospital here. This would indicate that Luque will have time to regain his full strength by the time spring training arrives.

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RAILROAD EXTENSION TO BORDER IS OPPOSED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(AP) —Conflicting arguments over the proposal of the San Antonio and Arkansas Pass railroad to build five miles of new line from Falfurrias, Texas, to the Mexican border were heard today before the interstate commerce commission. The Aransas Pass representatives were supported by counsel for the state of Texas and localities which the line seeks to serve, while in opposition were attorneys of the Missouri Pacific and New Orleans, Texas and Mexico railroads.

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BLAMES THIRSTY FOR CRIME WAVE

Attorney General Says Bribing Of Rum Runners Makes Crooks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Attorney General Sargent has studied the relationship of prohibition and crime waves, and has reached the conclusion that there is logic in the position of the person who, paid a bribe by respectable citizens for breaking the liquor laws, continues with a career of crime.

In his first public discussion of prohibition enforcement since taking charge of the department of justice, Mr. Sargent asked the members of the New York state bar association tonight whether "it is any wonder that banditary, murder, bribery and corruption flourish," when decent citizens constantly are paying the criminally inclined to take the risk of violating other laws.

"Every person who sells liquor does it solely and only because some one will pay a price high enough to make a profit sufficient to offset the chance to detection conviction and punishment."

"Now why do the otherwise respectable citizens engage in such bribery?"

"Because they say, the law interferes with their personal liberty, in that they have an inherent right to drink whiskey or any other liquor if they choose, that it is nobody's business but their own whether they shall or shall not injure themselves, and therefore no one may decide for them whether the use of liquor is or is not injurious.

"Whether the policy of invoking and exercising the power in this particular matter when and as it has been exercised was wise or unwise is no longer open to discussion."

SPANIARD COMPLETES FIRST LEG OF FLIGHT

LAS PALMAS, Canary Islands Jan. 22.—(AP)—Commander Franco's seaplane arrived here this afternoon, completing the first leg of the projected flight from Spain to Argentina.

Spur Suspect Is Not J. R. Russell

The suspect held in Spur, Texas, and thought to be Jack Russell who escaped jail in Wichita Falls Tuesday night by holding up two officers and robbing them of their guns is not the man wanted, believes Sheriff Fred K. Smith here. Advices from Spur Friday stated such a man was being held, but it developed he was arrested at 9 o'clock last Tuesday night and could not possibly have reached that town by that hour. He did not escape jail until nearly 7.

DAUGHERTY ARRAIGNED IN METAL FIRM PROBE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22—(AP)— Harry M. Daugherty, former attorney general of the United States, was arraigned before Federal Judge Tracher today for failure to answer questions and to produce records under subpoena in the recent investigation concerning the American Metal company.

GRAHAM WHIPS LYNCH

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)— Bushey Graham, Utica, N.Y., bantam weigth, scored an impressive victory over Joe Lynch of California in a 10-round semi-final match at Madison Square Garden tonight, winning the judges' decision. Graham weighed 119 1-4; Lynch, 119.

Omaha Purchases Maury Schick.

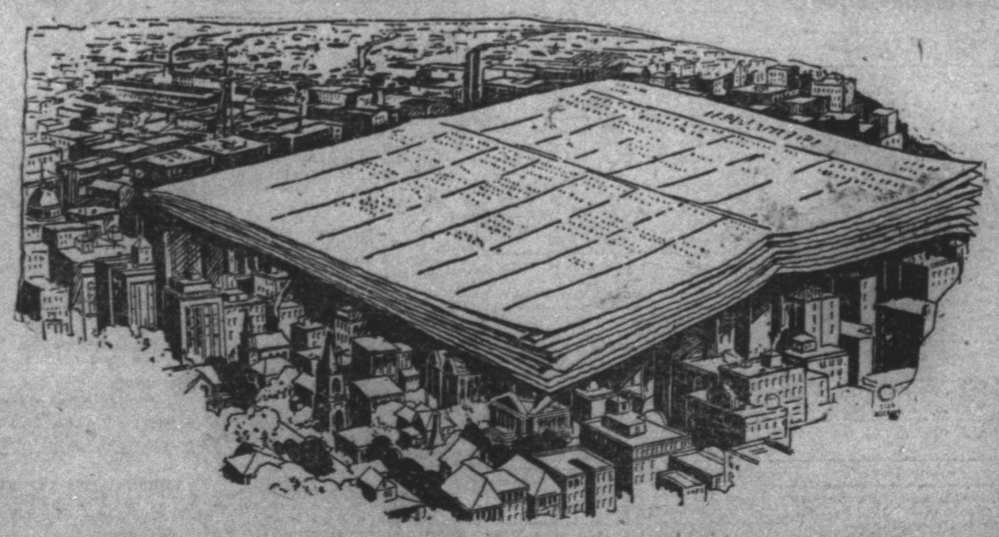
OMAHA, Neb.—Dick Grotte, business manager of the local club, has announced the purchase of Outfielder Maury Schick from the Shreveport club of the Texas League. Barney Burch made the deal on his way back to Texas from the Pacific coast. Schick was with the Chicago Cubs some years ago.

Blackburne Gets Knoxville Job.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—Russell (Lena) Blackburne, manager of the Little Rock team of the Southern League, last season, has been appointed pilot of the local team of the South Atlanttic League. Blackburne, a veteran player, will likely hold down the shortstop position.

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The Record News Review of Markets and Finance

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK.—Stocks, firm; coalers advance on peace rumors.

Bonds, irregular, convertible rails higher.
Foreign exchanges, steady; trading quiet.
Cotton, lower; expected bearish ginning report.
Sugar, higher; better spot demand.
Coffee, firm; importers buying.

CHICAGO.—Wheat, lower; disappointing export inquiry.
Corn, steady; light receipts.
Cattle, easy.
Hogs, firm; urgent shipping demand.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at decline of 8 to 12 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Jan.	20.24	20.08	20.16-17	20.25
March	19.60	19.47	19.53-55	19.61
May	19.06	18.92	18.96-97	19.08
July	18.56	18.46	18.49-51	18.58
Oct.	17.64	17.55	17.56-59	17.69

Opening: January 20.24; March 19.57; May 19.03; July 18.55; October 17.64.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The cotton market was quiet today owing mainly to disinclination to trade in advance of the census bureau's ginning report to be issued at the opening tomorrow giving the total amount of cotton ginned to January 16. This influence was felt right from the start as prices were five to eight points down immediately after the opening call. Prices eased off steadily during the day with insignificant occasional rallies until about the middle of the afternoon the low points then reached showed losses compared with the previous close of 11 to 16 points. There was a slight rally near the end on cautious short covering and on the reported settlement of the coal strike. The close showed net losses for the day of eight to 12 points.

Liverpool came in lower than due and first trades showed losses of one to five points. Prices recovered a point or two during the call, March trading at 19.60, May at 19.06 and October at 17.64. These figures proved to be the highs of the day. The market soon turned easier on liquidation in advance of the ginnings report. The easier tone was helped by the cold and wet weather in the belt which was regarded as unfavorable to weevil hibernation. The market continued to ease off until the middle of the afternoon helped by the disappointing week-end statistics until finally March traded down to 19.47, 11 points net lower. A rally of about three to eight points in the late trading cut down the net loss and the market closed steady.

Hester made the weekly mill takings 328,000 bales against 328,000 for the corresponding week last year. The movement this eight was small, however, less than last year. Exports for the day totaled 19,834 bales.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 7 to 12 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
March	20.18	20.03	20.06-09	20.17
May	19.61	19.51	19.53-55	19.62
July	18.98	18.88	18.88-90	19.00
Oct.	18.20	18.11	18.14-16	18.21
Dec	17.98	17.88	17.80-90	18.00

Opening: March 20.15; May 19.56; July 18.97; October 18.18; December 17.98.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The cotton market was lower today under further near month liquidation, but steadied around 19.50 for May on covering or trade buying. May closed at 19.53, the general market closing steady at net declines of seven to 12½ points.

The opening was barely steady at a decline of three to six points in response to rather easier Liverpool cables. Initial offerings were taken promptly, but rallies of a few points brought in more selling and the market was rather unsettled during mid-day. Reports of an easier spot basis in the eastern belt, with expectations of heavy ginning figures from the census bureau tomorrow morning evidently encouraged reactionary sentiment.

Selling was attributed chiefly to liquidation by old crop longs, but there was a little selling of later months for southern or local and Wall Street account, which sent prices off to 20.03 for March and 18.11 for October. These figures represented net declines of about 10 to 14 points and reactions of 23 to 36 points from recent high prices. Trade buying was a little more in evidence at the lower figures, however, and the market steadied up a few points in the last half hour.

General business was quiet during the entire day, traders apparently waiting for tomorrow's ginning report, or for fresh developments in other directions. Recent private reports have pointed to a ginning of between 15,536,000 and 15,600,000 bales to January 16 and on the basis of these figures it was supposed the market had been fairly well prepared for a census report of 15,600,000 bales.

Private cables reported a less active spot demand in Liverpool, but continued good demand for cotton in cloths in Manchester from India and China. Week-end figures brought out no special comment.

Exports today 24,834, making 5,198,343 so far this season. Port receipts today 23,490. U. S. port stocks 1,579,881 bales.

SPOT MARKETS.

HOUSTON, Jan. 22.—The spot market closed steady, 10 down; sales 5,733 bales. Low ordinary 11.50; ordinary 13.00; good ordinary 14.50; strict good ordinary 16.00; low middling 17.50; strict low middling 18.00; middling 20.50; strict middling 20.75; good middling 21.50; strict good middling 21.75; middling fair 22.00.

GALVESTON, Jan. 22.—The spot market closed steady, 10 down; sales 1,041 bales. Low ordinary 10.40; ordinary 12.40; good ordinary 14.15; low middling 17.65; middling 20.65; good middling 21.90; middling fair 22.40.

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—The spot market closed steady, 10 down; sales 2,870 bales. Middling fair 21.70; strict good middling 20.95; good middling 20.70; strict middling 20.45; middling 19.70; strict low middling 18.45; low middling 16.95; strict good ordinary 15.20; good ordinary 13.70.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Spot cotton quiet; middling 20.85.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 9 points down; sales 8,525 bales. Low middling 17.41; middling 20.41; good middling 21.06; receipts 4,887; stock 482,340 bales.

Financial

EXCHANGE RATES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Foreign exchanges, steady; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.85⅝; cables 4.86 3-16; 60-day bills on banks 4.81 7-16. France demand 3.74½; cables 3.75. Italy demand 4.03½; cables 4.04; Germany demand 23.80.

U. S. BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Liberty bonds: 3½'s, 100.1; first 4¼'s, 101.29; second 4¼'s, 100.22; third 4¼'s, 100.31; fourth 4¼'s, 102.08; U. S. treasury 4's, 101.14; U. S. treasury 4¼'s, 107.10.

MONEY RATES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Call money, steady; high, low, ruling rate and closing bid 4; offered at 4¼; last loan 4; call loans against acceptances 3½. Time loans, easier; mixed collateral 60-90 days 4⅝; 4-6 months 4⅝; prime mercantile paper 4¼@4¾.

Satisfactory results can be had in the classified columns of the Record News.

N. Y. Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Am Tel and Tel	16	142⅝	143	143⅛
Am Woolen	10	39	38⅝	39
California Pet	52	31⅝	31	31⅝
Dodge Bros pfd	9	85⅝	85½	85¾
Freeport-T Co	42	23⅜	23¼	23¼
Gen Electric	29	335⅝	332⅝	334
Gen Motors	160	118	116	117½
Gen Petroleum	234	57⅝	56¼	57⅛
Ind Oil and Gas	96	28⅛	27¼	27⅝
Marland Oil	168	56¼	55¼	55⅝
Mid-Cont Pet	50	33⅞	33	33⅛
M K and T	50	41⅝	40⅝	41¼
North Am Co	64	64⅝	64	64⅝
Pacific Oil	161	77⅛	76⅛	76¼
Pan-Am Pet B	163	69¾	67	69
Phillips Pet	102	43¾	42⅝	53⅝
Pure Oil	44	29½	29	29⅝
Shell Union Oil	46	26¾	22¼	26¼
Simms Pet	45	24⅞	23⅝	24¼
Sinclair Con Oil	73	21⅝	21	21½
Stand Oil of Cal	65	57	56⅜	57
Stand O of N J	31	43½	43½	43½
Texas Company	52	51⅝	51	51½
T and P C and O	36	17¼	16⅝	17
Transcont Oil	14	4¼	4	4
U S Steel	957	134½	131⅝	134
Willys Over	54	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Stock prices worked to higher levels today despite repeated attempts of bear traders to unsettled the list. Heavy buying of U. S. Steel common, which closed 1⅝ higher at 134 after beign hammered down to 131⅝, and the strength of the eastern coalers on reports of early resumption of anthracite peace negotiations were the day's principal features. Trading was in moderate volume the day's sales falling below 1,700,000 shares.

Bullish operations were encouraged by improvement in the money situation reflected in the higher reserve ratios and the abundance of time money at relatively low rates. Absence of public participation which was attributed in some quarters to the belief that the unusually heavy financing since the first of the year had absorbed a major portion of surplus funds acted, however, as a restraining influence.

Despite later reports that operators had rejected the latest proposal for a new coal carrying roads, showed substantial gains on the day. Delaware and Hudson and Lackawanna each closed over three points higher, Lehigh Valley moved up 2¾ and Reading 1¢. International Agricultural preferred jumped 8¾ points to a new top at 91¾ on reports that the accumulated dividends would be paid up and the stock definitely placed on a $7 basis.

The mystery surrounding the recent meetings of Frisco railroad directors was cleared up after the market closed with the announcement that the road has obtained a substantial interest through open market purchases in the Rock Island, which explains the recent strength of that stock. Frisco common closed 2¾ higher at 100¾ and Rock Island showed a fractional gain at 57¼.

Call money held steady at 4 per cent all day with plenty of funds available at that figure. Time money was practically on a flat 4¾ per cent basis as compared with 4¾ to 4½ earlier in the week. Commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Foreign exchanges were irregular with no important changes in the European ports. Demand sterling held steady at 4.84⅝ and French francs were slightly firmer around 3.75 cents. Japanese yen reacted about ¼ of a cent to 44⅝ cents on profit taking by speculators.

HESTER'S WEEKLY COTTON STATEMENT.

	In 1000 Bales
In sight for week	263
" " same seven days last year	283
" " same seven days year before	180
" " for the month	867
" " same date last year	1155
" " same date year before	684
" " for season	12658
" " same date last year	11558
" " same date year before	8041
Port receipts for season	7278
" " same date last year	7119
" " same date year before	5331
Overland to mills and Canada for sea.	943
" same date last year	829
" same date year before	593
Southern mill takings for season	2040
" same date last year	2008
" same date year before	2488
Interior stocks in excess of August 1	1497
" last year	1002
" year before	525
" same seven days last year	333
" same seven days year before	148
" for season	5201
" same date last year	5158
" same date year before	3648
Northern and Canadian spinners' takings for week	48
" same seven days last year	88
" for season	1549
" to same date last year	1359

Statement of Spinners' Takings of American Cotton Throughout the World.

	In 1000 Bales
This week	308
Same seven days last year	328
Same seven days year before	223
Total since August 1	8763
Same date last year	7814
Same date year before	6779

Statement of World's Visible Supply.

Total visible this week	6584
" " last week	6642
" " same date last year	5416
" " same date year before	4468
Of this the total Am this week	5011
" " " Am last week	5056
" " " last year	4671
" " " year before	3909
All other kinds this week	1573
" " " last week	1586
" " " last year	1145
" " " year before	1408
Visible in the U. S. this week	3221
" " this date last year	2705
Visible in other countries this week	3363
" " this date last year	3111

Appeal Argued In Teapot Dome Case

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—A motion to advance for hearing the government's appeal from a decision upholding the famous Teapot Dome oil lease was argued briefly today in the United States circuit court of appeals here. The motion was taken under advisement.

Atlee Pomerene of Cleveland and O. J. Roberts of Philadelphia, special government counsel, were here to argue for advancement, holding the importance of the suit to warrant this, but a railway wreck delayed Pomerene's arrival until after the arguments had been submitted.

TERM FOR CHURCH ROBBER UPHELD BY HIGH COURT.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The state criminal court of appeals today affirmed a five-year sentence imposed on Carl Seaba by the Kay county district court for breaking into the Richland Methodist church near Tonkawa.

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Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 22.—Arrivals of cattle 2,850 grown and 350 calves. This was a small number for the uses of the trade. Selling began early. General activity of the trade made for early clearance and steady prices, measured along side the declines forced during the week.

Beef cattle closed weak at decline of 25c. Beef and butcher cows have lost 25 to 50c, canners and cutters 15 to 25c. Stocker steers and cows about same degree as low grade beef steers and cutter cows. Feeder steers steady. Calves declined 50 to 75c for the week. Hogs 15c to a quarter lower than at beginning of week. Pigs and packing sows have advanced around 25c.

Sheep generally unchanged, arrivals scanty. She stock featured bulk of cattle run. No beef cattle. She stock about same as Saturday, extreme range $2.25 to $6.50; bulk cows $3.50 to $5.00. Young stock medium $3.50 to $6.00; bulls slow mostly strong weights, $3.35 to $4.25. Calves unchanged, $5.00 to $7.50.

Hogs 25 to 35c up. Heavy weights taking top, $12.75. Mixed butchers $12.50; pigs and packing sows unchanged.

No sheep market.

Cattle, 2,850, including 350 calves; market steady; beeves $5.50@9.00; stockers $4.50@8.50; fat cows $4.00@6.50; yearlings $8.50@11.00; heifers $4.50@10.00; canners $2.25@2.85; cutters $2.90@3.25; calves $5.00@8.00; bulls $4.75.

Hogs, 300; including 150 direct; market 25 to 35c higher; best medium weight $12.75@12.80; good mixed $12.40@12.50; good lights $12.30@12.40; fair mixed $12.25@12.30; fair lights $12.10@12.20; common $6.00@7.00; packing sows $10.50@11.00; pigs $9.00@11.50.

Sheep receipts 100; market nominal; slaughter lambs $13.50@15.50; feeder lambs $12.00@13.50; yearlings $10.00@12.00; wethers $8.00@9.50; ewes $8.00@8.50; culls $1.00@4.00; stockers $6.00@7.00; goats $1.00@3.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Cattle, 500; calves 100; fed steers and yearlings scarce, steady; top medium weights $9.50; few other loads $8.15@8.25; largely a clean up trade on she stock; heavy heifers $7.25@7.50; vealers and calves steady; stockers and feeders slow at week's decline.

Hogs, 1,500; active; mostly 15 to 25c higher than Thursday's best prices; light lights around steady; shipper top $12.45 on 190 pound averages, packer top $12.30, bulk of sales $11.90@12.35; good to choice 180 to 300 pounds $12.00@12.45; sorted 130 to 160 pounds up to $12.50; packing sows $10.75@11.50; stags $8.50@9.25; stock pigs steady, mostly $12.25@13.00.

Sheep, 1,000; few weighty lambs at $13.00@13.50; about steady best offered $13.50; sheep nominally steady.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Cattle 8,000; week-end trade generally steady with recent 25 to 50c decline; quality plain; most killing steers $8.25@9.75; good to choice long yearlings $10.85; average weight 1,104 pounds; little above $9.75 offered; moderate sprinkling of plain quality meat steers; mostly off lots $7.25@8.25; good cows and heifers continued dull; lower priced kind and canners and cutters steady; bulls steady to weak; vealers 50c lower at $12.00@13.00.

Hogs, 25,000; mostly 25c higher than yesterday's best prices; lighter weights showing 25 to 35c advance; closed slow; bulk better 160 to 190 pound averages $12.50@12.75; 140 to 150 pound selections largely $12.80@13.00; top 130 pounds and up $13.00; 160 pounds up $12.80; bulk desirable 225 to 310 pound butchers $11.75@12.20; packing sows mostly $10.75@11.00; killing pigs $13.00@13.25; shippers took 14,000; estimated holdover 4,000.

Sheep 8,000; fat and feeding lambs steady; bulk desirable fat offerings $14.50@15.00; packers stopping around $14.75; top $15.25 to shippers; clipped lambs $12.00@13.00; yearling wethers mostly $12.50@13.25; odd lots fat ewes steady at $8.50@9.00; feeding lambs upward to $15.25.

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Ganna Walska to Try Once More for Elusive Fame of Opera Stage



Undismayed by what critics called a failure at Nice a year ago, and other attempts to achieve fame as a songbird, Ganna Walska, Polish artist and wife of Harold F. McCormick, is planning to sing the role of Cho Cho San, in "Madame Butterfly" in Paris this spring. She has been studying Japanese dramatic art and technique in New York in order to perfect her interpretation of the Japanese Geisha girl. Above is a striking photo of the singer, with an inset of her husband who is said to be in accord with her new effort.

Rochester to Vote On Water System

RULE, Jan. 22.—On Jan. 26, the town of Rochester will vote on bonds for a water system. The proposed bond issue is for $38,000, payable serially and not to exceed 40 years.

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Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May new	1.72⅛	1.73⅝	1.69½	1.71⅝
May old	1.70½	1.71⅝	1.67⅞	1.69¼
July	1.49⅝	1.50⅝	1.47½	1.48⅝
Sept.	1.41⅛	1.42	1.39	1.40⅝
CORN—				
May	.83¼	.84¼	.83¼	.84
July	.85⅛	.86⅞	.85½	.86½
Sept.	.87	.87⅝	.87⅛	.87⅝
OATS—				
May	.44⅝	.44⅝	.44½	.44⅝
July	.45⅛	.45⅛	.44⅜	.45
RYE—				
May	1.06	1.06⅝	1.05	1.05½
July	1.05⅝	1.06	1.04⅝	1.05
Sept.	1.00⅝	1.01	1.00⅝	1.01

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 22.—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. 1 dark hard, $1.97@2.00; No. 1 ordinary hard, $1.96@1.99; No. 1 red, $2.07@2.10; No. 1, 75 per cent red $2.04@2.07.

Corn: No. 2 white, 98c@$1.00; No. 3 white, 94@96c; No. 2 mixed, 96@98c; No. 3 mixed, 93@95c.

Oats: No. 2 red, 60@62c; No. 3 red, 59@61c; No. 3 white, 55@56c.

Snapped corn $1.00@1.10; No. 3 barley 82@85c; No. 2 milo, $1.42@1.45; No. 3 kaffir, $1.37@1.40; maize heads $22@24 kaffir heads $20@22; red top cane seed, $2.10@2.20.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.73@1.82; No. 2 red, $1.84½@1.86; May $1.64⅝; July $1.41¾@1.43¾.

Corn: No. 2 yellow 76@77c; No. 2 mixed, 74½@75½c; May 80c; July 82¾c; September 85c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 43@44c.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Wheat: No sales reported.

Corn: No. 3 yellow 75¼c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 42@42¾c.

CHICAGO GRAIN LEADER.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Hurried selling out to stop losses on the part of holders turned the wheat market sharply downward today. Heavy world shipments of wheat, including Argentine shipments of 1,000,000 bushels in excess of the pending week's total, were a bearish factor. The close for wheat was unsettled 1½ to 1¾c net lower, May (new) $1.71⅝ to $1.71½ and July $1.48¾ to $1.48⅝. Corn finished at ⅛ to ⅜c advance, oats virtually unchanged and provisions unchanged to 10c off.

Corn, influenced by an upturn in hog values received excellent support. Receipts of corn were light. Oats were steadied by the action of corn.

Provisions, despite temporary strength due to higher quotations on hogs were unsettled by selling ascribed to the break in wheat.

A Classified Ad in the Record News will bring quick results.

Market Gossip

Booth and Burmeister, brokers, Wagoner Bldg., today received the following market comment from J. S. Bache and company of Chicago:

GRAIN.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Wheat market broke badly after a minor upturn early with May dropping to $1.69½, a new low on the present down turn. Buying against bids and short covering checked the decline but the rally which followed was not at all impressive and the action of the market suggests that there is a great deal of further liquidation in prospect. The weight of the increasing shipments from the southern hemisphere plus the Canadian clearances is affecting the world's wheat level and it is gradually declining. Feel that all sharp bulges should be taken advantage of to make sales. Export demand continues decidedly indifferent, and values will have to decline to a point where it will be possible to interest buyers on a much larger scale than has prevailed for a long time past.

Corn and Oats—Corn showed stubborn resistance to pressure and did not reflect weakness in wheat, receiving good support on the breaks. Strength in hogs was a factor. The country is marketing its corn in an orderly manner, which is decidedly favorable in preventing a demoralized market in view of the fact that practically all of the grain must be dried before being placed in storage. Conditions at the present time are not favorable for a sustained advance in corn.

Oats market remains dull, and it will take some new incentive to increase speculative buying materially.

Editors Oppose Prison rint Shop

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Strong opposition to the operation of a state printing plant at the Oklahoma penitentiary and charges of irregularities in the awarding of state printing contracts were voiced at the Oklahoma Press Association, in convention here today.

Hutton Bellah of Altus launched the allegations of fraud. He told the convention that when he took over a printing plant at Altus several years ago, he found that an order for 55,000 confederate pension claim blanks had been awarded the company, that the bid was based on 45,000 blanks, but that only 35,000 were to be delivered.

ARMY MAN SEES GROWTH IN AMERICAN RAILWAYS

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 22.—(AP) Airways eventually will be developed as highways were, in the opinion of Lieutenant Colonel C. C. Culver, commanding officer of Kelly Field. In a speech today he said that the problem of airways is similar in many details to that of roads.

Produce

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Butter, higher; receipts 8,554 tubs; creamery extras 43½c; standards 43c; extra firsts 42@42½c; firsts 41@41½c; seconds 38@40c.

Eggs, higher; receipts 8,729 cases; firsts 35½c; ordinary firsts 32@33c.

Poultry alive, easy, receipts three cars; fowls, 24@26½c; springs 28c; turkeys 25c; roosters 20c; ducks 30@32c; geese 20@22c.

DUN'S REVIEW.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Dun's tomorrow will say:

Not only is the stability of general business maintained, but there are accumulating signs of renewed activity in different directions. The post holiday lull, though still visible in some quarters, has been on the whole less marked and of shorter duration than usual, and there are many reports of dealings in excess of those of a year ago. This phase is reflected in most of the statistical barometers and the continued gain in bank clearings is the more significant because prices for various commodities are below the levels prevailing at this time in 1925. The current week developed easing in a number of markets and Dun's list shows a considerable excess of declines, but in the main there has been an absence of unsettlement in prices for both raw materials and manufactured products.

Weekly bank clearings $10,150,031,000.

Oklahoma Auto Law Held Invalid

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The state law requiring automobile owners to purchase certificates of ownership and metal containers for the display of the certificate in the machine today was declared unconstitutional by District Judge William H. Zwick. The ruling was made in the case of Mrs. Eddy Wall of Oklahoma City, who asked that the highway department be enjoined from collection of the $1.50 fee for the certificates and containers.

Plot to Dynamite Dance Hall Nipped

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—(AP)—A carefully laid plan to blow up the Ozarks, a dancing resort south of Dallas, was frustrated by the discovery of ten sticks of dynamite at the place. The dynamite would probably have discharged at 11 o'clock, while at least 200 persons were dancing, by means of an alarm clock device, officers said.

Owners of the place said that they believed a fanatic had made an attempt to destroy the resort.

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Some Interesting Features Planned for Pupils, She Declares.

Mrs. Ida L. Chitwood who will direct the Record News cooking school beginning at 2:30 Monday in the Kemp Hotel ball room, has arrived in Wichita Falls, and is ready to open the classes.

"I believe for each of my pupils this is going to be a more interesting school than any they have ever yet attended, for I am going to tell them a sure and appreciative way of injecting real pleasure and happiness into the kitchen," she said in speaking of the school.

"Each year it is well to invest some time in study for cultural improvement. Every woman needs it."

A Basic Art.

"A basic art, underlying most other arts is practical cookery. It is one of the most powerful forces in the world for giving pleasure, an art to be thought about, dreamed about, used and enjoyed. To be a master of this art, study is necessary. One needs to feel the atmosphere of a place where cookery is understood as an art and to be with people who are enthusiastic about ti.

"As a part of your self uplift and happiness these five coming days, why not continue your study of this art? Another course at the Kemp Hotel at the Record News cooking school will help you with your cooking art problems," Mrs. Chitwood said.

Needs Inspiration.

"Every woman who has to plan meals for herself or others needs occasional fresh inspiration for this important matter. Dozens of new dishes are given in my schools this year, but I am frank to admit the ones that are added this year are more helpful, palatable and beautiful than ever before.

"We now have governor's wives and governor's daughters attending newspaper cooking schools which are given as an annual party to the friends and readers of the paper. The most gorgeous diamond rings one could imagine glitter on hands whose owners never before knew the difference between a double boiler and a coke pan, and those hands become efficient and effective in turning out such things as soft, fluffy biscuits, flaky tender pie crust that crumble at a touch, together with many other fundamental dishes that are brought back to the school and placed on exhibit for the members of the class to see.

"There is no age limit—women from seventeen to seventy-five are invited to join the class," Mrs. Chitwood said and she extended an invitation to any woman interested to attend the school.

First School Term A Big Success

The first term of the public schools of the city closed Friday afternoon with a report given by the superintendent that the most successful work yet done has just been completed.

Dr. J. W. Cantwell, superintendent, reports the total enrollment at the end of the first term is 8,096, an improvement over the enrollment at the same period of 1925. The schools have been crowded because of the influx of pupils, but this condition will soon be remedied with the completion of the two new schools, Huey and Crockett, it was said.

Will Inspect 3 State Aid Schools

Inspection of the three Wichita county schools who have made application for state aid in the matter of support will probably come about February 1, according to a letter received from the state board of education by County Superintendent Burl Bryant Friday. The letter states that S. E. Clark, state rural school inspector, will be here at about that time to make the inspection.

Only three such schools in the county have made application for state aid, those being Cooper, Deep Creek and County Line.

DEATHS

W. R. CASTLE.

Funeral services for W. R. Castle, 65, who died at his home, on Avenue F. Thursday night will be held from the residence Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock with burial following at Riverside.

EDNA LUCILE TELLERSON

The funeral for Edna Lucile Tellerson, six months old, was held Friday afternoon from the Hines Mortuary chapel with Rev. L. S. White, minister of the First Church of Christ, in charge. The child died Thursday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bennett, two miles out on the Petrolia road following an illness of two days of pneumonia. Burial was in Rosemont.

J. C. COX

J. C. Cox, 54, who died in a local hospital Friday morning at 11 o'clock, is being held at the Hines Mortuary, pending the arrival of his widow from Poolville where the body is to be forwarded later for burial.

ARTHUR J. CATER

Arthur J. Cater, 22, employe of the Wichita Wire Works died suddenly at 601 Lamar street Thursday afternoon. The body is being held at the Hines Mortuary pending the arrival of his

EDGAR A. MASSET

Edgar A. Masse, 67, who lived at his place of business, 607 Burnett, died Thursday afternoon, and the body was sent by the Burris-Dalton Undertaking company yesterday to Gainesville where the funeral will be held Saturday.

WICHITANS TO MEET

J. A. Kemp, chairman of the executive committee of the Texas State Farming Association, accompanied by James D. Greer of Iowa Park, has gone to Dallas to attend an agricultural conference called by George R. Terrell, state commissioner of agriculture.

Plans are to be formulated at the meeting for bettering agricultural conditions in the state.

Whiteman Here Today In Spectacular Music Program At Jr. College

Paul Whiteman arrives in Wichita Falls this morning bringing with him his internationally famous orchestra. Whiteman, rated as the world's highest paid orchestra director is an alright good fellow according to those who know him and plans are being made to introduce him to Wichita Falls today at the University club luncheon.

F. E. McConnell of McConnell Brothers, under whose auspices Whiteman makes his first appearance in Wichita Falls, is highly enthused over the enthusiasm shown for this concert.

"While the sale of seats for tonight's performance has been unusually good, there are still plenty of good seats left and we hope that tonight will see the big Junior college auditorium filled to capacity.

"Whiteman's program is the most spectacular of its kind ever presented an American audience—his program is of such variety that every lover of music, whether it be classic or jazz, will be delighted with the evening spent with Paul Whiteman.

Those who have not already secured their reservations are urged to call early. Tickets are on sale at the McConnell Brothers store.

M'BRIDE GIVEN HONOR MEDAL

Is Presented With a Remembrance For Rescussitation

A. W. McBride, employed by the Wichita Falls Electric company, was presented Friday night with an Insull medal, an award of honor tendered through the National Electric Light association, for his rescussitation on May 20, last, of Henry L. Starke, a lineman who was knocked from a light pole here after receiving 41,000 volts and who lived four days after being revived by McBride. The award was made at a banquet and safety meeting attended by about 160 employes of the Electric company here.

The presentation was made by John W. Carpenter of Dallas, vice president and general manager of the Texas Power and Light company who came to Wichita Falls for the meeting.

Starke's death last summer was the only fatal accident suffered by a workman of the company. It came late in the afternoon when the lineman was high on a pole on he Seymour road. The shock from the votage knocked him to the ground and when picked up he was apparantly lifeless. McBride, however, used rescuscitation methods at once and finally brought Starke back to full consciousness. He lived four days when an intestinal complication set in that caused his death.

Interesting Meeting.

The banquet, perhaps the most interesting staged by the local organization, opened with J. W. Lyle, chairman of the safety committee, introducing Joel McGregor, who sang several selections. Toward the close the entire crowd sang, "Sewanee River." Mr. Lyle acted as toastmaster.

C. J. Rutland of Dallas, safety engineer of the Texas Power & Light company, gave a lengthy talk on "accident prevention," impressing on all workers the importance of saving human life.

"Accidentts don't happen—they are caused," he said. "If we do our job right, we can prevent accidnts in nearly all of cases."

A. E. Kelly, office manager of the local company, gave figures showing that during last year only one local man was killed, and that an average of 169 men were employed daily. The record shaws, he said, that one man out of 55 employed, lost time as result of accidents while on duty.

"No chain is stronger than its weakest link—no company is more powerful than the men who compose it," said Judge J. S. Dickie who said he was proud to be listed as an employe of the Wichita Falls safety commission.

John W. Carpenter, of Dallas, vice president and general manager of the Texas Power and Light company and affiliated companies, made the presentation speech in citing Mr. McBride as a hero. In an impressive manner he pointed out the importance of looking out for a fellow man.

"We are all servants ofa great common cause—a business that serves, giving service to humanity. Electricity is doing more for the human race than most any other industry," Mr. Carpenter said.

A Messy Saver.

"To prevent an accident not only saves human lives—the lives of loved ones who are needed in the homes, saying nothing of suffering from the injured and the heart-broken wives, mothers and children.

"It affords me great pleasure tonight, to present a medal to one of our workers, Mr. McBride, who has saved a human life. There was one man, a member of this organization, whose name was not called tonight. It was Henry Starke! I want every member here to stand up with bowed heads and pause for a moment in honor of his memory."

"I do not deserve al lthis—it is the organization which taught me how to save the life of my friend—and your friends," said Mr. McBride after being decorated with the honor medal.

GUARDS ON DUTY

NEW YORK.—"Hiking Hiram" Colonel Hiram Bearss, U. S. M. C., retired, who led his marines at Vera Cruz and Chateau Thierry, is picking 200 fighting men to guard the greatest store of treasure in New York, the federal reserve bank.

TELEGRAPHER DIES RICH

ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—A retired telegraph operator, William Winslow, who died at the soldiers' home at Leavenworth, Kan., left an estate of $179,000. He was believed to have been dependent on his pension.

TEXAS OPPOSES DOUBLE TAXING

State Would Be Hard Hit If California Case Is Made to Apply.

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—(AP)— A hardship will be worked on Texas, should the attorney general of the United States hold that the decision of the supreme court in the robbins case, appealed from California, and involving double income tax renditions on account of community property is applicable to this state, in the opinion of Dallas bankers, income tax experts and attorneys.

Members of the Dallas cotton exchange, in a body, sent telegrams to Texas congressmen at Washington today urging their aid in the matter.

In case the attorney general rules against this state, it will mean that a sum equal to approximately 60 per cent of the income taxes paid in the state during 1920 to 1924, inclusive, or between $15,000 and $20,000 will be due to the federal government this year in addition to the income tax for 1925, the experts declare. The drain on the state, they declare, would be disastrous and would reflect in the progress of business and commerce for years to come.

The Old Home Town

Mrs. C. McFayden of 1415 Sixteenth street is ill at her home of influenza.

Mrs. B. L. Fain who has been quite ill of influenza at her home on Buchanan street is reported to be improving.

Dr. L. I. Lucey, veterigarian, has returned from Fort Worth where he attended a convention of the State Veterinary Medical association. He was one of the speakers.

Miss Katherine Henricle, agent of the Texas Children's Home and Aid society, is reported ill with a cold and unable to be in her office in the Ward building.

Ignition of crude oil from a broken pipeline at the American Refinery in North Wichita caused the chemical fire truck from the central fire station to make a run early Friday morning. The blaze was extinguished without any loss.

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SMITH SEEKS TO QUASH VENIRE

But Withdraws Motion After Questioning Deputy Who Summoned Jurors.

A motion to quash an entire array of jurors on grounds the venire had been secured by a deputy sheriff with a view to securing conviction for the defendant was made by defense counsel in the trial of O. C. Smith, charged with criminal assault, in the 89th district court Friday afternoon. Judge P. A. Martin said it was the first such motion he had ever heard during his occupancy of the bench.

The motion came following an hour's recess for the purpose of obtaining ten additional veniremen necessary to complete a jury for the trial.

White Put on Stand

Selection proceedings were halted and Deputy Sheriff H. D. White placed on the stand. Three or four questions were asked as to whom he had selected as the additional ten veniremen and whether or not he had ascertained all of them were married before serving summons. White answered he had asked all prospective veniremen if they were married, but had not let that affect his judgment regarding their selection. He cited one of the veniremen who to his knowledge was not married but had been selected nevertheless.

At this point the motion was withdrawn by the defense lawyer, Otis Nelson, who apologized to the court for its contents.

Friday was spent entirely in the selection of a jury for Smith's second trial, the twelfth man being selected just prior to adjournment at 5 o'clock.

Atwood to Speak

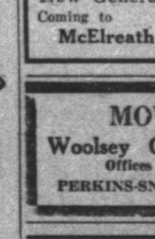
Dr. E. B. Atwood, head of the department of Bible in Simmons University, Abilene, will arrive in the city Saturday night, to occupy the First Baptist church pulpit, Sunday morning and evening. Aside from being so vitally connected with one of the leading educational institutions of the state and Southwest, Dr. Atwood has held some prominent pastorates of the state, and is regarded as an excellent speaker with inspirational messages. He comes here in the absence of the pastor, Dr. O. L. Powers who is engaged in a series of evangelistic services in Simmons University.

FOUR MARRIAGE LICENSES

Four marriage licenses were issued at the county clerk's office Friday. They went to the following: T. E. Graves and Lucille Pearl Hutchings; John Robert Watts and Johnnie Floyd; Melvin Wigley and Ruth Hopson; Davie Jones and Wilburn Smith, both of Iowa Park.

BARNES IMPROVING.

Dr. S. A. Barnes, pastor of the Floral Heights Methodist church, who has been ill for the past two weeks is able to be up and expects to be able to conduct the Sunday services at the church.



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"The only way to solve the problems of the world today is through education," declared Rabbi Michael Aaronsohn, field representative of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, and national chaplain of the disabled American World war veterans in an address last night at Temple Israel where he spoke to a large assembly.

"The school house is a greater protection than the fortres sor the battleship. Wisdom is greater than the weapons of war," he said in his address on "Education."

"The real enemy of society is hate, that hate which comes from ignorance."

He will speak at the school of Temple Israel today at 11 o'clock. He will address the brotherhood of syagogue Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on the subject of "Consecrated Laity."

On Monday Rabbi Aaronsohn will be the principal speaker at the Kiwanis club.

CARRIGAN IN MUSIC LEAD

Pupils of That School Score Highest In Memory Contest

The three schools making the highest grade in the music memory contest held Monday night at the First Baptist were announced Friday as follows: Carrigan, 99.6 per cent; Austin, 99.1; San Jacinto, 99.07.

The ranking of the schools in alphabetical order in the contest follows: Alamo, 98.4; Austin, 99.1; Barwise, 92.8; Bowie, 90; Carrigan, 99.6; Fannin, 95.1; Sam Houston, 95.1; San Jacinto, 99.07; Travis, 89.8; Junior High school, J. team, 97.3; A. team, 96.4.

Seventy children of the 127 representatives of the various schools in the city made perfect scores and each will be presented with a music memory pin. The three schools making highest percentages will receive a prize from the Music Study and the Musician's clubs which sponsored the contest. This prize will probably be a gift of money for the purchase of other musical equipment.

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7 MORE DAYS FOR AUTO TAGS

15,000 Registrations Must Be Made in a Week, Says Raley.

Just seven days are left for the registration of nearly 15,000 Wichita county vehicles, according to tax collector Guy C. Raley Friday afternoon. At that time approximately 8,450 passenger vehicles had been registered in the county, and about 900 trucks. There are in the county approximately 22,000 passenger automobiles and 2,300 trucks, he says, from which figures the deduction may be made that approximately 60 per cent of the county's motor vehicle population is as yet unregistered.

The state highway board has notified the counties of the state there will be no extension beyond January 31. Already Wichita county cars leaving the county without 1926 licenses are being stopped and in some instances, their owners fined.

Failure to secure automobile licenses before February 1 makes motor owners liable to the assessment of an extra penalty and to a fine, it is stated.

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Question of Care For Insane Solved By WF Hospital

AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—(AP)—Accommodation for 100 women patients at the Wichita Falls state hospital made recently by transferring men patients to a new dormitory, will relieve the congestion from insane women in state institutions," Dr. H. H. Harrington, chairman of the board of control, said today.

Insane asylums have been taxed to accommodate women patients, and the problem was acute, Harrington said. Congestion for men and women was relieved some by the occupation of the old blind institute quarters, at Austin when it was converted into a hospital for senile insane, an annex to the Austin state hospitnl. Seven hundred persons are quartered there.

Jails in the state have been practically freed of insane persons as a result of these changes, Dr. Harrington explained.

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