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STATE OFFICIALS TO VISIT TECH
SCENE OF CHINESE PERIL SHIFTS TO SHANGHAIQUIET PREVAILS
AS U. S. TROOPS
STAY ON GUARDADMIRAL WILLIAMS SAYS
SITUATION IS VERY
TENSE THERE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Mar. 28.—The force landed at Shanghai yesterday from the American cruiser Pittsburgh has been returned to the ship and quiet prevailed in that city today.

Admiral Williams, commanding the American naval force in China, reported to the navy department in a dispatch sent from Shanghai at 4:05 p. m. (Shanghai time) that "a large demonstration" occurred at the west gate of the native city Wednesday, the Chinese demanding the return of the concessions and the international settlement.

Landing Is Explained
Navy department officials explained that Admiral Williams had landed the detachment from the Pittsburgh when he heard that an anti-foreign demonstration would be held in the native city. Fifteen hundred American marines are still ashore at Shanghai.

Inasmuch as the demonstration was not followed by any disturbance, it was explained, the necessity for keeping the Pittsburgh detachment ashore disappeared.

Apprehension at Shanghai
Apprehension over the situation shifted suddenly Sunday from the river city of Nanjing to Shanghai and Admiral Williams began concentrating off Shanghai all ships that could be spared from other points in the China zone. Reporting the situation "very tense" over the week end, the admiral said the British and Japanese also had increased their forces ashore.

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Chinese Looters Are
Fooled; Bees Winners

SHANGHAI, China, Mar. 28. (AP)—A flash of humor amid the grim events at Nanjing appeared in the stories told by the refugees.

Cantonese soldiers looting the home of the American Dr. W. E. Macklin of the United Christian Mission society, found behind the house what appeared to them to be a number of fine white chickens and smashed them open with their gun butts.

They were beehives. The soldiers fled.

Six Hurt In Train
Wreck In Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, Mar. 28. (AP)—Six persons were injured in a collision early today of a Rock Island passenger train and a freight train, one mile west of Banner, a small station between Oklahoma City and El Reno. The passenger train remained on the track but 20 freight cars were thrown into a ditch. Blame for the accident has not been fixed. The injured included M. L. Toller, Wheeler, Texas, cut about head and face.

Good Will Aviators
Hop Off To Island

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana, Mar. 28. (AP)—The Pan-American Good Will fliers of the United States army left the mainland of South America today, taking off at 10:40 a. m. for the island of Trinidad.

After reaching Trinidad, the aviators intend to return to the mainland for a visit to Caracas, capital of Venezuela, later flying again to Trinidad.

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She Couldn't Stay
Married Very Long

Katrina Van Rensselaer, Washington society girl, wedded 12 days, asked a capital court to annul her marriage to Gustavo de Medina, Spanish embassy employee. She charges coercion, fraudulent promises, and says she was in a "highly nervous and excited state." She charged, too, that Medina, who has gone back to Spain, already had a wife.

FEDERALS BATTLE
MEXICAN REBELS

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, Mar. 28.—Sixty rebels were killed and 100 captured and 34 federal soldiers were killed and twenty wounded in a fierce combat at Cerro Picachos, state of Jalisco, last week. It is reported in dispatches from Arrandias. The accounts say that 700 strongly fortified insurgents fought 3,000 federal troops until their ammunition was exhausted. Then the rebels of the rebels were rushed and they were dispersed.

In a clash between two Agrarians factions at Santiago Village, state of Hidalgo, Saturday, three were killed and 25 wounded. The disturbance developed during an investigation into the affairs of Francisco Garcia, chief of the local Agrarian committee, by representatives of the national Agrarian commission.

Cock Fight Raided
Near Wichita Falls

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Mar. 28. (AP)—Two men from Wise county had paid fines and costs aggregating \$24.70 Monday and six others were said by officials of the county to have intended to enter similar pleas as a sequel to a sheriff's raid Sunday which is alleged to have interrupted a series of cock fights for which a crowd of approximately 500 persons had assembled at a spot about 15 miles west of Wichita Falls.

More than one hundred automobiles were parked within a short radius which centered about a cock fighting arena. Scattered about the spot, officers said, were cages containing at least 75 game fighting cocks.

McWhorter's Auto
Found; It's Unhurt

The Hudson coach, property of Owen W. McWhorter, which was stolen Friday night in front of the residence of Carl Roberts, Jr., on Ninth street, was yesterday discovered abandoned at the Wadsworth community, eight miles south of the city, it was stated today.

The car, without any gasoline in its tank, was found to be unhurt. It has been returned to its owner.

LUCY ENTERTAINS TONIGHT
Thomas Blumore Lucy, "globe-trotting post-humorous" known as the man with forty faces was greeted with an audience of more than 500 school children in his special matinee given at the high school this afternoon. He will repeat with a program at the high school tonight beginning at 8 o'clock. The proceeds of the entertainment are to go to pay high school students way to the classical tournament which is held in Amarillo.

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U. S. SAILORS, WHO BRAVED CHINESE GUNFIRE
TO PROTECT REFUGEES, PRAISED IN ENGLANDOFFICIALS ARE
ARRANGING TWO
COURT DOCKETSTRANSFERS TO BE MADE
AS NEW COURT OPENS
TERM ON MONDAY

Court records and dockets are being brought into shape in the district clerk's office here preparatory to the opening of the regular April term of court in the 72nd and 99th districts next Monday, with 103 cases having been transferred from the 72nd district to the new 72nd, which will hold its initial term beginning April 4.

The new court will begin its grind on criminal matters in the room formerly occupied by the county court, and the grand jury for the term will be empaneled by this court. Of the 103 cases transferred from the 72nd, 31 are appearance cases, 43 non-jury civil cases, six are jury civil cases, and 23 are on the criminal docket.

Park Case Up Again
The jury civil docket includes the case of M. C. Overton Vs. Hudson and Price and the City of Lubbock, involving the title to two tracts of city property, one in the southwest part of the city and the other in the northwest, consisting of one block each.

The 23 criminal cases transferred include eight charging embezzlement, and one charging forgery; eleven cases charging violation of the prohibition laws, one charging theft of over \$50; one charging rape, and one case, involving two individuals, charging operation of a gaming house.

The new court will be presided over by Judge Mark M. Mulligan, who was transferred from the bench of the 72nd district, and Judge Homer L. Phares will preside over the 72nd district.

Littlefield Scouts
Have Cleanup Drive

The Boy Scouts of Littlefield, county seat of Lamb county, working in cooperation with city officials and the Chamber of Commerce, gathered up approximately 50,000 tin cans and other similar rubbish from the business and resident sections of Littlefield in a cleanup drive Saturday, according to C. E. Gullin, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce there, who was here today.

Prizes were posted for a certain number of cans picked up and piled by the scouts. Mr. Gullin said, and the collection was piled in the main street of the town to be hauled away by city wagons.

Ford Lawyers Move
To Block A. Sapiro

DETROIT, Mich., Mar. 28. (AP)—Counsel for Henry Ford moved today to prevent Aaron Sapiro from amending his declaration of 141 separate libels in his \$1,000,000 libel suit against the automobile manufacturer. Sapiro last Thursday sought to eliminate 54 of the allegations and changed the phraseology of one other.

The jury was excused at the opening of court today and legal arguments begun. The court later took the motion to refuse amendment under advisement, stating he would announce a decision at 2 p. m.

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Chamberlain Tells
Parliament Story

(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, Mar. 28. (AP)—Tribute to the two American blue jackets who signalled the American and British warships to start firing on the Cantonese at Nanking, thus saving the foreign refugees on Society Hill, was paid by the British foreign secretary, Sir Austen Chamberlain, today in the House of Commons.

(The men were Henry O. Warren, quartermaster third class, of Olin, N. C., and Denzie B. Taylor, of Lincoln, Calif., both attached to the destroyer William B. Preston.)

Addressing a hushed house, the foreign secretary said:

"They Saved Lives"

"I have not the least doubt that this timely communication with the warships, and their timely action alone saved the lives of the British and Americans who took refuge on the hill."

Throughout the Cantonese attack on Americans and other foreigners who had taken refuge in a building of the Standard Oil company plant on Society Hill, these two men of the destroyer William B. Preston stood on a balcony and kept up a steady exchange of signals with the warships. They stuck to their posts despite a steady rain of Chinese shells and under orders of Consul Davis, flashed the word by flag and rocket for the warships to "begin firing." They remained until after the beleaguered party had escaped.

STOCKS SHOW BIG
GAIN IN GOTHAM

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Mar. 28.—Common stock of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, General Motors corporation and the United States Steel corporation, three of the country's largest industrial organizations, touched new high records today on the New York stock exchange. United States Steel common sold at 165 7/8, the highest price ever recorded; American Telephone and Telegraph was quoted at 161, the highest price since 1903, and General Motors climbed to 182, a new peak price for the present stock.

The highest price in years also were recorded by a flock of other high grade railroad and industrial issues, including Baltimore and Ohio, Delaware and Hudson, Commercial Solvents, B. Dupont and National Biscuits.

In the absence of any specific news departments, the buying movement was regarded as a further response to Secretary Mellon's optimistic forecast on business and credit conditions on the eve of his departure for Europe last week.

Two Boys Questioned
In Damaging School

Two boys, whose names are being withheld, are in the custody of county officials today for questioning in connection with depredations made recently on the northeast ward public school building about three miles from here. The boys live in the vicinity of the building, officials said.

Workmen are now finishing up repairs on the building, including replacing 150 window lights that were broken out, apparently with rocks. Other arrests, in connection with the case are expected to be made, L. A. Howard, county attorney said today.

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GOVERNOR ASKS
FOR ADVICE ON
CHANGE IN LAWFEARS FOR VALIDITY OF
MANSLAUGHTER ACT;
WRITES POLLARD

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Mar. 28.—Questions as to the validity and practicability of a bill passed by the fourth legislature, eliminating the offense of manslaughter were raised by Governor Dan Moody in a letter today to Attorney General Claude Pollard.

The bill was recommended by Moody and was an administration measure.

Fears Old Cases
Moody expressed fear that the bill, which he has not signed, in its present form would affect pending and untried indictments for murder because of the substitution of a new definition for murder and change of penalty in the absence of a provision in the bill for the survival of such cases.

The bill, he added, could not become a law prior to 90 days after adjournment of the legislature. Under the present law, a person indicted for murder, and convicted of manslaughter, could secure a murder acquittal if the court of criminal appeals should reverse the conviction, Moody said.

Moody asked whether a special session before the manslaughter bill becomes law could enact a statute providing for a survival of such cases.

Acts On Bills

AUSTIN, Mar. 28. (AP)—Sixty-five bills were acted on by Governor Dan Moody over the week-end including one concerning the state penitentiary system.

The governor expects to give out the entire list of bills acted on late today.

License Bill Signed

AUSTIN, Mar. 28. (AP)—The automobile license fee bill, companion of the new gasoline tax measure, was among bills signed by Governor Dan Moody over the week-end. It was learned today, although an official list of the measures will not be given out until the governor prepares statements in connection with some of them.

The fee bill gives counties 34 per cent of the car weight fees and all of the horse power tax.

Pampa Men Inspect
City Fire Equipment

City officials and one or two interested citizens of Pampa, were here Sunday with members of the Lubbock fire department, and witnessed under regulations of the underwriters' association of the pumping capacity of the American La France equipment in the local department. The equipment more than measured up to requirements, W. E. Taitty, fire chief, said today.

Those here from Pampa were: Ike Lewis, city commissioner; Ben White, fire chief, and O. E. Stephens and M. Clements, Pampa citizens. Truck No. 3, of the department here, which carries hook and ladder equipment from the lake in the county park was pumped through the lines. Pampa is planning to purchase fire fighting equipment, and these here from them showed much interest in the test.

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BABY RETURNED AS KIDNAPERS RECEIVE RANSOM
\$3,333.33 PAID BY CHATTANOOGA FATHER AND CHILD DELIVERED UNHARMED

(By The Associated Press)
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Mar. 28.—Little Virginia Josephine Frazier, 2-year old daughter of Acting Mayor and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier, held by kidnapers for four days was left on the front porch of a minister's home last night, dirty and only partially clothed, but apparently unhurt. Mrs. Frazier had paid a ransom of \$3,333.33 earlier in the evening. Mrs. John Venable, wife of the pastor of the First Presbyterian church, found the baby when she answered the door.

bell. Her husband immediately communicated with Mr. and Mrs. Frazier, a physician and the police, and the reunion was quickly effected.

A drug the kidnapers administered to the baby in small quantities caused drowsiness but in a few hours the effect had worn off. A physician said there was nothing to fear.

The Fraziers were out of the city last Wednesday when the baby disappeared. A nurse maid, who watched over a six year old son in

a room adjoining the baby's sleeping place, observed early Thursday that the child had not called for her brother. She peeped into the room and saw an empty crib; only the baby's shoes and a few little garments were there.

Every policeman in the city, private detectives and many citizens, began an organized search to no avail.

Not until the baby was found did the parents make known the

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Billion. In Gems Is
Merely Dirt To Him

A billion dollars worth of diamonds and gold is merely so much dirt to Major Alexander Wilcox. The major arriving recently in Los Angeles for his first glimpse of America, has supervised the extraction of a billion dollars worth of gems and precious metal from the South African mines.

SEARCH FOR BANK
ROBBERS HALTS

(By Associated Press)
ABILENE, Mar. 28.—A posse of more than 1,000 men abandoned its search last night for two bandits who at noon Saturday robbed the First State bank of Abilene, a county of \$3,880 and sped away in a high-powered automobile.

Officers quietly continued searching the mountainous country southeast of Abilene and the car in which the men escaped was found early Sunday morning. Ranger Captain Tom Hickman arrived here this morning to take charge of the search.

The two men were seen at midnight Saturday by two boys as their car became stuck in a mud hole. The youths notified officers who arrived fifteen minutes later. The car had been abandoned. Investigation revealed that it had been stolen Friday night in Lampasas.

Waggoner Bodies In
Morgue At Ft. Worth

FORT WORTH, Mar. 28. (AP)—The bodies of Guy L. Waggoner, Jr., and his young wife, killed when their automobile overturned near Douglas, Arizona, last Thursday, were here today, being held in an undertaking establishment while Guy Waggoner, Sr., returns from the Atlantic coast. At the time of their deaths, the young couple were enroute to their home here following their marriage at Hollywood six days before.

Waggoner, Sr., and his wife were returning from a Mediterranean cruise and were in mid-Atlantic when informed of the accident by wireless.

Clark Smith Car Is
Recovered By Ford

A Chrysler sedan, belonging to G. Clark Smith, was found by Vernice L. Ford, county officer, yesterday afternoon in the northwest part of town, after it had been stolen here by Mr. Smith was attending a picture show Saturday night.

The car showed no signs of damage, but the shortage of gasoline indicates that some one other than Mr. Smith has had a pleasure ride.

Mexico Increases
Patrol On Border

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Mar. 28. (AP)—Reinforcements of all border patrols have been ordered by the Mexican government as a result of the termination today of the United States-Mexican smuggling treaty.

New instructions issued to all border posts by the Mexican government stress the necessity for maintaining utmost vigilance to prevent smuggling contraband including arms and ammunition from the United States.

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SOLONS ARE TO
MAKE JAUNT TO
MANY COLLEGESTO VIEW CONDITIONS AT
ALL STATE-OPERATED
INSTITUTIONS

(By The Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Mar. 28.—The house appropriations committee convened today for a month's work, figuring out how much money the state institutions and departments ought to have to run on the next two years.

Claude Tser, chairman of the committee, said organization and other preliminaries will occupy the first day or so of the commission, during which appropriate bills will be prepared for submission before the impending special session of the legislature.

To Make Estimate
Board of control estimate of funds needed for operation of the state for the next biennium total nearly \$35,000,000. That amount represents a saving of \$15,000,000 of the amount originally asked for by heads of departments and schools, some of whom will further press their claims for additional funds before the committee.

The senate finance committee is on a tour of the state educational and eleemosynary institutions, seeking information to guide action on the special session money bills. The house also has a committee of three out investigating conditions of the eleemosynary institutions.

The appropriations committee decided today to send 14 house members to visit state institutions. Leaving tonight, they will go to Fort Worth, later calling on institutions at Arlington, Denton, Lubbock, El Paso, Alpine and winding up the tour a week from tomorrow. Later they will visit east Texas institutions.

No Word Here Yet
Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of Texas Tech, told the Journal today that while he had known for some time that state officials would visit the college he has yet had no official information, containing what they will be here. He expects to receive the information in due time, he said.

Negro Confesses To
Theft; Loot Found

John D. Allen, negro, arrested last Friday night by Lubbock police on a charge of theft, confessed Sunday night to the charges and told police the location and origin of much of the loot recovered. It was said at police headquarters today. The total value had not been determined early this afternoon.

All manner of camping equipment and other articles were recovered, some of it immediately following the black's arrest and a great deal of it Sunday night and this morning, but it had not been checked up today. The negro is being transferred to county officials for prosecution. The loot taken from the negro's possession is being held at police headquarters.

Colorado Permits
Bible In Schools

DENVER Colo., Mar. 28. (AP)—Reading the Bible in public schools of the state without comment by the teachers does not conflict with the state constitution, the Colorado supreme court held today.

Children whose parents or guardians object to the reading of the Bible may absent themselves from the class room during the Bible reading, however, the court ruled in reversing a decision of a lower court.

Journal News Reel

Texas legislators to visit Tech and other state-owned institutions to view conditions first hand. Scene of Chinese peril shifts from Nanking to Shanghai. Court officials here arrange dockets for coming term of court. Moody fears validity of change in manslaughter law. Two U. S. sailors praised before House of Commons by Sir Austen Chamberlain. Baby returned to parents in Texas, nesses after successful kidnapping nets \$3,333.33. Herb Pannock, star wrong-arm, signs contract with Yankees.

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DAILY
ALMANAC

Temperatures Here:
Maximum --- 77
Minimum --- 34
Mean --- 55.5
To-night --- 55.5
To-morrow --- 55.5
Day partly cloudy, probably showers in southeast portion. Warmer to-night in north portion.

--- Texas: Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy; scattered showers.

From Every Woman's Viewpoint

By BLANCHE E. BEAN

PHONES
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Jim Bill Clark Given Party On Eighth Birthday

Because it was his eighth birthday, Jim Bill Clark was given a party Saturday afternoon by his mother, Mrs. S. Clark, 1815 8th Street. Following a number of games and an animal contest in which Kathryn Dykes won the prize, a program was given consisting of a reading by Chester Burt Hubbard, story telling by Billy Smith, a reading by Margaret Sides, a dance by John Donald Spikes and a song by Darlene Jones. Mrs. H. H. Jones assisted Mrs. Clark.

The birthday cake was served with punch. Baskets of nuts and candy were given to each child. Guests were Kathryn Dykes, Ruth Winn, Darlene Jones, Margaret Sides, Mildred and Wanda Graves, Billy Smith, Chester Burt Hubbard, John Donald Spikes, Carter Bentley, Jim Bill Clark.

Pageant To Be Given By C. E. Societies In Plainview

Members of the Intermediate Christian Endeavors of the First Christian, First Presbyterian and Cumberland Presbyterian churches are to stage a pageant at a convention of the Plainview district C. E. in Plainview the last of April. All Christian Endeavor societies of Lubbock are planning to send delegations to the meetings.

Louraine Richards Is Given Party On Birthday

Louraine Richards was given a party Saturday evening by her mother, Mrs. J. Richards, 512 Avenue R, celebrating the little girl's twelfth birthday. Games were played with Miss Lou Alice Watson assisting Mrs. Richards in entertaining. A color scheme of pink and white was used in floral decorations and in the pink and white ice cream that was served with the birthday cake. Frances McKee cut the cake and Nancy Ruth Leaverton the thimble.

Guests were Louraine Richards, Frances McKee, Hazel Lawson, Madeline Hughes, Rachel Campbell, Nancy Ruth Leaverton, Sophia Alice Hardgrave, Roberta Rayson, Priscilla Watson and Mary Elsie Parrish.

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A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter training may address the Lubbock Sanitarium.

Doris Dell Tatom Has Birthday Party

Doris Dell Tatom entertained with a party Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tatom, 2219 15th Street, in observing her eleventh birthday. Twelve little friends were invited for games, after which they were served dainty refreshments.

Brief Social Items

Mrs. J. R. Edwards and son, Aubrey, left this morning for McAlester, Okla., where they will make their home. Mr. Edwards recently purchased a department store there and has been in McAlester for several weeks. As yet they have their home on 15th Street and expect to return to Lubbock in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean and small son returned yesterday from a visit with Mrs. Bean's parents and sister in Austin and Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Bynum, of Brownfield, and Mrs. Guy Stark, of Seminole, visited during the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cobb and family. Mrs. Cobb is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bynum and the sister of Mrs. Stark.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Bean visited in Lubbock Sunday evening and attended church services there. Their daughter, Miss Alice Bean, with other members of the McMurry college quartet, was participating in a musical program at the Methodist church.

The Bowen B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church, is to have a party tomorrow night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Levy, 1611 18th Street.

The Baptist Student Union council is to attend a picnic in the canyon this evening at 5 o'clock. The regular council meeting will be held during the outing.

A group from the Senior Epworth League, of the First Methodist church, gave a program at Acuff last night. Those who were in the party were H. Y. Price, Miss Dorothy Cooper, Miss Evelyn Wilson, Ned Camp, Miss Ella Mae Lyle and Russell Hardin.

Mrs. T. F. Lokey is in Lubbock with her husband. For more than a year Mrs. Lokey and her daughters have been in Hollywood, Calif. Misses Nellie and Leora Lokey are attending Leland Stanford University in Los Angeles and Miss Dorothy Lokey is attending high school in Hollywood.

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor, of the First Christian church, is to have a party Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Watson, 1767 17th Street.

Mrs. R. B. Boren, Mrs. Will Wright and Miss Virginia Johnson of Dimmitt visited during the week-end with their sisters, Mrs. H. H. Griffith, Mrs. W. A. Clark and Mrs. S. Clark, and their families. A reunion of the families was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kittrell, Miss Mildred Buckingham and Joe Nislar visited Mr. and Mrs. Lon A. Robinson in Plainview Sunday. Mrs. Robinson was formerly Miss Nadine Young.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hodges, 2261 16th Street, are in Littlefield on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McCauley, 2903 9th Street, had as their guests during the week-end, Mrs. McCauley's brother, Dewey Guntels of Port Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. John Connor and their daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Connor, Miss Georgia Lee Boles and Mrs. W. E. Rushing visited in Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hewett and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Howard visited in Plainview Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Richards is suffering with a broken bone in one foot.

Slaton Announces Prize For Slogan

SLATON, March 28.—In order to determine a suitable slogan for advertising Slaton, the board of directors of the chamber of commerce have announced a substantial prize in cash will be given to the author of a slogan which may be accepted by the board. The contest is limited to residents of Slaton and immediate surrounding trade territory, and will close April 25, at which time, if an acceptable suggestion has been made, the winner and the winning slogan will be announced, according to A. J. Payne, chairman of the chamber of commerce publicity committee.

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Books, Caramel Pie and How

To Ruth Cross, Authoress, A Kitchen Is Recreation

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"Come out of the kitchen for recreation," is the motto of most American women today. "I go into mine for relaxation and enjoyment," says Ruth Cross, authoress, whose latest book, "The Unknown Goddess," was so well received.

Mrs. Cross is known to the world for her writing. But to her intimate friends and neighbors she is famous for her cooking. Her recipe for perfect rest, after a hard day at her desk, is to don a becoming apron, go into her colorful kitchen and mix a cake, put up some perfect fruit or plant a steak to perfection.

All home-makers. "Women are authors, artists, actresses, politicians and so on nowadays," says Miss Cross. "But they cannot get away from the fact that they all have a bit of the home-maker in them. So in some branch of the art is bound to give them satisfaction."

Last fall, her friends insisted that Miss Cross enter her specialties in the Houston, Conn. fair. She did, and walked away with more prizes than any other competitor.

Caramel Pie. Her caramel pie, proclaimed by her friends as the most delicious of all, was a first prize winner. Here's the recipe:

Caramelize one cup sugar, stir in one cup milk, beaten yolks of three eggs, one tablespoon flour. As it cooks, stir until smooth. Flavor with vanilla. Bake the crust and pour in mixture, returning to oven until it sets. Beat

Local Red Cross Busy REPORTS AID TO BABIES Being Real Samaritan

Children's cases that come through the hands of the Red Cross secretary here read like tales from storyland.

One small boy was located Saturday by Miss Mae Murfee for whom she had been hunting many months. The seven year old son of a world war victim, some money had accrued in the child's name. The government had no trace of him, other than that he and his mother had come to West Texas several years ago. After posting notices, Miss Murfee received a letter Saturday from a woman saying that she has had the boy five years and intends to keep him. The game signed was not that of the child's mother and gave no clue as to relationship.

Another boy, a 12-year-old, came into the office this morning seeking aid, and saying that his parents brought him here from Denver, Colo., during the cotton picking season and subsequently deserted him. This is not an unusual happening, according to the secretary, who said that more frequently than not, transients come here to pick cotton or seek other work and desert their children. One girl of about 15 summers was left here for three consecutive years by her parents.

WILL DILG DEAD
WASHINGTON, Mar. 28. (AP)—Will H. Dilg, founder and organizer of the Isaak Walton League of America, is dead here, after a year's illness.

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MISS EDNA WOMMACK
X-Ray and Laboratory Technician
M. S. RIGGS
Business Manager

Joyriders Are Particular THEY LIKE CLEAN CARS Little Girl Finds Out

Betty, 8-year-old daughter of C. Clark Smith, whose automobile was stolen Saturday night and later recovered, has perhaps worked out a solution to the increasing number of car thefts.

Betty was drinking soda water yesterday afternoon in a suburban grocery store, and between drinks was explaining with much gusto the incident of the theft. The car had not yet been found and Betty was hopeless of its recovery.

"The car had just been washed and polished and it looked so pretty, and now some one had to steal it. That's just the kind of car everybody wants, and 'course a thief had to pick ours out," she explained.

MISS JENNIE LEPPER DIES

BIG SPRING, March 28.—Miss Jennie B. Lepper, 22 years, died in this city at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. She is survived by her mother, father and one sister. She and her sister were managing the retail merchant's association at Midland.

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HERB PENNOCK, STAR LEFT HANDER, SIGNS YANKEE CONTRACT

HORNSBY WALLOPS HIS FIRST HOMER OF SEASON; BROOKLYN'S 'KID INFELD' LOOKING GREAT

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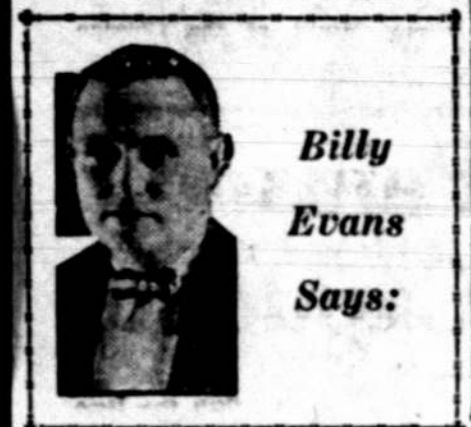
(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, March 28.—The New York Yankees gathered stray socks and shies Monday in camp at St. Petersburg, preparatory to setting forth Wednesday on an exhibition tour toward the north.

Herb Pennock was in camp, the last of the holdouts to come to terms. It is believed he got almost all of the \$25,000 he demanded a year and a two-term contract.

The Washington Senators found Kent Greenfield, young New York Giant pitcher a great help in piling up a 3 to 4 victory Sunday. The Senators got 9 hits off his delivery in 2-3 innings. Greenfield, however, hit his first home run of the season.

Critics who could see nothing useful in Wilbert Robinson's kid infield at Clearwater early in the training season are beginning now to congratulate the Brooklyn pilot on his budding stars. Partridge and Barrett are playing fine half at second and third respectively and Babe Herman, first baseman, is whanging the ball to distant places.

Cubs Break Camp
Six out of nine games is the record of the Chicago Cubs against the Southern California Coast League, as they leave their training territory bound for home and the opening day April 12. Only one player has been released.



Billy Evans Says:

How Do Veterans Look?
FT. MYERS, Fla., March 28.—In what shape are Cobb, Collins and Wheat?

Just how good a shortstop is this fellow Joe Boley?

As I hit the various American League training camps, other than the Athletics, the above questions are among the first that are fired at me by managers and players.

It is apparent that the seven other clubs in the league have a wholesome respect for the Philadelphia Athletics. It is also evident that they believe the above mentioned four players are more or less the reason.

Here is the way I found the much discussed athletes as I watched them do their stuff at Ft. Myers and in several exhibition games.

Collins in Great Shape

I was greatly surprised at the condition of Eddie Collins. He is carrying around second base like a youngster, despite his 38 years. He shows no ill effects of the leg injury that has troubled him for several years.

"I played baseball and squash during the winter in order to put my legs to every severe test," says Collins in explaining his condition.

"These two games are hard on the legs; will quickly bring out any flaws. I managed to go through the winter training without the slightest handicap."

"Connie intends to start me at second base. The way I feel now, I see no reason why I shouldn't still be there when the finish of the season rolls around."

"That is a long way off and baseball is a precarious business. However, there is Max Bishop and Jimmy Dykes, both capable of playing the base as well as I can."

Cobb Takes It Easily
Much depends upon the ability of Collins to do the job. His presence at second base is invaluable to a ball club.

True, Eddie has lost some of his speed, but he is still able to cover a lot of territory; knows the batters and how to play for them, and is a wonder at the bat.

Cobb was taking it easy when I saw the Athletics. That has always been his custom in the spring. He realizes his legs must be nursed along.

It is his intention to play regularly just as long as his legs hold up. When out in the game he figures he will be of help, ready to take his place at the bat in the pinch.

Zach Wheat surprised me as much as Collins. I had been led to believe that he had slowed up terribly. That's a lot of hokum. Wheat is still fast and can hit as well as ever.

Boley Is Big Leaguer

About Shortstop Joe Boley, I would say that he should have been in the majors about five years ago. Probably would have been if Jack Dunn would have picked him.

Boley may never be a great hitter, but then again he has a chance. As a fielder he is most impressive, a finished performer. He is going to make a great running mate for Eddie Collins.

Boley is not only brilliant but steady, which means much for a shortstop. He is going to step right into the line, and it strikes me no one is going to get him out of it for some time. Boley is a sure enough big leaguer.

Boy Mayor



DEVORE ANDREWS

A failure as a big leaguer, a success in politics! Such is the story of Devore Andrews, 25-year-old mayor of Greenville, S. C., the youngest city in that state. He, likewise, is the youngest mayor Andrews once served to fill a role as mayor for Connie Mack. When he failed, he took up politics in his home town.

Max West, an outfielder, has been returned to Waco.

The Philadelphia Nationals have two more days of training at Bradenton.

C'Farrell's Pitchers Ready
Manager Leo C'Farrell of the St. Louis Cardinals says he has three starting pitchers lined up—Grover Cleveland Alexander, Jess Haines and Bill Sherdel. He is grooming Jimmy Ring for another. The pitching and infolding staffs, he said, are satisfactory and there will be a terrific batting punch recently developed should bring the world's champions into the arena with every chance for a successful season.

The St. Louis Browns spoiled a clean record against the Cincinnati Reds Sunday by dropping a game 4 to 3 in reference to the excellent pitching of Nehf and Donohue.

Manager George Moriarty of the Detroit Tigers, who had planned to farm out George Redfern to the Toronto Leafs for another year's seasoning, is now considering a proposal to send the former Southern League player to the Fort Worth club of the Texas League.

The Cincinnati Nationals will play the first of a series of two games with the Baltimore Orioles at West Palm Beach Monday.

Indians Coming Slowly
Reports from the Lakeland training camp of the Cleveland Indians indicate that the Tribe is rounding into form after a rather disappointing early showing. They are set to show their stuff Tuesday when they go up against the New York Giants at St. Augustine.

The Pittsburgh Pirates are on their way to San Antonio after having defeated the San Francisco Mission Bells 4 to 1 and the Seals 7 to 3 in two Sunday games. On Wednesday they play Thursday at San Antonio the Buccaneers play the Detroit Tigers and later take on five league teams at Houston: Beaumont, Waco, Fort Worth and Dallas.

On the Blue, third sacker for the Washington Senators has been shifted temporarily to shortstop by Manager Bucky Harris, who declared in making the announcement he wouldn't be able to win a pennant with Bluege "in any other position."

In ability of other players to give satisfactory results on double plays, between first and second prompted the change, the manager said. Myer is slated to take up the work at the hot corner.

Texas Booster Train
Endorsed At Dallas

DALLAS, Mar. 28 (AP)—The plan to send a special train as far as New England, to display the resources of Texas, proposed by the Texas Daily Press League, was endorsed enthusiastically today at a statewide meeting. The plan is to call the train "The All-Texas Special."

Lowry Martin of the Corsicana Sun was elected president of the committee to work out details of the plan. A committee composed of J. L. Grob, Denison; Wilbur C. Hawk, Amarillo; and Roy Christian, from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was appointed to submit nominations for the board of directors. Business and industrial interests, Chambers of Commerce, and newspapers will be invited to take part in the trip.

DePinedo Expected
At Havana Tonight

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, Mar. 28 (AP)—Commander De Pinedo left here at 6:40 a. m., continuing his four continent flight. The Italian aviator expects to reach Havana, this afternoon. He reached here yesterday from Island of Guadeloupe.

He Arrives There
HAVANA, Cuba, Mar. 28 (AP)—Commander Francisco de Pinedo, Italian aviator, arrived here at 1:42 o'clock this afternoon from Port-Au-Prince, Haiti.

England is attempting to introduce the Douglas pine. It reaches a height of 250 feet in this country, more than twice the height of any tree in England's forests.

Texas Mother Takes
Plane To Son's Bed

SAN ANTONIO, Mar. 28 (AP)—Facing a flight through dark skies, Mrs. J. B. Morrison chartered an airplane piloted by W. C. Maus, late Sunday and rose in the air for the first time in her life to speed to the bedside of her son, Luther, who is reported at the point of death in Berger.

No word from the plane, which took off a short time before sunset, had been received in San Antonio Monday. Maus is one of the most able pilots at a commercial field here.

BANTAM CROWN IS STILL MINUS OFFICIAL OWNER

TAYLOR AND CAZONERI TO MIX IT AGAIN AFTER FIGHTING DRAW

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Mar. 28.—The mythical bantamweight boxing crown and the \$4,000 welterweight championship belt both are still homeless today.

Bud Taylor and Tony Cazoneri failed to establish their undisputed claim to the helms in ten sparkling rounds Saturday night. The two judges and referee Joy J. Jankowski decided that their heads were bloody but unbroken, and only a handful of Taylor partisans booted the draw decision.

Plans for a second meeting at an outdoor spot here were begun today by Promoter Jim Molloy, who furnished the diamond-studded belt.

Taylor forced the fighting down the start and seemed to have the situation well in hand at the end of the ninth round. The chunky little New York Italian, however, put on a tough inning battle that undoubtedly influenced the judges' decision in favor of a draw.

High School Cage
Tourney Is Begun

CHICAGO, Mar. 28 (AP)—Pairings for the opening round of the national high school basketball tournament starting at the University of Chicago at 10 a. m. tomorrow include:

4 p. m.—Dwight, Okla., vs. Morton High, Cicero, Ill.
At 12 p. m. Wednesday, Athens, Texas, will meet Eau Claire, Wis.

Two Day Dog Race
Meet In City Soon

Between 50 and 75 greyhounds and whippets are to be marshalled in Lubbock throughout this week, preparatory to a two day dog racing meet, which will be held here next week, E. E. Wofford, promoter, said today.

The race will be run on Sunday and Monday, April 3 and 4, at Merrill park, Mr. Wofford says. Dogs from Kansas, Oklahoma and other parts of Texas will compete for prizes, he announced.

Four Ex-Managers
Help Connie Mack

By NEA Service
FT. MYERS, Fla., Mar. 28.—Connie Mack will not lack for wise counsel this season when he calls a meeting of his board of strategy.

A perusal of the roster of the Philadelphia Athletics reveals the very interesting information that five men have piloted major league balls clubs are numbered in the list.

Leading off is Connie Mack, who has directed the destinies of the American League in Philadelphia since Ben Johnson launched the organization.

Then there is Ty Cobb, who for a number of years acted as boss of the Detroit Tigers with great success.

At second base will be Eddie Collins, who as manager of the Chicago White Sox, won his eighth as a leader the very day he took over the club. No one has yet been able to figure why Connors cut loose from him, unless it was money.

Kid Gleason, who is first assistant to Mack and chief coach, has managed a number of major league clubs and always made a good showing.

Last season, Wilbert Robinson, desirous of giving up active duties and retiring to the presidency of the Brooklyn club, let Zach Wheat direct it for a couple of months. However, managing had no appeal to Zach and he returned to the ranks of the players.

With five men who had managerial experience in the majors, the Athletics shouldn't lack for proper direction.

Bolshevik Society
Found In Manila

MANILA, Mar. 28 (AP)—A new secret society of pronounced bolshevik character has been organized in the Philippine Islands, says A. A. Taliba, reliable vernacular newspaper. It is called "Los Legionarios Del Pueblo."

Membership in the organization is said to run into the thousands both in Manila and the provinces, and is spreading rapidly. Another radical organization is said to be disbanding to avoid an inquiry into alleged mis-handling of funds.

Houck Freed By Jury
In Drowning Of Wife

WASHINGTON, Mar. 28 (AP)—A coroner's jury today decided that Mrs. Gladys W. Houck, wife of a former psychiatrist at St. Elizabeth's hospital here, died "by drowning in an unknown manner."

RAISES FROGS IN WELL
LAPORTE, Ind.—Eighty thousand frogs sing Edward Chambers to sleep every night. He has been a frog farmer for more than forty years, raising them until they are a year old, then marketing the legs. At first he caught them alone "singing" beds at night, but the demand became so great that he now has his own preserve.

Promoter



MRS. TOM LAW

The Jack Curley of Wichita, Kas., wrestling—that's how wrestling fans hail Mrs. Tom Law, who has managed successfully several mat shows. She became interested in promoting bouts when her husband, a promoter, was called out of town while in the midst of negotiations for a big match. Now it's her regular profession.

Landis And Dupuy
To Talk Contract

SAN ANTONIO, Mar. 28 (AP)—Baseball Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis arrived here today to hold a hearing in the row between the Gulf Coast league owners and H. A. Dupuy, president of the league. Dupuy has refused to vacate his office, insisting that he holds a contract that can not be broken. The hearing will be held tomorrow.

Eight Women Left
In Links Tourney

PINEHURST, N. C., Mar. 28 (AP)—Eight survivors of 100 more than 100 entrants in the annual north and south women's golf tournament were muddled today in the last elimination rounds for the semi-finals tomorrow.

With the dwindling of the field to this limited number, interest in who will become the new champion has increased materially as Miss Louise Fordyce of Youngstown, Ohio, the playing champion, has been eliminated.

Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, R. I., who Miss Fordyce defeated a year ago, is one of the eight remaining contestants.

Three Trustees To Be Chosen
In Election To Be Held Here Saturday

Three trustees to serve on the board of seven for the Lubbock Independent school district will be elected next Saturday, April 2, it was announced Monday at the office of A. C. Jackson, tax collector and business manager of the board.

The terms of office of R. Pierce, S. C. Wilson and E. L. Robertson expire this year, and the latter two have agreed to succeed themselves if re-elected. R. F. Bayless, local agent of the Santa Fe railroad company, after much persuasion on the part of friends of the school system has agreed to accept the third trusteeship if elected, it was announced. Mr. Pierce is retiring from the board due partly to ill health.

Ballois for the election are being printed today. The election will be held in the police court room of the city hall, with R. T. Penney, J. B. Hearrell, and P. C. McCoy as election judges. School authorities have issued a plea that citizens of the district remember the date of the election and vote.

Other members of the board are J. T. Hutchinson, C. E. Maedgen, W. B. Atkins, and Neil H. Wright.

Fear Indian Heiress
Kidnaped From Home

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Mar. 28 (AP)—Millie Neharkey, Creek Indian girl, whose \$400,000 estate is tied up in litigation, has disappeared from her home here, authorities announced today.

A kidnaping plot is feared.

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GOLF STARS TO SHOOT OFF TIE

Runners-Up In Atlanta Meet To Clash For Big Share Of Second Money

(By Associated Press)
ATLANTA, Ga., Mar. 28.—Two professional golfers from New Jersey, Johnny Farrell of Quaker Ridge, and John Golden of Paterson, meet in an 18 hole match today and there is a possibility that a dubbed shot may cost one of them \$2,350.

The two Johns led the money players in the Southern open tournament, finishing Saturday with 289 for the 72 holes—just eight strokes back of Bobby Jones who galloped home with the title.

Tournament officials met the pair in the East Lake club house with an offer to decide first and second money, \$4,000 and \$1,750, between them, but they preferred to shoot it out at 2 o'clock today.

BEST FAST BALL
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Mar. 28.—Larry Benton, pitching ace of the Boston Braves, has the best fast ball in the National League, if you are willing to take the word of his teammates. "Benton is fast news when he has control of his fast one"—is the way Manager Bancroft puts it.

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AFTER the luncheon recess, Churchill bombarded Mary Kearney with questions concerning Cherry's costume.

"Describe Miss Cherry's hat, Mary. What kind of ornament did it have on it?"

"It was brown velvet, like I said. It didn't have no ornament on it. Yes, it did; a—rhinestone buckle, seems like," Mary Kearney asserted defiantly but uncertainly.

"You're sure of that—a rhinestone buckle?" Churchill persisted.

Faith could have laughed aloud with relief, for the little velvet hat was trimmed only with a saucy little fancy of rhinestone feathers.

"All right, now, Mary," Churchill grinned maddeningly into the face of the witness, "you're a very keen observer, aren't you, Mary? Just describe those gloves that Miss Cherry was wearing. You got two good looks at them, you say, first when Miss Cherry entered the downstairs hall, and later when you saw her pounding Mr. Cluny on the chest, trying to get out of his clutches."

"They were brown kid gloves, with brown and tan cuffs, long cuffs, stitched with brown," Mary answered defiantly.

"You sure of that, Mary?" Churchill grinned, for one of the defense's exhibits would be those same gloves, short, cuffless, brown kid gloves, stitched with darker brown across the knuckles.

After a few more questions which showed with great clearness that Mary really remembered very little about Cherry's costume, Churchill switched suddenly to a new line of cross-examination:

"You have testified that you went back to Mr. Cluny's bedroom after Mr. Hathaway had rushed out of the house, after he had discovered the body. Why did you do that, Mary? Not scared of being alone with a dead man were you?"

"Yes, sir, I was scared," Mary whimpered, "but Mr. Hathaway had left the door open and the cold air was blowing in from the open window in Mr. Cluny's bedroom. I was afraid the snow would drift in on the rug and Mr. Cluny was always terribly particular about his rugs and things."

"So you closed the window, Mary?" Churchill shot the words at her swiftly.

"Yes, sir," Mary nodded.

"Did you leave the room immediately, Mary?" Churchill thrust his face almost against her as he shot the question at her.

"Yes, sir," Mary stammered, but her eyes widened with fright.

"You didn't stop at the dresser and pick up a diamond engagement ring lying there, did you?" Churchill's voice thundered on over the roar of objections which Banning was shouting frantically.

Suddenly through the clamor of legal bickering, Mary Kearney burst into loud weeping, fumbled in her handbag, drew out something and flung it upon the floor.

"There's the old ring," she sobbed, while Banning's face turned toward her momentary, too late, from into a mask of horror.

"I never did have a diamond ring and—and I was engaged and I wanted my girl friends to think my boy friend had given it to me, but I didn't dare to wear it. I didn't dare. Oh, I wish I'd never been born!"

"That's all, Mary," Churchill shouted gleefully, as pandemonium broke out in the courtroom.

Reporters signalled frantically for Western Union boys, Cherry's sister, father and brother reached out their arms toward her, and Bob Hathaway shamelessly embraced Faith before the entire courtroom.

Don't Let Quack Doctors Try To Remove Your Wrinkles

FRECKLES are deposits of pigment in the skin.

Some persons have more sensitive skin to light than do others and respond by the deposit of more pigment. Most of the pigment is in the outer layers of the skin, but some of it may be in the deeper parts.

Experts have been unable to find any method for peeling off layers of the skin sufficiently deep to remove freckles without at the same time removing a good deal of the patient's outer covering. The methods of skin peeling that involve the use of caustic solutions are unsafe for the patient to use himself and few physicians care to try them.

The only way to get rid of freckles is to stay out of the sun and to give the blood a chance to pick up the pigment. If the person who tends to freckle easily must go into the sunlight, she should wear a sunbonnet or carry a sunshade.

Wrinkles on the face usually appear in those who have been somewhat stout and fleshy and who begin to lose weight. In younger persons, the habit of frowning frequently or of squinting the eyes may gradually result in the formation of wrinkles between the eyes and about them.

All sorts of methods have been tried by a few doctors to remedy the appearance of wrinkles. Strips of skin are cut at some distance from the wrinkles so that when the edges are brought together and stitched the skin is stretched. The wrinkles may thus be smoothed out temporarily, but if the skin has not elasticity the wrinkles will return. Sometimes serious scars result which are worse than the wrinkles.

Reputable surgeons are not inclined to advise this operation. There is nothing to smear on the face or to apply to the wrinkles that will cause their disappearance. Young persons may help to fill the wrinkles out by putting on flesh, but when the flesh disappears the wrinkles return. The person who breaks out with a rash on the face or on the skin elsewhere or who suffers with unusual itching of the skin or irritation should not attempt to treat such conditions with remedies of unknown composition. The remedy may be more dangerous than the symptom.

Furthermore, the breaking out of any sort of eruption is just as likely to be an indication of general disturbance of the body as it is of an irritation of the skin alone. The appearance of any kind of eruption should be an indication for consultation with expert advice as to its cause.

Moles, warts or growths on the skin are easily controlled, but are best left alone, unless the removal is to be done by someone especially competent. Repeated irritations may bring about serious secondary growths.

As A Woman Sees It

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

SOCIAL LAW SAFEGUARDS THE HOME

WE have several kinds of law. If it were not for the law that protects our land, anyone could walk over our lawns, pick our flowers, and break our hedges. If it were not for the law that protects our homes, anyone could cut his name on our front doors, camp in our halls, and eat our food.

Our money is protected by law, and woe to the offender who takes it from us without fair exchange.

Every possession that we have comes under the protection of one law or another, even unto wives and husbands.

There can be no group-living nor community-living in a civilized land unless these laws are obeyed. Laws are not made for our discomfort. They are made to render life safe and possible—and happy. The vandal is always ready and waiting to take that which is not his.

Social law is the law that protects home life. Social law is behind all federal and state law. It is the thing that keeps the vandal out of the home.

The minute a man and woman enter into marriage, the law throws its protecting mantle over them. And the law says to the world regardless of sex or relation, "Hands off!"

It says to the disappointed lover who is inconsolable over the loss of his sweetheart, "Keep away!" And he must keep away, for on what he does and not what the law says, alone, depends the fabric of our whole social system.

And the woman who is in love with a man who marries another woman must also keep away. She must let him alone. Hers may be the heartbreak, but she must bear it. The wife has a right to her husband by every law of God and man.

I have known homes where all sorts of misery and trouble were started by this unwillingness of young men and young women to "give up" their former sweethearts when they married.

END EACH DAY WITH A SMILE—READ THE DAILY JOURNAL'S PAGE OF COMICS

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He Sure Is One

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Speak Up, Pop

By Taylor



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Then The Fun Started!

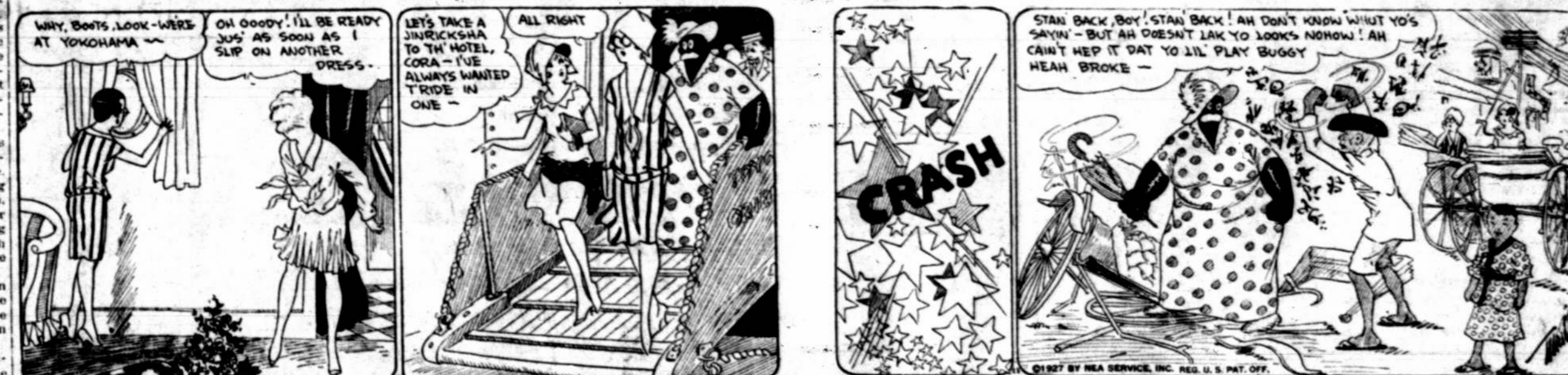
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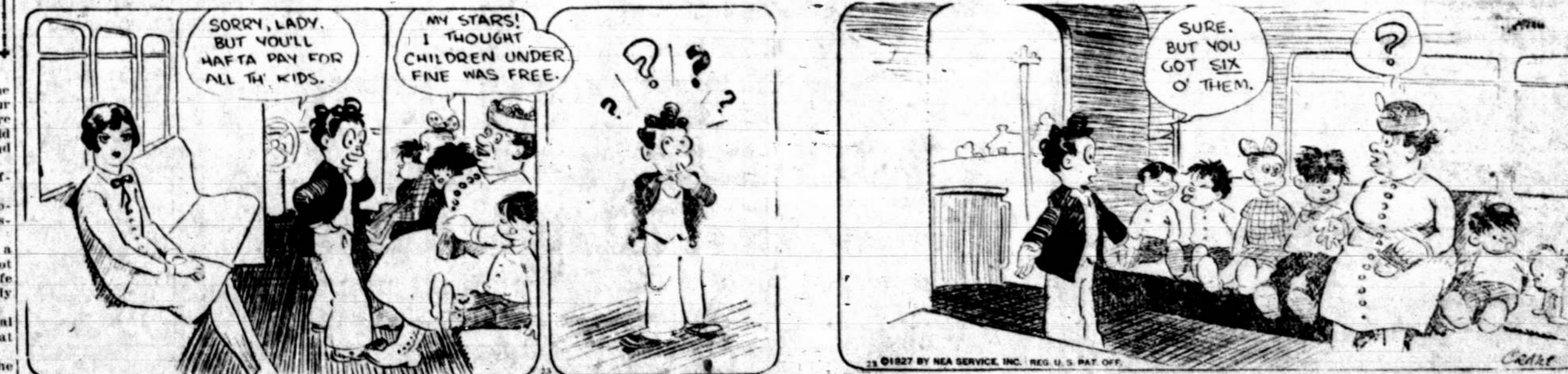
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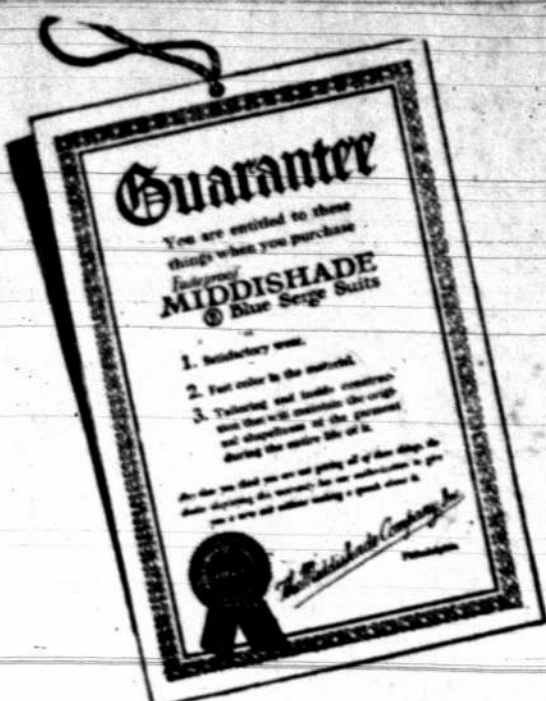
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U. S. May Make Official Statement On Recent Diplomacy With Mexican Heads

'MYSTERY NOTES' MIGHT BE AIDED BY THIS GOVERNMENT

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Mar. 28.—Recurring and varied stories of the contents of the "mystery notes" recently exchanged between the American and Mexican governments had led the state department to intimate that a formal statement on the situation might be made soon.

Unusual secrecy has surrounded the exchange and no authoritative explanation has ever been made. In intimating that a statement might be issued, Secretary Kellogg declined today to comment "for the present" on a story in the New York Times which said that the American note was sent for the purpose of satisfying President Calles that communications purporting to come from the American government were forgeries put into his hands by some agency desiring to bring about a break between the United States and Mexico.

Much Care Exercised
The utmost care has been exercised by the state department to prevent the dissemination of confidential information regarding the nation's foreign affairs. One subordinate official was dropped from the service several weeks ago on suspicion that he might have divulged such information. It also has been understood that on one occasion a special detail of government detectives were on night duty at the department, although the purpose of their watch has never been made known.

Ambassador Teller is understood to have brought a personal message from President Calles to President Coolidge on his return recently from a hurried visit to Mexico City. The

KIDNAPED BABY

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Friday afternoon the Fraziers received a special delivery letter.

"We have your baby," it said. "It will take \$1323.33. She is all right but last night was cold. We don't know what will happen this cold weather. Be ready with the money when we call you. This is not my writing so you needn't try to trace me."

Parents Are Anxious
Worn by anxiety to the point of breaking, the parents decided to take the writer at his word, fearing that an effort to apprehend the abductors would result in tragedy. Mr. Frazier obtained the money and waited in his office for the next move. It was soon made. A police sergeant brought a letter delivered to him by a Western Union messenger, who in turn had received it from a negro boy with the instructions: "Take it to Mrs. Frazier. She'll pay the charges when you get there. I'm in a hurry."

The letter demanded that the ransom be handed to a negro boy who would be found at a designated place holding a brown handle. "Tell him to give it to Frank. He thinks that's my name," the letter said.

Thirty minutes later Frazier delivered the money to the negro with a bundle containing the letters received from the abductors, which had been requested.

In a few minutes the Rev. Mr. Venable called and the Frazier family were

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Fine knit Mercerized Unions in sizes from 34 to 46. Wide bottom, well made, special for four days only.

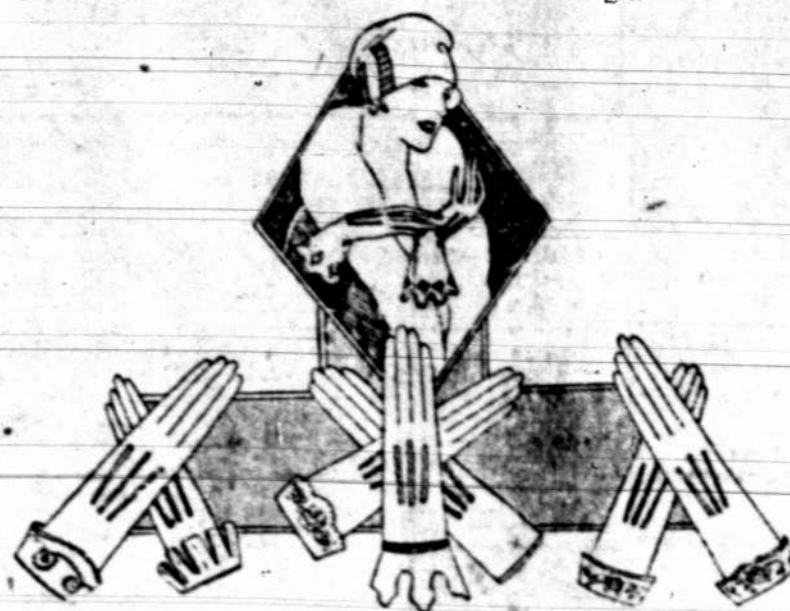
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Month End Specials

Extra Specials For The 3 Last Days of March, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thurs.

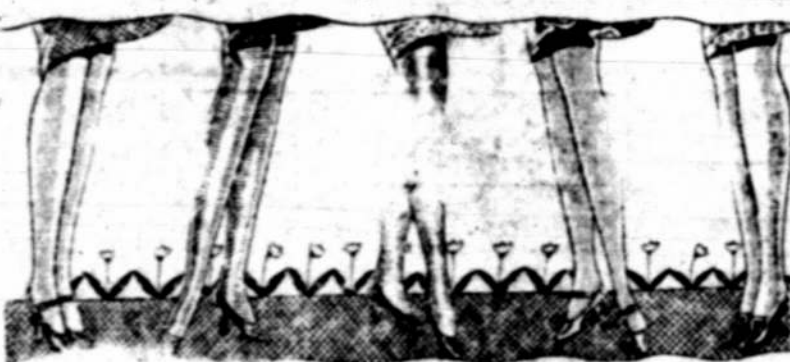
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Thread, White and Black, all sizes from 8 to 100. 7 spools for **25c**

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Regular 25c box of Bayer Asparin tablets, special for 4 days. **15c**



New Spring Gloves \$2.89

We have just received several new shipments of beautiful quality Kid Gloves with fancy embroidered cuffs. Some are embroidered with beads. They are here in a big range of pretty light shades of tan, beige, light grey, brown, etc. These are regular \$3.50 values; special for four days only **\$2.89**



Hosiery Special \$1.69

Beautiful quality chiffon and service weight, all-silk to the top, full fashioned hose. Regular \$1.95 **\$1.69** sellers; special now

All the latest shades are here.

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Peter Pan and Wendover Prints in beautiful new patterns, guaranteed fast colors, extra special for four days.

Garza Pillow Cases 25c

42x36 Hemmed Garza Pillow Cases, seamless, extra cheap priced for four days.

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We have two Portable Super-Heterodyne R. C. A. Radiola 26 Six-tube sets to close out now at **\$129.50** at each

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One big lot of smaller Radios at Big Bargains.

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Edison slightly used in oak finish, in perfect condition **\$89.50** special now

Mahogany Columbia Electric Phonograph, regular \$150.00 **\$98.50** machine; special now

Brunswick Console Cabinet, regular \$180.00 value; special **\$98.50** now

Slightly used Victrola, oak finish cabinet in perfect condition, regular \$150.00 value now **\$79.50** at

This is only a few of the Phonographs we have to offer. There are more than 100 real values in Phonographs and if you do not have one don't miss this opportunity.

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Going at almost your own price and terms. One big lot of fine Phonographs, Victrolas, Columbias, Pathe, Edisons and numerous other makes, regular values up to \$250.00 are priced now at quick clearance prices. These are used phonographs that have been traded in on Pianos, etc. They are all guaranteed to be in first class condition mechanically.

\$9.95 to \$49.50
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Gulbrandsen Figured Mahogany Player; regular \$450.00 **\$249.50** seller, extra special

Gulbrandsen Burl Walnut Upright Piano, regular \$350.00 **\$225.00** value, extra special

Good Used Piano, excellent for a practice piano, extra **\$79.50** special now only

Special For Tuesday and Wednesday March 29 and 30 Only

This Coupon and 49 cents entitles the bearer to one bottle of **genuine L'Oripahs Narcissus Perfume**, regular \$1.25 value. No coupon accepted after this date. Limit two bottles to a customer.

Barrier Bros.
DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE

Informed their baby had been found.

City Offers Reward

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Mar. 28 (AP)—The city of Chattanooga today offered a reward of \$500 for the capture, dead or alive, of the kidnapers of two-year-old Virginia Jo Frazier, daughter of city commissioner and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier, who was stolen from her crib Wednesday night and returned to her parents last night after they had paid ransom of \$2,323.

Starting as a maid-servant Miss S. K. Knapka is now assistant minister of industry in the new socialist cabinet of Finland.

CHINESE TROUBLE

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after the Central Labor union had demanded that all barricades around the international settlement be removed and that the striking Public Utilities workers be reinstated. These demands had been ignored by the municipal council at the time his message was filed.

This increasing tension of the situation at Shanghai has caused deep concern here. The city, besides being one of the refuge for Americans and other foreigners fleeing from the interior.

Other Americans and foreigners are expected there momentarily as Admiral Williams has advised the navy department that the evacuation of ports along the Yangtze river now is progressing under protection of British and American warships.

Situation Is Threatening
Word that the admiral had landed reinforcements was regarded as indicating that he viewed the situation as most threatening, as there were already upwards of 1,500 marines on shore. That other naval commanders at Shanghai view the situation in the same light as the American admiral was apparent in their concentration of additional forces in that area.

Joint preparations also have been

made by the French and the settlement guards to meet any mob attack along the boundaries of the French concessions and the settlement.

While the widely scattered marine units along the Atlantic coast were arriving today at Philadelphia and Quantico, Va., the two concentration points, it is not expected that their trans-continental journey will begin before Wednesday. Detachments will leave direct from these two points for San Diego.

The expeditionary force will number about 1,500 enlisted men and will sail about April 4 on the transport Henderson, now rushing to San Diego from Nicaragua.

Admiral Williams at present has a

landing force of about 1,700 men. In dire emergency this probably could be slightly further increased by further drafts on the complements of his ships. About 1,000 more marines and blue jackets will be available with the arrival from Honolulu of the cruiser Richmond, Marblehead and Cincinnati April 2 or 3.

The expeditionary force will include about 100 aviators and mechanics, and the six airplanes the marines will take along have been given last minute tests before being knocked down for shipment by rail to the west coast.

Among babies during the first year of life, the death rate of boys is 19 per cent higher than that of girls.