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## COURTHOUSE DEDICATION TO DRAW GREAT CROWD

### Nineteen Wells To Be Drilled In Flatwoods Pool

#### Shallow Pay To Be Thoroughly Tested For Oil

Many Drills Will Be Started At Once and Kept Hammering Away Until Sand Is Reached.

Not within eight years has Eastland county witnessed a drilling campaign of the intensity of that now under way in the Flatwoods shallow area between Eastland and Carbon.

Nineteen wells are being started or have been started within the past few days.

Murray Bros. are to drill six test wells on the Evans tract.

Sherwood Owens will drill four wells on the C. R. Turner.

Hickey will drill four wells. Kirk & Whitesides will drill another well on the J. S. Turner.

Davis and Stiles will drill on the Craig.

Cranfill & Reynolds are to drill on the McNeal and Crabb McNeal will drill on the Byrd.

The drilling campaign in the Flatwoods pool is the outcome of the recent drilling in Kirk & Whitesides No. 1. J. S. Turner as a 60 barrel producer from a depth around 1,250 feet.

#### District Elks Will Meet At Breckenridge

BRECKENRIDGE, Tex., May 19.—Breckenridge turned its attention this week to the Elk's annual session which convenes May 23 and lasts for three days.

N. J. Nanney, secretary of the Breckenridge B. P. O. E. Lodge, and a candidate for the State Presidency this year, announced that no less than 2,000 Elks from the fifty one lodges over the state will be in Breckenridge for the three day session.

An elaborate program has been mapped out for the visitors, including the greatest racing card ever held in West Texas. Approximately 100 race horses from the best stables in the state have been entered for the three-day racing event. Prizes totaling \$1400 will be distributed, individual prizes ranging from \$150 to \$500. Racing will be each afternoon.

Golf tournaments, trap shooting, swimming, boating, fishing, dancing, bridge parties for the women visitors and several banquets are other features of the entertainment program.

Some 10 or 12 bands will be brought to the convention by the visiting lodges. The following towns have signified their intention of bringing along bands: Dallas, Fort Worth, San Angelo, Rangor, Cisco, Eastland, Wichita Falls and Plainview.

President of the Texas Elks, Charles H. Mangold, of Dallas will likely head one of the largest delegations to be here. The Dallas lodge plans to send a band, a drum corps and the Elk Chanters, male glee club.

Secretary Nanney of the Breckenridge Lodge firmly believes that the largest party to ever be staged at a convention of this kind will be held Saturday afternoon, the last day. It will be two miles long, he says. Seventy five specially decorated cars and floats have been entered, besides the many delegates and their bands.

#### Last Rites for Mrs. Winslow at 3 P. M.

The last rites for Mrs. H. W. Winslow, who died Friday morning at the City-County hospital in Ranger, will be said this afternoon at 3:00 o'clock when the body is laid to rest in the cemetery at San Saba.

Mrs. Winslow is survived by her four children, her husband having died eighteen months ago, who are Mrs. Bob Rose, Brownwood; Mrs. Ballant of Eastland; and Jack and Walker Winslow of Eastland.

Mrs. Winslow, whose relatives live at San Saba, lived in Eastland.

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#### Zeppelins' Crew Glad They Are Safe On Land

Toulon, May 18.—The crippled dirigible Graf Zeppelin lay moored in the hangar of the Cuers-Pierrefitte air port here today like a chained monster, her death minute over, her strength completely spent.

The passengers and members of the ship's crew, for whom an attempted Trans-Atlantic cruise to the United States was turned into a harrowing nightmare, were recuperating from their weird experience, nerve-shattered, but happy and thankful.

Some of them never expected to live through the ordeal. As the tempest-tossed colossus of the air rode through the skies attempercy of winds, mistrials and storms many of the passengers thought death was certain that the ship either would be dashed to the ground or be carried out to sea.

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#### Eastland Must Pay Her Share In Celebration

Eastland is to host Thursday, May 30—Memorial Day—to the citizens of the county and our friends from over the State on the occasion of the formal dedication of the County's new courthouse to the memory of the Eastland county men, who gave their services to the country in the recent World War.

It is estimated that between 20,000 and 30,000 people will be here on that day. To entertain that number of visitors will necessarily cost a considerable sum of money. Eastland, however, is not being called upon to pay all of this, but the expense is being shared by the other towns and communities of the county.

Eastland, however, will have to raise approximately \$1,000 of the amount and to do this, it was decided at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Friday night, the town is to be divided into sections and for one or more men to underwrite sections in their respective sections for contributions.

John M. Mouser, of the Prairie Oil & Gas Company in Eastland, is chairman of the finance committee and will receive and disburse all funds. The finance committee have also inaugurated a budget plan by which there will be no left over debts or obligations, everything will be paid for as the program proceeds and when the celebration is over the paying will be over.

The people throughout the county is taking a great deal of interest in the coming celebration and plan to close up all business houses in the county, with the exception of the filling stations, drug stores and cafes in Eastland, which will necessarily have to remain open to assist in accommodating the crowds.

#### Royalty Owners to Meet In Ft. Worth

The program is now being arranged for the fourth district meeting of the Mid-Continent Royalty Owners' association of as to be held at the Texas hotel, Ft. Worth, on May 24. It will deal especially with legislation as it affects land and royalty owners tariff on imported oil and taxes.

As these issues are of most importance especially at the present time, the meeting promises to be very interesting, as well as beneficial to those who attend. The meeting will be open to all and it is the purpose of the organization to have everyone who might be interested in a program of this nature present at the meeting.

The board of directors of the association will hold their regular meeting at the Texas hotel beginning at 9:30 on the same date.

#### C. F. Sheppard Has Been a K. P. 40 Years

C. F. (Uncle Charlie) Sheppard has returned from Beaumont (Marriage by proxy, stretching across several nations tomorrow, will bind in wedlock Mrs. Laurina Jackson Burns Yarborough, of San Antonio, to Manuel Escalante, Peruvian army aviator.

The marriage will be performed by a Bexar county justice of the peace, with Frederick C. Groos, San Antonio, serving as the proxy groom.

The license for the unusual wedding was issued here today, and was believed to be the first in the history of the country.

Mrs. Yarborough and Capt. Escalante met while the latter was at Kelly field last summer taking flying training at the United States army flying school. He was permitted to take his training here through a special arrangement between the United States and Peruvian governments.

In his declaration of intention, Capt. named Groos as the proxy groom, and stated that official duty prevented him from coming here for his bride. She will join him at Lima, Peru, in June, she said today.

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#### Calvin Coolidge Takes New Job



Calvin Coolidge, who has been demonstrating his ability to do many things, including writing, since he left the presidency, is shown here taking his newest job, that of member of the board of the New York Life Insurance Co. With him is Darwin P. Kingsley, president of the company. The former president's first appearance as an insurance man was confined to a brief speech to board members.

#### State Briefs

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., May 18.—Refusing the body of her son because he was shot while attempting to escape prison, the mother of Raymond Sellers wired from Ladysmith, Wis., telling authorities to dispose of the body in any way they thought best. They said the remains would be buried here.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 18.—An epidemic hit the Legislature today. Six members were excused from attendance on account of illness. The Attorney General recently ruled that absent members can draw pay only when the absence is due to illness.

SWALLOWING, Tex., May 18.—Swallowing of a small nail two weeks ago proved fatal today to Lawrence Duff, 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Duff. The lad's death followed a second operation for removal of the nail.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 18.—Gov. Moody today signed the bill prohibiting discrimination in issuance of insurance policies. It prohibits issuance of stocks or bonds in connection with insurance policies.

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#### WILL BE BIGGEST AFFAIR EVER HELD IN THE COUNTY

Eastland county will close up shop Thursday, May 30—Memorial Day—and make "whoopie" in a big celebration in honor of the Eastland county men who gave their services to the country in the World War.

On this occasion the county's new \$300,000 courthouse will be formally dedicated to the county's soldiers, thirty-two of whom paid the supreme sacrifice in the recent world conflict.

While the celebration will be held at Eastland, it is a county-wide affair, being sponsored by the Eastland county posts of the American Legion. Every town and community in the County is working to make the affair a success. The expense of the program is being borne jointly by the various towns and communities throughout the county. The general dedication committee and the score or more sub-committees are made up of citizens from the county-at-large.

Plans for the program are not fully completed and can not be for a few days yet, but they have advanced to that stage where it is known what character of entertainment will be had and a general outline of the program may be given. The schools, both independent and rural; the Boy Scouts service clubs, civic organizations, churches and all other organizations of the County may have a part in the program if they so desire and many of them are already making arrangements to be represented in the parade or on some other part of the program.

The grand parade, which will open the program, will be staged in the morning, beginning not later than 10:00 o'clock. There will be not less than a half dozen of the best band organizations in Central West Texas, the Boy Scouts, Schools and civic organizations of the various towns, the American Legion, and numerous other organizations in the parade.

On the program will be a number of speakers of state and national repute. Governor Moody has been invited to make an address, as has Judge Nelson B. Phillips of Dallas.

The program is being arranged to consummate only the entire day but will last into the evening when the visitors will have an opportunity to see Eastland county's handsome new courthouse, recognized as one of the most imposing structures of its size in the country, illuminated by the indirect, or floodlight system, it being the only courthouse in the state so lighted. There will also be a dance and other forms of amusement and entertainment at night.

The committee in charge of the affair considered a free barbecue for the celebration, but due to the short time in which to arrange the program, the uncertainties as to the number of visitors who will attend, it was decided not to attempt this. An abundance of coffee, ice water, lemonade, etc., will be provided, however, and those attending are requested to bring with them picnic lunches which may be spread on tables being arranged for the purpose.

Taking into consideration the fact that the celebration is in honor of the World War veterans, the fact that almost every civic organization in the county is participating, and the further fact that it is a county-wide celebration and the business houses of the County will be closed on that day, it is estimated that fully 25,000 people will be in Eastland to witness the program.

The finance committee handling the funds being contributed by the people with which to pay the expense of the program is headed by John M. Mouser, head of the Prairie Oil & Gas company in Texas, a man of splendid ability and unquestioned integrity. Funds contributed by the towns outside of Eastland will be turned over to the Finance committee, just as the funds contributed by Eastland business institutions and individuals will be turned into this committee.

The committee in charge of the celebration wish to call attention to the fact that the time is very short for organization work and urge every committeeman to get to work and put in every moment possible on the duties assigned him or her.

#### FLASHES

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., May 18.—Bill Williams of Rio Hondo, Tex., made final preparations today for his 26-day task of pushing a peanut up Pike's Peak with his nose. He will start in Ute Pass Monday morning.

#### Storm Damage In Vicinity Of Wichita Falls

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., May 18.—A path of collapsed buildings and uprooted trees, telephone poles and oil derricks marked the path today of a high wind which struck north and west of here late yesterday.

Property damage estimated at more than \$100,000 was the toll at Electra, Dundee, Clara, Petrolia, Buars and Burkburnett, the towns where the winds struck the hardest.

Four persons were injured, including three at Dundee and one at Clara.

William Sanders, Dundee groceryman, was seriously hurt when his store collapsed on him. Mrs. C. H. McDaniel was on the front porch of her home when it collapsed and Bill Miller was struck by flying debris.

At Clara, Miss Agnes Howard, 15, was struck by flying debris when she attempted to reach her home from the high school building during the storm's height.

The wind struck the hardest at Dundee where eight business houses and about a dozen residences were destroyed. At Electra, the heaviest loss was estimated at \$20,000 in destruction of the Dale Oil and Refining company's plant. About 60 oil derricks in the Burkburnett field were overturned. At nearby places, tank cars and box cars were blown from the track.

The school building, business houses and a baseball grandstand were wrecked at Byers. Another school building was unroofed at Clara, where shortly before the storm broke, the pupils were sent to the basement of a nearby building for protection.

Petrolia reported homes destroyed.

Heavy rain followed the wind in most places. The rain here flooded portions of the residential section.

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PASSING OF JOSEPH D. SAYERS

Above the dome of the capitol of Texas the flag of a commonwealth half-masted tells of the passing of a remarkable son of the southland who was an invincible in war and a rugged and fearless servant of the people in peace time.

Joseph D. Sayers has gone to his reward. Many mile posts were his. Many golden memories were his. Many friendships in high and humble life were his. He had been a maker of history for decades. He had been a public life for more than a half century.

He had been a gallant soldier in the long ago. He had worn the gray and followed the flag of the planter's republic until that flag had perished in the smoke of battle. He was born in Mississippi in 1841. He was ten when his father moved to Texas and became a resident of Bastrop county.

He was 19 when the tocsin of civil war sounded. He was one of the first to volunteer in defense of the Bonnie Blue flag. He bore the scars of honorable conflict won on the battle field. He fought from the beginning until the close of internecine strife.

Then he laid aside the sword and began to battle for the rehabilitation of a land made desolate by the fortunes of war. He became a lawyer. He was called to local office. He was elected to the state senate.

He was one of the gallant men who drove from capitol hill carpet beggars and renegades and their black cohorts. He was one of the dauntless sons of the southland who restored a white man's government to the sorely tried people of the Lone Star commonwealth.

He was a lieutenant governor of Texas when the gray haired men and women of the Texas of today were boys and girls.

He was elected to the American congress before Grover Cleveland had been elected president of the United States. He became one of the leaders of his party under the big dome on the banks of the Potomac.

He was one of those who declared that the sons of the southland who had lost when they appealed to the sword had returned again to the house of the fathers. He had been a follower of Samuel J. Tilden, who was elected and then counted out.

He had been a follower of Grover Cleveland and saw that great democrat elected president and counted in. He was the close friend and confidential advisor of Grover Cleveland.

He became nationally known as the "Watchdog of the National Treasury." He saw Cleveland defeated by Benjamin Harrison and four years later the return of Cleveland to the high office of president and the retirement of Harrison to the shades of private life.

He saw a democratic secretary of the navy name a mighty battleship "Texas" in honor of his adopted state and a republican secretary of war confer the name of Sam Houston on perhaps the greatest military post under American skies.

For years in congressional life, he associated with the mighty of all political parties, the giants who stood the stage of action in memor-

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able years of the history of this republic and who now sleep the sleep that comes to all men born of women.

Then he was called to the office of governor of the state he loved so well and a people whom he had served so loyally as a national lawmaker. He was governor of Texas four years. There were no scandals attached to his administration. He believed that no servant of the people could serve two masters.

He believed with the great president whom he had served faithfully at all times that "a public office is a public trust." He believed that a people the least governed are the best governed.

He believed that crime should be eradicated and that the transgressor should pay the penalty. He believed in economy in government, simplicity in government and the rule of the many and not of the few.

After his retirement from the highest office in the gift of the people of Texas he filled many places of honor and emolument. He never feathered his own nest. The lure of gold never dazzled the eye of this public servant.

He had been in harness for many many years. He was one of the old school. He believed in efficient service as well as honest service. He was as true to his clients as he was to the people who had called him to high place.

He was frugal, he was fearless, he was just and he was honest. Intellectually honest as well as having that integrity of purpose which bars those who have it from the accumulation of wealth gained by methods which are dishonest but within the law.

He was in harness at 19 as a soldier, so continued in harness all the days of his remarkable career, he died in harness as a servant of the people of Texas and when death called him it called an illustrious representative of that rugged and indomitable race of men who knew Texas as a wilderness and made it the empire state of the American republic founded by Washington.

Biology Students Doubt Frog Story

Some of the students of biology in the Eastland schools have proven—at least to their own satisfaction—that Texas horned frogs imprisoned in air-tight receptacles cannot remain alive for any considerable length of time.

On October, 16 and 11 of last year members of the class sealed two horned frogs in sandstones with glass covers. They also sealed a small horned frog in a fruit jar. The frogs were kept in a dark place and watched by the class. The two in the sandstone toombs survived 60 days and the one in the jar lived 99 days, according to those in charge of them.

Two members of the class brought the jar and the sandstones with the frogs in them, to the Telegram office Saturday morning where the seals were broken and the dead frogs removed. In each container with the frog were dates of the sealing and the names of witnesses.

The boys declared that they were not trying to fix other people's opinion, but trying to satis-

fy their own mind as to whether a frog could live under the conditions described.

Those whose names appeared on the papers taken from the frogs toombs were: Edwin Wray Gibson, Heath S. Davis, "Kivie" Wolfe, Everett Davis, Robert McGlammer, William Cheatham, Frank Laurent, Loraine Taylor, Laverne Lowe, Marshall McCullough, Robert Ferrell, Pearl Brawner, Robert Castleberry, G. W. Wilcox, Gilmore Reese, Charles Lehms, Dean Turner.

Electrocution Retained For Capital Offense

AUSTIN, Tex., May 18.—Electrocution was retained as the form of capital punishment in Texas by vote of the House of Representatives today.

An attempt to return to public hanging was voted down. Detailed discussion of the rival horrors of hanging and electrocution proceeded a vote on the bill which was offered by representative Elwin Gerron of Waxahachie.

Rep. A. P. C. Petsch of Fredericksburg secured an amendment to the bill so that even if it had passed the hanging would have been private instead of public.

Petsch declared that public hanging would result in such a sentiment against capital punishment that it would be abandoned. Public executions were denounced by Rev. Luke Mankin of George town. He told of some that had occurred in Williamson county in early days. A man's watch chain made from strads of a rope used in a public execution was used as an illustration of the public effect.

Capital punishment of any sort was scored in the discussion. Mankin asserted that the majority of men called for jury service will not inflict capital punishment. Rep. Jack Keller of Dallas asserted it is wrong for any man or group of men to take the life of another. A chorus of "amen" was heard when Keller declared it was wrong to execute a man one way or another. "This is not a question of capital punishment. The bill deals only with the manner," said Keller.

He advocated hanging as against electrocution. Gerron, advocating his bill, declared the purpose is to reduce crime by bringing home to criminals the effect of crime.

Rep. Carl Rountree of Lamesa cited horrors of execution by hanging. "Don't let the state become a partner in brutality," he urged. "Do you know a humane way to kill a man?" asked Rep. J. Lewis Thompson of Houston.

Cleveland Has Day of Mourning

CLEVELAND, May 18.—Cleveland curtail its business today in an official "day of mourning" for the 124 persons killed by poison gas in Wednesday's clinic explosion.

Its sorrow was mixed with thanksgiving as word came that additional victims of the gas had excellent chances for recovery. Those who so far have survived inhalation of poison fumes will recover unless complications develop, Dr. William E. Lower, clinic director, declared. Most of those suffering from the gas remained under close medical care in hospitals or at home. Officials interrupted their plans for rebuilding

a northerly direction with Solter trying to free himself from the cockpit. The motor exploded as he jumped and the craft hurtled to the earth, a mass of tangled wires and fabric.

The squadron composed of 17 ships, was enroute to Columbus on an air "raid" when the accident occurred. Solter said they spied a dozen red army planes beat them and were swooping to attack when Meadows crashed into the undercarriage of his ship.

Guardsmen With Bayonets Patrol Elizabethtown

By United Press. ELIZABETHTON, Tenn., May 18.—Six car loads of deputy sheriffs and national guardsmen in Carter, Tenn., today guarding against further outbreaks following a series of dynamite blasts. According to police records, no one was injured but the blasting was accompanied by gun fire.

The explosions were the latest of the many acts of violence marking the strikes in the Southern textile mills. Carter is four miles from here on the Stony Creek road and was the scene yesterday of a near riot in the county court house when 700 Bemberg - Glantzoff strikers hooted, jeered, laughed and hissed at officials as they prosecuted 83 of their arrested associates.

The climax came late in the day when a striker, Simpson Crumley, shouted at a deputy sheriff who threatened the arrest disturbers, "who the hell are you?" The deputy carried out his threat by arresting Crumley but not until national guard troops forced a passageway for him through the surging crowd with bayonets.

Highlights of the situation over the past 48 hours includes arrest and release on bond of Adjutant General W. C. Boyd, of Tenn., on a warrant charging attempted murder in that he ordered a motor car to drive through a mob of strike pickets causing injury to six; a statement by the president of the American Bemberg and American Glantzoff corporation he would never recognize the union and arrival of two more units of troops in the district to preserve order following a series of violent disturbances.

Nine Bemberg - Glantzoff strikers, three of them girls, were bound over to circuit court today on charges of intimidation and conspiracy in connection with an attempt Thursday to prevent strikebreakers from going to work at Rayon plants here.

Decision of two city magistrates to hold the group was made in the Carter county court house before a sullen crowd of 500 strikers who accepted the action without a word. National guardsmen with bayoneted rifles, patrolled the courtroom as the decision was rendered.

Those bound over were held under \$1,000 bond each, which William F. Kelley, vice president of the United Textile Workers of America, said would be raised to day.



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RADIO FEATURES

SUNDAY'S BEST FEATURES WJZ and network 12 CST - Romy - symphony orchestra; Frank's D. Minor symphony. WEAF and network 4 CST - The Continental score soloists and orchestra. WJZ and network 6:15 CST - Variety hour; William E. Borah guest speaker. WABC and network 7 CST - Air theater. WEAF and network 7:15 CST - Max Blech, Metropolitan opera tenor, and orchestra.

MONDAY'S BEST FEATURES

WJZ and network 5:30 CT - Romy's gang. WOR and network 6:30 CT - Variety program, featuring Henry Burghie, humorist. WEAF and network 7:30 CST - John Philip Sousa's Band, with vocal soloist. WOR and network 7:30 CST - Stars of the "Talkies." WEAF and network 9 CST - Polish opera "Halka."

W. T. Johnson West Texas millionaire cattelman, will produce the rodeo which will be the feature in the new Livestock Coliseum during the first nine days of the 1929 State Fair of Texas. Mr. Johnson produced the rodeo at San Antonio last year during the national convention of the American Legion.

shot their way to freedom, probably fatally injuring a passerby and narrowly missing a patrolman who returned their fire, when their speeding automobile crashed at a street intersection.

Reunion Held In "Ghost" Village

TRAVER, Calif.—One of California's best known "ghost" towns returned to life here with a population of approximately 500 citizens for one day, when visitors came from as far north as Sacramento and as far south as Los Angeles.

"Citizens" is the proper word to describe the returning population, for all of the 500 persons were former residents, gathered in reunion. It was the forty-fifth anniversary of the founding of Traver, once a 3,000 population center of a great grain and horticultural area.

Every building in the town has disappeared. The last to go was the Del Zante hotel, burned to the ground last year, together with a little store.

Alkali was responsible for Traver's demise, making a municipality. The chemical came to the surface with irrigation, killing grain, orchards and vineyards.

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Magnolia vs. Arab at Morton Valley This Afternoon

The Magnolia Petroleum company's baseball team from Breckenridge will play the local Arab Gasoline company team this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Morton Valley. These games have been attracting large crowds. There are no admission charges.

Oak Cliff Man Is Found Shot Dead

DALLAS, Tex., May 18.—Riddled with bullets from three unknown assailants, the body of F. Bosso, 47, Italian grocerman of Oak Cliff, was found last night in the front room of his home.

Jesse L. James, the only near witness to the murder, said he heard the shots and saw three men escape in a roadster parked in front of the house.

Mr. Bosso and a daughter were away from the home at the time of the shooting. They declared they knew of no enemies of Mr. Bosso.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—While citizens and police talked of "Scarface" Al Capone's imprisonment today, four gunmen

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# RICH GIRL POOR GIRL

By RUTH DEWEY GROVES

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## CHAPTER XLVI

"The only man I'm afraid of," he went on, "is Sost. If I thought Capper would do it..."

"Slow up," Duke advised him sharply. "If you start anything like that we'll have a dozen killin's on our hands."

Huck looked speculatively at the door through which the wounded Sost had passed not long before and his face grew dark and anger. No, he couldn't have him bumped off. Sost was too strong in the underworld for that, but he'd bury him alive, if necessary, to keep him under cover until this thing blew over.

When he turned back to Duke he had decided his friend was right; he'd better lay for Poberlin's plant and lay low. But one thing was certain—he wouldn't go alone!

"Get word up to Ras that I'll be there in a few days," he said crisply. "And tell him to have Rose come down and buy a wardrobe for a certain young lady who's going to arrive without baggage and remain indefinitely."

Duke chewed hard on his cheek before answering.

"Huck," he said, "you ain't goin' to stop to do no kidnappin', are you?"

Huck answered indirectly. "Can you get hold of Arnold?" he asked.

Duke nodded. "Easy, but what is on your mind, Connor? This dame's got you goofy. Why don't you let go while the lettin's good? There'll be a hell of a row kicked up if anything happens to her. Her old man will turn heaven and earth..."

"But not hell," Huck cut in. "And she'll find Poberlin's hell all right. She's got it coming. But you can tell Ras to have the Deacon on hand. We'll make it a respectable hell."

"It won't be legal. Why bring in the Deacon? That just makes one more to know where you're planted."

"We'll have the Deacon," Huck said stubbornly. "He's safe. That leaves you and the Poberlins," he smiled evilly. "I know none of you would peach, Duke, but it doesn't disturb my peace of mind any to know you don't dare."

"You win," Duke replied briefly. "Thanks for your advice just the same," Huck said.

Duke stood up. "I'll send for Arnold," he said heavily, and went out. He thought Huck was a fool and he was too closely associated with him to enjoy the thought.

Arnold Palcoff arrived an hour later. He was a man of Huck's own stamp; one of those who had assisted him in his crooked poker games.

Huck confided nothing of his present trouble to Palcoff and told him nothing of his future plans. Palcoff asked no questions. He appeared to be interested only in the instructions Huck gave him.

He was told to go to the Judson Hotel and take a room. Then he was to have a duplicate key made and bring it to Huck.

With that key in his pocket Huck walked calmly and unhurriedly into the Judson hotel. He chose an hour when he knew Pamela was not likely to be about.

"There's plenty of time to worry," Huck assured him. "If Judge Judson had told that Lawney girl about coming here with the police would have been on us before this."

"But you got it from the kid himself that she was wise to some-thing," Duke expostulated. "It's a real shot they're lookin' for you."

"Well, I won't be here when they get around to asking you," Huck retorted. "But if they can't reach Lefty to peach and they can't get their hands on anyone else—J. B. or Sost—they're out luck."

"Maybe," Duke agreed gloomily. "But they got wise somehow that the kid didn't go out at window on his own steam member."

Huck pulled out a handkerchief and wiped his lips. It was a grimace.

"Well, what of it?" he grunted.

"Nuthin'," Duke returned, "unless the guy they want left a paw."

"So that's what you're afraid of," Huck sneered. "Well, get on. Duke, the bulls haven't got chance to hook me up with that air. You don't run any risk keepin' me here until they note of some evidence. And if they get J. B. they won't be farther than that car theft."

Huck paused and poured himself a drink, taking it straight.

Huck's father would not recognize him, so he had small concern there.

But the hotel employes—the pages and elevator operators—were a different matter. He must avoid them as much as possible. Also Stephen.

(To Be Continued)

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## I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYTHING LIKE IT

Tuscola, Texas, Man Suffered From Stomach Trouble and Indigestion But Relieved Since Taking Orgatone.

"If I could speak with everybody personally who has stomach trouble and indigestion I would tell them to take Orgatone, for I have tried it myself and have never seen anything like it," was the statement made by Dock Dickson of Tuscola, Texas. Mr. Dickson is a well known shoe cobbler in Tuscola.

"I've suffered for over two years from stomach trouble and indigestion and just kept getting worse in spite of all I could do. My appetite left me and everything I would eat would sour on my stomach and I would get sick after every meal and gas would form and I would be miserable for hours. It seemed as though my whole system was out of order. I was so upset all the time. My head ached a good deal of the time and I felt tired worn out and no account. I simply got to where I was afraid for I got weaker every day."

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GALVESTON, Tex., May 17.—The body of a man found Thursday on east beach has been identified as James Hanes, about 48, of Chicago. He had been drowned. A fishing line was found in his hand.

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## GIRL WINS HONORS FOR SENIOR CLASS

RISING STAR, May 17.—With the final checking up of grades in high school this week it was found that Miss Bill Shults has won the distinction of representing the class this year as valedictorian while the honor of acting as salutatorian goes to Miss Thelma Maxwell.

In these two young ladies the class will be ably represented in the graduation exercises which are to be held in the ward school auditorium Friday night of this week beginning at 8:00 o'clock.

Dr. M. E. Davis, of the faculty of Howard Payne college at Brownwood, is to deliver the address and award is to be made by Supt. E. T. Dawson.

Following is the program in detail:

Processional. Invocation—Elder G. A. Lambert.

Salutatory—Thelma Maxwell. Vocal Solo—Mrs. J. R. Rucy.

Valedictory—Bill Shults. Address—Dr. M. E. Davis. Song—Senior Class.

Awarding of Saturday club medals—Mrs. J. F. Robertson.

Presentation of diplomas and awards—E. T. Dawson.

Benediction—H. S. Childress. Recessional.

Pianist—Mrs. C. W. Delmer. The Rising Star schools have enjoyed one of the most successful sessions in their history and Superintendent Dawson and his efficient corps of teachers are to be commended for the splendid work done this year. The high school has now 21 1-2 credits of affiliation and expects to add at least two more this year bringing the school up with the highest standing in this section of the state.

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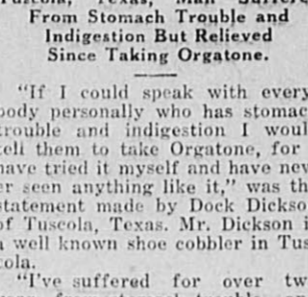
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## Cisco Athlete May Be in Big Tourney

AUSTIN, (Sp.)—One representative, and possibly two others, of the University of Texas will meet for the national track meet in Chicago on June 7 and 8, according to Clyde Littlefield, track coach. Leo Baldwin of Wichita Falls will be entered in the discus throw and shot put events, and it is probable that Texas men will be entered in the quarter mile and high jump. Either Milton Perkins of Bastrop or Walter Howe of El Paso will represent the school in the latter event, while Wilbur Westerfeldt of Cisco or M. L. Daniels of Cleburne will be chosen as the Texas entrant in the quarter mile. Daniels was sent to the national meet last year. This is Perkins' first year on the track team, while Howe is completing his eligibility. Both Perkins and Howe have made better than six feet in the high jump this year

# Early Notification of Whether or Not Hoover Will Accept WTCC Invitation Is Expected by Wade

Early notification as to whether or not President Herbert Hoover will accept the invitation of the West Texas chamber of commerce to speak at its annual convention this year in El Paso is expected by Homer D. Wade, manager of the great regional organization, who was in Cisco last night and this morning. Lack of a definite commitment from the president on this matter as well as other contingencies has delayed the fixing of dates for the convention.

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### 1-LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Rear bumperette somewhere between Eastland and Gorman. Finder please return to B. & M. Motor Co., Reward.

### 2-MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Berry pickers, crop for sale, picked or in field. Two miles north, Highway 67, P. O. Box 1216.

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### 3-SPECIAL NOTICES

BEAUTY is easy when you patronize the expert. We are that. Marina Beauty Shop, 105 East Main. Phone 671.

### 4-ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two or three furnished rooms. 1503 So. Seaman.

FOR RENT—Board and room for two. Outside rooms, private entrance. Call at R. L. Howes Shoe Shop.

FOR RENT—Attractive furnished bedroom convenient to bath; garage furnished. 413 E. Sadosa St., Phone 417.

### 5-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five room house good location, garage. See Joe Roberts, Connellee Theatre.

### 6-APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three and two-room furnished apartments with private bath, desirable location. See Mrs. Lucy Gristy, 701 Plummer Phone 343.

FOR RENT—Furnished three-room south apartment. Private bath; garage. 612 W. Plummer.

FOR RENT—Two room completely furnished apartment with garage. \$22.50. 109 N. Dixie St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished three room apartment; modern; also garage close in. Call 406 S. Walnut.

FOR RENT—Nice cool southeast apartment. Furnished; also a bedroom. 310 East Main st.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, five rooms with private bath, garage, lawn, good shade trees. Rooms newly papered and painted. Well furnished. Good location. Priced right. Call 90.

### 7-FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Red gravel for driveway. Phone 4571.

FOR SALE—Good peanut seed choice dewberries and blackberries. Reasonably priced. J. R. Niver, Eastland, Rt. 2.

FOR SALE—Small iron safe cheap. Eastland Telegram.

### 8-HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A nice home one block from town. Furnished or just the home. A real bargain for someone. Write box PC, Eastland Telegram.

FOR SALE—Four room house, all modern conveniences, cement walk, garage. See owner at 210 East Hill or phone 215.

It sold in next three days, home on Cisco highway for \$1,635. \$300 cash. Balance \$25 per month. See Cicero at postoffice, Eastland.

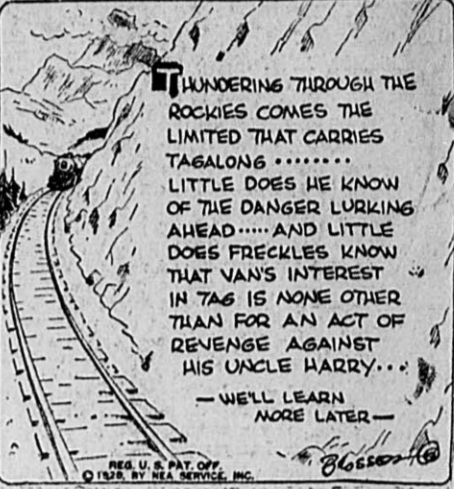
AN exceptionally good value in an east-front, five room home built about seventeen months ago. Sturdy modern; book-cases and inside finish, natural color woodwork. Cement mouse-proof foundation. Priced \$2,950. Easy terms. Telephone 398R or 151.

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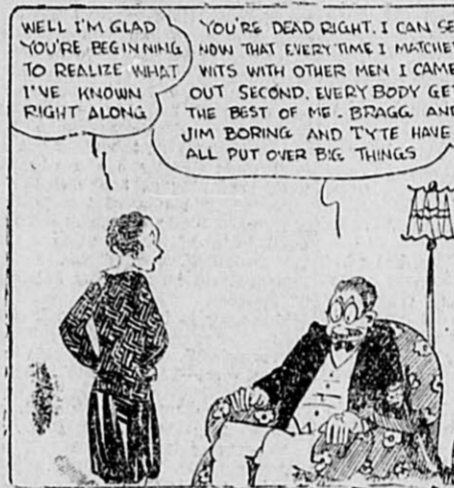
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## MOM'N POP



## RIFLE RANGE WILL SOON BE CONSTRUCTED

### 2,000 Yard Range To Be Built Near Ranger.

RANGER, Texas, May 18.—Plans for the rifle range in Ranger have been approved by the United States government officials. Capt. Wayne C. Hickey of the Ranger national guard company has received the blue prints and specifications.

The range will be 2,000 yards with butts—the thick, heavy earthen wall in front of which are the targets. There will also be a field telephone system and a target house, 10 by 18 feet.

Contract will be awarded for the necessary construction and it should not be long until the range is a reality.

Location is about two miles from Ranger toward Tiffin, at the base of a mountain. A pistol range and a range for trapshooting have already been arranged there.

The rifle range, provided for the national guard company, will also be for use by the Ranger police department and by civilian riflemen.

## N. A. T. ENDS THREE YEARS OF OPERATION

### Its planes flying 6,500 miles every twenty-four hours.

When sufficient practice is obtained by the marksmen, it is likely that tournaments will be arranged which will be highly interesting to the participants and to the public as well.

During its first three years of existence, National Air Transport pilots and planes have flown a total of 4,674,343 miles, of which 1,614,445 miles were at night. While plying up this tremendous mileage, N. A. T. planes have carried a total of 2,113,303 pounds of mail and 105,959 pounds of express.

At the close of 1928, N. A. T. operated a fleet of thirteen planes and had eight pilots on the payroll. The daily mileage at that time was 1,990 miles, flown between Chicago and Dallas. This daily mileage has increased to 6,500 miles in three years.

On May 12, 1926, the first regularly scheduled N. A. T. plane made the first flight over the Chicago-Kansas City-Dallas airway. That was the start of what has expanded into one of the major air transportation systems of the world.

and has thirty-five skilled pilots to do the flying, about half of which is at night.

On September 1, 1927, N. A. T. took over the eastern section of the trans-continental airway between Chicago and New York, when the Post Office department turned over the last of its air mail lines to private contractors.

N. A. T. operates two round trips each twenty-four hours between Chicago and New York, the same between Chicago and Kansas City, and one round trip daily between Chicago and Dallas. A short feeder line is also operated between Ponca City and Tulsa, Okla.

The daily mileage of N. A. T. is exclusive of the extra sections operated to care for the great increase in mail cargoes since the reduction of the air mail rate to five cents for the first ounce and ten cents for each additional ounce.

During the last six months, N. A. T. has flown three hundred extra sections to care for the mail loads, mostly over the New York-Chicago line.

Fourteen stations are maintained by N. A. T. between New York and Dallas, each with a field manager and crew in charge. The company has four division traffic offices, one each at New York, Chicago, Kansas City, and Dallas. These offices are in charge of division traffic managers.

General offices of the company are at the Chicago Municipal Airport where N. A. T. operations are centered. Here, too, is located general overhaul and repair shops where scores of skilled workmen keep the N. A. T. planes in the first class condition so necessary in scheduled air transport operations.

## WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER  
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON — Co-operative effort, such as this administrative proposal to encourage as a partial remedy for agricultural ailments, seems to be more or less responsible for the fact that the farmers of Canada have been able to worry along without depending on Parliament for extensive help.

Consideration of the success of the western Canadian wheat pool may throw some light on the possibilities of similar success in this country now that a federal farm board is to be set up with the aim of straightening out our own farm troubles.

The relative concentration of the Canadian wheat fields and the fact that there are so many producers in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta who grow wheat alone has enabled the growers of those three provinces to accomplish what American farmers have been unable to do by themselves. Canada exports 400,000,000 bushels of wheat in a single year, far more than the United States.

Saved Huge Sums  
Her wheat pool officials are convinced that they have saved and earned substantial sums for Canadian farmers while influencing the world market, though they don't believe they are getting a fair price. It ought to be mentioned, in this connection, that the Canadian grain grower gets the benefit of a lower freight rate schedule.

Canada's post-war wheat control board of 1919 was so beneficial to grain growers that they tried to persuade the government to re-establish it, but soon realized that they themselves would have to organize any centralized control over their crops. What they did, beginning in 1923, has been detailed before the Senate Agriculture Committee by A. J. Mc-

Phail, of Saskatchewan, president of the Canadian Department of Wheat Producers, the central selling agency for the three provincial pools.

Farmers signed five-year contracts pledging them to deliver every bushel of wheat they grow to the organization. After 50 per cent of the existing acreage was signed up organization and operation began. The provinces were divided into districts and districts into subdistricts. Thus, McPhail said, Saskatchewan has 15 districts, each with its director, and 160 subdistricts, each of which elects a delegate once a year. The delegates are the governing body; they elect the central selling board, composed of three members from each provincial pool.

Between 120,000 and 140,000 wheat growers now deliver their wheat to the pools and the central agency sells it as if it were one man's wheat. This year it expects to handle more than 250,000,000 bushels, from 52 to 54 per cent of all wheat produced in western Canada. The pools own nearly 1500 country grain elevators.

The pool tries to judge the market from day to day and sells when it gets the most favorable price. If the market is weak the pool stays out. Great secrecy is maintained regarding its selling operations.

When the farmer delivers his wheat he is advanced 85 cents a bushel, with two subsequent interim payments and a final payment in the fall when the balance of the crop is sold. Actual overhead administrative costs, McPhail told the senators, amounts only to about one-sixteenth of a cent a bushel.

Two cents a bushel each year is taken from the proceeds of sale for the purpose of acquiring the pool's own grain handling facilities and 1 per cent of the gross sale for a commercial reserve.

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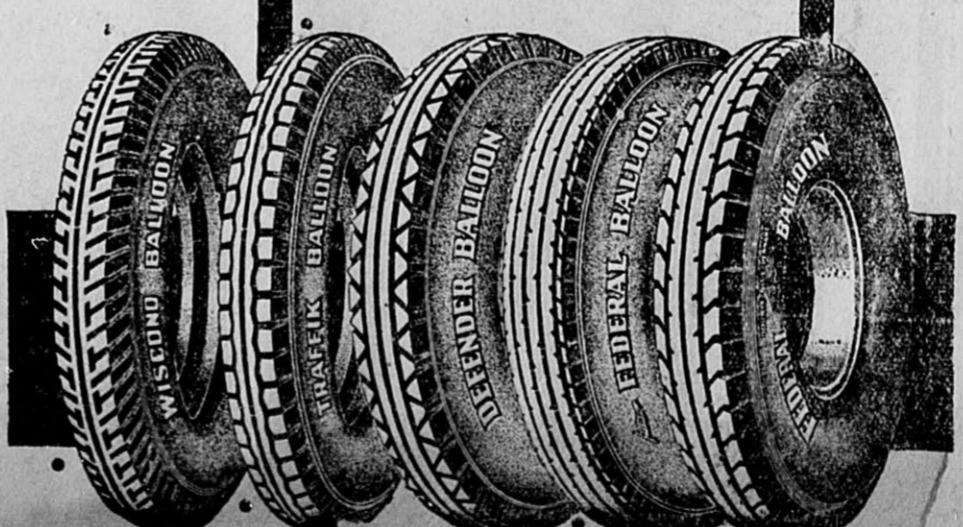
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2:00 p. m.		1:50 p. m.
3:00 p. m.		3:00 p. m.
5:00 p. m.		5:40 p. m.
8:00 p. m.		8:20 p. m.
11:20 a. m.		12:25 a. m.

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# SOCIETY

Mrs. W. K. Jackson, Editor

### CALENDAR

**MONDAY**  
 Christian Church, Aid Society  
 assembly room Methodist church,  
 Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p.  
 Club house.  
 Church of Christ, Class in  
 vangelism, 2:30 p. m., in the  
 church.  
 Baptist Church, Woman's Mis-  
 sionary Society-Bible Study, 2:30  
 p. m., in the church Mrs. W. T.  
 Turner, lecturer.  
 Presbyterian church, Woman's  
 Society, 2:30 p. m., Residence  
 of J. L. Malarky, hostess.  
 Methodist Church: Woman's  
 Missionary Society and Literary  
 session, 3 p. m., Mrs. B. Mc-  
 amery, house hostess, co-hostess  
 Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite, Neil  
 Moore, George W. Shearer and J.

**TUESDAY**  
 A. Caton.  
 Piano recital 5:30 p. m., lower  
 assembly room Methodist church,  
 Mrs. Taylor presents adult pupils.  
 One act play-let, Loraine Taylor,  
 presented by Miss Rumph.  
 Rehearsal of Massed choirs of  
 Eastland, 8 p. m., Methodist  
 church, in preparation for music  
 for Baccalaureate Sermon, May  
 26th. No entrants received after  
 this rehearsal. Wilda Drago Cat-  
 on director.  
 Elks meet 8 p. m., Club house.

**WEDNESDAY**  
 Alpha Delphin Chapter, all day  
 munity clubhouse; noon luncheon.  
 Four programs presented.  
 Public Library, open 2 to 5:30  
 p. m., Club House.  
 Saint Francis Altar Society 2:30  
 p. m., Mrs. Laurent, house hostess.  
 Wednesday Bridge Club, 2:30 p.  
 m., Mrs. Walter Clark house hos-  
 tess.  
 Bethany Class, Presbyterian  
 Church, 2:30 p. m., Hostesses,  
 Mmes. C. D. Hubbard, Jack More-  
 dith, and Ross Morehead.  
 Picnic and outing 6 p. m. Metho-  
 dist church choir and their fami-  
 lies, Lake Olden.  
 Rebekah Lodge, 8 p. m. In I. O.  
 O. F. Hall.  
 Presbyterian Church Choir Prac-  
 tice 8 p. m., Mrs. J. B. Leonard  
 director.

**THURSDAY**  
 Blue Bonnet Club 2:30 p. m.  
 Mrs. O'Rourke, house hostess.  
 Clover Leaf Club, 2:30 p. m.,  
 Mrs. V. A. Thomas, house hostess.  
 Thursday Afternoon Study Club  
 last session this season, 3 p. m.,  
 Club House.  
 Methodist church choir practice  
 8 p. m., in the church, Wilda Dra-  
 goo Caton, director.

**FRIDAY**  
 Public Library, open 2 to 5:30  
 p. m., Club House.  
 Eastern Star Study Class, 2:30  
 p. m., Masonic Temple.  
 Friday Bridge Club 2:30 p. m.,  
 Mrs. W. H. Taylor, house hostess.  
 Rainbow Girls, 8 p. m., Annual  
 Election of Officers, Masonic  
 Temple.  
 Junior Violin Ensemble, practice  
 8 p. m., Methodist Church, Wilda  
 Dragoo Caton, director.  
 Baptist church Choir practice 8  
 p. m., Club House.

**SATURDAY**  
 Sunbeam Band, 9:30 a. m., Dap-  
 tist church, Mrs. W. T. Turner,  
 director, Mrs. T. J. Pitts, assist-  
 ant.  
 Public Library, open 2 to 5:30 p.  
 m., Club house.

**MASSED CHOIRS OF CITY  
 REHEARSE TOMORROW  
 NIGHT:**  
 Mrs. Wilda Dragoo Caton has  
 called a rehearsal of the church  
 be massed, and will give a pro-  
 gram on the occasion of the Bac-  
 calaureate Sermon May  
 twenty sixth, 8 p. m., at High  
 school auditorium. The Director

## Plane Drops Engine in Midair



NEA San Francisco Bureau



On long trips too much time is  
 lost by refueling and motor re-  
 pair, says J. S. Abreu, San  
 Francisco cabinetmaker, so he  
 has invented a plane that drops  
 its engine and fuel tank in  
 midair and comes to earth as a  
 glider for a new engine and  
 fuel tank to be hooked on im-  
 mediately. A single lever  
 controls the work of separating  
 the plane into two sections  
 and a parachute lands the mo-  
 tor gently. Above is the new  
 craft and at the right is Pilot Reed Vowles, chosen to make the first  
 experimental flight. The arrow shows where the plane separates.  
 With his ship, says Abreu, it would be possible to load a cargo in  
 New York, seal it, change motors several times and avoid all delay  
 caused by refueling.

Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, president,  
 Mrs. J. M. Perkins, First Vice  
 President, and Chairman of Pro-  
 gram; Mrs. C. M. Harden, second  
 vice president, and chairman of  
 Membership; Mrs. Steel Johnston  
 third vice president and chairman  
 of Ways and Means; Secretary,  
 Mrs. I. N. Price, Treasurer, Mrs.  
 C. E. Sikes.

Mmes. C. D. Hubbard, Jack More-  
 dith and Ross Morehead.  
 A special offering will be taken  
 which will be devoted to supplying  
 the wardrobe of the class orphan  
 Maxine at Reynolds' Home.

This announcement was  
 made at the Eastern Star Study  
 Class Friday afternoon when the  
 discussion which included Secret  
 work; Constitution; recital, and  
 Parliamentary Law was led by Mrs.  
 W. F. Miller, the worthy matron.  
 Those present: Mmes. Miller, G.  
 E. Cross, T. J. Fiensy, Carl Page,  
 E. L. Mackall, Eugene Tucker, G.  
 E. Patterson, Ora B. Jones, C. D.

**EASTERN STAR  
 STUDY CLASS:**  
 The School of Instruction of the  
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 fifteen (Saturday) at Brecken-

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states that no more entries in the  
chorus body will be received after  
tomorrow evening's rehearsal.

### PROGRAM OF COMMENCE- MENTS OF EASTLAND SCHOOLS:

The programs of the Commence-  
ment exercises of the Public  
Schools of Eastland will be pre-  
sented with the Baccalaureate Ser-  
mon of next Sunday at 8 p. m.,  
when the address will be given by  
Dr. Wilson, President of Warner  
Memorial University, and the  
massed choir, under direction of  
Wilda Dragoo Caton with Mrs.  
Chas. G. Norton at the piano, will  
present two chorus numbers  
"Hold Thou My Hand" by C. S.  
Briggs and "Praise Ye The  
Father", the famous anthem by  
Gounod.

Processional, "The March  
Triumphal" will be played by the  
Dragoo Violin Ensemble, which  
comprises sixteen instruments.  
Second number by violin choir  
"Andante and Religioso" by Cur-

ri. Voice solo, by Mrs. B. B. E.  
Bickerstaff and Pre-cessional by  
Violin Choir completes the pro-  
gram. The public is cordially in-  
vited to attend. High school Au-  
ditorium.

The Ward schools will hold a  
duel Graduation on the stage of  
the High school Auditorium Wed-  
nesday afternoon, May twenty-  
nine at three o'clock. There will  
be no speaker who represents  
either school and these addresses  
will be made by valedictorian for  
West Ward school, Richard White,  
and Valedictorian of the South  
Ward school, Barbara Anne Ar-  
nold. The salutatorian are Dorothy  
Day of West Ward and Jane Con-  
nelley of South Ward School.

The High school Graduation  
exercise will be held Thursday  
night at 8 o'clock in high school  
auditorium. The address will be  
delivered by State Superintendent  
of Schools, S. M. N. Marrs, Miss  
Bazel Hillier is the valedictorian  
and Lloyd Hearn the Salutatorian.  
The young people are eagerly  
looking forward to these event-  
ful "star shine" and it is pre-  
dicted the high school auditorium  
will be filled to the limit for the  
events announced.

### MRS. THEODORE FERGUSON ENTERTAINS WITH LUNCHEON:

Mrs. Chas. G. Norton was the  
honored guest of a delightful little  
luncheon arranged by Mrs. Theo-  
dore Ferguson noon yesterday  
(Saturday) at her attractive home.  
The Chiny covered table was cen-  
tered in a silver bowl of pink  
sweet peas with green tapers in  
silver sticks at the side. Place  
cards indicated covers for Mrs. C.  
G. Norton, Mrs. J. A. Caton, Mrs.  
Virgil T. Feenberg, Mrs. Joseph  
M. Perkins, Mrs. Grady Pipkin,  
Mrs. Jess Pinkin of Breckenridge,  
and sister Mrs. W. W. Middleton  
of Los Angeles, and hostess. A  
green and rose color scheme was  
obtained in the menu. The luncheon  
plate completed of chicken lea-  
sotats in parsley dressing, string  
beans, jelly pickles, and hot rolls.  
Second course was a dainty mold-  
ed cucumber and pineapple salad  
on lettuce with waters, and third  
course, caramel macarose, pound  
cake and coffee.

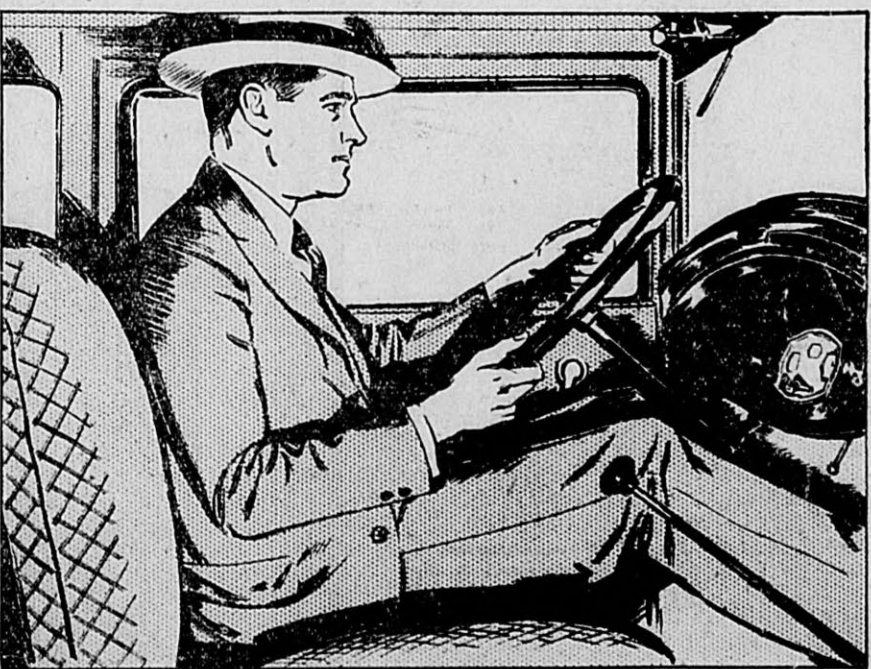
A number of informal affairs  
are planned for Mrs. Norton who  
leaves June first for her home in  
Stratford, Texas.

### METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS IN SOCIAL SESSION:

Mrs. Bert McGamery will be  
house hostess to the Missionary  
Society of the Methodist church  
Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock and  
co-hostess will be Mmes. H. O.  
Satterwhite, Neil Moore, Geo. W.  
Shearer, and J. A. Caton. The  
program will be presided over by  
Mrs. Luther Bean, President, De-  
votional, Mrs. L. A. Constable,  
Hymn, "Rescue the Perishing,"  
Devotional from Luke two verses  
forty two to fifty two, Mrs. Con-  
stable, Study topic, "Broken  
Homes" Mrs. Frank Crowell. A  
social hour will follow.

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# LONG DISTANCE CABLE CONDUIT WILL BE LAID

### Excavation Work Is to Be Started by Monday.

(Cisco Daily News)  
Work of laying the conduit for the Bell Telephone company long distance underground cable has been started by Cisco. The conduit will carry the big cable from South Boulevard, just past Twenty-second street in south Cisco down E avenue to West Seventh street where the company will build its relay station.

Contract for the construction of this conduit and the laying of the cable through it has been let to Harrison-Wright Construction company with home offices in Charlotte, N. C. The work being done here is in charge of J. F. Randall, division superintendent for the construction company with headquarters at Houston. Arch Brightwell, is construction foreman for the job.

The cable will be laid in a tile conduit. For a portion of the distance from South Boulevard this conduit will contain six ducts and four the remainder of the distance, nine ducts. Each duct will accommodate a cable made up of 1,000 pairs of wires so that as many as nine separate underground cables may be run into Cisco and tied into the large relay station which will be built here. Only one—the Fort Worth to Cisco cable—will be laid at this time.

An interesting feature of the conduit will be the 13 manholes to be located at intervals along the route of the cable down E avenue. These manholes, which will be 7 feet in length and 5 feet and 6 inches in diameter, are larger than has ever been built before, said Mr. Brightwell. These manholes will be built of concrete and reinforced steel covers. They will be set in the parkways, along the side of the street.

The conduit will be laid from 37 to 63 inches deep. Holes will be cut in the pavement at intervals and the street surfacing tunneled under so that it will not be necessary to cut down through the pavement all along the line of the conduit.

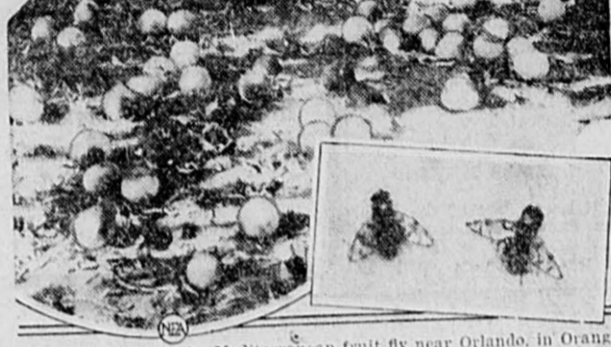
This excavation work will begin not later than Monday, Mr. Brightwell said. A force of about 25 men has been employed and the work will require five or six weeks.

The laying of the cable started from Fort Worth several weeks ago. It will reach Cisco probably in October by which time it is expected to have the relay station building ready for occupancy here. This building will be two stories in height and will represent the most advanced ideas in telephone construction and equipment.

When completed practically all long distance telephone communications between east and west Texas will pass through Cisco.

SEYMOUR will entertain the delegates from the Lower Panhandle district of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in convention on May 16. A fish fry and golf at the Seymour Chamber of Commerce Park at Lake Kemp under the auspices of the Lions Club and a band concert with \$100.00 in prizes will be features of the convention.

## Fly Pest Perils U. S. Fruit



Recent discovery of the Mediterranean fruit fly near Orlando, in Orange county, Fla., gives fruit farmers of the United States cause for worry. The pest, discovered by J. C. Goodwin (upper inset) of the State Plant Board of Florida, attacks nearly all kinds of fruit. The picture of the grapefruit orchard graphically illustrates destruction the fly causes. Two of the pests are pictured in the lower inset.

## HEROISM OF A NEGRO SLAVE

By LEONARD PASSMORE, Voca, Texas

A few years ago, I was sitting in a hotel lobby at Brownwood, in conversation with a number of men, who had once been cowboys, ranchers, and early pioneers of Brown county. They were at first talking of oil development around Brownwood and other places nearby, when an old man, who gave his name as Ben Guthrie, became reminiscent and spoke somewhat as follows:

"My father settled four miles northeast of Williams' ranch near Trigger Mountain, in the year 1876. It was a broken country, full of hills, and little valleys, and deer and buffalo were in great abundance. There were no game laws to restrict us in our sport, and the work we got in with our old citizen rifles was enough to do credit to any frontier man. It was great in those days to go hunting, but we did not kill in waste. We relied upon the wild game largely for food, and killed just what was needed for that purpose.

"There were no wire fences at that time to interfere with our travels in any way. When we started anywhere, we got our direction, and bearings, and mounting our ponies we started out. The fear of Indians, was the only thing that gave us any concern. They gave us a great deal of trouble, especially on moonlight nights. But things have greatly changed. I sometimes wonder at the wonderful progress that Texas has made. Land that sold for \$1.50 an acre is now selling for \$75 an acre. That part of the country is now all in small farms and ranches. They are now making oil tests near the town of Mullen. The country does not look like old when I was a boy. Wonderful change."

"You mentioned about the Indians, Mr. Guthrie," I said. "Tell us something about their depredations." "Well," he replied, "I will tell you about a raid they made and of the bravery of an old negro. The name of the negro was Albert Chandler. He was a close friend to George, Bill and Jim Williams, the founders of the Williams ranch. This ranch is now situated in Mills county, but at that time it was in Brown county, Mills county not then being organized. "Old Albert Chandler was a slave at this time. His brother,

old Wash Chandler, an ex-slave, is now living in Brownwood.

"In the early sixties, old Albert Chandler was out with one of the Williams boys cutting poles. Nearly all the fencing in an early day was done by laying rails, or poles, one upon another a zig-zag shape, and then after a height of about five feet or six rails was reached, the fence was staked and tided. In this way pens and corrals were built, and sometimes fields and small pastures.

"Mr. Williams and the negro slave were in the bottom working vigorously cutting poles, when suddenly they were charged by a band of Indians. Williams expected the negro to be cowardly, as most negroes are on such occasions, but to his surprise the negro laid down his axe, and picked up his gun. Looking at Williams with a broad smile, he over his black face, and his ivory teeth shining like ivory, he said, 'Boss, dis is one time you gotta be cool.'

Williams and the negro kept backing towards the cabin, the darkey holding his gun leveled on the Indians. When at last they crowded a little too much, old Albert fired, and an Indian fell. In a very cool manner the slave reloaded his gun, and again pointed it at the Indians. All the time, he and Williams were slowly backing toward the cabin. I do not know how many times the negro fired the gun, but I have heard old-timers say that every time old Albert fired an Indian departed to the Happy Hunting Ground. This implies that he killed several while he and Williams finally reached the cabin and safety. I

told this to show the remarkable bravery of the old negro slave."

There were other stories I would have been glad to have gotten from Mr. Guthrie, but an old man who had lost his watch came in about that time and raised such a commotion, that the conversation of the old-timers passed from that of early days to things transpiring in the present.

The old-time pioneers are passing away, and we should get the stories of their early experiences while we can do so. They were brave and upright fathers and mothers, poor in purse, but rich in the qualities of manhood and womanhood. The stories of their hardships and deeds of bravery should be preserved to show the boys and girls of the present age the character of the people who developed this great state of ours.

IOWA PARK will sponsor a Community Work Day on June 4, at the Fair Grounds in order to get the grounds ready for the proposed erection of a grand stand for general use. Labor and the use of tractors, teams and other equipment will be donated so that the work may be completed in one day.

**T. L. COOPER'S SISTER ILL.**  
County Treasure T. L. Cooper and Mrs. Cooper are visiting Mr. Cooper's sister, Mrs. Rhodes, at Odessa, who is critically ill.

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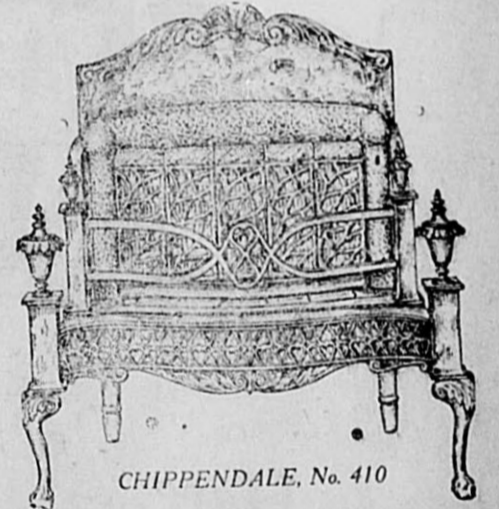
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# SURVEY OF GRAVITIES OF CRUDE

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The average gravity of the petroleum produced in this territory was found to be 32.2 degrees A. P. I., or 0.864 in terms of specific gravity, as the result of a survey recently conducted by the United States Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce. This compares with an average gravity of 29.0 degrees, recorded as the result of a similar study made by the United States geological survey in 1921.

To one who is accustomed to the average gravity of the petroleum produced in the States of Oklahoma-Kansas and Texas crudes, it may be surprising that the average gravity for the entire country is no higher than 29.0 degrees, the average of Mines points out. The reason for this apparent anomaly lies mainly in the fact that the average gravity of the petroleum produced in the States of Oklahoma-Kansas and Texas is 32.2 degrees, or 0.864 in terms of specific gravity, as the result of a survey recently conducted by the United States Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce. This compares with an average gravity of 29.0 degrees, recorded as the result of a similar study made by the United States geological survey in 1921.

The heavy production of oil in the Seminole area during the period of the survey would appear that the gravity should have shown a 0.2 per cent gain over that which did not occur was the fact that in the period of 1921, important heavy oil reserves were made, notably the oil field of Arkansas, which has the highest average gravity of 48.5 degrees, created in New Mexico. This state claims the highest gravity of oil produced in quantity.

The crude from the Railroad in San Juan county, N. M., has been assigned a gravity of 45.5 degrees A. P. I., but has been tested as high as 48.5 degrees A. P. I., corrected for temperature. Inasmuch as the average motor fuel is 40 degrees, it is not hard to see the difficulty experienced in handling such a "wild" crude.

States with high average gravity are Michigan, 44.0 degrees; New York, 43.5 degrees; Pennsylvania, 43.3 degrees; and Louisiana, 42.0 degrees. However, combined output of these states is not large and had little effect on the average gravity for the country. The lowest gravity reported was that produced in Santa Barbara county, California, 24.1 degrees.

Other low gravity crudes are produced at Kern River, Calif., 14.1 degrees, and Irma, Ark., 14.4 degrees. The state of Texas, with the largest number of fields, had a varied assortment of gravities, with a range from below 20 degrees to above 40 degrees. The average for the state was 32.4 degrees, or practically the same as the national average.

Gasoline percentage recoveries for 78 samples of crude oil examined in the course of the survey are given in Information Circular 6114, recently published by the Bureau of Mines. The production of the fields represented by the 78 samples was the equivalent of 29.4 per cent of the total production. If the gravity of each of these crudes is weighed on the basis of their production, the average gravity for all the samples work out to be 40.4 degrees. If the per cent of gasoline in each sample is weighted in the same manner, the average gasoline content works out as 23.4 per cent. Since the average weighted gravity of the 78 samples is not far from the average for the entire country, it is probable that this computed figure of 23.4 per cent for gasoline content is close to the actual gasoline yield obtained in skimming operations. As a matter of fact, the yield of gasoline in 1927 (natural gasoline deducted) by straight-run methods was 24 per cent of the total crude run.

Chemical Differences

Although, in general, the higher the gravity, the higher the gasoline yield, no definite rule can be laid down as to the increment to be expected in gasoline percentage recovery for each degree rise in gravity. This is because of differences in chemical composition which, in addition to affecting gasoline recovery by means of its relation to gravity, also exerts an effect which is distinct from gravity. For example, a crude of 30 degrees may contain a higher percentage of gasoline than one of 35 degrees. Another, and perhaps a better way of estimating the probable increase in gasoline recovery for a 1 degree rise in gravity, would be through a study of the differential for each degree gravity posted by the major crude buyers over a long period of time. The gravity basis as now used by the crude buyers in most fields is an attempt to make allowance for the higher gasoline content of high-gravity crudes, and over a period of time the price differential for each degree of gravity would be a rough measure of the increased percentage of gasoline that might be expected.

The rapid increase in production of the West Texas fields has focused attention on the sulphur content of crudes as an item of great importance, because most West Texas crudes are relatively high in sulphur compounds, making them difficult to refine and very corrosive to equipment. The 78 samples of crude selected for this study had a weighted average sulphur content of 1.16 per cent as compared with a weighted average of 1.00 per cent for West Texas. The highest per cent of sulphur for any of the samples was 4.13, reported for the Cat Canyon field of Santa Barbara county, Calif.; the lowest was 0.08 per cent, for Greybull field of Big Horn county, Wyo. Most of the Mid-Continent crudes are low in sulphur, the average being in the neighborhood of 0.25 per cent.

Three Kinds of Base

On the basis of composition or "base," there are three common types of crude, namely, paraffin-base crudes, asphalt or naphthene-base crudes, and crudes of a mixed or intermediate base.

In general, paraffin-base crudes represent those which, on being chilled slowly, deposit a waxy material or "paraffin." Crudes of this type supply the major portion of the paraffin wax of commerce. Paraffin-base crudes are produced mainly in the Appalachian district, though crudes from other districts, for example, crudes from the Panhandle of Texas, are also classed as paraffin-base oils. Asphaltic base oils are those which contain little or no recoverable paraffin but usually contain asphaltic materials. Since they do not always contain asphalt, the term "naphthene" is perhaps a better term for this class of oils. Asphaltic or naphthene base oils are produced mainly in California and in coastal Texas and Louisiana. Mixed or intermediate base crudes are those which can not be assigned to either of the above classes. A large portion of the crude produced in the Central States and the Mid-Continent district are of mixed or intermediate base.

A classification of crudes into these three grades, weighted as to production, provides a rough measure of the potential amounts of wax and asphalt which could be extracted if the demand warranted.

Information Circular 6114, by G. R. Hopkins and A. B. Coons, containing further details of this survey of gravities of the domestic crudes, may be obtained from the United States Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

OLNEY'S proposed street lighting system is about to become a reality. The present plans provide 40 standard lights, and 60 bracket lights to be placed where standards are not appropriate. This system is subject to change and the exact number of each to be installed will be determined by a committee appointed by the council.

standing on a hot corner in summer with a cake of ice. You can't eat it. You can't drink it and you know it's going to melt away."

Plenty of Dough

THE Cincinnati ball players say that when the personal effects of Roy Meeker, a young pitcher who died in the Orlando training camp, were gathered together, a check was found in his wallet. It was for \$300 and it represented his share of the world series money which the Reds finished second in 1924. He had never cashed the check.

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equal to that of the entire output of all the factories of the United States in 1900.

Similar comparisons of major factors in national upbuilding may be obtained from the statistics presented in the 1929 Blue Book of Southern Progress. These statistics cover almost every phase of the south's industrial and agricultural activity. There are also special articles emphasizing the economic position of the south today compared with previous years and with the United States as a whole.

### Sea Race to Be a Galveston Event

One of the unique events in the annals of outboard motorboat racing is scheduled for July 4 when the Galveston Outboard Motor Club stage their "Round Galveston Island Marathon." The marathon will be the feature of a two-day regatta when more than \$2,000 will be distributed in prize money.

Through the waters of bayou, bay and open gulf, the boats will speed over a course approximately 70 miles in length that presents as severe a test for outboards as one would care to undertake. The start will be made in Offat's Bayou at the clubhouse and the direction the boats will steer will depend upon wind and tide conditions. The finish will be at the same point.

The race has the sanction of the Mississippi Valley River Boat Association and the event is expected to attract motor boat racers of national fame.

The grand prize will be \$500 and the winner in each class from "B" to "D" will receive \$200, the second \$100 and the third \$50. The race will therefore be worth

### Volume Tells of South's Progress

The 1929 edition of the Blue Book of Southern Progress, published by the Manufacturers Record, Baltimore, Md., is now ready for distribution. In this volume of 324 pages are presented facts and figures dealing with the economic advancement of the southern states found nowhere else in such compact form for the ready reference of business executives, the educator, the student and for anyone seeking information as to the south and its resources and development. The amazing material growth of the south as a whole, and each of the 16 states comprising the south is depicted in the summary tables comparing the year 1928 with 1910 and 1900.

The south has about one-third of the area and population of the United States. In less than 30 years, the south's population has increased nearly 50 per cent. Its wealth has grown from \$17,919,000,000 to \$80,000,000,000, or a gain of 346 per cent. The value of its industrial output increased from \$1,693,000,000 in 1900 to \$12,200,000,000 in 1927, the latest census figures available, or an increase of 620 per cent. Today the wealth of the south is about equal to that of the entire United States in 1900; while the value of its manufactures, amounting to \$10,371,000,000 in 1927, is about

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**COLLEGIANS NEWS**

## HOKY AND SLIDES

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scouting be that a sense of humor keep the Boston Braves hitting in last place in the League pennant race. I bet all the dough you they are not going to win championship but they might go to the first division. I had an off day in Philadelphia recently and the whole end to the ball park to see letics and the Yankees Johnny Evers was joshing a motorman who spent riding the street cars I calculated the idea that he was a ride.

serious about being said with a smile. "We over these ball clubs, liable to be in there October."

WILL FUCHS, the president of the club, said southern training camp lot of managers needed of humor.

sense of humor," he only eight places and I can't finish the eighth. All the we've had didn't than I can do. I than they did."

will get exactly business as long is around, but the if the ball field is the great worry Huggins. He fears his will become faded and of success.

now playing the Philadelphia sense of humor was so inclined side of life that when he first came Huggins. He was the Babe in those Huggins was going moments.

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### DID YOU KNOW THAT—

CHUCK WIGGINS is off the stuff . . . And he says he's going to take Tooney's place . . . There is not a New York boy on the Jints . . . Carl Mays and Shanty Hogan are the best pool players in the big leagues . . . And Hogan shoots a nasty game of billiards . . . And it cost McGraw a little roll to find it out . . . Tom Kilday, star fullback of the St. Edward (Texas) club is going to be with the West Points next year . . . They call Willoughby of the Phillies "Sleepy" . . . And the players on the club say he fell asleep standing up with a tray in his hand in a southern cafeteria . . . Charley Jamieson, of the Cleveland, is rated as the best team ball player in the game . . . Old Pete Alexander says he won't quit until he pitches a no-hit game . . . Jimmy Welch, the Jint outfielder, never wears a hat on the street . . . And nearly all the catchers get bald-headed . . . "Tis said the Yanks are acting up . . . Dinger, the Yankee, is the hardest pitcher to catch in the big leagues . . . He has smashed the hand of every catcher on the club . . . Dempsey doesn't like to be told that Schmeling, the German, looks like him . . . Or fights like him.

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# SOCIETY

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MRS. R. S. HARRIS HOSTESS TO MARTHA DORCUS CLASS: The Martha Dorcus class party...

whose assisting hostesses were Mmes. C. D. Frost, O. B. Harrell, and Ed Graham.

Guy Quinn, R. E. Sikes, D. C. Gibson and Miss Mary Sue Rumph...

RECITAL FRIDAY AFTERNOON A DELIGHTFUL SUCCESS: In spite of the drenching rain...

school under direction of Mrs. Joe Gibson and Miss Mary Sue Rumph...

CHOIR OF METHODIST CHURCH OUTING AND PICNIC: The choir of the Methodist church...

The party will honor Mrs. Chas. G. Norzon who has long been the pianist for the church services...

MRS. H. O. SATTERWHITE ARRANGING PRESS BOOK: The recent observance of Music Week...

RECITAL MUSIC AND EXPRESSION MONDAY 5:30 P. M. LOWER ASSEMBLY ROOM METHODIST CHURCH:

Notes and Personal: The Royal Neighbors of America have their eyes focussed on the supreme convention...

ALPHIA DELPHIAN CHAPTER WILL PRESENT FOUR PROGRAMS: Wednesday, the Alpha Delphian Chapter will hold an all day session...

CHAPEL OF SORROW A BEAUTIFUL SERVICE: A most impressive and beautiful service for the departed members...

Dorothy Watson. A. Arbutus - Davis. B. German Dance - Beethoven, Miss Mary Sue Rumph...

Eastern Star Friday evening, in the Masonic Temple, when forty-five members and guests responded to the call for this open session.

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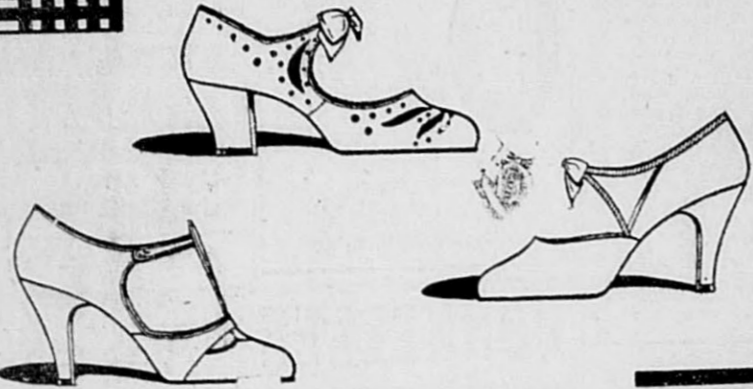
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