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No. 144

FOUR KILLED AS SCAFFOLD OF BUILDING FALLS Helms To Be First Sentenced To Death In County

Col. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald
Swat the Skeeter
Representatives of several southern states assembled in the city of New Orleans and organized the Gulf and South Atlantic states anti-mosquito conference and decided to ask congress to appropriate \$75,000 for a final survey of combating the pest. Why not \$5,000,000? Isn't the mosquito as great a pest as the hookworm? Gorgias drove the mosquito pest from the Canal Zone. He drove the yellow fever pest from the Canal Zone. He made the zone a health resort instead of a death resort.

DAVENPORT WILL PASS SENTENCE

Only Chance to Escape "Chair" Is In Appeal to Governor Moody.
Henry Helms will soon hear pronounced the words that will send him to the electric chair.
District Clerk W. H. McDonald Saturday received the mandate from the clerk of the Court of Criminal Appeals. This tribunal last week overruled Helms' motion for a rehearing.
Helms will be brought back to Eastland where Judge George L. Davenport will pronounce the sentence of death—the first in the history of the county.

SILVER'S ADE MUST SERVE 6 YEAR TERM

Carl Lawder Had Been Listed As "Escaped" Convict Until Captured in Houston With Silver.
HOUSTON, Tex., April 20.—Carl Lawder, arrested the night Bob Silvers was taken into custody after his break from the Wynne state prison farm, and who now faces a charge here of aiding a prisoner to escape, will have to return to Huntsville to serve a six year prison term.
J. R. Jordan, chief clerk of prison records at Huntsville, Friday night requested that Lawder, held in County jail here, be returned to Huntsville for an unserved term of six years for forgery at Fort Worth.
Sheriff T. A. Binford previously had been requested to hold Lawder for Fort Worth authorities for alleged swindling operations in that city.
Lawder was discharged from state prison in December 1928, after serving two years from Taylor county on forgery charges. He was admitted under the name of W. L. Lawder, and according to Huntsville records is listed as an escaped convict.
The unserved term was revealed Friday at Fort Worth, when District Attorney Stuart conferred with Mrs. Ina Burton, Lawder's mother.
Mrs. Burton mentioned that Lawder had been given six years in 1927.
He checked Huntsville records and discovered that Lawder, who has several aliases, was the same man.
Lawder was known to Ft. Worth officials as W. L. Lawder, alias Pete, C. E. and "Two-Gone" Lawder.
Stuart was to arrive here Saturday to confer with district attorney Stevens on Lawder's status.

INDICT TWO IN WILLIAMS CASE

LAREDO, Tex., April 20.—The Webb county grand jury today returned an indictment charging Deputy Constable R. J. West and City Traffic Officer Thomas Hernandez with the murder of Harry Williams, newspaper reporter, who disappeared from Laredo Feb. 19.
Williams' body was found in the Rio Grande exactly one month later. He was 21 years of age and had come to Laredo from his home in Muncie, Ind., to do reportorial work on the Laredo Times.
The grand jury, which was in session one month and a day, devoted considerable time to the investigation of the Williams case and the indictment charging the two officers with the crime came as a surprise.

He Threatened Her; She Shoots

SPRINGDALE, Ark., April 20.—Albert Beck, 57, farmer, was shot to death on the street here by his estranged wife, Mrs. Vina Beck, 33, who carried a pistol wrapped in a bundle of her baby's clothing, according to Mrs. Beck's confession to officers.
"I shot him in self defense when he threatened to cut my heart out," she told Chief of Police G. O. Lickiter.
Plans completed for street paving work in Yorkum.
Alpine—\$69,000 high school under construction.

GRAND JURY WILL PROBE RAIL MURDER

Six Year Old Tragedy at Döthan Will Be Investigated, It Is Expected.
With two convicts here to face a charge of murder as the result of the railroad wreck at Döthan six years ago, the grand jury which will re-convene Monday morning is expected to take up at once the investigation of the tragedy which cost seven lives in 1923.
Henry Schussler and Fred Jordan were returned to Eastland Friday afternoon in custody of Sheriff Virgo Foster and Deputy Sheriff Steele Hill.
Jordan, according to a dispatch from Weatherford, was found guilty on 24 charges there. Arson, homicide and burglary were among the charges.
Railroad officers have been at work on the Döthan wreck investigation for a long time and the securing of statements from Schussler and Jordan culminated a patient probing to solve the mystery of the tampered switch that showed a green light when the switch had been thrown.
Among the matters that will come before the grand jury is the investigation of the robbery of Murray's drug store in Eastland some weeks ago when a burglar obtained more than a thousand dollars worth of jewelry.

The Babe Runs Home With A Bride



Babe Ruth, Yankee star and his bride, the former Mrs. Claire Hodgson, are shown leaving Mrs. Hodgson's home in New York City after taking out a marriage license. Mrs. Hodgson, former Follies star, was a widow. She is said to be an ardent baseball fan and met Ruth several years ago.

ARREST TWO PROHIBITION OFFICERS

Pair Charged With Firing on Two Women School Teachers—Claimed They Took Them for Rum Runners.
By United Press.
MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 20.—Two state law enforcement officers were under arrest charged with assault to kill here today, after they allegedly fired at an automobile containing two school teachers, whom they thought were rum runners. The girls wore knickers the officers said, they mistook them for men.
The officers are J. C. Sealy and Gay Cargill, of the office of Attorney General Charles C. McCall. The warrant for their arrest was sworn out by J. C. Lewis, on behalf of the two teachers, his daughter, Annie May and Miss Estelle Camp.
Sealy and Cargill said they fired at least seven shots at the car and insisted that an occupant of the car fired three shots at them from the running board.
Both celebrities, who but a few years ago carried on such a heated controversy through the press of two continents over the merits of Shaw's "Cashel Byron's Profession," were on the chummiest terms all yesterday.
They took leisurely walks along the roads of the island, took a drive together and visited the Roman ruins, exchanging views on literature meanwhile. Tunney, when questioned about his visit with Shaw, said:
"I cannot in good taste discuss Mr. Shaw."
He added, however that he would like to correct the published reports that he had struck photographers at Cannes.

The Beginning of Real Friendship

BRIONI, ITALY, April 20.—The long-awaited meeting between Gene Tunney, retired heavyweight champion, and George Bernard Shaw, developed into a warm friendship, it was revealed here today.
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County Agents to Attend Meetings

Numerous meetings of boys and girls clubs will be attended by the county agents, Miss Ruth Ramey and J. C. Patterson during the first half of this week.
On Monday, they will attend the club meetings at Colony, Cheamey, Bullock, and Alameda; on Tuesday at Okra, New Hope and Grandview, and on Wednesday at Mangum, Flatwoods and Dothan. They will go to the Yellow Mound Club session Thursday and Miss Ramey also will attend the women's club at Nimrod.

TWO KILLED IN CAR ACCIDENT

DUBLIN, Ind., April 20.—Michael Bush, 35, Indianapolis, brother of Owen Bush, manager of the Pittsburgh National baseball team, was killed; A. E. Hughes of Poland, O., was injured fatally and three other persons hurt in an automobile accident near here last night.
Paul Sullivan, 35, Detroit, driver of the automobile in which Bush was riding, said his machine was forced off the highway by the one driven by Hughes.

BEEN AND DAVENPORT IMPROVE

Judge Elzo Been is progressing splendidly toward recovery. He underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Payne & Carter hospital last Sunday.
Judge George L. Davenport, who has been slowly recovering from a serious illness, was able to be in his office every day during the past week.

Hoover Bust



This bust of President Hoover made in 1929 by Jo Davidson noted sculptor, is being shown for the first time at the exhibition of the National Sculpture Society this month in San Francisco. Mr. Hoover autographed the work.

Floodlights On New Courthouse Are Turned On

Completion of installation of the floodlight system on Eastland county's new courthouse has been completed and the lights, illuminating the building and grounds, were turned on last night for the first time.
The system, which affords an indirect illumination of the building from the second story up, is composed of 14,500 watt lights, concealed on the balconies, four lights each on the south and north and three on the east and west.
In addition to the large floodlights there are eight big lights at each of the north and south entrances on the main floor, and two each at the east and west entrances to the ground floor. Also there are eight large street lights around the building at the outer edge of the lawn.
The Eastland county courthouse, it is said, is the only courthouse in this section of the State that is equipped with the floodlight-indirect lighting system.
In addition to the indirect lighting system which illuminates the building from the outside, the courthouse is well lighted inside and when the building is open at night the lights in the corridors are turned on.

SAYS EXECUTED THE WRONG MAN

TRENTON, N. J., April 20.—Jersey justice may have taken the wrong man's life when it executed George Brandon in 1921 for the murder of Edith Jenny and Arthur L. Kupper.
A. M. Blattman, New York fingerprint expert, has written the McAllister legislative committee a letter charging the fingerprints on which Brandon was convicted were "forged" and that the real murderer of the couple was a Hudson county politician.
He declared:
"The Standard Oil Company asserts it will be boss of the State," Governor Long said. "They have their fangs so strongly entrenched in Baton Rouge that they have the nerve to say they can convict any public official in their own courts."
"All they want is to settle the ship," the Governor declared. "The only thing they have against me is that they can't run me as they have other governors."
"The newspapers in the state screamed with falsehoods," Governor Long shouted and pointed an accusing finger at newspapermen near him.

Hold Funeral of Mrs. M. M. Griffin

Funeral services for Mrs. Willie Lee Griffin, 46, wife of M. M. Griffin, who died Friday morning at the home of her sister in Cisco, were conducted from the family home in Eastland Saturday at 2 p. m., by the Rev. W. T. Turner, pastor of the Eastland Baptist church. Burial was in the Eastland cemetery.
Survivors are the husband and following children: M. B. Griffin, Eastland; Mrs. C. M. Campbell, Eastland; F. S. Griffin, Clarksdale; Miss Mayes Griffin, Eastland; Miss Mary Lynn Griffin, Eastland, and Charlie and Maurice Griffin, Eastland.
Mrs. Griffin, with her husband and children came to Eastland about ten years ago and since that time had made their home here.
Alpine—\$12,000 double-drive steel bridge will be built on North Fifth street.
Paved highway to be laid between Uvalde and Rock Springs.

SCORE BADLY HURT

Police Believes Other Bodies May be Found In Wreckage When It Is Cleared Away
By United Press.
NEW YORK, April 20.—Four men were killed and 20 injured today when scaffolding collapsed on the 14th floor of the western union building under construction at Thomas street, west of Broadway.
The dead are: Salvatore Cordone, Otto Rowning, Samuel Jones and A. Carlo.
The scaffolding on the 15th floor struck another scaffold on the 9th floor, carrying several workmen down with it. In turn, the timbers from the two scaffolds struck a platform that jutted out just above the ground floor on which still more men were working. Police said more injured persons might be found under the wreckage.

LONG TAKES HIS CASE TO THE VOTERS

BATON ROUGE, La., April 20.—Gov. Huey P. Long today continued his statewide tour in defense of impeachment charges brought against him in the Louisiana Legislature, while the house of representatives stood adjourned until Monday without a vote to show its stand on five counts against the state executive investigated this week.
Yesterday's evidence concerned the charge Long habitually carried concealed weapons.
At Bogalusa, 500 persons heard Long hurl a challenge to impeachment proponents to come out in the open and fight. He accused them of being under the influence of the Standard Oil company and of using "Black Jack" methods.
Newspapers, which he said have "screamed with falsehoods," and "dirty" politicians, were subjects of the denunciatory attack. "Every time I have undertaken to carry out anything for this State this 'gang' has loaded its guns for me," he declared.
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Jews Dedicate New Breckenridge Temple

BRECKENRIDGE, Tex., April 20.—Jews from all parts of Texas assembled here today for the dedication Sunday of Temple Beth Israel, Jewish synagogue, the second for West Texas. The other is at San Angelo.

UNITED PRESS MEMBERS

The Chicago Daily Journal has just entered into a long term contract for United Press.
The Louisville Times has started United Press Service.
With addition of these members, the total number of newspapers receiving United Press is increased to 1,168.

Mob Whips Negro Taken From Jail

RICHMOND, Mo., April 20.—Cut from neck to waist by "black snake" blows, Floyd Allen, 20-year old negro, was back in the county jail here today after being delivered from his cell by a mob.
The mob drove up to the jail in a cavalcade of motor cars, overpowered the jailers, locked Sheriff Reed C. Woodward in a jail closet and imprisoned Constable Wheeler Carter in the kitchen while they took the prisoner.
Allen was charged with hitting two white women during a series of robberies here.

Five Escape From Jail At Lockhart

LOCKHART, Tex., April 20.—Five prisoners under penitentiary sentences saved their way out of the Caldwell county jail some time between dark and daylight Friday night.
Sheriff W. M. Ellison said he had no clue as to their whereabouts. The escaped men are Clay Whittle, Jimmie W. Travis, G. A. Benton, Paul A. erring and Ray McMillan.

Hope Yet Held for Reparations Confab

PARIS, April 20.—A feeble ray of hope that the reparations negotiations may yet be saved from utter collapse was seen today through the heavy gloom which hung over the conference.
In spite of the conviction of many of the international experts that the break between the German and the allied delegations was beyond all repair it was felt in some quarters that the three-day recess called by the sudden death of Lord Revelstoke might bring about a complete change of heart among the German representatives at the conference.
There will be a plenary session on Monday and Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, head of the German delegation, may have new proposals to offer to the creditor powers in liquidation of her war debts.

Confessed Kidnapper Given one to 20 Years

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Mrs. Edna Sharp, confessed kidnaper of two California children today was under sentence of from one to 20 years in San Quentin prison.
The abductor of baby Doris Virginia Murphy and Barbara Osborn failed to obtain probation yesterday and Judge Walter Johnson pronounced sentence.

TEN PICTURE COMPANIES ALL INDICTED

Federal Grand Jury indictment charges violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust Law.
By United Press.
LOS ANGELES, April 20.—The Federal grand jury has returned an indictment charging ten of the leading motion picture producing companies with conspiracy to violate the Sherman Anti-Trust act, it was announced today.
The indictment accuses the defendants of restraint of trade in creating zoning and clearance schedules which make it impossible for independent exhibitors to get first run pictures.
The companies named include Warner Brothers, Paramount-Famous-Lasky corporation, West Coast Theaters, Inc., Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, First National Pictures, Universal Film Exchange, Fox Film corporation, United Artists, Inc., Vitagraph, Inc., and Pathe Exchange, Inc.

Sweetwater Man "Crook's" Victim

SWEETWATER, Tex., April 20.—A burglary and two robberies, all occurring the same night with C. S. Boyles, Jr., editor of the Nolan County News the victim in all 3 cases, have resulted in indictments being returned by the grand jury against William Wright, alias Frank Price, young commercial artist from El Paso.

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Prohibition In "Spotlight" In Congress

By NATHAN ROBERTSON United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON, April 20.—Prohibition is drawing more and more in the spotlight in President Hoover's special session, it being apparent leaders are having great difficulty keeping the session from that ever-boiling pot.

Sen. Blease, Dem., S. C., announced today he would demand action on the resolution he introduced to prevent the diplomatic corps from having its privileged liquor.

In the House many prohibition and liquor bills already have been introduced. A Republican senator also is drafting a bill for the same purpose as the Blease resolution.

Senator Tydings, Dem., Md., will introduce a bill to amend the Jones, "five and ten" enforcement law.

Meanwhile the justice department has instructed U. S. District Attorneys to use "wise discretion" in prosecution cases under this law, suggesting "only good strong cases involving commercialism" be prosecuted "in order this new legislation be given a fair test."

Senator Blease was emphatic in his statement he will demand action on his diplomatic liquor resolution. He offered two resolutions on his diplomatic liquor resolution to curb the use of liquor by the diplomatic corps.

One proposed a constitutional amendment to extend the eighteenth amendment to foreign territory within the United States and the other proposed foreign nations be asked to send to this country as representatives "only persons who are willing to abide by the constitution and laws of this country."

The resolution proposing a constitutional amendment is entitled "a joint resolution to amend the constitution so as to subject any person or persons upon any foreign territory located in the United States or its possessions to the operations of the national prohibition laws."

SUNDAY'S RADIO FEATURES Copyright, 1929, by United Press WJZ and NBC Network 6:30 CST—Ralph Leopold, pianist and the International singers.

WJZ and NBC Network 7:15 CST—Variety program with John Hays Hammond, guest speaker. WJZ and NBC Network 8:15 CST—Clara Jacobs, soprano; Francis MacMillan, violinist; Kenneth Hines, tenor.

WABC and CBS Network 8:00 CST—Dramatization of "Alibi." WJZ and NBC Network 9:15 CST—Sunday at Seth Parker's.

WEDNESDAY'S RADIO FEATURES Copyright, 1929, by United Press WABC and CBS Network 12:45 CST—Address of Pres. Hoover, Associated Press luncheon.

WOR and CBS Network 8:30 CST—Program featuring Jack South, "whispering harpist." WJZ and NBC Network 9:00 CST—Marie Akcock, contralto and symphonic orchestra.

WJZ and NBC Network 9:00 CST—Shakespeare celebration: Adaptation of "The Tempest." WJZ and NBC Network 10:00 CST—Delibes' opera, "Lakme," in French.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Former Pres. Calvin Coolidge has been elected a counselor of the National Industrial Conference Board, whose membership is composed of leading executives in industry.

We wish to thank those who so kindly remembered us and our wife and mother, Mrs. Mollie Lee Griffin, in her recent illness and death and wish you to know that your kindness shall not be forgotten.

M. M. Griffin and Children.

OUT OUR WAY



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Oklahoma Storm Kills Woman and Much Livestock

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Okla., April 20.—One dead, at least 8 injured, and a score of homes destroyed was the toll of a tornado which early last night cut a half mile path extending from 6 miles south of here to a point 3 miles from Carnegie.

Lone Branch, Kiowa Indian woman, about 55 years old, was killed when the twister destroyed her home. Four other members of the Bear family were injured seriously. It is believed all will recover.

Four members of the R. L. Weeks family were in a hospital at Hobart today where they were taken for treatment for injuries sustained when the tornado destroyed their home.

The Cedar Dale school house was demolished by the storm, as was a filling station three miles from Carnegie.

A heavy rain, electrical and hail storm preceded the tornado. Most inhabitants had taken refuge in storm cellars when the tornado struck.

Stock suffered heavily. More than 50 head of hogs and several cattle and horses were killed on the Bob Eppler farm.

The entire tornado area was strewn with the bodies of dead animals.

AGRICULTURISTS GATHERING AT COLLEGE STATION

By United Press. COLLEGE STATION, Tex., Apr. 20.—The largest gathering of vocational agricultural students from Texas high schools in the history of the Texas Smith Hughes contests is expected for the twelfth competition, which opens at the A. & M. college here Monday.

More than 1,700 students in vocational agriculture have registered for the contest, comprising more than 400 teams, averaging four boys to a team.

The contest program calls for livestock, dairy cattle, farm shop, entomology, plant production and poultry production.

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Child Killed By A Tornado In the State

Thousands of Dollars of Damage Done in Texas—Arkansas's Resent Tornado Area Is Menaced by Disease Now.

By United Press. A cyclone spent its fury on two Texas towns Friday night, killing a seven-months old baby girl and leaving in its wake thousands of dollars in property damage.

The storm centered in the Sand Flats community southeast of Cleburne and at Paris.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McGee was huddled together in their small home in the Sand Flats section when the storm broke.

Their house was blown down and their baby girl killed by a flying timber. Mr. and Mrs. McGee escaped with minor injuries. Fragments of the home were carried for blocks.

Another house, unoccupied, a church and a barn were partially wrecked in the same community. The rain came in torrents and flooded the streets of Cleburne with two feet of water. Hail also accompanied the wind and rain.

At Paris, the wind blew for 30 minutes and demolished a section of the Texas & Pacific warehouse. No injuries were reported but property damage will run into many thousands of dollars.

Trees were blown down in all parts of the city and many small buildings were flattened to the ground.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 20.—Northeastern Arkansas hardly recovered from effects of a tornado which took more than 50 lives and devastated parts of six counties and suffering from spring overflows of many of its streams, faced the menace of disease today.

A State Health department bulletin issued yesterday listed 73 meningitis cases and 16 deaths from the disease in the past few weeks. Health measures were said to be greatly hampered by the conditions imposed from the area laid waste by the tornado two weeks ago where conditions of sanitation still were bad.

"The situation presents a serious problem to State, county and city health officers," Dr. C. W. Garrison, State health officer, said.

His First Cigarette Nearly Costs His Life

By United Press. PHILADELPHIA, April 20.—Smoking his first cigarette today, W. W. Cole, 54, set fire to his house and was nearly overcome before he rescued his four-year-old niece.

CENTURY PLANT TO BLOOM SOON

CISCO, April 20.—Those who have never seen one of these oddities of nature—a century plant in bloom, will shortly have that privilege. The plant is owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rinehart, of 308 East Seventh street, Cisco.

There is more or less mystery about a century plant, tradition having it that the plants bloom but once in a century. Hence the name. This is one of but two century plants in this section, the other being at Brownwood.

The Cisco plant, standing in the corner of the Rinehart yard, is armed with fleshy leaves that taper into spikes so sharp that one blundering into it at night would be severely lacerated.

It is about 16 years old and only last week a beautiful pinkish stem began to ascend from the center of the whirl of embattled leaves at the astonishing, almost unbelievable, rate of a foot a day.

The stem is now seven feet in height and about 16 inches in circumference. A mass of buds are already forming at the summit of this column and before long these should burst into a radiant cluster of blossoms. According to those who have seen century plants in bloom the stem grows sometimes to a height of 20 feet before blooming.

Needless to say the flowers are as beautiful as they are rare.

Mr. and Mrs. Rinehart are old-timers here, having moved to Cisco in 1883, forty-six years ago. They have a very beautiful yard of roses and flowers. They have several fruit trees in their back yard from which they canned 120 jars of fruit last year. Another oddity is the stump of a tree in their front yard which only died last year at the age of more than thirty years.

At first it was a flowering almond tree, but it was injured and part of it died down. Then the queer part of it was that when it sprouted new limbs they produced a splendid flavored plum. It continued to bear plums until it died last year.

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FEDERAL TIRES

FEW CASES ON TRIAL THIS WEEK

Matters will be almost at a standstill in district courts this week as far as trying cases are concerned.

Several non-jury suits are expected to come up before Special Judge Frank Sparks in the 88th District court.

STOLEN CAR RECOVERED

A Chrysler belonging to Mr. Kleiman of Eastland was stolen in Cisco and has been recovered by the sheriff's department. The automobile was found near Aledo. A hearing had burned out and the gasoline supply had been exhausted.

RECOMMEND UNION OF PRESBYTERIANS

By United Press. PHILADELPHIA, April 20.—Recommendations favoring the speedy union of all Presbyterians and Reformed churches in this

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF W. E. DAKAN, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of W. E. Dakan, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 23rd day of January, 1929, by the county court of Eastland county. All persons having claims against the estate referred to above are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post-office address are Eastland, County of Eastland, State of Texas.

MRS. MAE DAKAN, Executrix of the Estate of W. E. Dakan, Deceased. Apr. 7-14-21-28.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF F. A. HIGGINBOTHAM, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of F. A. Higginbotham, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 12th day of March, 1929, by the County Court of Eastland County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and postoffice address are Eastland, Eastland County, Texas.

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COMING EVENTS

May Day — Child Health Day. Annual Parade — and costume contest — Auspices Civic League and Ward school P. T. Associations. Wednesday, May First

Alpha Delphian Chapter open meeting. Neighboring town chapters special guests. Community clubhouse.

Saturday, May Fourth. "Annual Music Week", under auspices Music Club of Eastland. National and annual observance. Opens Sunday, May 5, and continues through Saturday, May 11.

MONDAY

Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p. m. Community Clubhouse. Church of Christ, class in evangelism, 2:30 p. m.; Rev. Wrye, lecturer.

Methodist Womens Missionary society, mission study, "Spiritual Adventuring," Mrs. S. P. Rumph, lecturer, in the church. Christian Ladies Aid society, 3 p. m. in the church.

Baptist Womens Missionary society, 2:30 p. m. Circle One with Mrs. J. Williams; Circle Two with Mrs. T. J. Pitts; Circle Three with Mrs. P. L. Parker; Circle Four with Mrs. Crouch.

Elks meet in regular session clubhouse, 8 p. m. TUESDAY

Question Club, Mrs. Joe H. Jones, hostess, 2:30 p. m., at residence. Ladies Auxiliary, Church of Christ, 2:30 p. m., in the church.

South Ward school Parents-Teachers association 4 p. m., in school. Royal Neighbors of America, 8 p. m., in M. W. A. hall.

Model Night School, demonstrated by West Ward school, 7:30 p. m., annual exhibit student work. Public invited.

WEDNESDAY

Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p. m. Community Clubhouse. St. Francis Altar society, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Dorsey, hostess.

Bethany class 2:30 p. m., out to session in grove of power plant. Wednesday Bridge club, bridge school 1 p. m. Mrs. Harry Reynolds, hostess.

McBowell Junior Music club, 1 p. m. residence Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins. Presbyterian choir practices 8 p. m., in the church.

THURSDAY

Blue Bonnet club, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. S. M. Gamble, hostess. Clover Leaf club, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. M. Root, hostess.

Thursday Afternoon club, 3 p. m. Community Clubhouse. Methodist church choir, 8 p. m. Mrs. Edna Dragoon, director.

Fidelis Matrons class, 8 p. m. Mrs. W. T. Turner, house hostess; Mrs. One, Mrs. Mead, captain; hostesses. Members, husbands, special guests.

FRIDAY

Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p. m. Community Clubhouse. Eastern Star study class, 2:30 p. m. Masonic Temple.

Friday Bridge club, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. John D. McEne, hostess. Order of Rainbow for Girls, 8 p. m. Masonic Temple.

Junior Violin Ensemble, 8 p. m. Methodist church; Wilda Dragoon, director.

Baptist church choir practice, 8 p. m. Rebekah and I. O. O. F. reception, 8 p. m., founders day celebration, program and reception to King orders.

Mrs. C. G. Norton presents musical class in costume recital and special playlet, 8:15 p. m., Community Clubhouse.

SATURDAY

Sanbeam Band 9:30 a. m., Baptist church, Mrs. W. F. Turner, director. Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p. m. Community Clubhouse.

Alpha Delphians chapter, 3 p. m., lower assembly room, Methodist church. Bake sale "on the square," Ladies Auxiliary, Church of God.

ing and will have the program out of doors beneath the big trees in the grove of the Oil Belt Power company. Hostesses will be Mrs. C. J. Sparks, Mrs. A. N. Stokes, Mrs. A. W. Hennessee and Mrs. M. Q. Taylor. All those intending to go are asked to assemble at the home of Mrs. W. J. Thomas and leave in a party for the choir spot where the meeting will be held at 2:30 p. m. A delicious luncheon will be served.

WILL HAVE MISSIONARY PROGRAM: The Womens Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet in the church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock for a mission study, "Spiritual Adventuring," with Mrs. S. P. Rumph, lecturer.

POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE MARRIED THURSDAY NIGHT: Miss Cora Belle Graham and Warren Hatten were married in Chico Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. Frank Singleton, who used the beautiful ring ceremony for the happy couple. The marriage took place in the Methodist parsonage. The bride was beautifully gowned in light blueorgette with a charming hat, shoes and silver purse to match. She was attended by Miss Mineola Graham, sister of the bride, smart in sandwich color that crepe with coat, hat and shoes ensemble and the groom's sister, Miss Mogene Hatten, prettily gowned in shades of rose crepe with coat and accessories to match. Following the ceremony, the bridal party was entertained in Eastland at the residence of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hatten, when a dainty supper and ices and cake were served.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Graham of this city, is a very charming young woman. She has been in the business world with signal success and private secretary for the Kinaird Insurance agency.

Mrs. Hatten, the groom, has been with the Oil Belt over company for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Hatten will go to housekeeping upon their return. Congratulations of friends are extended.

MRS. C. G. NORTON'S PUPILS WILL GIVE A MUSIC PLAY:

"Through the Music Book," a delightful music playlet, will be given Friday night at 8:15 o'clock in the Community Clubhouse by the pupils of Mrs. C. G. Norton. This clever little play has four principal characters, in "The Sisters," played by Ruth Ella Meek, and Edith Meek; The King, by Edwards Hargrove; Major Scale, by Paul Clifton. Others in the play are Gynesis, impersonated by Betty Perkins and Eleanor Ruth Ferguson; Children of the Kingdom, Norma Francis Vears; Marguerite Hart and Bobby Perkins. As the play is developed there are presented group songs and dances and music by the delightful little rhythm band. There are also individual selections which the children will announce as part of the play.

A cordial invitation is extended to all those who are interested to attend. The program will be given at 8:15 p. m. and will include the following numbers: Duet, "A Summer Lullaby"; Marguerite Hart; violin with Mrs. C. G. Norton at piano; piano solo "Catch Me," Edith Meek; song and dance, "The Bridge at Avignon," piano solo, "Up to Miss-

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SOUTH WARD PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION MEETS NEXT TUESDAY:

An interesting program will be presented at the meeting of the South Ward Parent-Teachers association next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Reports from the P. T. A. convention at Stephenville will be submitted by Mrs. Bert McGlamery and a round table discussion on the needs and the good of the school will be conducted by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, leader. Mrs. Harbin will present a voice solo, "A Little Child Shall Lead Them." All those interested are invited to attend.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON PROGRAM FOR THIS WEEK:

The Thursday Afternoon club will present a delightful program at their meeting this week and one that will be built about "Influence of the Dance on Music, Art and Drama." Primitive and Ancient Dances, Mrs. John W. Turner. Folk and Ceremonial Dances, Mrs. Frank Corzelius.

MARTHA DORCAS CLASS PARTY:

The Martha Dorcas class entertained their membership Friday afternoon in the lower assembly room of the Methodist church when the formal session was presided over by Mrs. W. A. Martin, the president. The program opened with the song in ensemble, "In the Garden," with Mrs. Geo. W. Sherrill at the piano. Reading of Scriptures followed and prayer was offered by Mrs. S. P. Rumph. The hymn, "Help Somebody Today," and prayer closed this period.

REBEKAH PLANS FOR LARGE ATTENDANCE:

The one hundred and tenth anniversary of the founding of the Rebekah and I. O. O. F. will be celebrated next Friday night by the local lodges who will entertain on this occasion, the orders from Cisco, Ranger, Eising Star, Desdemona, Gorman and Pioneer, a program will be arranged on the day of a meeting of a more or less informal nature as each lodge is expected to put on some feature of entertainment. Refreshments will be served by the Eastland hosts organization.

EASTERN STAR STUDY CLASS NOTES OF THE ORDER:

District Deputy Grand Matron Mrs. W. Z. Outward, returned yesterday from a week's trip through Northwest Texas where she made an address in Hamlin and then

followed by an itinerary through that section of the State in the interest of the office she is filling. The Eastern Star study class held a successful study session Friday afternoon in the Masonic Temple with Misses Roy Birmingham, J. W. Thomas, D. J. Fieney, George Gross and Qualm, present. The next session will be held Friday of next week.

ALPHA DELPHIAN PROGRAM:

French Fiction Before the Nineteenth Century will form the motif for the program of the Alpha Delphian chapter session of this week. The preparatory reading will be given by Mrs. J. B. Johnson. Such authors as Voltaire, Rousseau, and others will be discussed. The topic, "Gil Blas" will be given by Mrs. Ora B. Jones.

TEXAS COMPOSERS' DAY:

The Music club of Eastland held a most enthusiastic meeting in the Community Clubhouse Friday afternoon when the program centering about Texas composers day was offered by club members. The club was opened by Mrs. Thomas J. Pitts, the president, and the business session held preceding the program, was presented in an unusually interesting and complete manner.

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The list concluded with Mrs. Joseph B. Leonard of Eastland, composer of music for "Dear Old Texas," which received honorable mention in the Texas State song contest, and who had composition covering a number of years, when Mrs. Leonard taught in colleges prior to her Eastland residence.

Piano numbers, quartet and air, by Paul Von Katwijk and "Turkey in the Straw" the familiar composition by David Guion, were brilliantly played by Mrs. Joe Gison.

Mrs. B. E. McGlamery presented a very clever talk on the folk-lore and genius of Guion, and played excerpts from his compositions as illustration.

Mrs. H. B. Clifton of Olden interpreted brilliantly a violin solo, an aria with waltz strain, by Carl Venh, with a beautiful piano accompaniment by Mrs. Charles G. Norton.

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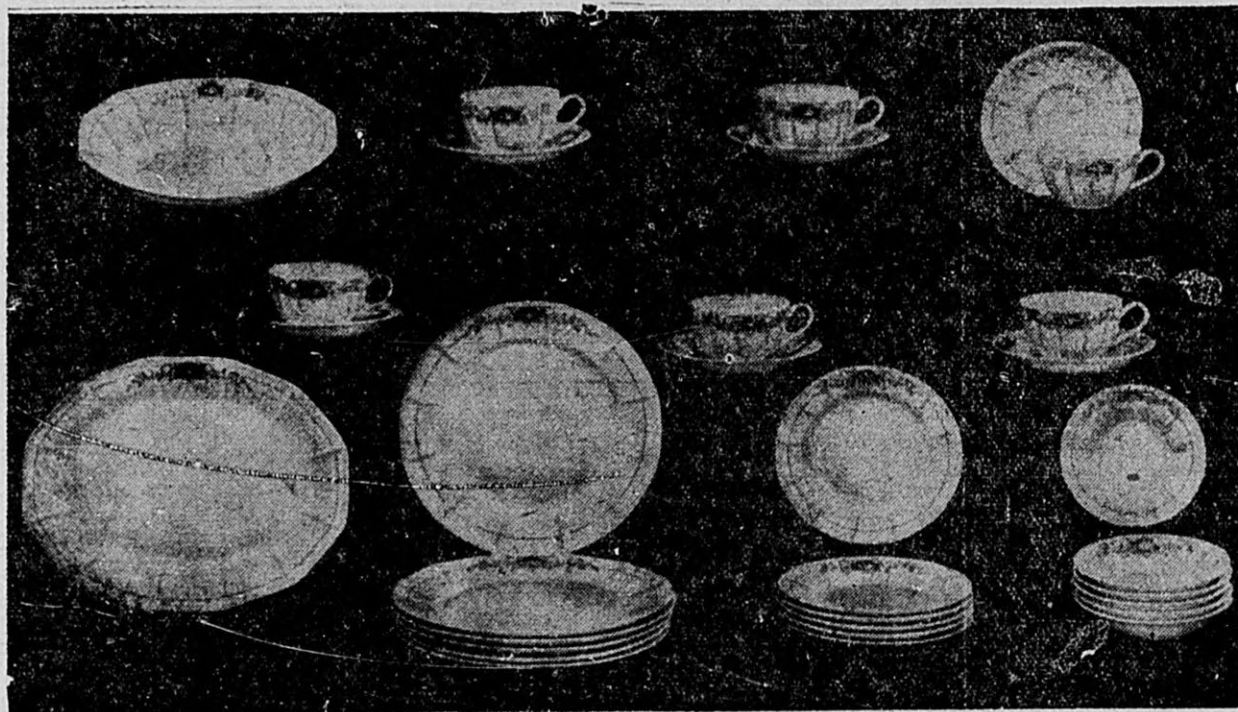
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Huck laughed. "No?" he mocked. "Well, get this. Neither you nor Armitage will stop me. I'll soon have that heel out of the way."

Pamela tells him that Mildred is going to marry Harold for his money. Stephen defends her and she is furious. She cables her father and has Mildred discharged. Harold tries to have her reinstated but to no avail. Pamela succeeds in poisoning Stephen's mind against Mildred and the latter has dreary days in search of work. Stephen seems lost to Mildred.

GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXII

Harold stood in the sitting room of the luxurious suite in the Judson that Huck Connor occupied on the same floor and next to his rooms. It was a familiar suite. He had spent many hours there, first in reckless gaming with his friends and then in contentions with the latter. He realized that he had been set in the trap that had been sprung upon him.

Huck greeted him with less of that cool urbanity, "Come in," said crisply. Harold closed the door behind him, but without taking his eyes from Huck's face. "Something was in the wind. So I was plain, and Harold sensed that whatever it was it foreboded further trouble for him. He had never before had seen Huck so openly irritated. Ordinarily he was so masterly in his calm, his domination of any situation that he never failed to whip the other into a fever of impotent rage. Now, missing the gesture, he experienced a cold dread. It was as if he had taken a matter of merely disturbing proportions and set it on fire. And he was upset. His face was almost drained of color, but his eyes gleamed satanically, and there was even the hint of a suppressed snarl upon his wicked-looking lips.

Harold made no motion to seat himself, standing where he was in the doorway, while Huck, in a few more quick turns up and down the room. Finally he looked upon Harold and his voice was like the sound of crackling

When did Pamela become engaged to Armitage?" he asked, his words off in brittle and even the silence in which he waited for Harold to answer elegant.

The boy had no answer. He was so much unawares. He only looked his surprise. "Your lips began to twist into that smile. 'So you won't talk?' If it was a secret, let me tell it out now. She gave me the name herself."

Harold didn't know anything about Pamela. He mumbled, then, his face mounting, he added: "But I'm damned glad of it."

Huck took a hurried step toward him and for a second Harold thought there would be a physical encounter. He knew he'd come off like a steak put through a chopper, but he didn't care. He even dared Huck to fight on several occasions.

Huck halted. Hands were his chief weapons of combat. He replaced the smile on his face.

"You may be damned glad to see that you're going to put a stop to it," he said hoarsely.

"Not for you?" Harold replied quickly. "You've compelled me to show your insinuations about things, but you'll overreach yourself if you try to interfere with her?" Huck laughed. "I'll own her! I know the name she's been playing. Armitage wasn't coming to suit her, so she used an old trick; maybe it worked, but she was out of luck when she tried to be the fall girl. Now you'll get busy and your old man that Armitage. If you need proof I'll furnish it, you mean," Harold

founded, as he tossed the words off like so many irrelevant formations of the alphabet.

"No, I'm not superhuman," he went on as Harold continued to stare speechlessly at him. "Just the turn of fortune. You ought to know by this time that we place our men, members of our intelligence service," he amplified jeeringly, "in every strategic position we can reach."

"It chanced, if I was correctly informed—here he paused to let what he had to say sink with its full import into the astounded boy's mind—" that you were still in bed one morning during your Easter vacation here when your father came to you with the evidence of your crime in his hand and a flat ultimatum which he laded out to you in regular stern parental fashion."

Huck was enjoying himself now. He'd been holding back this figurative ace in the hand he played against Harold until such time as the boy threatened to get out of control. Well, he had threatened and it gave Huck back a measure of his composure to put him on the pan and make him dance.

"Both of you forgot, or rather your father did not know, that a valet was busy in the adjoining bathroom, with the door partly open," he went on quietly. "That valet happened to be a man who had served me for some time."

Harold seemed to totter under this blow, but the next moment he had drawn himself up in a last effort to bluff it out.

"What of it, you dirty spy?" he cried half sobbingly.

"What of it?" Huck echoed lightly. "Well, here's what of it. You'll do anything before you'll let me send that check you gave me to your father. You're too clever for that. If you weren't clever you wouldn't have thought of dating it back two weeks so that it would appear enough time had elapsed since you were in a hole."

"Yes, damn you," Harold cried furiously; "a hole you got me in."

Huck was not disturbed by his vehemence. "Quite so," he said easily; "a hole I got you in to make an ally of you. You see we needed the entree you could give us to the right people. So we had to take you by the hand, little boy, and lead you to the slaughter."

He stopped and surveyed the tormented creature before him with sinister affability. Harold couldn't endure it. He staggered over to the nearest chair and dropped down with his face in his hands.

Huck pretended to be touched. "You'll have nothing to worry about," he said smoothly, "when Pamela and I are married. No, be quiet," he rasped as Harold jerked up his head to speak. "You can't stop it but I'll promise to give the check back to you and sever all our . . . er . . . business relations, just to have your help now . . ."

"I won't send that message!" "You would if I wanted you to, but I don't. You were right, Pamela would bolt. I just want you to keep your mouth shut. After Pamela and I are married I'll give you the check."

"You'll never marry her," Harold choked, but there was stark terror behind the words.

Huck laughed. He was perfectly calm now. Torturing Harold had quieted him.

"No?" he mocked. "Well, get this. Neither you nor Armitage will stop me. I'll soon have that heel out of the way."

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NATIONAL GRANGE LEADER EXPLAINS FARM MEASURE

Editor's note—The farm relief fight in Congress now revolves chiefly around the so-called debenture plan sponsored for several years by the National Grange. Because of the prominence this plan is to have during the special session of Congress, the United Press asked the Grange for an authorized explanation. In response the following was authorized:

By A. S. GOSS, of Seattle, Wash., Member of the Executive Committee, National Grange, Written for the United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—"In its essence the export debenture plan of farm relief, proposed by the National Grange, is intended to bring tariff benefits to the farmers who are engaged in growing crops of which we produce an exportable surplus. Certificates known as export debentures would be issued by the customs officials to the exporters of farm commodities coming within the scope of the act. Among the products considered are wheat, cotton, corn, tobacco, rice, meat and manufacturers thereof.

"The certificate issued to the exporter would be negotiable and would be redeemable at its face value in payment of import duties. Since the exporter of any debenturable commodity would be able to get for it the world price in addition to the debenture value, it is plain that competition among exporters would automatically reflect the increased price back to the farmer.

"The justification for the plan lies in the fact that those who produce our exportable farm surpluses, in common with the rest, are obliged to pay tariff costs, while they are compelled to sell their products in the world's market at the world's price. While these producers are paying the higher prices occasioned by our tariff system, they are not receiving corresponding benefits. For example, the present 42 cent tariff on wheat is rendered largely ineffective because our surplus must be sold in the world market, and the price at which the surplus is sold determines to a great degree the domestic price.

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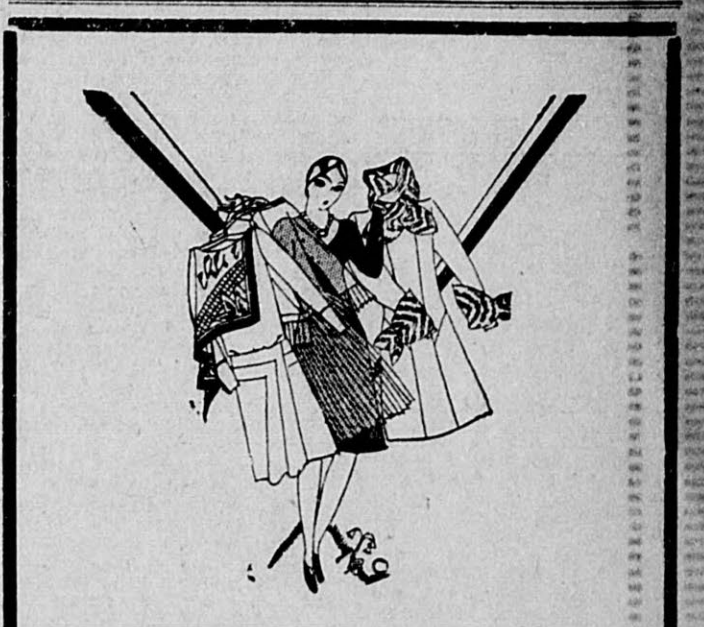
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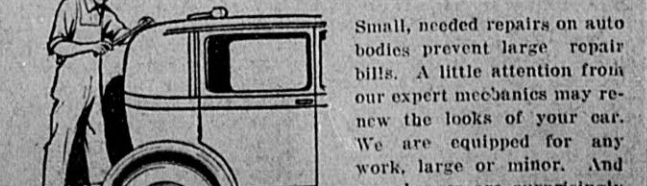
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you may be damned glad to see that you're going to put a stop to it," he said hoarsely.

"Not for you?" Harold replied quickly. "You've compelled me to show your insinuations about things, but you'll overreach yourself if you try to interfere with her?" Huck laughed. "I'll own her! I know the name she's been playing. Armitage wasn't coming to suit her, so she used an old trick; maybe it worked, but she was out of luck when she tried to be the fall girl. Now you'll get busy and your old man that Armitage. If you need proof I'll furnish it, you mean," Harold

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Craig Washington, negro, was in the Ranger jail today on a charge of theft.

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2-MALE HELP WANTED

I AM running a McNess Store On Wheels and making more money than I ever made before. There is an opening for a reliable man to run a McNess Store On Wheels, \$7 to \$12 daily; year around work. Experience unnecessary; unusual offer. Write me at once. R. D. Chapman, 3309 So. 1st St., Abilene, Texas.

3-FEMALE HELP WANTED

LADY-collector wanted by local business firm. Must know the town and have had some experience in collecting. Prefer young lady who lives in Eastland. For interview address your reply stating experience, number of years in Eastland, to box collr., care Eastland Telegram.

WANTED-Middle aged white woman for housekeeper for man and wife. Call 544J Sunday.

7-SPECIAL NOTICES

STRAYED OR STOLEN-One fawn colored Jersey cow 7 years old; one fawn colored Jersey 2 years old, branded 11N- on left side and is heavy with calf or left young calf. One red cow, 2 years old branded 11X- on left side and heavy with calf. One bull calf, color red, with little white spots and unbranded. These cattle were raised five miles east of Eastland on the Staff road and have drifted off or been stolen, and may have found their way through gate into someone's pasture. Will pay anyone for their trouble or for any information. J. W. Horn, Olden, Texas.

MISSTAKE SERVICE-If your books are out of balance let us audit them. If you wish to open a new set call us; no job too large, none too small. Accounting in any line a specialty. For appointment call 172. Weakley's Accounting Service.

8-ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Bedroom with garage. 909 South Seaman.

2 furnished light housekeeping rooms, 105 E. Valley.

FOR RENT-Two light housekeeping rooms. 708 S. Bassett.

9-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Five room newly papered home with garage and garden. Corner High and Conner streets. Call 377 or see Ben Matthews.

FOR RENT-Gulf cottage, unfurnished. Phone 176 or 16. H. P. Brelsford.

11-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-Two-room apartment, furnished, with bath. 301 N. Green St.

FOR RENT-2 room furnished apartment. 305 N. Oak.

TWO ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT

FOR RENT-Newly papered five and three room furnished apartments. All south rooms. Private bath. Garage. 612 West Plummer.

FOR RENT-Furnished apartment; two rooms; couple preferred. 302 East Main.

FOR RENT-Nice three-room apartment to let. Mrs. Snow Frost, 461 So. Dixie Street.

14-REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

TO EXCHANGE For Eastland property 320 acres in Hudspeth county. P. O. Box 247. X-Y-Z Eastland, Texas.

15-HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Six-room home, hardwood floors, high school district, paved street; \$3,600; terms. Nine-room house, two baths, paved street, \$3,500; terms, or would consider small house. Four-room house with bath; reasonably priced. Mrs. Frank Jenkins, 512 Texas State; residence phone, 398R.

23-AUTOMOBILES

WANTED-Ford coupe or roadster-cash. Dealers needn't call. See Dean at Poe Furniture Co.

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Kellert Serv. Station, S. Seaman
Texaco Jones, phone 123.

TEXAS GAS MEN PROMINENT IN CONVENTION

DALLAS, April 18. - Texas and Oklahoma gas men will play an important part in the annual convention of the American Gas Association in Kansas City May 6 to 9.

Henry C. Morris, vice president of the Fort Worth Gas company, is vice president of the department and is in line to be elected to the chairmanship. He probably will preside at a number of the sessions.

Frank L. Chase of Dallas, vice president of the Lone Star Gas Co., will preside on the afternoon of May 8 over a question discussion at which a number of problems of the industry will be presented.

R. M. Redding, engineer of the Dallas Gas Co., will deliver a paper on industrial sales and Miss Lois Upshaw, advertising manager of the Dallas Gas Co., will preside at an important meeting of women of the gas industry to be held May 6, the opening day of the convention.

Joseph E. Leopold, of Dallas, manager of the South Central Division of the United States Chamber of Commerce, will be one of the two speakers at the annual banquet on the night of May 8.

Among the Oklahoma men on the program are T. R. Weymouth, Oklahoma Natural Gas corporation, of Tulsa, whose subject is "Measuring Large Volumes of Gas," E. A. Clark, of Tulsa, who will talk on "Distribution," M. M. Kinley, of Tulsa, who will present a motion picture on "Putting Out Well Fires," and N. A. C. Smith, U. S. Bureau of Mines, Bartlesville, who will have an address on natural gas research.

In addition to these Mrs. Luella M. Fisher, who is to come to Fort Worth this summer to present a home service course, will conduct a symposium on home service at the convention.

The convention was held at Dallas last May and drew the largest attendance ever recorded at a natural gas convention in the United States. Kansas City is now trying to outdo Texas in its welcome.

WTCC MANAGER OBJECTS TO STEER HEAD

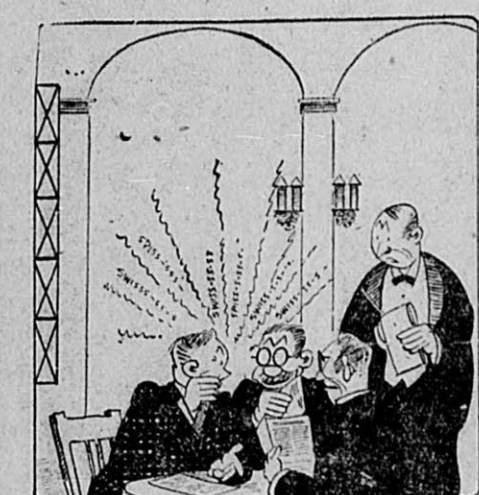
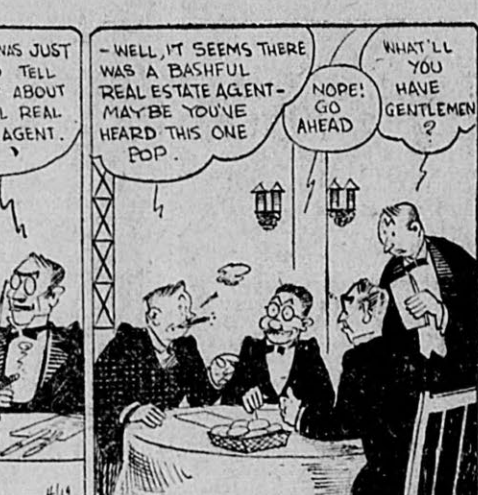
STAMFORD, April 19. - Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has taken exception to an advertisement of a well known company which carried a map of 116 states, representing each by a picture of that product in which the state leads.

Wade said in a letter written to the company: "There are six and one-half million head of cattle in Texas and less than one per cent of this vast

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



MOM'N POP



number are of the long horn type, Wade declares. The rest of them are graded and registered. Texas leads all states in the union in the number of cattle and it was Wade's opinion that if the advertising company intends using cattle to designate Texas, they should have used the head of a registered cow instead of a brand that is now practically extinct.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were submitted by the resolution committee of the oil belt district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, held in Ranger Thursday, and were adopted by the assembly:

1. In the matter of our water laws, we believe that the statutes should set out definitely, the priority rights as follows:

- (1) Domestic and municipal purposes
(2) Irrigation
(3) Hydroelectric purposes
(4) Other uses.

We believe that the Woodward bill as presented at the forty-first legislature will safeguard the interests of West Texas in regard to our water rights, and we respectfully request that Governor Moody submit the matter of

amending our water laws at the special session which he has called, with the hope that the above bill can and will be enacted into a law.

2. We urge upon the special session of the legislature the necessity of making adequate appropriations for the support and maintenance of the fast growing educational institutions in West Texas. We also call upon that body to make proper appropriations for the state experiment stations established in West Texas, as well as the one provided for and to be located in this section of the state.

3. This convention also records itself in favor of a forward looking policy as to taxation, and one that will lend encouragement to the development of our resources in this section of the state, at the same time a policy that will give justice to the property interests of the state.

4. We give our endorsement to the proposed constitutional amendment that seeks to give adequate salaries to the governor and other state officers also to the proposed amendment that will give the legislators time and pay that will enable them to give proper attention to the law-making branch of the government.

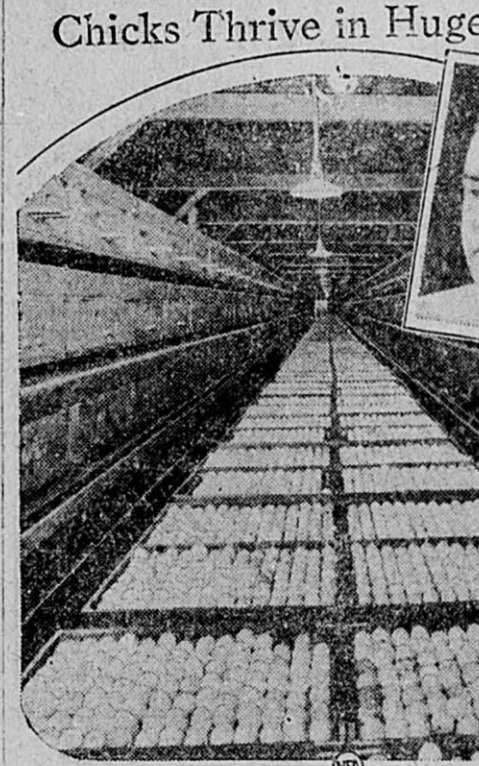
5. We do not believe that there is a widespread demand for a material reduction in automobile registration fees. We express the opinion, that a reduction of 20 per cent would be adequate, and we also express the conviction that a raise to a maximum of more than three cents per gallon in taxes on gasoline would be hurtful to that industry, and also the development of agriculture, since a large per cent of agriculture is being done with motor driven machinery.

6. We believe that the interests of the state would be enriched if intolerance could be relegated, and a patriotic desire for development cultivated.

7. The time for the taking of the census is near, and we respectfully urge that our citizenship bestir itself to that end, that the population, development of our resources, etc., be properly accounted for. We also pledge ourselves to work untiringly to the end that West Texas may be redistricted in such a way as to receive the proper representation both in the state legislature, and at the national capital.

8. The Texas Synod of the Presbyterian church having decided to consolidate its three schools in Texas, and building a university with the resources at its command, we express our sincere sympathy in the efforts of Brownwood to secure this consolidated institution. This for the reason that Brownwood is in the geographical center of the state, and is or will soon be practically in

Chicks Thrive in Huge Home



What is said to be the world's largest chicken hatchery is that of Leo A. Bourke at Petaluma, Calif. It has a capacity of 1,500,000 eggs at one setting and its annual output is between six and seven million chicks. The incubators, as is the rest of the plant, are electrically operated. An aisle used for cooling 20,000 eggs is shown here, with Bourke in the inset.

truck parked along the highway at Pierce. Coffey died in the hospital three hours after the accident.

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Raising Peanuts In This County

By GAINES SHULTS, Pioneer Agriculturist student

The kind of lands suitable for peanuts are sandy loam and shallow sand. Some of the important things to consider in peanut growing are, the soil and climatic conditions, and the cost of production.

Plants of the best quality are produced on light sandy soils. The darker soils will stain the peanuts and render them less desirable from the market standpoint. Hard, compact soils are not adapted to peanuts, because the nuts cannot penetrate into the earth and therefore they cannot develop. Eastland county has several kinds of soils, with the sandy soil predominating.

Peanuts require from one hundred to one hundred-forty growing days. Eastland county has two hundred forty-two growing days. The peanuts do better and produce the best yield if they receive from forty to fifty inches of rainfall annually, but a dry season is more favorable than one which is too wet. Eastland county has an average rainfall of 27 inches.

America produces only a small part of the world's supply of peanuts. If America should be forced to compete with China and Japan, the price of peanuts would be very low. A tariff has been placed on peanuts, and the price has gone higher. This in turn has made the market demand greater.

The increasing interest in livestock in the south has made a greater demand for peanut hay and peanut meal, and the price will probably continue to rise.

The crop rotation plan must be followed in order that the soil will be in proper condition for the crop. Peanuts should not be planted on the same land more often than once every three or four years.

Peanut land should be terraced if it is at all rolling. Peanuts are hard on the soil and if grown on the same land over one or two years, they will ruin the land until it will take four or five years to build it back up to its original value.

There are several good reasons why farmers in Eastland county should raise peanuts. Some of

the main reasons: First, peanuts have been known to thrive and make good returns here, when other crops failed; second, Eastland county has suitable soils, suitable climate, and plenty of land on which peanuts can be raised; third, there is a market for peanuts and money can be made on them if the farmer will spend a few extra hours in cultivating them.

Peanuts have several uses. They can be used as feed and the hay can also be used as food. They can be sold at a ready market. They can be used in making peanut meal, and the hay can be turned under, making an excellent fertilizer for the land.

Peanuts can be grown between the trees in an orchard, they can be grown by themselves in a field, or they can be grown with other crops in the field.

There is money to be made in peanuts here in Eastland county if a man will get into the business right.

How the New Marriage License Law Will Read The new marriage license law recently passed by the Texas legislature reads as follows:

Article 4605-A. For the purpose of ascertaining all facts required under the statutes, the county clerk, at the time the license is applied for, shall examine the applicant under oath as to age and residence, which shall be reduced to writing by the county clerk, and subscribed to by the applicant. In case either party is absent when application is made an affidavit shall be made by a person other than the contracting party as to the age and residence of the absent party. Said affidavit to be filed in some county clerk's office.

Article 4605-B. Application for license shall be made at least three days before and not more than thirty days before the license shall be issued. Immediately upon receipt of an application for a li-

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BIG BOXING CARD TUESDAY NIGHT

FANS MUST PROVE THEIR INTEREST, THOUGH, OR ELSE

ogram at Eastland City Hall May Be the Last One Presented if Donations Do Not Show Real Increase—Splendid Bouts Are Scheduled.

The classic card that has yet been offered in the series of boxing programs in Eastland will be presented Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the city hall auditorium. It is announced by M. Nunn, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce athletic committee.

Ed T. Cox, Eastland High School's most renowned fighter of all time, will meet Billy Jenne, the Carbon giant, in the feature bout of the evening. Cox, who weighs 200 pounds, will be outweighed a mere matter of 40 pounds or so by Jenne, but many fans believe that he has the power to meet the gigantic Jenne on equal footing.

wards and Mathews, whose bouts were held a week ago and the bouts are getting each time.

boys are giving their best efforts in the service of the athletic fund. There is a return engagement. Each other in action and doubt each has mapped a plan of action that will be decidedly in his favor and expect to win.

But those in charge do not think that the contributions have been as liberal as was hoped for. The amount collected goes to the expense of putting the field in tiptop shape.

the public wants to show appreciation of the efforts of the men who are entertaining them without any reimbursement. If the fans further wish to have the opportunity of going to the bouts every two weeks, they should dig a little deeper in their pockets for if the donations are not larger this time, it is probable that there will be no more bouts.

the purpose is to obtain free tickets to complete the athletic fund and if these contributions amount to only \$35 every two weeks the committee is likely to stage these programs at all proportion to the amount raised for the field.

average contribution has been less than a man pays for an automobile. If he went to see a show, he would pay \$1.00 but the average donation has been far below this amount. Each spectator will "kick in" a dollar can be taken in the form of a real boost to the team that Eastland hopes to have next fall.

biggest crowd and the biggest bet yet" is the goal that has been set for Tuesday night.

CO GOLFERS MEET DUBLIN AND DE LEON

Senior Golfers to Play Sunday

adopted by superintendents of the district. A schedule was adopted giving Amarillo five out of six games at home. Vernon will be the Samnies' only out-of-town game.

HERE AND THERE

Mineral Wells, Sweetwater and Big Springs have entered the Oil Belt district and will take part with Breckenridge, Brownwood, Cisco, Abilene, Eastland, Ranger and San Angelo in a struggle that may be the hottest the loop has ever seen.

Doping a race five or six months in advance is the veriest guessing. But we will hazard the statement that Abilene and Cisco may not prove quite as strong as last season. Both of them graduated a big flock of stars. Ranger's loss of Hinman and Hammett, as well as several other veterans, will be felt.

With indications that the three strongest teams may not equal their 1928 standard, what of the other eleven? Breckenridge should be quite a bit stronger than last season. Eastland and Brownwood will have teams that are heavier and more experienced than in '28. San Angelo is hard to figure out but will have to be reckoned with, even though Massey and Baker will be out of the picture.

And then, of course things are scrambled up still more by the entry of Mineral Wells, Sweetwater and Big Springs. Those teams will win games.

Of course, all the other teams will concentrate on eliminating Abilene — if possible. Breckenridge too will come in for considerable attention.

Maybe it'll be 1926 all over again. That year, Ranger lost to Stephenville. Then Stephenville lost to Abilene. And Abilene lost to Ranger. Up to that point, Cisco was undefeated. The Lobbes blotted out all hopes for Stephenville by handling the Yellow Jackets their recon defeat. But along came Buster Mills and ten other fighting bulldogs to bust Cisco's perfect record. The Lobbes defeated the Eagles and that put Abilene out in the cold, leaving Ranger and Cisco with one loss each.

When Ranger won the Thanksgiving Day game with the Lobbes, it brought to a close the district's wildest race.

Only one flaw appears in the prospect for the most hotly-contested race in years — and therefore the biggest crowds and greatest interest ever. And that flaw is the possibility of eligibility disputes. It is to be hoped that all the questions can be settled before the conference season begins.

With all ineligible players — if there are any ineligibles — ruled out before the first official game, the fans can look forward to thrilling moments and anxious hours between games.

And speaking of "the first official game" — that should come earlier than ever. (This was written before the schedule meeting.) With ten Class A teams, that doubtless means nine conference games for each team instead of 6 as has been the case in preceding years.

TOP PRICE IS PAID FOR CISCO HOGS

Three and one-half cars, 280 head, or practically all the hogs shipped to market this week by the Cisco Cooperative Livestock Marketing association brought the top prices on the Fort Worth market yesterday. One other car, hogs sent by the John Tarleton college at Stephenville, brought the top with the Cisco consignment. The top price was \$11.10 guaranteed.

Twenty-five big sows in the Cisco consignment brought \$9.25 while 35 feeder shoats were sold for \$8.75, neither of these classes being guaranteed.

Cattle also sold extremely well, prices ranging from \$5.75 for canner cows to \$14.25 for fat yearlings. There were 22 head of cattle in all.

Several bald faced calves fed by R. L. and W. J. Poe, weighing better than 800 pounds each brought an average price of \$13.75.

The result of the shipment, one of the largest ever sent by the association, are very gratifying to the members of the association. R. L. Poe and I. E. Ramsey accompanied the shipment to Fort Worth, returning yesterday after the sale.

Game at Morton Valley Today

A red hot baseball game is predicted for this afternoon, when Punkin Center will invade Morton Valley.

The diamond five miles north of Eastland—right beside the highway—was the mecca for nearly a hundred cars last Sunday and, if the weather is favorable, fully as large a crowd is expected today.

The teams are regarded as well matched and a hard fought game is in prospect.

PLAY IN BRECKENRIDGE

Breckenridge Gulf team and the Eastland Arab team will meet this afternoon on the diamond at the Breckenridge fair grounds.

Construction started in Mexico on large building for Welch Motor company.

COTTON

By United Press.

NEW YORK, April 20.—The cotton market worked lower during the past week on favorable weather reports, a break in wheat and general liquidation in May. Rather heavy selling during the week held the market, however, and no sharp breaks occurred, declines moving within a range of from 10 to 15 points.

After opening firmly in the initial session on general rains in the belt over the week-end, prices recanted under pressure in the final hour and sagged to net losses of 11 to 16 points on the day.

Disappointment over the farm relief plan suggested, at the reassembling of Congress depressed values further in the immediate subsequent session and the decline was furthered by a sharp

break in Indian cotton at Liverpool and in Alexandria quotations, unfavorable weather reports failing to check reactionary tendencies.

The weekly weather report on Wednesday was a bearish factor, showing conditions favorable to cotton and prices sagging to the lowest levels in two weeks. Liquidation in this session was checked somewhat by strength in the May position, but demands for May contracts developed considerable resistance.

FLIERS ARE KILLED

By United Press.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 20.—Four naval aviators were killed in the crash of two airplanes which locked wings 400 feet above the Coronado country club golf course late yesterday. Lieut. A. H. Patterson, 31, Ensign Herbert Bassett, 25, and Ensign H. R. Sheehan, 24, were killed instantly. H. H. Brown, radio operator, died in the navy hospital.

TODAY'S STOCKS

Chrysler Corp.	93 3/4
Studebaker	82 1/2
Wright A. C.	246
Curtis Airplane	150 1/2
Gulf Oil of Pa.	159 3/4
Humble Oil	115 3/4
Standard Oil, N. Y.	43 3/4
Chesapeake Corp.	88 1/2
Trans-Continental Oil	11
T. P. C. & Oil	20 3/4
Texas Corp.	68
P. O. & G.	63
Shell Union Oil	30 3/4
Armour A. Ill.	13 1/2
U. S. Steel	185 1/2
PPL (new)	56 3/4
Vacuum Oil	126
General Motors	84 3/4
Ford	138 1/2
Montgomery Ward	124 1/2
Radio	101 1/2

MRS. PRESLEY ELECTED PRESIDENT

By United Press. MIDLAND, Tex., April 19.—Mrs. A. F. Presley of Lubbock was chosen as president of the El Paso Presbyterial of the Presbyterian church and Mrs. John McCall of El Paso was made secretary at the final session held here Thursday. Clovis, N. M., was chosen as the next meeting place.

Georgetown—Two-story business building will be erected here shortly.

IMPORTANT QUESTION

How much did you save last year?

Eastland Building and Loan Association

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS



The Goodyear-Zeppelin Corporation, a subsidiary of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., was awarded the contract to build two giant rigid airships of 6,500,000 cubic feet each for the United States Government. Skyway or highway—factory or field—Goodyear leads.

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HIGH PRESSURE	BALLOONS
30 x 3 1/2	29 x 4.40
\$5.35	\$6.30
31 x 4	30 x 4.50
\$9.00	\$7.30

Famous Goodyear All-Weather Treads For 1929

30x3 1/2	\$6.75	29x4.40	\$8.25
31x4	\$12.00	30x4.50	\$9.25
32x4 1/2	\$16.75	31x5.25	\$12.80

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29 x 4.40	\$5.95
30 x 4.50	\$6.95

CECIL COLE WINNER OF TEXAS RACE

Cecil Cole, former Ranger high school student won the two mile run in a triangular track between Texas University, Southern Methodist University and Baylor University.

Cole ran the two mile stretch in 10 minutes, 43.8 seconds. He beat Murphy, S. M. U., Levi and Cate, Texas.

Three-Quarters Inch Rain Falls

RANGER, Texas, April 20.—Three-quarters of an inch of rain fell in Ranger and vicinity Thursday night. Rain started falling about 11 o'clock and continued until 3 o'clock Friday morning. Although accompanied by lightning no damage was reported. Rains were reported from all portions of the county and Palo Pinto and Stephens counties.

ADOPT NEW GRID RULE

AMARILLO.—A rule whereby ineligibility of a high school football player in District One would disqualify the player but not throw out the games in which the player has participated, has been

EL PASO—Stone Motor company established in recently completed building.

BROKEN SIZES

As our quitting business sale continues our line of sizes in shoes, dresses etc., become broken and now are being regrouped and the prices given an extra cut.

It's just a question of finding your size in order to buy at most ridiculously low prices.

Don't fail to visit this store before buying.

The Boston Store

SOCIETY

Continued from page 3

The old choral club, presented the new punch bowl and glasses for use in the Community Clubhouse, and presented in compliments to the Music club. The bowl received its christening and from its depths the club enjoyed a delicious iced fruit punch, served with tea cakes.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered the donors. Mrs. Wayne Jones, incoming president of the Music club, announced a year book committee, for 1929-30, with request that they begin to assemble their data for the publication.

Personnel: Mmes. Joseph M. Perkins, F. O. Hunter, Grady Pipkin and B. B. Bickerstaff.

Mrs. W. K. Jackson, chairman, presented the plans for the Music week committee, Mmes. J. M. Perkins, H. O. Satterwhite, J. M. Mouser, E. C. Satterwhite, Wayne Jones, A. J. Campbell, Virgil Seaberry and T. J. Pitts.

The outline was received with enthusiasm. Mrs. Grady Pipkin moved that the club adopt these plans and endorse them, and that the Music week committee be authorized to arrange program according to the best of their ability as proposed.

A rising vote of thanks was extended Mrs. Virgil T. Seaberry, for the gift of a Persian Prayer rug, on behalf of the Music club and which is to decorate the walls of the clubroom.

Mrs. Thomas J. Pitts, the president, spoke most appreciatively of the work of Mmes. J. M. Perkins, and E. B. Baldwin, with their assistants in the annual Music club luncheon.

A formal note of thanks to this effect was engrossed upon the minutes of the Music club.

After discussion of several lines of study for the coming year, the club unanimously voted to take up the work of American music which offers a virile and virgin field.

Those attending were Mmes. Thomas J. Pitts, Grady Pipkin, A. J. Campbell, Charles G. Norton, Wayne Jones, H. B. Clifton, W. G. Doughtie, B. E. McGlamery, H. O. Satterwhite, Turner Collier, R. L. Perkins, T. J. Haley, E. C. Satterwhite, W. A. Hart, W. T. Root, W. J. Herrington, Joe Gibson, W. K. Jackson, Misses Vera Hearn and Greichen Overton.

The clubhouse was most beautifully arranged for the session by the hostesses for the day, Mmes. R. L. Perkins and W. K. Jackson, and adorned with bouquets of roses on the president's table, on the piano and arranged in a graceful basket about which was flung an American flag, in compliment to Texas Composers' Day.

M'DOWELL JUNIOR CLUB WILL MEET

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins will be hostess at her residence to the Junior M'Dowell Music club on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A delightful program will be presented. The young girls forming this little organization will be asked to plan a music week feature to be presented sometime between May 5 and May 11, annual National Music week.

MUSIC TO AID THE HOUSEWIFE

FT. WORTH, April 20.—It isn't going to cause broken dishes, scarred enamel and dented skillets, the housewife really will have her day at last. Home economic experts, ever on the alert to lighten the housewife's burdens, are proposing musical accompaniment for household tasks.

Miss Kathryn Parker, home demonstration agent, is advocate for the proposal in Tarrant county. The plan, at first blush the manifestation of an age gone jazz, Hollywood and haywire, is in reality a very logical one and if followed intelligently will prove a boon to women born with hatred for the dishpan, the broom and the oil mop, Miss Parker believes.

It will extend the functions of music, already found invaluable in the teaching of typewriting, to a channel for which some assistance has been sought since Eve spread out the first cocoon shell to dry.

Women who heretofore have gone at a pan stacked with dishes with the same gentle and kind expression that they would afford a rattlesnake, probably will dip in to it gracefully hereafter to the tune of "I Can't Give You Anything But Love."

Those who have swept the floor perkily or listlessly before will glide their broom easily and enjoyably over the floor as the phonograph or radio whistles, "Sweethearts on Parade."

Aid to Good Humor She will smile into a pan of larded muffins rather than spoil her beauty in scowling, and will shift them into the garbage can as the radio dips into "She's Funny That Way."

The principle behind this plan of working to music is comparatively simple. The rhythmical motion is the simple, economical motion, however much it may seem otherwise. It is saving of both time and energy and, to the housewife, the latter is the most important of all saving, the experts say.

If thoroughly in the spirit of the thing—and the chances are all that the music will put her that way—the housewife will go through her chores each morning in a delightfully semi-conscious state, never thinking to curse her slavery to the kitchen as she often went to do. When she has finished, her mind, at least, will not be fatigued as it usually is. Her nerves, usually frayed and raw, simply because of her rebellious attitude, will be easy and rested.

Fatigue Eliminated Actually, she will be less tired physically. A test that proves this to be true calls for standing still, perfectly still, for a certain length of time, noting the degree of fatigue, then trying a rhythmical stance for the same length of time. With or without music a stance that involves an ever so slight swaying from one foot to another is many times less tiring. This swaying motion, more rhythmical perhaps, is inevitable if music is being played.

So a person standing at a sink, whether she lets the hands that scrub the pans or shine the glasses follow motions suggested by the music or not, is certain to suffer less foot weariness if she sways to the music than the one who merely stands or slumps there.

Unless she becomes entirely oblivious to the fact that her task in hand is primarily dish-washing, she's not likely to break dishes, scum the enamel or dent the skillets. So perhaps the housewife really will have her day at last.

MACHINE PRESENTED TROY, N. Y.—American Legion posts in Albany county recently presented a sun-ray machine to the Albany County Tuberculosis Camp near Albany.



The tremendous task faced by relief agencies in the tornado area of Arkansas is indicated in the picture above, taken at Diaz. Many families lost everything in the storm. Others are finding their belongings scattered at great distances from their homes.

District, Sr. Epworthians In a Meeting

Large Attendance From Numerous Towns Marks Session Held in the Eastland Methodist Church.

By MRS. W. K. JACKSON The district Senior Epworth League registered a very large attendance drawn from the surrounding towns to the Eastland Methodist church and presided over by M. C. Smith of Desdemona. Prayer was offered by Miss Janie Greenwaldt of DeLeon. The hymns given in ensemble at the opening of the session included, "I Know on Whom I Have Believed," "Faith of our Fathers," "Faith is the Victory," with Miss Melba Mason of Eastland at the piano.

The program was given as published in the Eastland Telegram. The business session was conducted by Mr. Smith, district secretary. The financial status of this district stands second high in the State and this has been announced to the conferences. The summer assembly which will be held at T. W. C. in Ft. Worth in June, will have delegates from each league, four or five in number. The program was prepared by Mrs. Juan Mason and the general

chairman in charge, Mrs. June Kimble, served refreshments of iced punch and delicious home baked cakes at close of evening. The refreshments were contributed by the Womens Missionary society of the church.

Cisco was represented by Misses Ruby and Fae Latson, Mary Latch, Rev. Frank Singleton and sons, Hampton and Herman, Melvin McFall, and Byron Lovelady; Rangers: Misses Helen Colson, Mary Elizabeth Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, Carl Turner, Jaston, Dixen, G. Williams; Breckenridge: Misses Mary Louise Virginia Athey, Marguerite McCormick, Patricia Work, Albert Hamilton, Billie Mathews, Mrs. H. W. Athey, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Banes, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Scheffer, Misses Edna Hitchcock, Beatrice Toland, Vanilla Price and Eleanor Gibbs; Carbon, J. C. Poe, Raynell Rankin, and Miss Lois Howell; Rising Star: Misses Floey Keller, Mildred Irvin, Helen, Rachael, Ruth and Metia Clarkson, Mrs. A. E. Turner, and Perry Turner, Elvis Lane, Robert Turner, Frank Jacob, Billie Thomas and Lee Henry; Caddo: Joe Suthren, Kenneth Garrett and Rev. J. W. Bond; Gorman: Misses Elva Hossard, Benice Martin, Faye Kirkpatrick, Lig Overby and Rev. Seba Kirkpatrick; DeLeon: Misses Beth Daniels, Allene Weaver, Ruth Kenp, Kate Holland, Virginia Greenwaldt, Janie Greenwaldt, Nerine Donoho, Paul Pearson, H. T. Weaver, Mrs. M. Y. Adelle Kemp and Rev. S. J. Rucker.

Eastland was represented by Misses Jane Rotrammel, Ruby Tindell, Evelyn Hearn, Catherine Cox, Lucille Brogdon, Nell Mackall, Mary Sue Rumph, Polly

Rumph, Melba Maxson, Mmes. F. O. Hunter, Juan Mason, George Brogdon, Luther Bean, June Kimble, T. J. Haley, S. P. Rumph, Rob Roy Sparr, Tilman Stubblefield, Joe King, Jack Kimble, Rev. and Mrs. Shearer and Juan Segovia the latter delighting his audience with three songs, heartily encored.

The following were visitors but were not registered as to towns: Misses Gladys Harrell, Doris Hamrick, Edna Harrell and Tug McNeal. The church was handsomely decorated with roses and Indian paint brush, and other blossoms.

Are Planning For Many Days

The Civic League of Eastland, in company with the South Ward Parent-Teacher association and West Ward P. T. A., will observe May Day and Child Health day with a parade on the square and a program afterward at the city park. Individual entries and groups of children from the various organizations in Eastland will make up the parade.

Six prizes are offered to individuals and go to the most original boy, the most original girl, the most comical boy and equally comical looking girl, and the most beautiful boy and most beautiful girl.

Any kind of vehicle may be entered in the parade and even the models on roller skates and in any sort of costume.

The prizes, who will be announced later, are to be selected from the neighboring towns. Those who wish to take part

are invited to bring a luncheon and enjoy a picnic supper in the park, after the program given by the children and planned for the entertainment of all children, but which will interest everyone who loves little children.

Advisory committees representing various organizations are asked to cooperate with the League in making the May Day a successful event. It is hoped these committees will help to create interest in this annual observance of May Day and Child Health day.

Sponsors: The Rotarians and Lions are represented by Joseph M. Weaver and Donald Kinnaird; Elks by Millburn McCarty; Civic League by Mrs. Iael Johnson; Thursday Afternoon club by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins; Music club by Mrs. T. J. Haley; Alpha Delphians by Mrs. S. A. McQuest; Better Homes by Mrs. W. K. Jackson; Chamber of Commerce by C. H. Galvin and city management by H. O. Tatum; Glee members: Mmes. Pert McGonery, R. E. Rains, J. LeRoy Arnold, R. E. Sikes, J. C. Patton, Tom Harrell, G. N. Quil Sapt, P. B. Bittle, K. B. Tanner, president of school board; and the pastors of Eastland, Rev. W. T. Turner, Rev. George W. Shearer, Rev. H. W. Wrye, Rev. H. M. Sell, Rev. P. W. Walthall, and Father Collins of the Catholic church.

DECISIONS OF APPEALS COURT

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Judicial district: Reversed and Remanded:

A. J. Smith vs. Security Investment company, from Taylor. James Shaw, banking commissioner of Texas vs. J. E. McCord, from Eastland.

Reversed and Remanded with Instructions: G. G. Odum vs. Blackwell Independent school district, from Nolan.

Cases Submitted: Robert D. Gordon et al. vs. William Middleton, from Eastland. Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth Ry Co., vs. Mrs. N. A.

Crawford, et al. from Eastland. G. G. Odum vs. Blackwell Independent school district, from Nolan.

Motions Submitted: W. Kille vs. W. J. Arrington et al. for rehearing.

Universal Automobile Insurance company vs. C. W. Murphy et al. for rehearing.

A. A. Hutton et al. vs. L. Burnett, for rehearing.

J. C. Curry et al. vs. the Tex company, for rehearing.

Motion Overruled: R. C. Jones et al. vs. Grady G. son, for rehearing.

For Submission April 26th: Tom Jones et al. vs. Grady G. son, from Eastland.

Annie L. Stephens vs. J. Stephens, from Taylor.

Fidelity Union Casualty Insurance company vs. Farmers Company of Rochester, from Rockwell.

WILL HAYS SUES FOR DIVORCE

By United Press. SULLIVAN, Ind., April 19.—Will H. Hays, former Republican national chairman and postmaster general under Pres. Harding has filed a petition for divorce with custody of their 14-year-old son, from Helen Thomas Hays this city. Incompatibility named as the ground.

WOULD APPOINT WOMEN POLICE

By United Press. GENEVA, April 19.—Creation of a world wide force of police women to cope with the traffic slave traffic was the principal item on the agenda of the League of Nations white slave commission which prepared to convene here today.

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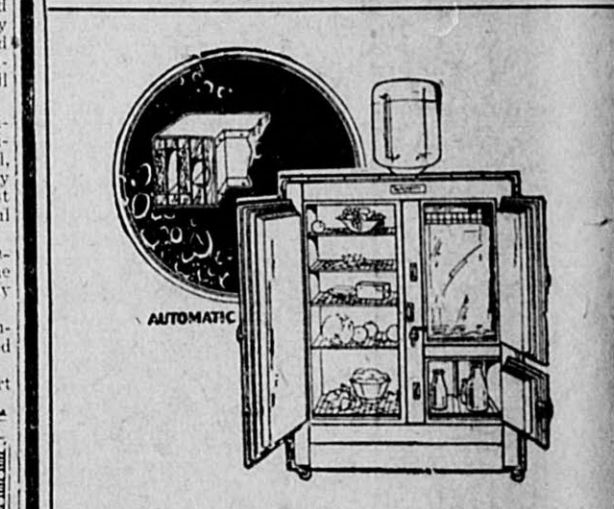
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