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WEATHER
West Texas—Colder North por-
ton tonight; Saturday fair.

FOURTEEN YEAR OLD BOY GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE

Train Kills Houston Lawyer, World War Captain

BOUGHT IN THE A. E. F.

Ninth Life Lost from Houston Traffic Accidents in 11 Days.

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 11.—A young boy, Gordon Lawson, 14, was killed today when his auto was struck by an International-Great Northern passenger train about 10 miles from the city.

The car was knocked thirty feet by the force of the blow and the boy was dug out of the wreckage by passing motorists.

The boy was a world war veteran and saw active service as a company commander in France.

His death was the ninth from traffic accidents in and near Houston this year.

Over 100 lives have been lost in Houston traffic accidents in 11 days.

On Wednesday in an auto accident, Reverend Bishop C. G. Galveston today died of an impaction of the bowels.

The "fast living" of our city is being questioned.

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TEXAS LEADS NATION IN '28 IN OIL YIELD

Is 10,000,000 Barrels Ahead of Oklahoma and 27,000,000 Ahead of California.

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 11.—Texas led the nation in oil production during 1928, according to a review of the year's output compiled by J. A. Phelan, oil expert and analyst, of Washington. According to the report, Texas produced last year 258,007,000 barrels of oil, about 40,000,000 more than in 1927.

HABEAS CORPUS HEARING HELD

Judge Elzo Been of the 88th district court Thursday held a habeas corpus hearing in the case of Bob White charged with violation of the liquor law.

White was under indictment in three cases where violation of the liquor law was charged. On one of these cases he had been tried, found guilty and the jury assessed punishment at one year in the State penitentiary.

One of the signers of the bond desired to get off the bond and White was brought to Eastland for this purpose.

His attorneys brought up the question that the three separate indictments against White covered one and the same transaction and therefore White should be held on only one charge.

The court dismissed the two indictments against White on which he had not been tried, but in view of the fact that one of his bondsmen had been relieved from liability on his bond, remanded him to jail until bond should be given in the case now on appeal.

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EL PASO—Valley's cotton crop yield till exceed \$10,000,000 this season.

\$25,000,000.00 Is Added For Enforcement

Prohibition Gets Deficiency Appropriation. Hoover Talks Over Cabinet With Elihu Root.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—A special session of the new Congress in the spring appeared inevitable today as the Senate struggled wearily on its anti-war treaty debate with the quiet consent of the leaders who want the extra session.

Senator James E. Watson, slated to be new leader in the upper house, and Nicholas Longworth, speaker of the House, have been rushing back and forth between both houses, the White House and the hotel where President-elect Hoover has set up his headquarters, in a futile effort to work out some arrangement whereby a farm bill might be passed before adjournment so the special session could be avoided.

First Hoover declined to make a public statement urging adoption of a farm bill and then the Senate became more involved in its lengthy treaty debate, bottling up all legislation, including the Naval bill which must be passed before a farm measure can even be brought up.

They have suggested the Senate hold night sessions on the farm bill and day sessions on the treaty, but other leaders declined to agree.

By Thomas L. Stokes
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—President-Elect Hoover's worries over cabinet appointments, farm relief, prohibition and other problems are becoming complicated with another worry that always bobs up to plague the future president about this time in his career—handling of patronage.

The latest patronage problem concerns New York State. Friends of William H. Hill, Binghamton publisher who was chairman of the New York Hoover-Curtis committee, are seeking recognition for him in dispensing patronage, seeking to give him a share along with National Committeeman Charles D. Hill. Hill will see Hoover Monday.

There is a similar situation in Tennessee, where G. H. Huston, Hoover lieutenant there, is seeking to share patronage dispensation with Representative J. Will Taylor, who has handled Tennessee patronage for a long time. Taylor has seen Hoover recently.

Conferences over these matters and other problem have become so numerous the President-elect is beginning to feel the strain.

Visitors in the last two days have noted he looks tired, though well. But the siege continues, being so insistent Hoover will be unable to leave here until the middle of next week for Florida.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—President-Elect Hoover conferred for an hour and a half at breakfast today with Elihu Root, former Secretary of State, long a leader in the Republican party and a champion of international peace movements.

Hoover, it is understood, sought Root's opinion as to a secretary of state, discussing with him those he had considered for this important post.

Vessel's Boilers Burst, Asks Aid

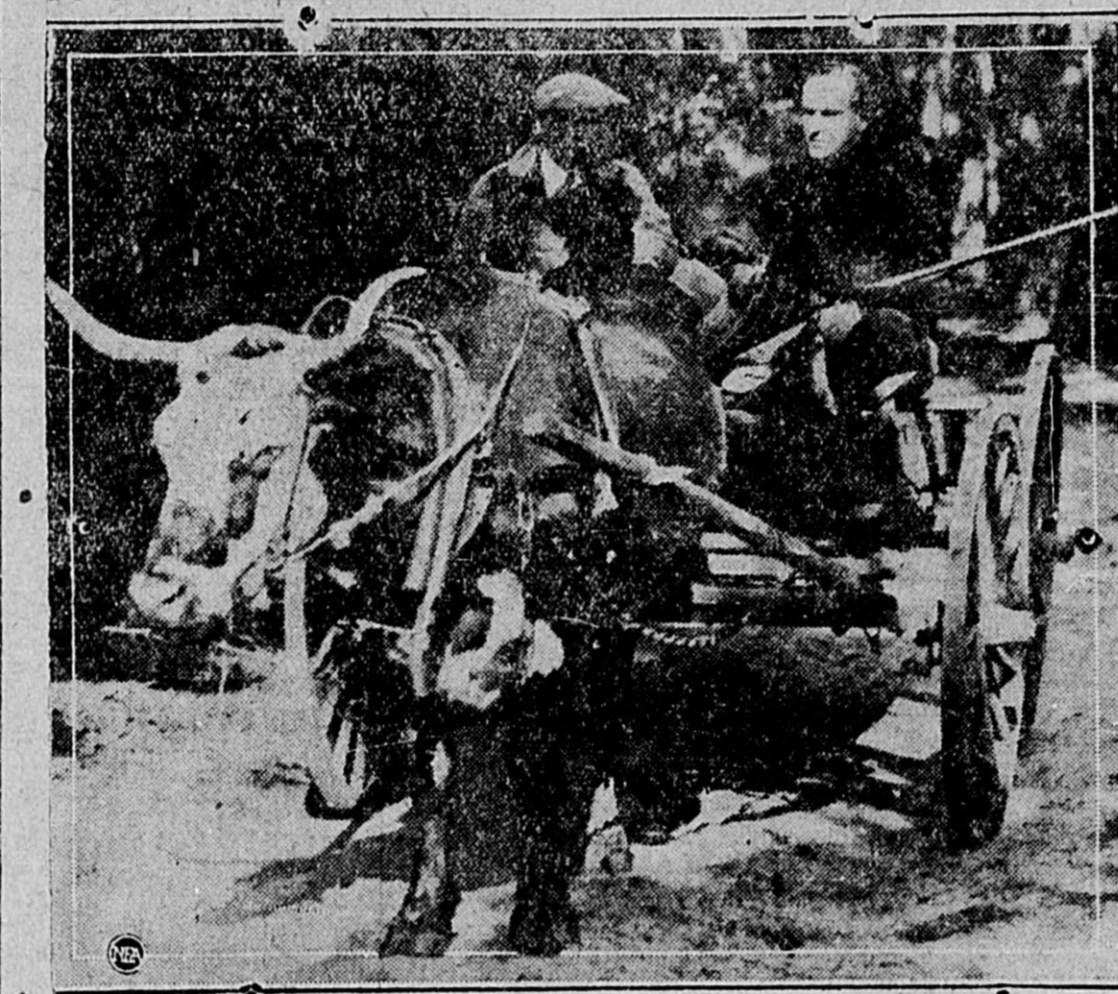
BREST, France, Jan. 11.—Coastal wireless stations reported picking up an "SOS" today from an unidentified steamship which reported her boilers had exploded.

The vessel failed to give name, position or nationality and was silent after the brief message.

The tug Iroise was held in readiness if the steamer communicated by radio again.

Dense fog lay over the channel and the Atlantic coast and shipping was seriously handicapped.

The President's Private Holiday Cart



President Coolidge returned from a day's deer hunt in the wilds of Sapelo Island in a one-ox power taxi with a little negro chauffeur to "gee" and "haw" it along the sandy trails. Here you see him, right, with a dog along toward the lodge of the automobile man—his holiday host, Howard E. Coffin, as they bump the President's feet is the day's kill—one deer, shot by his military aide, Colonel Olmond Latrobe.

FREAK BILLS INTRODUCED BY SOLONS

Barry Miller and Tom Love Clash in Senate Over the Committee Appointments.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 11.—Formal Canvass of the votes for Governor and Lieutenant Governor was made by the Senate and House in joint session today in preparation for the inauguration which will take place at noon Tuesday. Hopes were expressed here that Dan Moody, Jr., born January 6, can attend.

Separate sessions of the two branches were devoted largely to receiving new bills and resolutions.

Proposals included a constitutional amendment to raise the pay of Legislators to \$10 a day and a constitutional amendment to permit greater latitude in investment of the permanent fund of the university. Freeing university bonds from taxes was also proposed.

Other measures for the university included an appropriation of \$200,000 to buy a 25 acre site adjacent to the campus upon which it is proposed to erect student dormitories.

The House received a rural school aid bill appropriating \$2,500,000 a year. It is held the amount fixed in the Senate bill for the same purpose.

Regulation of cotton exchange quotation service and a barber bill to license and regulate barber service were included in the day's offerings which ran the Senate total to 124 and the House bills to 130.

House bill 136 proposed to cut the fees now charged for motor vehicle license. Some numbers favors a cut to \$3 for all size cars.

The Senate made a favorable report on a bill to reduce the scholastic age from seven to six. This is estimated would add 100,000 to the scholastic census. If the per capita appropriation is kept at \$15 as urged by Governor Moody in his message the increase to school appropriations will be \$1,500,000.

Leasing of not more than 50 per cent of the State oyster reefs to encourage commercial oyster raising (Continued on Page 2)

Baby and Death Are Passengers On Trolley Car

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 11.—Death stole a ride on a Trinity Heights street car today and took the life of a 6-week-old baby girl.

Mrs. Maggie Dooley boarded the car with her baby to go to Baylor hospital to get medical attention for the child. When she left the car, she turned back the covering over the baby's face for a look at her daughter.

The baby was unnaturally still. At the hospital, doctors pronounced the baby dead.

FIVE KILLED THREE HURT IN AIR WRECK

Big Passenger Airplane Falls From High Altitude On Going Into Sideslip.

ROYALTON, Pa., Jan. 11.—Five men were killed and three others injured so severely they probably will die, when a huge passenger airplane crashed here late today.

The plane, flying at a high altitude, suddenly went into a sideslip and crashed into a garden in the rear of a combination residence and store building.

Lieut. Robert Angel, of Bolling Field, Wash., the pilot, was critically injured. The passengers all were enlisted men of the air service.

AGED FATHER ILL

Mrs. Thos. J. Pitts left Eastland this morning for Jonesboro, Arkansas, the home of her parents. Her father is seriously ill and no hope is entertained for his recovery. Captain and Mrs. Minner spent the last year in Eastland with their daughter and just recently returned to their home in Jonesboro.

Latest Victim Of The Dallas Maniac Is Shot

Taxi Driver Has Even Chance To Recover; Says Assailant's Description Fits Boy's Killer.

DALLAS, Jan. 11.—Police are thoroughly aroused today over the latest daring exploit of a hijacker who has kept the city in a state of fear since the shooting and killing of a high school boy a week ago and the hijacking of scores of other persons.

Because of the unscrupulous tactics employed by the hijacker, officers believe he must be a madman and orders have gone out to arrest all suspicious acting characters.

The latest exploit of the hijacker occurred last night when he beat and shot Ralph O. Sisson, 21-year old taxi driver. Sisson had picked up a fare at Main and St. Paul streets and was driving to his destination when the man struck him with a 22 calibre rifle barrel from the rear seat of the car.

"I begged the man not to fight with me and told him that he could have the car," Sisson told officers who rushed him to emergency hospital in an ambulance. "I held his gaze for a few minutes but he dazed me with the blows on my head and finally drew a pistol and shot me."

A blood transfusion was given Sisson and attendants at the hospital gave him an even chance for recovery. The bullet from the hijacker's pistol struck him in the abdomen and passed through his liver and kidney. He bled severely from the wound.

According to the taxi driver, his assailant fitted the description of the man who shot and killed William Mann, high school student, last Sunday night. The mania for the shedding of blood by the hijacker has convinced police that the man is a maniac and they have been ordered to shoot to kill any suspect who resists arrest.

Refused Hunting Privilege, Shoots

WACO, Tex., Jan. 11.—A negro who shot A. C. Devers, farmer, was hunted by posses here during the night. The shooting followed Dever's refusal to let the negro hunt on his property.

FOUND GUILTY IN "WITCH" MURDER

Jury Is Out Less Than Two Hours—Young Defendant Seems Calm As He Awaits Jury Verdict. Curry Perhaps Youngest Person In United States To Receive Life Term.

YORK, Pa., Jan. 11.—John Curry, 14, second defendant in the witchcraft slaying of Nelson Rehmyer, 58-year-old reclusive, was found guilty of first degree murder by a jury today.

The jury recommended life imprisonment. The Curry jury began its deliberations at 10:45 a. m. and was ready to report at 12:30 p. m. It delivered its findings when Judge Sherwood returned to the courthouse after lunch.

The jury's speedy finding was only part of a busy day in Sherwood's court. John Blymyer, found guilty of the same murder by a jury this week, with recommendation for life imprisonment, made a motion for appeal.

FLASHES

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Alfred E. Smith, democratic candidate for president in the last election, will deliver another message to the nation from WEF and 37 associated radio broadcasting stations in the red network of the National Broadcasting company Wednesday night. The subject will not be announced in advance, the Democratic National committee announced.

The defense in the Curry case argued, as in the Blymyer trial which ended in a recommendation for life imprisonment, that the trio wanted to cast a spell. To do this, it was contended, they sought out Rehmyer and tried to scalp off his "witchlock" so that in line with the traditions of the black arts, it could be buried deep underground and thus end Rehmyer's "hexing." Curry claims that fear of harm from Rehmyer prompted his attack.

The State, maintaining that witchcraft is not an issue, contended that a few dollars in Rehmyer's possession lured the trio to kill and burn him.

Anna Curry McClean, mother, had her handkerchief to her face as the verdict was read. She wept bitterly.

Mrs. McClean stood alone in the corridor outside the courtroom door. No husband, child, relative or friend went to her.

After ten minutes, she speeled herself. The crowd parted and with a newspaper woman from New York as her sole companion she walked unsteadily from the building where her first born had been taken from her by the rigors of the law.

FIRE CHIEF KILLED

MEMPHIS, Tex., Jan. 11.—Silas Wood, 48, veteran fire chief was killed Thursday when he was crushed beneath a fire engine while preparing to fight a fire at a residence. Wood was connecting a hose to a fire hydrant when he slipped and fell beneath the truck. His chest was crushed and he died three hours later.

EL PASO—Plans progressing for construction of new \$500,000 Dent Theatre.

McCloskey Case Goes To Travis County

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Jan. 11.—All three defendants in the Bexar county election scandal had made bonds to appear before the Travis county criminal court at Austin in February when their cases will be set for trial.

The defendants, Congressman-elect Augustus McCloskey, Charles Ramirez and Elmer Wernette, are charged in indictments with altering election returns in the Congressional race between McCloskey and Congressman Harry M. Wurzbach.

The three defendants were arraigned and pleaded not guilty Thursday and Judge W. W. McCrory transferred their trials to Travis county because he believed that a fair trial could not be had here. McCloskey, facing five charges, made bond of \$500 on each charge. Ramirez, facing four charges, was placed under \$2,000 bond and Wernette, facing one charge, under \$500.

They will appear in the Travis County Criminal Court on Feb. 4 at which time their cases will be set. The next term of criminal court in Austin is in February and it is thought likely the cases will be called for trial the latter part of that month.

EL PASO—Huge beacon will be installed on Mt. Franklin to guide aviators to this city.

CONGRESS TODAY	
Senate:	Anti-war treaty deadlock continues.
House:	Continues consideration of reapportionment.
Senate:	Rules committee considers proposals to revise Senate chamber.
House:	Commerce committee hears the Mississippi River commission.
Senate:	Military affairs committee hearing on Pacing educational orders for the army.
House:	Ways and Means committee hearing on tariff revision.
Senate:	Foreign affairs committee hearing on calendar simplification.
House:	Merchant marine committee hearing on radio.
Senate:	Flood control committee hearing on Florida.
House:	Public lands committee hearing on national park policy.

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FORD'S IDEA

Henry Ford, taken to task by various people for remarking that a young man will never gain success by the simple process of saving all his money, insists, in a second interview, that he is right. "A boy's job," he says, "is not to accumulate dollars, but to use them in preparing himself with the training, knowledge and experience which every leader needs. If a boy saves, it should be with some expenditure in view." We can't help feeling that Mr. Ford has hit the nail pretty squarely on the head. Getting money after all, is not an end in itself for anyone but a sordid materialist. Wisely spent, money leads to a large, free life; carefully hoarded, it leads to parsimony and self-denial that cripple one's powers of appreciation and enjoyment.

Last Thoughts Of Byrnes Are Of His Mother

Byrnes of Three Goes to Electric Chair, Shouts "Good-bye" To All. Huntsville, Tex., Jan. 11.—Lloyd Newton Byrnes said with life in the electric chair at the state prison shortly after midnight for the instant slaying of three women in San Angelo, Tex., March 7, 1927. The current was shot through his body at 12:23 a. m. and he was pronounced dead eight minutes later.

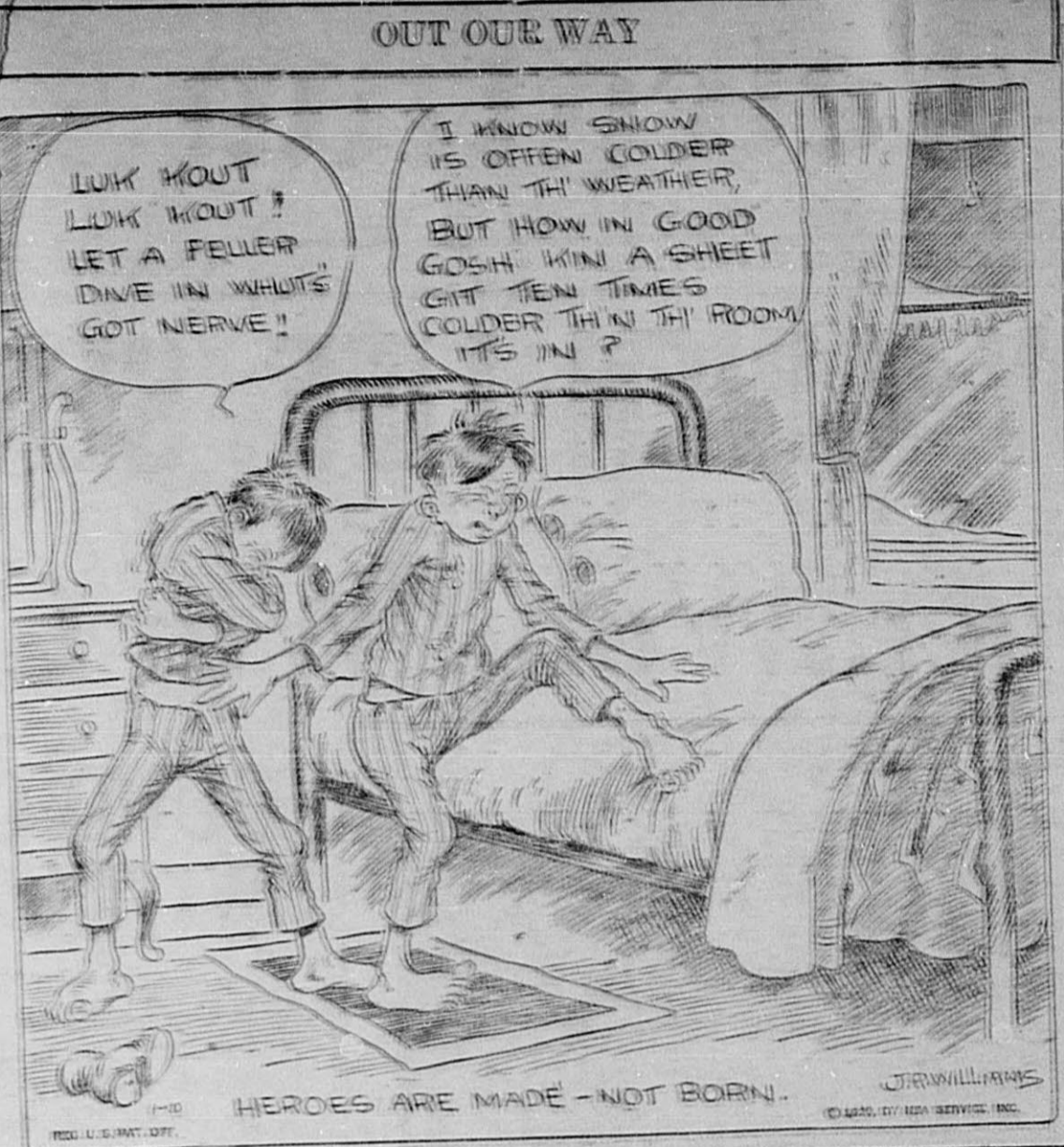
The 24-year old confessed slayer, carried out his boat that he would face death gamely. His last thoughts were of his mother and he carried on an unbroken line of conversation up to the moment of his execution. As he was being led from the chair, he remarked, "well, boys, here goes. I haven't anything against anybody." When he stepped the execution room he shouted "good-bye" to Assistant Warden A. T. Chennutt. While the mask was being fitted to his head, the condemned man's thought flew to his mother. "I'll see my last thoughts were of her," he shouted and then the switch was thrown and the lights went out and Byrnes crumpled and lay in a firm grip which held him a few minutes later, the body was wheeled from the execution room and Byrnes had paid the penalty for his crimes.

Byrnes was indicted for the slaying of Myrna Bergens, 13, her mother, Mrs. W. A. Bergens, and Mrs. Rosa Schirra, Myrna's grandmother. He was tried and convicted for the murder of the girl and sentenced to death. At his trial he said was crazed with liquor when he killed them.

ANGELO CHIEF IS ACCUSED

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Jan. 11.—After a preliminary hearing before U. S. Commissioner Jesse Couch on a complaint charging conspiracy with others to violate the national prohibition act and Section 37 of the criminal code, justice chief Carroll Bates was released on \$3,000 bond to await trial. He denied the charge. Bates was arrested by State Ranger Don Smith, former Texas Ranger captain.

READ THE WANT-ADS



FREAK BILLS ARE INTRODUCED BY SOLONS

(Continued from page 1) ing is authorized in a Senate bill. The House passed the bill to stop hush-up of University oil lands by agreeing not to require printing. Consideration of it was delayed for the joint conferring session. An injunction prevents leasing until next Tuesday. The auto license bill offered this morning makes the fee \$3.50 on automobiles under 2,000 pounds weight. Over that, 30 cents a hundred pounds is added. It provides that counties shall retain 75 of the license fees up to \$400,000.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 11.—Final passage of the bill to stop leases on University of Texas oil lands is planned by House leaders for today. The bill already has passed the Senate and a House committee, after long hearing, voted last night to report it favorably today.

Some of the committee want to eliminate a section of the act that makes it retract to the leases on which bids were received Jan. 2. Opening of these bids has been temporarily enjoined. If the bill passes the House without change, it will be rushed at once to the Governor whose signature will be attached and make it effective at once.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 11.—Despite the fact that the first legislature of the State of Texas is only four days old, several "freak" bills and proposals have already found their way into the legislative hopper, which now include 128 proposed new laws.

An anti-evolution bill that makes it an offense to teach as a fact that man ascended or descended from other animals has been proposed, providing a \$500 fine and dismissal from the teaching staff for violators. Sunday movie bill provides that a fine double the box office receipts shall be imposed for Sunday exhibitions. A change in the present divorce law has been proposed, which would require a wait of 12 months after insanity was decreed before a separation could be had on that ground, and then, only if the insanity is diagnosed as likely to be permanent.

A state income tax for corporate organizations enjoying public monopoly or privileges and for profits is included in the report of the tax survey commission, filled with the legislature. The report summarizes the findings made by the various sub-committees of the survey which was directed by former Governor O. B. Colquitt.

Good will was declared a proper subject for tax as well as physical property. Work of the committee was halted after its completion by an injunction against further expenditures of the \$25,000 appropriated for it. Recommendation that the budget submitted by the State Board of control be the maximum of expenditure was also made. The Senate is following that rule adopting the budget as its appropriation bill.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 11 Senator Tom Love and Lieut. Governor Barry Miller, both of Dallas, clashed today over Senate committees.

Love protested that though Dallas county pays one-fifth of all State taxes, he was given no place in the finance committee. He complained, too, that though he

HOPE LOOKS DIM FOR TWO UNDER DOOM

Woman and Her Alleged Lover Must Go to Gallows Tomorrow If Legal Step Fails. NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 11.—The State Supreme court today held the fate of Mrs. Ada Bomer Lehoucq and Dr. Thomas E. Decher, condemned to die on the gallows tomorrow.

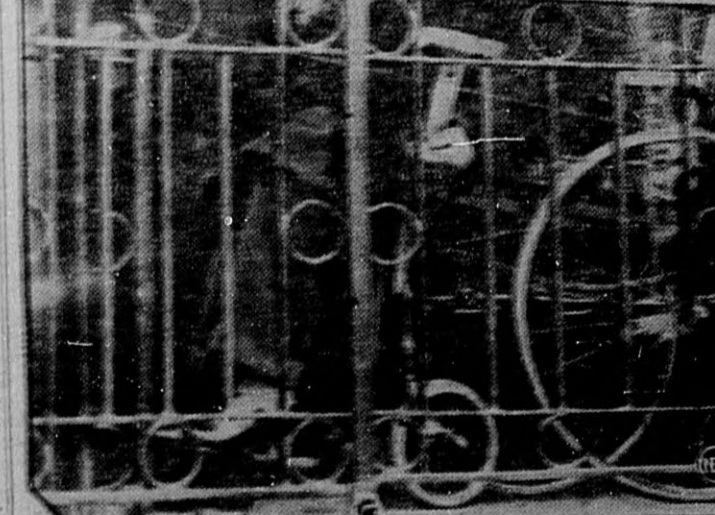
The plea of attorneys for the lovers for appointment of a sanity commission was given the Court shortly after it convened at 11 a. m. The court met briefly, received briefs from the defense attorneys who are seeking a reversal of its trial in Judge James D. Simons' decision denying a lunacy commission and declaring the defendants sane.

Immediately after receiving the briefs the court retired for deliberation. No hour was set for the Court's reconvening but the usual hour is 2 p. m. Election Contests In Austin Delayed

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 11.—Two election contests due for action in Austin today were postponed. The injunction against Hidalgo county

RANKIN — Roxana Petroleum Corporation conducting series of core drilling tests about 12 miles north of here.

Vare in Race for Life



William S. Vare, Pennsylvania senator-elect and one-time political boss, here is pictured on the dash to Florida which physicians said was his only chance for life. His strength sapped by dozens of political conferences, he suffered a serious setback in the illness that has confined him in Atlantic City for many months. When Vare's train halted in Philadelphia, he was wheeled to the observation platform to greet a crowd of admirers.

actions went over because another trial had not been concluded. It may be reached late today. Returns of the congressional race between Augustus McCloskey of San Antonio and Harry Wurzbach of Seguin went over awaiting corrected report of duplicate returns from Bex county.

Dirigible Again Back At Mooring

By United Press. PORT ST. JOE, Fla., Jan. 11.—The dirigible Los Angeles moored to the tender Patoka at 8 a. m. today after a 16-hour cruise over Gulf coast and Florida waters. Unfavorable weather along the Florida coast prevented the dirigible from flying to Miami, as had been planned.

Aged Man Loses Life In a Fire

By United Press. FALLS, Tex., Jan. 11.—Fire believed to have started from an accidentally overturned kerosene lamp was responsible for the death today of Frank Borchette, 75. Borchette was alone and had been confined to his bed by illness. His house was enveloped in flames when neighbors arrived on the scene.

Alleged Slayer of Wife Is Indicted

By United Press. FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 11.—Indicted by the grand jury on a charge of wife murder, Cliff Stevens, 38, will be tried in Criminal District court here Jan. 25. Mrs. Stevens was shot to death as she sat in her car on December 31. A divorce action against her husband was pending.

LURKIN, Tex., Jan. 11.—J. H. Murray, Martin Wagon company engineer, was hurled into a fly wheel and his left arm torn loose at the shoulder in an accident at the plant early today. Murray was attempting to put on a belt under the main plant. In some manner his left arm was caught and he was thrown into the fly wheel, his arm torn off and his body badly bruised.

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London's Night-Club Is Calming Down

LONDON, Jan. 11.—London's night-club fever is abating. Clubs which were built to accommodate 2,000 dancers earned today host of a nightly attendance of 200. Proprietors who, a year ago, carried on festivities until 5 a. m., and then served breakfast, now put up the shutters an

hour or so after midnight. At some the attendance has become insufficient to cover lighting expenses. The recent searchlights on London police methods; the changes in the administrative departments of the metropolitan force; and the reports that Sir William Jowett, home secretary, is out to "clean up" London, have all had their effect in curbing the disease.

Police action is not entirely the slump in night clubs, however. The public is becoming tired of paying \$15 a bottle for "champagne" and \$1.50 for sandwiches.

Scotland Yard's persistence in looking into various affairs has caused many an alien proprietor to depart recently. Yet London still holds nearly 100 of these clubs. Many are called "social clubs" or "supper clubs."

The majority of these are in the west-end of London, within easy reach of the theatres. Each has its own way of access. At one, persons who are called "non-members" are turned away at the main door, although a hint is given that they should enter a shop across the road. There, within a minute or so, they are "elected members" on the payment of ap-

proximately \$5. They are then conducted through an underground passage and enter the club by way of the cellar.

Most of these resorts employ as doorkeepers men who are able, by long acquaintance, to identify Scotland Yard officers after morning watching have been known to appear at the Yard arrive, in assurance of recognition.

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED

Introduces Jerry Ray to the captain when he crashes into the camp she is with her roommate. She is a pilot, Dan Harvey, but she shows her with attention to win her, but when she tells him she does love in love but hopes to marry.

immovable while he took the kiss that belonged to the victor.

But later, when he wanted to announce their engagement, she opposed the idea.

"Why?" Alester asked.

"Oh, I don't know," Jerry said vaguely. "I guess all girls want to keep it a secret a little while."

"You aren't sure of yourself?" Alester pressed in a voice that betrayed his worry.

Life might have many surprises in store for him, but the most bewildering one always would be that occasioned by Jerry's procrastination.

Despite the fact that he feared her interest in Dan Harvey might divide her heart, he had held no doubt of her desire to marry well. It simply had not occurred to him that she would hesitate to wed the greatest matrimonial catch of the season.

"It isn't that," Jerry said honestly. "I don't know what it is, unless it's just that I'd rather tell my mother first, or Myrtle and Evelyn."

though by doing so she held open a door for retreat.

Alester urged an early marriage, but Jerry begged for a few weeks more "in the theatre," she said.

In reality she meant "of freedom," because she was telling herself that once she was Alester's bride she must never let herself think of Dan Harvey again—Dan Harvey would not be forgotten.

Poverty was not quite such a tribulation to her now, either. She resented the change, in a way. "Why couldn't someone have come along and said, 'Here's your million,' while I was working at Fane's or when I wanted to send some little thing to mums?" she thought discontentedly.

That day she had sent her mother a silk crepe dress; two weeks before she had mailed a big box containing a coat, a coat with a real fur collar. The letter that came in acknowledgment made her weep tears of happy sympathy and understanding.

And she had insisted that Alester accept money to repay Dan Harvey for the expense he had been put to in providing auto and railroad fares to Boston after their never-to-be-forgotten flight.

It had given her a feeling of delightful independence to be able to do this. "Why should I be allowed to cost him so much," she had said to Alester, "when he didn't want to go?"

"He was asked to go under my orders," Alester replied. "I'll take care of the expense."

But he let Jerry give him her share to forward to Dan because he saw that it meant a great deal to her.

"He guessed that she didn't want to be under obligation to his former flying instructor. Neither did he want her to, so he sent an equal amount to Dan at his home town where he was on a visit to his parents and bought orchids for her with Jerry's money—plus some of his own."

refuse she will think she's a lot more important to you than—"

"She's nothing at all to me."

Alester made an important gesture. "After we're married," he said, "she won't be, of course. You will move in an entirely different circle, Jerry, but—we're not married, you know," he added with an accent that Jerry sensed was a pointed reminder.

"You mean that Jerry Ray can do things that Jerry Carstairs mustn't?" she flared at him.

"Damn it," Alester exploded. "Can't you be sensible? You know what's in this world as well as I do. But you have no legitimate reason for refusing to accept Leontine's invitation. It was not her fault that you met with an unpleasant occurrence at her place."

"She's very anxious to have you let her announce our engagement, and if you want to please me, Jerry, you will consent. I had intended asking my mother to do it, but she's left for Atkin."

"Couldn't we wait until she returns?"

Alester turned a suddenly hard expression upon her.

"Jerry," he said in an exceedingly steady tone, "are you playing with me? If you are," he went on, not a bit more gently, "I'm through."

"You know I'm not playing with you," Jerry replied; "but I think you ought to see that it would be embarrassing for me to be thrown with Leontine after what you've just told me."

"Nonsense," Alester said crisply. "But if you're just making excuses I'll know what to think. And one thing is certain—you're being selfish."

"I'm not," Jerry cried. "If you care so much about it, I'll go, but—"

(To be continued)

RURAL SCHOOL PLAN FAVORED

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Marris' plan for standardizing the rural schools of the State has been adopted by the county superintendent of Tarrant and other counties.

This plan was put into use in Eastland county two years ago by Miss Beulah Speer county superintendent and is still in use, having been found very satisfactory.

Using the score card system Colony, Alameda and Lone Cedar schools were standardized last year. This year Yellow Mound, Pleasant Grove, Morton Valley, Scranton, and Okra are making application for standardization.

One important and absolute requirement for standardization is an eight month term of school. Many rural schools do not have the finances for school terms of this length.

This standardization plan seeks to place emphasis on the various things that go to make the rural school system. State officials are seeking uniformity by adopting a score card by which county superintendents are requested to grade the facilities offered in each of the schools.

There are 1,000 points used to make up a perfect standardization score for the rural schools. The rural school plant is valued at 500

points. The remaining 500 points are based on the teacher, pupils and community.

The school officials value equipment for teaching pupils more value by 10 points than the physical structure of the school house and also more important by 90 points than the grounds and outbuildings. Under the classification of plant the comparative values are given as follows: Grounds and outbuildings, 110 points; school house, 190 points; and equipment 200 points.

Under equipment, 40 points are allowed for seating facilities. The school that is equipped with single desks of suitable sizes is given 25 of the 40 points for seating. Movable table and chairs for primary pupils get five points; desk and chair for teacher, five points; chairs for visitors, five points. Other items graded under equipment classification are: Blackboard 20; maps and globes, 15; window shades, 15; primary equipment, 20; library, 30; drinking and washing facilities, 25; and miscellaneous equipment, 25 points.

One of the largest single items considered in the scoring card listed as "teacher and pupils," which receives 320 points. Perfect management by the teacher scores 70 points. Training of the teacher scores 50 points.

The community figures in the perfect school to the extent of 180 points. Under this classification is listed the Parent-Teacher Association, attitude of trustees, length of

terms, teacher tenure, salary of teacher and community co-operation.

representative Hudspeth, Democrat of Texas.

VETERINARY HOSPITAL

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 — A bill authorizing a \$25,000 appropriation for erection of a veterinary hospital at Fort Bliss, at El Paso, Texas, was introduced by re-

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Alester understood better than she that she was still struggling with her indecision. And her failure to respond to his caresses had warned him that he must consider her wishes.

He decided to let her have her way, but he told himself he must obtain her consent to an early marriage. "Before she really does fall in love with that bounder," he added, thinking of Dan Harvey.

"I know," you've asked her, Betty Mortimer said to him before the party ended. "You look so glum. Which way did it go? Not that it matters. You'd look the same in either case."

"When you go to Florida with mother you can start warming her up to the idea of having a daughter-in-law," Alester replied.

"You mean a different daughter-in-law?" Betty laughed. "You know she expected you to marry me."

"I told her up in Nova Scotia that I wouldn't marry you if the president of the United States commanded me," Alester returned unemotionally.

"That's what I told her, too," Betty admitted, and one would have thought they were discussing the weather, so casual were they. "You might cajole the mater in to announcing the engagement," Alester said, when he and Betty were threading their way back to their own particular group of friends.

It had occurred to him that Jerry would be too pleased if his mother were willing to do that to want to keep their engagement secret. It seemed not at all strange to him that he should be devising ways and means of inducing a former shop girl to let the world know he had proposed to her.

A few weeks before he'd have got a hearty laugh out of it.

He did not care to tell Jerry what he hoped for from his mother and by morning, though he did not know it, he was farther away from his hope of having the news broadcast than he had been the night before. For Jerry had decided not to tell her mother.

She couldn't have explained her reasons for this decision because she did not examine them. The truth was that she hung back from taking irrevocable steps. Not that telling her mother of Alester's proposal would have made her irrevocably his, but it would make it harder to draw back. Jerry was not even aware that she wanted to draw back. But she was conscious that for some reason she did not want to announce the engagement.

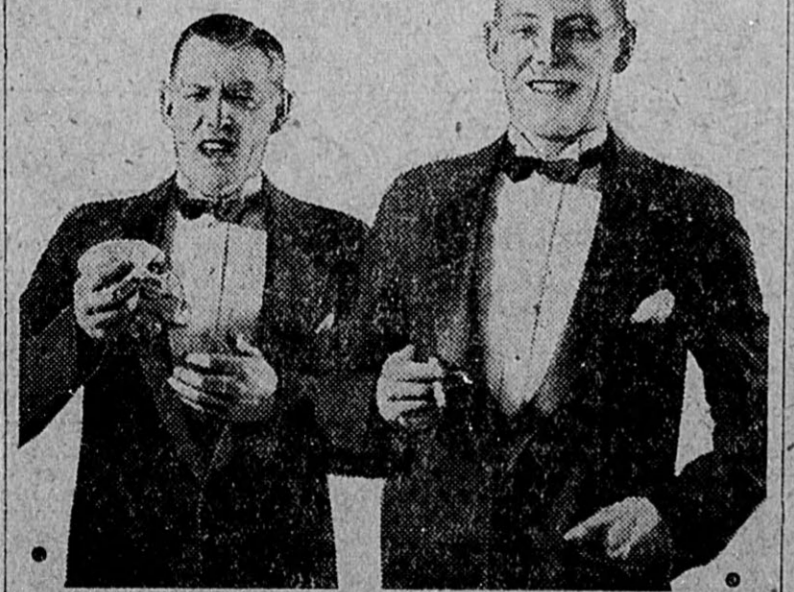
In spite of Alester's pleadings she continued to keep it a secret, even from Evelyn. It was as

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Comic strip panel 3: Freckles and Patsy talking about Oscar.

Comic strip panel 4: Freckles and Patsy talking about money.

MOM'N POP

Comic strip panel 1: Mom and Pop talking about dancing.

Comic strip panel 2: Mom and Pop talking about the car.

Comic strip panel 3: Mom and Pop talking about dancing.

Comic strip panel 4: Mom and Pop talking about dancing.

SOCIETY

MRS. W. K. JACKSON EDITOR SATURDAY Sunbeam Bend 9:30 a. m. Baptist Pastorium.

ANOTHER CHARMING TEACHER AT SOUTH WARD SCHOOL: The South Ward School happy family of teachers has gained a delightful addition...

COMMUNITY CHORAL CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED: Everyone who can pipe a little lay, and who believes in Eastland having a big choral club...

TRIFOLI CLUB: Mrs. F. W. Courts was a charming hostess to the Trifoli Club yesterday afternoon.

CHURCH OF GOD LADIES AUXILIARY: Plans were made for a Doughnut Sale day, to be conducted next Thursday...

THURSDAY CLUB ENTERTAINED WITH BRIDGE LUNCHEON: Mrs. H. P. Brelsford Jr. entertained the Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club with luncheon at one o'clock...

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For Cabinet?



Political gossip now puts another woman besides Mable Walker Willibrand in the limelight as a possible selection for President Hoover's cabinet.

as a new comer and Mrs. Effie Williams of Decatur, Illinois was a guest.

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McCart. The club will meet with Mrs. Jack Williamson, who will entertain the next session with a bridge luncheon at one o'clock.

Guests were Meses I. N. Beall, Bryan Brelsford, P. G. Russell, Mrs. Russell and Miss Low of New Haven, Connecticut, Miss Lundell of Tulsa Oklahoma, and Mrs. Griswold of Breckenridge.

NOTES AND PERSONALS: Miss Geraldine Dabney has succumbed to the tide of influenza sweeping through the P. C. U. college of Port Worth.

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Sports Matter

United Press. Women and the wives of leaders are no rarity at racing establishments. In addition is Mrs. Helen...

Morrisey, veteran trainer known as a race starter American and Canadian have charge of the ability of the thoroughbreds yet unknown but the includes Coq Gaulois, Jim Gaffney, Chat...

Several yearlings, of which, by Piltian out of the was picked up at the Sar...

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Denying a change of venue for Ben C. Richards, Jr., charged with forgery, Judge Grover Adams late Thursday set the case for trial on Feb. 4.

The men were scheduled for trial Tuesday of this week but hearing on a motion for a change of venue continued until late yesterday.

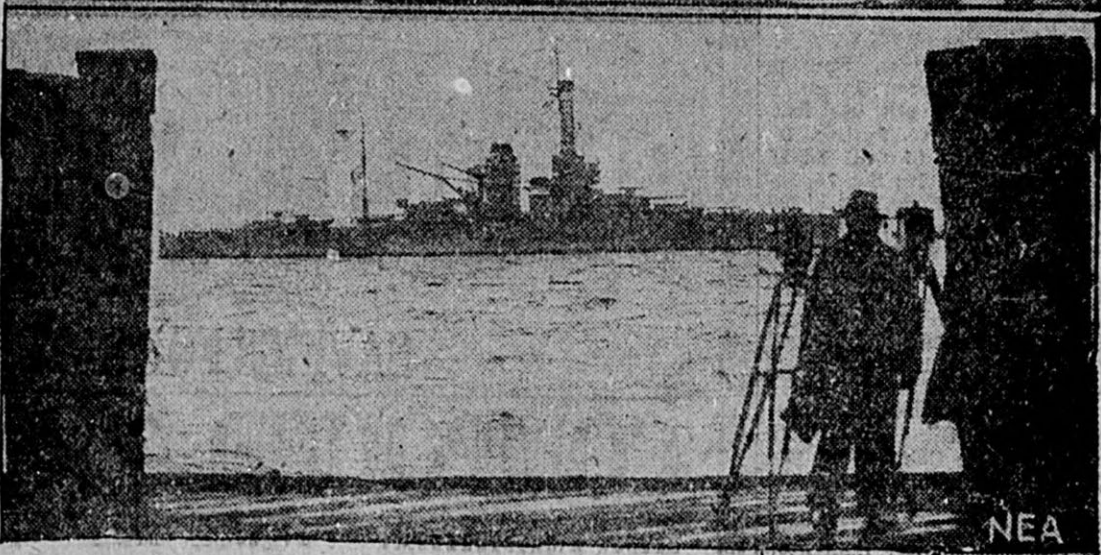
The 124 entrants in this year's 72-hole event numbered all past winners. To Smith, there will be Harry Cooper, of who led in 1926, and Bob...

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Herbert Hoover's Homecoming



Everyone Wants To Fight Everybody

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 11 — A possibility that Monday night's wrestling card may be changed was announced yesterday by Bert Willoughby, Dallas mat promoter.

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Must Face Trial In Dallas County

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It's Nice to Be a Winner



Here's a scene every professional golfer likes to take part in, a scene showing Horton Smith, young Joplin, Mo., golfer, being awarded the first money for winning the Catalina Island open tournament.

Razorbacks The Class of Loop In Cage Game

T. C. U. Is Showing Hustle in Practice. Baylor Bears Short of Material.

Southwestern conference teams are hard at work this week putting on the finishing touches of their training for the conference games over the week end.

In Dallas the Southern Methodist cagers, under the tutelage of Coach Jimmy St. Clair are going through overtime practice sessions this week, determined to break in to the win column when they play Texas Christian University Saturday night at Fort Worth.

Coach Matty Bell's T. C. U. loopers did not look so good last Monday and Tuesday night as they had before in their six practice joust wins, and Bell is pepping the boys up in practice this week.

MOTHER PASSES AWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Quirl have returned from Zephyr where they were called on account of the death of Mrs. Quirl's mother, Mrs. Edgar McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Keen, formerly of Eastland but who have been living at Lubbock, have returned to Eastland.

TRAINS ATHLETES ON PLENTY OF SWEETS



G. H. Heineman, coach and trainer of the Philadelphia Turngemeinde gymnastic team.

Grand Jury Will Come Back Jan. 15

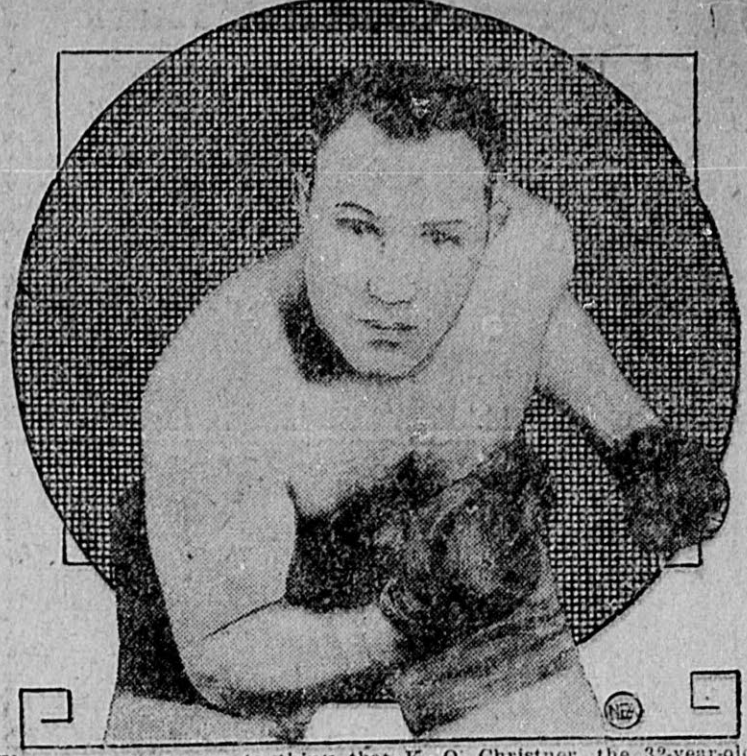
Judge Geo. L. Davenport of the 91st District court has called the grand jury, which recessed before Christmas, to reconvene on Tuesday, January 15.

Flu Creating Phenomenal Demand for Vicks VapoRub

Although the flu itself is not so serious as in 1918, authorities stress the importance of taking every possible precaution for fear of the complications which invade the weakened system after a flu-attack.

They urge, especially, prompt treatment of every cold, as colds lower the body resistance and make it easier for flu or pneumonia to get a foothold.

Will He Whip Jack Sharkey?



There was no reason to think that K. O. Christner, the 32-year-old fighter from Akron, O., would whip Knute Hansen when they fought recently in Cleveland, but he did—by a knockout blow.

DECISIONS OF APPEALS COURT

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Judicial District in Eastland: AFFIRMED: Gulf Refining Company vs J. T. Dishroon et al, from Palo Pinto.

REVERSED and REMANDED.

Cisco Building & Loan Association vs Mrs. Grant Mason, from Eastland. Jason Weiler & Sons vs Haskell National Bank, from Haskell.

and correct record. MOTIONS OVERRULED: W. O. Read vs. Gibson & Johnson, for rehearing. Peter Lawrence Heavey et al, vs Sid G. Castles, Adm'r., for rehearing.

Takes \$700; Man Gives Himself Up

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 11 — Walking into the City Attorney's office, a man told A. A. Long, first assistant, that he had taken \$700 from the Western Union Telegraph company in Allentown, Pa., and that he wanted to give himself up.

Advertisement for Clarence Saunders featuring various grocery items and prices: FLOUR Peace Maker 12 lb. 59c, SOAP Swift's Quick Naptha 10 bars for 32c, TOILET TISSUE STERLING 2,000 SHEETS 35c, CATSUP Snider's Tomato 8 oz. Bottle 17c, POTATOES New Red Pound 6c, PICKLES Libby's Dill No. 2 1/2 Can 25c, JELLO Assorted Flavors 3 Pkgs. for 24c, BEETS Snider's Small Rosebud, No. 2 can 24c, CABBAGE Texas Green Pound 6 1/2c, TURNIP Pound 3c, SPAGHETTI and MACARONI GOLDEN ACE 2 Pkgs. For 15c, Toilet Soap Maxine Elliott, 3 bars 23c, ONIONS White or Yellow Pound 8c, MUSTARD Marco Qt. Jar, each 14c, COFFEE Fresh Roasted Ground, Pound 33c, HAM Half or Whole Pound 26c, PORK ROAST Pound 17c, HOG LIVER Pound 18c, EGGS Fresh Country Dozen 35c.

DAIRYMEN ASKED TO LECTURES

Ben Whitehouse to Have Charge of Series of Sessions.

(From Ranger Times)

The first of a series of meetings of dairymen and farmers in the Ranger trade territory, will be held at the Chamber of Commerce office, Thursday night, Jan. 17, at 7:30 o'clock. Ben Whitehouse, vocational agriculturist, who will have charge of the meetings, will announce this morning.

The meetings are to be held for the purpose of developing the dairy business in this territory, and to create further interest in the establishment of dairies and the purchasing of registered dairy cows.

Invitations have been mailed to all farmers and dairymen in this section and it is expected a majority will attend the first of the series.

Feeding problems, testing, management, diseases of animals, marketing of products, care of milk and other topics will be discussed by Whitehouse, and others, during the series.

According to Whitehouse, the dairy business in this county is in its infancy.

"Educate the farmer in regard to the value of the dairy business," Whitehouse said, "and it will mean that the line will go forward in this county as it never has before."

"That is what this series of meetings is to be held for. Problems of the dairy business are to be analyzed. Figures will be presented to show the profit available in this business, lectures on every branch of dairymen will be given weekly; these are educational meetings, held for the purpose of creating among the farmers an interest in a business that will sweep Texas and is already sweeping it in some sections."

In Supreme Court Rate Hearing



Here are the legal stars of one of the biggest cases ever staged in the United States Supreme Court. They talk in terms of hundreds of millions and billions of dollars, for the litigation between the Interstate Commerce Commission and several appellants will affect railroad property valued up to \$30,000,000,000. At the top are three of the counsel representing the roads; left to right: Leslie Craven, of Chicago; Frederick H. Wood, New York; Robert H. Kelley, Texas. Below are two lawyers who served in the cabinet when Chief Justice Taft, now presiding, was president. Walter L. Fisher, left, former Secretary of the Interior, is attorney for the commission; George W. Wickersham, right, who served as Attorney General, is counsel for the government.

HUGHES LEADS WEEKLY SHOOT

The meetings will open at 7:30 o'clock and will close about 9 o'clock, Whitehouse said.

With scores of 98 and 94, respectively, J. T. Hughes led the field in the pistol and rifle practice of the Ranger Pistol and Rifle Club, held Wednesday afternoon at the range south of Ranger.

Jim Ingram, with scores of 90 and 93, respectively, was second in both divisions.

Other individual scores in the pistol practice were Earnest Brumlow, 87; Pearl Cox, 87; C. B. Osteen, 84; W. C. Blackmond, 84; T. R. Dill, 81; Bob Hammett, 81; B. E. Rigby, 80; W. A. Hammett, 41; D. A. Harkrider, 39; Hubbard, 28.

Rifle Scores Were: Pearl Cox, 91; Earnest Brumlow, 88; Bob Hammett, 87; C. B. Osteen, 86; W. C. Blackmond, 86; D. A. Harkrider, 81; T. R. Dill, 79; W. A. Hammett, 71; B. E. Rigby, 61; Hubbard, 42.

OIL NEWS

EASTLAND COUNTY:
Corzelius Bro. & Taggart's No. 1 J. E. Chesley, S. P. 384, moving in.
Tom Harrell's Holcomb heirs, H. & T. C. Survey, section 1, block 4, location.
G. P. Mitchen's T. Weddington, H. & T. C. section 86, block 3, drilling at 240 feet.
Mook-Texas Co.'s, R. V. Parker Wm. Van Norman survey, section 15, drilling at 630 feet.
Rex Outlaw's Terrell No. 1 McLennan county school land, league 34, section 17, location.
Southern Oil and Chestnut & Smith's A. L. Thorpe, S. P. survey section 456, rig.

LULING, Tex., Jan. 11—Shell Producing company's No. 5 William Smith was brought in Tuesday in the Joe Bruner field, making 75 barrels an hour, and not yet down to the Edwards lime. The drillers had really intended to go deeper, but when they reached 2,226 feet in the Buda lime, the well was making so much gas and oil that it was brought in at that depth.

It is now the best well in the Bruner field, with the exception of the Texas Company's Meriwether No. 2, which flowed 30,000 barrels during December.

The Gulf Company's No. 1-H N. Reed cored into sulphur water yesterday afternoon in the Edwards lime, spoiling any chances for production in that immediate vicinity.

HE'LL TRY TO FLY ONCE MORE

By NEA Service.

PONCA CITY, Okla.—Celebration of the 25th anniversary of the Wright brothers' first flight has inspired Arthur Rynearson, druggist in the town of Marland, near here, to renew the experiments in gliding that once dangled him midway between world fame and a broken neck.

It was back in 1928, when the Wrights' "flying machine" was still a wobbly baby, and when there were still plenty of Americans who doubted very much that man would ever fly, that Rynearson began to dabble in the building and flying of gliders.

He made a couple of good ones, undertook four successful flights from Castle Rock, in Colorado, and probably would have gone on with his experiments and become famous if people hadn't been such gossips. But Castle Rock, the only suitable place for his flights, was thronged with tourists, and Rynearson feared they would report him to the authorities as "just plain nuts" if they saw him. Besides, his wife was nervous about it.

He still has the old gliders, however—curious, box-kite devices—and he plans now to dig them out, fix them up and fly once more.

Rynearson used to haul his gliders up to Castle Rock early in the morning to escape the tourists. The art of flying, he found, was simple. He stood in middle of the glider, resting his arms on the supports, ran along the ground to the edge of the cliff, and jumped off. Then the contraption floated him gently down to earth.

His fourth flight was his last. Halfway down, he thought he would wiggle his wings, in imitation of the birds, and add distance to his flight. But the birds must have had a secret that he lacked. At any rate, his wiggles sent him into one of the first nose dives in the history of aviation, and he cracked up ingloriously, skinning his nose badly. It is, incidentally, fascinating to speculate whether that is why such dives are called nose dives.

Explaining his injuries to his wife, and others, without revealing what he had been doing, proved more trouble than it was worth. So Rynearson quit. Now, however, he has been fired with new enthusiasm. He has brought out his old gliders and is rebuilding them, eager to take to the air again.

Some day soon—when his wife is thinking about something else—he is going to try another flight. And this time he will not wiggle his wings. Only birds can do that and get away with it.



ARTHUR RYNEARSON

Lass Combest et al. F. W. Alexander No. 1; L. A. Sur. Sec. 6, Shackelford Co., 40 acres. Intention to drill 12-7-28, depth 690 feet.
F. W. Alexander No. 2, Sec. 15, 63 acres intention to drill 1-5-29, depth 600 feet. No. 10, Sec. 15, intention to drill 1-10-29, depth 600 feet. F. W. Alexander No. 8; well record; drilling commenced 12-22-28 completed 1-5-29, 30 barrels. pred. T. D. 531 feet.
F. W. Alexander No. 1; Sec. 6; well record; drilling commenced 12-27-28 completed 1-4-29, dry hole, T. D. 567 feet.
Reiter-Foster Oil Corp., P. G. Hatcher No. 16; Callahan county, D. & D. A. Sur. Sec. 24, 60 acres, intention to plug 1-7-29.
White Eagle Oil & Refining company, Coleman county, Edgington No. 1; Victoria Co., see land sur. Sec. 20 acres, intention to drill 12-29, 1700 feet.



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With the opening of the International Exposition at Seville, Spain, on March 15th next America will pay a fitting compliment to Spain. The Spanish mission architecture introduced into this country by Spain during her period of colonizing the New World will be the outstanding feature of the three beautiful buildings which are a house the exhibits of the United States Government at Seville.

This reminder of our indebtedness to Spain is evident in the architectural theme of the permanent building, a two-story structure which is to be the future home of the U. S. Consulate at Seville. Designed by William Templeton Johnson, of San Diego, 267, architect of the United States Commission to the Seville Exposition, the new consular home will be a model of American living conditions. Every modern convenience and device known to domestic architecture will be installed. This policy is being followed by the Commission showing the strides this country has made in cultural development. It is hoped that the United States exhibits, which will relate a story of progress in the air, industry and all branches of foreign and domestic commerce, as well as home-making, and many other phases of our activities will be of benefit to Spain and the 17 Latin-American countries participating in the Exposition in solving problems similar to those with which we have been confronted. Twenty-three U. S. Government bureaus have arranged for exhibits at Seville and it is expected that this demonstration, in graphic form, will be one of the most complete reviews of governmental activities ever shown.

The United States Commission, which has been planning America's exhibit, is headed by ex-Governor Thomas H. Campbell of Arizona, who has been in Seville supervising the final stages of the work on the buildings. Assisting Governor Campbell on the Commission are Judge Frederick K. Matson, of Cheyenne, Wyoming; Helen Hall Upham, of Chicago; Helen Varick Boswell, of New York; George T. Cameron, publisher of the San Francisco Chronicle; and Agnes Reppner, of Philadelphia. John M. Deason, of Baltimore, is secretary of the Commission.

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W. L. Barrett & B. F. Looney Jr. W. R. Tomlinson No. 1; Stephens Co., S. P. RR. Sur. Sec. 44C, blk No. 1375 40 acres (intention to plug 12-21-28).

Snowden & McSweeney Co. J. G. Higgingsbotham No. 6; Stephens Co., L. A. Sur. Sec. 1, Abs No. 1185 Intention to plug at once. No acres 163.

Lewis Prod. Co., Throckmorton County, J. A. Mathews No. 2; East Texas, RR. Co. Sur. Sec. 231, No. A. 160, Intention to drill 12-24-28, depth 1500 feet.

Teci Prod. Co., J. H. Dixon No. 1; Stephens County, T. E. & L. sur. sec. 2075, intention to plug 1-7-29.

Mid-Texas Pet. Company, W. W. Cunningham No. 8; T. E. & L. sur. sec. 12 10, intention to drill 3250 feet, intention to drill 1-7-29.

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well No. 1; Stephens County, T. E. & P. R. R. sur. sec 38, blk 6, intention to drill 12-14-28, depth 2000 ft.

E. V. Richard, Callahan County, Mrs. S. D. Hill No. 2; D. & D. A. sur. sec 42, 80 acres, intention to drill 1-10-29.

Well record: drilling commenced 12-22-28, completed 12-31-28, dry hole T. D. 555 feet.

VESSEL BOILERS

By United Press.

ST. MARGARET'S BAY, Gag. Jan. 11 — The German steamer Dione ran ground near Dover early today after colliding with the Swedish steamer Osmed in a dense fog.

The Dione, a vessel of 1,107 tons, was damaged severely. The Osmed also was damaged, but proceeded on its voyage. It was a 1,526 ton ship.

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By United Press.

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