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JEALOUSY:
Or jealousy, with rankling tooth,
That only gnaws the secret heart.
—Gray (Ode on a Distant Prospect
of Eton College).

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MANY NEW ENTERPRISES ENTERING EASTLAND

Robison Should Resign
Land Commr. J. T. Robison is on the rack. A legislative investigating committee has turned in a ringing report as to his transactions as a public official; that the manner in which Robison handled the One Cent Per Acre fund, collected from purchasers of state land to defray expenses of administration, was "unexcusable, unwarranted and unjustified; that the same involves an unbecoming public policy and should not be contented by any public official in the discharge of the duties of his office."
Land Commr. J. T. Robison should resign.
Important recommendations are made to the lawmakers by the committee. First, that the land laws should be rewritten and safeguards thrown around the sale and leasing of public lands "as will insure the public school lands and university funds in the future." Second, the passage of a law creating the office of state auditor, "whose duty it would be to make investigations and audits of accounts of all the departments, institutions, boards and agencies of the state government."
Third, the land commissioner should be replaced by a committee of the legislature to be organized into laws in the future. The school lands and university funds should be fully protected at all times.

MOTHER DIES IN EFFORT TO SAVE FAMILY

Believing Members of Her Family Were Inside, Woman Rushes Into Burning Home and Is Burned to Death.

HOUSTON, Tex., May 22.—Mrs. Sam Doggett, 45, of Weimar, was burned to death at 1:30 a. m. today when she dashed back into her blazing home there to save other members of her family whom she thought still were in the house.

Her husband who followed her and after a struggle managed to drag her from the fire, was brought on a train to Houston and taken to a hospital, where it was said his burns may prove fatal.

A third member of the family, Marie Louise, 14, was painfully but not seriously burned about the face and body.

The two-story home was in flames when the family was aroused, City Marshall Roberts of Weimar told the United Press.

He said that Mrs. Doggett's aged mother, Mrs. P. J. Shaver and Mrs. Doggett's son, Thomas, 16, were not burned.

Mr. and Mrs. Doggett and their daughter were sleeping on the second story and were slightly burned, the mother becoming almost hysterical shortly after escaping. Losing sight of her children for a moment, she thought they still were in the building which already was beginning to fall. All occupants, however, had fled to safety.

Miss Ranger Will Take the Air Soon

RANGER, Tex., May 22.—People of this section are "pulling for" Owen Haugland to succeed in breaking the world's endurance flying record. Haugland is scheduled to take off in Wichita, Kan., in a few days in an effort to remain aloft more than a week and he plans to spend a day and half in the vicinity of Ranger. He was pilot at the Ranger airport until recently he has named his plane "Miss Ranger." He will use a special aviation fuel manufactured here.

His plans are to fly from Wichita to Minneapolis, his home city, where he will circle around for a day or two and then head for Ranger to spend a day and a half in this section. The refueling plane will be in charge of Vern Nelson.

'I Just Shot A Man' He Tells An Officer

WICHITA, Kas., May 22.—"I just shot and killed a man at my home. I tried to call the police and forget the number and I'm on my way to the station now," Magdelano Rice, 32, told a patrolman who sat beside him on a street car here last night.

The officer and confessed murderer returned to the Rice home and found Rosalie Lopez dead.

Rice, a park board employe declared he went to the home of his wife who had sued him for divorce to visit his seven children, and found Lopez there.

BOMBERS STAGE AERIAL "WAR" OVER OHIO



These pictures from "the front" in Ohio show the principal figures in the mimic aerial warfare staged by the army from bases at Columbus and Dayton. The air forces were divided into two combat units, known as the Red and Blue armies. Above, inspection of the Blue forces is being made by Brig. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulois (with overseas cap), assistant army chief and commander of the Blue forces, with Maj.-Gen. Dennis E. Nolan (in uniform and Sam Browne belt). The inset is Major John N. Reynolds, commander of the Red air forces.

Tunney's Lawyers Issue Statement On Forgarty Suit

NEW YORK, May 22.—Mrs. Katherine King Fogarty, seeking \$500,000 alleged breach of promise damages from Gene Tunney, was pictured today by Tunney's attorney, George S. Whiteside, as a woman with no meritorious claim against the retired heavyweight champion.

A statement by Whiteside claimed Mrs. Fogarty previously had made claims against Tunney culminating prior to Tunney's last heavyweight championship.

"At that time," said Whiteside's statement, "a very thorough investigation of her claims was made and they were found to be without the slightest merit."

Included in the statement was an alleged affidavit by Mrs. Fogarty saying, in part:

"My relations were such as in no way to cast the slightest criticism or discredit upon him. I have no claim upon him of any kind and never did have."

The document purported to withdraw remarks regarding Tunney made to the woman's lawyers. It concluded:

"I wish to make this solemn declaration under oath that may be published at any time, that he is under no obligation whatsoever to me and never was, and that his character and conduct to my knowledge are of the best."

Whiteside gave no clarification of the circumstances in which the alleged affidavit was made.

There were reports that letters had passed earlier between Tunney and Mrs. Fogarty. One version was that the woman still possessed some, and that before the present action is finished they may be made public in one way or another. The other version was that these letters were returned to Tunney.

Robbers Attack Officer With Piece of Iron

Attempt to Rob Ranger Store Foiled by Night Watchman—Eastland Truck Stolen.

T. E. Mathis, night watchman of Ranger, was attacked last night by robbers whom he surprised in the act of loading a truck with brass and copper from the Ranger Iron & Metal Works in Ranger, and fired several shots at them as they fled. Mathis was not injured.

Mathis, in making an investigation of the robbery, found that the truck, which the robbers had half loaded, had been stolen in Eastland. The truck was abandoned by the robbers when Mathis appeared.

The robbers stole another truck from the Lone Star Gas company in Ranger and made their escape in it, according to the officers.

J. C. Jacques, whose truck was parked in front of his home, on South Seaman street, Eastland, heard the truck when it started, which was about 10 o'clock. He jumped in his car and calling members of the sheriff's department, gave chase to the drivers of the truck. The truck was lost sight of, however, and while the officers searched for it in the vicinity of Carbon, Gorman and DeLeon, the robbers had changed their course and went to Ranger where they attempted the robbery of the Ranger Iron & Metal Works.

Armed Strikers Defiant; Leaders Say 'Come Get Us'

By EDWARD W. LEWIS
United Press Staff Correspondent
ELIZABETHTON, Tenn., May 22.—A volcano that could spout shotguns, dynamite and bombs underlies Happy Valley in Tennessee, and earnest efforts were necessary today to keep the top from blowing out in this strike disturbed region.

The house of every prominent strike leader has a shotgun and rifle handy, in the second floor rooms of union organizers above a downtown restaurant are the squirrel guns and rifles of the Ben-Hertz Gunstoffs plants, the machine guns of National Guard companies are implanted on the roofs, and the bayoneted rifles of 400 men glisten beneath.

Thomas Penix, the "hill man" who led the first strike from the mill, said today he had received the tenth telephone threat for him to get out of town in the night.

"I don't aim to go," Penix said. "And if any of them mill favorites get me to my house and get me better watch out. We got six rifles in one room, and three shotguns by my bed."

The curious aspect of this strike here that union officials admit holds in its success or failure the question of unionizing the 300,000 textile workers, is the folks who are participating in it. There are old farmers who look like Abraham Lincoln. There are young yellow girls and middle aged wizened women and six foot youths with the big feet of hill folk.

With their own queer sense of humor that results in such nicknames for girls as "Radio Ann" and "Texas Bill," the striking mountain eers are quick to anger and quick to laugh. When they jammed into the courtroom today for the trial of 50 of their fellows on picketing charges they munched food, chewed tobacco and haw-hawed at every opportunity.

None are hungry, for all live in cabins with gardens out in back, low wages at the plants, such as \$8.96 for a 56-hour week for "Radio Ann" anger them. But more than the pay they hated the concrete floors of the modern efficient factories.

"Radio Ann," explained: "We 'uns aint used to standing on anything but dirt."

Many of them know little about the real issues of the strike. Some are taking the strike as a lark. They won their first strike for higher wages and went back a month or more ago only to have several of their number discriminated against, they claim, because of union activities. So the present strike is not for higher wages but to force the German management to accept union leaders and agree not to discriminate. Nothing else is asked.

Falsely Accused Former Cisco Man Is Freed

Indicted on Robbery Charge and Given 5 Years Sentence Establishes His Innocence.

Two years after he began serving a prison sentence for a crime which he did not commit, H. A. (Cork) Clements, a brother of Joe Clements Cisco building contractor, is a free man with a pardon from Governor Moody expected momentarily. Clements was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary on a charge of robbery with fire arms in connection with a holdup at Wortham, Texas, about 1924. Knowing that he did not commit the crime of which he was accused Clements and his brother and friends fought the case bitterly never ceasing until his innocence was definitely established with the confession of Leonard A. Wassum, who Tuesday pleaded guilty at Corsicana to the robbery of which Clements was convicted. Wassum drew a five-year sentence.

Clements steadfastly resisted all efforts to obtain executive clemency for him until he could bring before the courts and the governor irrefutable evidence that he had been unjustly accused, convicted and confined. About 30 days ago he was given a parole in order to attend his wife who was ill. During his parole he located Wassum in Midland. Wassum returned voluntarily with him to Corsicana to plead guilty to the crime of which Clements was accused, thus clearing Clements of all evidence of guilt in connection with the incident.

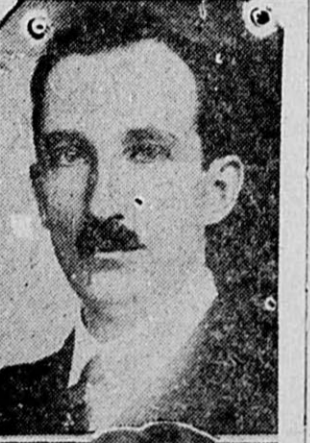
A parole was granted Clements over a year ago about the time that Blackie Davis, now in the penitentiary, signed a confession that he and Wassum staged the robbery and that Clements had nothing to do with it. This parole was for 60 days and was granted due to the illness of a sister-in-law of Clements, Mrs. Joe Clements, of Cisco. At the end of the period however, he returned to prison where he remained until the second parole was granted him the other day.

District Judge Hawkins Scarborough, who sentenced Clements and also Wassum, said that there had always been a doubt in his mind as to Clements' guilt. He added that he would see that Clements was pardoned if he had to walk to Austin to get the pardon.

H. A. Clements was not a resident of Cisco at the time of his conviction on the robbery charge. He moved from there several years before after having lived in Cisco since he was four years of age. He and his brother, Joe Clements and other members of the family came to this section in 1889 with their father, E. J. Clements, now deceased.

Joe Clements is a successful contractor and has many fine buildings and residences to his credit here.

Bachelor King May Marry Princess



"Official spokesman" denied it. But authentic rumors persisted in Sofia that Europe's bachelor king, Boris of Bulgaria, above, is to be a bachelor no longer. Engagement of the "lonely monarch" to lovely Princess Giovanna, below, of Italy, was reported in various European capitals. The king and princess recently were seen together in Geneva.

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The Texas Electric Service company has moved into quarters, especially arranged for them on East Commerce street.

The 'Fort Worth' Is Still In Air Seeking Record

FORT WORTH, Tex., May 22.—Reg Robbins and Jim Kelly, endurance flyers attempting to beat the record of the army plane Question Mark, were still soaring over Fort Worth at 1 p. m. The engine of their Ryan monoplane was roaring encouragingly.

Robbins and Kelly already have beaten the unofficial record for sustained flight by midair refueling in a single-motored plane by Louis Croey and St. Victor Groenen, Belgian pilots, reported to have stayed up 65 hours.

The "Fort Worth" was refueled this morning with 110 gallons of gasoline, 4 1/2 quarts of oil and food was transferred to the endurance ship at an altitude of 3,000 feet. The operation took eight minutes.

The plane flew over the flights of Meacham field a good part of Tuesday night. First adverse weather was encountered at 3:20 a. m., when a light rain began to fall. It stopped at 3:50 a. m.

In notes dropped last Tuesday, Robbins told of Kelly falling out of the plane's hammock while taking a nap and of burning his hand on the plane's exhaust pipe while on the "cat walk" while greasing the engine.

Land Blazing Plane; Passenger Unharmed

OAKLAND, Cal., May 22.—Seven passengers and two pilots narrowly escaped death when a tri-motored ship of the Boeing Air Transport company was destroyed by fire early today four miles west of Elko, Nev., according to reports received at the headquarters of the company here.

The 12-passenger plane burst in flames in midair, but chief pilot, Hugh Barker brought the flaming ship to earth in a perfect landing. Although the entire left side of the ship was in flames, the passengers and pilots escaped from the craft without injuries, company officials said.

As the landing was accomplished, Abe Warner, assistant pilot, threw open the door and the passengers scrambled to safety. The plane, valued at \$100,000, was destroyed and with it all mail, according to reports received here.

Unmasked Bandits Rob Arkansas Bank

TEXARKANA, Ark., May 22.—Five armed men held up the Miller county bank at 10:30 o'clock this morning, forced employes and two customers inside a vault and escaped in an automobile with between \$7,000 and \$8,000 in cash. The bandits left town in a northerly direction.

Four of the bandits entered the bank with drawn revolvers while the fifth remained outside at the wheel of a car parked at the entrance.

President Booker and cashier Finnegan of the bank were among those locked in the vault. They were freed after the robbers had scooped up all the cash in sight.

Eyewitnesses said the robbers were roughly dressed men and they ranged in age from 30 to 40 years. None of the men was masked.

A posse was formed to hunt the men.

State Briefs

By United Press.
LVESTON, Tex., May 22.—The Henderson stowaways were covered on the Norwegian steamer Juan when it arrived here from Port Castilla, Honduras, with its cargo of bananas. The stowaways were discovered by customs officials while inspecting the cargo.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 22.—The supreme court today declined to take a hand in the dispute between the factions of the Women's Temperance Union in San Antonio. The court held it was beyond its jurisdiction.

AS, Tex., May 22.—The department of agriculture bureau reported in its bulletin today that excessive rains and low temperatures were unfavorable for cotton plantations of the belt.

TEXAS showers were beneficial to the west portions; upper coast, east and north portions were unfavorable for chopping and cultivation and considerable damage by heavy rains.

GENERAL conditions of the crop Texas was fair to good but the progress in general was slow, the report says.

IN, Tex., May 22.—Gov. Perry declined to interfere in the election of Silas Jordan, who is sentenced to die for the killing of Detective J. J. McLaughlin of San Antonio.

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NATIONAL CRIME COMMISSION HEADS WRITES TO WICKERSHAM

By United Press.
NEW YORK, May 22.—Richard Washburn Child, acting chairman of the National Crime Commission and former United States Ambassador to Italy, today addressed and open letter to George W. Wickersham, chairman of Pres. Hoover's national law enforcement commission, asking that the commission in its deliberations distinguish between "normal laws and governmental commandments."

As a private citizen Child called attention to the "deplorable result of failure to distinguish between broad vision, rather than with technical pettiness, between laws and commandments, and between law in the engrossed words and law of the social will."

"If the mind of the multitude makes this distinction," he wrote, "and therefore maintain the germ of respect for law, how great would be the disaster if your commission served not to uphold this distinction, if it is valid, but instead broke it down."

Child asserted he has never contended that the eighteenth amendment "and its resulting congressional commandments," cannot be enforced but that he does say that "few persons in the nation wet or dry will fail to distinguish between this law and normal laws."

"If the ardent dry sees a burglar entering the house of his friend and neighbor, he telephones the police; if he sees a bootlegger entering the house of his friend and neighbor, he may telephone the police, but it generally recognized that in such case he would be considered a cad," Child wrote.

"The president, who appointed your commission has had much experience in the value of social will as distinguished from written law," Child continued. "By invoking a social will as to limitation of the use of meat, sugar and gasoline during the war, he obtained a unity of action and a rigor of enforcement no police could ever obtain."

FLASHES

CHICAGO, May 22.—Policeman Joseph Sullivan, member of an exportation ring investigating squad, was found shot to death behind the wheel of his automobile today. He had been shot through the back of the head. A bruise over his eye indicated he had been slugged.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Congressional leaders made plans today to complete all immediate business next week so congress may adjourn June 1, the Senate recessing until July 7, and the House for two months.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Rep. Hamilton Fish, Republican, New York, today outlined to Secretary of War Good a compromise plan aimed at restoring athletic relations between army and navy football teams.

Fish discussed the plan with (Continued on Page 2)

W. T. C. of C. Meet El Paso Oct. 14-26

VERNON, Tex., May 22.—Members of the advisory board of the West Texas chamber of commerce decided at a meeting here Tuesday afternoon to hold their eleventh annual convention in El Paso on Oct. 24, 25 and 26. Members expressed that President Hoover would find it convenient to attend the session at this time and meet President Gil of Mexico, who has consented to be present. Directors also decided that all future conventions would be held in the spring.

\$100,000 Lease Taken on Local Business Site

Metropolitan Chain Stores Inc. Will Establish Large Store Here Shortly After January 1.

More than \$100,000 net is being paid for a lease on a piece of Eastland property, which is to be occupied by one of the country's largest chain store corporations, according to an announcement made by one of the owners of the property.

According to Judge G. W. Dakan the Metropolitan Chain Stores, Inc., has closed a 30-year lease contract with him for the building owned by him on the west side of the square and will occupy it shortly after the first of the new year.

Judge Dakan also stated that a similar lease to his had been made by the same company with Jas. A. Beard, who owns the building adjoining the Dakan building on the south.

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WOULD BUILD CHILDRESS TO PAMPA LINE

Application For Permission to Conduct 110-Mile Railroad Filed With Interstate Commerce Commission.

WORTH FORTH, May 22.—Application for permission to build a line from Childress to Pampa will be forwarded to the Interstate Commerce Commission within the next sixty days, directors of the proposed Fort Worth and Denver Northern Railroad company decided at a meeting here Tuesday.

Already the charter for the new road has been approved by the Attorney General at Austin and work on the 110-mile line will go forward immediately, the Interstate Commerce Commission has acted on the application, it was said.

Cost of the undertaking will be between \$3,500,000 and \$4,000,000. Construction probably will take a year after permission has been given by the I. C. C.

Rediscount Rates May Be Increased

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Raising rediscount rates a full one percent in all reserve bank districts where such action is requested by reserve officials was foreshadowed today in issuance by the Federal reserve board of a recommendation by the federal advisory council for such action.

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Pres. Hoover today and the president is understood to have indicated a sympathetic attitude.

Secretary Good asked Fish to submit his proposed compromise in writing.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., May 22.—Prospective jurors who claimed Texas as a native state were dismissed today in court as attempts were continued to complete the panel to hear the murder case of Deputy Sheriff John Northcott, Winkler county, Texas.

Northcott was charged with murder in the fatal shooting of Eng Lee, Chinese cafe cashier, during an argument over a waiter's check. Eleven jurors had been selected today and testimony was to start as soon as the panel had been completed from a special venire of 25.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Chairman LaFollette has issued a call for a meeting of the Senate manufacturers committee tomorrow to vote on the Wheeler resolution proposing a Senatorial investigation of labor troubles in the textile industry.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Reports of a probable increase soon in the rediscount rate of the New York Reserve bank were inspired here today by a visit of Gov. George L. Harrison and Gates McGarrath, chairman of the New York bank's directors.

WESTWOOD, Mass., May 22.—A woman, probably mentally defective, was seen by investigators today as the author of a blackmail letter sent recently to Constance Morrow, 15-year-old daughter of Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow.

TULSA, Ok., May 22.—I. L. (Whitey) Myers and wife, who gave the name of Rosella Dyer, today admitted to police here that they participated in the robbery of the Union State bank of Parsons, Kas. Loot in the robbery which took place March 6, was \$1,303.

The two were identified by officials of the bank.

Police believe a case of surgeon's implements found with the couple's effects has been identified in connection with the Lamar, Colo., bank robbery in which a surgeon was killed.

MEXICO CITY, May 22.—Plutarco Elias Calles, once Mexican president, general and minister of war, bade farewell to politics today and withdrew into the private life he had not known for years.

Calles gave pointed advice to the Mexican people for better government of themselves, declaring that the revolutionary movement of 1910, in which he always was prominent and later the leader, had failed politically.

Economically and socially, however, the results have been most gratifying.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Pres. Hoover today issued invitations to the governors of oil producing states to meet with representatives of the federal government at Colorado Springs, Colo., June 10, to map out a national program for the control of drilling and elimination of waste in oil production.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 22.—W. A. Paddock of Houston was here today and took his oath of office as new member of the State prison board.

Forlorn Maidens; Freedom-Wearied Bachelors Meet

By United Press.

EAUSINES, Belgium, May 22.—Sighing and the sound of soft kisses mingled with the May breeze that blew over Ecausines last night as forlorn maidens and freedom-wearied bachelors, embraced and swore to be married.

The bachelors came by train leads in answer to an advertisement broadcast through Europe announcing that the maidens of Ecausines, outnumbering the youths 8 to 5, were tired of remaining single and wanted husbands.

The advertisement invited bachelors who believed that a wife was an asset instead of a liability to come to the little Belgian village near the French border where merry-making and feasting would be only a prelude to proposing and marriage.

The turnout was stupendous, but each bachelor, from the most timid country fellow to the most sophisticated laborer from the city, was welcomed with a hearty handshake by the president of the Ecausines Matrimonial association and led immediately to the throng of young women who blushed readily when they saw the crowd that answered their call. Each greeted her bachelor with a kiss.

The maidens of Ecausines found it easy to make the men feel at home, and in the intervals of the fixed program the village green, the bridge of sighs, the lovers' tunnel and other beauty spots were cluttered with couples who saw only themselves.

In the evening the bachelors sat down to a huge feast which the maidens had prepared with their own hands, and afterwards there was dancing, with an interval for "proposing." Most of the bachelors had anticipated that, however, and they prepared to return to their homes today with their brides.

HASTY ACTION WRECKS BILLS

AUSTIN, Tex., May 22.—Hasty action in the closing hours of the special session of the Texas legislature may have wrecked two bills. In the rush the legislators failed to amend captions of the two bills to conform to changes that had been made in the body. The bills thus threatened to create a state board of education and permit women nurses and supervisors in charity institutions to work more than nine consecutive hours. The bills may be corrected at the second called session of the legislature which is to convene on June 3.

Many Children Cured By Shriners Hospital

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—During the month of April 43 girls and boys who had for several weeks been undergoing treatment for correction in the Shriners' hospital here were discharged, either wholly cured or with the main stage of the process completed. During the same period 41 other children were received. At the end of the month there were 93 patients in the institution, and 138 others approved for admission constituted the waiting list to be given treatment when facilities were available. These figures do not include crippled children classified as outpatients, or those whose treatment does not require a stay in the hospital, of which there are a large number.

Pay Your City Taxes and Avoid Penalties

City Manager H. O. Tatum calls attention to the fact that the time in which city taxes may be paid without added penalties and interest is drawing near.

For the convenience of the taxpayers the city commission sometimes ago divided the year into two tax-paying periods, arranging it so that one-half of the taxes might be paid at a time without any portion of them becoming delinquent. The last half of the year will be up, May 31 and after that time penalty and interest will be added to all unpaid city taxes.

The city manager and the city commissioners are very anxious that all taxes be paid so it will not be necessary to add penalties and interest to anyone's statement.

CHINESE REBELS SUFFER DEFEATS

By United Press.

HONG KONG, May 22.—The Kwangsi rebels suffered a heavy defeat in the North river region according to report reaching here from Canton, today. The Cantonese troops, it was claimed, captured 5,000 prisoners and much ammunition and military equipment.

LONDON, May 22.—London Daily Express dispatches from Shanghai stated today that according to railway officials Marshal Feng Yu-Hsiang, who has declared war upon the Nationalist government, has destroyed 28 bridges and all the telegraph lines in Hunan province.

SHANGHAI, May 22.—Feng Yu-Hsiang, the Christian general today informed all foreign ministers and consular representatives throughout China that he planned military activities against Chiang Kai-Shek, leader of the Nationalist party.

ROTTING OF X-RAY FILMS CAUSE OF EXPLOSIONS

COLUMBUS, O., May 21.—Decomposition of x-ray films, creating a gas which exploded and was driven through the building, was held responsible for the Cleveland clinic disaster in which 125 persons lost their lives.

The "causes and effect" of the gas were described in an official report made by T. C. Devine, head of the state division of factories and workshops and H. G. Ebert, division safety engineer, to state industrial relations director, Will T. Blake.

FAGAN JURY DEADLOCKED FAIRFIELD, Tex., May 22.—Fagan jury in the trial of W. L. Fagan, charged with murder in connection with the slaying a year ago of Special Ranger Tim Willard, reported itself deadlocked after 95 1-2 hours' deliberation and was discharged by Judge Fountain Kirby.

Willard was slain during a raid on a whiskey still. At a previous trial Fagan was convicted and sentenced to 99 years.

PRATT IS COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF U. S. FLEET

By United Press.

SAN PEDRO, Cal., May 22.—To the crashing of heavy salvos, Admiral William V. Pratt hoisted his flag to the main truck of the U. S. S. Texas here yesterday and became commander-in-chief of the entire United States fleet, replacing Admiral Henry A. Wiley.

STATE BRIEFS

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Jarmon was tried in Grayson county charged with the robbery of Mrs. A. R. Hassenpflug of Valley View, Cooke county.

The case was a capital one, a deadly weapon being used in the robbery.

MEXIA, Tex., May 22.—Joe Palmer, confessed kidnaper of Lyle Justice, railway station agent here was taken from Groesbeck to Huntsville today to begin serving a 25-year sentence on a plea of guilty to a charge of robbery with firearms. Palmer forced Justice to accompany him to Austin robbing him of the station funds.

CONVICT RECAPTURED SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 22.—Captured at a rooming house here by seven city detectives who surrounded the place, Jack Cooper, 3, Dallas, who escaped from the Harker State farm at Richmond on May 2, will be returned to the institution today. Cooper was convicted at Houston on a burglars charge and sentenced to 12 years. He had served two years of his term at the time of his escape.

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| American Tobacco Co. | 169 |
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| Wright A. C. | |
| Curtis Airplane | 150 1/4 |
| Gulf Oil of Pa. | 172 1/2 |
| Standard Oil N. Y. | 40 |
| Huble Oil | 116 3/4 |
| Chesapeake Corp. | 92 1/2 |
| Trans-Continental Oil | 13 1/2 |
| T. P. C. & O. | 18 1/2 |
| Texas Corp. | 62 1/2 |
| P. O. & G. | 58 |
| Shell Union Oil | 28 1/2 |
| Armour A. Ill. | 11 3/4 |
| U. S. Steel | 166 1/2 |
| PPL (new) | 61 |
| Vacuum Oil | 119 1/4 |
| General Motors | 73 1/4 |
| Ford | 18 1/4 |
| Montgomery Ward | 112 1/2 |
| Radio | 92 |

FIVE MILLION DOLLAR SUIT LAREDO, Tex., May 22.—Heirs of the late Thomas J. Handy have filed suit in federal court at Brownsville to recover title to 2,300 acres of valuable land in Hidalgo county. The land lies in the heart of the citrus fruit region of the valley and is valued at more than one million dollars.

Title passed from Handy's hands through foreclosure action after he had mortgaged the property.

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You have seen the illustration on the 32-piece Dinner Sets we are giving with one year subscriptions to our paper.

NOW—

We invite you to visit our office and see this Beautiful 32 piece set consisting of: six large dinner plates, six cups, six saucers, six cereal bowls, six pie plates, one large meat platter and one large open vegetable bowl. And the set is in one of newest decorations.

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Gruen Pocket Watch \$32.50

For the graduate—a new Gruen

A distinguished example of the new style trend in watches for young men is this new Gruen. Fitted with celebrated 15-jewel Guild movement, at \$32.50. Other Gruens \$27.50 to \$35.00.

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We call special attention to our stock of bedroom furniture which is one of the largest in West Texas and includes— 4-piece suites, vanity, bed, chest of drawers and bench in assorted finishes, built by the nation's foremost builders of furniture.

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TO BE OVER RANGER BY SATURDAY

Changes Plan and Will Go Minneapolis, First.

(Ranger Times)
On Wednesday morning, Owen Haugland, former pilot at the Ranger airport, will hop off at Wichita, Kan., on his attempt to break the world's endurance record.

In a long-distance conversation with Boyd Davenport Monday night, Haugland stated that changes in his plans had been found necessary. Originally, the flyer had intended to begin his flight this morning but he postponed it a day.

Another change in his plans is that, after taking off from the airport at Wichita, on his try to shatter the record, he will fly first to Minneapolis, his old home town, where friends and admirers have contributed generously toward the expense of the flight. He will fly in the vicinity of Minneapolis for a day and then will head for Ranger.

He will sail around this section for a day and a half, refueling several times.
His ship is known as "Miss Ranger" and he will use Naturalene, the product of Chestnut & Smith. Preceding Haugland here will be Vern Nelson on the refueling plane and he will have all in readiness before the arrival of Haugland and Gene Shank, co-pilots in the endurance attempt.

Announcement that Ranger is to be the scene of much of the flight has created great interest. Particularly has the desire been expressed on all sides to see the refueling. This is a dangerous bit of flying that must be done with great skill. The ships of course must be flying in exactly the same direction and at the same rate of speed. One is above the other and they are only 30 feet apart. A length of hose is used in transferring the gasoline to the tanks of Haugland's plane.

After their stay around Ranger, the flyers will return to Wichita, where the flight will end.

In order to break the record the plane will have to remain in the air for more than a week. The Question Mark now holds the record.

The change in schedule will bring "Miss Ranger" here probably two days later than was originally planned. However, if the plane remains in the air that long, it will mean that the flight will be that much nearer surpassing the record when Ranger is reached and the stay in this vicinity will therefore be watched with nationwide interest.

Should the flight be carried out

as now scheduled, Haugland will see a mighty mass of cheering humanity when he hoves in sight over the Ranger flying field a few days hence.

WEST FIELD, Long Island, May 21.—The Bellanca cabin monoplane, newly christened "The Three Musketeers," took off from this field at 2:19:32 this afternoon in an effort to beat the refueling endurance record now held by the army plane Question mark.
The plane is carrying Martin Jensen, holder of the solo endurance record; William Ulbrich, and Lieutenant Henry B. Clarke.

Higher Courts

AUSTIN, Tex., May 22.—The following proceedings were had today in the Court of Criminal Appeals here:

Affirmed:
Hilda Watson from Milam county, Pancho Martinez from Beg, J. A. Watson from Lubbock, E. Hopson from Anglin, Needham Austin from Hill, David Robinson from Rusk, W. A. Knox from Dallas, Lee Ware from Walker, R. Maldonado Benavides from El Paso, J. W. Adamson from Haskell, V. B. Scroggins from Chilton and Leedy McLemore from Rusk.

Reversed and Remanded:
Oscar Leming from Bee, Gus Martin from Taylor, Pablo Crut from Orton, Fred Grill from Bee, Jude Jernigan from Angelina, William Noble from Stephens, W. C. Brigham from Motley, C. C. Barnett from Mitchell, J. T. Wilson from Knox and W. M. Johnson from Eastland.

Motion for Rehearing Overruled:
John McGee from Callahan, S. Lindsey from Grayson, Ed McCull, Oscar Pretre from Red River and W. N. Potec from Sutton.

Appeal Reinstated, Reversed and Remanded:
Rosa Weaver from Delta.

Reversed and Prosecution Ordered Dismissed:
K. Hallman from Cameron.

Appeal Reinstated, Judgment Affirmed:
Bob McNeal from Donley and John Noble from Hall.

Appeal Dismissed:
Curtis Weaver from Wichita, T. H. Armstrong from Ector, J. F. Mathis from Ector, Rosie Baker from Mitchell.

Wolf Hunt to Be Held This Week, Leeray
Leeray, the vanished oil boom city, will be the scene of a big wolf hunt on Friday and Saturday nights, it is announced by Dick Elliott of Ranger.

One hundred and fifty dogs will be there, it is expected, including Dan Moody, Elliott's champion dog

that has won first or second at the meets over the state for the past two years.

Hunters from Sweetwater to Fort Worth have been invited. They will start pitching tent at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at the rock crusher which is across the railroad track, northwest of the old depot.

There will be night running only, free-for-all, everyone judging his own dogs. Dave Allen of Eastland will be in charge of the hunt.

Several years ago, the state wolf hunt was held at Leeray.

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How much did you save last year?
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Something happens in Europe—or at the pole. A few minutes after it happens we have the story over our United Press Leased wires. While the machine is still ticking the last of the story the linotypes are grinding out the first—the press begins to rumble and YOU have the story hours before the state papers could reach you.

If you are not already a regular subscriber phone the office phone 500 or tell the boy as he passes—You will not want to miss a chapter.

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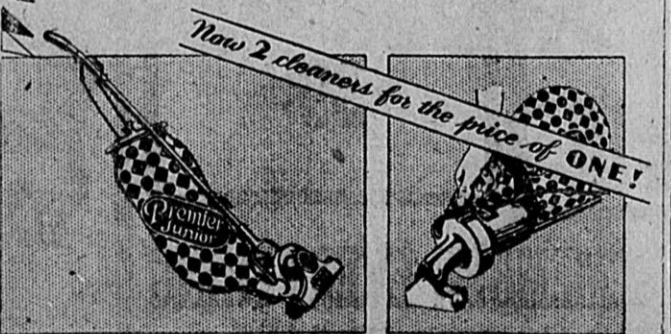
Conceal scuffs this easy way

A touch or two of the dauber conceals scuffs like magic. Color is restored uniformly to faded shoes. More than 50 long-life shipes—50 cents. Colors for black, brown, tan and white shoes—a neutral polish for others.

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PREMIER now offers two electric cleaners for the price of one. A big cleaner for the rugs and carpets, and the new small cleaner—the Spic-Span—to take the place of attachments. Weighing only four pounds,



the Spic-Span can be taken from task to task without wasting time or steps. You simply plug it into any electric socket and clean mattresses, clothes, stairways, upholstery, automobiles, nooks and crannies everywhere.

The Spic-Span may be purchased separately for \$14.50 . . . or in one of the following combinations. Easy Payments. Phone or visit us today and arrange for a private demonstration. No obligation.

Two Cleaners for the Price of One
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MAN SHOT TO DEATH
LUFKIN, Tex., May 22.—Young Spivey, living at Burke, was found shot to death in his room early today. A target rifle lay by his side. He had been in poor health for some time. Five children and the widow survive.

CLASSIFIED ADS BRING QUICK RESULTS
2c per word first insertion. 1c per word each insertion thereafter. No ad taken for less than 50c.
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MALE HELP WANTED
Wanted—An experienced finger for \$5.00 permanent wage. Apply Friday and Saturday at Texas State bank building.

LOST AND FOUND
Bay horse, thirteen hands. Last seen on highway between Eastland and Cisco, L. Y. Eastland, Texas.

SITUATIONS WANTED
Wanted—Nursing or housework. Apply at next to last West Main st.

SPECIAL NOTICES
Blackberries, Pasture poultry farm and hatchery, 3 miles east of town.

Washing; blankets 15c per quilt, 25c each, at 307 N. Main.

INSURANCE—It hails off in Eastland county. Why not get your cotton and corn crop this hazard. See J. F. Williams, 208 S. Lamar St., for rebates of protection in good insurance company. Terms on premises desired.

HOUSES FOR RENT
Five room house. Location, garage. See Joe Connellee Theatre.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT
Three and two-room apartments with private bath, desirable location. See Gristy, 701 Plummer.

Furnished three-room apartment. Private garage, 612 W. Plummer.

Nice cool southeast furnished, also a 310 East Main st.

Furnished apartment, rooms with private bath, lawn, good shade, rooms newly papered and well furnished. Good location. Call 99.

Furnished apartment, big rooms, breakfast, buffet, every day, newly papered, nice view. Phone 565 or 576.

Miscellaneous
Red gravel for driveway. Phone 457J.

Small iron safe. Eastland Telegram.

At a bargain, complete Standard Cable Drill, 18" down, also top tools and under-runners, in A-1 condition. Used for only one well. Standard Supply company, Dallas.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE
20 acres of well-wooded land near Dorman in the valley to trade for Eastland property. See me if you have anything to offer. Also have 50 acres in valley under irrigation for land in West Texas. McWilliams, real estate, in-law rentals. Phone 381.

HOUSES FOR SALE
A nice home, one room town. Furnished or unfurnished. A real bargain for the price. Write box PC, Eastland Telegram.

FOR SALE—Three modern dwellings now for \$35, \$26, and \$22.50. Also for \$5,000 and take in cash the money. Also two lots in good location for one five-room house close in \$750. Several homes at bargain prices. Price of oil has risen many wells starting to be removed the Texas Electric will build the wells. It is nice if all this happens. Buy one before it happens. McWilliams, real estate, rentals. Phone 381.

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Service stations including TEXACO Gasoline, Shell, and other brands. Service Station, Gasoline Station, Storage Battery Co., Carbon, etc.

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Just 3 More Days Till T

MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW TO ATTEND THIS LAST AND FINAL

Remember---THURSDAY-FRIDAY-SA

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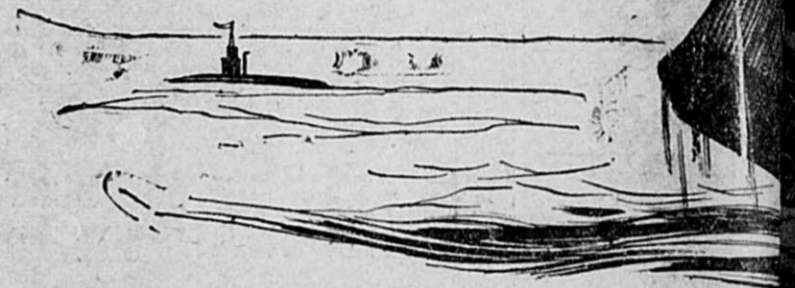
BEAR IN MIND THIS IS A COMPLETE CLOSE OUT SALE

(Nothing is being held back. Every article in the entire store has been placed out on tables and racks where you can see everything and remember every article has a special green price tag with a price lower than actual wholesale cost.

When we started this great Sale Friday, May 10th, we advertised to run for 19 days. However, since the general public has responded and bought so freely we have now decided to close our doors Saturday night, May 25th. We intend to make the last three days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the biggest Bargain Days anyone ever witnessed in this entire trade territory. Come and bring the whole family for every article left in the stock will be sold at the greatest savings you ever heard of. Don't get confused but come to the Real Sale at the Boston Store.

Store closed all day Tuesday and Wednesday to rearrange for our last 3 days in Eastland.

PRICES



REMEMBER THURSDAY--FRIDAY--SATURDAY ARE

ANOTHER GREAT SALE OF DRESSES

Our line of Dresses has been all closed out but we have arranged with an Eastern concern to let us have 300 new spring and summer dresses on consignment to sell these last three days. These dresses would sell regularly from \$.95 up to \$32.50, but we are placing them on sale at three very low prices. Get your new summer dress at the lowest price you ever expected.

\$4.45 \$8.75 \$12.75

Wash Dresses

1 lot ladies' and misses Wash Dresses and nurses uniforms, regular \$1.95 value.

65c

1 LOT CHILDREN'S

Gingham, Voile Dresses
Sizes 3 to 14 years, up to \$2.50 value. Priced

50c AND 75c



PIECE GOODS

Not a big stock left but the biggest bargains you ever heard of.

1 lot Gingham, Pongee, English Prints, Organdy, Madras Sheeting and Pillow Tubing, value up to 50c. Now, yard **12c**

1 lot French Gingham, Organdy and Voile, values up to 85c now, yard **35c**

1 lot Silk Dress Goods, printed flat crepe, crepe Romi Coating, \$3.50 to \$5.00 value, yard **\$1.39**

SPECIAL

OIL CALICO

Oil Calico and colored Chamra. 15c value

5c YARD

Limit 10 yards to customer

SPECIAL

LADIES' AND MISSES SILK RAYON BLOOMERS

All sizes, extra good grade. \$1.25 value

39c

ANOTHER GREAT

SPECIAL

1 lot odds and ends, such as Towels, Dresses, Piece Goods, Shirts, etc., to be sold to commence this last drive. Beginning at 9 o'clock. Values Close Out Sale

9c



Nothing worth times them

SPECIAL

BED SPREADS

Crinkle Crepe Spreads. Pink, blue, tan. Extra large size. \$1.95 value

75c

Limit one to customer.

SPECIAL

BED SHEETS

81x90 size, extra good quality, free from seams. \$1.50 value

75c

Limit 2 to customer.

SPECIALS

DOMESTIC

Bleached, 36 inches wide, extra good grade, 19 yards

\$1.00

Limit 10 yards to customer.

DOMESTIC

UNBLEACHED 36 inches wide, extra good grade, 15c value, 13 yards

\$1.00

Limit 13 yards to customer.

SPECIAL

Ladies' Silk HOSE All colors and sizes, \$2.00 value

69c

SPECIAL

LADIES' KNIT UNIONS All sizes and extra good grade, 50c value

19c

SPECIAL

LADIES' SILK HOSE All leading colors, value to \$2.95

\$1.15

COME EARLY THURSDAY AND REMEMBER EVERYTHING MUST GO IN THIS LAST THREE DAY WIND-UP SALE

THE BOSTON

EASTLAND, TEXAS

LAST AND FINAL QUIET BEGINNING

A BUSINESS

Boston Store Closes Their DOORS Forever

GOOD-BYE SALE

THREE DAYS are the last three days

Came see what real Close Out Bargains we are offering.

Sale closes for good Saturday, May 25.

We want to thank our many friends for their liberal patronage during our many year of business here.

BE HERE

Thursday Friday Saturday

ALL STANDARD HIGH GRADE MERCHANDISE DON'T LET THIS OPPORTUNITY PASS



A CLOSE OUT — SELL OUT AND GET OUT SALE — JUST THREE MORE DAYS, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY



Fall in line Thursday with the thousands of satisfied customers who have attended this mighty Sale and get your share of the wonderful Bargains. Nothing like it before in this entire trade territory. It's merchandise without a home so come carry it away. The price will be much lower than you ever dreamed could be possible. If we intended to stay in business, it would be impossible for us to sell at such ridiculously low prices. It's the greatest slaughter of merchandise ever witnessed by man, woman or child. The Bargains you can get at this mighty Sale are worth traveling many miles for so hurry and get here before it is too late. Our doors positively close Saturday night, May 25th, for good in Eastland.

BIGGEST AND LAST OF THIS MIGHTY SALE

SPECIAL

Pressed Silk Wool Flannel, beautiful grade, \$2.95 value

98c YARD

SPECIAL

Pink and White Rubber Sheet- ing, extra fine grade, \$1.45 value

65c YARD

SPECIAL

Chiffon velvet, all colors, 36-in. wide, beautiful material, \$6.50 value

\$1.98 YARD



REMEMBER THE OLD SAYING

About the road to riches? "If you want to save money buy when the other fellow is forced to sell."

That's our case now. We have no lease on the building, so must clear out every piece of goods at once. Take advantage of this great opportunity and come see for yourself what good goods you can buy for very little money.

LADIES' AND MISSES SHOES

Every pair have been reduced again for this Last and Final Drive.

1 lot ladies' white kid Slippers, all sizes, styles, low and high heels, ties, pumps and straps, values to \$7.95 **\$1.95**

1 lot ladies' highest grade Dress Shoes in pumps, straps, ties and oxfords. All standard high grade brands, value to \$12.50 **\$3.45**

1 lot ladies' and misses Dress Shoes, all leading styles, sizes and materials, values to \$7.00 **\$2.45**

Children's Shoes, all sizes, shapes styles and materials, values to \$4.00. Priced **85c UP TO \$1.95**

MEN'S SPRING AND SUMMER SUITS

Another great reduction on all Men's and Boys' Suits. Nothing like it before. You can now buy two suits for much less than you would expect to pay for one.

Men's and Young Men's Suits, all good spring styles, some with two pairs of pants, values up to \$37.50—

Priced for this Final Close Out **\$14.65**

SPECIAL

Men's Dress Straw Hats, all sizes and extra good styles, value to \$1.95. Close Out price

95c

SPECIAL

Boys Rust-Proof Safety Pins and needles, none better made. This sale

5c

SPECIAL

Men's Work Shoes, good all leather shoes, regular \$2.75 value

\$1.55

SPECIAL

Boys Dress Oxfords, all sizes and good all leather shoes, value to \$4.95

\$2.45

SPECIAL

Men's Work Cloths, khaki pants, overalls and shirts. Value to \$1.95. Close Out price

95c

CHILDREN'S COVERALLS —

Extra good grade, hickory stripe. Sizes 2 to 8 years

65c



WALKER STORE

BEGINS THURSDAY

EASTLAND, TEXAS

HOKK AND SLIDES

Henry L. Farrell

Pardon the Error!

COMES a letter from Wilbur... Del. signed R. S. K., offering a correction in some recent copy. "I read your column saying that Goose Goslin was the one ball player who never would let a ball about one of Bill McGowan's decisions because Bill discovered him and got his job in Washington," the letter reads. "It's true that Bill did discover him and get him his job in the big leagues, but it is not true that the Goose never squawked at him. Bill is the kind of a guy who wouldn't rap anybody, even for what Goslin did to him in Philadelphia. "A lot of Bill's friends here in Wilmington arranged a day for him in Philadelphia last year. We picked a day when Washington was playing the A's because all the fans around here knew Goslin. We gave Bill some presents and, as is usually the case, he proceeded to have a tough day. He had a lot of close decisions and they were all yelling.

Goose Got Hard

"H" called a third strike on the Goose the first time he was up and Goslin roared all over the place. He called him out the second time he was up when the Goose looked at one that split the plate and Goslin created a demonstration. He made a lot of motions at Bill with his hands on his nose and we all thought he was trying purposely to make a sap out of McGowan. Bill had to threaten to throw him out of the game before he stopped him. Everyone of us from Wilmington who saw the game thought Goslin could have picked a better spot to do his hard stuff and we haven't forgotten it down here.

He Ain't No Clown

ONE of the Boston newspaper boys was talking recently to Rogers Hornsby and he put a question to him. "It has been said that you are not a colorful ball player. How about it?" he asked the player. "Well, maybe I'm not a colorful player," he answered. "If you count gymnastics and a faring temper as being colorful. I'm in baseball as a business and burning yourself out with a lot of foolish antics isn't good business or good baseball. I'm satisfied to make base hits and field my position and leave the clowning to those who like that sort of thing."

A Wise Crack from Babe

THERE was a small riot during a recent ball game between the Cleveland Indians and the Philadelphia Athletics, during which a bottle Urnsby was crowned with a bottle.

Brick Owens, one of the umpires working with Urnsby, didn't help the situation any when he picked up a bottle that fell near him and made a motion to throw it back into the stands. He was chastised severely by the American League president for the gesture the following day.

The Yanks then came into Cleveland and Owens was behind the bat. He called a strike on the Babe and the Babe roared in his well-known fashion. Roaring don't get you much on called strikes but the Babe had a crack to hand Owens. "They got the wrong umpire with that bottle Saturday," the Babe said and kicked the dust up on his way to the bench.

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and how the Tigers down, this advantage looked good. In the last of the ninth, however, the Tigers pushed over a run and, in the 13th, Stone connected for the single that ended the game.

The St. Louis Browns gained another half game on the idle New York Yankees by stopping the Chicago White Sox, 7 to 1, at St. Louis. The White Sox cut their conquerors, 10 to 7, but were unable to bunch their blows effectively. Crowder pitched for the Browns.

St. Louis battered four Cincinnati pitchers mercilessly in gaining a 12 to 1 verdict at Cincinnati. Alexander pitched for the Cardinals, allowing but seven hits in nine innings.

All other games were postponed.

AMAZED AT IMPROVEMENT

"Orgatone Beats Any Medicine I Have Ever Tried, It Has Certainly Been A Relief To Me, Says Abilene Farmer."

W. Jones, living on rural route 3, Abilene, Texas, is still another who has cause to be glad he was induced to try Orgatone. In discussing his benefits, Mr. Jones said:

"Orgatone is building me up fine and is the only thing I have been able to get that has given me any strength and energy," he continued. "I was extremely nervous and had no appetite and just could hardly keep going. Food soured on my stomach and would cause a hard lump to form in my stomach that would hurt me something terrible. At times, I had gas on my stomach and dizzy bloating spells. My sleep didn't do me any good, and I would get up in the mornings just as tired as when I went to bed at night. And I hardly got over four hours sleep at night. I was badly run-down and weak.

"Seeing Orgatone recommended so highly I decided to try it, and now can say it is just wonderful. I have taken two bottles now and am feeling stronger and better in every way. I don't have that tired, worn-out feeling any more, and my appetite is just splendid. I eat anything I want and am not both-

ered at all with stomach trouble. I enjoy a good night's sleep and feel refreshed and ready for a day's work in the morning. I don't believe Orgatone is another medicine like Orgatone and I have recommended it to many of my friends and neighbors, and since it has done me so much good I can understand why so many people are praising it."

As has been stated before there is nothing more invigorating to a run-down system than Orgatone and it has proven invaluable to thousands suffering from the same troubles, stomach ailments. Orgatone begins its work by stimulating the digestive and assimilative organs, thereby enriching the blood and invigorating the whole system.

It over comes, it is said, that great exciting cause of disease—nervousness. It renders the body vigorous and elastic, keeps the mind clear and energetic and throws off the symptoms of nervousness and indigestion.

Genuine Orgatone is not a so-called patent or secret remedy but a new scientific bile preparation and is sold in Eastland exclusively by Toombs and Richardson, Phone No. 263, who are the direct laboratory agents.

Attempts to Break Endurance Records Holding Attention

A determined assault upon the world endurance record and the preparation of French and American fliers to attempt to cross the Atlantic captured the interest of aviation enthusiasts today.

At Ft. Worth, Tex., Reg Robbidge and Jim Kelly were well on their way toward the "half" way mark in their attempt to break the endurance record held by the army plane Question Mark. The first accident to mar their flight happened last night when the tachometer on their plane Fort Worth broke up at the first refueling stop.

Unfavorable weather seemed likely to delay the start of Roger Q. Williams and Lewis A. Yancey for Rome at least 24 hours. They are at Old Orchard, Me., with the

Belanca monoplane Green Flash, after the catapult with which the craft was refueled tore away some of the plane's fabric. The three Musketeers had been aloft less than six hours.

'Jelleybean' Bandit Operates In Dallas

An attempt of the three men in the Belanca monoplane Three Musketeers to lower the endurance record almost ended in disaster and the flight was abandoned

after the catapult with which the craft was refueled tore away some of the plane's fabric. The three Musketeers had been aloft less than six hours.

'Jelleybean' Bandit Operates In Dallas

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|-------------------|----|----|------|
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| Shreveport | 20 | 16 | .556 |
| Dallas | 20 | 17 | .541 |
| Wichita Falls | 18 | 17 | .514 |
| Fort Worth | 18 | 18 | .500 |
| Houston | 18 | 18 | .500 |
| San Antonio | 17 | 20 | .459 |
| Beaumont | 12 | 25 | .324 |
| West Texas League | | | |
| Club | W. | L. | Pct. |
| Abilene | 14 | 6 | .700 |
| San Angelo | 11 | 8 | .579 |
| Coleman | 10 | 10 | .500 |
| Big Spring | 8 | 9 | .471 |
| Midland | 8 | 11 | .421 |
| Ballinger | 6 | 13 | .316 |
| American League | | | |
| Club | W. | L. | Pct. |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 8 | .704 |
| New York | 16 | 9 | .640 |
| St. Louis | 15 | 11 | .577 |
| Pittsburgh | 14 | 12 | .538 |
| Boston | 14 | 13 | .519 |
| Philadelphia | 11 | 13 | .458 |
| Cincinnati | 11 | 17 | .393 |
| New York | 9 | 15 | .375 |
| Brooklyn | 9 | 18 | .333 |

TUESDAY'S RESULTS

| Texas League | |
|------------------------------|--|
| Fort Worth 3, Beaumont 2. | |
| Dallas 5, San Antonio 1. | |
| Wichita Falls 4, Houston 1. | |
| Shreveport 14, Waco 4. | |
| West Texas League | |
| Ballinger 5, Abilene 0. | |
| Midland 10, Coleman 8. | |
| San Angelo-Big Spring, rain. | |
| American League | |
| St. Louis 7, Chicago 1. | |
| Detroit 2, Cleveland 1. | |
| All others rained out. | |
| National League | |
| St. Louis 12, Cincinnati 1. | |
| Chicago 8, Pittsburgh 6. | |
| All others rained out. | |
| WHERE THEY PLAY | |
| Texas League | |
| Houston at Ft. Worth. | |
| Beaumont at Wichita Falls. | |
| San Antonio at Shreveport. | |
| Dallas at Waco. | |
| National League | |
| Philadelphia at Boston. | |
| Cincinnati at Pittsburgh. | |
| Only games scheduled. | |
| American League | |
| Cleveland at Detroit. | |
| Washington at New York. | |
| Boston at Philadelphia. | |
| Chicago at St. Louis. | |

West Texas League

San Angelo at Abilene. Midland at Ballinger. Big Spring at Coleman.

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YESTERDAY'S HOMERS

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CHAPTER I

clock of a sunny, crisp day Nan Carroll was not just content, or happy, or negative sort of way, with that upwiping of which is akin to ecstasy. No man, opening the door of the suite of three or four hearing the dignified, "John Curtis Morgan, at-law"—and peeping in any one at that, he might or could have discovered standing reason for her. Just a pretty young girl or private secretary, it had been a girl who had been in and seen Nan's pretty face, she would need instantly that Nan's was born of the content that she looked expectantly in her new fall dress—silk crepe, a simple little dress whose short and demurely just over of rounded, slim knees. Nan had reason for over the fact that the silk crepe was almost exact of her bobbed brown velvet of her narrow pumps was subtly in the velvet of her round eyes. Such harmonies are mental, but with Nan they are not sufficient for the joy that had succeeded over her so that her almost visibly vibrated she sat erect in the narrow chair before her type-



"Oh, Nan, Nan! If I've gone a little further than I had any right to, it's been because I've had the breaks, and—the best secretary in the country."

ngless, hands played rapidly the keyboard of the machine endowed with a compass and intelligence of their certain there was nothing a legal document she was from shorthand notes to at high luster into her velvet eyes and that joy of her cheeks.

"o'clock!" She glanced at the octagonal white-gold she reached the end of hand notes. With an exultant of her wrist she took sheets of legal-sized paper and carbons from the sorted them swiftly, commencing with the other pages, scanned their flanging proudly, then added a little box that had in the meticulous order of desk drawer.

always, whenever she it, her finger tips caress-quisite little box, which this Morgan, attorney-at-law, first year she had given her as a Christmas gift. He had laughed at using it as a clip box, her that he had expected add it to her dressing racks, and she had herself lamely, unable to she kept it here in because her heart was an in the furnished by the week.

ree o'clock, but that she before half past, she indulgently, as his original copy of the he stack of letters she earlier in the day, ad adjourned early. That the prosecution "rest," Mr. Morgan expected He'll be dreadfully tired up-ed-up. Maybe—" and hugh her eyes sparkled hush deepened at the he'll want me to work much to do—last min- witnesses to subpoena; to be written up—"

the office marked "an"—the other office was shared by the mid-er and the young law-orked for Mr. Morgan. Nan deposited her tray work on the desk, made after a neat stack of ters received that day; uring glance at the ink well; blew a few just from the shining and the spotless new; adjusted the win- so that the slanting November sun should into the eyes of the ould soon sit at that spread palm over the radiator to make sure as coming up—"

interrupted by the the outer door's open- ing. In a flash her was across the room, on the knob of the r.

"Blake back yet?" call?"

tall, very thin man it upon a knob of the shrugged out of his topecock. His black upward in a nat- ur from an extreme- broad forehead, was with threads of sil- ver saw a silver fox hinking, with a sharp of the heart, of that mane of John Cur- His black eyes with the brilliance of ation. Nan Car- and had thought the first saw him the most distin- ur from she had ever

et," Nan ges sweep- every phoned where tele-

phoned, Mr. Preston when I had not heard from him by 12 o'clock, and made an appointment for you for half past four—here," she added triumphantly. "I knew you'd be tired."

A humorous smile zigzagged across Morgan's thin face, twitching the wide, sensitive mouth, and settling in his deepset eyes. There was tender, teasing friendliness in his deep voice as he answered: "Go girl! I don't know how you do it. I honestly believe you'd make Cal Coolidge come here if I happened to want to consult him about something. A busy, important man like Preston—Oh, this is splendid, Nan! I didn't think you'd have time to finish this brief before I got back. That clears the desks for us to work on this mass of stuff I brought from court. Brainerd sprang two surprise witnesses on us this afternoon, and didn't call three I thought he was banking on. Rested at half past two and caught me not ready to open—"

Nan followed him into his private office, her small round face alight with excitement. "I'll be he didn't call Barker and that Fleming woman. I told you he wouldn't! He didn't dare! Of course you're going to subpoena the Fleming woman yourself and make her talk—"

"Am I?" Morgan laughed, but his tired eyes shot her a glance of respect. "I suppose I'll have to, if you say so. Tell Blake to attend to it, when he comes in, won't you? Now, to get down to work," he sighed, a long, thin, sensitive hand reaching automatically for the stack of new mail on his desk.

"Not quite yet," Nan corrected him briskly. "You just sit there and rest for a minute. Shut your eyes and don't dare think of a thing until I get back."

She paused at the door, to make sure that her commands were obeyed. The long figure relaxed in the big swivel chair, with a deep sigh, as if he were expelling the poison of fatigue. John Curtis Morgan closed his eyes, but his wide mouth twitched humorously.

In less than a minute Nan was back, stepping softly, and carrying a tall glass of milk on an octagonal plate of pale green glass, which also bore a stack of crisp raisin biscuits.

"Drink every drop and eat every crumb!" she commanded, with a greater show of assurance than she felt. "I'll bet my next week's salary you didn't eat a bite of lunch. It's a crime the way you neglect your health."

John Curtis Morgan stared at her blankly for a moment, then broke into series of delightful chuckles.

"Funny little Nan!" he gibed at her fondly, but he reached for the glass and drank half of the milk before setting it down again, drank eagerly, hungrily, so that Nan almost hugged herself with delight at the success of her latest scheme for her great man's comfort.

"I've ordered a pint of half-and-half a day for you—half milk and half cream," she confessed. "You need it, really you do, Mr. Morgan. You work so hard and forget to eat until someone shoves food at you—Now, tell me what Brainerd did today. I'll get my notebook and we'll get your notes his witnesses into shape. I'm crazy to hear what Brody testified."

A minute later they were hard at it, Morgan's sensitive hands hovering over his scribbled notes, his deep voice recounting in detail the story of the day in court. He was defending a young girl, formerly the switchboard operator of a fashionable country club, indicted on a charge of blackmailing members of the club. The board of directors, believing in the

girl's innocence, had retained Morgan to defend her and, incidentally, to vindicate the management of the club in the eyes of the public.

"It's an ugly mess," the lawyer frowned. "Cornell looks as if he could kick himself from here to Jericho for ever having brought the charges, and Brainerd is up against a stone wall himself, trying to get a bunch of witnesses to testify that would rather be shot than be dragged upon a witness stand. But it looks pretty black for Grace, Nan. I wish I were sure—"

"I'm sure she's innocent," Nan interrupted vehemently. "I won't not have begged you to take the case if I hadn't been positive. There's something big behind this scandal, Mr. Morgan! That Fleming woman—listen! When you get her on the stand, ask her—"

She was off then, reviewing the evidence from memory, her pencil tapping out her points excitedly, her eyes glistening with zeal, her cheeks crimson-bright, and the man on the other side of the pulled-out leaf of the desk listened with flattering concentration, his own pencil making an occasional note.

When she paused for breath, Morgan nodded slowly. "I believe you're right. Of course I wouldn't have taken the case if I hadn't believed, beyond a reasonable doubt, that she was innocent. I've never yet defended a crook, and I'd rather starve than begin. The afternoon papers are going to say that Brainerd's got the case damped up in a sack but I'll be damned if he has! That Fleming woman, as you say—"

"You'll bust his case wide open!" Nan boasted staunchly. "Remember, the jury half believes in her innocence to begin with, just because John Curtis Morgan is defending her. Every voter in the county knows that you turned down a hundred-thousand-dollar fee to defend those pavement contractors just because you knew they were a gang of crooks, and that you told Havemeyer that all his millions couldn't buy your services when he was trying to keep his son out of the pen. You know what, John Curtis Morgan?" she challenged him.

"What?" he teased her, obviously pleased but trying to pretend a vast preoccupation with the notes on his desk.

"When you've won this case—as you're going to do—the papers are going to begin calling you the greatest criminal lawyer in the state, and that's a pretty big honor for a man only 36 years old to have won! Why, most men your age are still fiddling around hoping for a junior partnership in an established firm!"

"Oh, Nan, Nan!" he admonished her humorously, shaking his head. "You're seeing me too big, much bigger than I am! And if I don't watch out you're going to give me such a swelled head that I'll be laughed out of court. But, seriously, Nan," and his voice changed, became simple, direct and sincere, while his eyes held hers unwaveringly, "if I have gone a little further than I had any right to, it's been because I've had the breaks, and—the best secretary in the country. I'm not such an egotistical ass that I can't see how much you've helped—"

Above the pounding of blood in her ears Nan Carroll heard a quick, imperious tattoo upon her door. That particular knock had a peculiar magic of its own, for instantly the two people within the private office were transformed. Happiness, which had glowed in Nan's eyes like twin candles on an altar, was snuffed out, leaving her round, childish face pale and taut. In that instant she became the model secretary, or, rather, the model secre-

retary with the comraderies of the office pictures her. She became "Miss Carroll," a little prim, very impersonal, sub-servient, remote. Her back stiffened and automatically she poised her pencil above her notebook in the respectful attitude of a secretary awaiting dictation.

And in that instant John Curtis Morgan, attorney-at-law, disappeared. It was the eager voice of a lover-husband who called out joyously, welcomingly. "Come in!" It was an ardent boy, in spite of 37 years and a silver-fox pel, who sprang to his feet, forgetting Nan Carroll, forgetting Grace Cox, forgetting his fatigue, thinking only of the woman who had knocked imperiously upon his door.

"Come in, darling! Oh, hello, Sonny-Boy! Out shopping with Mother? It's great to see you both—"

Nan's enormous brown eyes, apparently as unseeing and blank as circles of brown velvet, took in every detail of the family scene that was being enacted as if she were not present. She saw Morgan kiss his wife, flinched a little as she noted Iris Morgan's casual, arrogant acceptance of that mark of her husband's adoration, felt a throb of pity for her employer as she saw the 6-year-old boy refuse petulantly to be kissed. Then she braced herself for Iris Morgan's greeting.

"How do you do, Nan? Gorgeous day, isn't it? I'm simply mad for new clothes. Be prepared to pay out every penny Jack has in the bank, when this month's bills come in! And, oh, by the way, draw me a check for a hundred, won't you?" she added in a tone she might have used to a servant. "I hate to be limited to the shops where I have charge accounts when I'm on a buying orgy, as I am today. Some of the cunningest shoes at Martin's, Jack," she turned explanatorily to her husband. "And bags at the Petite Paris Shoppe!"

Nan, forced to listen as she obediently wrote the check which Iris Morgan demanded, heard her employer answer eagerly, like a boy flattered at being noticed and anxious to please:

"That so, sweetheart? I hope you find just what you want. I wish I had time to go with you, but I'd be so busy looking at you that I'd not be a very good judge of shoes or bags."

"Silly Jack!" Iris Morgan shrugged and moved away so that his hand, which was stretching out to close upon hers, was defeated and quivered a little.

Nan saw the quiver, and her own hand, busy with the check, trembled with anger and sympathy. Not that John Curtis Morgan was angry or conscious of need of her sympathy; she told herself fiercely. He was conscious now of nothing in the world but his wife's breathtaking beauty. And, as always, it hurt Nan intolerably to see him humble and eager and abject before that beauty, as if he could never quite believe that he was its legal possessor.

Iris Morgan let her tall, graceful body sink languidly into the chair which her husband had hastened to draw up to the desk for her. And Nan was not too busy filling in the stub of Morgan's checkbook to see that Iris disposed her body as if she were sitting for an artist, the picture to be entitled, "Portrait of Lady of Quality."

Long white throat arched as the head, freed of its close-fitting hat, rested in profile against the high back of the chair; glittering tendrils of red-gold hair curling against the polished walnut; the one eye which the profile pose revealed surveying her husband with lazy indifference but not without challenge that he appreciate the

picture she made. Three years had not been long enough to accustom Nan Carroll to the amazing beauty of Iris Morgan's eyes. Strange eyes, that had a color all their own; the vivid blue-green that poets ascribe to tropical seas. "If only she would be nice to him I wouldn't hate her so!" Nan told herself fiercely as she laid the check before Morgan to sign. "Silly Jack!" she quoted in silent fury. "Imagine calling HIM Jack! She makes him silly, makes him small—and he's big, BIG! She doesn't dream—or care!—how big he is! Oh, I wish he wouldn't look at her like that!" And she could have cried out with pain at the spectacle of the man she believed to be great gazing with humble, pleading, love-stock eyes upon the woman who wore his name as nonchalantly and insolently as she wore the clothes he paid for.

As Iris Morgan rested picturesquely in the high-backed chair her 6-year-old son leaned, just as picturesquely, against her knee, as if he were subconsciously obeying his mother's command to fit into the picture. Nan thought, with fiery contempt, that Iris Morgan would never bother to be seen with her son if he were not the handsomest of all the ornaments with which she decked her beauty. But since little Curtis Morgan was in his way, as beautiful as his mother, she had worn him from his babyhood until now, as another woman might wear a corsage of orchids, or lead a prize-winning Pekinese upon a leash.

The child's eyes were large, li-quad-black, fringed with such lashes as a chorus girl would sell her soul for, and curiously mournful, even when he was being his most devilish. Nan had watched him develop from a fragile baby of three to fragile little boyhood, and she loved him, in spite of the faults which his mother seemed to delight in encouraging loved him because there was so much more of John Curtis Morgan in him than of Iris Morgan. Loved him, too, because Morgan adored him and because Iris, for all her lazy indulgence of his constant irritable demands, did not truly love him, was merely proud of him because he was an ornament to her beauty.

The child was urging a demand upon his mother in a low whining singsong: "I wanna see the dog in the picture show, Moth-ER. I wanna police dog just like the movie dog, Moth-ER! I-wanna—"

Iris' blue-green eyes swept him with amused indifference. "Mother's going shopping, lover. Curt's going to stay with Nana, like a good boy. He loves staying with Nana Carroll, doesn't he? And she rumped the silky black crest of his hair—so like his father's—and smiled lazily at Nan.

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Thursday Afternoon Study club 3 p. m., Community Club House.

Susan Steele Bible class picnic 5 p. m., City Park.

Fidelis Matrons, class of Baptist church 7:30 p. m., porch party. Mrs. W. T. Turner, house hostess. Group 2 and Group 7, hostesses.

Methodist church choir practice, 8 p. m., Wilda Drago Caton, director.

CLOVER LEAF CLUB WILL ENTERTAIN HUSBANDS

The Clover Leaf club will be entertained by Mrs. Lindley on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, when the members' husbands are to be special guests. The club usually meets on Thursday afternoon of alternate weeks. This will be their first evening party.

ELKS STATE CONVENTION ISSUES INVITATIONS TO DANCES

B. P. O. E. No. 1480 of Breckenridge has issued a charmingly novel invitation leaflet, to attend the Elks State convention dances tomorrow and Friday nights. "Top O' Burch" and a special dance on Saturday night for Elks and their ladies. Music will be furnished by Harrison's Texans. The dances will open at 9:30 o'clock. A number of Eastland Elks and their friends are planning to attend.

FIDELIS MATRONS CLASS PORCH PARTY TOMORROW EVE

Groups 2 and 7 will hostess the Fidelis Matrons class Thursday eve, entertaining with a porch party at the residence of Mrs. W. T. Turner, house hostess on this occasion at 7:30 o'clock. A program will be prepared by the groups in charge. Personnel: Group 2: Mmes. Charles Seed, W. D. R. Owen, Carl Springer, and Trotter; captain, Mrs. Claude Maynard. Group 7: Mmes. Simmons, Hornum, W. Irons, R. M. Walker, and Stiles; captain, Mrs. Eugene Tucker.

SERIES OF RECITALS ARE SUCCESSFUL FEATURES

The fourth and last of a series of recitals in piano and expression which were presented by studio pupils of Mrs. A. F. Tylor and Miss Mary Sue Rumph, in the Roster room of the Methodist church, yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, was attended by a large and interested audience, that was responsive to the charming work of L. G. Tucker and Pauline Bida in piano numbers, Gwendoline Jones in expression, and a novel piano trio, presented

by little Miss Tucker, Miss Bida and Miss Ruth Harris.

An additional feature of the program, were the choruses, "Texas, Our Texas," by Marsh, and "Sonny Boy," sung by the Glee Club of the third floor of the South Ward school.

Program numbers were announced by Miss Rumph, the decorations were very attractive, the piano centered with a bowl of sweetpeas and roses, with stands massed with lovely blossoms. The recitals of the past 10 days in which Mrs. F. O. Hunter of the West Ward school, Mrs. Joe Gibson of the high school studio, Mrs. A. F. Tylor of the South Ward school, in piano, and Miss Mary Sue Rumph, coach in expression for the public schools of Eastland, have caused the most favorable comment, both for the quality of music and readings, presented by the students, and the very charming manner in which the recitals were given, no pains having been spared to make the environment attractive to the public, and a compliment to those taking part.

MISS IVIE WILSON ANNOUNCES HIGH SCHOOL PLAY DATE, TUESDAY MAY 28, AT 8:15 P. M.

The graduating class of Eastland high school will present their class play, "Who Wouldn't Be Crazy," under direction of Miss Ivie Wilson next Tuesday night, at 8:15 o'clock, in the high school auditorium. Tickets are very reasonable, 50 cents. And another quarter will reserve a seat. Let's all turn out and give the young folk a glad hand.

REV. H. M. SELL DELIVERS LECTURE TO LADIES' AUXILIARY

Rev. H. M. Sell, pastor of the Church of God, gave an interesting lecture to the members of the Ladies Auxiliary at their regular meeting yesterday afternoon, conducted by Mrs. D. K. Williamson, president.

Mr. Sell's subject, "The Normal Christian Life," and "Preparing for a Revival," was developed along the several lines.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Burshead. Those present: Mmes. Harsh High, C. L. Evans, Eliza Parsons, H. M. Sell, K. S. Burkhead, D. K. Williamson, and Rev. H. M. Sell.

MRS. GEORGE K. TAGGART ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE

A delightful home, many flowers and a cordial hostess made the bridge affair, of Mrs. George K. Taggart, of yesterday afternoon a charming event.

Four tables were appointed in unique tallies, of modernistic design in keeping with the pretty score

books, and Dresden topped bridge pencils.

Guests were Mmes. E. R. Townsend, B. D. Hampton, Frank Corzelius, W. T. Garrett, Milton Lawrence, W. S. Poe, Earle Johnson, Charles G. Norton, W. Z. Outward, C. H. Carter, J. M. Ferrell, John W. Turner, Harry H. Porter, McGee, W. K. Jackson, and Miss Ima Ruth Kelley.

High score favor in bridge, a pretty trunk reception candles, sets in color tints of rose, yellow, and green, was awarded Mrs. Garrett.

Consolation, a crystal sandwich tray, was presented Mrs. Frank Corzelius and the cut-for-all, a set of summer napkins in pastel shades went to Mrs. Lawrence.

A dainty refreshment plate, centered with a bluebird doll, held a green crystal comport heaped with whipped cream bisque, and served with white iced angel food cake. Delicious minted tea formed the last course.

MRS. JOSEPH M. PERKINS HOSTESS TO EWING CLUB LUNCHEON

A novel of original setting was provided by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins for the Sewing Club luncheon of yesterday, in the arranging of the luncheon tables, on the terrace in the garden, with a generous awning overhead and background of handsome trees, shrubs, and flowerbeds, that framed the fish pond and fountain.

Guests served themselves from the buffet in the dining room, each providing her individual tray with silver, and the first course of fresh strawberries on green leaves with powdered sugar, which they carried to the small tables, arranged for four each, and centered with a wee porcelain bird bath, around the rim of which were perched bluebirds. Nearby stood a tiny bird house. A wreath of evergreen trees enclosed this bit of landscaping.

SOUTHWARD P. T. A. INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

The Parent-Teacher association of the South Ward school held their last meeting for this season yesterday afternoon, with an attendance of 30 members and session conducted by Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold, the retiring president.

The association has enjoyed an unusually successful year, both in cooperative results, and financially.

The treasurer reported the association had made over \$300 with a balance on hand of \$25 and \$100 coming in a few weeks, the corner stake price for their carload of newspapers, for which materials, almost gathered.

A final drive will be put on tomorrow afternoon, over the city to collect papers and magazines.

This will bring the finances to \$125, on which to start the new year.

Mrs. Arnold, in an appreciative talk, thanked Principal Layton and his wife for their assistance in the P. T. A. work. Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins for her initiative and valued aid; Mrs. A. F. Tylor for the musical programs, furnished the P. T. A. sessions; all the teachers of the faculty for their cooperation and Mr. Herring, the retiring janitor for his unflinching kindness.

A special vote of thanks was extended the Eastland Telegram, and Mrs. W. K. Jackson, for the publicity for the P. T. A.

The cafeteria hostesses and executive committee were expressly thanked for their fine assistance.

Several teachers expressed their personal appreciation of the cooperation of the P. T. A. with the school.

Principals Layton, in a graceful acknowledgment, made a most charming address.

The installation of officers was conducted by Supt. E. B. Bittle, who delivered the charge to each officer.

Response was made by Mrs. C. Ferguson, the new president of the organization.

The administration of Mrs. Arnold has occasioned admiration for her executive ability and success in maintaining a corps, despite in the organization and school.

Adjournment was taken to the cafeteria, where blueberry shortcake with whipped cream topping was served, and iced orangeade.

A pretty little toast of thanks was tendered the mothers.

Adjournment was taken to the fourth Tuesday in September.

Officers for 1929-30: Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, president; Mrs. J. M. Perkins, first vice president; Mrs. C. M. Hardin, second vice president; Mrs. Steele Johnston, third vice president; Mrs. I. N. Price, secretary, and Mrs. C. E. Sikes, treasurer.

QUESTION CLUB ENTERAINED IN ORIGINAL MANNER

Mrs. Perry Savles entertained the members of the Question club and special guests with a May party arranged in the charming home, where five tables were dressed in tallies of paper skirted zirl dolls, whose bouffant draperies were very effective in the color scheme of purple and orchid.

Score books in the same shades were monogrammed in gold, and the appointments for the luncheon were similarly decorated.

Handsome bouquets of sweetpeas were used throughout the house, and a gorgeous bouquet of Easter lilies in the dining room.

The club high score favor in bridge a silver tray for wafers, was awarded Mrs. Alex Clarke, and high score favor for guests, a three piece linen vanity set, went to Mrs. Scott W. Key.

OUT OUR WAY



B. M. Collie, Airy Bendy, M. L. Keasler, T. J. Haley, V. T. Seaberry, H. O. Tatum, James Horton, Joseph M. Perkins, and Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, a special guest.

Cut-for-all, a pretty wicker basket, heaped with fresh vegetables artistically arranged, and from Mr. Sayles' garden, was awarded Mrs. Curtis F. Corzelius.

The out of town guests were presented special favors, three-bridge pencils with Dresden heads going to Mrs. Ford Aleus of Breckenridge, a kerchief and satchel to Miss Hill of Oklahoma, and a mending set to Mrs. J. Howard Trotter of Lake Charles, La.

Club members present were Mmes. E. B. Baldwin, I. N. Beall, Stanley Bird, W. E. Chaney, Alex Clarke, Curtis Corzelius, Joe H. Jones, P. G. Russell, and the hostesses.

Additional guests were Mmes. E. R. Townsend, George A. Davidson, Reuben Cotulla, Gilbert Robinson, L. E. Edwards, L. V. Witcher, Wilcox, W. Peall Smith, and Mrs. Scott W. Key.

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ALMOST LIKE GOING INTO A DENSE JUNGLE

Rattler and Vulture Make Trip To New Gusher Picturesque.

There may be wilder scenes than the region in which the extension well of the Ramsower pool is located—but this writer has no desire to gaze upon them.

A journey Monday afternoon to the Stinnett No. 1 of the Belva Oil company, which is rated as making 600 barrels of oil besides a tremendous amount of gas was a real adventure.

One goes out the Breckenridge highway to the county line and then turns west down the lane that leads to the "ghost city" of Leary. There, a multitude of dim roads and dimmer trails caused confusion but, upon halting a passing car, we learned the correct route which is to bear for a short distance to the south toward a stone house near which there is one of those gates that you bump into with your car.

There is an art in hitting such a gate just right. If you hit it too hard, you will get a jolt and perhaps a bent front fender. But if you are going too slow when you hit it, the gate is likely to swing back before the car is through, result about the same—a dent in the rear fender.

As soon as the gate had been safely negotiated, to the right was a line of rocks, which indicated the trail. And once you are on this trail, you can't get off—unless the car bounces off, which it is likely to do. It is all over and round about, the lane winds down into dips, up steep slopes, with here and there a little bog by way of variety. You can see the derelict for a long time before you get there, so indirect is the road.

The region is so wild and desolate in appearance, nothing but grass and mesquite and cactus on each side—and the silence is so intense that it seems weird. Knowing that near the well two men were murdered is a knowledge that heightens this feeling of gloom along this lonely lane.

And when one sees in the distance a vulture floating on lazy wing, it is the final artistic touch for a setting of mystery.

At last, the car crosses a narrow bridge made of rail ties and the roar of gas is heard and grows steadily stronger.

Just about the time we had driven as near as thought was safe, we sighted beside the road a rattlesnake. The snake gracefully turned and smoothly slithered into the grass. We decided not to stop just at this point but made 25 yards through center before bringing the auto to a stop.

Climbing out of the car, the writer approached three workmen who were quite interested in learning about the snake.

As the newspaperman started toward the shack where the two young men who were murdered last fall had lived, one of the workmen called out that only a few days before he had killed a rattler at the shack. This reassuring news caused the visitor to advance gingerly, looking for snakes, tarantulas and gila monsters at every step.

After taking two pictures of the little house, he found that he had not locked the camera in focus, so had to take the picture all over. Then a scene beside the well and a view of the workmen, and the car was turned around and headed back, passed Leary, once a city of 5,000, now a barren spot marked by debris which the winds and rains are slowly obliterating or covering with grass and hiding

Wanted to See Col. Lindbergh; Arrested

By United Press. NORTH HAVEN, Me., May 22.—A man who described himself as Robert Tondera of Mexico City was in the Rockland lockup today on a "suspicious person" charge after he had made several unsuccessful attempts to see Col. Charles A. Lindbergh at the Morrow summer home.

Tondera, who said he was an inventor and aviation mechanic, told authorities he wanted to interview Col. Lindbergh in connection with an important matter because he considered the trans-Atlantic flight "the biggest man in the business."

He was arrested at midnight by a local constable after members of the North Haven board of selection had visited the private home where he was staying.

Tondera's arrest was the first made here in about 200 years on a "suspicious person" charge.

MRS. HEARD ACQUITTED

By United Press. SA NANGLO, Tex., May 22.—Her plea of self-defense won for Mrs. Loran Heard an acquittal on charges of murder in the death of her husband here July 14 after a jury had deliberated 27 minutes. Heard was shot in his home after he attacked his wife, according to testimony of witnesses during the trial.

with trees. At last, back on the highway and feeling a kinship in spirit with Stanley, who went through darkest Africa.

But the well is a dandy and extending the rich Ramsower pool a mile, it will result in renewed activities.

Cheaney News

Monday, May 20—Cheaney has had good rains the last week and crops are looking fine. What we need now is sunshine so we can work our crops and gardens. They are fine but too much rain is not good for our sandy land.

Mr. Reynolds and family and Mr. V. G. Melton and family of Colorado, Texas, were visiting at Cheaney Saturday night and Sunday.

Cheaney school closed Friday. Cheaney baseball team is having some real good games of late with the Lone Star team.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday. All are invited to attend.

Singing was well attended at Cheaney Sunday evening. Visitors from most all near places were present and there was good singing that was enjoyed by a large crowd. Thanks to all, and come again.

William Robinson and wife were visiting in Fort Worth the past week.

Frank Pettitt has been under a doctor's care for a week with an

injured eye, is reported soon.

J. C. Patterson of Eastland at Cheaney last Tuesday night, attending a rally of the 4-H boys and girls. A nice money was raised to assist club and a very enjoyable time was spent with lots of pop, popcorn and cake.

J. H. Ainsworth and Browning were Eastland Friday.

RADIO FEATURE

THURSDAY'S BEST FEATURE Copyright 1929, by U. S. WJZ and network 5:30 P. M. Retold tales.

WEAF and network 7:30 P. M. The Sentinels, with Jessa Bonette, soprano.

WEAF and network 7:00 P. M. The Revellers and orchestra.

WABC and network 6:30 P. M. Marine band.

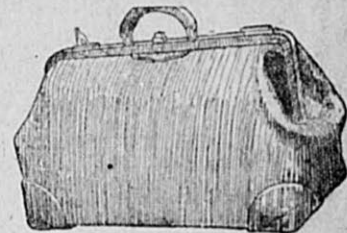
WAGS and network 7:00 P. M. Detective drama.

Knot a Reminder Wife (to husband with bad memory)—How the laundry people say the change more for your chief.

Husband—Why? Wife—They say it takes long time to untie the knot.—Passing Show.

A Suggestion for the Graduate, Give a

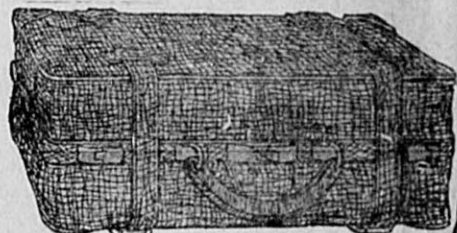
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