

CHOOLOBOY AND FATHER SHOT DOWN

Baird Meets Mavericks Here On Friday Called To Porch At Night; Mother Hears The Shots

ALS ENTER ME WITH 2 REGULARS OUT

Are Hopeful of Winning However, and by Boosting Their Mark for the Season To .500.

Eastland Mavericks, who had a wide reputation for fight they put up every step out on a gridiron, a strong effort to break the win column tomorrow when they face the fast even, a class B aggregation, Mavericks field.

A crowd is expected to game—the first at-home of the local favorites in a marvellous game against Bulldogs who managed to 25 a couple of weeks

ericks will need the enst of a large group of they are to win tomorrow will be handicapped by of Connie Smith, quarnd Norton, halfback, who injuries in the Abilene last week.

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ee Doodle Is ng Good Time

By United Press. QUERQUE, N. M., Oct. 25.—The Yankee Doodle in which Capt. Collier and Col. Collier, passed over Al at 9:10 a. m. mounard time, today.

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By United Press. Oct. 25.—Governor is are and is going ip-roaring Democratic Saturday night, M. i. Dallas county democratic said today.

en Moody is mad, he me speech," Buckner predict the audito- packed for the inect- y's speech will go on ating at 9 p. m.

Combined deposits of al banks here total \$25,

Tells of Shot By Dry Agent



Her head still bandaged from the wound the bullet made, Betty Heywood, 22, of Elyria, O., is shown as she waited to testify against Louis Cicco, Loraine, O., dry agent, charged with shooting her when he fired on an automobile. Fearing the men were bandits her father refused to stop when dry agents ordered him to halt and the shooting followed.

HUGE CROWD EXPECTED FOR SATURDAY GAME

Two Great Scoring Machines Will Clash When Breckenridge and Cisco Meet At Breck.

One of the greatest gridiron conflicts in the history of the Oil Belt district can well be expected Saturday at Breckenridge when the Buckaroos clash with the Cisco Lobos.

Two great scoring machines—each has piled up more than 200 points this season—will display dazzling runs, spectacular passes and trick plays that will thrill the thousands of spectators. Defeat means elimination for Cisco due to the tie the Lobos played last week against San Angelo, as the counts are half a loss. Defeat for Breckenridge would not end the mathematical chances of that team for the district title but would hit those chances such an awful jolt that it would probably prove fatal.

Breckenridge unquestionably has the strongest eleven that has ever worn the green and white. Aubrey and Boon Magness, brothers, are triple threat men; Graham is a brilliant runner and plunger, and Robinson, Carey, Ligon and Pruitt are only some of the good backfield men available. In the line, "Ball" Magness, 190 pounds of muscle; Captain Downing, 180-pound gladiator; Cox, Nichols, Hamerlyn, and other giants give the forward wall an average of 177 pounds. This is heavier than A. & M.'s line.

Cisco likewise has a great eleven. Van Horn is an accurate passer, a fast man on dashes around end and a good man at hitting the line. Little is rated the greatest broken field runner in West Texas. Edleman at fullback busts opposing lines wide open. Anthony, 190-pound center, looks like the classicist man in the district at that vital position. Miller at end is superb. Cisco's line averages 170 pounds—which equals the weight of many college lines.

There is a likelihood that the winner of the Cisco-Breckenridge game will win the Oil Belt championship. Estimate of the attendance Saturday is from 5,000 on up. However as the stands at Buckaroo field can handle 8,000, there will be room for all.

BOMB KILLS TEN

By United Press. LAHORE, India, Oct. 25.—Ten persons were known to have been killed by a bomb which was hurled among the crowd that was returning from the Ramia festivities Tuesday.

Hospital authorities reported that recovery of several of the 70 persons wounded was doubtful. The bombing recalled the outrage during the festival on October 16, 1926, when five persons were killed and 30 injured.

Graf Zeppelin To Leave On A Tour

By United Press. LAKEHURST, N. J., Oct. 25.—Weatherbound, the Graf Zeppelin lay alongside her sister ship, the Los Angeles, in the hangar here today awaiting until nightfall her departure for a flight over the Middle West.

SILVER STILL HAS HOPE DAN WILL AID HIM

Prison Officials Make Preparations for Execution To Be Held After Midnight Tonight. Silver Writes Statement.

AUSTIN, Oct. 25.—J. R. (Bob) Silver has seen his last sunrise, as far as Governor Dan Moody is concerned. "I have no further statement to make in the case," Governor Moody said again this morning, repeating several previous statements to the effect that "the file is closed, and he would not interfere with the execution."

Mrs. Mary Louise Silver, mother of Bob, is still in Austin and through her attorney, E. C. Gaines, early this morning declared that she was "very hopeful of receiving a notice commuting the sentence to life imprisonment."

In reply to this Governor Moody stated that "it is only natural for a mother to retain this hope but I will make no further statement in the case," Moody had previously granted Silver three reprieves from death.

By United Press. HUNTSVILLE, Oct. 25.—Like all doomed men J. R. (Bob) Silver, hopes to live but the law having taken its course says he must die after midnight in the electric chair at State penitentiary here. Unless Governor Moody intervenes, he will be electrocuted for the murder of Roscoe Wilson, theater employe of Fort Worth.

Late Wednesday, the condemned man telegraphed his mother, Mrs. Mary Louise Silver, and his wife, Mrs. Lavet Silver, who for a year and a half have pleaded his case.

Silver said he still had hope of commutation of his sentence. Then Silver started writing a statement on his case. It was problematical whether that statement will reach newspapers. Silver was reported as having completed that statement early today. In the meantime, Warden Harrell and other prison officials were making the gruesome preparations for the electrocution.

Contractor, Ill a Long Time, Is Up

A. G. Harder, well known rig contractor, is able to be up and around after a long illness. His many friends are glad to see him out once more. Mr. Harder has been one of the most active rig builders in the West Texas fields. His familiar pipe and genial smile have been greatly missed at the baseball games in this territory this summer—Mr. Harder, being one of the greatest fans around here.

Hiram Johnson Is for G. O. P. Nominee

By United Press. FRESNO, Calif., Oct. 25.—Replying to a published report that he might endorse the presidential candidacy of Gov. Al Smith, Senator Hiram Johnson, Republican, today told the United Press that he intends to do nothing of the sort.

A Couple of Engineers



Two famed engineers are these, one the pilot of a great dirigible, the other a potential captain of the U. S. ship of state. When Dr. Hugo Eckener, builder of the Graf Zeppelin, visited Washington, he called on Herbert Hoover at republican campaign headquarters. They're shown together in the upper photo and, below, you see Dr. Eckener placing a wreath on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington National Cemetery.

Allen Loses His Opening Step to Avoid Hot Seat

District Judge Overrules Motion for New Trial In Case of Man Convicted of Bank Robbery.

Judge Elzo Been in a decision handed down in the 88th district court Wednesday afternoon overruled defense counsel's motion for a new trial for E. V. Allen, under sentence of death for his participation in the robbery of the First State Bank at Carbon last December.

The defense, in support of its motion, questioned jurors in the case in regard to what conversation passed between the jurors in regard to a penitentiary term served at one time by the prisoner.

GRID RACE IN THE DISTRICT MUCHLY MIXED

Maybe This Week Will Simplify Matters—Possible for Four Teams To Come Down Home Stretch Tied.

This race for the championship of the Oil Belt district has so many possibilities that it gives one a headache to think about it. As it stands now, five of the seven teams have not lost a game though the Cisco-San Angelo tie counts half a loss.

Just suppose that tomorrow Ranger should defeat Abilene and the next day, Cisco should win from Breckenridge.

That would leave Ranger without a defeat, Cisco and San Angelo with half a defeat, Breckenridge and Abilene with one defeat each. Yet none of the five could be counted as out of the race.

It is possible for the season to be nearly over and four teams tied for top place. That is not likely but there is a chance for a three-cornered (Continued on Page 2)

Dr. J. W. Simmons' Condition Is Better

Dr. J. W. Simmons of Eastland, who has been seriously ill from typhoid fever, is improving, states a letter received here today from his brother, Dr. Phil Simmons. The well known Eastland physician is in the Harris hospital in Fort Worth.

LOAN VALUE OF PECAN LANDS TO BE DISCUSSED

Subject for Consideration At Pecan Institute in Brownwood November 15-16.

BROWNWOOD, Oct. 25.—Under the title, "The Loan Value of Pecan Lands," a subject of state-wide importance will come up for discussion and conference at the Pecan Institute to be held here on November 15-16, under the sponsorship of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce. This is the first time in history that this matter has been taken up publicly.

Judge M. H. Gossett, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, will be the chief speaker. Some fifty representatives of National Farm Loan Associations are expected as well as a large number of land owners and bankers within a radius of 75 miles of Brownwood.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be represented by Honor D. Wade, manager, and other officials of that body. Mr. Wade has been gathering pecan data for the past two years, showing the value and earning power of land on which pecan trees grow. Informed pecan men have long been aware that Texas is far behind in the production of papershell pecans, whereas, the state of Georgia is cited as having thousands of acres of papershell orchards which return a large annual income. The open forum of this matter at the Brownwood meeting is expected to be the first step in establishing an extra value of pecan lands as a basis for loans, thus directly and indirectly effecting all citizens of the State. Invitations have been sent to more than 200 banks within 100 miles of Brownwood asking them to have a representative present to take part in the deliberations.

Gorman Boy Scout Troop Reorganizes

Special to The Telegram. GORMAN, Oct. 25.—Dr. C. H. Burton of Gorman has accepted the Scoutmastership for Troop No. 14. The scouts are all elated over the fact that they have another good Scoutmaster. Rev. G. W. Goss, former Scoutmaster resigned having moved to DeLeon.

Rev. J. L. Roden and Rev. Sebia Kirkpatrick are assistant scoutmasters. The troop will have its first meeting under the new Scoutmaster next Monday night at 7 o'clock in the Sunday School room at the Methodist Church.

College Students Are Under Siege

By United Press. BUDAPEST, Hungary, Oct. 25.—Police have surrounded 400 students in a building of the University where they took refuge during rioting which has been in progress for days. Police intend to starve the students out unless they surrender.

Atheist Keeps Up His Hunger Strike

By United Press. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 25.—Charging that his arrest and imprisonment on charges of distributing atheist literature "was engineered by intolerant bigots" Charles Smith of New York, president of the American Association for the advancement of Atheism, today refused food for the ninth consecutive day of his 25-day jail term.

"I came here to serve my native state by saving it from the disgrace of the money bill and this is the treatment I get for my efforts. I will stay right here and I will not eat until after the election. I have been placed here by intolerant bigots but I am not through fighting them yet. My friends are carrying on outside and I will help them as best I can from here."

EL PASO—Building at 218 Mesa Avenue completely remodeled and Baker "Dollar Store" established.

AUSTIN—Bids on \$1,250,000 loan for University of Texas to start building program will be opened November 28.

Believe Boy Meets Death for Mentioning Information About Bootlegger. Brief Conversation Before Slaying. Posse Seeks Stranger.

HASKELL, Oct. 25.—The sheriff's officers here today reported that a man known to have been associated with the bootlegging industry in this section, was being sought as the slayer of B. W. Hamilton and his son, Earl, at Rochester, last night.

Posses were searching the country between Rochester and Haskell for the man and his arrest was expected momentarily, the sheriff's office reported. Several hundred men, headed by deputy sheriffs, comprised the searching parties.

ROCHESTER, Texas, Oct. 25.—A posse of several hundred men led by J. S. Tanner, deputy sheriff of Haskell county, searched the countryside today for the slayer of B. W. Hamilton, a farmer, and his son, Earl, a student in high school. Father and son were shot through the heart on the front porch of their home about 10 o'clock last night. The family had been asleep when a man in front of the Hamilton home called loudly for Earl. Mrs. Hamilton was awakened by the shout and inquired concerning the identity of the man.

The stranger told her he was an acquaintance in the neighborhood and that he wished to talk with Earl. The son, accompanied by his father, went out on the porch where there was held a short conversation. The mother heard her son say "I told them I got it from you". The next she knew, shots were fired and her husband and son fell dead on the spot.

The slaying, officers believe, grew out of evidence young Hamilton is said to have supplied in a liquor investigation. His statement "I told them I got it from you" led officers to believe he had informed on the stranger. Following the shooting, the stranger fled in an automobile. Officers were notified and a posse organized to search.

Police Ought To Give Protection To The Officers

By United Press. BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 25.—A Pennsylvania state trooper was kidnapped on the road near Lancaster, Penn., by a woman and two men last night, forced to act as a decoy in a holdup, and finally was given his freedom on the Washington boulevard near Laurel. The trooper reported the kidnaping to Baltimore police today.

The officer is Russell Troupe, who said he was inspecting the headlights on automobiles near Lancaster last night when kidnaped. According to his story, the trio had a machine gun and about a dozen pistols in the car.

As he stopped their machine to examine the lights, the three pointed pistols at him and forced him to enter their auto. Troupe said they brought him to Blair, where they forced him at the point of pistols to stop an approaching automobile and hold up the occupants.

Borrower Gun and Shoots the Owner

By United Press. COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, Oct. 25.—Borrowing a revolver from Clarence Thomas, 19, his chum, Albert Daugherty, 16, last night set out to kill Miss Leona Crane, 23, with whom he was madly in love.

Thomas, sensing what was going to happen, followed. As Daugherty approached the girl, he tried to dissuade him. Daugherty refused to listen and Thomas grappled with him. During the melee, the weapon was discharged, the bullet entering Thomas' abdomen. He has but a slight chance of recovery, physician said.

After Thomas fell, Daugherty emptied the revolver, shooting a Miss Crane and a companion, Nellie Woods but failed to hit them.

EL PASO—Texas company will establish refinery here opposite Pasotex Petroleum company's refinery.

CARNIVAL TO BE HELD, WEST WARD SATURDAY

All Kinds of Novel Entertainment Features Proposed. Coronation of King and Queen Is One of the Events.

The doors of the West Ward school building will be opened for the Halloween Carnival at 6:30 Saturday.

All children will be admitted free. A fee of ten cents will be charged for grown people to enter. This entitles them to five votes for the king and five for the queen.

In the basement hall, the ladies of the West Ward P. T. A. will serve sandwiches, chili, pie, cake, coffee and hot chocolate. In other divisions of the basement, there will be a wrestling match, a real fortune teller, and style show.

On the second floor, there will be for sale, ice cream, eskimo pies, frozen pops, home-made candy, soda pop, balloons, confetti, peanuts, and pop corn.

A fishing pond will be located in the southwest room. All who fish will get a bite.

On the third floor in the hall, there will be the coronation of the king and queen. In the other rooms including the music room, there will be side shows and entertainment of various kinds.

Everybody come and have a good time.

YOAKUM—\$350,000 bond issue will be voted on for improvement and extension of State Highway No. 72 from South Mustang Creek, Sweet Home, to this place.

WACO—Construction commenced on two-story fire resistant dormitory at State Home for Neglected and Dependent Children.

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MRS. W. K. JACKSON EDITOR CALENDAR FRIDAY Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p. m. community clubhouse.

ELKS FAMILY BRIDGE PARTY THURSDAY Mrs. Elks will entertain their members, wives, sweethearts and friends with a family bridge party.

FARE SALE FALL RAY MORNING Please remember the Fares Sale for the day held by the young people of the Methodist church.

FEDERATED MISSION STUDY CLUB The Federated Mission Study Club, which meets only on the 15th Monday of the month.

DEMONSTRATION AT RESIDENCE OF MRS. CLEMENTS The St. Francis Altar Society will assemble to hold a regatta luncheon with Mrs. Peter Clements yesterday afternoon.

WEST WARD SCHOOL HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL Halloween is coming, and its address will be the West Ward school where, with fun and frolic and joyous games.

WEST WARD SCHOOL HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL (continued) The menu was served in five courses of fruit cocktail; giant asparagus salad on lettuce.

WEST WARD SCHOOL HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL (continued) Twenty-three tables were arranged for the game of bridge. Appointments of score books and pencils were delightfully carried out in mauve and orchid.

OUT OUR WAY



HEROES ARE MADE - NOT BORN.

where ice cream will be dispensed will be Misses Allen Mabey and Herring. A popcorn and peanut booth will have its wares sold by Miss Moon and Mrs. C. W. Hampton.

An unusual feature will be the wrestling match between the boys of the school, under the supervision of Sidney Smith. In this, regular tags of the sporting fraternity will be worn in the ring, and Queensberry rules of the game strictly observed.

ILLIANT SOCIAL EVENT HONORS MR. AND MRS. THOMAS McMANUS The ballroom space of the roof garden of the Connells Hotel was a bower of dainty loveliness.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB Mrs. Walter Clark was at home to the Wednesday Bridge Club in a delightful way, the three tables having the full quota of membership.

WEST WARD SCHOOL HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL (continued) The scene was a beautiful and dainty one, the tapers twinkling their beams, and the many bouquets and candles bringing the tables in relief.

WEST WARD SCHOOL HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL (continued) The society will meet in two weeks with hostess to be announced later.

WEST WARD SCHOOL HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL (continued) The Parent Teacher Association will sell coffee, tea, cakes and pies, from six-thirty to ten-thirty, under the direction of Misses R. L. Perkins, Luther Bean and R. E. Sikes.

Jack Williamson, who received a hand tooled leather bill fold, and a copper tray on carved leather arm chair set, for cigarettes.

The Taylor's guests who were present included Messrs. and Mrs. J. E. Lewis, W. K. Jackson, E. E. Fryschlag, W. B. Smith, Jack Williamson, O. C. Fundeburk, A. H. Furse, John D. McRae, A. H. Johnson, W. T. Gazrett, John M. Knox Jr., W. K. Hyer, Frank Knox, J. M. Mouser, John W. Turner, Frank M. Corzelius, Curtis Corzelius, Homer Brelsford Jr., Harry Brelsford, Bryan Brelsford, Milburn McCarty, O. D. Caldwell, Scott Russell, Harry Sample, Earl Conner, James H. Cheatham, Sr., Ashby Cheatham, Harry Porter, James Cheatham Jr., Garrett Behning, Walter Bagby, I. N. Beall, T. J. Cunningham, Theodore Ferguson, Gilbert Reinegan, E. E. Edwards, Joseph M. Weaver, W. E. Chaney, Curtis A. Hering, Frank Weaver, Walter I. Clark, W. L. Gaulton, Alex. Clarke Carl Angstadt, Dan Garrett, Harry Giddings, J. P. Little, J. M. Ferrell, George A. Davison, Judge and Mrs. George L. Davenson, Mrs. E. W. Freyschlag, Sr., of Missouri, Mrs. Webb of California, Mrs. Frank of El Paso, Misses Joseph M. Perkins, C. U. Connelle, Homer Brelsford, and Misses Cecelia Haas, Irvie Wilson, Merle Ticer, Thiele Hefler of Fort Scott, Kansas, Judge Conner, Messrs. Hamilton McRae, Joe Hudwerth and John M. Knox Sr.

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THE REV. F. W. KIRBY, D. D., of Arlington, Texas, will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church here Sunday, at both the morning and evening services. His subject at the 11 o'clock service will be "The Coming of the Kingdom." Special music furnished by the choir. All members and friends are cordially invited to be present and join in the worship with us Sunday School at the usual hour.

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Arlington Pastor Will Preach Here The Rev. F. W. Kirby, D. D., of Arlington, Texas, will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church here Sunday, at both the morning and evening services.

Grid Race in the District Muchly Mixed (Continued from Page 1.) These games that end in a draw or what mix a race up. Back in 1924, Ranger played Comanche 0-0, then played Breckenridge 0-0 and Breck played Cisco 0-0. It looked as though nobody was going to win nothing but Cisco beat Ranger, Comanche defeated Breckenridge and then Cisco won from Comanche. In 1926, Ranger won the district championship after losing one game. They lost to Stephenville, who lost to Aglene, who lost to Cisco, who lost to Ranger. In the meantime, Abilene had all so lost to Ranger and Stephenville had lost to Cisco so that left Ranger and Cisco at the top of the heap with one loss each. A

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Miss Effie High, Miss Agnes Gray, Miss Katherine and Eddie Fisher of Ranger were the dinner guests of Miss Marzell and Winnie Rogers, Sunday. The school will open again at Alameda Monday. School has been closed the past two weeks to help gather the crops.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McGaha and Mrs. Mammie Clements and children, Mammie Junior, Charlott Lee, are spending this week with relatives in New Hope community. Mrs. Opal Minchew and son, Gerald, of Breckenridge spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jones. Mrs. Minchew and Mrs. Jones visited Mrs. Jones' sister, Miss L. C. Ogle of Desdemona Saturday afternoon.

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Drug Detecting Accord Signed By 12 Nations

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WHIRLWIND

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by ELEANOR EARLY

HAS HAPPENED home, bride of two turns on a honeymoon with the dreadful marriage locked tight. Only Mabel Blake and Mabel's fiancé, Moore, know of the romance with Richard. Richard met him on ship, married him after a ship. Almost immediately to drink and then— of his unbelievable Sybil left him and reher mother in Boston.

meeting Eustia she was in an informal sort of Craig Newhall. Now something wrong. Sybil has never really and effaces himself. Desperately lonely and Sybil tries to tell him age, but Craig thinks she and she gets no further confidences.

drag on. Sybil, alone sling mother, grows more has never been any Richard Eustia, and as to seal secure of her en she learns that she is have a child. She tells Mabel Blake.

on with the story: AFTER XXVIII the week before Christ- at the Settlement helping Mabel tie up packages for the chil- had strung popcorn ries for the tree, and fashioned for the top angel with a cotton bat- and tinsed wings. ad promised to be Santa now Mabel was putting ng touches on his de- beard.

up of wool she glanced ly at Sybil.

dear, I think you ell them. The longer he harder it will be. after Christmas, Mabel he hard enough to get day as it is—our first without daddy. Poor don't want to make worse for her.

ed for awhile in si- little bells that Mabel Santa's bright red and merrily. Sybil put on, and hemed a pink of a flaxen-haired doll. Christmas anyhow!" at a thread with her smoothed the scarlet her knees.

to hear you talk that. It's like blasphemy such a happy season— the sadder you are warns your soul.

ester House here. Half are Jewish. That cannot talk to them, as little Christians, about day. But we try to fill with the spirit of giv- well them that Christ- when everybody tries they can, to make ev- happy. And you their faces glow, and sparkle!

elfish, Sib, and you've out of it. I dragged ere today to give you pleasant to think about you go damning if you think you're ought to see some of who come in here: man today—she's got and knows what we're with her. Five chil- other coming: Hus- Poor as poverty. Ba- nourished. Oldest lit- pernicious anaemia. usually intelligent wo- above the ordinary run- es. Thirty years old all over for her.

gave her the diagno- he'd finished, she es with her decent lit-

the handkerchief and said, "God have mercy on the children! YOU think you're to be pitied. Lord, you make me sick!"

Savagely Mabel bit another thread.

"Oh, it's all very well to be philosophical, Mab, but I wonder how YOU'D like to be in my shoes. How'd you like to be going to have a baby, with a husband God knows where? And a perfectly wonderful man whose heart you had to break for your foolishness. Well—that's done. Pretty, isn't it?"

Sybil held up the pink silk dress.

"I've some flamingo feathers at home that I'll never wear again. I think I'll clip the ends and make a doll's hat. Wouldn't the kid love it! And, Mab, I'm just going down town and get some junk for those children you just told me about. How old are they?"

"Bless your heart, dear! I'll get the record—just a minute. It's down in the record room."

Mabel tumbled the wool and the cambric from her lap. "You wait here."

Presently she was back again.

"Here, I've written their names and ages on a card."

She gave Sybil an envelope.

"Will you come back this afternoon, and go over the list to see if we've stockings and gloves enough to go round? I have to write some reports, and I won't have a minute."

She walked with Sybil to the coat room. "You're not such an egg after all," she said, and slapped her back affectionately.

Sybil put her wraps on, and backed away from the mirror dubiously, for a full length view.

She took the card from the envelope, to read what Mabel had written: "Betty White, 9; Jack, 7; Nona, 6; Tommy, 4; and Joan, 2. . . . he who gives a child a treat— Makes jaybells ring in Heaven's street— And he who gives a child a home, Builds palaces in Kingdom Come— And she who gives a baby birth, Brings Savior Christ again on earth."

Tears came to Sybil's eyes, and she dabbed them savagely with her handkerchief. It was so easy to cry. Then, resolutely, she powdered her nose, and ran upstairs to Mabel's office. Sticking her head in the open door, she whispered with strident gaiety: "Hey, Mab, you old sentimental. How do you get that way? Save up your verses, darling, for the little Moores."

Out of doors it was crisp cold and white. All the world, it seemed, was Christmas shopping. People pushed and shoved, and appeared extraordinarily good-natured about it. The toy department to which Sybil directed her steps was the most populous place in all the city.

Santa Claus was there, shaking hands with children, and asking in a big voice what they would like in their stockings. One small girl wanted a little sewing machine.

"The very thing," said Sybil to herself, "for Betty, to make clothes for Nona's doll and Joan's."

So she bought two dolls, a brunette with long natural curls, and a baby blond with painted yellow locks. And for the boys she bought

fire engines and a fleet of cars and freights that ran on an electric track.

"Now," she concluded with considerable satisfaction. "I simply CAN'T afford anything for Val."

Then straight to the infants' department of the smartest babyshop on Winter Street she fought her way. It was less crowded there, and quieter.

"I want something for a brand-new baby," she told a pleasant woman behind a shining glass case.

"A little dress, perhaps?"

"No-o-o, I think so."

"One of those exquisite bonnets from Normandy? They're very new indeed."

"I—I want something awfully little."

"Booties? These were knit in Belgium, these blue silk ones with the crocheted pink roses."

"They're darling—but I want something more—more personal—if you can call babies' things personal. What do they wear next their skins?"

"Little bands." The woman opened a drawer. "Here are silk and wool ones—they're nicest. A baby's flesh is so tender, you know."

"Oh, aren't they small!"

The exclamation came on a throaty little whisper, swelling like a lump in Sybil's throat. When the girl had gone for her change, she pressed her cheek to the tiny shirt. That night she slipped it beneath her pillow.

And in the morning she told herself fiercely, "I don't hate it. I DON'T!" and her heart sang pangs of gladness.

Christmas came and went—a gloomy day for the Thornes. But Mrs. White, in a dingy tenement in the South End, went down on her poor knees, to thank God for Sybil. And all the little Whites remembered her that night in their prayers—"Dear God, please bless the good lady."

While the "good lady," in her pleasant warm house, discarded a tunic in favor of a Russian blouse, and felt very wicked indeed—and panic-stricken, when even the blouse proved a little skimpy.

(To be continued)

UNIQUE BURIAL IN MISSISSIPPI FOR AGED MAN

New Orleans Italian Wanted His Ashes Straws In Father Of Waters

NEW ORLEANS.—One of the strangest burials ever performed in the south has just come to light here following instigation of litigation by one of the disinherited heirs to the estate of the late Louis Cignoni, 91, well to do real estate owner, who died here on January 27, after leading a hermit-like life for years.

As provided in the will of the aged Italian, friends quietly took his body to St. Louis for cremation. The ashes were returned to New Orleans and the same friends carried the small urn-container out in the Mississippi river on a ferry boat and cast its contents into the water after which the urn itself was sent to the bottom of the Father of Waters. No religious or other ceremony was held, which was in accordance with the dead man's wishes.

Scores of passengers on the ferry looked in wonderment, unaware that they were witnessing a strange burial service.

Cignoni had lived in New Orleans since 1849 after coming from Italy and had told friends that he came to the city by the river and wished to depart by the same route.

Cignoni had complained that his two daughters whom he had not seen in 35 or 40 years, had deserted him in their youth, and married. He thus made no provision for them in his will and it was the suit-filed by one of the long-absent daughters, now a resident of Portugal, to nullify the will that brought to light the strange burial service.

Staff

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White motored to Abilene last Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Jewel Warren.

The teacher had a business meeting at the home of M. O. Hazard last Monday night.

Finds Newspaper Advertising Pays



Hazard home on last Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Blair of Eastland filled the pulpit at the Baptist church at Staff on last Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Cunningham of Carbon, filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church on last Sunday evening.

Preaching every third Sunday morning and evening. Everybody is invited to come.

Woodshed Would Be Proper Place

DALLAS, Oct. 24.—Angered when his teacher asked that he leave the room after he had been expelled a 9-year-old Dallas school boy took a knife from his pocket and declared he would not leave. With assistance, he was finally ousted. The father said he had been expelled from eight different schools.

Business of Frigidaire Corporation

Business of Frigidaire Corporation has approximately doubled over the same period of last year following a widespread newspaper advertising campaign based upon its new line of household refrigerating equipment, according to E. G. Biechler, president and general manager, who attributes much of the increase to use of newspaper space.

"The newspaper of today, when used to promote a quality product is one of the greatest aids that business or industry can enlist," he said. "It obtains and retains public confidence for any product that merits it."

Family Menu

BREAKFAST—Grapes, cerea cream, broiled lamb cutlets, brai muffins, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Tapioca tomatoe with cheese, hearts of celery, pea nut buttered bread, apple sauce cookies, milk, tea.

DINNER—Hame baked in fres. sweet cider, martinique potatoes creamed cauliflower, endive, grap pie, milk, coffee.

Any amount of ham, from a whole one to a slice, is delicious baked in sweet cider. Choose a slice cut two or three inches thick and parboil for 15 minutes before baking. Then rub with 1 tablespoon brown sugar thoroughly mixed with 1-2 teaspoon mustard. Stick cloves into rim of fat and put meat in casserole or roaster. Pour over 1-2 cup sweet cider and bake 1 1-2 hours in a slow oven. Watch closely for the last half hour as the brown sugar and cider mixture will burn easily when reduced.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas in Bankruptcy, Abilene, Texas.

In the matter of Robert H. Murray, Bankrupt.

No. 1280 in Bankruptcy, Abilene, Texas, 10-19-28.

Office of Referee.

To the creditors of Robert H. Murray of Eastland, in the County of Eastland and District of Texas, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of October A. D. 1928, the said Robert H. Murray was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the city of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, on the 1st day of November A. D. 1928 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

D. M. OLDFHAM, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy.

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Four tomatoes, 1 tablespoon of sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-8 teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 tablespoon minced onion, 1-2 cup diced celery, 6 tablespoons minute tapioca, 1-2 pound American cream cheese, 4 tablespoons buttered crumbs.

Peel and chop tomatoes. Combine with celery and onion and simmer for 20 minutes. Add sugar, salt, pepper and butter. Stir in tapioca and when mixture thickens cook over hot water until clear. Put a layer of tomato mixture into a well buttered baking dish. Add a layer of finely

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FLAPPERS PRAISED

NEW ORLEANS.—The self-reliance of the modern girl has made a better home maker and has better equipped her for the burdens to come in later life, according to Miss Jean B. Pinney of the American Social Hygiene Association.

"There is nothing the matter with the younger generation," said Miss Pinney, "It is thinking more intelligently, and the young girl of today is likely to be a better mother than was her own mother. She can be because she has profited from her worldly experience."

"The younger generation think more intelligently about fitting their children for life," said Miss Pinney. "For one thing they don't tell their children myths about their origin"

HOW THEY STAND

Miss Opal Hunt, 200,000.
Mrs. Jewel Brawner, 180,000.
Mrs. C. W. Kimbrough, 159,000.
Miss Hazel Woods, 141,000.
Elmer McGahan, 96,000.
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T. P. Perkins Will Move to Ft. Worth

MINERAL WELLS, Oct. 24.—T. P. Perkins announces the formation of a law partnership with W. L. Dean to be known as Dean & Perkins with offices on the twentieth floor of the Fort Worth National bank building, Fort Worth. The partnership is to become effective Nov. 1.

Dean was a former citizen of Mineral Wells, having practiced law here for a number of years. Both attorneys are well known over the state and are well known.

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FOR SALE—200 Leghorn Pullets, one and one-half miles west of town on the Ames farm.

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WANTED TO BUY—Producing oil properties. Write P. O. Box 1724 Ft. Worth, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY—Good settled production in Eastland County, 50 barrels up. Box 472, Brownwood, Texas.

19—WANTED TO TRADE

WANTED—Model D Spudder. Morrison's Poultry Ranch for Sale or Trade—45 acres good cultivated land joining town of Haskell, Texas, three lying houses 50x24 feet concrete and steel, two brooder houses, every nest a trap nest. A modern brick and concrete basement dwelling, sewerage, electric lights, wonderful water, gas and telephone, modern equipment and 300 laying hens. Property very desirable for subdivision of town site. Price \$15,000 with \$4,800 debt easy terms. Will trade for model D Spudder and tools, also six and eight-inch casing in good condition. Phone 105 or 421. J. F. Morrison, Haskell, Texas.

to each other, having been associated here in the old firm of Perkins, Miller, Perkins & Dean. Mr. Perkins states that while he is moving to Fort Worth he is not in anywise burning his bridges behind him to the extent of not returning to Mineral Wells, should the exigencies of their law practice justify such a move on his part.

SARSAPARILLA PERIL. NEW ORLEANS.—Miss Mae Dempsey, 54, suffered severe cuts and lacerations when a bottle of root beer exploded as she opened a refrigerator door at her home here.

COLLEGE TEAM IS NO MORE

Only 11 on Squad, Rangers Cannot Meet the Schedule.

(From Ranger Times) The Rangers have disbanded. By a unanimous vote it was decreed that it was impossible for 11 football players to go through the schedule of games facing them, so it was decided that the Ranger Junior college football team would disorganize. Coach Tricky Ward announced this morning.

A scheduled game with the Randolph College Badgers for tomorrow afternoon at Cisco was cancelled, as well as all other games on the 1928 slate.

Although Ward has had a scarcity of men since the season opened, he had managed to have a few substitutes on the bench in the two games which have been played and lost by the Rangers. Since the game with Wichita Falls Junior college last week, however, the squad has dwindled to 11 men.

Only a meek-appearing water boy occupied the substitutes' bench and not a second string or replacement man was in sight. "It would be slaughter," Ward said this morning, "to try to play the schedule we have with only 11 men. In fact, it would be almost utterly impossible as some of them are destined to be injured to such an extent as would make it necessary for them to be removed from the game.

"At the present time one or two have injuries that would compel them to leave any game within a quarter at the longest."

Ward will remain with the college staff in the science department, and will be working on next year's team.

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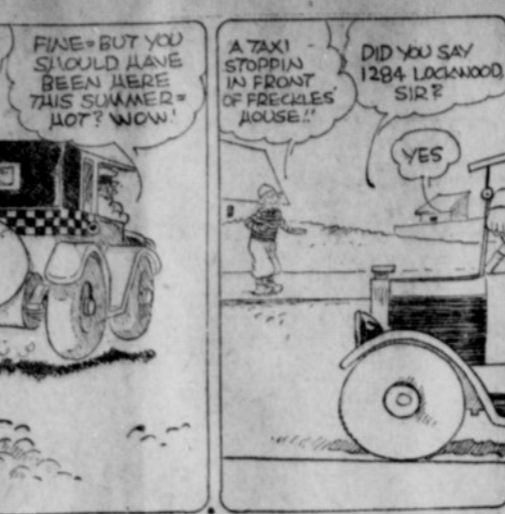
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Hooks and Slides

Good If You're Good. It is unfortunate for him, at least, that Bill McKechnie may become the goat of the world series and lose his job as manager of the Cardinals. If fate plays with him as well as it has in the past McKechnie will pop up with another good job but it will not be pleasant to have it in the books that he blew the series with a team that was an overwhelming favorite to win.

McKechnie, during the series, was in the same position that every manager is in almost every game. What his way works he is a vow. When his strategy fails he is a bust. And McKechnie's went wrong in the series.

Smart baseball men say that the two double sthat Babe Ruth hit in the first game and started the Yankees going with a tremendous momentum should have been fielded.

Johnny Evers says that McKechnie made a terrible blunder in shifting his infield and his outfield in the same direction twice for the Babe and that Douthitt, if he had not been out of position, certainly should have caught the Babe's second double.

Evers is a smart baseball man and his wasn't a second guess. He made the observation to a neighbor when the Babe was at the bat.

So much for that. Raps For Wilson. One of the greatest old catchers of all times, now a National League official, said that McKechnie's greatest mistake was in allowing Wilson to remain behind the bat after the judgment he had shown on the batters in the first game.

He said that a peanut boy in the stands could have seen that Gehrig was set for a slow ball and that Meusel was dug in for a fast ball and Wilson permitted Sherdel to serve the order.

He said that Wilson was terrible the whole time he was working and that Smith should have been put in if for no reason than he was a fighting-ball player and his recognized as a batter. And that Orsatti should have replaced Douthitt.

Never Can Tell. It is easy to realize now that McKechnie should have started Mitchell in one game, but if the ancient snob had been started and had been treated as cruelly as the other pitchers were the Cardinal manager would have been ridden into St. Louis on a log.

Everyone in the country expected McKechnie to make a hero out of Old Alex and wanted him his chance, but he could not hypnotize the Yankee batters.

Who Did It. In connection with the mention of Jimmy Wilson, who went into the series rated as a star, there was considerable gossip around St. Louis as to what caused the substitution of Smith for Wilson.

It was suggested that the "office" ordered McKechnie to bench him and to take Douthitt out and put Orsatti in.

Sam Bragdon, however, speaking as one of the "office" said he didn't know Smith was to catch until he saw him out there.

WHERE THERE'S A WILL. COWLING, Yorkshire. — One shilling and a cracked bowl were the only things left to his wife in the will of Isaac Lund, a gardener here. Lund left about \$1,370.

His will read: "To my wife, Gertrude, who has ceased to reside with me, the sum of one shilling and the cracked bowl which she left me."

CORPUS CHRISTI. — Tunnel from Schatzel Street under bridge to Broadway will be started in near future.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas in Bankruptcy, Abilene, Texas. In the matter of Blanchard & Cornelius, a partnership, composed of V. W. Blanchard & M. T. Cornelius, as a partnership, and M. T. Cornelius, Individually, bankrupt.

No. 1281 in bankruptcy. Abilene, Texas, 10-19-28. Office of Referee.

To the creditors of Blanchard & Cornelius, as aforesaid, of Ranger, in the County of Eastland, and District aforesaid, a bankrupt, notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of Oct. A. D. 1928, the said Blanchard & Cornelius, as aforesaid, was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the city of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, on the 1st day of Nov. A. D. 1928, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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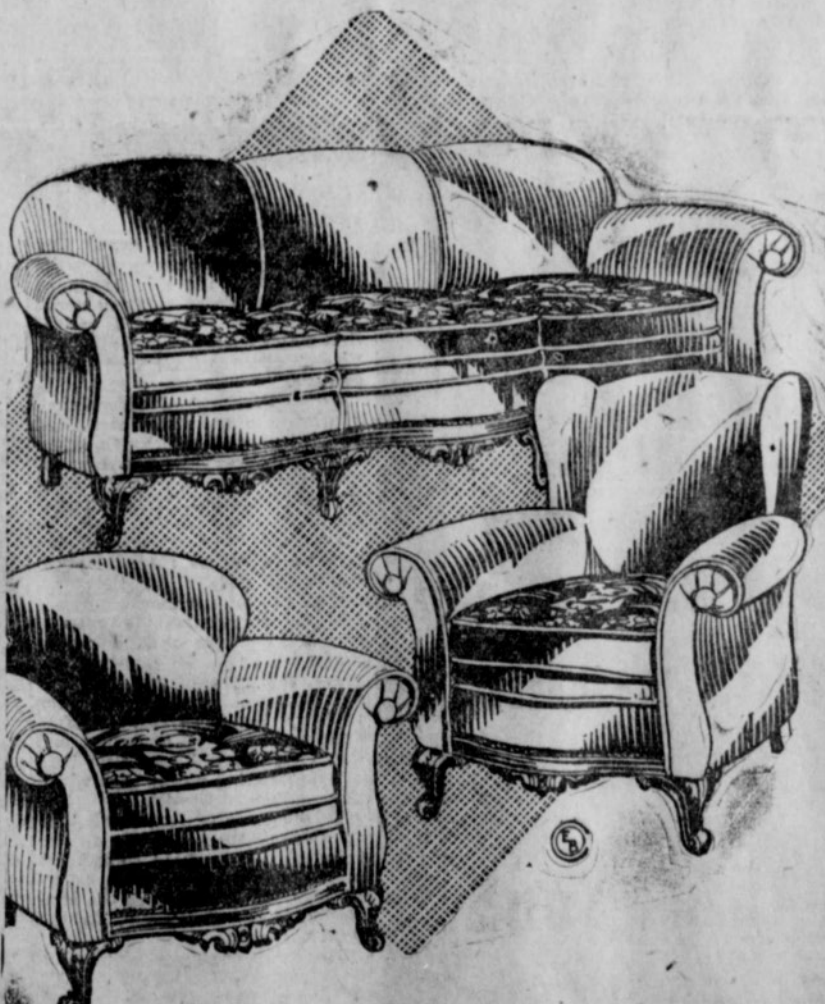
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Living Room Suites

- 3-piece jacquard velour suite with beautiful reverse cushions, regular \$110.00 value, on sale for only **\$79⁵⁰**
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- Many other beautiful living room suites from which to choose—all at greatly reduced prices during this sale.

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- One 6-piece Dinette Suite, decorated finish, sells regularly at \$65.00 specially priced in this special Cash Sale at only **\$49⁵⁰**
- 1 Suite, in genuine Walnut, sells regularly for \$85.00. Specially priced this week at only **\$59⁵⁰**
- New Eight-Piece genuine Walnut Dining Room Suite, sells regularly for \$100.00. A value you can't afford to overlook in this Special Cash Sale **\$69⁵⁰**
- New Eight-Piece Dining Room Suite in genuine Walnut; regular \$135.00 value. Specially priced **\$89⁵⁰**
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- Regular \$177.50 suite, 4 pieces, mahogany finish, good style, closing out at **\$110**
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FORT WORTH — Contract awarded for improving roadway connecting Maderia Mountain Club with Old Spanish Trail and Bankhead Highway.

BROWNSVILLE — Fire alarm system costing \$31,000 purchased by this city.

Ford Airport At Dearborn Equipped With Modern Aids For Aerial Traffic

DETROIT, Mich.—Paved runways, permanent, fire-safe buildings and complete facilities for the efficient handling of passengers mail and express are combined in one airport for the first time in the history of American aviation. The airport is Ford's, located at Dearborn, eight miles west of the heart of Detroit on a paved highway. More than 30,000 passengers have passed through the splendidly equipped airport passenger station thus far this year, to take the air in the fleet of Ford-motored metal planes operated by the Stout Air Services, chief users of the port for passenger service. In addition, the Ford company's own planes have been constantly on the move, carrying mail and freight to Chicago, Cleveland and Buffalo. The big ships have made more than 10,000 take-offs and landings at the port, since its opening three years ago; smaller planes use the facilities of the field frequently, with the result that the Ford port is one of the busiest in the world. A feature of the port which makes it particularly popular with pilots of heavy planes is the system of paved runways which is unique in America. A strip of concrete pavement 1600 feet long and 75 feet wide, augmented by a shorter strip of non-rigid pavement, gives planes facilities for take-off in two directions. Another such concrete pavement, 5000 feet long, is to be constructed; so take-offs and landings may be made in any of four points of the compass. Stanley Knauss, general manager Stout Air Service, Inc., reports that his pilots are enthusiastic about the new runways, particularly for taking off. "The take-off from the smooth, uniform surface," says Knauss, "is always positive. The pilot knows that the plane lifts off only when it has attained flying speed, for there are no bumps or ruts to bounce the plane into the air in 'false' take-offs."

Common Colds Are Infectious and Are Communicable

In this season of sniffles and sneezes, music is not the only thing broadcast through the air. There are walking "transmitters" of varying power, who broadcast colds wherever they go. It may be impossible to keep outside the range of such "transmitters," but there are definite cleanliness precautions, health authorities tell us that will minimize your chances of being a "receiver" of unwelcome "cold" germs. The word "cold" is a misnomer. We use it because it was handed down to us, and not because it is the result of cold temperature. It may have had its origin, medical historians say, in one of the characteristic symptoms, chilliness, just as coughing and sneezing may have led the Chinese to say they have caught the "wind." A cold is really an infectious disease, although the causative organisms are not definitely known. Most persons indulge in one to three colds a year. Colds are communicable, from person to person, just as typhoid fever, diphtheria, and a host of other communicable diseases. "The victim of a cold," Doctor W. W. Peier, Health Consultant of Cleanliness Institute points out, "goes about his daily business mingling freely with people, at home, in public conveniences, in offices, stores, and workshops. Thus he multiplies his opportunity for spreading the disease. He coughs and sneezes his way through crowds. His hands, contaminated by frequent contact with nose and mouth, leave unwanted gifts upon everything he touches. He is a well-worn 'transmitter.' Here are a few rules of preventing cold infection as given by Doctor Peier. Wash hands before eating or handling food. Avoid hand shaking with cold sufferers if you can; or at least wash your hands immediately afterward. Keep away from common drinking cups, roller towels and other objects that may possibly be contaminated. Eat only from dishes thoroughly cleaned and sterilized in boiling soapy water.

Receive Carload of the New Nashes

The Eastland Nash company is today unloading a carload of new Advance Six and Special Six coupes the first of these in the 1929 models ever to be shown in Eastland. They are also getting in a shipment of other new models. R. E. Sikes, manager for the Eastland Nash company, a cordial invitation to purchase, whether they buy Nash cars or not, also extends a special invitation to Nash owners to see their cars, the very latest on the market.

LEVELLAND—Regional postoffice during July and September, 1929, 20 percent greater than corresponding period of last year.



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PAUL WHITEMAN
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Famous Orchestra To Present Concert at Simmons University Auditorium.
ABILENE, Oct. 25.—Paul Whiteman and his orchestra will appear in concert at Simmons University auditorium here on the evening of November 3, coming through the auspices of the Simmons Cowboy Band, it has been announced. Whiteman's organization, which is the best known orchestra in the world, started on its third national tour October 7, giving the first performance in Carnegie Hall, New York City, before a packed house. He will arrive in Texas near the last day of October and will appear at eight Texas cities. Tickets went on sale Monday of this week at the office of the Cowboy Band of Simmons. This is the second big attraction sponsored by the band this fall. Sousa's Band played here October 18th, playing to 4,000 people. PECOS—Paving of 16 downtown blocks in this place progressing rapidly.

Sports Matter

The name of Gordon Stanley Cochrane has been added to the list that includes George Sisler, Babe Ruth, Walter Johnson, Geo. Burns and Lou Gehrig of the players most valuable to their American League teams. Cochrane, the "pepper box" catcher of Connie Mack's Athletics, had a narrow margin of two points advantage of Heinie Manush, slugging outfielder of the St. Louis Browns, receiving a total of 53 points to 51 for Manush. Each player contributed much to his respective ball club for the season just closed. Manush, virtually the leading hitter in the American League, played his first season for the Browns and his terrific hitting converted a mediocre ball club into a team capable of finishing in third place. Manush long has been rated one of the leading hitters in the American League, but the 1928 season was the best he has ever known. Judge of the Washington Senators and Tony Lazzari, the hard hitting Yankee second baseman tied for third place with a total of 27 points. Judge, at the beginning of the season, was battling for a regular berth with the Senators. George Sisler was listed on the Washington roster and was favored to play first during the season. Lazzari Plucky. Judge, however, dispelled all thoughts Manager Bucky Harris might have had of playing Sisler at first, by staging a sensational hitting attack early in the season. Lazzari's season was marred by frequent injuries that prevented him taking his place in the lineup in many games. His throwing arm was in poor shape near the end of the season, but when called upon he always turned in a good game for the Yankees. In the world's series, Lazzari pluckily fought with the rest of the "crippled Yankees," and was always dependable when the going was toughest. Mickey Cochrane was born in Ridgewater, Mass., April 6, 1903. He was an all-around athlete at Boston University and after a single year with Portland, in the Pacific Coast League, he joined the Athletics.

Displaced Perkins. The peppery, hard hitting catcher starred from the beginning and in his first year in the major league displaced "Cy" Perkins, one of the leading receivers in the league, behind the bat for the A's. Cochrane's play was so brilliant that he received four votes for the 1926 award and was fourth in 1927 with eighteen votes. The youthful catcher is the exception to the general run of catchers in that he is a good hitter and a speedy base runner. Cochrane bats third in the lineup instead of being relegated to end of the batting list where catchers usually hit. Until the final month of the 1928 campaign, when the entire Philadelphia team slumped, Cochrane managed to hit around the 300 mark. His hitting fell off noticeably toward the end of the season and he finished the year with a mark of 293, the lowest average he has made in his major league career. The handling of pitchers is another asset of the Philadelphia player. Connie Mack gives Cochrane much credit for the enviable pitching record made by Lefty Grove this year. Cochrane has a good knowledge of the batters and possesses a keen baseball judgment. "Cochrane does everything a catcher could be expected to do and does them all just a little bit better than any other receiver in the league," one of the members of the commission declared in explaining his selection.

Baptist Session Soon in Abilene. ABILENE—One thousand students from 26 colleges and universities over Texas will meet at Simmons University here from October 25 to 28 inclusive for the fourteenth annual Baptist Student Union convention, which will be held on those days. One convention is being held in each of the fourteen Southern States at the same time. Some of the state's most prominent religious leaders are being brought to the convention to give the main speeches. Some of these are Dr. S. P. Brooks of Baylor University, Dr. T. L. Holcomb, secretary of the State Baptist convention, Dr. J. O. Sandefer of Simmons University and Dr. W. P. Horn of Texas Tech. The visitors will be entertained in the homes of Abilene. The first session will begin Friday morning, and the convention will continue through Sunday morning. On Saturday afternoon the visitors will be entertained at the football game between the Simmons Cowboys and the Daniel Baker Hill Billies.



BY RODNEY DUTCHER
WASHINGTON — Nearly two years after the last great flood began to wreak its havoc in the Mississippi valley, work on the nation's big flood control project will actually begin.

The army engineers expect that by January or February they can begin erecting the 536 levees on the Bonnet Carré spillway above New Orleans. This will be the first major operation in the project. Two things remain before it can be done. First, President Coolidge must approve the report of the flood advisory board which Congress directed to reconcile the plan of the army engineers with the ideas of the Mississippi River Commission.

Contrary to a widespread impression, Congress did not appropriate \$225,000,000 for the flood control project. It merely authorized the appropriation of such a sum and the appropriation can be made by Congress alone. The army engineers expect that the president will have approved the advisory board's report before Congress meets in December and that Congress will lose little time in appropriating money with which they may begin the job. Subsequently Congress will take up the question of work on the tributaries. The flood control act passed at the last session covers only the main stem of the Mississippi from Cairo, Ill., to the Gulf of Mexico. The army engineers obtained a total appropriation of \$24,000,000 for immediate work on the Mississippi and are expending it on measures regarding as immediately necessary and not on the main project. They have been spending \$10,000,000 a year on flood work and \$14,000,000 was added for emergency and repair work. They were unable to spend money on features of their main project which were in dispute.

Hence, the work in progress since Congress adjourned was designed to take care of urgent necessities. The necessary operations were divided into three main classes: levee construction, bank re-entment and dredging. This was merely a continuation of what the engineers have been doing for many years along the "levees only" theory. When the 1927 flood hit the valley not all the levees had been completed up to the standard set by Congress in 1914. Before beginning construction of new levees the flood control act provided that the old levees be brought up to the 1914 standard. Their new big project, adopted by Congress subject to any alterations by the advisory board and now virtually endorsed in toto by that board in its recent report, additionally provides for a spillway above New Orleans and three floodways along the river.

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