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BALLOON PICKED UP IN GULF: NO TRACE OF CREW

Five Men From Pensacola Naval Station Undoubtedly Perish in Gulf.

(Associated Press)

PANAMA CITY, Panama, April 9.—The naval balloon that has been missing with five men ever since it left the Pensacola Naval Station, March 22, was picked up in the gulf late Friday by fishing boat and brought here today. No trace of the crew was found.

CARPENTIER AND DEMPSEY MATCHED FOR JULY SECOND

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, April 9.—Official announcement was made tonight that the Dempsey-Carpentier bout will be held in New Jersey on July 2nd. The bout will go only 12 rounds under the laws of New Jersey which permits no decision to be rendered at the end of the bout. Consequently the only way Carpentier could win the world title would be to knock Dempsey out before the 12th round or for the champion to lose the bout on a foul.

No matter how much Carpentier might out point his opponent if the latter was still on his feet at the end of the 12th round he would be the champion from a technical ring stand point.

The boxers will be matched on a percentage basis instead of being given flat sums as has been Rickard's custom in the past.

BURLESON TO EUROPE TO SEEK MARKET FOR SOUTHERN COTTON

AUSTIN, April 9.—Former Postmaster General Burleson will make a tour of continental Europe in an attempt to find a suitable market for Texas cotton and at the same time dispose of approximately 2,000,000 bales remaining unsold of last years crop, according to an announcement today by H. A. Wree, president of an Austin Bank, which is backing the trip. Burleson will be accompanied by N. C. Schlemmer of Austin.

PRESIDENT IS ADVISED AGAINST WAGE REDUCTIONS

WASHINGTON, April 9.—President Harding was advised against a general reduction in railroad employees wage today by L. E. Sheppard, president of the order of Railroad Conductors who said that abrogation of wage contracts would work a hardship with workers and further complicate the railroad problem.

JONES REAPPOINTED

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Secretary Mellon today announced the reappointment of Colonel R. G. Cholmeley Jones as director of War Risk Insurance Bureau.

Fire Destroys Office Building of Public Weigher Cotton Yards

Fire destroyed the office of Doc Sheppard, public weigher at the cotton yards Saturday morning about 11 o'clock. All records and valuable papers were saved but the building was destroyed.

The fire originated in the ignition of some matches that had been spilled on the floor, setting fire to some loose cotton scattered about the room. Promptness of the fire boys prevented a serious loss in cotton at the yards.

Yosemite Park Rangers Make Difficult Snow Climb



Forest S. Townsley, chief ranger in Yosemite National park (center, with hat off), with a party made a difficult and dangerous ascent from the floor of Yosemite valley to Glacier Point on the rim in snow in places nearly 8 feet deep. It took them 10 hours to make 11 miles and climb 3,250 feet. Going back they sat down and slid much of the way.

WILLIAMS GETS 99 YEARS FOR MURDER OF NEGRO TENANTS

Plantation Owner Found Guilty of Killing Blacks to Hide Peonage Conditions.

(Associated Press)

COVINGTON, Ga., April 9.—The jury in Newton County Superior court here today found John Williams guilty of murder of negro farm hands to conceal peonage conditions on his plantation. The jury recommended mercy.

The verdict under the Georgia law automatically carries a verdict of life imprisonment. Judge Atheson had the defendant to stand and after repeating to him the verdict, added: "The verdict of the jury is the sentence of the court."

Motion for a new trial was filed immediately.

LATE FLASHES

NOGALES, Ariz., April 9.—A chinaman merchant was killed and two other chinese seriously beaten and six mexicans injured last night, when thugs terrorized the southern section of Hermosillo the capital of Sonora, Mexico, according to advices received here. Robbery is said to have been the motive.

MACON, Ga., April 9.—Thirty-six of the forty-five defendants on trial on the charge of conspiracy in connection with the robbing of the American Railway Express Company were found guilty by a jury in federal court today.

BOSTON, Mass., April 9.—Jay Gould defended his title in the National Amateur Tennis Championship today, defeating Snydam Cutting in three straight sets.

TURIN, Italy, April 9.—The police announced the finding today in the home of workmen at the Fiat plant two hundred bombs and a large quantity of explosives and ammunition. The workmen were locked out of the plant lately because of trouble over the discharge of some of the employees.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The food problem in China is one of transportation and organization rather than supply, commercial attache Arnold reported to the department of commerce today. Spring crops are promising in the famine districts it is said.

DETROIT, Mich., April 9.—Twenty aliens for whom deportation warrants have been issued left today for the east. They will be joined in Buffalo by 150 others.

WOULD LIKE TO LIVE UNDER STATE GOVERNMENT THAT IS NOT TOO BIG FOR CAPACITY OF ITS PUBLIC MEN

The following address was made by Representative R. M. Chitwood at the meeting held at the Hotel Wright in protest against the vetoing of the rural schools appropriation and West Texas A. & M. Bill, which was attended by approximately 200 representatives from West Texas towns.

"I think, if you will let me, I will save my speech for the special session of the Legislature in June (July). Now I want higher education and I believe that it is the proper policy for the State's Government to maintain institutions of higher learning; that is the reason that I worked for the passage of the West Texas A. & M. bill. I believe that the State of Texas ought to maintain institutions of higher learning for its young men and women. It maintains an institution at Bryan, if you will look at your plates tonight, you will see that eighty-five percent of the students at A&M. College come from a radius of 150 miles. You may write Dr. Vinson, pres. of the University of Texas as I wrote him and you will find as I have found out that out of its students, about one-fifth of them come from Travis county, the county in which the University of Texas is located. You cannot find an institution which spreads its influence uniformly in all parts of Texas, and I believe we ought to have an A. & M. College out in West Texas, because these other parts of Texas have their interests, and because the State's policy of higher education should be fashioned along the lines of equality and uniformity; but if it is not the policy of the State Government to maintain these institutions in the various parts of Texas so that all of Texas may be benefitted, then I am ready to quit voting appropriations to some of them that are in some other parts of Texas. At Huntsville there is a normal, and that college is as close to the walls of the penitentiary atmosphere is a proper atmosphere. I do not believe that a penitentiary atmosphere is a proper atmosphere to train young people. The most of the people of that town are constantly talking as to whether some convicts will escape tonight, and what kind of a danger we are in, and I do not think that kind of an atmosphere a good one, and I shall therefore oppose the voting of any further appropriation to the Sam Houston Normal at Huntsville.

The A. & M. College at Bryan is located in a country which has a very large proportion of negro population, not the majority, but a very large proportion of that county's population is made up of negroes, and I do not think that it is the proper kind of location for an institution that is devoted exclusively to the training of white boys, an institution of that kind ought to be out here on the big prairie of Texas. It is for the training of the white boys of Texas, and it ought to

be in the white man's part of Texas. "Because I believe that and because the evident policy of the State Government of Texas is not to be fair in the creation and maintenance of its institutions of higher learning, I shall certainly withhold from voting any appropriation to the A. & M. at Bryan which calls for the erection of new buildings, because I think it is a thing to do with that institution which is located down in the negro section and near the penitentiary system, which needs and could use it, and remove the big A. & M. College out somewhere west of the ninety-eighth meridian, or at least between Fort Worth and Dallas.

"I am very glad that Mr. Clark has stated that Governor Neff agrees with me, and I certainly have no personal criticism for him, and I am not an especial enthusiast about dividing the State of Texas, but there is one thing I am ambitious for—I would like to live in a state government where the state was not too big for the capacity of its public men."

DR. LEACH'S AUNT DIES IN OKLAHOMA

Dr. Leach is in receipt of news of the death of his aunt, Mrs. W. J. Moore who died at her son's home in Oklahoma City Thursday after an illness of several months.

The burial took place in Grandbury, their old home, Rev. R. A. Evans of Fort Worth and Rev. J. E. Muffet of Polytechnic took part in the funeral services.

Mrs. Moore was 66 years old and is survived by her husband, Rev. W. J. Moore of the M. E. Church, South, two sons, one of Oklahoma City, where she died and one lives in Fort Worth where the family resided 50 years.

Two daughters also survive their mother; one lives in Kentucky, and the other in Dallas, who before her marriage held a position in the Polytechnic College.

Rev. Morris, her husband is prominent in the Methodist church and he was president of Granbury College until recently he resigned, accompany his wife to Oklahoma hoping that the change would benefit her health.

Dr. J. P. Muffet officiated at their wedding 44 years ago in Fort Worth where they reared their family. The deceased was the sister of Dr. Leach's mother, Mrs. J. J. Leach of Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Earl Mashburn will arrive today from Dallas to join her husband. Who is visiting his father, L. J. Mashburn. He has been suffering from a slight stroke of paralysis and came home to recuperate.

TWO OLD FRIENDS LEARN OF EACH OTHER THROUGH PRESS DISPATCH FROM SWEETWATER IN N. Y. TIMES; PUB. IS WIDESPREAD

STORY OF WEST TEXAS SECESSION MEETING MENTIONED R. M. CHITWOOD; READ BY BOYHOOD FRIEND.

CROMWELL HEADS SHRINE ASSN. OF NORTH AMERICA

Kansas City is Chosen as the Place for Next Annual Convention of That Body.

(Associated Press)

DALLAS, April 9.—Frank H. Cromwell, of Ararat Temple, Kansas City, Mo., was elected president of the Shrine Directors' Association of North America today.

Kansas City was chosen the next meeting place.

The widespread publicity given the movement started in Sweetwater last week by the Reporter relative to a square deal for West Texas may be seen from the following letters:

Charlotte, N. C.

"Mr. R. M. Chitwood, Representative of the 121st District, Sweetwater, Texas.

"My Dear Sir: "Seeing your name in the New York Times in regard to the secession movement in Texas, I am wondering if you are an old boyhood friend of mine of Tusculum, Ala."

"A. S. Johnson."

Mr. Chitwood stated to the Reporter that he and Mr. Johnson were boyhood friends, and that he was surprised to hear from him.

UMPIRES FOR TEXAS LEAGUES ARE ANNOUNCED

(Associated Press)

DALLAS, April 9.—President Dock Roberts of the Texas League announced tonight his staff of Umpires for the coming season. The staff includes Paul Sentell, Hunter Hill, G. A. Schaffer, Harry Kane, Tom Irwin, E. L. Goos and Tom Daly. Hill was a former Texas league player and manager.

SHERIFF AND SLEUTH CRANE SOLVE THEFT OF PRETTY SILK DRESSES

A little detective work on the part of Sheriff D. E. Bardwell and Postmaster R. C. Crane, acting under instructions from the Postmaster General, has brought about the return of a highly prized silk dress belonging to Mrs. Wm. Wight and a graduation dress of Miss Anne Wight, both of which were missing following the departure of a woman roomer who spent the night in the Wight home, March 24.

A Mrs. James "Allison" and child, Ranger, registered for the night. Next morning the dresses and several other articles of clothing were missed. Search of the woman's baggage at the Santa Fe depot revealed nothing of the property, so the parcels post department of the local postoffice was overhauled under orders from Washington. A package containing the lost loot was found here with the woman's name and address.

Her arrest followed last week and she was brought to Sweetwater by the sheriff and placed under bond awaiting the action of the next grand jury.

Her name was not Allison.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

J. M. Blair, Waco, Texas, to Miss Maimie Louise Barnes, Dallas, Texas. C. L. Wilson, Waco, Texas, to Miss Geraldine Palmer, Des Moines, Iowa.

CHEROKEE NATION MAY PROVE CLAIM TO 14 MILLION ACRES IN OKLAHOMA AND TEXAS; TULSA, OKLAHOMA CITY

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Claim to fourteen million acres of land in Texas and Oklahoma, including the cities of Tulsa and Oklahoma City and practically the entire Burkburnett oil field, was filed with the supreme court here today in behalf of the Cherokee Indian Nation, supported by government patent issued by President Van Buren and certified as authentic by the Interior Department.

The claim is in form of a petition

CHINESE MAKING PLANS FOR GREAT AERIAL PROGRAM

(Associated Press)

SHANGHAI, April 9.—Representatives of the Shanghai Jimpex 7.7 lives of the aeronautical department of the Peking government were in Shanghai through the first weeks of the new year to arrange for the erection of an aerodrome and at that time it was announced that the proposed aerodrome would be established by the Chinese government.

Plans for the aerodrome are being made by Col. E. V. Hou, who was loaned to the Chinese government by Great Britain and who holds the post of advisor to the aeronautical department, and Col. Tchong Hung, chief of military affairs of the aeronautical department.

Aerodromes are to be established at Peking, Tientsin, Tsinanfu, Huchowfu, Nanking and Shanghai and a number of these were being erected in February. It is announced that if the air mail service proves successful after the first six months the aeronautical department will establish a passenger service from Shanghai to Peking and it also planned to establish air routes linking Shanghai with the remote interior in Szechuen province and routes to Hongkong and Canton also are being planned.

MISS DAVIS WINS IN ESSAY CONTEST

Miss Ruth Davis received the glad tidings Saturday afternoon, that she had won first honor in the Junior essay contest for Nolan County. Miss Dorothy Fultz won first place for the Senior girls.

Miss Ruth won last year 1st in the county and district and 4th in the State essay contest.

Both young ladies will submit essays in the District Meeting of the Inter-scholastic League at Abilene next Friday and Saturday.

John Shipman, cattleman, of San Angelo was the guest of friends in the city yesterday as he was enroute to the oil fields of Toyah and Pecos where he has considerable interests.

for permission to intervene in the Red River lands case, an original suit between Texas and Oklahoma involving the jurisdiction of valuable oil fields along the common boundary.

John M. Taylor, grand nephew of General Zachary Taylor, is attorney for the Cherokee Nation and filed the suit. He said that the patent were discovered accidentally among the papers of a deceased chief of the tribe.

The AMERICAN LEGION

(Copy for This Department Supplied by The American Legion News Service)

GIRL GETS SERVICE MEDAL

Emblem Presented to New York High School Miss in Recognition of Patriotic Work.

As a tribute to her patriotic services during the World war, Miss Pauline Henkel, a fourteen-year old New York high school girl, was presented with a patriotic service gold medal by F. W. Galbraith, Jr., national commander of the American Legion, in behalf of S. Rankin Drew post, in the presence of the Fifth Avenue public library in New York city.

The guard of honor for Miss Henkel, who is known as the "Little Colonel," was composed of members of the marine corps under command of lieutenants Miller and Gumpertz and Sergeant Janssen, congressional medal of honor men.

Although she was only ten years old at the start of the World war, the Little Colonel sold \$3,339,250 worth of Liberty bonds, more than any other minor in the country, and also was recognized as one of the most effective patriotic speakers and war workers in America.

With the return of the American soldiers to their native land, Miss Henkel is still devoting herself to their welfare, as attested by the following quotation from her speech of acceptance:

"The happiest moment of my life will be when it is a fact that the wounded, disabled and unemployed of our boys have been taken care of in a manner befitting the sacrifices they have made. The cause of the disabled



MISS PAULINE HENKEL.

should come above everything else in our hearts. Let us take care of the men who saved our country; we owe them an obligation we cannot afford to ignore."

LEGION POST ADOPTS CREED

Member of Somerville (Mass.) Organization is Author of Paragraphs Worthy of Consideration.

Somerville (Mass.) post of the American Legion has adopted the following creed, written by one of its members:

"I believe the American Legion is a dependable organization.

"I believe that the American Legion is a potent factor in the community.

"I believe that the American Legion stands for equality for all ex-service men.

"I believe that the American Legion's ideas never will be shelved.

"I believe that the American Legion will gallantly stand by what is right and help to destroy what is wrong.

"I believe that the American Legion's principles are immovable by any violent or radical individual or organization.

"I believe that the American Legion will help to bring peace out of chaos.

"I believe that the American Legion is looking forward, not backward.

"I believe that the American Legion is a constructive unit, not a destructive unit.

"I believe that the American Legion is an asset to ex-service men, not a liability.

"I believe it. Do you?"

Sets 40,000 Members as Goal. With 24,000 members at the end of 1920, Kansas department of the American Legion has set 40,000 Legionnaires as its goal for 1921. The state has a potential membership of 63,000. The department, now numbers 314 posts of the Legion and 108 units of the Women's Auxiliary.

Distributing Victory Medals. Although there will be no more army recruiting for some time, the recruiting officers will continue to distribute Victory medals to members of the American Legion and other ex-service men.

JINGO'S HAND FELT IN FOREIGN POLICY SAYS JAP OFFICIAL

(Associated Press)

TOKIO, April 9.—The alleged meddling of Japanese militarists in diplomacy is vigorously attacked by Count M. Soyeshima, a prominent member of the House of Peers in the course of a contribution to the Japanese "Diplomatic Review," which is attracting considerable attention.

He affirmed that the cause of foreign misconception of Japan lies in the so-called dual diplomacy which was the worst deterrent to Anglo-Japanese, Japanese-American and China-Japanese friendship. In the Count's opinion, "Japan's diplomacy has, even since the outbreak of the late great war, been a continuous series of failures." He laments that there are no longer, or at least not now in view, men like the late Marquis Komura and Prince Katsura. It was these two great statesmen who, nearly twenty years ago, committed the country to the Anglo-Japanese alliance over the heads of some of the elder statesmen and others who were opposed to it at that time.

When the late war broke out the two statesmen had been gone for some time and what followed was most disconcerting, in the view of Count Soyeshima. Had they been alive and in power, they would have seen to it that the country was solidly united against Germany before they declared war on her. As it was the government could not prevent newspapers and magazines, scholars and military reservists, from talking and writing as if Japan were the friend of Germany and an enemy to the Allies. Unfortunately, those in power successively since those days have gone on blundering knowing no better than to fish for cheap popularity.

The notorious twenty-one demands presented to China in January of 1915 had to be reduced to mere commonplace before they were finally accepted by her and then by force of an ultimatum.

Count Soyeshima thought the militarists' meddling in diplomacy and the German and Chinese propagandists were chiefly responsible for what he called the "present set back in Japanese-American friendship," though he also blamed the "American press."

"The Anglo-Saxons are a loveable race of people, but speaking candidly they are a people of excessive pride (this being especially the case with Americans who may be said to be afflicted with a weakness for being self-centered and self-willed. The forcing of Japan to open her doors, the annexation of Hawaii, the war with Spain, the anti-Japanese campaign in California, the lynching of negroes, the audacious movement in support of the Irish independence—all came from self-centralization. This trait of the Americans accounts for no small measure for the present cooling of friendship between Japan and America.

"To do them justice, however, the Americans are unsophisticated, sincere and strong-willed and where they are persuaded to trust Japan and England it will not be so difficult a task for the three powers to work in concert and maintain the peace of the world. To come to a real good understanding with America, however, Japan must have a right grasp of America's China policy."

The United States, the Count believed, was conquering China by education. Twenty years hence, he said, all the important government posts of China will be occupied by Chinese of American education, Japan should prepare herself for the peaceful conquest.

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quest of China by America, and to that end Japan's militarist policy must be discarded and her entire attitude toward China recast. He added: "Our policy toward China has been one of outrageous recklessness. The Imperial Foreign Minister who caused the 21 demands to be presented to China is said to have told a foreigner at that time, that those were not the demands of the ministry but of the military cabal. A government that must bow to the militarists can never be trusted by a nation."

To him the militarists were the "canker worm" of Japan. He continued:

"Ninety-nine per cent of the Japanese people are opposed to aggressiveness. They want no more war. The money Japan spends on her navy is the premium she pays for national insurance. But we can do with a great deal smaller army than we have at present. Military Germany has gone to pieces and military Russia has collapsed. Japan must not walk in their footsteps."

FATHER OF YOUNG MAN DROWNED MONDAY IN CITY

Ross Brashear, was the guest of his brother, I. W. Brashear yesterday as he was returning to his home at Big Spring from attending the funeral of his son, Charles Brashear, who was drowned in Crusher Lake, near Coleman last Monday, while fishing with a trot line. He was stretching the line, when the rocking of the boat threw him out into ten feet of water. In the fall he became entangled in the lines, which were new and strong.

Before Mr. Williams, his companion could rescue him life was extinct.

The deceased was in the office of Williams and Miller, cotton buyers, of this city last season, was 24 years old and unmarried.

WESLEY BIBLE CLASS

Mrs. W. R. Carr, was hostess for the Wesley Bible Class, Wednesday afternoon. All business of the class was dispensed with, and the meeting was turned into a prayer service.

The hostess served plates of delicious sandwiches and hot tea.

Ed Mashburn of Ft. Stockton is expected to arrive today to visit his father, L. J. Mashburn.

ELKS INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

At their regular meeting on Friday night the Sweetwater B. P. O. E. installed the following officers for the ensuing year.

- Exalted Ruler.....M. C. Manroe
- Leading Knight.....Renny Alden
- Loyal Knight.....Gus Farrar
- Lecturing Knight.....C. W. Smith
- Secretary.....H. L. Jennings
- Esquire.....Dutch Dressler
- Tyler.....Earl Louder
- Inner Guard.....Granvil Morris
- Treasurer.....Elmer Shaw

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Mashburn returned Friday from a trip to Dallas. Mr. Mashburn's son Earl returned with them and will try the mineral baths at Grogan Wells.

Mrs. Vivian Brant and little son, Jack, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cress of the Pullman Cafe. Mrs. Brant is highly pleased with the climate of this section, and has expressed the desire to visit here often.

Mrs. Aline Allen of Midland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Virgil Simpson at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Simpson. Miss Gladys Buchanan of Midland is also Mrs. Simpson's guest.

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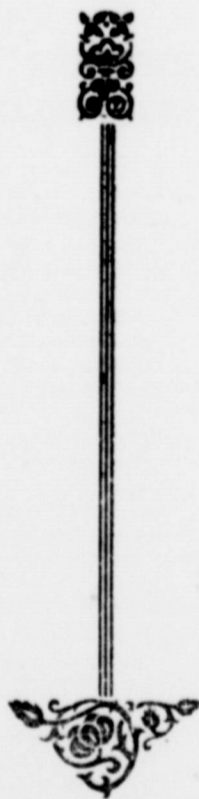
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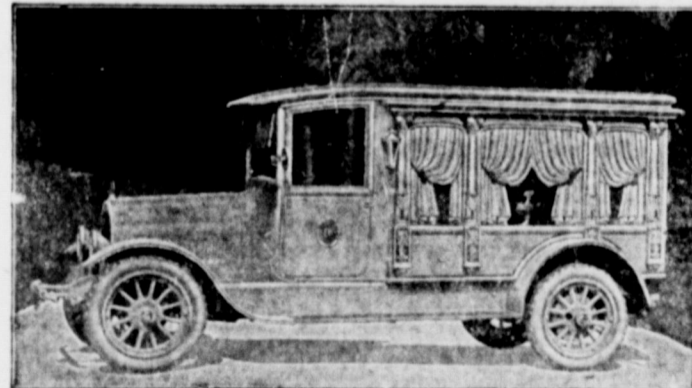
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SOCIETY - CLUBS - CHURCHES - LODGES

For the Spring Sewing-Fest



A FEW weeks before Lent the shop windows blossom out with spring clothes for children, household linens, undermuslins and house dresses, by way of reminding housewives that they must settle down to their annual spring sewing fest. Clothes for every member of the family become the absorbing matter of interest and the shops stand ready to furnish the wherewithal to make them. Their display windows are cheerful with gay spring cottons, checked and plaid ginghams, plain chambrays and novelty weaves along with sheer organdy and other fine wash fabrics. This season they are showing exceptionally good-looking house dresses, crisp and practical, made of plaid, checked and plain materials. They invite the seamstress to consider what may be done with a few yards of gingham or other wash fabric in the hands of clever designers.

Checked ginghams for both grown-ups and children are as sure of a welcome as daffodils, and they are duly on hand in the new displays. Pink and white combinations appear to be favored, followed by lavender and white with other colors answering the

roll call in pleasing tones. Then there are plain colored cottons, alone and in combination with white, as shown in the picture, with many attractive plaids and a few stripes.

The noteworthy feature in spring house dresses is not novelty of materials, but cleverness of designs. Many of the plaid ginghams are piped with a plain color and plain colors are ingeniously finished with white as in the dress shown at the right of the picture. A plain chambray is used for this model with vestee and collar of white lawn. The short sleeves are ornamented with folds of the lawn and there are deep cuffs made of it in double thickness.

Another chambray is shown at the left, with narrow-tucked panels inserted in the skirt at each side headed by small tabs ornamented with needlework in white. The collar is edged with embroidery and there is a pretty finish of simple needlework on the bodice.

Julia Bottomley
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Secretary, Mrs. J. D. Dulaney. Meets every third Monday afternoon.

Wesley Bible Class
President Mrs. J. T. Hughes. Secretary, Miss S. Z. Williams. Meets 1st Wednesday afternoon.

First Baptist
Ladies Aid and Missionary Society - President, Mrs. L. Faber; Secretary, Mrs. Hearn; meets every Monday afternoon.

Lamar Street Baptist
Ladies Aid Society. President, Mrs. G. W. Dodson, Secretary, Mrs. N. C. Davis. Meets every Monday afternoon.

First Christian
Ladies Aid Society: President, Mrs. Hubert Toler; secretary, Mrs. L. Epperson. Meets every Monday afternoon.

Woman's Board of Missions
President, Mrs. F. M. Poffenbach; secretary, Mrs. A. B. Yantis. Meets every First Monday afternoon.

Presbyterian
Ladies Bible and Missionary Society: President, Mrs. D. A. Clark. Secretary, Mrs. Ed Patterson. Meets Monday afternoon.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Ladies' Bible Study Class. Leader, Miss Bettie Eddison.

Federation of Ladies Aid Society
President, Mrs. A. B. Yantis, secretary, Mrs. H. R. Bondles. Meets every Fifth Monday.

Parent Teachers Association
President, Mrs. A. A. Chapman; secretary, Mrs. D. A. Clark. Meets second Wednesday afternoon of the month.

Civic League
President, Mrs. A. H. Fortner; secretary, Mrs. D. A. Myer. Meets when called by the president.

RED CROSS CHAPTER
President, Mrs. William Wight. Meets every Tuesday afternoon.

Choral Club
President, Mrs. Ellis Douthett; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. R. L. McCauley. Director, Thomas Dawes of Colorado, when called by the president.

STUDY CLUBS
Self Culture Club
President, Mrs. D. A. Clark; Secretary, Miss Annie Wight. Meets alternate Friday afternoons.

Sorosis Club
President, Mrs. A. H. Fortner; secretary, Mrs. R. C. Crane. Meets alternate Friday afternoons.

SOCIAL CLUBS
Bridge Club
President, Mrs. C. E. Marx. Meets alternate Wednesday afternoons.

Saturday Bridge Club
President, Miss Grace Red. Meets every Saturday afternoon.

FANCY WORK CLUBS
Priscilla Club
President, Mrs. J. T. Hughes; secretary, Mrs. W. S. Chenault. Meets alternate Thursday afternoons.

E. M. B. Club.
President, Mrs. John Hubbard. Meets alternate Thursday afternoons.

Clover Leaf Club
President, Mrs. Frank Otey; Secretary, Mrs. L. H. Chatfield. Meets on last Thursday afternoon of the month.

Woodmen Circle
Guardian, Mrs. Murray Hubbard.

Wednesday evening prayer service, at 7:15.
Choir practice, Thursday evening at 7:30.
A cordial invitation is extended the public. If a stranger in the city come be at home with us.

First Christian Church:
Rev. E. L. Hughes, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 o'clock. L. E. Epperson, Superintendent.
Communion and sermon 11 o'clock. Subject: "Scape Goat."
On account of the revival services at the Methodist Church there will be no Sunday or Wednesday evening service.

The big home-like church. Strangers made welcome.

Presbyterian Church:
Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor, Sunday School 10 o'clock, a. m. D. A. Clark, superintendent. Morning sermon, 11 o'clock. Evening sermon, 7:30 o'clock. There will be special use by the choir at both services.
Junior Christian Endeavor 2:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30 o'clock.
A cordial welcome is extended to the public.

DIRECTORY OF WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

CHURCH SOCIETIES
Methodist:
Woman's Missionary Society: President, Mrs. W. W. Beall, Secretary, Mrs. M. D. Willis. Meets every Monday afternoon.

Gleaners:
Young Women's Auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Society. President, Mrs. Tom Hughes, Leader, Mrs. G. E. Ramsey; Secretary, Mrs. Will Morton. Meets every Monday afternoon.

Calendar Club
President, Mrs. F. G. Robertson;

Clark, Mrs. W. L. Wilson. Meets first and third Friday evenings.

Rebekahs
Noble Grand, Mrs. Virginia Bennett; Secretary, Mrs. J. D. Williams. Meets second and fourth Friday evenings.

Ladies Auxiliary To American Legion
President, Mrs. R. C. Bodenhamer; Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Wood. Will meet at 8 o'clock every Thursday evening at the Legion Hall.

DIRECTORY OF MEN'S LODGES
Masons
Blue Lodge, Worshipful Master, A. S. Mauney, Secretary, George McKnight; Meets 2nd Tuesday evenings of the month.
Royal Arch Chapter: High Priest, John L. Stephenson Secretary Geo. McKnight. Meets every second Monday evening of the month.

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks
Exalted ruler, W. H. Wortham; Secretary, H. L. Jennings; Business meetings every Friday evening. Social meetings every Tuesday evening.

Woodmen of the World
Council Commander, K. J. Hiesler; Clerk, J. H. Fultz. Meets every Monday night.

Independent Order of Odd Fellows
Noble Grand, Jess Waggoner; Recorder, B. E. Sledge; Fin. Secy., B. J. Revel. Meets every Tuesday evening.

Encampment, Chief Patriarch, Lawrence Penn; Scribe W. F. White. 1st and 3rd Wednesday evenings.

Modern Woodmen of America
Council, W. A. Stephenson; Secretary, B. E. Sledge; Meets every Thursday evening.

Praetorian
Sublime Augustus, C. E. Cameron; Secretary, Dr. A. J. Wimberly. No regular meeting 1920.

American Legion
Oscar McDonald Post No. 109, Commandant, Dick Wood; Secretary, R. C. Bodenhamer. Meets every Monday evening.

Boys Club of Sweetwater
President, Harris Toler; Secretary Leroy McLaughlin; Director, Roy E. L. Hughes; Open house every afternoon and evening.

SOROSIS CLUB
Mrs. Tom Hughes was hostess for Friday's meeting of the Sorosis Club at Mrs. George Stiles' home. Roll call responses were Current Events. Mrs. H. L. Jennings led the club study on "Science." Mrs. Ray Stiff, opened the program with a talk on Science as applied to Home making and the ease, leisure and comfort derived from scientific housekeeping vs. the old way.

"Poison Gases" was the subject of a most interesting Round Table" discussion. The discussion brought out the many good uses poisonous gases are used as a disinfectant and in seed sanitation, rather than the deadly uses to which they were put during the war. "Only Man's Inhumanity to Man" ever suggested its use for anything other than human benefit. A little clipping read by Mrs. Poffenbach on "Scents was clever and

pleasing. Mrs. Poffenbach Club parliamentarian gave a drill on committees and committee work.

When the program was concluded the hostess served a ice course assisted by Mrs. George Stiles.

Present were: Mesdames Joe Boothe, Ray Stiff, R. C. Crane, F. M. Poffenbach, Berry Bowen, L. E. Epperson, A. H. Fortner, A. S. Kendrick, C. E. Mays, F. J. Neal, Oscar Pate, John Perry, A. B. Yantis, C. B. Payne and Tom Hughes.

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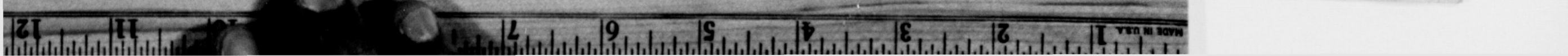
First Baptist Church:
Rev. T. Y. Adams, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 o'clock. W. H. Jobe, Superintendent.
Morning sermon, 11 o'clock.
Evening sermon, 7:30 o'clock.
B. Y. P. U., 6 o'clock.
Special music by the choir at all services.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening 7:30.
Public cordially invited.

Church of Christ:
Bible School, 10 o'clock.
Communion service and sermon, 11 o'clock. Elder Bradberry.
Evening service, 7:30.
Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7:30.
Public invited.

Lamar St. Baptist Church:
Rev. W. H. Jackson, Pastor.
Sunday School, 10 o'clock.
Morning service, 11 o'clock.
Evening service, 7:30 o'clock.
Sunbeam Band, 3 o'clock.
Junior B. Y. P. U., 4 o'clock.
Senior B. Y. P. U., 6:30 o'clock.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:15 P. M.
Strangers and public generally are cordially invited to attend all these services.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
Joseph M. Keller, Pastor.
Church services 8 a. m.

Methodist Church:
Rev. R. A. Stewart, Pastor.
Sunday School, 10 o'clock. S. W. Browning, Superintendent.
Morning sermon, 11 o'clock.
Evening sermon, 7:30.
The choir will render specially prepared music at both morning and evening services under the leadership of Mr. Houston, revival song director.
Junior Missionary Meeting 3 P. M.



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SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 1921.

**THE POWER OF THE PRESS IS
BACKING US.**

The press of West Texas has responded liberally in devoting space in news and editorial columns to the fight this section is undertaking to win constitutional right and proper representation at the hands of the state government. The fight will be a successful one, for whenever the press unites for right and justice where there is force that can withstand the assault?

Right will win over might in this case. The education of American-born children of this part of the great state is at stake. West Texans will not stand for this condition for another decade or two as they have done in the past. The press, an institution which always works for the interests of the people, is the factor most feared in the move. The people appreciate this fact more and more every day.

It is said that the Panhandle Press Association will take up the scrap at its coming convention at Amarillo. All members of that body are on the job independently, however, and could add nothing much to the effectiveness of their work in that direction by lining up officially, yet we hope that this step will be taken.

LET THE PEOPLE HAVE A SAY.

It is not likely at all that the governor will submit the West Texas A. & M. College bill to the coming session of the legislature, but he has signified his intention to submit the matter of redistricting the state. In view of this it would be well for representatives of all sections of West Texas to meet at some convenient point in the very near future and take under consideration the most important matter.

The citizens of West Texas have an inherent right to a voice in mapping out the senatorial districts to which we are entitled under the constitution. It would be much more satisfactory for a representative body of West Texas citizens to take the matter under consideration and give expression as to how they desire the western part of the state divided into senatorial districts. If this is not done the politicians will give us a system that will conform to their political interests and with no consideration as to public convenience.

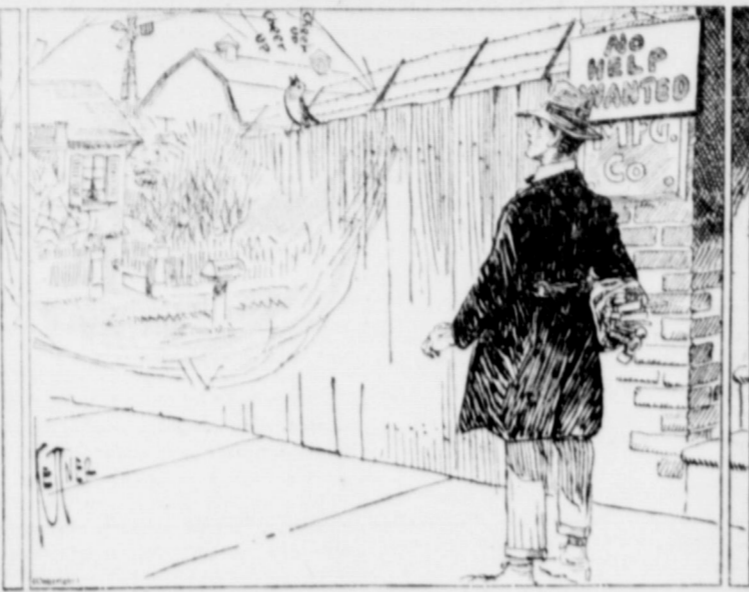
If you do not want to start something, keep in good with the newspapers of West Texas, opines Old Man A. D. Vye, speaking of the meeting here Wednesday night resulting from Sweetwater despatches, asking representatives to come and join this city in working for a share in the Texas government.

This is the dull season of the year in some of the semiplains towns, according to R. C. Thomas, mayor and banker of Roby, who reports that a man dropped dead in a certain post-office last Sunday and his body was not discovered until Wednesday following.

Two influences are possible in the reduction of high prices: A lessening of proceeds to manufacturers and middlemen, and the discovery that the ultimate consumer has spent all his available money.

Sweetwater is not experiencing any building boom, yet it is considered a dull day in this town when someone does not let a contract for a residence or business house.

The Call Of Spring



**"Caesar's Ghost" Gives Opinion On
West Texas Controversy In Interview
With Thos. A. Edison Over Ediphone**

"Hello! Hello! Hello!—sptt—sptt—bang!"
"Number, please."
"This is Edison talking. Will you kindly connect me with Caesar's Ghost? I have heard so much about the ancient Roman ruler and his oft-mentioned ghost that I would like to have an interview with him."

"Hello!"
"Is that you, Caesar?"
"Yes, this is me, or rather what remains of me. You know my address is now Mount of the Gods, Jupiter and Mars have now taken me to their breast. Who is this calling the immortal shades of Caesar's ghost?"
"This is Edison, Caesar. How do you like it up there on the mountain? Do you ever see the beautiful goddess, Venus?"

"Oh, boy! Do I ever see her. She is over the action of the governor." "Yes, the famous old Athenian orator, and I am consumed with jealousy. You know old Dee can't talk very entertainingly, however, as there are no pebbles on the Mount, No, the Goddess' arms are not amputated. You are thinking of that atrocity in sculpture committed by the Milo fellow."

By the way, Caesar, have you heard about the recent rucus in West Texas over the action of the governor?"
"Yes, we keep well informed about the politics of the world and especially America as your form of government was stolen from the Romans. The actions of Governor Neff—I believe you call him—remind me of the

way Brutus done me. You know Brutus treated me pretty dirty."
"The historical account of my assassination at the hands of my best friends, is highly erroneous, I have always longed to tell the world how unjustly Brutus treated me, and now I have the opportunity. The trouble began when the Queen of Egypt sent us a half dozen (VI) coconuts from the royal coconut palm which grew in her garden. To us this was a rare treat. Brutus and I agreed that we would divide the nuts between us and eat them at our pleasure."

"I ate two of my coconuts right away, but Brutus hid his out so he could eat them and gloat over me after mine were gone. At night some naves fished the nuts belonging to Brutus and next morning he accused me of swiping them. Of course I denied it, but Brutus in a rage jerked out his javelin and plucked it into my side, exclaiming, 'Take that for eating my coconuts!'"

"I replied that I had only 'ET TU, BRUTE,' but I hollered too late to save my life, and now I am compelled to eke out my poor existence on the Mount of the Gods, and my sole pleasure is the companionship of the Venus de Milo."

"As I said a while ago the action of Mr. Neff in vetoing the West Texas A. & M. Bill reminds me of the way Brutus did. Your governor is not content to 'divide the nuts' with West Texas, and if you gather my drift, you know what I mean."

**Ten Commandments For Texas
Governors; Favoritism Forbidden**

I. Thou shalt not favor any one section of Texas above another.
II. Thou shalt not make of any one man thy counsellor, or any one set of men, thy dictators, be they from the east, or north, or south.

Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them, nor bestow special favor on them for the good people of Texas are a jealous people, and they might resent such iniquitous conduct in their governor.... by with drawing the unfavored, unloved, "scape-goat" section, west of the 98th Meridian, and form a western empire for the people who love justice and will be satisfied with nothing less.

III. Thou shalt not select any one portion, or part of Texas to bestow thy great bounty upon, lest the other parts of thy domain rise up against thee and deride thy name.

IV. Remember thy campaign promises to keep them holy. Thy legislature and senate worked hard and faithful and passed good bills and wrought good laws, but neglected the plea for redistricting Texas, that the West and the Panhandle might gain fair representation in the halls of justice. The plea for an A. & M. College found not favor in thy sight, and to the rural school appropriation thou turnest a deaf ear.

V. Honor the requests of Texas people—thy constituents, who placed thee in the Governor's chair, and presented thee with thy power, that thy tenure may be long in the office where they have placed thee.

VI. Thou shalt not kill the faith of the West in thee.

VII. Thou shalt not commit the sin of omission, neither commit the more grievous one of neglecting to provide an adequate appropriation for the education of the rural children of Texas, lest the little red school house becomes to thee a mockery.

VIII. Thou shalt not steal the tax money from the West to support the institutions of thy more favored sections, lest thy victims refuse to pay

more taxes, without either reward or representation.

IX. Thou shalt not listen to false arguments of those who have an "axe to grind" or a "nest to feather," lest thy neighbor misunderstand thy motive and wonder at thy logic.

X. Thou shalt covet the love and loyalty of the West, since thou art already in possession of the admiration of the East and South; yea, the north art also on good terms with thy veto power.

The Special Session of legislature will assist thee in working out thy destiny, but remember the West possesses individual courage, and individual determination, else it might prove thy Waterloo.

Resolutions of Respect

Whereas, On March 28, 1921, it pleased our Heavenly Father to remove from our midst by death, our esteemed sister, Mrs. S. A. Cole, and whereas, we acknowledge the wisdom love and mercy of Almighty God by whose kind providence she lived to bless our community, and by whose promise she inherits life eternal, be it therefore,

Resolved, That we bow in humble submission to His will and invoke the blessing of His comforting Spirit upon the bereaved family; be it further Resolved, that by her death the Woman's Missionary Society has lost a loyal, faithful member, and the community a noble upright life; be it further Resolved, that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our Society, a copy tendered the family of our deceased sister and a copy furnished the Sweetwater Daily Reporter for publication.

Mrs. R. H. Fitzgerald.
Mrs. J. D. Dulaney.
Mrs. O. C. Embry.
Mrs. G. E. Ramsey.

**The Story of
Our States**

By JONATHAN BRACE
XXV.—ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS was named after the river which flows diagonally through this state and is one of the chief tributaries of the Mississippi. It is said that the early settlers found in this territory, an Indian tribe named Arkansas, but the actual meaning of the word is not known. It probably has some relation to the word Kansas. There has been much confusion as to the correct pronunciation of Arkansas. To remove this as far as possible a resolution was passed by the state senate in 1881 which specified that the true pronunciation was "Ar-kan-saw."

Originally Louisiana was a part of the Louisiana Purchase. Its first settlement was made by the French about 1685. Except for the few years during which by secret treaty it was ceded to Spain, it remained under French rule, until purchased by the United States in 1803. For nearly ten years after this, it was a part of Louisiana territory. With the admission of the State of Louisiana in 1812 this northern section was formed into the Missouri territory. In 1819 there was another partition and Arkansas territory was created, which included the present state and what later was called Indian territory.

Due to the reports of an early explorer named Pike, who visited this region in 1806, the incorrect idea was generally accepted that most of the expanse of plains east of the Rockies was a vast desert. This idea persisted to such an extent that as late as 1850 the western plains were called in the school geographies "The Great American Desert." Adventurous settlers, especially from the South, found conditions in Arkansas quite otherwise, however, and by 1835 Arkansas was admitted as the twenty-fifth state of the Union with an area of 53,353 square miles.

The natural resources of the state are considerable. There are the mineral springs of medicinal value, which have been placed under governmental control at Hot Springs.
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**NEW HOUSE IS
UNDER CONSTRUCTION**

The foundation is being laid today for a nice little cottage on the corner of Walnut and Seventh Street for Jack Fulghum. The house will be a modern four room bungalow and the work is being done by Fulghum and son, who are contractors and builders.

**BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONAL
RALLY WELL ATTENDED**

The Associational Rally of the Baptist women of the Sweetwater Association held in the First Baptist church of this city yesterday was largely attended.

Mrs. R. J. Ellis of Abilene Associational president presided over routine business pertaining to the association were disposed of in routing order meeting with the secretary Mrs. W. W. Gibson in her place.

Business matters of the Association was disposed of in routine order and many plans for the new work suggested.

The regular "Loyalty" program was carried out in detail.

The general rain of the night before put the roads in bad condition, otherwise a much larger crowd would have attended.

A most sumptuous banquet of 71 plates was served at noon in the Filidils Sunday School room.

Among the cut of town visitors were noted Mesdames D. A. Ford, Misses Lucile Ford and Linnie Maud Fuller, James P. S. Stinson, C. C. Yeatts, Ed W. Douthit, E. V. Eellars John W. Pearce, J. O. Shelton, R. J. Ellis, W. F. Holt, B. F. Mayes, W. F. Fry, G. L. Paxton of Abilene, E. J. Dunlap of Lorraine; J. S. Sloan, J. F.

Duncan, Myrtle Robertson, J. S. Bozeman, Ruth Baker, Roscoe; English, McGee, Dora.

**SUSTAINS ACTION OF
TENNESSEE GOVERNOR
IN SUFFRAGE MEASURE**

(Associated Press)
NASHVILLE, April, 9.—The Tennessee Supreme Court today sustained the legality of the process by which Governor Roberts certified to the federal state department the ratification of woman's suffrage amendment by the state legislature.

Chief Justice Landen in issuing, writs under which the governor acted.

**BASS CATCHES GOOD
AT NEARBY LAKES**

A number of good bass were caught in City Lake Friday, L. I. Bauknight and B. L. Beach each caught a nice string at Trammel, while Jess Jones, Mose Newman and R. A. Carter had equally as good luck at City Park Lake.

Artificial bait is attracting the live ones these days, nimrods report. Crippie are biting good at Santa Fe Lake but those caught are mostly small.

**The Onward
March Continues--**

If we had not believed, years ago, that the automotive industry was ultimately to become a vital factor in the economic life of the world, we would not have cast our fortune in with it.

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YOU OFTEN SAY of a man, "The more I know him, the better I like him." Of course as you come to know him better you learn his faults and failings as well as his virtues and achievements; you discover his little human weaknesses and his splendid manly qualities; but you get to UNDERSTAND him—and you like him. You figure that, after all, he's a whole lot like yourself, with about the same up hill and down dale to go in life, and you know that he needs your friendship and that you want his.

Well, it's the same way with a business—especially a business that has direct dealings with you. An electric light company is not a piece of machinery, it's a human aggregation, with just as keen and fine an aspiration to get on in the world as any individual. It has to work for its living the same as anybody. It has to earn the money with which to pay its bills and maintain its credit, and make enough so it can "save up a penny for the rainy day." It has to plan for its FUTURE the same as anyone else. It has the same problems as the rest of us to face, only, perhaps, on a larger scale. Every red blooded man, wants to stand four-square with the world.

It is FRIENDSHIP and GOOD WILL that counts in the business world today. The West Texas Electric Company wants YOUR friendship. We believe that our future and your future are identical. The continued growth and prosperity of the West Texas Electric Company and the community which it serves are interdependent. We want you to know us better and we believe that when you do, when you comprehend some of our problems, when you consider some of our achievements, when you realize some of the splendid possibilities before us, you will be as enthusiastic as we are about our mutual future. Let it be a bright one.

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:: Society ::

BRIDGE CLUB ENJOYS MEETING

Mrs. L. E. Epperson was a most charming hostess Wednesday afternoon for the ladies of the Bridge club. The usual four tables were in play and four enthusiastic games were enjoyed.

When the cards were laid aside the hostess sent forward refreshment plates holding a most delectable salad course, with hot tea. A merry flow of conversation was kept up over the tea cups. The whole club roster answered "present" for the first time in many months.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Devotion—Burrell Jones.
Business.
Piano Solo—Miss Mabel Johnson.
"The Purpose of the Zone meeting"—T. D. Owens.
"Why Hove a B. Y. P. U. in the Church"—Miss Margaret Goodnight.
Duet—Misses Eline Neely and Merle Allen.
"The Advantage and Possibilities of a B. Y. P. U. in a Country Church"—Mr. Dean.
"The Relation of the B. Y. P. U. to the Missionary Interest of the Denomination"—Miss Geneva Cole.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. C. E. Anthony of Memphis, Mrs. C. C. Barry of Childress, and Miss May Anthony of Austin are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whaley. Miss Grace Hord will return from Abilene this evening where she has spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Ben L. Cox.

An example of civic pride, worthy of imitation has blossomed out along the sidewalk, east of the Cowan and Tidwell building—when the property owners have made flower beds and established flower boxes.

Mr. and Mrs. George Washington and little daughter, Francis, have returned to the city from Larado. No place looks as good to us as Sweetwater, declares Mr. Washington.

The club calendar placed Miss Mable Browning Saturday's hostess for the Girls Bridge Club.

News has reached the city of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Majors in Colorado Thursday.

Mrs. Buckner Barry and son Buckner Bunton Barry are in the city to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bunton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Fulinwiler and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Williams, of Abilene are in the city today visiting their father S. Z. Williams who has been quite ill the past week, but is resting as well as could be expected today.

J. B. Robertson and R. O. McGinley of Hylton, were in the city today returning from Fort Worth where they sold two car loads of stock for the Hylton Farm Bureau. Stock consisted of hogs, sheep and cattle.

J. W. Lynch, of the Plum Creek community has a very promising field of alfalfa and 57 head of hogs that makes a combination that will solve the cotton acreage reduction and cotton marketing problem as far as that farm is concerned.

S. F. Neeley, president of the Farm- S. F. Neeley, president of the Farm- one of those black land farms near that place was in Sweetwater this week consulting with the County Agent in regard to kind of seed and ways of planting alfalfa with a cotton planter. Mr. Neely will plant one field to alfalfa. This assists in solving the cotton problem.

Mrs. S. F. Neeley reports that the high priced Barred Rock eggs she recently purchased are hatching nicely. The eggs are of a well known prize winning strain, and will lay the foundation for a lucrative poultry business on Idlewild Farm.

Mrs. J. L. Stephenson left this morning to visit her brother, Jas. P. Meador at Big Spring and attend the Eastern Star school of instruction, which convenes in that city Monday.

Among the names of the board of directors for the new Methodist College at Abilene, was noted that of Dr. G. S. Hardy of this city, and Dr. J. T. Griswold of Lubbock, who was former presiding elder for this conference, Dr. Hardy succeeding him.

CROWN PRINCE OF JAPAN WILL VISIT IN GREAT BRITAIN

(Associated Press)

LONDON, April 9.—The Crown Prince of Japan is expected to arrive in Portsmouth on the morning of May 9 and will be met on behalf of the King by the Prince of Wales who will accompany him to London. For three days the Crown Prince will be guest of King George at Buckingham Palace and for a week subsequently he will be the guest of the government.

Their place of residence for the royal visitor has not yet been decided. There will be three banquets given in his honor, one by the King at Buckingham Palace on the night of his arrival, one by the Prince of Wales and one by the British government. There will also be a banquet and reception at the Guildhall.

On the part of the Japanese there will be a banquet and reception, by the embassy and entertainments by the Japanese Society and the Japanese colony. Afterward the Prince will make a tour of the provinces. He is expected to be in this country about three weeks, and it is thought, will then visit France and other countries on the continent.

The Prince's official party will number 18 in addition to servants and valets. With the Crown Prince will come Prince Kan In, a member of the Imperial family who was selected by the Emperor to accompany his son, Count Chinda, member of the Privy Council and former Ambassador to London; General Nara, in charge of the Prince's military education; Viscount Iriye, Grand Chamberlain; Viscount Tsuchiya, Chamberlain; Mr. Saionji, Master of Ceremonies; the Secretary of the Tokio Foreign Office, Naval and Military aid de camps and two doctors.

Nolan County Farm Bureau Deplores Action of Gov. in Resolutions

WHEREAS, for the past twenty years the section of this state known as West Texas, has been discriminated against in the matter of representation, and has borne an inordinately large portion of the burden of taxes, paying more than her share into the treasury of the state, and while the matter has been continually called to the attention of the legislature of state by newspapers, memorials and resolutions of political, commercial and productive associations and conventions, and

WHEREAS, the recent Legislature enacted a meritorious law for the appropriation of a reasonable amount for direct aid to the rural schools of our state, carrying forward the idea of rural education and in keeping policies of real democracy, but the Governor of Texas has seen fit to disapprove of such measures by exercising the veto power permitted him under the constitution, thus striking a vital blow at the fundamental basis of our educational system, and

WHEREAS, after many years of toil and labor the energetic citizens of West Texas finally prevailed upon the legislature to make an appropriation which would be the beginning of the founding of a great college in western Texas, somewhat west of the ninety-eighth meridian, where the youth of our state could be trained in agriculture, equipped for the great work of production and made a better citizen, but in the exercise of the same fatal prerogative which denies to the children of the rural districts of this state, the advantages to which they are entitled, the Governor of our great state has deprived us of the benefit of the measure giving us an Agricultural and Mechanical College, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature of the state on one hand and the Governor upon the other, unmindful of the interest of a great section of the state, have violated our sacred constitutional rights,

RESOLVED that we condemn in unmeasured terms the action of the Senate of the State of Texas in failing and refusing to redistrict the State into senatorial districts in con-

formity with population, as provided in the constitution of the State; RESOLVED FURTHER that we deplore the action of the Governor of the State in his callous disregard of the cause of education, and the general welfare of this great people,

RESOLVED FURTHER that we demand of the special session of the Legislature that the state be redistricted in accordance with the provisions of the constitution in order that West Texas may have just representation, equal to that of other sections of the state, and that the Governor of Texas resubmit and approve when passed by the Legislature in regular session, the much-needed appropriations for education so flagrantly disapproved by him.

BIG WILD ANIMAL SHOW

Customs may change as the years roll by, but a animal show is always a joy to both old and young, so all will be delighted to know that the Palmer Bros. Three Ring Wild Animal Show is on its way and will exhibit here on Monday.

It includes everything in the way of wild and domesticated animal entertainment. There are post graduate high school horses, tango dancing, cakewalking, two-stepping, buck dancing, marching and stage horse riding lions who actually ride on horseback. Even a troupe of educated birds that are one of the marvels of the show. The Palmer Bros. has the reputation of giving more for the money than any other show in the tented field. And all the features will be seen in a glittering street parade at 10:30 a. m. on show day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Arnold left yesterday afternoon to spend several days in Galveston.

DEEDS

\$100.00—Ed. F. Patterson et ux to W. F. Hollowell, a part of block 39 of the Southern and Western addition to Sweetwater.

\$1.00 and other consideration, John H. Cochran Sr. to Jno. H. Cochran Jr. 51 acres of survey No. 12, of the W. E. McRorey Survey.

\$500.00—Henry James et al Receivers to M. M. Aldredge lot 10, in blk. 22, original town of Sweetwater.

\$2000.00—W. L. Dixon et ux to J. A. Mullins, lot 3 in block 1 of the W. T. Carlisle subdivision of block 40, Southern and Western addition, also lots 1, 5, and 6, in block of the southern and western addition, also lot 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, and 11 in J. E. Stallings addition to Sweetwater.

\$1500.00—W. C. Wafer et ux to F. M. Wallace, being a part of block 47 of the original town of Sweetwater.

\$1.00 and other consideration W. S. Chardy to Nolan County, 2 acres out of the southwest corner section 54 block 24 T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys, of Nolan County, Texas.

\$225.00—Henry James et al Receivers to James H. Deal Jr. lots 10, 11, and 12 in block 23 Highland addition to Sweetwater.

\$1500.00—Henry James et al Receivers to W. O. W. Lodge of Sweetwater lots 7, 8, and 9 in block 25, and lots 5 and 6, in block 21, of the Highland addition to Sweetwater.

\$500.00—T. M. Kern et ux to W. D. Angus, lot 16, block 7, of the south side addition to Sweetwater.

\$1000.00—Joseph Samuels to Rufus Wright, 100 by 140 feet out of block 111 of the original town of Sweetwater.

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W. H. JOBE PRESIDENT OF SWEETWATER MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION MAKES STIRRING APPEAL AT RECENT MEETING

The following, in substance, is the address by W. H. Jobe, a pioneer West Texan at the recent meeting held at the Hotel Wright following the vetoing of the West Texas A. & M. and rural schools appropriations bill by Governor Neff.

"I claim it a very distinguished pleasure to have the pleasure of standing before you at this time. The matter we have under consideration is not one that came to us overnight or over a day or so, but one that has been on our hearts for years. It happens that I belong to that distinctive class of men all being raised and spending their lives in what is known as West Texas. I regard myself as fortunate that I have had that privilege. I know something about what you people of West Texas have had to endure in years past. I know something about how you have gone through seasons good and bad, and I know what it means to be disappointed in the things we think just and right. My conviction as to what I think we should do at this time is not one of the spur of the moment. My mind has been made up after mature deliberation as to the proper course we should pursue.

"I believe in the resources of West Texas, and I believe in the spirit of the West. I believe in their ability to take care of themselves on any and all occasions. They can match their power with any man at any time, anywhere, on all occasions. Now then, it is not a bit of use for us to get out on the limb and saw it off without we fix some place to fall. We had just as well begin to take care of ourselves, because the time is here when we are going to have to do it. I spent the years '86 and '87 in West Texas, and I can remember what some of the people endured. I know how hard it was for our fathers and mothers to provide for their children's food. They did not have the opportunity to give us the schooling we were entitled to. The best they could do was to feed us that we might be able physically to fight and fight we have to do.

"Later in life there came a time when I felt we had the opportunity of laying out the plans and pursuing the course through which we could be prepared to be independent. Now, coming closely to the thing Mr. Clark had in mind. A few months ago, looking around and seeing the possibilities of our city, I asked a number of friends and acquaintances to meet me at this hotel, and we discussed the organizing in this town of a manufacturers' association and did organize the Sweetwater Manufacturers' Association, made up of twenty-two going concerns. We did this because we feel the time has come when West Texas should take care of itself; that they should produce what they need and that they might make the things that might be required here at home. In carrying out our plans of advertising, we had the good fortune to get in touch with Mrs. Landrum, and put on an exhibition through which we could show what is manufactured in Sweetwater. It was while we had that exhibition on, the day before the notable Friday that will be remembered in the official circle of the State for time to come, I picked up a daily paper and read an editorial which caused me to believe that the Governor was going to veto the A. & M. bill in which we were interested. That night when possibly 3000 people

were gathered, I stated to our people that they could see what we had to offer, what our town could do when we would have to take care of ourselves, and I had in mind then the very thing that developed. When it became known on Saturday that the bill had been vetoed, I went to Mr. Spiller and asked that announcement be made that Judge Spiller would speak Saturday night. On that occasion it was like a match to a fire. I must say to you visiting gentlemen that we need your help and assistance. We could do nothing without it but just as sure as we are here tonight they are going to bear of tonight over the State. I have grown to manhood and have lived in West Texas during my whole life, and I am telling you I am raising a boy who is now eleven, and I will fight that I may give him the opportunity that our State owes him. I do not want to spend money on some school East of the 98th meridian. I have a little sentiment, and I do not want to send my boy away from West Texas to be educated. I had rather forget the Alamo than claim some of the citizens of our state who live around A. & M. I do not deny the fact that I attended the convention at Dallas before the last Democratic convention, and that I did what I could to put certain candidates forward and to see them go on to success, but I have been disappointed, and I do not deny it."

E. O. Sanms will return to Dallas tonight, after spending the past three days in the city welcoming his new baby girl, who arrived last Monday.

EIGHT PER CENT WORLD'S SAVERS ARE AMERICANS

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, April 9.—Despite the fact that 28.9 per cent of the world's savings are in this country and that the average depositor in the United States has a greater sum to his credit than his European neighbor, only 8 per cent of the total number of the world's savers are Americans.

Authority for this statement in the Savings Banks Association of the State of New York, which has made an extensive investigation of savings banks throughout the world. In proportion to population, said a statement issued today, a number of foreign countries exceed the United States in numbers of depositors.

"European people, through centuries of struggle for mere existence," said Dr. H. H. Wheaton, executive manager of the Association, "have been trained to the most rigid economy, while Americans have found life a comparatively easy matter. The average American family, until quite recently, made its expenditures on the plan 'pay expenses first and save what's left—if there is anything.'"

Dr. Wheaton said that in France, one out of every five inhabitants has a savings account. In his opinion, the economy of the French people has been their protection against the "death thrusts of centuries."

San Hadderton returned from Abilene last night where he has been with his wife since her recent operation. She is resting well.

Sumpter Beasley of Strawn is guest of his brother in law, C. A. McClintic today.

ENGLAND TO CALL OUT VOLUNTEERS TO END STRIKES

Navy and Army Reserves May Be Asked to Fill Vacancies in Rail and Transport Work.

LONDON, April 9.—Transport workers and railway men have decided to strike in sympathy with the miners Tuesday, miners having failed in settling the coal strike.

Lloyd George announced in the Commons today the intention of the British government to appeal to volunteers for transport work and other essential services, in view of the triple alliance of the strike. He said that the royal decree would call upon army and navy reserves in this crisis.

(Associated Press)

LONDON, April 9.—Recruiting volunteers and workers for the "safety units" was energetically begun by the government today along with other plans perfected to meet the threat of a widespread industrial tie-up next Tuesday, involving directly approximately two million workers.

In the meanwhile, however, reports from various parts of England, Scotland and Wales, indicate that the triple alliance executive board may have more to do than the mere issuance of a strike decree in order to bring about a general strike and cessation of work among railway men, transport workers and miners.

Word comes from Glasgow, Liverpool, Cardiff, Edinburgh and other important centers that the rank and file of union men are challenging the right of the railway men's executive body to call a strike without ball-

ting by the men. Some of the local bodies also oppose the triple alliance strike.

BANKERS DEFEAT HIGH SCHOOL TEAM 13 TO 7

The score of thirteen to seven would indicate that the unlucky triumphed over the lucky, but anyway such was the final score between baseball teams representing the Bankers' Club of Sweetwater and a team made up of High School students at

Swatters Park yesterday.

At the time of going to press Friday the official scorer had failed to account for hits, runs and errors.

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The lineup of the dollar chasers follows:

Claude Neely, catcher; Oscar Pate, pitcher; E. B. Hull, first base; Elvy Harkins, second base; H. L. Jennings, third base; Robert May, short stop; Garland Vinson, right field; Dent Beall, center field; Jim Butler, left field.

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One of the final steps in this process of rehabilitation was reached in Detroit on Friday, April 8. For months the banks and interests concerned in the upbuilding of these properties have held ready for this new management, new cash in the amount of \$15,000,000.

To establish clear title to the properties (which has the effect of rendering these funds immediately available upon the discharge of the receivership and the consummation of the reorganization) and to insure the continuance of the present policies, a temporary receivership was consented to in the United States District Court at Detroit on Friday by all of the interests involved.

The friendly and constructive character of the action is indicated by the appointment as receiver of W. Ledyard Mitchell who with Arthur E. Barker, has been in active charge of the management of the properties since the reconstruction process began.

In adopting the somewhat unusual policy of giving these facts in detail, this company is actuated by the conviction that the high standing of the Maxwell properties can best be served by sharing with the public the good news of every step of their progress.

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(By REV. F. B. FITZGERALD, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR APRIL 10

BIBLE TEACHINGS ABOUT THE CHRISTIAN'S BODY (HEALTH).

LESSON TEXT—I Cor. 6: 19, 20; 7: 34-35.

GOLDEN TEXT—Every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things.—I Cor. 9: 25.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Prov. 20: 20-25; Isa. 28: 1-8; Gal. 5: 19-22.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Taking Care of Our Bodies.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Growing Strong. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Value of Health.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Public Health Problems.

The teachings of this lesson have an important bearing upon physical health, but the primary reference is moral. The sin with which Paul was dealing was fornication, not matters of hygiene. That physical health may be included we do not question, but sad and serious will be the blunder if that only is taught.

I.—Glorifying God in Your Body (I Cor. 6: 19, 20).

It should be noted that the last clause of verse 20 is omitted in the Revised Version and the best manuscripts. The conclusion of Paul's argument is, "therefore glorify God in your body."

1. The Christian's body is the temple of the Holy Ghost (v. 19). God's dwelling place on earth is now the redeemed human body instead of the temple at Jerusalem. If the sinless Spirit is to dwell in the body it must be kept clean. To defile or abuse the body in any way is to insult the Spirit and commit the most awful sacrilege. This truth apprehended solves forever the problem of licentiousness, gluttony, use of tobacco, the abuse or neglect of the body in any way whatsoever.

2. The Christian's body is God's property (v. 19). Being God's temple, the proprietary right is in God and not man. Being the property of the Lord, the Christian's motto is, "Whether therefore ye eat or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God (I Cor. 10: 31). "Holiness unto the Lord" ought to be written over our bodies.

3. The Christian's body has been bought (v. 20). The price paid to redeem the body was the precious blood of Christ (I Peter 1: 18, 19). We estimate things by what they cost. When we estimate our bodies in that light we will be very jealous of their purity. Guarding our health is part of our religion.

II.—Keeping the Body Under Control (I Cor. 9: 24-25).

The Christian's life is more than mere existence, there is something to do—to be accomplished.

1. It is a race (vv. 24, 25). In order to win a prize there must be self-denial and definite exertion. The Christian obtains life by contact with Jesus Christ through faith (John 3: 16; 3: 26; 5: 24). This he possesses before he can begin the race. While he gets salvation (life) at the beginning, God places before him definite rewards as incentives to exertion. The Christian believes to get life, but works for rewards. In the Olympic games only one could hope to get the prize, but in the Christian race there is a reward waiting for every one who disciplines himself and runs. As the racer in these games mastered his desires and abstained from everything which might hinder him to win the prize, so the Christian will make any sacrifice to win. The prize in the Grecian games was corruptible, but the prize of the Christian is incorruptible. If the heathen would practice such self-denial regardless of its pain for a garland of pine leaves, shall not the Christian turn from bodily indulgences of every kind so as to obtain the crown of righteousness which fadeth not away?

2. It is a fight (vv. 26, 27). The Christian's efforts are not mere beatings of the air. He has a real antagonist. His fight is not a sham conflict. He should exert himself with all his energy, and strike to hit his enemy. In order to win success the body must be kept under. In this case the antagonist is the body. It should be so dealt with as to bring it under subjection. All the evil propensities of his nature should be brought under control.

III.—Reaping What You Sow (Gal. 6: 7, 8).

God has established a law in the world that whatsoever a man sows that shall he also reap. To go on sowing with the expectation of not reaping is to mock God. The world is full of examples of those who thus mocked Him. This text has primary reference to giving to the support of ministers of the gospel; its real bearing is upon the believer for his stinginess rather than upon the sinner for his meanness, but it has a bearing on all that we do.

Many Sure of God.

The Pharisees and the Wise Men came away from Jerusalem very sure of God. They had not been unbelievers or atheists, but the sight of the little Jesus brought to them a fresh and mighty consciousness of God's continual presence. Even the anticipation of God's coming in Jesus put a new song on the lips of Zachariah and Mary, and one sight of the Child was enough to open all the fountains of gratitude in the heart of the aged Simeon.—Congregationalist and Advocate.

JOHN CORBETT, WEST TEXAS' MASTER TRAPPER, HAS MADE INTERESTING TRAP RECORD

A man who has spent fifty-five years of his life trapping in almost all parts of North America, from the time when the western half of the continent was almost an unbroken wilderness infested with savage tribes and untamed beasts, wandering from the tropical suns of the Mexican country, to the bleak and blinding white of the frozen north, is now a permanent fixture of West Texas. Trained from boyhood in the art of ensnaring the wild beast he still pursues this fascinating occupation and for several years has been of great aid to the stockmen of the west in ridding the ranges of the sheep-killing wolves.

This man is Jim Corbett, known as the West's most valuable trapper and reputed to have caught more wolves in the jaws of traps than any one man in the state. The veteran trapper paid San Angelo the first visit in over three years the latter part of last week, remaining here but a few days.

Few of his friends were able to recognize him until he alighted from his rig, for he was driving not the old rickety hack drawn by two small burros, in which he made his trips to San Angelo for the last twenty-eight years, but a brand new shiny Ford touring car, which he recently purchased in Menard. He says that he still has the historic old hack and the self-same burros but that he merely keeps them around through force of habit, for since he has learned to speed his new gas buggy he would not sell it for twice the amount he gave for it even though he bought it before Ford cars were reduced.

Camps on Gentry Creek. For nearly four years Corbett has pitched his camp on Gentry creek on Ed Meyer's ranch in Kimble county. During his stay there, he says, he has trapped a total of seventy-seven wolves, receiving a bounty of \$50 on them during recent times.

After an absence of over three years Corbett is now contemplating returning to Tom Green county or in one of the near surrounding counties to continue to help the stockmen rid the range of the wolf menace. He says that he has been engaged during the last few weeks in trying to get his "home" ready for removal and when he has gathered all his pets and his paraphernalia around him he will hit the road in his modern conveyance for this section where he spent the greater part of his Texas life.

John Corbett is perhaps one of the best known characters in West Texas, as having spent twenty-six years trapping wolves in this section. He has always been a regular visitor to the San Angelo Fair and a permanent fixture at the annual "Old Settlers Parade," which formerly featured the fair festivities. He is famous in this section as a wolf trapper but he says that he has trapped everything from a mocking bird to a grizzly bear, wandering from the sunny south of Texas to the snow capped peaks of Alaska.

Is 68 Years Old. Corbett was born in the blue grass region of Grant county, Ky., sixty-eight years ago. Thirteen years later he left the fireside of his home for the alluring call of nature. A boy of thirteen years, he wandered to Terre Haute, Ind., and for several years trapped all along the Wabash river in that state. This amateur trapping of a mere lad of thirteen was the beginning of one of the most interesting careers in the United States today.

After a few years of trapping along the Wabash Corbett felt that he had emerging from the amateur stage and was ready for the big game. He veered further north and took up his activities along the Snake river, one of the biggest rivers in Idaho. During the several years he spent in this northern state he trapped over Idaho from one end of the Snake river to the other. In those days, he says, big game was plentiful in practically every state in the Union and especially in the northwestern states and he found a supply to his liking along the famous Snake.

Pushing always further north, Corbett pulled up stakes along the Snake river and set out for the Canadian border. He finally landed high up in the towering, snow covered mountain-covered mountains of Alaska, where he spent three years of his life trapping the fur animals of the bleak North.

Lived With Eskimos

During his three years of constant association with the Eskimos he learned their habits and customs and learned to talk their sign language. The Eskimo, he says, has no language but depend almost entirely upon signs for communication. He demonstrated with some of the signs which he still remembers, giving their interpretation. One custom of these queer people he describes by their method of making bread. A mixture of the brain of animals, the marrow of the bone and ginseng root was ground in a mortar of hollowed stone under a pestle. This mixture, he says, makes a very palatable food.

Penetrating into unexplored and uninhabited by wild animals and wandering among the varmint infested woodland of the North, Corbett, through the God-given instinct to grasp his surroundings and to appreciate the North's animal population and bend the intentions of his enemies, learned the habits and the haunts of the animals which inhabit the north learned also the beauties of God's great "air dome" which are unknown to the greater part of the present generation.

It was there that he first learned to look for the characteristics of any certain species of animals and he studied and learned the habits of all of Nature's children in the frozen region. He brought that ability to the south with him and so today he can sit under the trees at night and listen to the lonesome howl of the wolf and tell just what the animal is saying to his kind. The wolf, he says, has a different sound for every meaning he wishes to convey. Just like man has a different word for each idea, but to the unpracticed ear howl sounds as lonely as another.

Understands Wolf Language. The wolf can convey four different ideas to the pack or to her pups, Corbett says. One howl means "Come help devour the prey," another says "Come, help kill a meal," another says "Turn back, pups there is danger here."

One blood curdling story he tells of his experiences in the north is of the fate of a man named Yates who during the first few months of his life in the north was his partner in trapping and hunting. He had cautioned Yates, he said, against carelessly shooting the big grizzly bears. A grizzly bear shot through the heart he says, is just about as powerful as a road one and he had reminded Yates of this fact several times. One day his partner left the cabin on a visit to one of his traps and when he did not return in a reasonable time Corbett went out in search for him accompanied by a few Eskimos. After searching for several hours he said, he came upon the spot where his partner had made his last stand. The man's bones, almost entirely scattered over the snow and the carcass of an immense grizzly, weighing perhaps 1,600 pounds, was found sunk four feet in the snow, a bullet wound

through his heart. The bear had seized Yates' gun and had beaten it into small bits over a nearby tree.

Grizzly Almost Catches Him

Another experience he recalls is when his own aim went wrong and he was forced to take to his heels in the deep snow to escape the clutches of an enraged and pained grizzly. He wounded the bear, and the animal after stuffing the bullet hole full of leaves from a tree started out in pursuit of his intended slayer. Seeing that he had failed to place the grizzly beyond danger, Corbett started reloading his gun, which was of the old type of muzzle loader, but before he could have time to take a second shot at the oncoming animal he felt that it was better policy to take to his heels, which he did, but reloading his weapon at the same time. On account of the high altitude of the northern country and the deep snow he ran with difficulty and blood was soon streaming from his nose. Every few paces, he said, he would turn and fire at the animal and each shot failed to reach a vital spot.

He finally reached the stage where he could no longer run but merely walk. But the bear came on as if it had never been shot. Finally, he said when he felt that he could move no further, the blood now gushing from his lungs, he feebly fired one more shot and the bear rolled over in the snow less than sixty feet behind him. That taught him, he said, to either make a sure shot behind the ear or surrender the grizzly altogether.

Through his long experience as a trapper of wolves, Corbett has learned that that animal is charmed by music. He has a novel way in which

he attracts the wolf to his traps, whistling notes on a violin serving as bait for his prey. When the night is still and the wolf steals forth from his lair in search of food Corbett takes his treasured old violin from its case and drawing the bow across the strings produces a sound which is attractive to the hungry wolves' ear, and the handy traps claim their victims.

Used Pet As Lure

A pet wolf which bore the name of Bettie once occupied an enviable position in Corbett's household until her untimely death during the trapper's sojourn in Kimble county. This domesticated wolf penetrated into the premises of a neighbor and met death at the hands of her encroachments, the neighbor not recognizing her from the wild of her kind.

This tamed beast, Corbett says, once served for the same purpose to which he now subjects his violin.

Her lonesome howls at his bidding drew the wolves to what they thought a peaceful gathering of the pack to a banquet on some unfortunate lamb but to their surprise they walked upon, not a banquet but the death grip of a trap. The pet wolf Corbett said, would prop her foot on the back of one of the burros at his bidding and emit her howl which had all the characteristics of the wild beast. To his call of "lounder" the animal would press the loud pedal and there would scalp bounties a plenty for the master trapper.—San Angelo Standard.

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And, Whereas, Governor Pat M. Neff has vetoed a bill which created a West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, an institution which we have desired and longed for so that our sons and daughters might not longer be deprived of educational opportunity.

And, Whereas, Governor Pat M. Neff has vetoed a bill which provided for a fund to be expended exclusively for the development and maintenance of the country schools of Texas, thus adding to the burden of all the country school districts.

Therefore, be it resolved that we condemn the Senate of Texas for denying the Constitution written by our fathers and demand that the legislature take action which will give equal representation to all the people alike.

Be it resolved further, that we deplore the action of Governor Neff in vetoing the West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical bill.

Be it resolved further, that we vigorously protest the action of Governor Neff in vetoing the rural aid fund and we call upon him to rescind this measure to the legislature at its next special session.

Be it resolved further, that we affirm our love for and loyalty to the Government organized by our fathers, but we remind both Governor Neff and the Senate of Texas that it was for the purpose of securing to us the benefits which have been denied that our fathers endured the sacrifices of the early days and formed the government.

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