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WILL GO TO SAN ANGELO IN 1923

Concho City Chosen As Next Convention Site By West Texas Dental Society At Meeting Here.

OFFICERS FOR YEAR ELECTED

Dr. R. A. Maddox Of Abilene Heads Organization For Coming Year—Dr. Harris Re-Elected Secy.—Treasurer

San Angelo was chosen as the location for the Fourteenth Annual Convention of the West Texas Dental Society at the conclusion of their two-day session here Saturday afternoon. J. H. Wiggins and Abilene entered the contest for the next meeting but surrendered their claims to that of the Concho City.

Officers for the coming year were chosen at the afternoon session of the Society. The officers for the period were as follows:

President—Dr. R. A. Maddox, Abilene.

Vice-President—George D. Reed, Lubbock.

Vice-President—A. L. Wetsel, Big Spring.

Secretary-Treasurer—Dr. Sed A. Harris, Snyder, (re-elected.)

Dr. H. Wiggins of San Angelo was appointed upon the executive committee, which is now composed of Dr. Wiggins, Dr. A. W. Wimberly of Sweetwater and Dr. W. C. Neal of Abilene.

Dr. A. L. Frew of Dallas, president of the State Dental Association, gave a clinic upon "Extraction and Surgical Preparation of the Alveolar Ridge." Other clinics were given Saturday morning by Dr. B. F. Dulaney, Colorado; Dr. L. C. McKnight, Breckenridge; Dr. Sed A. Harris, Snyder; Dr. R. C. Maddox, Abilene; Dr. R. C. Pelton, Abilene; Dr. W. C. Neal, Abilene; Dr. S. W. Johnson, Merkel.

At the conclusion of the business session, the Society adjourned to the Country Club Golf Links for a round of golf, which was followed by a Dutch Lunch at the Club House.

The following resolution was adopted by the Society at the conclusion of the business session:

"We, the members of the West Texas Dental Society, desire to extend our thanks to the dentists of Sweetwater for their royal entertainment and the superb manner in which they have handled the program of the society. Also the Hotel Wright management for the splendid meeting place and the courtesies extended; for the splendid entertainments and banquets; the orchestra for their fine music and, especially, to those who rendered the special numbers, both vocal and instrumental.

Also to the honorable Mayor for his hearty welcome and to the City of Sweetwater as a whole for the royal entertainment while in their midst.

To the Country Club for the use of their Golf Links and the splendid luncheon and other courtesies extended while here."

The resolution was signed by W. C. Neal, A. L. Wetsel and C. D. Baxley, committeemen.

Approximately a hundred people attended the banquet given the Society by the Board of City Development of Sweetwater at the Hotel Wright, Friday night, when the party were served a six-course dinner, the kind that is making the Wright Hotel famous over this section of West Texas, served by H. M. Welch. C. D. Wofford of Plainview was toastmaster of the evening. The Sweetwater orchestra gave several numbers, which were enthusiastically applauded by the party. Numerous compliments were expressed by the visitors upon Sweetwater's musical talent. Instrumental numbers by the Misses Wanda and Wilda Drago, piano solos by Miss Mary Douthit and vocal solos by Miss Ruby Hemby also proved popular as was shown by the applause of the assemblage.

At the conclusion of the six-course dinner, short talks were made by Dr. L. O. Dudgeon of Sweetwater, Dr. A. L. Frew of Dallas, Dr. A. L. Harkrider and Dr. M. L. Ramsey. Dr. Dudgeon spoke of the possibilities and the need of closer co-operation between the dentists and the physicians and stated that although the dentists often reduced the income of the physician through their removal of causes of various diseases, nevertheless, the arrangement was reciprocal and to the benefit of the public in general. Dentistry was defined as one of the greatest preventative measures practiced today by Dr. Dudgeon.

Dr. A. L. Frew of Dallas made a short talk upon the efforts being put forth by Dallas to secure the 1924 National Convention of Dentists and characterized Dallas' prospects as encouraging. Dr. M. L. Ramsey, who plans to take his Master's Degree at Northwestern University, Chicago, this year, spoke upon the need for better co-operation between the dental practitioners and the discouragement of competition among dentists.

Dr. A. L. Harkrider of Ranger made a short talk along with advice to young practitioners. The exchange of new ideas gained by younger men through the adoption of more modern practices is often helpful to older practitioners, according to Dr. Harkrider.

Now a City of the Dead



The city and harbor of Smyrna which was overrun by the army of Mustapha Kemal, Turkish Nationalist, following the decisive defeat of the Greeks. A Turkish sergeant set fire to the Christian quarter and thousands who escaped massacre by the Turkish hordes were incinerated in the holocaust which followed. The harbor is filled with bodies of the dead. A bombardment by a Greek cruiser on the Turkish quarter, which had escaped the flames, continued the devastation and the ancient city is now a place of horror. The insert shows Rear Admiral Mark L. Bristol, United States High Commissioner at Constantinople, who is in charge of American interests in the theatre of war.

INSTALL CHAPTER DE MOLAYS HERE

Twenty-Nine Candidates, Initiated And Seven Transfers Give Organization Total Membership Of Thirty-Six.

CHICKEN DINNER AT THE ALAMO

Initiatory Work Started At 7:30 o'Clock—Officers Installed Saturday Night For Quarter Year.

The Abilene DeMolay Chapter degree team arrived in Sweetwater Friday afternoon, and soon made their presence known by capturing some of the Sweetwater candidates and putting them thru various forms of friendly torture. Some of the candidates proved to be good salesmen of sausage, corn-poppers and other stable merchandise. The money realized from the sale of these articles was turned over to the Sweetwater Charity Fund by the Abilene Chapter.

The Abilene DeMolay team was accompanied by I. B. Peek, a member of the Abilene High School faculty, who is also Secretary of the Advisory Committee of Abilene DeMolay Chapter. Mr. Peek was appointed as installing officer by Sam P. Cochran, of Dallas substituting for R. D. Green, of Abilene, who was unable to make the trip at this time. Mr. Cochran is Texas' Active Member of the Grand Council Order of DeMolay for Boys.

The Abilene visitors were entertained with a chicken dinner at the Alamo Hotel by the Sweetwater Advisory Committee, after which a parade was formed at the Masonic Hall, led by Sweetwater Masons, and followed by the Abilene visitors and Sweetwater candidates. The parade was over a block long and there was plenty of noise without a band.

The initiatory work commenced at seven-thirty o'clock and was completed at nine-thirty. The following composed the Abilene degree team: Raymond Acton, M. C.; Edward Duke, S. C.; Warren Crowley, J. C.; Gray Browne, S. C.; Robert Hoppe, J. D.; Alvin Dodson, Chap.; Carroll Rogers, Stan. E.; D. N. Wristin, Stew.; Will Minter, Stew.; Malcolm Hart, Marshal; George Stow, Forest Graham, Will Norly, Edgar Goodnight, J. W. Wooten, Life Turner, Roy Ward, Preceptors, and Earl Flesher, Sentinel.

The Abilene visitors came over in Automobiles and returned home after the initiation.

The following Sweetwater boys were initiated: Ed Ramsey, Harris Toler, J. R. Cox, Jr., Jack Tucker, Kirby Kinsey, Frank Stephenson, Winn Payne, Claude Beall, Oslar Leach, Wiley Embry, Ben McCorkle, Jules Hampton, Milton Pate, Vernon Webster, Dudley McCall, Roy Freeman, Lissa Carrol, Sterling Kendrick, Charlie Beall, Lloyd Hill, Charles Kelley, Leitoy McGlaum, Raphy Farris, Frank Davis, Edwin Ellis, William Stephenson, Clifton Cox, Charles Brownstein and Louis Walker.

These twenty-nine initiates, with seven transfers consisting of Price Doyle, LeLand Glass, Earnest Wright, Ellis Douthit, Marshall Morgan, Earl Fridley, and Dent Beall, and other candidates who will receive the degrees later will give the Sweetwater DeMolay Chapter forty charter members.

The election of officers of Sweetwater Chapter followed the initiation and the following were elected: Kirby Leach, M. C.; Dudley McCall, S. C.; Frank Stephenson, J. C.; Harris Toler, S. D. J. R. Cox, Jr., Scribe; Jack Tucker, J. D.; Charlie Beall, Chap. Char-

NAMES PEDDY AS GREEK DEBACLE A

Will Make Race For United States Senate Endorsed By Republican Party In Texas.

OVER 500 DELEGATES PRESENT

Vigorous Anti-Klan Speeches Mark Convention In Dallas—Barry Miller Says Not a "Bolt"

By The United Press. DALLAS, Sept. 16.—George B. Peddy, 30-year-old lawyer of Houston, was nominated by the Anti-Klan Democrats here today to oppose Earl B. Mayfield, Democratic candidate for United States Senate.

Peddy, a former member of the state legislature, will make the race on the Republican ticket and will be backed by the G. O. P. in this state.

This is said to be the first time in the history of Texas that there has been a coalition of the two parties on any one candidate.

Peddy was elected by a 209 vote by the committee of 31, chosen to select the candidate. The election was afterward made unanimous.

The nomination of the youthful attorney came after a day of speeches against the Klan and against Mayfield, who was endorsed by the secret body in the recent primaries.

The speakers flayed "Klanocracy" and declared that the "Democratic party in Texas must not be captured by the imperial wizard in Atlanta."

Judge Barry Miller of Dallas, temporary chairman, called the meeting to order at 10:30 o'clock this morning. He delivered a short address declaring that the purpose of the meeting was not to declare a "bolt" from the Democratic party, but to name a "real Democrat to oppose Mayfield."

About 500 delegates were present, one-third of whom were women. All parts of the state were represented.

Joe J. Eagle was chosen chairman. A committee of thirty-one was named to choose the nominee to oppose Mayfield. This committee will represent each senatorial district in the state. The names of Ferguson and Culberson were lustily cheered.

DYNAMITE VATS.

By The United Press. AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—A detachment of State Rangers were ordered to Shelby County tonight following reports that eleven dipping vats had been dynamited and that residents of the county were excluding tick inspectors.

REDUCE GUARDS.

By The United Press. AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—The Texas National Guard troops on strike duty at Denison were ordered reduced one-half today by Governor Neff. This will leave 250 men on duty.

Les Kelsey, Stan. B.; Milton Pate, Stew.; Wiley, Stey.; Charles Brownstein, Marshal; Jules Hampton, Oslar Leach, LeRoy McGlaum, Raphy Farris, Winn Payne, William Stephenson, eron Webster, Preceptors; and Sterling Kendrick Sentinel, with Edw. Edwin Ellis Almoner. A meeting was held Saturday night at which these officers were installed.

FRENCH VICTORY

French Diplomacy Supported Turkish Actions With Great Britain Favoring The Greeks.

CONSTANTINOPLE IS THE GOAL

English Influence In Orient Weakened—Danger To Christians In Turkey Revived.

By The United Press. CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 16.—Europe's war breeding ground in Constantinople has been opened once more to the powers through the defeat of the Greek army in Asia Minor. Italy and Russia in the Levant and now reacting to the advantage of the Turks, and will result in pre-war dangers to the Christian nationalists within the Turkish empire.

The victory of the Turkish Nationalists over the Greeks is a victory for French diplomacy. The French government has favored the Turks as against the Greeks, while Great Britain supported the latter.

Just before the Greek debacle, Fethi Bey, minister of the interior in the Turkish Nationalist government, visited London in an effort to arrange peace terms. He was snubbed by the British authorities, despite his pro-British leanings, in France and Italy, he had a cordial welcome.

This incident is typical of the way British policy in the near east has been mishandled through grave errors of judgment at the British foreign office. As a result, Great Britain's paramount influence at Constantinople is now endangered. France, Italy and Russia all see an opportunity to dominate the situation there. A scramble for control is under way, but the probabilities point to the powerful commercial and financial interests of Great Britain being able to swing the situation back again into British hands.

The threat of the Turkish Nationalists to march an army into Constantinople and drive the small allied forces out, is theoretically capable of being realized. But, if the danger became acute, the allies could use the Greek army in Thrace, which is now within easy marching distance of Constantinople. The concentration of these troops in Thrace by King Constantine fatally weakened the Greek forces in Asia Minor and led to the victory of the Turkish Nationalists.

Capture Constantinople. Constantine wanted to use his Thrace army to capture Constantinople. That ambition, however, has disappeared because of the Asia Minor defeat. But, if the Turkish Nationalists were to try to drive the allies from Constantinople the Greeks might be summoned to the rescue and would be entitled to a large reward at Turkey's expense. Thus, the Turkish success in Asia Minor might be wiped out.

It is therefore impossible that the Turkish Nationalists will try to conquer Constantinople and rescue the Sultan by force of arms. The danger is too great. The allies would be united in defending Constantinople, and the basic policy of the Turks is to keep the allies estranged.

For this reason, instead of employing force, the Turks are likely to return to the former subtleties of their

ALLIES DELIVER SHARP ULTIMATUM TO THE TURKISH NATIONALIST FORCE

Joint Note Dispatched To Mustapha Kemal Pasha Warning That Crossing Of Bosphorus Or Offensive Against Constantinople Will Be Resisted By Force.

FRENCH FLEET IS HELD IN READINESS FOR ACTION

Telegraph Wires Burn Between Chancelleries—Dozen European Nations Who May Be Involved—Diplomats Fear A Turkish Alliance And "Holy War."

(BY THE UNITED PRESS.) PARIS, Sept. 16.—The menace of another world war gripped Europe tonight.

The telegraph wires burned between a dozen European Chancelleries, with messages in sharp code, as the mutual jealousies of nations now at peace flamed anew at the thoughts of Constantinople, gateway to rich eastern trade, going to a rival.

Lights winked in scores of embassies and legations in Paris as staffs, hastily retailed from summer pleasures, worked over the secret telegrams.

There is a suppressed air of excitement prevailing, unequalled since the summer of 1914.

The war avalanche in the Balkans and near East threatened to involve at least ten nations and the situation is authoritatively described as grave as ever it was in the months preceding the World War. The possibilities of upsetting the shaky peace is just as serious, according to a high government authority who declared the consequences would be just as far-reaching.

Two night mares confront Europe now, it is declared, the one a fear of Russia and Turkey joining hands at Constantinople and the fear of a Holy War by the hordes of Mohammedans to oust Europeans from Asia.

THE UNITED STATES IS CLEAR. (BY THE UNITED PRESS.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The United States is entirely free from any entangling political commitments that might involve it in the Near East situation. The only policy the administration has in respect to the proceedings is to remain free. It was stated tonight in responsible official quarters.

THE FRENCH FLEET IS GIVEN INSTRUCTIONS. (BY THE UNITED PRESS.)

PARIS, Sept. 16.—The French Mediterranean fleet was instructed tonight to hold itself in readiness for immediate sailing orders, owing to the serious turn of events in Asia Minor.

ALLIES ISSUE ULTIMATUM. (BY THE UNITED PRESS.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.—France, Great Britain and Italy in a joint note, warned Mustapha Kemal that Allied armies would oppose any attempt by the Turks to invade the neutral zone around Constantinople and the Dardanelles or cross the straits of Bosphorus.

ARE NOW PLANNING A JOINT ATTACK. (BY THE UNITED PRESS.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 16.—An uprising of the Moslems here simultaneously with an attack by the Turkish Nationalists by Mustapha Kemal is understood to have been decided upon by the leaders of the Mohammedans. Allied officials are making preparations to suppress any such proceedings. A massacre of the entire white population would probably ensue if the European troops were overpowered.

Mustapha Kemal's cavalry is reported only a few miles out from Constantinople, evidently reconnoitering. The main Kemal army has extended its right wing to a point 55 miles southwest of the city.

The wildest kind of rumors are in circulation and the Europeans in Constantinople are waiting eagerly for reinforcements. One of the unconfirmed reports says that twenty-five transports carrying British troops is enroute here.

oriental diplomacy. They know the powers are in rivalry for secret control of Constantinople. By playing one off against the others, the Turks may now succeed in getting a moderate revision of the terms of peace. If they do they will have secured all that is permanently possible.

KEMAL HUNTS ALLIES. (BY THE UNITED PRESS.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.—With the Allies standing firmly together in opposition to the surrender of Constantinople, Mustapha Kemal is eagerly endeavoring to line up assistance in Europe with his forces, and possibly precipitate another world war.

The agents of Mustapha are in Sofia conferring with the Bulgarian chiefs regarding an alliance with Bulgaria. An unconfirmed report states that Russian troops in the Caucasus are being concentrated to aid Mustapha.

LAND TROOPS. (BY THE UNITED PRESS.)

ATHENS, Sept. 16.—British reinforcements were landed in Constantinople today while Turkish Cavalry approached within a few miles of the city.

Four British cruisers and eight destroyers conveyed the troops to the Turkish capital which the Kemalists forces are threatening to seize.

Two regiments and a squadron of five machines made up the reinforcements.

A detachment of Allied marines prevented the landing at Smyrna yesterday by Kemalists massed on the docks.

A Greek battleship is also reported to have shelled the Turkish port today while the Turkish quarter in Smyrna which had been spared by the fire which raged in the other parts of the town. Great damage was reported.

Latest reports from Smyrna are that thousands of lives have been lost in the massacre and conflagration which incited many bodies.

The harbor of Smyrna is filled with floating corpses.

YANKS TIGHTEN GRIP. (BY THE UNITED PRESS.)

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—The New York Yankees tightened their grip on first place in the American League by winning the first game of the Junior World Series in St. Louis today, by a score of 2 to 1.

TWO ACQUITTED. SHERMAN, Texas, Sept. 16.—Two defendants in "Open Port Case" were acquitted late Saturday. Lee Anderson and R. G. Malleur were found not guilty of violating the open port law. Ed Smith, Murray Marlowe and other defendants must stand trial again, the jury failing to agree in their cases. Malleur must face assault to murder on a charge growing out of the wounding of J. W. Pine during the strike disorder near Denison.

ANNOUNCE MARRIAGE. Mrs. W. B. Aldredge announces the marriage of her daughter Gracie Ray to J. S. McBride which will be held at the residence, 506 N. W. 5th St. Sept. 27.

VARSITIES ARE WEAKENED.
New Subs Counted Upon To Fill Stellar Roles in College Team.
 (By United Press.)

Last year's Freshmen players and "subs" who filled sidelines in the big games last year, coupled with strategy of the game, will be the deciding factors in the race for Southwestern Conference honors this year, according to reports received by The United Press. Practically every team in the conference with the possible exception of Baylor has been hit hard by graduates leaving will be forced to draw heavily upon the Freshman squads of last year, which unfolded such a wealth of material during the past season. Many new stars are expected to twinkle in the football firmament before the 1922 season is over, according to football coaches.

Baylor piloted by the brilliant Bradshaw at quarter, and with but a few holes in the team caused by graduates is the choice of many wise football men for conference honors. Bradshaw assisted by Weathers at guard, Williamson at tackle and others of last year's team are due to give other teams a lot of opposition in the coming season.

A. & M. College with the veteran Wilson and Evans at end, Dubois at center, "Tiny" Keen at tackle, and "Silent" Miller in the backfield, coupled with the Aggie fighting spirit is expected to give the Waco Baptists a hard fight.

But three men of the Famous Texas University "wonder" team are back this year. Swenson, captain at center, McCullum all southwestern fullback, and Robertson at half will have to be inforced by a strong recruit squad to make a bid for titular honors.

With the loss of Eddie Dyer, "Heavy" Underwood, and "Big" Alexander, the Rice Owls will be practically a new team when it steps on the field of action to meet Daniel Baker college in its first game, October 7.

Taking into consideration the strength of the team, the strategy of its leaders, and the football material in the "subs" its secondary line of defense, the race looks like:

First—Baylor; Second A. & M.; 3rd Texas University; 4th Rice Institute. This is the way the race will look if the present dogs runs true.

BEEES IN CHIMNEY

George Massey says he has plenty of honey these days from a swarm of bees which inhabited the chimney over his kitchen. He doesn't know where they come from, they seem to be very contented where they are and he is very contented to have them there, inasmuch as a day or so ago he extracted a nice lot of honey from the

flue. He says he is going to live them in the spring if they are still there.

BACK ON JOB

J. M. Charlton is back on the job in charge of development work in this territory for the Gulf Production Co. after a two weeks vacation during which time rumor says that he painted his house. At least he is said to have started proceedings and then hired a sure enough painter. W. M. Lourcey, who had charge of the office here for the past two weeks has returned to Wichita Falls.

Leland Glass, Earnest Wright and Ramsey will leave this afternoon for Austin to enter the State University for the year.

SEEK A SLOGAN

"Knights of the Grip" Hunt for Proper Slogan
 HOUSTON, Sept. 16.—Houston "Knights of the Grip" want a slogan! The slogan must be short and snappy and one that will aid them in boosting the Houston Fair and Exposition to be held here in October. The public is invited to send in suggestions for slogans to be addressed to the Houston Fair Association, City Hall, Houston, Texas, to advertise the coming Fair. A number of rubber stamps, labeled "Houston Fair and Exposition, Nov. 9-18" to use on hotel registers after their names have been ordered. Numerous requests for banners to be placed on cars of salesmen covering their territory in automobiles have been received.

TO INSURE COAL

Mine Operators, Rail Men, and Men of Leading Industries in Session
 By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—To insure the public plenty of coal at reasonable prices this winter, representatives of the coal carrying railroads, coal producers, leading industries and public utilities met here today with Secretary Hoover.

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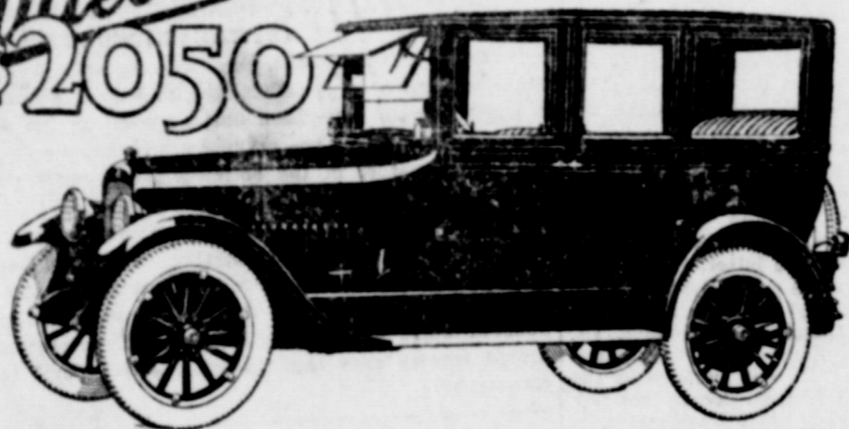
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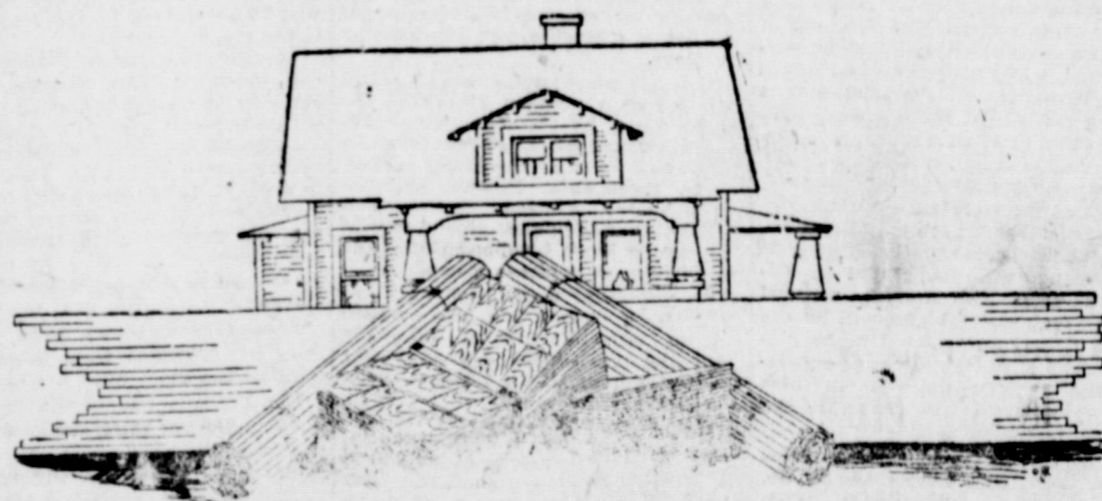
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By
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SYNOPSIS

1—APRIL—General factotum in the house of her sister Ina, wife of Herbert Deacon, in the small town of Warbleton Lulu Bett leads a dull, cramped existence, with which she is constantly at enmity, though apparently satisfied with her lot. She has natural thoughts and aspirations which neither her sister nor her brother-in-law seemingly can comprehend. To Mr. Deacon comes Bobby Larkin, recently graduated high-school youth, secretly enamored of Deacon's elder daughter, Diana, an applicant for a "job" around the Deacon house. He is engaged, his occupation to be to keep the lawn in trim. The family is excited over the news of an approaching visit from Deacon's brother Ninian, whom he had not seen for many years. Deacon jokes with Lulu, with subtle meaning, concerning the coming meeting.

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BIG KANSAS CYCLONE CAUGHT IN THIS FILM

One of the striking photographic features of Messmore Kendall's second production starring Vivian Martin, is the effective showing of a real Kansas cyclone, than which, as some humorists have observed, there is no whicker. The cyclone performs various antics of the sort for which Kansas storms are famous, and completely destroys the house of the Hawker family, which plays a large part in the picture.

One wall has been left standing, which has been repaired with oil stock—and on that fact hang the many amusing complications which make "Pardon My French" a real delight. The picture will be seen at the Queen Theatre Monday.

Not only is it one of the most humorous films recently released, but it has an added attraction for Sweetwater patrons because Ann Egleson appears in it. She appeared here personally last winter at the Lyric with the Monroe Hopkins players and at the same time appeared on the screen at the Queen as the "mother" in "The Conquest of Canaan."

NOTICE

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some secret gift, had seen a cocoon open or an egg hatch. She was thinking:

"How easy she done it. Got him right over. But how did she do that?"
Dusting the Dwight-like piano, Lulu looked over-shoulder, with a manner of speculation, at the photograph of Ninian.

Bobby mowed and pondered. The magnificent conceit of the male in his understanding of the female character was sufficiently developed to cause him to welcome the improvisation which he had just heard. Perhaps that was the way it had been. Of course that was the way it had been. What a fool he had been not to understand. He cast his eyes repeatedly



He Straightened. "Huh!" He Said, in Magnificent Evasion.

toward the house. He managed to make the job last over so that he could return in the afternoon. He was not conscious of planning this, but it was in some manner contrived for him by forces of his own with which he seemed to be co-operating without his conscious will. Continually he glanced toward the house.

These glances Lulu saw. She was a woman of thirty-four and Di and Bobby were eighteen, but Lulu felt for them no adult indulgence. She felt that sweetness of attention which she bestow upon May robins. She felt more.

She cut a fresh cake, filled a plate, called to Di, saying: "Take some out to that Bobby Larkin, why don't you?" It was Lulu's way of participating. It was her vicarious thrill.

After supper Dwight and Ina took their books and departed to the Chautauqua circle. To these meetings Lulu never went. The reason seemed to be that she never went anywhere.

When they were gone Lulu felt an instant liberation. She turned aimlessly to the garden and dug round things with her finger. And she thought about the brightness of that Chautauqua scene to which Ina and Dwight had gone. Lulu thought about such gatherings in somewhat the way that a futurist receives the subjects of his art—forms not vague, but heightened to intolerable definiteness, acute color, and always motion—motion as an integral part of the desirable. But a factor of all was that Lulu herself was the participant, not the onlooker. The perfection of her dream was not impaired by any longing. She had her dream as a saint her sense of heaven.

"Lulu!" her mother called. "You come out of that damp."
She obeyed, as she had obeyed that voice all her life. But she took one last look down the dim street. She had not known it, but superimposed on her Chautauqua thoughts had been her faint hope that it would be tonight, while she was in the garden alone, that Ninian Deacon would arrive. And she had on her wool chally, her coral beads, her cameo pin.

She went into the lighted dining room. Monona was in bed. Di was not there. Mrs. Bett was in Dwight Herbert's leather chair and she lolled at her ease. It was strange to see this woman, usually so erect and tense, now actually loling, as if loling were the positive, the vital, and her ordinary rigidity a negation of her. In some corresponding orgy of leisure and liberation, Lulu sat down with no needle.

"Ino ought to make over her delaine," Mrs. Bett comfortably began. They talked of this, devised a mode, recalled other delaines. "Dear, dear," said Mrs. Bett, "I had on a delaine when I met your father." She described it. Both women talked freely, with animation. They were individuals and alive. To the two pallid beings necessary to the Deacons' presence, Mrs. Bett and her daughter Lulu now bore no relationship. They emerged, had opinions, contradicted, their eyes were bright.

Toward nine o'clock Mrs. Bett announced that she thought she should have a lunch. This was deplorable. She brought in bread and butter and a dish of cold corned peas. She was committing all the excesses that she knew—offering opinions, laughing, eating. It was to be seen that this woman had an immense store of vitality, perpetually submerged.

"What's the use of finding fault with Ino? Where'd you been if she hadn't married?"

Lulu said nothing.

"What say?" Mrs. Bett demanded shrilly. She was enjoying it. Lulu said no more. After a long time:

"You always was jealous of Ino," said Mrs. Bett, and went to her bed. As soon as her mother's door had closed, Lulu took the lamp from its bracket, stretching up her long body and her long arms until her skirt lifted to show her really slim and pretty feet. Lulu's feet gave news of some other Lulu, but slightly incarnate. Perhaps, so far, incarnate only in her feet and her long hair.

She took the lamp to the parlor and stood before the photograph of Ninian Deacon, and looked her fill. She did not admire the photograph, but she wanted to look at it. The house was still, there was no possibility of interruption. The occasion became sensation, which she made no effort to quench. She held a rendezvous with she knew not what.

In the early hours of the next afternoon with the sun shining across the threshold, Lulu was parsing something at the kitchen table. Mrs. Bett was asleep. ("I don't blame you a bit, mother," Lulu had said, as her mother named the intention.) Ina was asleep. (But Ina always took off the curse by calling it her "st-esta," long I.) Monona was playing with a neighbor's child—you heard their shrill yet lovely laughter as they obeyed the adult law that motion is pleasure. Di was not there.

A man came round the house and stood tying a puppy to the porch post. A long shadow fell through the west doorway, the puppy whined.

"Oh," said this man. "I didn't mean to arrive at the back door, but since I'm here—"

He lifted a suitcase to the porch, entered and filled the kitchen.

"It's Ina, isn't it?" he said. "I'm her sister," said Lulu, and understood that he was here at last.

"Well, I'm Bert's brother," said Ninian. "So I can come in, can't I?" He did so, turned round like a dog before his chair and sat down heavily, forcing his fingers through heavy, upspringing brown hair.

"Oh, yes," said Lulu. "I'll call Ina. She's asleep."

"Don't call her, then," said Ninian. "Let's you and I get acquainted."

He said it absently, hardly looking at her.

"I'll get the pup a drink if you can spare me a basin," he added.

Lulu brought the basin and, while he went to the dog, she ran tiptoeing to the dining room china closet and brought a cut-glass tumbler, as heavy, as ungraciously as a stone crock. This she filled with milk.

"I thought maybe . . ." said she, and offered it.

"Thank you!" said Ninian, and drained it. "Making pies, as I live," he observed, and brought his chair nearer to the table. "I didn't know Ina had a sister," he went on. "I remember now Bert said he had two of her relatives—"

Lulu flushed and glanced at him pitifully.

"He has," she said. "It's my mother and me. But we do quite a good deal of the work."

"I'll bet you do," said Ninian, and did not perceive that anything had been violated. "What's your name?" he bethought.

She was in an immense and obscure excitement. Her manner was serene, her hands as they went on with the peeling did not tremble; her replies were given with sufficient quiet. But she told him her name as one tells something of another and more remote creature. She felt as one may feel in catastrophe—no sharp understanding, but merely the sense that the thing cannot possibly be happening.

"You folks expect me?" he went on. "Oh, yes!" she cried, almost with vehemence. "Why, we've looked for you every day."

"See," he said, "how long have they been married?"

Lulu flushed as she answered: "Fifteen years."

"And a year before that the first one died—and two years they were married," he computed. "I never met that one. Then it's close to twenty years since Bert and I have seen each other."

"How awful!" Lulu said, and flushed again.

"Why?"

"That's to be that long away from your folks."

Suddenly she found herself facing this honestly, as if the immensity of her present experience were clarifying her understanding: Would it be so awful to be away from Bert and Monona and Di—yes, and Ina, for twenty years?

"You think that?" he laughed. "A man don't know what he's like till he's roamed around on his own." He liked the sound of it. "Roamed around on his own," he repeated, and laughed again. "Course a woman don't know that."

"Why don't she?" asked Lulu. She balanced a pie on her hand and carved the crust. She was stupefied to hear her own question. "Why don't she?"

"Maybe she does. Do you?"

"Yes," said Lulu.

"Good enough!" He applauded noiselessly, with fat hands. His diamond ring sparkled, his even white teeth flashed. "I've had twenty years of galloping about," he informed her, unable, after all, to transfer his interests from himself to her.

"Where?" she asked, although she knew.

"South America, Central America, Mexico, Panama." He searched his memory. "Columbia," he remembered.

"My!" said Lulu. She had probably never in her life had the least desire

to see any of these places. She did not want to see them now. But she wanted passionately to meet her companion's mind.

"It's the life," he informed her.

"Must be," Lulu breathed. "I—"

She tried, and gave it up.

"Where you been mostly?" he asked at last.

By this unprecedented interest in her things she was thrown into a passion of excitement.

"Here," she said. "I've always been here. Fifteen years with Ina. Before that we lived in the country."

He listened sympathetically now, his head well on one side. He watched her veined hands pinch at the pie. "Four old girls," he was thinking.

"Is it Miss Lulu Bett?" he abruptly inquired. "Or Mrs.?"

Lulu flushed in anguish.

"Miss," she said low, as one who confesses the extremity of failure.

Then, from unplumbed depths, another Lulu abruptly spoke up. "From choice," she said.

He shouted with laughter.

"You bet! Oh, you bet!" he cried. "Never doubted it." He made his palms taut and drummed on the table. "Say!" he said.

Lulu glowed, quickened, smiled. Her face was another face.

"Which kind of a Mr. are you?" she heard herself ask, and his shoutings redoubled. Well! Who would have thought it of her?

"Never give myself away," he assured her. "Say, by George, I never thought of that before! There's no telling whether a man's married or not, by his name!"

"It don't matter," said Lulu.

"Why not?"

"Not so many people want to know."

Again he laughed. This laughter was intoxicating to Lulu. No one ever laughed at what she said save Herbert, who laughed at her. "Go it, old girl!" Ninian was thinking, but this did not appear.

The child Monona now arrived banging the front gate and hurling herself round the house on the board walk, catching the toe of one foot in the heel of the other and blundering forward, head down, her short, straight hair flapping over her face. She landed flat-footed on the porch. She began to speak, using a ridiculous perversion of words, scarcely articulate, then in vogue in her group. And

"Whose dog?" she shrieked.

Ninian looked over his shoulder, held out his hand, finished something that he was saying to Lulu. Monona came to him readily enough, staring, loose-lipped.

"I'll bet I'm your uncle," said Ninian. Relationship being her highest known form of romance, Monona was thrilled by this intelligence.

"Give us a kiss," said Ninian, finding in the plural some vague mitigation for some vague offense.

Monona, looking silly, complied. And her uncle said, my stars, such a great big tall girl—they would have to put a board on her head.

"What's that?" inquired Monona. She had spied his great diamond ring.

NOTICE TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF SWEETWATER.

Whereas, Ten per cent of the qualified voters of the City of Sweetwater have petitioned the Commission of said City to submit the following amendment to the charter of said City of Sweetwater, therefore, in compliance with the provisions of Article 196-B of Vernon Sayles Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, notice is hereby given that at the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof said commission will pass an ordinance submitting at an election to be held for that purpose to the voters of said City the following provisions of the charter for amendment:

Article 23, Section Six: Board of City Development. The commission shall have authority to appoint what shall be known and designated as a "Board of City Development," which shall be composed of not exceeding fifteen members, who shall serve without compensation, and the Commission may prescribe the qualifications and duties of such board and their term of office and shall appropriate not exceeding two mills on the one dollar worth of property in the City of Sweetwater, from the general fund of said City to support the work of said Board.

The above section to be amended to read as follows:—

"Article 28, Section 6: Board of City Development. The Commission shall have the authority to appoint what shall be known and designated as a "Board of City Development," which shall be composed of not exceeding fifteen members, who shall serve without compensation and the Commission may prescribe the qualifications and duties of such board and their term of office and shall not appropriate any money from any fund to support the work of said board."

Done by order of the said Commission of the City of Sweetwater, this 31st day of August, A. D. 1922, in called session.

GEO. H. SHEPPARD,
Mayor.

Attest:—
W. H. BARTLETT,
City Secretary. 183dc20t

TO OPEN TRUCK LINE

Service To Run From El Paso to West Texas Points

By The United Press.
ROSWELL, N. M., Sept. 16.—Direct transportation service between El Paso and West Texas points through the Pecos Valley district in New Mexico will be afforded by the new motor truck freight line to be put in operation between here and El Paso soon.

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ving every second morning, will be the schedule of the new freight line. Charges for hauling by the hundred pounds will be the same as railroad charges, officials of the line have said. Transfer connection with motor lines to other West Plains towns will be made along the route at points yet to be decided upon.

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HUMILITY OF CHRIST.

Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus. Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem the other better than themselves. Phil. 2: 5, 33.

WHY NOT NOW

Careful consideration of the project for a filtration plant at Lake Trammell leaves the impression that there is no particular reason why this proposition should be delayed.

In the not very distant future the State is going to tell Sweetwater that its water supply must be protected.

For reasons of health there should be no further delay. An epidemic of typhoid or other waterborn disease could easily cost the city more money and damage to reputation than the filtration plant.

Mayor Szeppard is authority for the statement that the project can be financed from waterworks funds. That takes care of that part of it.

And then there are the many, many men and women, too who would be transported into the fisherman's heaven, if permission were granted to fish in the waters of Lake Trammell, admittedly teeming with a multitude of fish. City officials have indicated that the lake will be thrown open to fishing and hunting when the filtration plant is installed. Additional revenue could also be forthcoming from this source, as licenses could be sold, and those who want to fish would be glad to pay for the privilege. Several hundred dollars could be realized from this source which would help finance either the filtration plant or assist in supervision of the premises. This supervision is maintained now and of course would have to be continued.

Of course if the Waterworks funds are spent for filtration plant that will prevent further extension of water service in the city for a time at least. But of the two the filtration plant would seem the more desirable, at this time. For, regardless of how careful the supervision, in the 56 square miles of drainage basin which the lake receives water from, there is bound to be pollution of one sort or another from time to time. In the very nature of things that cannot be helped. Danger from this source is not as pronounced as it would be if the drainage basin was more thickly populated.

The element of cost must also be taken into consideration. This is admittedly indefinite in present stage of the proceedings but city officials would make no mistake in having plans drawn and securing cost estimates. And, we believe, a majority of the people of Sweetwater would favor an early construction of the plant itself.

GAS WON'T BURN

New Gas Well Has Strong Flow But It Won't Burn—Oil Men Puzzled

Reports from the Mitchell County oil field are that the new gas well of the Mitchell County Oil Corporation which was struck this last week at a depth of 1635 feet has a strong pressure but will not ignite. No one in the field seems to know what kind of gas it is, and it may not be known until a sample is sent away to be analyzed. The well is making from three to five million cubic feet of gas and would be a fine well if it were making commercial gas. Drilling is being continued however.

The Lesur Well will be put on the pump, according to late reports. Its initial showing was said to be even better than the Morrison No. 2.

The Parker well, five miles south of Abilene, is being swabbed and cleaned after a shot of 210 pounds of nitrocellulose at a depth of 3443 feet. The oil from this well is 36 gravity. Just what this well will do is not known until it is put on the pump and tested out.

ORGANIZE K. K. K.

DALLAS, Sept. 16.—Here's the latest in K. K. K. organization—Klean Kib Klub. W. A. Zischang, executive secretary of the Dallas Street and Newsboys Club organized the "Klub," the purpose of which is to keep the "newsies" as clean as possible while they are on the streets.

WHEAT EXPORTS SHORT

Still Short of 1921 Amount from Texas City

By The United Press.
TEXAS CITY, Sept. 16.—Wheat exports from the port here during August were 1,063,000 bushels, according to a report just issued by the Board of Trade. This brings the season's figures up to 1,111,000 bushels, which is still 496,467 bushels under last year.

The largest cargo exported from this port was aboard the Demetrios Diacakis on August 25 for Italian ports. She carried 209,000 bushels of wheat.

No corn or rye shipments were made during the month of August, the report shows.

TO CALIFORNIA

Howard Carter, son of R. A. Carter will enter California State University at Berkeley California this fall. He planned to leave Saturday. He has been spending the summer in Sweetwater, after returning from service overseas with the American Army of Occupation in Germany.

WILL MEET MONDAY.

The West Ward Parent-Teachers Association will meet at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the West Ward school building.

BAND PRACTICE NIGHT CHANGED.

In Order For New Director To Get In Line, Tuesday Night Selected.

The President of the Sweetwater Booster Band calls attention to the membership that practice nights will be held on Tuesday and Thursday nights until further notice. This change in practice nights was made to accommodate Professor Sam Goldman of Colorado, who is to take charge of the direction and instruction of the local band the first of the month. Mr. Goldman states that he wants to get a line up of the run of things before he takes charge and requested that the practice nights be changed, as he works with the Colorado Band on Monday and Thursday nights. The members are urged to turn out in full Tuesday night and meet their original director, who proposes to move to this city within the next three or four weeks.

Prof. H. P. Leavell, the retiring director, has just made the announcement that the Sweetwater Junior Band members are making splendid progress and he states that organization of his boy band will be perfected in the next few days. Mr. Leavell states that he proposes to train the boys as speedily as possible and enlist them in the Booster Band as soon as they are capable of handling that class of music.

IS THE LAST DAY

Revival Services At First Methodist Church Will Close—13 Converted.

The revival services at the Methodist church will close today with two strong sermons by the pastor, Rev. D. B. Doak and special music.

At the morning services Rev. Doak will take "Church Obligations" for his topic, and at the evening hour "The Dying Message of Jesus."

C. G. Spindler will have charge of the music at both services.

Thirteen have so far been received into the church and others are expected today.

IS THE WORLD'S CHAMPION.

Big Bill Tilden World's Best Tennis Player; Defeated Johnston.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—"Big Bill" Tilden became the recognized tennis champion of the world here this afternoon when he defeated "Little Bill" Johnston, the fiery star of the Pacific Coast in the final round of the National Singles Championship.

Tilden looked as though he was beaten in the early part of the match but he came from behind with a display of consummate courage and won 1-6, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3 and 6-4.

SERVICES IN THEATRE.

Down-Town Sunday School in Queen Theatre This Morning at 10 o'Clock.

Rev. Doak will talk this morning to those who attend the services at the Queen Theatre at 10 o'clock. Last Sunday was the first session which was well attended.

Other ministers are expected to take turns addressing this new Sunday school to which everyone is cordially invited without formality of any sort.

FIRE COST \$100,000.

Six Story Brick Building in Dallas is Wiped Out By Flames.

DALLAS, Sept. 16.—A six story brick building in the down-town business section, occupied by the Interstate Forwarding Company, a storage concern, was totally destroyed by fire this morning.

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PREDICT BANNER YEAR
By The United Press.

VICTORIA, Texas, Sept. 16.—A banner year in shipments of turkeys is expected by Victoria county turkey raisers this year, according to reports from various parts of the country. Last year between \$175,000 and \$200,000 worth of dressed turkeys were shipped to markets from this county. This was only a normal year and with the banner crop this year now predicted this amount will be raised considerably, farmers say.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The first joint meeting of the four Parent-Teachers Associations occurred last Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the auditorium of the Court House. Between 90 and 100 were present, a large number for a first meeting. Plans were discussed for the year, and much interest was manifested by every one present. A very interesting and helpful talk was made by Mrs. W. W. Beall on the development of a school spirit in Sweetwater. There is no greater need. And it is to be hoped that it will not be long until such a school spirit will be in evidence as will make possible anything that the public schools of Sweetwater need.

The resignation of Mrs. Poffenbach as President of all the Parent-Teachers Associations was accepted and Mrs. Harry Bondies was elected her successor.

Mrs. W. W. Beall was elected President of the Council. A meeting of the Council is called for next Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the auditorium of the Court House.

Short and interesting talks were made by the following: Mrs. Walter Boothe, Mrs. G. E. Halle, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. A. W. Canfil, Miss George Stiles, and Superintendent J. Stone Rives.

Mrs. F. G. Robertson presided in a very efficient and business-like manner.

During the first week of school the registrations passed the 1,600 mark and indications point to the largest enrollment in the history of the Sweetwater schools. The special departments have started their work with record-breaking determination.

The Expression Department under the very able direction of Mrs. Hutchison has already enrolled forty students.

Mrs. Lize Cuthbert has enrolled in her Department of Music a total of twenty-eight.

The Art Department under the direction of Miss Hazel Jordan will begin actual lessons next week. Many registrations for this very cultural and useful branch of learning have been made.

The Department of Piano under the direction of Miss Mary Douthit will begin next week. Twenty registrations have been made for this instruction.

The work of the High School and the different Ward Schools is proceeding nicely. The best of spirit prevails among both students and teachers. It is in the minds of all to make it a record year in every field of school activity from the class room to Swatter Park. The public take notice that difficulties shall be thrust aside or bravely met, and this year of 1922-23 shall mark a long stride forward. The students are determined to work in a masterful way, and they shall be given the opportunity of the full fruition of their labors. It was Dickens who said: "A long pull, and a strong pull; and a pull altogether will win." It is applicable to every phase of human endeavor.

There are some needed improvements at each of the Ward Schools. They will be made as rapidly as finances will permit, and as they can be gotten to.

The registrations of the Senior Class number forty. If they all make their work (and they are of the kind that will do it), it will be the largest Senior Class ever graduated from the Sweetwater High School.

JUNIOR BAND.
First Rehearsal Scheduled For First Tuesday in October.

The first rehearsal of the Junior Band will be held the first Tuesday in October. All who wish to join this organization are asked to register at once with H. P. Leavell, director. This band already contains the nucleus of a good working organization, according to Mr. Leavell.

The purpose of the Junior Band is to furnish trained men for the Sweetwater Booster Band as vacancies may occur and in that way keep the band organization supplied.

BIT BY RATTLE SNAKE

John H. Babb, Jr., in hospital at Post City in Critical Condition—A Monster Snake.

John H. Babb, Jr., 20 years old, brother of J. C. Babb, is in a hospital in a critical condition condition at Post City as the result of being bitten by a rattlesnake Friday noon near Post.

Young Babb, accompanied by his father was driving cattle and is thought to have dismounted to kill the snake. Young Babb, accompanied by his father was driving cattle and is thought to have dismounted to kill the snake. The wounds were treated with kerosene and medical assistance called in. The doctor placed the young man in the hospital at Post, where he spent a restless night Friday, but his condition was slightly better Saturday morning.

Babb had planned to leave for Austin Friday night to re-enter the University, where he will receive a degree at the end of the coming year. He is an assistant in the school of Business and Public Administration.

HOW NOLAN COUNTY VOTED.
Correct Report Of Both Primaries Are Given By H. C. Hord.

A correct and complete report regarding the total vote cast in the runoff primary for State officers has been compiled by H. C. Hord, county chairman. The confusion resulting in the statements of the Election Bureau and the Democratic Convention is explained in the following statement together with the total vote cast in both primaries.

The statement follows:
"On account of the short time, only four days, from the meeting of the County Committee to count the vote, until the meeting of the State Convention, it is simply impossible for that body to procure complete returns, hence the figures they give out are never complete.

"The Texas Election Bureau on September 3rd, gave out its final and complete figures for both primaries.

"The confusion arising from the wide difference of the figures given out by this Bureau and the Convention report was caused by the former having reports from 2236 counties and the latter from only 209.

"For future reference, the final figures of both primaries are given below:

July Primary, For Senator:—
Mayfield 163,910
Ferguson 131,308
Culbertson 103,999
Thomas 89,682
Ousley 62,461
Henry 44,429

Run-Off Primary, For Senator:—
Mayfield 317,591
Ferguson 265,233

Mayfield's Majority 52,358
The vote of Nolan County, was:
Mayfield 1,424
Ferguson 1,288

Mayfield's majority 146

NIECE VISITS CHESLEY
Miss Rogers is visiting in Sweetwater from Trivoli, near Corpus Christi. She is a niece of John Chesley.

NEW CAFE OPENS

A new cafe has been opened by Face Brothers in the Cowen Block next to Aldredge Brothers Market. New decorations add to a neat appearance. They plan to remain open day and night.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

A marriage license was issued Thursday to Miss Fae Galloway of Royston and C. W. Farland of Blackwell. A permit was also issued to Miss Corbie Smith of Claremont and

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 Woman's Bible study class meets on Thursday afternoon; Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
 The public is cordially invited to attend all these services.

Lamar Street Baptist Church.
 Located at the corner of Lamar and

Lewis avenue.
 Sermon 11 a.m. and 8:15 p.m. by Rev. Phil Little of Merkel.
 Sunday school 10 a.m. John R. Lewis, Supt. The Senior B. Y. P. U. meets each Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock; prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock.
 The public is cordially invited to attend each of these services.

First Methodist Church.
 Located at the corner of Cedar and East 4th Streets; Rev. D. B. Doak, pastor.
 Sunday school, 9:45 a.m., Judge A. S. Mauzey, Superintendent.
 Morning service 11:00
 Evening Service 8:15
 Special music at both services by the choir.
 Epworth League meets each Sunday

evening in the basement at 6:45.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.
 The public is cordially invited to each of these services.

First Presbyterian Church.
 Located at the corner of North 4th and Locust streets; Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor.
 Supt. D. A. Clark.
 Morning sermon 11 o'clock. Evening sermon 8:15 o'clock.
 Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 The public is cordially invited to attend each of these services.

NAZARENE CHURCH
 W. B. Howard, pastor.
 Located W. N. 3rd St.
 Morning service 11 a.m.
 Evening service 8:15 p.m.
 The Christians and public generally of the city are cordially invited, to attend all services held here.

First Christian Church
 Pastor Rev. Jas. T. McKissick.
 Corner E. N. 3rd and Elm St.
 Morning sermon 11 o'clock. Subject, Evening service at 8:15. Subject, Sunday school rally at 9:45 a.m. All members urged to come.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 8:15 p.m. Strangers welcome.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
 Located on North Locust street.
 Rev. John Showell of Lubbock, pastor in charge.
 Services every Second and Fourth Sunday's of the month.
 Morning sermon 11 o'clock a.m.
 Evening sermon 8:15 a.m.
 Sunday School 10 o'clock a.m. Mrs. R. E. Ledford Supt.
 Ladies Guild meets every Monday afternoon at the home of the members.

SETS NEW PRODUCTION MARK
 New Wells in Coast Fields Offset Slump in Other Fields

HOUSTON, Sept. 16.—Production in the Gulf Coast oil fields, including the Somerset and Miranda pools, reached a total amount of 107,275 barrels, a new high mark for this section since early in June previous to the drop in oil prices, during the month of August, according to reports to the Oil Weekly here.
 The downward tendency of produc-

tion, noticeable in other fields is being offset to a large extent along the Gulf Coast by the large number of current completions. The new wells, which for the most part are larger than the ordinary have checked the natural decline in other districts where curtailment is under

Three completions for a total output of 6,700 barrels were reported in the Hull field. The Humble Company's well on the Carbello tract at Orange came in for 1500 barrels in sand at 3890 feet. In the West Columbia field the Texas Company's No. 77 Hogz. is making 900 at 2850 feet. This is the largest of the new wells in that field.

Other completions in the Gulf field were about equally divided between small producers and failures.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK

There will be a meeting to the base of the Methodist Church. Mrs. W. W. Beall will be hostess of the Social and Calendar Club of the Woman's Missionary Society and the Gleaners of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. F. G. Robertson announces that a very entertaining program has been arranged by Mrs. M. D. Willis and it is the desire of the society that every Methodist woman and girl be in attendance.

BRIDE ELECT HONORED

Mrs. W. M. Pomby, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Jessie Bryan of Huntsville, entertained with a miscellaneous shower Thursday afternoon as a pre-nuptial courtesy for her sister, Miss Minnie Tomby, who becomes the bride of William Pence of this city Monday evening.

The guests were limited to the friends of the bride elect and Mrs. Pomby's near neighbors and was a most enjoyable affair.

The "Shower" consisted of a miscellaneous collection of gifts, both useful and beautiful in household linens, lingerie, china, cut glass and silver.

The bride elect's grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Justiss, near eighty years or past was present and enjoyed the party as much as theyounger members of the party. When the gifts had been passed among the guests and admired to the fullest extent, Miss Pomby thanked her friends in a few well chosen words for the lovely gifts and their good wishes for her happiness.

Mrs. Pomby and Mrs. Bryan served a delightful chicken salad course. The guest list included, besides the bride elect, Mrs. W. P. Pomby, Mrs. R. O. Pence, Mrs. Catherine Justiss, Mrs. Jesse Robertson, Mrs. W. M. Mitchell, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Agnes Quast, Mrs. H. Rapo, Mrs. J. J. Ford, Mrs. George Owens, Mrs. Harry Bacon, Misses Mary Pence, Pay and Wildo Justiss, Mary and Helen Sawyers and Bernice Elmore.

T. E. L. CLASS

Mrs. S. J. Jackson was hostess Wednesday at a social and business meeting of the T. E. L. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. H. A. Bullock opened the devotional part of the meeting by reading the 14th chapter of John and was followed with an earnest prayer by Mrs. L. G. Morony. The class song, "My Path Leads Up to Thee," was sung.

Mrs. J. A. Mullins, class president, took the chair at the close of the devotional hour. Mrs. H. C. Scott, the secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting. The class received their

class registration papers and the different requirements to meet the A1 degree of excellence were discussed. The class is able to meet every regulation but having a separate class room, which will be overcome when the new church is built.

A pleasant social hour followed, during which Mrs. Jackson introduced a unique contest in "modelling". Mrs. Stamps won by modelling the most perfect goose. The material used was chewing gum and Mrs. Stamps was rewarded with a package of gum. Miss Ellen Neely delighted the guests with several violin numbers.

The hostess served refreshing ice cold punch with individual cakes to the following guests, Mrs. J. A. Mullins, Mrs. H. C. Scott, Mrs. W. H. Stamps, Mrs. R. C. Crane, Mrs. H. A. Bullock, Mrs. Henry Rogers, Mrs. W. M. Mitchell, Mrs. L. G. Morony, Mrs. Derrick, Mrs. Tom Farris, Misses Ruth Derrick, Mable Spann and Ellen Neely.

CHORAL CLUB

The Choral Club held business meeting at the home of Mrs. Rufus Wright this week and laid plans preparatory to taking up their year's study course under the direction of Prof. Thomas Dewey, of Colorado, who has been director of the club since it was organized seven years ago.

The club roster is full and each member has assumed her part with enthusiasm. Mrs. Wright's home will be the regular meeting place again this year and meetings will be held every Tuesday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock.

Club officers and membership roll follow: President, Mrs. Ellis Douthitt; Vice president, Mrs. M. C. Manroe; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Carl W. Bona; recording secretary and treasurer, Mrs. R. L. McCaulley; Accompanist, Mrs. John Hubbard; assistant accompanist to be appointed. Other members are: Mrs. F. J. Neal, Mrs. Ted Myers, who is acting as secretary in the absence of Mrs. McCaulley; Mrs. Gerald Fitzgerald, Mrs. Hubert Tolar, Mrs. Rufus Wright, Mrs. A. W. Campbell, Mrs. Tom Moore, Mrs. L. M. Weston, Mrs. R. M. Chitwood, Mrs. F. C. Brown, Mrs. S. I. Edwards, Mrs. T. A. Wacker, Mrs. Roy Scandy, Mrs. Elizabeth Tolson, Mrs. E. O. Collins, Mrs. Homer Bradford, Misses Ruby Hemby, Mable Spann, Emma and Marie Nicholson.

1922 BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Jim Delaney was hostess Wednesday afternoon at a meeting of the 1922 Bridge Club for their first meeting following a three months' vacation.

Three tables were in play and Mrs. A. W. Christian of Dallas, Mrs. Robert Calvert, Mrs. Shade and Miss Ione McLain played substitute hands. Mrs. A. J. Wimberley was also a guest and assisted her sister in entertaining and serving the refreshment course. Vases of roses brightened the reception rooms. Mrs. Ellis Douthitt will be hostess at the next meeting on the 27th of September.

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Besides the guests mentioned, the following club members were present: Mrs. Don Clayton, Mrs. Carl Ragland, Mrs. R. S. Malone, Mrs. J. M. Charl-

ton, Mrs. Dalton Moore, Mrs. V. R. Neuhauser, Mrs. John Hubbard, and Mrs. Joe Boothe.

Mrs. J. M. Charlton will entertain the Episcopal Guild Monday afternoon.

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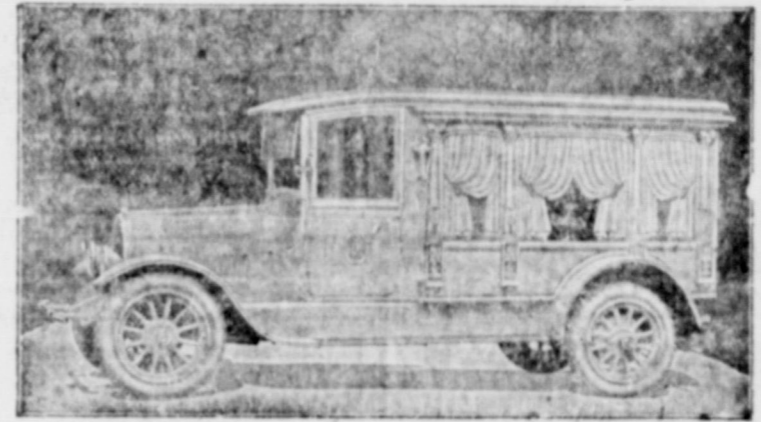
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Carr have an apartment in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Gardner on W. N. 4th St.

Mrs. Jas. Henry Beall, Jr. will be hostess of the Wednesday Bridge Club on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Beulah Davis acted as substitute teacher at the East ward school Friday, relieving Miss Gertrude Vinson who has been teaching all week.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. R. Edwards and family are now located at the home of Mrs. E. V. Grogan at 309 E. N. St.

George Howell who moved with his family to Dallas a few weeks ago was in the city Friday on business.

Miss Lucille Scarbrough of Cameron, visited friends here this week as she was enroute to Abilene to enter Simmons College.

Rev. R. A. Stewart has gone to Clarendon to attend a mass meeting of the Presiding Elders of the North West Texas Methodist Conference.

Mrs. Thomas Trammell is reported not to be improving since, passing the crisis from an attack of pneumonia, from which she has been suffering the past fifteen days.

The Eastern Star members will hold Ball, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. All members and all visiting Eastern Star members in the city are cordially invited to be present.

Marshal Morgan left for Waco Saturday night where he will visit his mother, Mrs. Frank Morgan and his sister, Mrs. T. W. Moss before going to Austin to re-enter the State University for his third term.

Rev. Batsell Baxter of the Abilene Christian College arrived on the morning train and will preach at both morning and evening services at the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Donald Johnson will entertain Circle B of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon and circle B will hold their meeting at the church.

Misses Rozelle Brand will leave tonight for Austin where she will enter the State University for the year. She will go on to San Antonio to visit her aunt, Mrs. Ed. Smith and family for several weeks, before returning home.

Rev. E. W. McLaurin reached home in time to fill his appointments at the Presbyterian Church at his regular services today. He has been attending the State Convention of the American Legion at Waco this week. Mrs. McLaurin visited her mother, Mrs. W. J. Arthur at Merkel during his absence.

Clifton Cox, Lindley Neal and Weldon McGinn left last night for Dallas to join Billy Myers and together they will go to College Station where they will enter A. & M. College for the year. It is probable that they will be joined at Fort Worth by Jack Murphy a former Sweetwater boy who has attended A. & M. the past two years.

STORM BREWING.

By The United Press. HOUSTON, Sept. 16.—A tropical storm was reported today off the island of Domingo in the West Indies that was growing in intensity. The storm was reported just north of the island of St. Christopher and moving northwestward. The disturbance is said to have no bearing on the heavy rainfall that is general over the Texas Gulf Coast today.

GUILTY OF TREASON.

Walter Allen Found Guilty In Connection With Mine War—Gets 10 Years.

By The United Press. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 16.—Walter Allen was found guilty of treason late today in connection with the march of the miners on Logan County last year.

The jury in the case recommended that he be given sentence of ten years instead of the death penalty. The crime of treason is exceptionally rare in the annals of the courts of the United States except in war time.

STRIKE NEAR END

Rail Situation Clearing On Many Big Roads—Local Men Are Not Affected—Still Out

By The United Press. CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The railroad situation was rapidly clearing tonight, settlements, either by separate agreements with the Shopcraft organizations or by the formation of company unions had been reached on many of the large railroad systems of the country. Negotiations for peace were under way on many of the other roads. Railroad officials believed that the "runaway" strike on the Chicago Northwestern railroad would end immediately. According to the shopmen, they were ordered not to return to work until the new men were dismissed. Several hundred men returned today, however.

The terms of the settlement entered into by many of the northern and eastern railroad systems did not affect the situation in Sweetwater, as neither the Santa Fe nor Texas & Pacific were a party to the proceedings, nor for that matter, did it affect any of the Southwestern railroads, as the Katy and other lines followed the example of the Santa Fe. A good many of the men on strike living in Sweetwater have been picking cotton, others have secured employment in other lines, and it is understood that not a few have definitely decided to give up railroading as a career.

One Santa Fe machinist stated Saturday that he would probably move to Dallas and take a position with the Dallas News as a machinist for repair work on that plant's machinery. He said that he had been employed here by the Santa Fe for twelve years, having went in the local shop as an apprentice and worked his way up, until the strike came on.

EASTERN STAR MEETING

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star will be held at the Masonic Hall Tuesday at 8 p. m. All members and visiting members in the city invited. Mrs. Mamie Crane, W. M.

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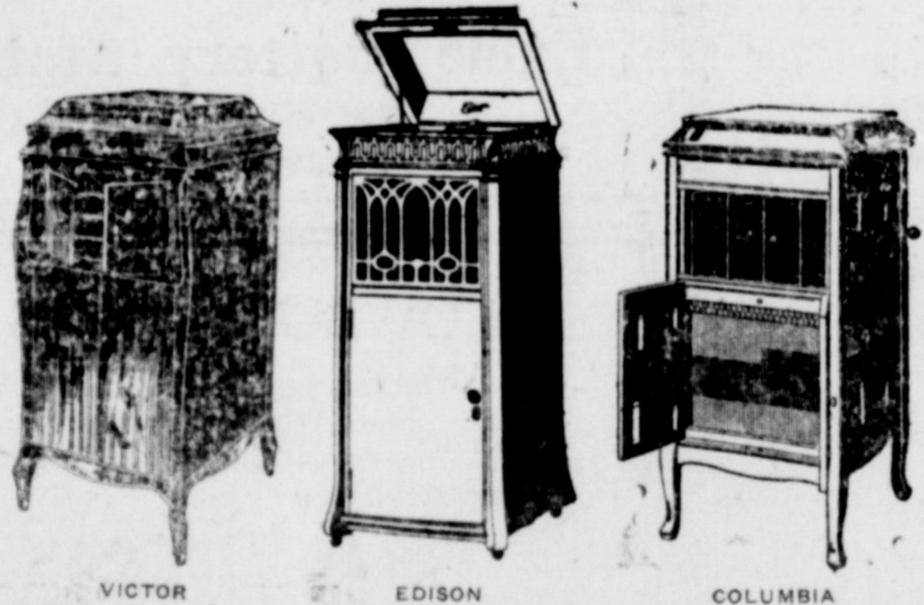
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