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GANGSTERS PAID TO END SESSION

Deadlock in State Legislature Broken When Gang Plants Chemicals and Gas in Halls.

BOUGHT BY REPUBLICANS

Affidavits State They Were Hired by Toomey and Paid by Pelkey—Senators Overcome by Fumes

By The United Press. PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 18.—The Providence News today prints a sensational story asserting that it has affidavits from a number of New York and Boston gangsters in which they confess that they were hired by Republicans to break the recent filibuster in the State Legislature.

The gangsters, according to the newspaper, are the men who introduced bundles of gauze and paper treated with powerful chemicals in the legislative halls during the filibuster, causing several men to be overcome. They said that they were hired by John Toomey of Providence and paid by William C. Pelkey, chairman of the Republican state central committee, according to the paper.

The gas saturated papers were discovered in the Senate after several Senators had become so ill that they had to be treated in hospitals. The Senate had been deadlocked since it convened the first of the year.

According to one of the affidavits, headquarters of the gang on June 19 was in the Senate room. It states that Toomey in the presence of Pelkey asked one of the men to place something he had in his coat pocket as near the Lieutenant Governor as possible.

The affidavit says the gangster refused. Later, another of the men was called, and two of them entered the chamber. One of them took a seat near the rostrum, according to the affidavit, and in a few minutes bent over and dropped something he had in his hands.

HOMELESS FAMILIES INCREASE

Automobiles Produce Drifters, Official Says.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 18.—The "homeless man" and the "automobile family" are two of the most serious dangers to the country and the American home today, according to J. B. Rawlings of the Associated Charities here. Rawlings pointed out that 25 years ago, the "homeless man" was the man too old to work. Today he is the boy from 16 to 25 years of age who is seeing the country at the expense of communities, Rawlings said.

The automobile family is of the same nature. Traveling about the country throughout the year, children of these people never go to school or church, Rawlings said. As a result, they become "drifters" later on.

Grammar Class in City Court For 5 Vagrant Youths

"I work, you work, they work." The conjugation of the verb "work" started off a session of a "Grammar Class" in Corporation Court Friday morning when the "Class," composed of five young men between the ages of 15 and 20 who were picked up by officers as vagrants Thursday night, conjugated this verb as a preliminary to their hearing.

The boys were found asleep in a yard on the south side Thursday night and were removed to the city lock-up. They stated before Judge Yantis Friday that they were enroute to the harvest fields and had stopped over in Sweetwater. Four of the boys were from Louisiana and the fifth gave his home as Cleveland, Ohio. Upon being informed by the Judge that the harvest season in Texas was practically over they stated that they had had a thousand mile hike for nothing.

The group was given a cake of soap and directed by the Judge to dive in the first tank they came to and wash their clothes as well as themselves, and with final instructions to be out of the city in five minutes, they departed, headed west.

Shaver Davis' Manager. By The United Press. NEW YORK, July 18.—Clem Shaver, of West Virginia, the man who did more than any other in the nomination of John W. Davis, has been decided upon as chairman of the Democratic national committee and manager of the Davis campaign, the United Press learned from a reliable source today. Announcement of the appointment is expected this evening.

WORLD FLIER IS FOUND ON ISLAND

Major McLauren, British Flier, Forced to Land in Attempting Jump Across Storm Area.

OFF AGAIN SATURDAY

Party of Four in High Spirits—Radio Message Says Big Machine Is Undamaged.

By The United Press. TOKIO, Japan, July 18.—Major A. Stewart McLauren, missing British world flier, was found safe on an island in the Kurils group of Japan today.

He had covered half the distance to Paramushu Island when he was forced to land. He had just begun the most perilous part of his 'round the world flight—the crossing of the Pacific in short jumps from one group of the blizzard swept islands to the next.

Major McLauren had been missing nearly 48 hours.

By The United Press. TOKIO, Japan, July 18.—Major Stewart McLauren will hop off again for the storm swept North at 4 a. m. tomorrow. A message radioed from the island where he was found said that the big plane was not damaged and that all four passengers were in high spirits.

Newsies Scoop Mexicans.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 18.—Business was mighty poor for a group of "newsies" who were trying to sell their last editions over in the Mexican section of the city. After a brief conference, the boys hit upon a plan. They dashed into a Mexican restaurant, crowded with patrons, crying "Extra—Revolution in Mexico." In less time than it takes to tell, the boys were completely sold out and beat a hasty retreat before the buyers found they had been made victims of a salesmanship coup.

FIREMAN SAVES THREE

Cautions Engineer When "Fools First" Race Train.

HOUSTON, Texas, July 18.—A Southern Pacific fireman's hunch saved the lives of three occupants of a Ford car who raced a freight train near here. The fireman saw the Ford approaching the railroad crossing and cautioned the engineer to get the train under control. Sure enough the car tried to cross ahead of the freight, struck a cattle guard and threw the occupants directly on the track. The engineer, with the train under control, stopped just in time to keep from hitting the men.

Rain in Plains County.

Rain clouds again came within striking distance of Sweetwater Thursday night and retired without any action. Rains were reported by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., at Floydada, Ralls, and Ida Lou.

New Mail Service Record.

By International News. SAPULPA, Ok., July 18.—A letter postmarked, Kalamazoo, Mich., and bearing the date September 10, 1923, was delivered this week to a local furniture firm. No reason could be given by the local postmaster as to the delay. The letter contained an invoice and a bill.

Pigeon Sets Speed Record.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 18.—All records for speed between Panguola, Miss., and San Antonio have been smashed by a carrier pigeon owned by V. L. Gillett. The bird made the 605 miles in 19 hours, 50 minutes, and 10 seconds in a race held by the Lone Star Pigeon Club.

After Cowgirls' Prize



Citizens from the ranches of the west, northwest and southwest are vying for the cowgirls' championship at the Frontier Days' celebration in Cheyenne, Wyo., July 22-25. And here is one of them—Rose Smith of Dallas, Tex. To the winner goes spurs once owned by King Kikaku of Hawaii, and a trip to Hawaii.

MAY QUARANTINE BREAKFAST CHAT

U. S. Investigates Typhus Situation in Rio Grande City—Report Several Hundred Cases.

By The United Press. AUSTIN, Texas, July 18.—Developments in the typhus situation in Starr County came fast this morning and it was believed in the state capital that before the close of day quarantine against the infected county would be established.

The Federal Government has taken cognizance of the situation and a representative of the U. S. Public Health Service is now enroute to Rio Grande City for a thorough investigation. While only 18 cases have been reported officially, the statement is made that there are several hundred.

FORD GOING WEST

"Ten Millionth" Car Crossing the Continent.

"Watch for the Ten Millionth Ford" has become a slogan along the Lincoln Highway.

The sturdy little car, crossing the continent from New York to San Francisco is performing in true Ford style, maintaining a schedule which will find it crossing Illinois and Iowa on the third week's lap of its cross-country run.

It has become something of a sensation along the great national roadway and is being welcomed with enthusiastic demonstrations everywhere. Accounts of the tour so far, during which the car traveled from New York down through New Jersey, and westward across the mountains in Pennsylvania and out over Ohio and Indiana, show that city, county and state officials are joining with residents of their communities in welcoming the ten millionth addition to the great Ford family. Particularly demonstrative were the receptions in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. At the latter city the parade drew up at the city hall where Mayor McGee and other city officials extended a hearty welcome.

Miss Francis Fitzgerald is convalescing nicely from a recent attack of small-pox at the home of Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Hamilton, at Farmersville, where she has been visiting several weeks. The case was not very severe, though she was quite ill several days. The Hamilton family was vaccinated immediately and so far none of them have contracted the disease. How or where Miss Fitzgerald was exposed to it is still a mystery. She is now nearly well but will be under quarantine until the first part of August.

Weather.

Tonight and Saturday, partly cloudy with probable showers in extreme West.

Dohenys to Appear. By The United Press. LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 18.—Edward L. Doheny and Edward L. Doheny Jr., were to appear to the office of the U. S. Commissioner here today and submit to formal arrest on the indictment returned by the Washington Federal Grand Jury. Harry F. Sainclair and Albert Fall have already appeared and made bond.

KNIFE WELDER PLACED IN JAIL

C. B. Harris Locked Up After Threatening Three Men With Long Blade.

BEEN DECLARED INSANE

Served Term in Asylum and Penitentiary—Will Try For Insanity Probably Friday.

C. B. Harris is in the county jail following a near fight on Oak street late Thursday when Harris is alleged to have threatened two men, Charles, and Owens, and to have drawn a knife on a third, J. T. Johnson, in front of the City National Bank building. Harris, according to several witnesses, was cursing, drew a long knife and started to attack J. T. Johnson.

Chief of Police Johnson, Deputy Sheriff Musgrove and several men on the street succeeded after a short struggle in removing the knife from his hand, although Harris vigorously attempted to resist arrest. He was carried, struggling, to the county jail. Both Harris and Johnson are very old men. Harris at one time was adjudged insane and was sent to an asylum where he was later released on parole. He also served a sentence in the penitentiary, it is reported.

According to officers, a charge of insanity will be filed against the man in county court, and a trial will probably be held here soon.

RAPS TOM LOVE

Alliance of Love and Owsley With "Largest Liquor Retailer" Draws Amarillo Fire.

AMARILLO, Texas, July 18.—The alliance of Tom Love with Z. E. ("Zeke") Marvin of Dallas, whom he calls the "greatest retailer of liquor in Texas," is deplored in a letter written by W. G. Fly of Amarillo to Mrs. Claude De Van Watts, president of the Texas Women's Christian Temperance Union. Alvin Owsley is also scored for his alliance with Marvin and endorsement of Robertson, candidate for governor.

Charge is made that Love endorsed Felix D. Robertson for Governor in payment to Marvin for his reelection as national committeeman from Texas. In payment of a political obligation, he also said that Alvin Owsley had come out for Robertson in return for endorsement as vice president by the Texas delegation at the Democratic National Convention.

Love and Marvin had an understanding that if Marvin would throw the influence of a certain organization to McAdoo for the Democratic nomination, that he, Love, would throw the influence of the state machine behind Felix D. Robertson for Governor. Fly charges.

In his letter Fly charges "we have the disgraceful spectacle of seeing a prohibition leader in an alliance with the largest retailer of liquor in Texas. When I protested against such an alliance, Marvin said that he was interested only in the election of Robertson, and that at the proper time Tom Love and others would announce for Robertson.

"Love and Owsley have fulfilled their part of the contract. Owsley was to make his announcement for Robertson in return for Marvin's influence to have the Waco convention endorsed him for vice president."

The South Prayer Circle will meet Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Olmstead. Mrs. Bert Edison will direct the Bible lesson and all the ladies of the neighborhood are extended a cordial invitation to be present.

SEEK MATE FOR BOB LA FOLLETTE

Followers of La Follette Gather at Washington to Pick Out Vice Presidential Candidate.

DEBBS ISSUES CALL

Choice Seems to Have Settled Down to Four Men—McPharren Said to be Likely.

By The United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 18.—A militant band of Senator Robert M. La Follette's followers gathered here today from every section of the country to select his running mate. The question is to be discussed by the entire group of 42 national committeemen.

While several names will be presented to the committee, it is understood that those under consideration have narrowed to the following four: John J. McPharren, master of the Pennsylvania State Grange; Peter Whitt, Cleveland Labor Leader; James Maurer, head of the Pennsylvania State Federation of Labor; Parley Christensen, Farmer-Labor candidate for president in 1920.

McPharren, a Democrat, is said to be the most likely choice. He is a real dirt farmer, and a rattling good campaigner.

Debbs Issues Call.

By The United Press. CHICAGO, Ill., July 18.—Eugene V. Debbs, socialist leader, from a sick bed in a sanitarium here today issued a call for the forces of socialism to swing wholeheartedly behind the progressive movement to elect La Follette president.

The progressive convention in Cleveland was in reality the American Labor Party in "embryo," Debbs said. He ridiculed the charge that the socialist party was wrecked by the decision to join La Follette. "The truth is that the party would have gone on the rocks if it had not joined the La Follette forces," Debbs declared.

"Let us of the Socialist party get behind the movement wholeheartedly, and help make the campaign an overwhelming success."

PLAN COFFEE PLANT

Amarillo May Be Distributing Center For Java.

Special to Reporter.

AMARILLO, Texas, July 18.—Announcement of plans to establish a wholesale roasting and distributing coffee plant in Amarillo, the only business of its kind in this section outside of Fort Worth and Oklahoma City, was made recently by officials of the company who are here making preliminary plans for the opening of the house.

The business will be known as The Junior Coffee Company and will roast and pack all grades of package coffee here for wholesale distribution over all of West Texas, adjoining counties in New Mexico and Western Oklahoma.

Private to Prison, Wouldn't Recognize Officer in "Civies"

By The United Press.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 18.—What is believed to be a precedent for recognizing the authority of an officer attired in civilian clothes who tells a soldier his rank and orders him to do something, has been established by counsel for Private Eddyhouse, wagon Company No. 4, Q. M. C., who has taken exception to the evidence in the court martial trial in which Eddyhouse was sentenced to ten years in prison and given a dishonorable discharge from the service.

Eddyhouse was found guilty of striking First Lieutenant Paul R. Taylor of the 23rd infantry. Both were dressed in civilian clothes at the time of trouble. The defense claimed that under the circumstances, the statement of the officers' rank was insufficient information.

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UNNECESSARY DANGER

When mentally deficient persons who are apt to become violent are allowed to walk the streets of a city, the residents of that city are subjected to a danger that is not only unnecessary but too extreme to ask citizens to endure.

Bloodshed was narrowly averted on the streets of Sweetwater Thursday when an aged man who has been adjudged insane and spent several years in an institution attacked a respected citizen of the community with a large knife. Only the fortunate presence of an officer and citizens who intervened prevented a probable tragedy.

Criminals are confined behind the bars. Insane persons allowed their freedom are more dangerous than criminals, for they are not responsible for their acts, and no one knows when an innocent bystander may be attacked. Tax payers help keep up institutions where they should be confined. They should be put there before they injure or kill some of the taxpayers. It is alleged that the man who was placed in jail Thursday after he had been over powered and his dangerous weapon wrested from his hand, has a

record as a dangerously insane person and a public nuisance. The attack Thursday brought to light reports of several other instances in which the demented man and his immense knife have figured.

We are fortunate that none of our citizens have been injured. Let this unnecessary danger be removed before it is too late to avoid a tragedy.

MINOR INJURIES

Since the death of Calvin Coolidge Jr., brought on by a blister on his foot, scores of persons in the larger cities have visited emergency hospitals seeking treatment for blistered toes and heels.

Minor injuries are all the more dangerous because they are likely to be neglected. Infections may spread with amazing rapidity, as proved in the death of the President's son, who died a week after his foot was infected. Don't take a change. You may lose.

NEFF IS WINNER

Governor Neff is now the whip politician of Texas. That is the consensus of opinion following the nomination of John W. Davis by the Democrats last week.

It required courage for Governor Neff to take the stump and to oppose the other leading politicians for an uninstructed delegation last May.

But the New York convention has vindicated the governor. Democrats from all over the nation voted for J. W. Davis of West Virginia for the nominee.

When it comes to handing out political "pie," should Davis be elected President, Governor Neff will stand at the head of the list from Texas. He mentioned Davis as one of the available candidates.

Those persons who declared that Neff had crucified himself by opposing Tom Love, Cato Sells, Marshall Hicks and others are wrong. Neff today is a greater man than he was

three months ago when he came out against the instructed delegation.

The long fight at New York has more than ever shown the foolishness of instructing the delegates for a candidate. The instructed delegations largely made it impossible to agree on a nominee.—Amarillo News.

The modern young woman, when she is disappointed in love, doesn't pine away and die. She rushes to a beauty parlor.—Atchinson, Kas., Globe.

What has happened to the late lamented appeal for the possession of "bananas?"

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There are sermons in stones, and a large stone in a ring gives a girl the right to preach, announces the Wichita Beacon.

"Is her fiance tall and straight?" "He is tall, but he is also a Kansas City Politician."—Kansas City Star.

A man is sometimes given credit for making a fool of himself, when the credit really belongs to a woman.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Rogers and Mrs. Ira Pullen of Sweetwater and Mrs. Gallancamp of Lometa have been guests this week of Mrs. Rogers' brother, N. S. Bonner and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hilburn at Roby. They will return Sunday.

The East Prayer Circle met Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. W. Beall, with Mrs. Ben Jones leading the Bible study on "The Mouth." Scriptures were studied from Psalms, Proverbs, and James on the subject. A good attendance was reported.

PLAN JAP COLONY

Los Angeles Attorney Visits Missouri Ozarks Inspecting Lands—Says 45,000 Japs Will Leave Cal.

HOLLISTER, Mo., July 18.—Contemplating the purchase of large tracts of land, hundreds of Japanese residents of California may establish a colony in the Missouri Ozark mountains, according to a prominent lawyer of Los Angeles, who has been spending several days in this section of the state inspecting several large tracts of land.

He stated that approximately forty five thousand Japanese residents of the state of California have spent some time seeking land sites in other states, and in Mexico, on account of the passage of the California anti-alien land law, which prevents Japanese from owning or leasing land. He said further that the Missouri Ozarks afford better facilities for farming and marketing than any section which has been considered so far.

Nothing will be done in the immediate future, but the attorney has returned to Los Angeles with his favorable report. He will come to Hollister in September to further inspection of local lands. He was sure that the initial purchase of land would total twenty thousand acres when the Japanese were ready to act.

Miss Lola Armstrong Marries.

An exceptionally pretty wedding which took place in Merkel Saturday evening, and was announced to hundreds of Abilene friends here this morning was that of Miss Lola Armstrong and Mr. John W. Cox. While many of their friends had anticipated this event, they expected the wedding to take place Monday evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Cox were away on their honeymoon before the interested group of friends in Abilene knew of the wedding.—Abilene Reporter.

Miss Armstrong is a niece of Ira Armstrong of Sweetwater and is well known here, having visited her cousin Miss Thelma Armstrong on different occasions.

STEPS ON SPEEDERS

Undertaker Backs K. C. Judge in War On "Fool Speeders."

KANSAS CITY, Kan., July 18.—A philanthropic undertaker enjoying a thriving business has inserted the following advertisement in the Kansas City Kansan:

Police Judge Roberts is showing considerable speed in yanking the fool speed out of some of the Kansas City fool speeders. The speed hound and careless driver are more than a menace. They constitute a rolling pestilence. More speed to Judge Roberts' speed crusher.

Signed by the Undertaker.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hoyt and three children of Schenectady, New York, arrived last night to spend several weeks visiting Mrs. Hoyt's father, Judge C. P. Wooruff, and brother, Judge T. Vard Woodruff and family. She was formerly Miss Jane Woodruff and was reared in Sweetwater.

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Beautiful Birthday Party.

One of the most pleasant affairs enjoyed by the juvenile members of society in several weeks was the party given by Mrs. L. B. Roberts Wednesday afternoon, honoring the sixth birthday anniversary of her little daughter, Mary Julia. Miss Leona Roberts of Dallas, assisted Mrs. Roberts in entertaining the little folks and directed them in many jolly games and contests. The most enjoyable was the old favorite, "Pinning the Mule's Tail On," when Constance Brown won the Hershey bar as first prize and Bluford Hestir the package of chewing gum, for second place.

They were invited into the dining room, where the big white birthday cake, was resting on the table, which was laid with a Mother Goose crepe paper cloth. The cake was cut and the children were filled with delight over the many little prizes hidden in its snowy sweetness. With the cake was served lovely peach ice cream. Pink crepe paper baskets of candies were given as guest favors.

Rush Work at Simmons.

ABILENE, Texas, July 18.—The \$150,000 men's dormitory which is being erected at Simmons College to replace Cowden Hall, destroyed by fire two years ago, will be ready for

occupancy at the beginning of the winter or spring term of the next session, according to President J. D. Sandefer. Concrete forms for the third floor are now in place and work men are busily engaged now in pouring the concrete, with the expectation of having this work completed within the next three or four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Sistrunk will leave Saturday morning for Silverton, where they will make their future home. They were married here a few days ago. Mr. Sistrunk is from California and Mrs. Sistrunk was formerly Miss Ethel Hightower and lived about twelve miles north of the city.

Miss Lois Hogue will come home from Abilene this evening to spend the week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hogue.

Mrs. Willard Gibson announces that there will be no meeting Saturday afternoon of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Board of City Development, on account of the Federation meeting at Roscoe.

"Why is it that the best fishing hole is always across the river or nine miles further up?" laments the Strong City, Kas., News.



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Clyattville, Ga.—In a statement which she gave at her home on R. F. D. 1, here, Mrs. T. A. Copeland said: "I have, I believe, avoided a good deal of suffering by the use of Cardui, and am thoroughly convinced that it has been of great benefit to me.

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FOR RENT—Five-room apartment, unfurnished. Will rent any number of these rooms reasonable. 808 E. N. 2nd. 136tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms. 700 Bowie street. 144tfc

FOR RENT—Three rooms, partly furnished. Phone 300. 511 Cedar Street. 144tfc

MISCELLANEOUS.

Have location for combination, grocery, market, and bakery; attractive rental contract to right party. Rufus Wright. 117tfc

FOR SALE—Four room house, \$650 cash, balance like rent. Milton Pate. Palace Barber Shop. 139tfc

FOR SALE—Five room bungalow, east front, on Beall street 1 1-2 blocks from East Ward School. Mrs. Guy Morris, phone 386. 134tfc

FOR SALE—10 foot Challenge windmill nearly new with tower. R. L. Shaffer, Myres Saddle Shop. 144tfc

WANTED TO SELL OR TRADE—Lot 75x150 feet on south side. Bargain. See Mrs. E. O. Collins at Max Berman's or phone 389. 141t3d

LOST—Bunch of keys on key ring. Notify Whitakers Bakery. 145tfc

WANTED—Table boarders and roomers at reasonable prices. 1000 Locust street. Phone 456. 146t3p

CHIEF JUSTICE C. M. CURETON now serving first term, is asking re-election. Endorsed by the lawyers and bars generally throughout the State, for re-election. 146t1dp

AMUSEMENTS

A new Wesley Barry feature is scheduled at the Palace Theater today. It is called "George Washington Jr." and is adapted from the famous George M. Cohan stage comedy, which made such a tremendous hit in New York City. Wesley plays the title role, the same one that George M. Cohan played on the stage. This is a distinctly new characterization for him; he graduates, as it were, from "kid" roles into the young society man.

"George Washington Jr." is a rapidly moving comedy-drama of society

FOR SALE—Choice lots Bradford Addition; another good home; 200 acre cotton farm. G. E. Ramsey, 714 Bowie Street. 106tfc

Have space in Hotel Wright for a first class beauty parlor. Rufus Wright. 129tfc

Attractive terms on 18 acres close in for dairy, trucks, farm or chicken ranch. See Irwin and McBurnett, phone 625. 118tfc

WANTED—To trade 160-a. well improved farm for unencumbered Sweetwater property. See Harry Cress at Texas Hotel. 131tfc

ROOM AND BOARD—902 Locust street. Phone 205. 132tfc

LAND WANTED—500 to 1000 acres. Have two clear farms and a nice residence in Hopkins County, 138 acres in one farm, other 149 acres, well improved, will assume or pay cash difference for 500 to 1000 acres well improved farm and ranch near Sweetwater, see L. C. Morris, 226 Bedell Bldg., San Antonio, Texas. 134tfc

HOUSE WANTED—Four or five rooms, on terms. Give particulars and location. B. B. Box 224. 142t5dp

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, new paint, new top, good tires. In good mechanical condition every way. Western Motor Co. 142tfc

FOR SALE—My residence 905 Walnut; good buy for someone; terms to suit. Mark Litchfield. 144t6dc

FOR SALE—House and lot, 75x150; two blocks off square. 306 East North Third; terms. Homer J. Bradford. 145t3c

FOR SALE—Pigs, two months old. Dad Morris. Phone 304. 146t5dp

MASONIC NOTICE
A. F. & A. M. Meeting tonight at 7:30, work in Entered Apprentice and Fellowcraft Degrees.
M. C. Manroe, W. M.
J. S. Schoeler, Sec'y.

life in the highest political circles of our capital. Its brilliant and polished senators, foreign diplomats and noblemen give enough promise of a highly spiced interesting picture.

But in addition to all there is Wesley Barry, the inimitable young actor, who never fails to win his way into your heart before the picture fades off the screen.

The story deals with the long drawn out feud between Senators Gelgrave and Hopkins, political enemies for many years and always opposing each other on principle. Senator Gelgrave's son is George, who has styled himself "George Washington Jr." because he follows to the letter the tra-

ditional truthfulness of our first president. George returns from prep school and spends his time studying the life and letters of our hero. He firmly decides to devote his life in carrying out the maxims and ideals of the Father of Our Country.

PEOPLE WHO WERE ONCE GOOD LOOKING

A heartrending and yet interesting thing happened in a downtown store when a middle-aged lady got into a loud argument with a clerk. "I know what I want," she kept saying. "I have tried all those other things, but I know from what I saw it do for some friends of mine that it is Black and White Ointment which gets rid of these pimples and blotches. I was just as pretty as any girl when I was young, but I got careless and now I am in the fix you see."

So many people are now insisting on Black and White Ointment, and Black and White Soap, to get rid of pimples, blotches, eczema, rash, tetter, ringworm, "breaking out," etc., because they see and hear of thousands of others who now know they can depend upon it. And they are more economical, too. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the liberal 25c size. All dealers have both the Ointment and Soap.

Mrs. A. Levy and children visited several days this week with relatives at Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hughes left Wednesday on a vacation trip through New Mexico, Arizona, for Colorado Springs, Denver and vicinity. They are making the trip in their car and will camp along the route.

In line with the general clean-up of the city, officials have ordered that all turning posts of the city receive a fresh coat of white paint. The painting job has now been completed and the turning posts are gleaming brightly in their white paint at all street crossings.

Miss Milton Tatum of Fort Worth is a guest in the home of her uncle, L. C. Tatom and family on E. N. 3rd street.

Miss Clara Bell Willis is expected to return home Sunday evening from a three weeks' visit at Hamlin, where she has been guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Boyd and daughter, Miss Velma and other relatives.

Miss Uleta Williams, of Dallas, sister of J. D. Williams who has been spending a part of her summer vacations here for several years, is traveling in Alaska, now with the Frank Reedy Tourist Party, and writes that she is having a wonderful trip. She will return here the latter part of August.

Mrs. John Farmer and children visited her aunt, Mrs. Weatherby at Colorado this week.

Mrs. Wiley Williams and three children of Stacy are in the city visiting at the homes of Mrs. C. A. Clayton and Mrs. J. E. Barrick. She formerly lived here for some time, on Locust street.

past three days in the Champion community, making canning demonstrations for the women and girls in the Home Demonstration Clubs.

Mrs. W. S. Cooper and children of Colorado are visiting this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade on the South Side.

STOP THAT ITCHING
If you suffer from any form of skin diseases, such as Eczema, Itch, Tetter, Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ringworm, Old Sores and Sores on Children, Sore Blistered Feet or any other skin diseases, we will sell you a jar of Blue Star Remedy on a guarantee will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

For Sale by Bowen's.

We Cannot Tell a Lie--You'll Like Wesley Barry in 'Geo. Washington Jr.'

The first President of the United Laughter. A snappy jazzy, social comedy in which "Freckles emerges from knickers into the long-trousered role of a dashing young hero—



CHOCK FULL OF SIDE SPLITTING THRILLING COMEDY

THE STAR IN A STARRING PERFORMANCE

—AND HE NEVER TOLD A LIE—

Tells why the professional truth-teller gets the cold shoulder and why a good bouncing whopper of a lie makes the whole world kin.

Come prepared to laugh your head off.

Also showing—

"HER DANGEROUS PATH" and AESOP'S FABLES.



FRIDAY and SATURDAY



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Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.



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Reduced \$2.00 Each Day Until Sold



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"Some people dislike to call it the Itch, but candor compels me to admit I had it badly. Your Hunt's Salve, however, cured me after many other remedies had totally failed."

"HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) are especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter and other itching skin diseases, and is sold on our money-back guarantee by all reliable drug stores.

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