

## MEXICAN WAR CONTINUES

### President Coolidge Delivers Budget Message

#### URGES CONGRESS TO BE VERY CAUTIOUS IN COMPLYING WITH THE REGULATIONS OF THE BUDGET

#### War Veterans Bureau has Received the Most Drastic Slashing of Funds; Pro Enforcement Provided For

By RAYMOND CLAPPER  
(United News Staff Correspondent)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—President Coolidge is opposed to the so-called "soldier bonus" and is emphatically behind the program of Secretary Mellon for cutting taxes next year.

In a special message, transmitting to Congress the budget for the fiscal year of 1923, the President held the "soldier bonus" to be a block in the path of all tax relief and not a "proper obligation" to veterans.

"I question if there is any sound reason for such a measure," he said in his message. The time has come he said, to share the benefits of governmental economies, past and in prospect with the people by reducing the tax burden.

Appropriations asked for the fiscal year beginning next July are \$266,000,000 below those of the current year.

"This was essential to a policy of strict and drastic economy," Coolidge explained. "That is the admin-

istration's undebatable policy. It has been adhered to unwaveringly in the past and we shall hew to the line in the future."

Only three executive departments escaped being slashed. Coolidge is insisting upon these cuts so that the Mellon tax reduction program can be effected. Repeating the declaration in his message to Congress, Coolidge is emphatically behind that plan and against the soldier bonus.

Rigorous adherence by Congress to budget estimates will permit immediate and continuing relief, enactment of extraordinary appropriation measures not contemplated in the budget will defeat it, Mr. Coolidge declared.

For his part, he will guarantee that the executive department's responsibility to him will "hew to the line," he told Congress.

The budget transmitted by Mr. Coolidge provided for government expenditures of \$3,298,090,444 during the 1923 fiscal year; \$266,957,644 less than during the current year, and the lowest yearly expenditure of the government since before the war.

#### PROGRESSIVES IN SENATE COMBINE TO OPPOSE CUMMINS

By THOMAS L. STOKES  
United News Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Through a sudden turn of circumstances, seven progressives in the senate, LaFollette men, have seized the whip and have announced that they will crack it over the regular until Senator Cummins of Iowa, is ousted from one of his two jobs. Cummins, a regular, is president of the Senate and chairman of the interstate commerce committee which frames railroad legislation.

Repeating the recent tieup in the house of representatives, which was deadlocked for two days by LaFollette's followers there, the senate progressives successfully blocked organization of the senate Monday, and the regulars called off the fight against the progressives.

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#### WALTON BEGINS WORK ON ORDER TO FIGHT KLAN

His Paper Will Be A National Organ For Order

By United News  
OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 10.—J. C. Walton, impeached governor of Oklahoma, Monday began the organization of the National Society of American Freemen, an anti-Klan organization.

The new body will plunge immediately into action against the Ku Klux Klan and attempt to defeat candidates for public offices who sympathize with or who are members of the hooded order and to conduct an anti-Klan editorial campaign.

#### RATIFICATION OF TREATY WILL AID AMERICANS IN GERMANY

By United News  
BERLIN, Dec. 10.—Terms of the new German American treaty will, if the treaty is ratified, greatly improve the position of Americans here, and will have a stimulating effect on German-American trade.

The United Press learns that the treaty grants "the most favored nation" treatment to Germany in the matter of trades and shipping, and provides that no higher duties or stronger import prohibition shall be laid against the goods of the contracting parties than are laid against goods of other countries.

Article two of the treaty will solve many American problems here, as it makes Germans in America and Americans in Germany subject to the same taxes as natives of the countries. In some cases here, Americans have been forced to pay higher taxes than Germans.

Article three deals with questions of extra-territoriality. Article four with inheritances and article five with religious freedom.

#### LABOR GOVERNMENT IS FEARED BY BRITISH CONSERVATIVES

By CHARLES McCANN  
United News Staff Correspondent  
LONDON, Dec. 10.—The shadow of a labor government still darkens the path that English conservatives and liberal statesmen survey as a way out of a yet unsolved political maze. The belief grows, however, that the immediate solution will probably be the retention of the conservatives and probably Premier Baldwin himself, until parliament meets on January 8.

But nothing is definite. The political oracles are still staggering through the mental fog that descended when labor's returns began to mount on election night. Waking hours of the politicians are spent in plots, counter plots and conferences. When the last argument is finished and the last lights go out in Pall Mall clubs, the spectre of a labor government, rampant on a capital levy and a most brutal frankness in order to foreign policy, undoubtedly haunts the statesmen's dreams.

Amid the turmoil is the figure of David Lloyd George, silent, his ear to the ground.

#### AUTO ACCIDENT SUNDAY AFTERNOON ON SLATON ROAD

Sunday afternoon about four o'clock, south of the Posey switch on the road to Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson and children the car in which they were riding turned over. No one was seriously hurt by the accident. Mr. Wilson is recovering his arm in a cast as a result of the accident. The leaders in his arm were hurt in some way.

#### 3.5 INCHES WATER FELL AT HOUSTON IN HOUR

By United News  
HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 10.—Street car and automobile traffic was halted and thousands of dollars in damage was done by a miniature cloudburst which struck Houston Monday.

A few moments after the downpour began, streets became torrents of swirling water, bucking wooden block streets.

#### PETROLEUM INSTITUTE TO HOLD 3 DAYS' SESSION

By the United Press  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 10.—The American Petroleum Institute will open a three-day session at the Hotel Statler here tomorrow. Among the speakers will be Thomas A. O'Donnell, president of the institute; Henry L. Doherty, president Henry L. Doherty & Co.; Edward Prizer, president Vacuum Oil Co.; A. C. Bedford, chairman of the board; Standart Oil Co. (New Jersey); George N. Moore, president Western Petroleum Refiners Association; E. W. Marland, president Marland Oil Co.; Julius H. Barnes, president Chamber of Commerce of the United States; E. T. Meredith, former Secretary of Agriculture; C. F. Kettering, research engineer, General Motors Corporation; H. L. Herring, representing the Society of Automotive Engineers; and Lou E. Holland, president Associated Advertising Clubs of the World.

#### KANSAS VISITED BY A HEAVY SNOW STORM

By United News  
TOPEKA, Kans., Dec. 10.—Snow, which began falling late Sunday, covered Western Kansas today.

#### REBELS EXTEND OPERATIONS INTO ADDITIONAL CENTERS; THE FEDERAL ARMY IS BEING STRENGTHENED

#### Meantime Food Prices are Soaring and the Labor Leaders Plan To Name A Food Dictator

By United News  
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 10.—Fighting in the Vera Cruz zone between government forces and rebels under Gen. Guadalupe Sanchez has continued without interruption for three days, according to dispatches received by the newspaper El Nacional Monday night.

The revolutionaries are said to have extended their operations. They are attacking new centers now, El Nacional states, although Jalapa still appears to be the center of warfare. These advices are not confirmed in official quarters here.

#### NEGRO HOTEL DESTROYED BY FIRE LAST NIGHT

The Bob Johnson Hotel, one of the biggest buildings in Lubbock's negro town, was consumed by flames last night, which were discovered at 7:30 o'clock.

A number of negroes occupied the building, but none were hurt in the conflagration that ensued when the blaze was discovered.

Fire trucks No. 1 and 2 were rushed to the scene of the conflagration but were effective only in preventing the flames from spreading to adjoining buildings.

Mounting prices in Mexico City caused newspapers Monday to urge that a food dictator be appointed. The Mexican Federation of Labor is preparing to take action against profiteers.

President Obregon has arrived at Irapuato, where he will inspect a division of cavalry Tuesday, preparatory to a renewed attack on the rebel forces under General Estrada of Jalisco.

It is reported that Raymond Ross, governor of the federal district and a member of the recent conference with the United States delegates on American recognition of Mexico, is leaving for Washington "urgently" on an official mission to the United States. Ross is a close friend of Obregon.

#### OBREGON SAYS HE WILL NOT LAY DOWN HIS SWORD UNTIL REVOLUTIONISTS' DEFEAT IS ACCOMPLISHED

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MEXICO CITY, Dec. 9.—(Delayed)—From the immense colored tiled balcony of Chapultepec Castle, frowning high above a sweeping, well kept park nesting hundreds of feet below, General Alvaro Obregon, president of Mexico, his daughter, and interpreter, and I watched the long lines of automobiles and pedestrians winding through the street foot.

It was Sunday. "Not many signs of trouble," the president remarked. It would be hard to imagine, if one were deprived of the daily press, that there is anything wrong in Mexico. I had traveled to the castle along the magnificent Paseo de la Reforma. I had seen the president earlier in the day walking through the heart of the city, attended by his physician, chief of staff and private secretary, and had made the appointment for the afternoon interview. Now we were sitting in a contemplative mood, gazing at the movements below.

"I love this park," the president went on, "and the view of the distant hills. There is something very soothing to heated eyes about contemplation of those far off mountains, especially just now when their summits are bathed by the violet rays of the falling sun."

I looked at him in amazement. Here was a man so undisturbed by a revolt aimed at his overthrow that he could serenely sit in the twilight, muse over sunsets. His daughter, with a flash of mischief, said with a fascinating accent:

"Papa is becoming a poet, isn't he?" He has laid down his sword so long that now he forgets it is again strapped to his belt.

some appeal to the lowest emotions of the human species. He arose from his seat and walked to the coping surrounding the balcony. From contemplation of the far off horizon he turned—

"Tell your people," he said stretching out his one arm, with its clenched fist and squaring his jaw, "that I regard this revolution as the greatest enemy of my country, and its organizers as greater traitors to my people. The very principles and interests they profess to be fighting for are just those that their activities are threatening to defeat. But the revolutionary ideals we have for three years sought to practice will not be defeated. On them any popular candidate will win and take his place where I stand now."

"We want elections and fair elections. I shall see that we get them. The lives and interests of all loyal and peace seeking people are not lightly to be trampled on and crushed. The people will attend to him and others who are seeking their destruction under the false guise of disinterested patriotism."

The president arose, and as I excused myself, he concluded: "Come again. Have no doubt in our ability to quell this uprising. We have the men, the machinery and the profound consciousness of the righteousness of our cause."

"You ask about guaranties of foreign lives," the president said. "While I am here foreign lives and interests will be perfectly protected so long as these lives and interests keep out of this private quarrel, which I know they will have enough common sense to do. This is not an Irish fight—and he smiled—"because only those duly authorized to do so may legitimately take part. We will settle this ourselves, and without very great trouble. We are not worried over the outcome."

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### THE ROAD TO SUCCESS IS STRAIGHT ALL THE WAY THRU!

ADVERTISERS in the Big Christmas issue of the Weekly Avalanche which comes off Friday morning, and the next Sunday issue of the Morning Avalanche, will have the advantage of an audience in Lubbock and in Lubbock county that looks forward eagerly to each issue of these papers. . . . people who know they will get a copy because they have paid in advance for the benefits derived from reading them as well as the entertainment and information they contain. These people know now that they will get their copy.

### WASHINGTON INSIDE OUT

A Weekly Panorama of Events in the National Capital

The trouble that the "old guard" Republicans had in organizing the House of Representatives for the 68th Congress is only a forerunner of the trouble they are going to have for the rest of the winter, according to the "progressives" who are stirring things up in both the Senate and House. The insurgents, led by the LaFollette lieutenants from the Northwest, demonstrated in the fight over the Speakership that the mythical "balance of power" is a real and powerful thing, and they declare that they will never hesitate to use their strength when it appears that something, like the promised revision of the House rules, can be accomplished.

The Senate has not yet been treated to a dose of insurgency, largely because of the illness of Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin, who is ill at his home here with what is described by his physicians as a "severe cold in the head." The illness, regardless of its exact nature, has been so bad, however, that it kept LaFollette from attending the opening sessions of Congress, and may keep him from taking the lead now in some of the battles he has been planning for nearly a quarter of a century.

It is a habit for the State of Delaware to send a member of the Bayard family to Congress. The present representative is Thomas Francis Bayard, one of the new Senators. His father, Thomas Francis Bayard; his grandfather, James Asheton Bayard; his great-uncle, Richard Henry Bayard; his great-grandfather, Jas. Asheton Bayard and his great-great-grandfather Richard Basset, were all United States Senators from Delaware. It is a record unequalled in the country's history. The present Senator Bayard is a lawyer by profession, but his continual wearing of a flowing Windsor necktie gives him the popularity accepted appearance of an artist of some kind or another.

Among the new Congressmen is William Jennings Bryan's former Secretary, Edgar Howard of Nebraska. Howard is such a devotee of Bryan that he even looks and dresses like the Commoner. In his autobiography, written for the official Congressional Directory, he makes the statement that he was "lieutenant Governor of Nebraska, holding contemporaneously the higher office of editor of a country newspaper, and still in that estate."

Despite the announced opposition

of both President Coolidge and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon to the soldiers bonus, there is every reason to believe that some sort of a compensation law will be enacted within the next few months. Some Congressional observers point out, however, that although many legislators who are against the bill personally will vote for it at first for the sake of the soldier votes in their home districts, not all of them will be so outspoken in favor of the legislation after it comes back from the White House bearing the black cross of presidential disapproval. That, they say, is a horse of a different color.

All the rumpus that was raised throughout the country over the case of Comptroller Craig of New York, who President Coolidge pardoned to keep him from serving a jail sentence for contempt of court, is going to be heard again soon when a new effort is made to get pardons for the war-time political prisoners whom Wilson and Harding refused to free. The friends of this class of prisoners will insist that there is no sound reason for keeping them locked up if a reason could be found for pardoning the New York official.

Walter Posey, cashier of the Lubbock State bank is on a business trip to points in East Texas this week. T. B. Duggan of the Temple Trust Co. is visiting in Temple this week on business.

Mrs. E. R. Haynes and Mr. R. E. Haynes left Sunday morning for Temple, where Mr. E. R. Haynes, county superintendent of schools will be operated on in a few days.

Miss Blanche Bradley of Post City was here visiting friends and relatives Saturday. She returned to her home Sunday.

### SOCIETY NOTES

#### Wampler-Whitacre

A very great surprise to the people of Lorenzo was the marriage of Miss Cora Wampler to Mr. A. C. Whitacre Monday afternoon.

The young couple were married in Crosbyton at the Methodist church, Rev. Scroggin officiating.

Miss Wampler or "Pook" as she is known by her many friends is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wampler who have been residents of Lorenzo for many years. Mr. Whitacre is a brother to Mr. W. J. Whitacre of the Real Service Station, and is an employee of the Lorenzo Transfer Co.—Lorenzo Enterprise.

#### Personals

Mrs. S. H. Kennedy left Sunday for McLean where she will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sercy and other relatives. She will also visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Kennedy at Aleneed, during her absence.

Mrs. J. A. Jordan, who formerly made her home at 1110 Avenue L, will leave today to make her future home in Fort Worth, enroute there she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Rex Lotspeich in Crosbyton and Mrs. Kyle in Stamford. Mr. Jordan will remain in Lubbock for a few days

looking after business matters. L. O. Thompson of Waco, arrived in Lubbock Monday morning, having accepted a place in the Bowen Drug Store.

Messrs. Paul Johnson and George Brewer, made a trip to Slaton Sunday.

Mrs. C. Q. Lynch and children returned Saturday after a brief visit with relatives in Abilene and Sweetwater and Dallas.

Mrs. P. W. Walker and little daughter of Littlefield, accompanied by Miss Woody Lite, expression teacher in the Littlefield High School passed through Lubbock Monday, enroute to Ladonia, where they will spend several weeks with relatives and friends.

Miss Jennie Lou Shepherd spent the week-end in Slaton, as a guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Swart.

M. O. Owens of the Owens & Hufstodler Company, made a trip to the new town of Halsell in Lamb county Sunday.

Miss Mary Parker, bookkeeper for Bryant-Link Dry Goods Company at Ralls, accompanied by Miss Taylor, passed through Lubbock Sunday enroute to Ralls, after spending Sunday with homefolks at Littlefield.

Miss Myrtle Lemons spent Sunday in Slaton, as guest of her nephew, Vernon Lemons, principal of the Slaton High School.

Mayor Spencer is on a business trip to cities in the central part of Texas this week.

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#### NOTICE

The public is hereby notified that all gates on the Spade ranch will be locked and pasture posted, if duck hunters do not close the gates. I don't care for hunters killing ducks on the ranch, but they must close the gates. Four head of cattle have been shot this year. S. B. Arnett. 35-5

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### HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES HAVE BEAUTY CONTESTS

The Lubbock high school classes have elected their respective beauties and other-class popular members. After the classes came from behind a smoke of argument and teeth gritting speeches they finally came to some kind of a conclusion and elected the prettiest girl they had.

The Senior class put up for their beauties Miss Verdie Johnson and Miss Maurine Hughes. After the debate as to which was the prettier, the boys doing most of the debating, the final vote was in favor of the latter. The Junior class has Miss Jessie Lee Vance as their beauty. Miss Mullican was elected as the Sophomore beauty; while Miss Lucille Payne was selected as the Freshman beauty.

The staff of the 1924 Westerner intend to have the four beauties voted to find out who shall be the high school beauty. There will be much interest promoted with this contest. They will sell the votes for about one cent each, thus getting money for the annual. The girl who will win will be the one that the boys put their money on. There will be lots of fun connected with the contest.

### SENIORS OF LUBBOCK HI SELL SANDWICHES FOR FUNDS

The Senior class of the Lubbock high school sell sandwiches to those who have a long distance to walk for their lunch. This money goes for the fund they are trying to raise for the publication of the high school annual. They are trying to print one of the best publications that has ever been published in the school.

Galord Hankins is the editor-in-chief of the publication and Ralph Bailey is the business manager.

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These boys have many things planned for the raising of the necessary funds.

### MR. AND MRS. THORP IN DALLAS MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thorp left Monday morning for Dallas where they will purchase additional stock for the Tennessee Mercantile Company, in which they recently took financial interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorp are well known throughout the Lubbock trade territory and their many friends are pleased to know that they will be actively associated with the Tennessee Mercantile Company.

"We are going to make some improvements on the general appearance of the store," Mr. Thorp said.

### COTTON COMING IN VERY SLOW OF LATE

Cotton for the last few days has been coming in very slowly, according to reports of Mr. Jackson, the local public weigher. He says that since the last cold spell the cotton has not been coming in very fast. The weather that we had yesterday prevented practically all of the other cotton that is out to be light. However, if the weather clears up there will be much cotton to be brought in.

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### Clerk Opens School for U. S. Congressmen.



W. T. Page

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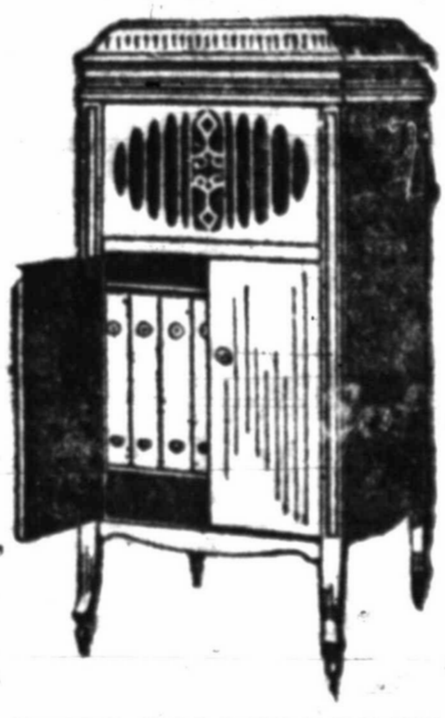
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SECRETARY OF NAVY DENBY ASKS CONGRESS FOR EIGHT BIG CRUISERS, THE NAVY NEEDS THEM NOW

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The American Navy "is so ill-balanced and so deficient in cruiser strength that the United States "would be put to a serious disadvantage" in another major naval war, Secretary of the Navy Denby declared today in his annual report to President Coolidge. Authorization and appropriation of funds by Congress to begin construction of eight 10,000-ton cruisers was strongly urged by Denby "as a measure looking toward the ultimate provision of the fleet of equality with other powers." The power of cruisers in offense and in defense is a primary factor in naval strategy," Denby said. "The raiders that drive our commerce from the sea, attack our transports and supply ships, can never be overtaken unless we build cruisers to do the work." The U. S. Navy is outstripped in cruiser strength by both the two other major naval powers signatory to the Washington Naval Disarmament Treaty, Great Britain and Japan, Denby pointed out. The disparity between the British and American fleets in this respect is so great that we cannot hope to bring about anything approaching an equality with Great Britain for many years, he said. Construction of three cruiser submarines also was recommended by Denby in order partly to meet the deficiency of the American fleet in this type of vessel. Denby warned that a large submarine tonnage is being laid down abroad. At present one power is building or planning to build 41 submarines, 23 of which are to be over 1,000 tons, capable of long-distance cruising. In addition to these 11 more submarines were

completed in 1922 and 1923 by the same power. The sum of \$30,000,000 was asked by Denby for the complete modernization of the battleships of the United States. This amount includes \$6,500,000 already appropriated by Congress for the purpose of increasing the elevation of the turret guns of 13 of the navy's battleships work which never was begun because of a controversy involving Great Britain as to whether the gun elevations would violate the Naval Disarmament Treaty. Denby declared in his report, however, that in the opinion of the Navy Department this program "will not in any way contravene the spirit or letter of the treaty." He said the matter again will be brought to the attention of Congress and the work proceeded with unless Congress take adverse action. Denby declared that in case of hostilities the present disparity between the range of the guns of the British and American fleets "would automatically reduce the size of our fleet by one-third." The secretary's recommendations were designed principally to bring American naval strength to parity with that of Great Britain and Japan under the Washington Disarmament Treaty and all were in harmony with the limitations of the treaty. He also recommended appropriation of \$2,850,000 to begin construction of three submarines authorized by the naval building program of 1916. A five-year airplane building program has been laid down by the

Navy Department, Denby said. If this is approved by Congress and supported by the necessary appropriations, sufficient aircraft will be provided to serve the fleet, he added. In accordance with the Disarmament Treaty, 21 battleships and battle cruisers are to be sold and scrapped, Denby's report stated. No new construction of these classes of fighting ships were recommended by Denby because of the prohibition placed upon them by the naval treaty. Denby asked for six new gunboats for use in the Yangtze River Patrol in China, here chaotic conditions threaten American commerce and business. "The work done by the navy for humanity during the past year would justify its existence, even though it never fires another shot in war," Denby declared, practically praising the relief work of the American navy during the Japanese earthquake disaster.

TO HARNESS A VOLCANO TO PROVIDE POWER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Secretary Hoover's super-power project has nothing on a super-power scheme reported to his own department from Bolivia. The Bolivian super-power plan contemplates the bottling-up of steam vents in the volcano "Tatio," near the Chilean-Bolivian frontier. The super-heated steam thus brought under control can be converted into electric power capable of producing four hundred million kilowatt hour per annum according to the concessionaries, who are now trying to interest American capital in the project. Italian engineers who have investigated "Tatio" estimate that about fifty million paper pesos, each valued at about 12 1/2 per cent in American currency, would be required to get the volcano in good working order. It is believed that the power could be sold to various mining companies, or utilized for the electrification of railways. As proof of the feasibility of the project it is recalled that a thermo-electric plant near Florence, Italy, has developed 37,000 horsepower through turbines using the internal heat of the earth.

NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY BRINGS CALIFORNIAN TO PLAINS

PLAINVIEW, Texas, Dec. 10.—The most effective publicity is through newspapers. It brought W. Cunningham from Santa Paulo, California, to Plainview, and he has leased 150 acres of the eastern portion of the Texas Land & Development Co. demonstration farm, just east of Plainview, and will move to the place which has a dwelling on it. He will pay special attention to growing alfalfa and cotton. The land has an irrigation well and ditches on it. He read some of the articles the Hearst publications are publishing about the Plainview country, and decided that he wanted to come to a pump-irrigated country such as this is. The lease carries an option of purchase by Mr. Cunningham. He says that several of his relatives are also planning to move to the Plainview country.

CANYON COTTON BEING GINNED AT PLAINVIEW

PLAINVIEW, Texas, Dec. 10.—Manager Cearley of the Cearley Grain Co., of Canyon is in Plainview today arranging for the ginning of a car of seed cotton which he has shipped from Canyon. He states that the cotton around Canyon is turning out better than they anticipated and that cotton has undoubtedly come to stay on this part of the Plains. A large acreage will be planted another year and they are assured of one or more gins to take care of next season's crop.

M'MURRY NOW HAS SPLENDID ENROLLMENT

McMurry College has enrolled 190 students to date and has far surpassed the early expectations for the first year, Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of the institution, declared in an address at the regular weekly meeting of the Lions Club at the Grace Cafe Thursday. Members of the faculty of the new Methodist college here were in charge of the program given at the club. Miss Gypsy Ted Sullivan, dean of the Fine Arts department and teacher of voice, sang two solos, "Ma Little Sunflower, Goodnight," and "Ho! Mr. Piper." Miss Nora Lee Mayhew, teacher of violin, gave two violin selections, "The Rosary" and "Perpetuo Mobile." W. J. Fulwiler, a member of the board of trustees of McMurry College was chairman of the program and introduced Dr. Hunt, who, in turn, presented Misses Sullivan and Mayhew.

President Hunt praised the work that is being done throughout the country by church colleges and declared that most of the great leaders had been graduated from such institutions. He expressed himself as opposed to the belief of some parents that it is much more desirable to send their children to state institutions for training. Most of the presidents of the colleges and universities are graduates of church schools, he said, mentioning Dr. P. W. Horn, president of the newly created Texas Tech, as the latest church college graduate to be added to the list of presidents of state colleges.

The football record made by McMurry during its initial year was also reviewed by the president. He said that one team far out of the class of the junior college here had been played and McMurry was defeated. Among the four games played with teams of her class McMurry won two games, lost one, and tied one with Weatherford college, the latter now being one of the claimants for the championship title of junior colleges. On motion of the Rev. W. M. Pearce the club voted to invite Dr.

P. W. Horn to address the club at some time convenient to him after he had taken active charge of the Texas Tech. The club went on record as favoring a Texas centennial exposition, which is being agitated throughout Texas and endorsed Dallas as the location of the exposition, which will be held next year—Abilene Reporter.

\$200,000 IN PRINTING CONTRACTS AWARDED

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 10.—The Board of Control has awarded State printing contracts for the next two years, amounting to approximately \$200,000. The contracts, divided into five classes, were awarded as follows: First-class, annual reports, pamphlets, laws, Stephenville Tribune, Stephenville; Wallace Printing Company, Bryan; Eagle Printing Company, San Antonio; Von Boeckmann-Jones Company, Austin. Second-class, blank forms and job work, Stephenville Tribune, Stephenville; Wallace Printing Company, Bryan; Tobin's, Austin; Morgan Printing Company, Austin; E. L. Steck & Co., Austin; Numbers Printing Company, Austin. Third class, blank books, Morgan Printing Company, Austin; Von Boeckmann-Jones Company, Austin. Fourth-class, legislative bills, A. C. Baldwin & Sons, Austin. Contract for fifth-class, stationery and office supplies, was not announced.

ATHENS BUSINESS MEN TO GIVE TURKEY CHASE

ATHENS, Texas, Dec. 10.—The business men of Athens will give a turkey chase on Saturday, Dec. 15, differing somewhat from the ordinary hunt. One hundred turkeys have been purchased for the chase. These will be divided into ten groups of ten each and carried to the roofs of ten tall buildings at as many different sections of the business district. At a given signal all the turkeys from the ten stations will be turned loose simultaneously and persons who capture the birds will be permitted to keep them for Christmas.

Dr. Ferguson, Dentist, Conley Bldg., knows how to cure Pyorrhea 29780p

Gov. Neff Issues A Proclamation On Harding Memorial

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 10.—Gov. Neff, in a proclamation issued Thursday, reminds the people of Texas that President Coolidge has designated the week of Dec. 9 to 16 as Harding Memorial Week. The text of the proclamation follows: "An association of citizens of the United States, including the President and his entire Cabinet, has been incorporated for the purpose of erecting a suitable memorial to our late President, Warren G. Harding."

"The threefold purpose of this association is to erect and maintain in perpetuity a mausoleum wherein to place the remains of the late President, to acquire his home in Marion, Ohio, for conversion into a shrine wherein all his personal effects, books, speeches and mementoes, together with a roll of the names of those who contribute to the fund for these purposes, may be preserved in grateful memory and to endow a Warren Gamaliel Harding chair of diplomacy and the functions of government in connection with some existing university. "Feeling confident that it is the desire of our people to assist in perpetuating the memory of the man who has held the high office of President of the United States and who, through a life of sacrifice and service, assuredly won the confidence and esteem of the Nation, I, Pat M. Neff, Governor of Texas, hereby remind the citizens of this State that President Coolidge has designated the week of Dec. 9 to 16, 1923 as Harding Memorial Week, which is to be nationally observed in commemoration of the life of President Harding and as an appropriate time for our people to contribute according to their several means and desires, to the establishment of a fitting memorial."

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# TUNNEY WON JUDGES DECISION OVER GREB

## PITTSBURGH FIGHTER KEPT HIS OP- PONENT GUESSING HOWEVER; THE REPORTERS ARE FAVORING GREB

By WESTBROOK PEGLER  
United News Staff Correspondent  
KINGSIDE, MADISON SQUARE  
GARDEN, NEW YORK CITY, Dec. 10.—Harry Greb, the impetuous but not very decisive light-heavyweight scrapper from Pittsburgh, who holds the middleweight championship of the world, swarmed all over Gene Tunney of New York, the former marine, from start to finish of a 15-round disturbance here Monday night, and when it was all over, heard the announcer call:

"The winner: Tunney."  
By what obscure process the judges of the bout arrived at their decision it was not possible to see, for the impetuous fighter brought the quarrel to Tunney almost without cessation from the first angle to the last. It is true that Greb fought his customary aimless, impetuous campaign, disregarding the conventional tactics of pugilism, leading off with his right hand to the body when the openings offered and smacking Tunney with dozens of short, harmless blocks. But they pelleted in so fast that it was almost impossible to follow them and Tunney's offset to this was a counter attack to the body.

This will be the third time they had met in this ring and the second time that Tunney won. They were contending for what is known as the light heavyweight championship of America, a title which rates about as much distinction as that of ship's cook, fourth class, on an oil lighter in the East river.

However, their difference of opinion enlisted the attention and the admission money of some 11,000 Pittsburgh and New York fans, and to that extent it was a big fight and worthy of competent judging.  
Greb forsook the foul tactics which had set him apart as the master of all the roughest brawlers in some of his old bouts here, and if there was foul work at the cross roads it must be scored against Tunney, who was guilty of butting on a few occasions. Greb was too bewilderingly swift for Tunney and Gene soon was convinced that his best chances lay in the middle region, just above Greb's thighs, where he planted both mitts in earnest short arm pokes.

There were no knockdowns except went Tunney went tumbling over the lower ropes in a clinch at the close of a round, and found some difficulty disentangling himself from the strands.

Charles F. Matthewson and Frankie Madden were the judges who distilled the stupefying decision. Louis Magno was the referee.

Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia won the decision over Roland Todd, British middleweight champion, in the ten-round semi-final. Todd, victor over Ted "Kid" Lewis had been heralded as a master of defensive boxing.

Loughran weighed 168, and Todd 159.  
A right to the heart dropped Todd in the tenth round, but he bounced right back without taking a count. Todd, after his recovery, shot a right to Loughran's heart which was so unexpectedly sturdy that Loughran al-

most went down. A left to the chin near the close of the round also startled and admonished Loughran, with the result that he finished the round covered up.

Loughran was given the decision at the end of the tenth round and left arena to the noise of prolonged and vociferous booing indicating that Todd's defensive maneuvers had made some friends at last for the harmless but effective British style of fight. From this side of the ring it appeared that Todd had outpointed Loughran.

## BASEBALLDOM IS BEING MADE INTO SWAPPING RING

By RODNEY F. DUTCHER  
United News Staff Correspondent  
CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Major and minor league magnates went into their annual bedlam of secret sessions, trades, league politics and watters of rumor. A few trades, a number of definite offers, and confirmation of the suspicion that few, if any, club owners are not anxious to strengthen their teams, were the net result of the day's labor.

Most of the bigger trades were still hanging fire when rival managers and magnates went into late night conference.

Purchase by Connie Mack of Max Bishop, second sacker of the Baltimore Orioles, at a reported price of \$5,000, was one of the deals that actually went through. This trade is expected to pave the way for a swap between Mack and Ty Cobb of Jimmy Dykes, Athletics second baseman, for Bobby Veach and Fothergill, outfielders, and Ray Francis and Pop Collins, pitchers.

Mack continues to demonstrate his aspiration for better things when he offered the Salt Lake City Coast League Club \$50,000 and five players for Outfielder Paul Strand, while Owner Jack Dunn of Baltimore, sought to continue his bear raid by short stop, to the Chicago White Sox

for \$100,000. Frank Chance, "Peerless Leader" of the Sox, who went into no ecstasies, failed to comment. In Bishop, Dunn sold the leading home-run hitter of the International circuit.

## JUDGES' DECISIONS TO BE ACCEPTED BY THE JOCKEY CLUB

By United News  
NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Preferring to rely altogether on the decisions of the race judges, the Jockey Club, controlling most of the high class races in America, is said to have decided that newspaper photographers and movie men must keep away from the finish line and take no pictures of close finishes.

A proposal to base decisions on photographs snapped by mechanism at the very instant of the finish also has been abandoned because of the delay which would be necessary in announcing the winners.

The objection to the photographing of close finishes arose from the incident at Louisville in which Zev was declared the official winner in a close finish with In Memoriam. News pictures indicated the Kentucky horse won. It was suggested that he camera saw the finish from a false perspective but in any case the authorities prefer to stand by the judges' verdicts, believing them right 999 times out of a 1,000.

## THE LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES ARE IN A CONTEST

The Athletic Association is putting on something that has never before happened in Lubbock until this time. That is, games between the classes of the High School. These classes are coached by the boys that made letters on the high school football squad this year.

The Senior class team is being coached by Dunlay and Moore. These two boys made a good record on the High School football team this year and they are using what they learned in football with their team.

The Junior class team is coached by Wilson, who played end on the High School team this year. Wilson has some good material on the team he is coaching and is going to give the Seniors a fight when they play Wednesday against the Seniors.

The Sophomore team has two coaches, A. Hensley, captain of the football squad this year. Hensley is aided by Pat Hayes, who was elected as captain of the football squad for next year.  
The little Freshmen are coached

by the big lineman of this year's squad, "Red" Castleberry. Red is aided by "Puss" Hensley. They are already claiming the class championship on the basis that they have the peppiest team on the schedule.

All letter men that played on the squad this year are barred from the team. This is being done so that there will be a chance for all of the classes to win. These games will begin on Wednesday. The Seniors and the Juniors will play the first game. Then on Thursday the Sophs and the Frosh teams will play. The winners of these two games will play for the championship of the school. Many of those who are interested in these games say that the Frosh team will mop up on the whole school. But the other teams say that they will have to be shown.

If the weather permits these games will be played on Wednesday and Thursday as scheduled; but if the weather does not permit they will play at the best time that they can possibly find.

## BASEBALL MAN PAID TRI- BUTE TO "WILD BILL DONOVAN"

By United News  
CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Christy Matthewson, president of the Boston Braves, paid tribute Monday to "Wild Bill" Donovan, killed in the wreck of the Twentieth Century limited in New York.

"Big Six" said he had been figuring on Donovan to manage the Braves in case he failed to get Dave Bancroft. He described the first major league game he had pitched against the other veteran, back in 1901.

"To this day," Matthewson said, "I remember the splendid appearance of Donovan as he stood on the hill. He was an imposing and fascinating foe. His personality and appearance stand out in my mind still as the greatest feature of that eventful game—greater than my first big league victory."

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## ROTARY CLUB MINSTREL

The Rotary Club minstrel is going to be a knock out, says Rotarian Bennie Hilburn. If you have not gotten your ticket for this show you had better do so because they are going fast. There will be two nights of the show and if you can not go one night you can go the other.

The show will be presented on Friday and Saturday nights of this week. There will be, or at least there should be a good house both nights, and it would be the best policy to get your ticket now as they are going fast.

There are many of your friends in this show, Jed Rix, Neal Wright, Dr. Hutchinson, Bennie Hilburn, Harold Griffith, Daddy Dickinson, and many other of the popular men in the cast. They are all stars. It is an ALL STAR play.

The purpose of this play, as you may already know, is to raise money for the Student Loan Fund that is being made up by the Lubbock Rotary Club. This fund is for those students who have not sufficient funds to get through school on. This fund will more than likely put many boys and girls through school. The fund is to be raised before the Texas Tech begins their work. And in order to do this they are beginning early so that they will have a good fund made up.

Dr. Horn, president of the Texas Tech, has already endorsed the movement and proclaims that it is the best thing that can be done for those who are not able to attend the school other than by borrowing money from some such means. Do your part, buy a ticket to this show. They are 35c each. Get you one for yourself, one for your wife, and one for your neighbor. It won't hurt you and you will be helping some one to get an education.

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SCHOOLGIRL WINS NATIONAL ESSAY PRIZE



Miss Dorothy Louise Roberts

Miss Dorothy Louise Roberts, of Harlan, Ky., is announced as the fourth winner of the Harvey S. Firestone four-year university scholarship. Her essay, "The Influence of Highway Transport Upon the Religious Life of My Community," was selected from 150,000 submitted in the contest conducted by the National Education Board as the best. The scholarship is valued at \$1,000 a year.

LONG ACQUITTED KILLING JOHN WALLACE

AMARILLO, Texas, Dec. 10.—Henry L. Long was acquitted by a jury here Saturday night of a charge of murder in connection with the slaying of John Wallace here Oct. 15. Long's plea was self-defense, and the unwritten law.

Long went on the witness stand Friday in his own defense.

Wallace was a boarder in the Long home.

As Long detailed the breaking up of his home his voice became husky with emotion.

"I want you to leave," his wife told him several weeks before the killing, he testified. Wallace, he averred, had also made threats against him and he therefore left the home and went to Canyon in search of work.

Later he returned home, but his wife would not have anything to do with him. He said that he had suspected Mrs. Long of being intimate with Wallace, and one night crawled under the house and listened thru a hole in the floor, and from the conversation in the room above judged that his wife was sitting on Wallace's lap or on the arm of the chair.

He later saw Mrs. Long standing up against the wall of the room and Wallace leaning against her, he said. He testified that on the day of the killing he returned home from Canyon bringing an overcoat for his little boy and some candy for the other children. He went out to his home, taking his suitcase along in which he had a pistol.

His little 5-year-old son, J. S. came out and crawled in his lap as he sat on the porch and according to Long's testimony, said: "Daddy Shorty's got mamma." Wallace went by the name of "Shorty." The gun referred to was one which Long said he had bought for his wife when he had left her alone several weeks ago.

Long went into the house presently and his wife urged him to have something to eat. He said he was in the dining room when he looked into Wallace's room and saw Wallace start to rise and at the same time reach his right hand into his front trousers' pocket.

The witness said he then began shouting and Wallace fell back on a davenport on which he had been lying. No amount of quizzing could make him deviate from this simple account of the slaying.

When asked if he feared Wallace was starting to shoot him, he declared he absolutely knew it.

DRASTIC SCARCITY OF TRADES "APPRENTICES"

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 10.—The ancient "apprentice system" in vogue among trades for centuries is passing.

Officials of several Dallas Trades Unions declare there is a drastic scarcity of young men who are entering trades and working alongside experienced tradesmen until they have mastered the art of their work.

Workmen who protest against training the embryo tradesmen and contractors who complain the system wastes time and money have combined to bring about the shortage of apprentices.

Plans to establish a school for apprentices have been abandoned as impractical and too expensive. Experienced tradesmen claim the only place a man can learn a trade is on the job.

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DR. COOK WILL NOT GO THE PEN TILL AFTER CHRISTMAS

FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 10.—If Dr. Frederick A. Cook and his cohorts in the county jail under sentence for mail fraud, have paraphrased the old army saying and are chanting "out of jail before Christmas," some of them will be right. They will be in Leavenworth, having agreed to accept sentence. But the remainder, probably only Dr. Cook and S. E. J. Cox, will be out of luck. They will be in the county jail on Christmas day, waiting the perfecting of their record so that they can appeal their cases.

Feagin, McGinnis and Welch, court reporters, who are making up the record, have completed less than 1,000 of the probable 6,000 pages, and it would be almost impossible to complete it before the holidays.

A number of the remaining defendants have signified their intention of going to the penitentiary and to begin serving their sentence, which range from one year and a day to 14 years and nine months. They were all convicted in connection with the operations of the Petroleum Producers' association, an oil promotion tabered by Dr. Cook.

W. D. Littler, deputy United States marshal, said Friday that all those who would accept sentence without an appeal would be taken to the penitentiary next week. He did not know just who these would be, but he thought that it would be 11 of the 13 convicted men.

For Fred K. Smith and L. A. McKercher, two of those convicted and given long terms, Henry Zweifel, United States attorney, will intercede. He will ask that their sentences be commuted to three years each.

This is on condition that they begin to serve their time without an appeal. He has promised the wives of both men that he will do this. Both are brides of no great period of time. If the commutation can be obtained the men will be entitled to apply for a parole within a year.

"I'm so worried. I am giving my fellow a tie pin and I just know it will scratch my face."

A liar is a man who says he likes cotton stockings better than silk.

Roswell Will Have Poultry Show and Farm Bureau Meet

ROSWELL, N. M., Dec. 10.—A three hour session of the executive committee of the Chaves County Farm Bureau Saturday afternoon completed the outline of the program for the annual meeting of the bureau which will be held in the chamber of Commerce rooms Thursday and Friday, December 13 and 14. The poultry show will start on the 13th and continue through the 15th. The definite location of the poultry show has not been decided.

The meeting this year promises to be one of the best and most profitable the bureau has ever had. Cotton will get the lion's share of the attention but other matters will come up for discussion too. The executive committee feels that every farmer should make it a point to attend every session, both morning and afternoon. There will be a few long speeches but mostly an exchange of experiences. The farmers feel that they want something practical and the best way to get it is to hear what the other fellow has done.

The meeting will be called to order at ten o'clock Thursday morning by President C. N. Moore. The opening hour will be taken up with the reports of the president and treasurer, and committee reports. Following these President Moore will discuss the Muscote Shoals proposition and the advisability of accepting Henry Foster's offer. The bureau will probably take some action on this.

The discussion of cotton will be started at one o'clock the first afternoon with a talk on cotton varieties by L. E. Foster, in charge of the reclamation service at Carlsbad. Mr. Foster will merely give the facts on the experience of the past ten years at Carlsbad with regard to varieties. J. B. Herbst will lead the discussion on cotton culture and J. W. Smith, of the department of agriculture, will discuss the quarantine situation. Cotton marketing will be discussed by Dr. A. D. Crile and others.

On the second morning at ten o'clock the discussion of crop rotation with cotton will be held by R.

NEW RATES SCALE ON GRAIN, EFFECTIVE DEC. 9.

STAMFORD, Texas, Dec. 10.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has issued orders putting into effect December 9, 1923, the new rate scale on grain shipments between points in West Texas and the Southeastern states.

The reductions in this tariff range from 5 cents to 23 1-2 cents per 100 pounds, which we hope will enable our dealers to get back into the Mississippi Valley and the Southeastern trade.

This is the case which has been prosecuted during the past three years jointly by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Texas Grain Dealers Association, each of which organizations put up a total of \$2500 for this program.

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COW, SOW AND HEN IDEA IS TO BE STRESSED BY AGRICULTURAL LEADERS THE SANTA FE WILL RUN TRAIN

CLOVIS, N. M., Dec. 10.—J. D. Tinsley and A. M. Hove of Amarillo, Texas, have recently been in conference with Director Monroe and President Kent of the Agricultural College regarding plans for an agricultural train to be run over the Santa Fe lines in New Mexico early next year.

Tentative plans are to stress the "Cow, Sow and Hen" idea. It is not the expectation of either the Santa Fe officials or the officers of the state college to stimulate especially the farmers of the state to go into the production of dairy products, pork or poultry products in a large commercial way but rather to make the average farm in the state more self-supporting. In other words they will preach the gospel of "living at home."

Why all this stir about the "Cow, Sow and Hen"? A few figures from the last U. S. census. In 1920 only 29.2 per cent of the farms in the State of New Mexico reported having what ought to be called a strictly dairy cows. Only 71.9 per cent reported either beef or dairy cattle. Apparently about 30 per cent of our farm families are without home produced products or are dependent on goat's milk. (No doubt goat's milk is a valuable human food and is by many considered better than cow's milk for infant feeding.)

In the face of these figures quoted above one might have a right to wonder if all the farm families of the state have a plentiful supply of home produced dairy products. Not many years ago one could see at probably half the farms in one of the famous wheat producing sections of the west large piles of empty condensed milk cans. Without a doubt no such serious condition obtains in New Mexico today. However, one of the objects of the "Cow, Sow and Hen" train is to stress the importance of an abundant supply of milk, cream and butter on every New Mexican farm. When this condition is met the farm income will be increased and our best crop, the boys and girls that will soon be running our state, will enter into the duties of citizenship with stronger minds and bodies than if their supply of dairy products had been limited.

Eggs bootlegged in Berlin are not golden eggs laid by the goose-step.

BROWNFIELD

(Terry County Herald)

Conductor Bert Doddridge of this run informed us this week that the Santa Fe was sure doing a business over this branch this fall. He sometimes pull as high as 60 cars of merchandise and building material out of Lubbock. As a consequence, the train is from one to four hours late generally, but we suppose they are doing the very best they can under the circumstances. At least the railroad company has furnished them a much heavier engine to do the work.

The Herald was pleased to have as a caller this week an old friend from Tuxedo, Jones county, who once lived on an adjoining quarter to the editor down there. Mr. D. W. Blundell is his name, and he has purchased a half section north of town, and was up improving it, and also a quarter section south of town, which he is improving for his son-in-law, Mr. L. E. Hewett, who will occupy it in the near future. If Mr. Blundell can turn the rest of his property in Jones county, he aims to come here himself next year, and he will make you a good neighbor if he lives by you.

The new two-story building being erected by M. V. Brownfield will be sure enough fire proof. Both floors and roof will be concrete, and only the windows and doors will be of other material.

FOOD MUST NOT BE LEFT EXPOSED BY THE STORES

United News

FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 10.—Peddlers who make a practice of leaving their food products exposed have come under the ban of the city health department.

A vigorous move has been started to drive itinerant peddlers from the streets of Fort Worth. The health department is leading the fight on the grounds that the peddlers constitute a menace to the city's health.

The chief reason for silk stockings trim ankles trim men.

A blind man is the only man who can't see any use for silk stockings.

HOCKLEY CO. FARM LANDS \$1.35 Per Acre--Balance 20 Years Skip Principal Payments 4 Yrs. As fine Red, cat-claw lands as you can find on the Plains. Any industrious farmer wanting to own his OWN FARM and have a HOME can pay for a farm out of this tract BY FARMING IT! After you pay \$1.35 cash on principal you don't have to pay any more principal for four years—giving you ample time to produce enough from the land to pay for it. The land is well located—near County site of Hockley county. Development is just getting started. If you want in on the ground floor now is the time. Write, wire or telephone for further information. Cosby & Posey EXCLUSIVE AGENTS Lubbock, Texas.

YES, WE HAVE SOME BANANAS —was a pretty popular song for a while. But when we introduced Golden Cream Bread "Yes, We have Some Bananas" —was soon acknowledged quite dead! Get in tune! Ask your grocer for the kind of bread you want—we'll take chances on your choice.

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