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## COOLIDGE PLANS PROSECUTIONS

### 56 Entombed By Pennsylvania Mine Blast

#### MINE WRECKED BY BLAST WHICH ROCKED ENTIRE COUNTRY AROUND TRAPPING 37 MINERS IN TUNNEL

#### Two Bodies Brought to Surface at Late Hour Last Night and Slight Hope Held for Safety of Other Victims

By United News  
JOHNSTOWN, Penn., Jan. 26.—One body was recovered late today from the workings of the Lancashire No. 8 mine, of the Barnes-Tucker Company at Shankletown, wrecked this afternoon by a gas explosion.

#### FIND HEADS OF TWO ENCASED IN BLOCK

By United Press  
AURORA, Ill., Jan. 26.—Two human heads, found imbedded in a massive concrete block today brought nearer a solution of the murder mystery involving Warren J. Lincoln, eccentric attorney-for culturist, distant kinsman of Abraham Lincoln and confessed slayer of his wife and brother-in-law, Byron Shoup.

Lincoln, who has been held in jail for several weeks because of a partial confession, this afternoon led police to a lonely dumping ground, pointed out a partly buried concrete block and directed them to break it open. Following his directions, authorities found the well preserved heads of Mrs. Lincoln and Shoup. They had been in the block there since January, 1923, Lincoln said, according to police.

#### SHERIFF'S CLERK IN COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE DIES

By United Press  
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 26.—John D. Mann, sheriff's clerk in the state comptroller's department, died here today after a brief illness. Mann had held responsible positions in several state departments since coming to Austin from Coleman county some years ago. His wife, under appointment of the board of control, has charge of the upkeep and cleanliness of the Texas Capitol, the first woman to occupy that position.

#### THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Sunday and Monday generally fair.

#### PEDDY-MAYFIELD INTERESTS HERE GATHERING BALLOTS FROM SOUTH PLAINS COUNTIES FOR THE SENATE

Morris C. Laine, of Houston, and Dan Watson, of Austin, are here in the interest of the United States senate investigating committee in the election contest of George E. B. Paddy and Senator Earl B. Mayfield. Mr. Watson represents the Paddy interests while the Mayfield interests are represented by Mr. Laine.

#### DEATH TOLL BY AUTOS REACH FOUR

By United Press  
DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 26.—An unprecedented wave of accidents in Dallas was climaxed Saturday when an automobile driven by Harold Rafter crashed into four women at a downtown street intersection, bringing the list of victims to twenty-five injured and four dead within the past 36 hours.

#### NEGRO'S MUTILATED BODY FOUND IN GRAVEL PIT IS IDENTIFIED

By United Press  
DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 26.—The mutilated body of a negro, identified as that of Ed Reed, service car driver, was found in a gravel pit in a suburb here this afternoon. The head had been split with an axe.

#### SUICIDE VERDICT RETURNED DEATH SAN ANGELO WOMAN

By United Press  
SAN ANGELO, Texas, Jan. 26.—A verdict of suicide was returned today in the death of Mrs. Margaret Barfield, who was found shot to death in her bed last night. Barfield returned from her mother's home where she had been to get assistance for her sick wife who was the mother of a two weeks old baby, and found his wife dead in bed, the infant by her side.

#### SPECIAL COUNCIL BE EMPLOYED TO PROTECT PUBLIC REGARDING LEASING OF ALL NAVAL RESERVES

By United News  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—President Coolidge tonight announced he would employ special counsel to begin legal action to enforce the law and protect the rights of the public with respect to the leasing of the naval oil reserves.

#### COOLIDGE LEADS REPUBLICANS IN MINN.

By United Press  
ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 26.—Senator Hiram Johnson's tirade against "machine politics" in Minnesota was lost in the shuffle.

#### ROVING BANDS OF BRIGANDS ACTIVE IN MEXICO

By United Press  
LAREDO, Texas, Jan. 26.—Taking advantage of the state of revolution in Mexico, roving bands of brigands have resumed active operations in the interior, according to private advices received here tonight.

#### FOUND GUILTY CRIMINAL ASSAULT ON YOUNG GIRL

By United Press  
PALESTINE, Texas, Jan. 26.—The jury in the case of T. J. Scroggins, 62, charged with criminal assault upon a young girl, brought in a verdict of guilty today and assessed Scroggins' punishment at twenty years in prison. Motion for a new trial was filed by defense attorneys.

#### SAYS NO ONE BE SHIELDED REGARDLESS OF POLITICAL PARTY AND EVIDENCE WARRANTS ACTION PROPOSED

Mr. Coolidge's statement issued at the White House shortly after midnight, said the president was not prejudiced, but that he believed the evidence already disclosed by the senate committee investigating the naval leases warranted the action he proposed to take.

#### SHORT WEIGHTS SUITS TO BE FILED MON.

G. R. Scott, of the State Weights and Measures department states that he will file about seventy-five suits in the Lubbock court Monday, for violations of the weights and measures laws of the state. He says he has educated long enough, and will from here on out use something stronger than persuasion by means of warnings, and will let the law take its course.

#### ABOUT YOUR DAILY NEWSPAPER

Your Daily Newspaper has 28 pages this morning. In addition to the extra good circulation on Sunday 650 extra copies were ordered by three local concerns to mail out of this section of the State.

#### PADEWSKI "BED BOUND"

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 26.—Ignace Padewski, former member of Poland and famous pianist, was "bed bound" in his private car when it arrived here today. Railroad authorities had failed to provide a steam connection for the car and Padewski refused to leave his berth until the car was warm. The steam was not turned on until noon.

# CANYON COLLEGE OWNS CHAMPION DAIRY COW THAT ATTRACTS THE ATTENTION OF DAIRYMEN FROM STATES

CANYON, Jan. 23.—Professor S. D. Johnson, former county agent at Frederick, Okla., spent a day last week at the college farm for the purpose of inspecting the two-year-old New Mexico champion cow, which is now owned by this institution.

Mr. Johnson owns two champion Jersey cows, one of which is the champion show cow of Oklahoma. This cow made an official record of 10,000 pounds of milk and 575 pounds of butter fat in ten months time. She was also on the show circuit in Oklahoma, Louisiana, and Arkansas during this period.

Mr. Johnson was very much interested in Rosette, the cow now owned by the college, which made the New Mexico state record at a two-year-old. In discussing the merits of the New Mexico and Oklahoma champions, Mr. Johnson acknowledged that the college was a superior cow in some respects to the Oklahoma champion. However, he was too loyal to his own cow to state that the college cow would be placed over the Oklahoma champion in the show ring even if he thought it.

Mr. Johnson was also very much interested in Pansy, another one

of the college cows. He thinks that Pansy would make a wonderful show cow and stated that she had one of the best Jersey type heads that he had seen in several states. This cow came originally from the Terrill herd at San Antonio, and it is to be remembered that this is the herd which furnished the foundation stock for the Ed. C. Lanier ranch at Palmaria. The Lanier herd is not only the largest herd of registered Jerseys in the United States, but also holds the distinction for having some of the highest producers.

It is the ambition of President Hill of the College to build up the college herd to contain some of the leading dairy cows in the Southwest. It is to be remembered that the A. & M. College of Texas, which now ranks high in the dairy business, at one time consisted of a very few high class producers, but by careful selection and breeding, and the introduction of a few good animals, he herd was made to pay for the feed of the cows, for the college expenses of many students in the dairy division, and incidentally, is today considered one of the best herds in the Southwest.

**TEXAS PROGRESS NOTES**

**Gilmer**—An electric transmission line is being built between this city and Big Sandy by the East Texas Utilities Company.

**Wills Point**—A modern ice and cold storage plant is being built here by the Southern Ice and Utilities Company. It will have a capacity of twenty tons a day.

**College Station**—The West Texas Utilities Company has endowed a scholarship at the Agricultural and Mechanical College here to be known as the Bolton Scholarship in engineering.

**Terrell**—Survey of the electric interurban railway between this city and Tyler has been completed from here to Canton.

**Beaumont**—Extensions of the telephone service in this city are to be started at once which involve increased service to the entire north part of the city and 1,200 additional telephones.

**Copperas Cove**—Franchise for an electric lighting plant has been granted to George W. Tadlock of Waco and construction will begin at once.

**Lubbock**—Extension of rural electric lines between this city and the agricultural experiment station has been arranged and the first three and a half miles to reach several farms is to be built at once by the Texas Utilities Company.

**Brownwood**—Extensions and rebuilding by the West Texas Telephone Company in this territory planned for this year amount to a large sum and great improvement of the services in this section.

**Bishop**—Business houses in this city have arranged for awning lights on all fronts in the business section of the city.

**Clarksville**—Construction of a new sewer plant for this city has been started.

**El Paso**—Records of the El Paso

Electric Railway Company for 1923 show twenty-eight per cent less accidents than in 1922. Only one fatality occurred in the operation of street cars in 1923.

**Children**—Extensive additions to the electric street lighting system of this city are being made especially in the business sections.

**Mercedes**—Continuous progress is being made in the construction of the central power plant and transmission lines of the Valley Electric and Ice

Company which serves much of the Lower Rio Grande Valley with electricity.

**College Station**—The Bryan-College Traction Company has placed the interurban electric railway between this station and Bryan in good condition and is now operating hourly cars.

**Marlin**—A transmission line to connect the Marlin and Mexia plants and an extension to Teague is under

construction by the Community Power and Light Company.

**Houston**—A contract has been conditionally made for construction of the electric interurban railway between Houston and Orange via Beaumont. The project involves 139 miles of track.

**Stanford**—A series of regional conventions has been arranged by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The first is to be held in Colorado January 22.

## MARKETS

**New York Cotton.**

Mar.	May	July	Oct.	
Open	33.35	33.67	32.51	28.70
High	33.41	33.74	32.53	28.10
Low	33.05	33.30	32.10	27.85
Close	33.24	33.48	32.24	27.89
Y. cl.	33.16	33.44	37.33	28.03

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**New Orleans Cotton.**

March	May	July	Oct.	
Open	33.39	33.07	32.18	27.50
High	33.40	33.13	32.25	27.50
Low	33.10	32.80	31.94	27.25
Close	33.24	32.84	32.02	27.37
Y. cl.	33.24	32.93	32.07	27.37

**LOCAL MARKET**

**Retail Quotations.**

Eggs, per doz. 45c to 55c  
Butter, country 50c to 65c  
Butter, creamery 50c to 75c  
Cream, per lb. 48c

**Wholesale Quotations.**

Large hens, per lb. 15c  
Small hens, per lb. 12c  
Cream, per lb. 45c  
Cocks, per lb. 9c  
Springers, per lb. 12c to 15c  
Old Roosters, per lb. 4c  
Turkeys, per lb. 12c  
Eggs, per case \$12.00  
Hides, green, per lb. 8c  
Hides, dry, per lb. 6c

**Hutson Appeals Case.**

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 26.—R. M. Hutson, convicted in Cooke county of having incestuous relations with his niece and sentenced to ten years, has

**Red Star Stage Line**

LUBBOCK - TAHOKA - LAMESA MORNING CAR

Lv. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel at 8 a. m.  
Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 9:35.  
Lv. O'Donnell at 10:15  
Ar. Lamesa—First State Bank, 11:10.

**EVENING CAR**

Lv. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel 2:00 p. m.  
Ar. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 3:35.  
Ar. O'Donnell—Fritz Drug Store, 4:15.  
Ar. Lamesa—First State Bank, 5:00.

Leaves Lamesa for Big Springs, 1:00 p. m. and 5:00 p. m.

**MORNING CAR**

Lv. Lamesa—First State Bank, 6:00.  
Lv. O'Donnell—Fritz Drug Store, 8:45.  
Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 9:35.  
Ar. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel, 10:45.

**EVENING CAR**

Lv. Lamesa—First State Bank, 2:00.  
Lv. O'Donnell—Fritz Drug Store, 2:50.  
Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 3:35.  
Ar. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel, 5:00.

We make connections at Lamesa for Big Springs, also make connection at Lubbock for all trains and line cars to Crosbyton and Amarillo.

**RIDE THE RED STAR**  
Abbott & Austin & Hackelman

filed appeal in the court of criminal appeals.

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**BEIGE OOZE**

The slipper shown is of Beige Ooze with Field Mouse Kid trimmings, 10-8 covered heel. A very pretty fitting pattern for Dress or Street Wear—

**\$12.00**

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**CUT OUT OXFORD**

This one is of Beige Buck trimmed with Russia Calf leather, 10-8 covered heel, silk lace. One of E. P. Reeds feature shoes for Spring—

**\$10.00**

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**\$9.00**

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### SUBSTANTIAL IMPROVEMENTS WILL BE MADE IN SANTA FE YARDS HERE IN NEAR FUTURE; INDUSTRIAL TRACKS

Among the improvements that will be made in Lubbock by the Santa Fe System will be the construction of a new baggage room and the subsequent enlarging of the waiting room in the main portion of the depot. The waiting room will be enlarged to cover all the space occupied by the baggage room at this time, and the baggage room will be put somewhere just west of its present location.

Two new switches will be built in the switchyard, making room for many more cars to be parked on the yard at one time, and one of the present switches will be straightened out and so arranged as to make it possible for the train from Crosbyton to be brought nearer the depot. It was stated.

Among the improvements about the freight depot that will be made in the near future will be the extension of the warehouse and a great deal more platform space will be provided for.

While no definite announcements have been made regarding the industrial tracks, it has been intimated that a number of applications have been filed by local wholesalers for several industrial tracks all of which will probably be built within the very near future.

The railroad has enjoyed a good business into and out of Lubbock and the proposed improvements are necessary for the convenient handling of this increased business.

It has been pointed out by local business men that the activities about the freight and passenger depots of any town might be looked upon as the pulse of the community, and if this is the case one would have to be about the local yards but a short while to see that Lubbock is on the boom.

### PATRICA A NEW TOWN FOR DAWSON

(By C. T. WATSON, Special Correspondent to the Morning Avalanche.)

LAMESA, Jan. 26.—More than ten years ago Messrs. M. D. and J. B. Birge and Thomas Forbes of Sherman, Texas, purchased several thousand acres of the most fertile land in Dawson county. They formed what is now known as the Birge-Forbes Land company. In response to the demands made by eastern farmers for locations on the South Plains the Birge-Forbes Land company opened for colonization this vast tract of South Plains country and began to place on the market in February, 1923, this land in 177-acre tracts. The immensity of the business involved required the service of an able and efficient manager. To this place was elected Mr. Frank T. Went, formerly of Sherman, Texas, and a graduate of A. & M. college. Mr. Went says that they started the colonization work with about forty thousand acres of virgin soil. To date there has been sold more than twenty-five thousand acres of these holdings.

The easy payment plan being used by the Birge-Forbes Land company is making it possible for numbers of people to own homes who would otherwise remain tenant farmers. "There has been approximately 100 families located on this land within less than a year," says Mr. Went. There are other families who have purchased land who have not yet moved to their new homes.

The Birge-Forbes Land company places on the land the house, well and windmill and a few of the essential conveniences, adding this to the price of the land and then taking for annual payment, cotton from fifty acres of land. In order to place conveniences closer to the people of this community there has been erected a modern Murray gin, that has ginned the cotton of the settlers who came early enough for the 1923 crop. There is also a well-equipped community store, a blacksmith shop, a splendid new school building with more than fifty students in attendance.

Mr. Went says that there will be planted in cotton in 1924 more than 15,000 acres in this new community.

In this little community are settling families from almost every part of Texas. People who have been farming high priced land and who have long since decided that they would never own a home in the localities from where they came. The possibilities of becoming a land owner is spurring these people to greater activity. The growing interest in their community is quite noticeable. An opportunity to become a home owner and to make a free and independent living is an ambitious desire of every normal person. This ambition is being gratified almost daily in the South Plains country.

#### GOLF COURSE ON ROOF

LOS ANGELES, (United Press)—Many things have been said about the ancient game of golf, not all of which were in the nature of praise. But golf at the Hotel Biltmore has been elevated to a plane that should make it above reproach. A course has been laid out on the roof of the great hotel, where addicts to the game may estimate their golf aptitude. The course consists of a "fairway" bounded on three sides by wall of heavy canvas. At the far end is a miniature green, cup and hazards.

### LEWIS GIVEN VOTE OF CONFIDENCE BY MINERS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 26.—John L. Lewis still rules the United Mine Workers of America.

Lewis, who for a number of years has held the office of international president of the miners union, was given a complete vote of confidence today on all the major issues for which he stands.

Repeated assaults of "Reds" and other radical groups within the organization, directed at Lewis for the past five days at the annual convention of the union, were repulsed by overwhelming votes of the delegates.

Accused of "railroading" measures through the convention and "selling the miners out" in the negotiations which ended the anthracite strike last summer Lewis sent each charge to the floor of the convention and in each case was vindicated by the ballots.

Delegates this afternoon gave Lewis a tremendous ovation, drowning out the hisses of the "Reds" when he completed a fiery speech in his own defense.

Lewis rebuked those who opposed his action in outlawing the Nova Scotia district of the union for attempting to affiliate with the international labor movement of Russia. Although the delegates had once be-

fore approved his action by ballot, they gave him a vote of confidence on his stand again today by an even larger majority.

The wage question, the most important question to the convention, has been pushed aside all the week while the convention fought out problems of policy.

Miners representatives in the joint conference at Jacksonville, Fla., on February 11, will ask for negotiations of a long term contract, it is understood.

### NOTICE OF RECEIVER'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Lubbock.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by Honorable Clark M. Mulligan, Judge of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, in cause No. \_\_\_\_\_, styled J. T. Brown vs. W. S. Hodges, on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1924, I will proceed to sell all of the assets of the partnership known as the Star Mercantile Company, composed of J. T. Brown, and W. S. Hodges, in my possession as Receiver, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the store of said Star Mercantile Company in Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1924, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. Immediately after said sale, a report thereof will be made to the Court, and any sale made will be subject to the approval of the Court.

Witness my hand at Lubbock, Texas, this 22nd day of January, A. D. 1924.

CHRIS HARWELL, Receiver. 74-10t

BUILD A HOME.

### LELAND RECEIVES LETTERS THREATENING VIOLENCE

By United Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 26.—Anonymous letters threatening violence, have been received by Albert R. Leland, who forced into the open his wife's "confession" of intimate relations with Rev. Carl D. Case, pastor of the First Baptist church of Oak Park.

Mrs. Leland testified in court to misconduct with Rev. Case. The latter was named as co-respondent in Leland divorce suit.

Rev. Case announced he would not be in the pulpit tomorrow. Mrs. Leland is scheduled to resume her testimony Monday. Attorneys for the pastor hope to prove Mrs. Leland merely "imagined" the affair with Dr. Case.

### NEBRASKA SENATOR ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION

By the United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Senator Norris, of Nebraska, tonight announced his candidacy for re-election and forwarded the necessary papers

to the secretary of state at Lincoln.

While Norris' announcement was a surprise to Washington in view of his frequently expressed desire to retire, it has been known for some time that strong pressure has come from his state to get him in the race.

In making this announcement, Norris said he did not intend to take an active part in the primary campaign.

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Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the construction of an addition to the city light plant of the City of Lubbock will be received at the office of the City Secretary until 3 p. m., February 5th, 1924, to cost approximately \$5,000.

Plans and specifications are on file at the City Secretary's office. 76-4 Signed: M. S. Ruby, City Mgr.

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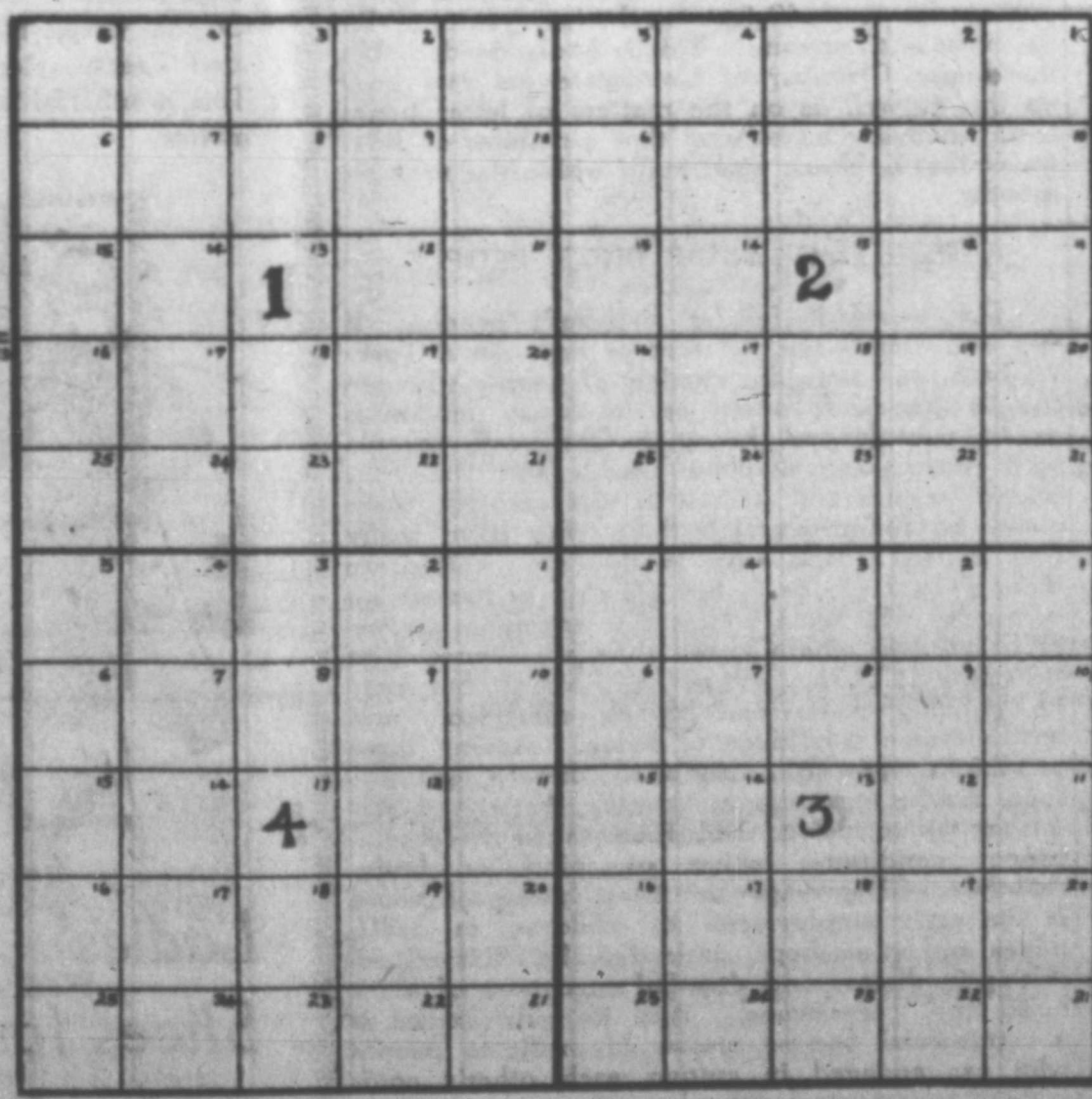
# The South Plains Land Company

OF LUBBOCK, TEXAS

## ANNOUNCES

### The Sale of 17,712 Acres of Land Which is the First Sub-Division of the Spade Ranch Located in Hockley, County, Texas

**LOCATION**—This land is located 15 miles west from Lubbock, a growing city of 8000 population and 12 miles east from Leveland the county seat of Hockley County. The Texas "Tech" College which is to be built in Lubbock this year is only 12 miles east from this land. This college, which is a State Institution, will probably be one of the leading educational institutions in the entire South in a few years. This large tract of land is only four miles north of Balch, a switch on the Santa Fe railroad.



**NO BOLL WEEVILS CAN LIVE ON THE SOUTH PLAINS ON ACCOUNT OF THE HIGH ALTITUDE.**

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**TERMS**—This land is being sold for \$55.00 per acre. \$5.00 per acre cash. Assume one note for \$3000.00 due on or before ten years. Balance divided into eight equal notes one of which is payable each year for eight years. All notes bear 6 per cent. interest and are payable on or before the due date, thus affording the purchaser an opportunity to own a home clear of debt in a few years.

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## AS THE BIG RANCHES CRUMBLE.

The rapidity with which the big land holdings of the South Plains are giving way to the demands of the man with the hoe, is readily seen by the reports from various parts of the Plains country, where the immense holdings of the ranchmen are becoming converted into farm tracts by the method of subdivision. Among the most important divisions of land to be made at this time is that of the first big slice of the famous Spad ranch owned by the Ellwood interests. This is important in more than one way. It reveals the fact that the owners of a great tract of rich agricultural land has seen the wisdom of changing this vast domain from a cattle range to a cotton patch, and does not believe in holding the farmer back, but slashes a great hunk of rich dirt from a great expanse of thousands upon thousands of acres of land that is as fertile as one need want for the growing of cotton, corn and grain, and says to the real estate dealer, tell 'em to come and get it, and make it produce the abundant crops that it is capable of making.

It is important for the fact that it is just a few miles out from the city of Lubbock, "the home of The Texas Tech," and it will be well located for the farmer who wants to have a home almost "under the shadow" of a great educational institution, that Dr. Horn says must be as good as the best of them and better if possible. This tract too, is on a direct line through which this new road that Lubbock people hope can be built, and which is badly needed, west from Lubbock may be built, which will give all the shipping facilities that those who settle there may need. It is important because of the fact that it is taking the initial step in the cutting up of the large ranches into tracts where a man with a family can come and own a home, and make a good living and educate the children, and the fellow should count himself lucky indeed who gets hold of a tract of this fine land.

The sub-division of this, along with others, that will soon follow is the reason that Lubbock is building substantially, and is not a boom growth as some people would have one believe. Lubbock is building from sheer need, and necessity and not because some one has fancied that it is a good place to build a city. Lubbock is building to supply the demands for building materials for the hundreds of new farm homes going up all around here, and to supply the necessities of 1) for the hundreds of families that are here, to make their home and must have food and clothing, and a place to educate their children. For this reason the school buildings must be enlarged, also the churches, and the public buildings of all kinds must expand. The Government will have to put a building here to accommodate the postal business, and many other large buildings will have to come sooner or later, and a large hotel with plenty of room, is soon to be definitely decided upon and will be under way. Larger and more mercantile buildings will be built and a large office building will fill the needs of those who wish to establish business headquarters here. All these things are coming of a necessity rather than fancy, and all are made possible by the subdivision of the large tracts of land of which the Ellwood tract is among the first in this section of the country.

## ARE WE TO HAVE PRIZE FIGHTING?

Whether it be called boxing or prize fighting, it is all about the same. There is just about as much difference in the two as being drunk or being intoxicated, and it is hard to distinguish the difference in that, yet there seems to be a difference in the eyes of the law, and the authorities seem to recognize the difference and are willing to let such performances be pulled off within the city. We are confident they are within the law, for we are certain that they would not do anything that was an infraction of the statutes of the state of Texas, but there is also a moral law that should be taken into consideration in the matter of prize-fighting or boxing, and the authorities, certainly should not overlook this important duty. They will fine a man for swearing on the streets or in a public place, and this is nothing but right; this should be done every time it happens. They will pull a fellow for being drunk, and this is absolutely correct and one should never be missed, or let go. They will pull a bunch of perfectly respectable citizens of the city for playing poker, and this should be done every time they are caught, but they will let a bunch of the sorriest kind of niggers pull off a boxing match and charge an admission to it, and there is nothing said about it. We are of the opinion that this is the very lowest down stunt that could be given in a public place, and why it is permitted is more than one with a dense brain as we have can figure out. There certainly can be nothing elevating to it. The young men of the community can certainly not gain anything morally, physically or intellectually from looking upon a scene of that kind, and then to turn over the only public meeting place Lubbock has for their use, is beyond our ability to harmonize with the otherwise high tone of civilization that this country has boasted of for these many years. We understand a "big affair" of this kind is being planned for a near future date, and some real

"heavy weights" of the sons of ham are to participate. It should not be tolerated.  
What are you going to do about it people? Are we going to submit to this, or shall we rise in the might of right, and common decency and say it shall not be?

## THE PLAINS WEATHER.

Amarillo is just a bit sensitive about her weather as will be noticed by the following paragraphs from the Amarillo Daily News which publication complains that the Abilene Reporter can't keep from poking fun at the weather of the North Plains metropolis and the Panhandle in general. The News says: Abilene's got lots of colleges—three of them—many good people and other advantages, and then The Reporter regrets to find that Amarillo temperatures is as low as it is in Abilene.

Commenting on the conditions The Reporter said the other day:  
"If these here news-gathering organizations don't quit sending out meteorological data showing Abilene and Amarillo to have the same temperature during occasional blizzards, the local chamber of commerce ought to raise a kick. It's happened twice in recent weeks. The explanation is easy. Monday, for instance, the temperature reading at Amarillo and Abilene might be the same. But on the preceding day, the mercury might have been around zero at the famous Plains city. By the time these northerners drag themselves across the broad expanse of the Plains, they sort of weaken before they get down here."

Zero weather is scarce in Amarillo. In fact it comes so seldom that we remember it. Zero is cold weather, and it is only two or three times during the year—if that often—that the Amarillo temperature drops so low.  
The people down under the cap rock, who have never been on the plains have this pictured as one of the bleakest, coldest and most miserable sections of country that can be found. They have an idea that we have zero weather from the first cold spell of the fall till the hot summer suns finally melt us out about the middle of June.

True, Amarillo seems to have to bear the brunt of the criticism of cold weather, but it is not really as bad as many people seem to think. We have been in Amarillo when it was uncomfortably hot and it was not in the middle of summer either. There is no part of Texas that people need fear on account of the cold, and the plains country is not much colder if any, than many other sections of the state. Fact of the business you hear of less suffering and fewer people freezing to death on the plains than any other part of the country, where there is freezing weather at all. Abilene should talk about something else anyway. Why not talk farming, or factories. Tell about the building of pretty homes and sky scrapers, and let Amarillo enjoy her cold weather unmolested. The people there evidently like it or they would not stay there, for several trains leave that city daily.

## STREET MARKING

Lubbock needs to have her streets marked. A good start was made at this several months ago. In fact the campaign was very successful carried on, and the present marking system is very helpful indeed, but there needs to be another campaign started right away, and complete the job up to the present building plans. We have much trouble in delivering the Morning Avalanche on account of the streets not being marked or the houses numbered. It is pretty hard for a newsboy to deliver a paper to a party who lives in a house just three or four blocks the other side and around the corner from 1111 Avenue QX. The cost of this campaign would not be much. It could be conducted along the lines that the first effort was put over and it would not cost the city, or the Chamber of Commerce but little. Each person on a block helped to pay for the street marking and each home owner paid for the numbers, which put over a very efficient numbering system at little expense to anyone. This is badly needed. Let the Junior Chamber of Commerce get real busy on this as well as on the matters of letter boxes in the delivery zones, and that ten miles of sidewalks that Lubbock must build within the next six months.

## A WORLD OF HALF BUILT PEOPLE.

The world is full of half-built people. If any one doubts this, let him or her visit a Turkish bath, and note the number of people who are flat in the chest, round in the back, ponderous as to paunch and heavy in the jaw—people with outstanding shoulder blades and flat feet. Out of a thousand people in this country, there could be found scarcely three who have really fine figures. And why is this so? Why are there so few people in this country, in the civilized world, who have bodies that are not a travesty of Him in whose image they are supposed to be created? The reasons are many, but may be grouped under one phrase—unhygienic and unwholesome conditions of living. Among these conditions may be mentioned dietary errors—food that is excessive in quantity, variety or frequency as to meals, and food taken under improper conditions, either of mind or body. Another and perhaps the most pertinent cause, is the early employment of children in mills, mines and sweatshops, under-fed, half-starved resulting in disease and dwarfed specimens of manhood and womanhood. And its only excuse is a commercial one—a matter of profit to people who are engaged in cutting each other's commercial throats under the law of competition.

## Little Avalanches

As a general thing, the kind of woman who demands her rights get 'em.

England now has a government of labor, which is expected to bring forth a mouse.

Most of us will sympathize with our Congressman Garner's effort to make the Republicans pay the biggest taxes.

## FORMER ALVIN BANK PRES. ASKS FOR NEW TRIAL

By the United Press.  
HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 26.—W. P. Davis, former president of the Farmers State bank at Alvin, found guilty on a charge of forgery in district court here today and sentenced to two years in prison, filed a motion for a new trial tonight.  
The motion charges the court erred in its charge to the jury in not admitting certain testimony regarding conditions in Alvin when the bank closed its doors last spring.

## Released on Bond.

LAREDO, Texas, Jan. 26.—Charged with swindling under \$50, Captain J. G. Head, former commander of a military company at Brownsville was at liberty on \$250 bond here tonight. Captain Head was arrested by Sheriff Condren, Friday.

## TWO KILLED, ONE INJURED WHEN TRAIN HITS AUTO

By United Press.  
TULSA, Okla., Jan. 26.—Fred Beck and Duffiel Hay, of Sand Springs, Okla., were killed and George Philippe suffered serious injuries when their automobile was struck by a Katy train near Cowets, Okla., today. Three other men in the car escaped with minor cuts and bruises.

## Under \$50,000 Bond.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Jan. 26.—J. S. Mullen, former banker of Ardmore and at one time one of the most extensive land owners in the United States, was under \$50,000 super-seedeas bond here tonight in event he appeals an eighteen months penitentiary sentence imposed today for violation of the national banking laws.

## Calls Warrant Payment.

By the United Press.  
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 26.—The state treasurer today made a call for payment of 1350 registered warrants up to and including number 14,550, representing \$220,251.

Girl Scout leaders are trained in regular courses at about 90 institutions for higher education in 27 States. More than half of these courses are given by instructors under the supervision of the education department of the Girl Scouts (Inc.) and the rest by regular faculty members or by representatives of local Girl Scout troops. In the courses offered by the Girl Scouts, the classes are conducted, as far as possible, in the form of scout-troop meetings.

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# Spring Fashion Exhibit



Spring again is almost upon us. Dame Fashion calls forth a brilliant array of styles for 1924.

At CONLEY'S you will find the most authentic clothes creations of the world of fashion—all of them perfect in tailoring, style, fabric and material.

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## FROCKS AND DRESSES

A superb presentation of dainty Frocks and Dresses which will delight the discriminating women of Lubbock is at Conley's. All are of perfect tailoring and of those materials which will be worn most this Spring. Crepes, Crepe Romains, Brochades, Cheniel Embroidered Crepes, Rochinara Crepe, Taffetas and Satins. This wonderful array should make selection an easy matter.



## Beautiful Suits

We just can't say enough about these beautiful Suits for Spring. They are simply wonderful, and distinctly lavish in style and good fabric. Two Piece Suits in Charmeon and Poriet Twill and the very attractive Knicker Three-Piece Suit of Tweed for Sport wear.



## Ladies' Shoes for Spring



In our Shoe Department we have a wonderful presentation in our J. & T. COUSIN Shoe. Fancy Straps with Box and French heel. We have most any kind desired, but we especially wish to stress Black Satins, Suedes and Kid for Spring.

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# SPORT NEWS

## LOCAL WELTERWEIGHT TO MEET PETE BROWN HERE TUESDAY NIGHT GIVING FANS FIRST PROFESSIONAL MATCH

Following a week of stringent efforts in which many letters, telephone calls, and telegrams have been exchanged, Billy Londos, local wrestler, has secured an opponent, and Lubbock will be given her first glimpse of a professional match next Tuesday night at the city auditorium.

Cactus Pete Brown, of old Mexico, known throughout the United States as a strong mat man, and who has met and defeated some of the best mat men in the country, will tangle arms with Londos, offering local fans an exhibition equalling any that can be found.

Londos, brother of Jim Londos, who is well known to the sporting world, and who is considered by many as a strong contender for the honors of Strangler Lewis, has been making his formal debut to local fans for the past ten days. He is recognized as a contender for the welterweight championship of the world. In fact, he recently met Cal Farley, at Amarillo, who claims the world's welterweight championship, and although Farley drew a decision over him, Londos is dissatisfied with the decision, and is now trying to formulate a match with Farley, which in all probability will be held here.

Londos wrestles at 145 pounds, and resorts absolutely to clean sport. All strange holds and other unorthodox manlike clinches are barred from his category. He promises not only a good, clean mat contest Tuesday night, but says that he will guarantee fans their money's worth.

Tickets for the match will be on sale at the Red Cross Pharmacy Monday.

### BLED SOE DEFEATS LOCAL HI SECOND SQUAD 10 TO 4

The Bledsoe school won a hotly contested basketball game from the second team of Lubbock high Saturday, 10 to 4.

The Lubbock boys lead the first half by a 4 to 0 count, but were unable to penetrate the Bledsoe defense the last half, and the Bledsoe lads romped away with the coveted honors.

### AGGIES TAKE SECOND STRAIGHT FROM RICE

By the United Press. COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Jan. 26.—The Texas Aggies took the second game of a two game series from the Rice Institute five here tonight by a score of 22 to 14.

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### UNITED STATES WON FIRST EVENT FORMALLY OPENING 1924 OLYMPICS

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 26.—For only a few hours the American colors glistened against a background of Alpine snow from the top of the Olympic flagstaff here today.

Less than an hour after the crack of the starter's gun had started the skating stars of nineteen nations around the ice track in the opening event of the 1924 Olympic games, the American colors had been pulled to the top of the pole signifying that the United States had won the first event of the eighth revival of the ancient games.

Charles Jewtraw, of Lake Placid, one of the best of the American team brought victory in the first event when he skated 500 meters in 44 seconds. His time was the best made. The ice races are all being contested against time.

Jewtraw won ten points for the American team and they were needed, as none of his team mates was able to finish "within the money." Joe Moore of New York finished eighth; Harry Kaskey of Chicago, twelfth and William Steinmetz, of Chicago fourteenth.

### LUBBOCK DOWNS LORENZO HI 44 TO 6

Driving hard from the beginning, the Westerner eagles last night took an early lead over Lorenzo, and romped away with a one-sided tilt 44 to 6, in a game that was scheduled for Friday night, but which was forced off on account of the grammar school commencement exercises.

The locals opened up a stiff offensive play in the early minutes of the exhibition, which the Lorenzo lads were unable to cope with, and although they fought back bravely for a time, their efforts were seemingly unavailing against the air-tight team work of the Westerners.

The count at the end of the first half was 24 to 2, with Castleberry and Haney being tied for goal honors, each having five goals to his credit.

The line-up: Lorenzo: forwards, Fox and Blankenship; center, Combie; guards,

### LONGHORNS CINCH BASKET BALL HONORS BY DEFEAT OF BEARS

By United Press. WACO, Texas, Jan. 26.—The Texas Longhorns, by a brilliant second period rally, defeated the Baylor Bears 17 to 10, for the second consecutive time tonight. As a result of the Longhorn victory they made secure their hold on first place in the Southwestern conference basketball race with six victories against no losses.

### BROWNS ANNEX BATTERY BY TRADE

By United Press. LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 26.—One of the biggest base ball deals of the winter involving the Los Angeles coast league and the St. Louis American club, was announced here tonight. By its terms the Angels traded Pitcher George Lyons and Catcher Tony Rego to Manager George Sisler of the Browns for Pitcher Wayne Wright, Pitcher Charles Root, Catcher Joseph Billings, Infielder Bill Whaley and Outfielder Cedric Durst.

The deal was concluded at Laguna Beach where Sisler is spending the winter with Manager Marty Krug and Business Manager Oscar Reichow representing the Angels.

### RALLS JACKRABBITS DOWN DICKENS FOR BI-CO. CHAMPIONSHIP

RALLS, Jan. 26.—The Ralls Jackrabbits made one more step toward the district championship when they defeated Dickens City high today for the Crosby-Dickens bi-county championship, by a score of 40 to 11.

The Jackrabbits will probably play Idalou for the Lubbock county championship next.

Okla. Aggies Down T. C. U. FT. WORTH, Texas, Jan. 26.—The Oklahoma Aggies took the second straight conference basketball game from Texas Christian university here tonight, 22 to 15.

Sooners Down Kansas Aggies. NORMAN, Okla., Jan. 26.—The Oklahoma Sooners secured revenge upon the Kansas Aggie basketball players here today, taking the long end of a 42-33 score.

Arkansas Beats S. M. U. FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Jan. 26.—Arkansas university turned the tables on the Southern Methodist university quintet here tonight, winning 21 to 15 in a hard fought game.

### BASKETBALL RESULTS

University of Chicago 35; Wisconsin 18.  
At Cincinnati: University of Ohio 21; Cincinnati university 18.  
At Ann Arbor, Mich.: Michigan 32; Minnesota 31.

### MOTHER OF CORPUS CHRISTI MAYOR DIED SATURDAY

By United Press. CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Sophia Clark Lovenskoid, mother of two of Corpus Christi's mayors and Texas pioneer, died at her home here today at the age of 95. Death resulted from natural causes.

She had been a resident of Corpus Christi since 1853.

Mrs. Lovenskoid numbered among her intimate acquaintances many persons who made history in frontier days. She was also personally acquainted with Jenny Lind.

Her eldest son, Oscar C. Lovenskoid, was mayor of Corpus Christi for 12 years and died here in 1908. Dr. P. G. Lovenskoid, present mayor, is another son.

### CHARGES OF VIOLATIONS OF GAME LAW BY COBB ARE DISMISSED

By United Press. WHARTON, Texas, Jan. 26.—Charges of violation of the state game laws filed against Irwin S. Cobb, nationally known humorist and newspaper man, were dismissed on petition of the county attorney of Wharton county here tonight.

The county judge wiped the charges from the books after he had received the petition and had investigated the case.

Cobb was charged with securing a hunting license under an assumed name here two years ago.

Miss Anna Mallard and Mrs. L. H. Barkham will leave today for eastern markets to purchase goods for their popular millinery and ladies' furnishing shop which is located in the Avalanche building.

## MANY ARRESTED IN POLICE RAIDS

By United Press. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 26.—Scores of suspected criminals were rounded up by detectives in wholesale raids on saloons and gambling houses here tonight.

The entire detective force under personal direction of I. B. Walston, chief of detectives, joined with police in drastic moves to check the unprecedented crime wave in Kansas City which has aroused authorities and the public.

Vagrants were hauled to headquarters by the wagon load and held for investigation. Others were released for lack of evidence and told to find work or leave the city.

Saloons and pool halls were invaded by the plain clothesmen and all suspicious characters taken to the police station.

Gambling houses, which Chief Walston said were contributing largely to delinquency and crime were investigated by the detectives seeking evidence with which to close them up by court action.

### FEAR HIGHWAY ACT IS JEOPARDIZED BY TEST CASE

By United Press. AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 26.—Because of amending of the original petition in the case set for next Monday at Groesbeck testing the validity of the motor vehicle license law, it is feared by State Highway Engineer J. D. Fauntleroy that the entire highway act has been placed in jeopardy.

Fauntleroy was in conference with Attorney General Keeliner today regarding the case. He will be a witness for the state at the coming trial.

### TWO INJURED WHEN AUTOMOBILE OVERTURNS

By United Press. TYLER, Texas, Jan. 26.—Robert D. Barron and Harry Seay, of Dallas, were painfully injured near here today when their automobile overturned. Barron was hurled through the windshield into a wire fence and Seay was pinned beneath the car after it rolled over three times.

### KANSAS CITY MAN HELD UP AND MURDERED

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 27.—Edward Schraer, 55, was shot and killed by bandits on a down town street corner here at midnight. Police believe the holdup and murder was committed by two negroes. When they arrived on the scene of the shooting, Schraer was dead, and his assailants were fleeing down the street.

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### MEETS LONDOS HERE TUESDAY



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# At the Churches

**Church of Christ**  
Jan. 27, 1923  
Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m., by T. M. Carney. Morning theme, "Government of the Church." Evening theme, "Man's Fall and Restoration."  
Young People's Meeting, 5:45 p. m.  
Midweek Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Ladies Class, Thursday 8:00 p. m. Be on time today. Be something. Do something.  
Visitors and strangers welcome.  
Preaching at Southwest Ward school at 3:00 o'clock this afternoon.  
T. M. CARNEY, Minister.

**Salvation Army Hall**  
The regular Holiness meeting will be held at the morning service, 11:00 o'clock, and the subject will be "Without Blame," taken from Eph. 5-25.  
Company meeting at 2:30 p. m.  
Open air meeting at 7:00 p. m.  
In-doors meeting at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "And the Iron Did Swim."  
Come and bring your family.  
The Salvation Army is in need of cast-off clothing, used furniture, etc. Bed springs and mattresses would be accepted and we especially need a sewing machine. If anyone has a machine to donate to the Home League it would be greatly appreciated by the Home League ladies. Our Home League meetings are held every Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock Doughnuts and coffee will be served. You are invited to be present.  
Salvation Army Reporter.

**Cumberland Presbyterian Church.**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Now that the epidemic of measles has subsided and the weather has moderated we have less excuse for not being present at Sabbath school. May we see you there on time.  
Preaching 11 o'clock. Subject: Christ and Humanity Transposed.  
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. All young people should attend.  
Evening service 7:30. Subject: Witnesses for Jesus.  
J. A. RODGERS, Pastor.

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
Corner 14th and N.  
J. M. LEWIS, Pastor.  
This church offers to you the privilege of attending divine worship today. Do not neglect your better nature.  
Sunday school meets at 9:45 sharp. You will enjoy an hour spent in Bible study under competent leaders and teachers.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. The pastor will bring the message on the subject, "The Fatal Mistake."  
Christian endeavor at 6:15. The young people are urged to attend and take part.  
Evening worship at 7. The subject for the evening service will be, "Goodbye God."  
Come and worship with us today.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
1610 Ave. H  
Mrs. Lillian Wilson, Pastor  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
If you are not attending any Sunday school we urge you to meet with us. You will find our school interesting and profitable.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m., theme, "Divine Requirements," text Deut. 10-12.  
Junior League, 5:00 p. m.  
Evening worship, 7:15. Theme, "True Happiness, What It is and Where Found."  
Prayer Service, Thursday, 7:15 p. m.  
Come worship with us today and receive a spiritual blessing. We welcome you.

**Methodist Church.**  
Joe Ireland will sing at the Methodist church this morning at the services.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Our Sunday school will begin promptly at 9:45.  
At 11 o'clock and at 7:30 Dr. J. B. Tidwell of Baylor university will speak. Special music will be furnished by the choir. At one service Dr. Tidwell will speak on his recent tour through Europe and Asia.  
You are invited to attend these services.

**Baptist Church.**  
Morning service:  
Hymn 191.  
Prayer.  
Anthem—Hail Holy Lord.  
Offertory.  
Quartet: Sometime, Somehow, Somewhere—Messdames Atkinson, Barclay, Messrs. Hilton, Brooks.  
Scripture reading.  
Solo: O Divine Redeemer—Miss Ricker.  
Sermon.

Night service:  
Hymn.  
Prayer.  
Anthem—Hallelujah for the Cross.  
Offertory.  
Text: O Be Joyful—Messdames Holland, Esteliff, Walker, Barclay, Team, Atkinson, Miss Ricker.  
Scripture reading.  
Solo: Think on Thy Way—Mr. Brooks.  
Sermon.

**Christian Science**  
Christian Science services are held in the Cotton Exchange room at the Karshner building Sunday at 11:30 a. m. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Avalanche Want Ad. Get Results.  
BUILD A HOME.

## NOTICE TO BUTCHERS, MEAT PEDDLERS AND SLAUGHTERMEN

At a meeting of the City Commission the following Ordinance passed its First Reading by a unanimous vote.  
An Ordinance providing that all animals for slaughter and sale within this city, shall be inspected before such slaughter, with certain exceptions, establishing a house where such animals shall be slaughtered and inspected, and prepared for sale; providing for the appointment of an inspector for such, and defining his duties; providing fees for inspection and regulating the prices, services and charges at such slaughter house.  
(Signed) PERCY SPENCER, Mayor.

## GOVERNOR WILL STUMP STATE IN SPRING

By United Press.  
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 26.—Law enforcement will be the keynote of the campaign Governor Pat M. Neff will make during the spring according to apparently well founded reports in circulation around the state capitol. Neff will make a series of speeches at different points on varied subjects, but respect for the constitution and obedience to the law will be the Governor's chief campaign notes, political savants at the state capitol are saying.  
Whether Governor Neff intends to make a campaign tour preliminary to an announcement for the United States senatorship or for a call for another special session of the Thirty-Eighth legislature is still a matter of speculation in political circles. No official announcement has been made by the Governor on the purpose of the proposed tour.  
Many political observers do not believe a special session is likely. They point to the fact that the same set of lawmakers would be in office that have blocked the Governor's pet legislative measures in the past. Many lawmakers will be busy during the summer on political races and will have no time to devote to another lawmaking session.  
With Neff's rejection of the thought of running for president, it is believed by some that a desire to sound out sentiment for a possible race for United States Senator.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Avalanche is authorized to announce the following for the office given below, subject to the Democratic Primary in July and the voters of this county are urged to give them due consideration at the polls.

- For District Judge, 72nd Judicial District—CLARK M. MULLICAN. (Re-Election.)
- For District Attorney, 72nd Judicial District—PARKE N. DALTON. (Crosbyton)
- For Clerk, 72nd Judicial District—LOUIE F. MOORE. (Re-Election)
- For County Judge: CHARLES NORDYKE, J. H. MOORE, GEORGE W. FOSTER.
- For County Attorney: OWEN W. McWHORTER. (Re-Election)
- For County Clerk: HERBERT STUBBS. (Re-Election)
- For Sheriff: H. L. JOHNSTON, (re-election)
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 3 B. N. WHEELER. (Re-Election) E. N. (Uncle Ed) HARRISON Route 1
- For County Superintendent of Schools—W. M. PEVEHOUSE, E. C. BOWLIN, F. F. BROWN.
- For Tax Assessor—E. C. BURNS. (Re-Election)
- For Tax Collector—L. F. HOLLAND, Lubbock, Texas.
- For County Treasurer: J. S. SLOVER. (Re-Election)
- For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1 COL. W. E. JOHNSON. (Re-Election.)
- For Public Weigher, Prec. 1: W. S. (Billie) CLARK, I. M. CAMPBELL, P. O. BROCK, J. B. HEARRELL.
- For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 3 Idalou—H. N. ESTES, Idalou, J. T. LEE, (Idalou), AL H. TURNER.

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# SENSATIONAL SHOE SALE!

Our Record Breaking Selling Yesterday—the opening day of this great sale is conclusive proof to us that our patrons of Lubbock and Lubbock trade territory, appreciate values, and know where to come for their footwear.

Unlike some shoe stocks in our city, we do not find ourselves overstocked with a lot of old shelf-worn, out-of-date styles, dumped on the market at "seemingly" low prices. On the contrary, our stock is all new and up-to-the-minute styles.

If you need shoes, be here tomorrow morning early.

## FOR MEN

A wide assortment of good shoes in either high-cuts or winter Oxfords—tans, browns, blacks in Kid Kangaroo or Calf Skin.



- Nettleton Shoes, \$14.00 to \$15.00 values **\$10.40**
- Other Standard Makes, values to \$12.50, now **\$9.85**
- Other Standard Makes, values to \$11.00, now **\$7.85**
- Other Standard Makes, values to \$9.00, now **\$6.85**
- Other Standard Makes, values to \$8.00, now **\$5.85**
- Other Standard Makes, values to \$7.00, now **\$4.85**
- Other Standard Makes, values to \$6.00, now **\$3.85**
- One lot Work Shoes, \$3.50 and \$4.00 sellers, now **\$2.85**

## BOYS' SHOES

- \$5.50 and \$6.00 values now **\$4.25**
- All \$5.00 values now **\$3.85**
- All \$4.50 values now **\$3.65**
- All \$4.00 values now **\$3.25**
- All \$3.50 values now **\$2.85**
- Big lot Women's Felt House Shoes, beautiful assortment of colors, \$1.25 and \$1.35 values now **98c**

See Our Windows  
They Reflect a Most  
Interesting Story of  
Exceptional Values

## FOR WOMEN

MANY of the mid-winter's most popular modes, styles that will be worn well into the spring and summer months. MODELS for street, dress, sport and school wear. In fact shoes for every occasion.



- Brooklyn Bench-made Shoes, values to \$12.50, now **\$8.85**
- Straps, Ties and Oxfords, values to \$10.00, now **\$7.85**
- Ties, Straps and Oxfords, values to \$9.00, now **\$6.85**
- Oxfords, Ties and Straps, values to \$8.00, now **\$5.85**
- Ties, Oxfords and Straps, values to \$7.00, now **\$4.75**
- Straps, Ties and Oxfords, values to \$5.00, now **\$3.85**
- Oxfords and Straps, values to \$4.00, now **\$2.85**

## Children's Shoes

ALL Children's Shoes and Slippers included in this great sale at 1-3 to 1-4 OFF—NOW is the time to buy your Children's Shoes at the greatest saving of the year.



## Women's HOSE

Chiffons with Lisle Carter Tops, also big lot of medium weight Silks in blacks and browns, values to \$4, sale price—

**\$1.95**

All-wool, Silk and Wool and Wool Mixture Hose on Sale, 85c, \$1.15, \$1.65, \$1.95 and **\$2.25**

COME EARLY  
FOR BEST  
SELECTIONS



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Errors made in ads must be reported in 48 hours, or same will not be corrected. PHONE 14

Depot Safe Robbed. By United Press. WACO, Texas, Jan. 26.—The

safe in the S. A. & A. P. depot at Satis, near Waco, was robbed Friday night, the burglars getting away with an amount estimated at \$25 or \$30, after having successfully worked the combination of the safe.

### NOTICES

**YELLOWHOUSE LODGE No. 841, A. F. & A. M., meets Friday night, on or before full moon each month. Visiting Masons cordially invited.** 312-1f  
**L. E. Hunt, W. M.**  
**Chris Harwell, Secretary.**

**NOTICE—My property that has been listed for sale is now off the market. Jas L. Dow.** 70-3f

**NOTICE TO OUR FRIENDS—Duvall & Jackson, contractors, do all kinds of carpenter and contract work. Yard Phone 139. Residence phone 642.** 59-4f

### WANTED

**WANTED—Lady with executive ability wants place as business manager or bookkeeper for Lubbock firm.** Phone 876-J. 77-1f

**WANTED—Widow woman wants housework with nice family. Nora Chatman, Route 1, Bx. 81. Wilson, Texas.** 77-1p

**WANTED—Plain and fancy dress-making. Mrs. Cordie Copland, 2905 15th.** 77-1p

**WANTED—An experienced separator man. Apply to L. O. Burford, Phone 9009 F3.** 77-1p

**WANTED—Would appreciate your laundry or sewing, also would like nursing in private home. 115 Avenue H.** 77-1p

**WANTED—Experienced shoe salesman. Inexperienced need not apply. Phone 107.** 77-1f

**WANTED—Girl or woman to do housework. Apply in person at 902 Main.** 76-1f

**WANTED—A first class cooking job. Terms reasonable. References if wanted. Box 305, Canyon, Texas.** 76-3p

**WANTED—A competent planing mill man. Good job to right party. Phone 736.** 76-2

**WANTED—Cottage bargain direct from owner, southwest side, that \$500 to \$1000 cash and easy terms will handle, or good lot at bargain. Address box 1043 with house or lot number.** 75-3p

**WANTED—Someone to put in fifty or one hundred acres new land and work it in cotton. M. C. McCrummen. Phone 60.** 74-1f

**WANTED—Men to break sod land, will give all land makes first year. Have 1200 acres one mile of Shallowater. Call O. E. Sears at Sears & Powell Land Co.** 74-1f

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE—Phelps home light plant cheap; large size; gives fine light and lots of power. Reason for selling, am on the high line now. A. G. Ross, Idalou, Texas.** 20-1 77-1f

#### FOR SALE

**Choice lots, \$150, terms. 4-room house, corner lot, close in. Price \$2250; \$600 cash, bal. \$25 per month.**

**2-room house, good lot, \$1000; \$250 cash, terms on balance.**

**If you are looking for a farm, lots, houses, or anything in the real estate line, it will pay you to see us before you buy.**

#### J. S. ECHOLS

Next door to Lindsay Theater. Phone 363. 77-1p

**FOR SALE—Two-row lister and two-row govt. See Dillard at Owens & Hufstader. 1010 Main. Phone 196.** 77-6p

**FOR SALE—Corner building site, Broadway and E. Ave., choice for nice home or modern apartment. Phone 130.** 77-1p

**FOR SALE—Nice new home, five rooms and bath, good terms, apply 1945 Ave. H.** 77-3p

**FOR SALE—Cheap, Essex car top. This top was taken off in order to build a sport top. In good condition. Cone's Auto and Furniture Works. Phone 726.** 77-1f

**FOR SALE—All or part of lot 2, block 8, Overton addition on Ave. Q. Inquire at 1502 Ave. Q.** 77-1f

**FOR SALE—No. 2 Portable Clipper well machine; two strings of tools; Fordson tractor and water wagon; price \$3,250; can furnish 26, 150-foot wells. See Texas Land Exchange.** 77-5-1f

**FOR SALE—By owner, 320 acres good farming land, unimproved, 8 miles north Idalou, can be bought now for \$35 per acre, small cash payment, with easy terms on balance at 4 percent. "C" Cars Avalanche. 77-1f**

**FOR SALE—My home on 8th street, small cash payment, easy terms, also would sell 40 acres near town or cut in small tracts. W. B. Thorp. Phone 625.** 77-1f

**FOR SALE—Place in town, good price and terms. Come and look it over at 2120 15th St. Phone 653.** 75-5p

### FOR SALE

**SALE OR TRADE—I will trade my forty acre farm near Harlingen in the Rio Grande valley for Lubbock property or Panhandle land. If interested address Box 1252, Lubbock.** 77-2f

**FOR SALE—7 good Jersey cows and one Holstein. A. G. Ross, Idalou. 77-1f**

**FOR SALE—48 lots in one block, situated on highway between K. Carter school and Tech. Price \$150 per lot. \$5400 cash, balance easy. Would take Ford car in. Dealing with owner. Write Box 455, Lubbock, Texas.** 77-1p

**BARGAIN in 12 big lots, Overton Addition, adjoining Tech site, some terms, and as investment no better bargain offered. Owner does not care to make price public. See me Monday. T. W. Sawyer, Phone 205.**

**FOR SALE—Ford coupe, good condition, at bargain. See L. H. McLarty at C. D. Shamburger Lbr. Co.** 76-5

**FOR SALE—Furniture and grocery store in one of the fastest growing towns in Texas, doing a nice business, new frame building 24x82, painted and papered. A snap for someone. Wire or write not later than Monday. G. M. Shaw, Littlefield, Texas. 76-2**

**FORDS FOR SALE—\$50 and up. Two blocks south of court house. Phone 829. C. M. Elmore.** 76-2

**FOR SALE—Baby buggy. Second hand store, east side of square. 76-1f**

**FOR SALE—3-room modern house to be moved, \$500 cash, balance like rent. Write Box 1052, Lubbock.** 77-1f

**FOR SALE—Highland Mammoth Bronze turkeys, all year layers, or would let some of them out to raise on shares. C. O. Nessmith, box 1104, Lubbock.** 75-3p

**FOR SALE—Bundle cane, eight cents delivered to Lubbock. J. F. Goodman. Call 9008-F3.** 75-6p

**FOR SALE—Practically new 5-room house on 50 foot lot. Garage, sidewalk, bath, hot and cold water, fireplace, east front, good neighborhood, priced right. Ave. U between Main and Broadway. Sid Taylor, Phone 933. 209 Leader Bldg.** 73-1f-p

**FOR SALE OR TRADE—Well located six-room house; will take car or lots first payment. Easy terms on balance. Phone 107 or see owner. Raymond Barrier.** 73-1f

**FOR SALE—85 full blooded young Rhode Island Red hens. Mrs. J. A. Long, Phone 920M, Lubbock.** 72-6p

**FOR SALE—1923 model Hup touring; also 1923 model Hup sport touring. Ragland Motor Co.** 71-7p

**FOR SALE—By owner, 10-room house, 26 lots, block 8, McCrummen second addition. Phone 905.** 71-7p

**FOR SALE—Four improved places by owner, ranging from 640 acres to 3,600 acres, all in Moore county, the banner cotton county of the North Plains. Box 101, Dumas, Texas.** 7019p

**FOR SALE—Sand and gravel. Call J. Gelin. Phone 669.** 67-24p

**FOR SALE—Some pure Mebane cotton planting seed grown by Sheriff W. M. Elison, Lockhart, Texas. Improved long staple variety, no other as good for the price. Write J. O. B. Smith, Lockhart, Texas.** 65-18p

#### FOR SALE

**Two sections of land situated nine miles northwest of Lubbock. For particulars write the San Antonio Loan and Trust Co., P. O. Box 888, San Antonio, Texas.** 49-1f

**FOR SALE—One A Number One Fordson tractor, price \$350.00. 818 Main street. Phone 294.** 69-1f

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT—Concrete and brick ware room. Apply at A. E. Heiber Jewelry Store.** 77-3

**FOR RENT—Some good farms. A. X. Erickson, Merrill Hotel, one week. 305 Foster Bldg., Denver, Colo., thereafter.** 77-3p

**FOR RENT—Apartment for those who care—has built-in furniture in kitchen, and breakfast room—disappearing Murphy bed in living room. Everything new and modern—rent to refined couple only. 1614 Broadway, Phone 98.**

**FOR RENT—4-room house with bath. Close in. Call 811-M.** 77-1

**FOR RENT—Good location for kiddies' barber shop and beauty parlor. Phone 107.** 77-1f

**FOR RENT—Three nice unfurnished rooms to parties without children. Apply at Ave. S between 14th and 15th streets.** 76-3p

**FOR RENT—Several desirable and well located offices. See Paul Barrier at Barrier Bros.** 75-1f

### MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR TRADE—Small dairy farm, well improved. Will take house and lot as first payment. Good terms on balance. Phone 863.** 77-1f

### MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR TRADE—Nash Sport Model, in good condition for lot, will give or take difference. Hub Jones. Phone 262.** 77-1

**ALL KINDS OF windmill work. First class workmen. Phone 894 and 562. John W. Auent, Transfer.** 77-3

**FOR TRADE—Closed Hudson automobile for vacant lots or vendor's lien notes. Roscoe Wilson.** 77-3

**FOR TRADE—Second hand automobile for town lots, will pay difference. See O. Lykes.** 74-4p

**ROOM AND BOARD—For men \$8.00 per week. 1412 Ave. I.** 76-2p

**FOR TRADE—1-2 section of land in Gaines Co. for business lots in Lubbock. See owner at Avalanche Office.**

**FOR TRADE—House and two lots in Lubbock for teams and tools and want to rent a farm. See W. H. Wilkinson at 809 Ave. M. 44-47p.**

**I HAVE LISTED with me some brick income property in Lubbock, Texas, that will pay a much better income than you can possibly get by loaning your money, even at ten per cent. Also have a good residence and some vacant lots listed for sale. Jno. F. Robinson, 511 Reynolds Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas.**

**CARVER LAUNDRY—Just established at 706 Broadway. We want your work. Call 952.** 74-6p

Thomas Gray Co. for feed and fuel. Phone 324. 5-v

### LOST AND FOUND

**STRAYED—Away from my place in front of the fair grounds, one small mouse colored mule. Anyone hearing or knowing of him please call 804-J.** 77-1f

**LOST—Between northwest ward and Lubbock, Conklin fountain pen. Please leave at Avalanche office. G. C. Bevers.** 77-1p

**FOUND—Bunch of keys. Owner please call and get them by paying for this ad.** 72-2

**LOST—One female Pointer bird-dog, with collar and blanket on. Phone 888, and receive reward.** 76-1f

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### CHINAMAN FACES EXECUTION BY LETHAL GAS

By the United Press  
CARSON CITY, Nev., Jan. 26.—Gee Jon, San Francisco Chinese, convicted of murder, must die alone in the lethal gas chamber here February 8.

The state pardon board today unanimously voted against commuting Jon's sentence to die in the gas chamber to a term of life imprisonment and by a vote of 4 to 1 commuted the sentence of death against Hugie Sing, Jon's mate in the slaying to life imprisonment.

The action in regard to Sing was taken because of the extreme youth of the Chinese and because of certainty on the part of the board that Jon fired the shot that killed Tom Juong, Chinese laundryman during the course of a tong war flare at Mina, Nevada.

The sentencing of the two Chinese to die in a sealed cell into which hydro cyanic gas will be forced from tanks under pressure has stirred the entire country.

A score of petitions have been in circulation here and in many other states and hundreds of people by signing them have protested against this new method of carrying out a sentence of capital punishment.

Consul General Yhi, of the Chinese consul at San Francisco, joined his protest with many others on behalf of the Chinese government.

Consul Yhi took the position that he and other Chinese had no assurance that white men would be executed in the future by such means. He objected to such an execution being performed on two of his countrymen.

In the courts, the Nevada law recently passed, which called for the lethal gas execution, has been held unconstitutional. The United States supreme court recently sustained all lower courts. The pardon board at its meeting today took into consideration all moves that have been made in behalf of the two Chinese, took its vote and announced that its action is final.

Jon can now be saved from the lethal chamber only by action of Governor Cooham. The state executive has shown no disposition to interfere in the matter so far.

The gas for the execution has been purchased in Los Angeles, Calif., and now is en route here by truck, express companies having refused to transport it.

The chamber in which Jon will face alone the great adventure, the first condemned man to die by such means, is nearing completion.

### CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS FOR McADOO OPENED IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Convention headquarters for William Gibbs McAdoo has been opened in New York City in the Vanderbilt hotel, it was announced tonight.

Headquarters will be under the general supervision of Judge Davis L. Rockwell of Cleveland, Ohio, who is campaign manager for McAdoo's candidacy for the democratic presidential nomination.

The McAdoo headquarters will be continued at the Auditorium hotel in Chicago.

Judge Rockwell will be represented in New York by David Hunter Miller, in charge of the McAdoo interests in New York state.

The office manager of the convention headquarters will be Mrs. Alberta Hill Smith of New York.

FOR SALE  
10,000 acres choice Bally county land very liberal terms. A. X. Erickson, 305 Foster Building, Denver Colorado, at Merrill Hotel, Lubbock, first week in February.

### THE HOME GUARDS LIVERGARD and LUNGARDIA

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**YOUR FAVORITE DRUG STORE**

### FINAL CHECK SHOWS 32 DEAD AND EIGHT HURT IN MINE DISASTER

By United Press  
JOHNSTON CITY, Ill., Jan. 26.—With thirty-two dead, two dying and six seriously burned, another coal mining disaster was recorded in the appalling history of southern Illinois bituminous fields tonight.

Company and state authorities joined in an investigation, evidence collected so far indicating that the blast which stifled the miners in the east side of the Greer-Clinch Coal company here Friday night was caused by spontaneous combustion of "coal dust" and ignited in some unknown manner.

The coroner's inquest will be held Monday, and a day or two later the entire Williamson county mining town of 8000 will join in a big funeral for the victims.

Twenty-nine of the dead have been identified.

### AUTO LICENSE TAX CASE BE SETTLED BY AGREEMENT IN SUPREME COURT

WACO, Texas, Jan. 26.—The auto tax fee case, in which W. A. Keeling, attorney general, is appellant, and A. E. Eldson, et al., of Hamilton county, appellees, which involves the right of the state to a part of the auto license money collected by the individual counties of the state, will be settled in the supreme court.

Attorneys representing the state and appellees agreed to this action after general argument before the tenth court of civil appeals here today. Reference was made by attorneys to the belief that the case involved the constitutionality of the auto license fee act.

The state was represented by Assistants Attorney General Caves and Bryant. They announced that on next Monday they would go to Limestone county in connection with the hearing on an injunction in Limestone county restraining the tax collector of that county from remitting auto taxes to the state government.

### CASE TO QUASH GRAND JURY INDICTMENTS BY WALTON HEARD SOON

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Jan. 26.—Motion of former Governor J. C. Walton to quash grand jury indictments returned against him several weeks ago will be heard here February 11, according to an announcement of Judge C. C. Smith, Guthrie, who will hear the case.

Date of the hearing was set when Walton and his counsel appeared in court today and asked for more time to take depositions supporting the quash motion.

Deciphering of the klan code telegrams and further testimony regarding the \$5,000 Walton was alleged to have secured irregularly from Ed Semans, chairman of the state democratic central committee, will be brought out at the trial, according to the Walton defense.

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### DALTON PRESIDES IN MURDER TRIAL

Due to the fact that Judge Clark M. Mullican is disqualified to try the Ed George murder case which is set for trial next Thursday, January 31, Judge Parke N. Dalton of Crosbyton will occupy the bench in the trial of the case. Judge Dalton is a son of our old friend Judge Dalton Sr., deceased, formerly of Plainview, and his qualification to fill the position is unquestioned, and although young in years he has gained wide experience in the legal fraternity during the past few years.

A special venire of 75 men has been summoned for January 31, from which a jury will be selected. It is thought the first day will be consumed in selecting the jury. Attorneys Bledsoe & Pharr will represent the defendant, while Judge Gordon B. McGuire, assisted by Vickers & Campbell, will represent the prosecution.

### NEW DESKS ORDERED FOR K. CARTER SCHOOL

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the Lubbock city schools which was held Thursday afternoon, 318 desks were ordered which will be installed in the K. Carter school which is near completion.

This order of desks will supplement those to be removed from the present white building near the Junior high school, and will add greatly to the comfort of many pupils, who are working under a serious handicap for the lack of desk room at this time.

The children who are now working in the white building will be removed to the K. Carter school a week from next Monday, Superintendent Dupre has announced.

### FIRE DOES MUCH DAMAGE TO STEAMER AT DOCK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Fire aboard the Midland, Norfolk and Washington steamer, in dock here tonight, resulted in \$250,000 damage. The Charles McAlester at an adjoining wharf and nearby warehouses were badly damaged by the flames. A fireman who fell overboard fighting the fire was rescued from the icy waters.

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### CHARTERED ASSOCIATION WILL ERECT STADIUM AT STATE U.

By United Press  
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 26.—The Texas Memorial Stadium association, without capital stock and headquarters at Austin, was chartered today, having for its purpose the erection of a stadium and other buildings on University of Texas land in Austin to afford ample facilities for various athletic contests, pageants and out of door educational functions. The board of directors for the first two years are: H. J. Litcher Stark, Orange; Will T. Caswell; W. H. Richardson Jr.; W. L. McGill; Ira P. Hildebrand; Lucy Harding Adams; L. Theo Belmont, all of Austin; Ed Connor, Dallas; Cecil R. Chamberlin, Stephenville; Frost Woodhull, San Antonio; J. A. Kemp, Wichita Falls, and the president of the university ex-students' association.

### BARBER TAKEN FOR BANDIT IS SHOT BY OFFICER

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 27.—Charles Bain, a barber, was shot and killed by policeman here shortly after midnight when the officers mistook him for a bandit they were pursuing. Bain was returning from work and was about to enter his home when he was shot down. He died in his wife's arms.

### MYSTERY MEN SOUGHT BY OFFICERS

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—A merry hunt for four men of mystery—the man who gave and the man who got the \$25,000 involved in the state's efforts to convict William H. Anderson, the anti-saloon league head of third degree forgery was on tonight.

With the Anderson case due to go to the jury Monday, Assistant District Attorney Pecora is anxious to make the acquaintance of at least one of the mysterious figures described by the state superintendent under cross examination.

But all the "Mr. John T. Kings" in Baltimore say they didn't give Anderson \$25,000 early in 1914 and Anderson insists someone of that name did. And as for Mr. Henry Mann, who took the \$25,000 and made much publicity of the sort that showed what alcohol does to the human stomach, and Mr. Green and Mr. Johnson, who helped him—they have passed with the days when the anti-saloon league was a thing apart and its agents not so popular as in the better

and more righteous age. Of the trial there remains but the testimony of the reverends who esteemed and trusted Anderson in the days when he was lending the league the \$25,000. They will be heard as character witnesses Monday and then the jury will decide whether Anderson is guilty of third degree forgery, in that he found it necessary to permit the books of the league to be altered to conceal a method of splitting commissions, whereby he says he got back \$25,000.

### PRISON FARM PRODUCTS NET MORE THAN \$1,000,000 DURING 1923

By United Press  
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 26.—Products of the state prison farms this season have brought more than one million dollars cash, according to Prison Commissioner Walker Sayles. The sugar cane sold for \$100,000, cotton brought close to \$800,000 and corn and other commodities made up the remainder. Money derived from the crops has been used in paying maintenance debts of the prison system. Commissioner Sayles said there will be enough money available to maintain the prison system on cash basis until June 1, after which it will again be on a deficiency basis.

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# Lubbock Morning Avalanche

## Early Days on The Plains

I moved to Lubbock county November 12, 1890, from Parker county, Texas with my family. The county was not organized. I carried the back staff for the surveyor when the boundary lines was run out, four of the party are still living here. The surveyor is J. B. Jones, his son Albert Jones, P. F. Brown, our present county judge and the writer, J. B. Green.

Our first county officers were Geo. C. Wolfarth, county and district clerk; William Lay, sheriff; Colonel G. W. Shannon, county judge; W. F. Henricks, county attorney; commissioners, J. J. Caldwell, precinct 1; F. E. Wheelock, precinct 2; M. A. Wood, precinct 3; Van Sanders, precinct 4.

The first school trustees were Geo. M. Hunt, George Singer and J. B. Green. Our first school was taught in the old box jail building and was taught by Miss Minnie Tubbs, who later on married Van Sanders. She was the daughter of William Tubbs who is still one of our citizens.

Lubbock county was organized in March, 1891.

The first paper published in Lubbock county was published by J. Winfred Hunt now of Abilene, Texas, and was sold by him to Bob Rogers, and J. J. Dillard took over the paper and published it under the name of The Lubbock Avalanche for a number of years and then sold it to the present owner. I have never missed a copy from the first paper up to the present time.

When I came to Lubbock county antelope could be seen every day in bunches from ten to as many as 300 head when they were drifting south in the winter time. There were also very large bunches of wild horses or mustangs and we had to be very careful with our saddle and work horses or these mustangs would steal them and it was nearly impossible to recover them after they had took up with these wild horses.

There was not a stick of lumber of any kind when I moved to this county, and my wife was the fourth woman in Lubbock county. There was a little store out northwest of the present town called Southtown, and there was one north of the canyon called Northtown. These two places decided on this section for the town of Lubbock and started the town here. Lubbock has grown from a cowtown of West Texas to the "Hub of the Plains."

My brother, W. N. Green hauled the first load of lumber from Amarillo, Texas, for the building of the courthouse and I worked on this building as stone mason and carpenter from the beginning to end. I

also helped to paint the old court house.

I brought a big black dog with me to this county and he caught and killed by himself as many as five antelope a week. I was offered a good four-year-old horse for him but as he was needed to help keep the larder supplied with fresh meat I decided I could not afford to trade him off.

There was just one hog in this county when we moved here and it was owned by R. C. Burns, our present tax assessor.

I have been in eighteen different states, and Lubbock county has them all beat, I would not move away from this country even if I was a young man and my advice to all is to buy a home on the great South Plains of Texas and it will make you independent for life.

As the Avalanche says, "Come to Lubbock."

Yours very truly,  
J. B. GREEN.

### Vanderbilt Has Bird and Fish Museum on Estate

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 26.—Wm. K. Vanderbilt plans to cruise the South Sea Islands this winter and early spring, according to Chas. H. Thompson, who is in charge of Vanderbilt's yacht, Ora. The cruise, according to Thompson, is to gather specimens for the Vanderbilt museum at his Long Island estate.

Mr. Vanderbilt has been collecting specimens for this museum for about 23 years, said Thompson. "Last year he secured about 300 specimens of fish along the Florida coast and around Cuba.

The museum which he has constructed is a magnificent building, 150 feet long and 50 feet wide. He is stocking it with marine and animal life. He plans, I believe, to have it open to the public one or two days a week. The scheme used in mounting is unique. His marine exhibit, for example, extends along one of the walls. He engaged the best artists in the country to paint an ocean scene which extends along the entire wall. At one end of the wall there is painted a scene of a wreck, while there is a scene of a cave at the other end. The fish are mounted whole and placed on poles extending about 18 inches from the

wall. About four feet from the wall there is a pane of plate glass running the entire length of the wall, giving it the appearance of the fish swimming about in the ocean.

**The Bird Exhibit.**  
"The bird exhibit is along the same lines. Mr. Vanderbilt engaged specialists from the Natural History Museum of New York to build stands and construct nests on which he has placed the birds. Back of the mountings, he has caused the artists to paint woodland scenes and pictures of birds of the species mounted in front of the wall. For example, he has about a dozen flamingoes mounted on stands and sitting on nests while back of them he has hundreds of birds painted. The work was all done by specialists."

Thompson said Vanderbilt has at present between 500 and 600 specimens of fish mounted. These specimens have been secured from the water around the Bahamas, Cuba, Labrador, Nova Scotia, Newfoundland and the gulf coast. The fish, Thompson said, when caught were cleaned and packed with salt.

### BOOM IN EATING HORSES ON THE BERLIN MARKET

BERLIN (By Mail to United Press)—Activities on the Berlin horse market have been lively, many Berliners having accustomed themselves to horse steak when they eat meat at all.

Horse meat just now is in great demand. One day in December 312 head were sold on the Berlin market. Prices quoted in the newspapers that day were:

First and second class—from 400 to 600 gold marks each;  
Third class—from 200 to 400;  
Fourth class—from 50 to 200 gold marks each.

In paper marks a two-year-old sold from 900,000,000,000,000 marks to 1,000,000,000,100,100 paper marks.

### CHILE WANTS TO PUT EXPORT TAX ON COPPER

SANTIAGO (By Mail to United Press)—A determined campaign developing in Chile demanding that an export tax should be placed on the country's copper production. It is argued that if this is not done the United States may place an import tax on copper, which would have the same effect on the world's market and would place the revenue in the pockets of Uncle Sam, instead of in those of his poorer brother.

At the present time Chile is producing copper so much more cheaply than the United States that it can be laid down in New York at about four cents a pound below market figures. Practically all of this copper is produced by big American companies operating in this country. These companies are subsidiaries to or are allied with the principal American copper companies which have entered the Chilean producing field for the purpose of lowering their average cost of production.

Those opposed to placing an export tax on copper are mostly foreigners who argue that the Chilean industry has been developed solely for the reason that production is cheaper, and because of Chile's liberal attitude towards foreign capital. They say that if the export tax was levied, it would result in a general raise in the price level of copper throughout the world.

### S. A. WANTS AMERICANS

LOS ANGELES (United Press)—"Go to South America," was the advice given here to the youth of the United States by Arnold Brophy, representative of agricultural implement companies in South America. Before the war, Germany was training hundreds of young men to take charge of the various German interests in South America, but the nations are in need of new United States blood.

### INDIAN DIED AT 103

GROVE, Okla., (United Press)—Robert Daniels, 103-year-old half-blood Cherokee Indian, died at his home near here of pneumonia. Born in the old Cherokee Nation territory in Georgia in 1820, Daniels moved to this section of the west with his tribe in 1835.

### PRIZES FOR COURTESY IN MISSOURI TOWN

PARIS, Mo., Jan. 26.—The boys and girls here are beginning to be good.

Kindness will be more than its own reward for one boy and one girl, because of the appreciation of Henry J. Boatner for kindness shown him by a youth.

When Boatner died, a slip of paper was found in his coat pocket, requesting relatives to set aside \$500 from his estate as a "courtesy fund."

The interest on the fund is \$80 yearly. Just before Christmas each year the most courteous boy and girl, picked by a committee of prominent citizens, including the mayor, are to get a \$15 present each at a ceremony at a church. The legacy was not legally binding, but the relatives agreed that it should be carried out. Stuart Bassett, 13, and Miss Phoebe Sparks, 14, won the prize for 1923.

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## Electric Bakery

# Special Prices for Monday

A great number of people took advantage of the bargains we gave yesterday and we are adding several items to the list for to-morrow's selling.

Krepe de Leen, per yard \$1.98  
Beautiful colors in good heavy grade silk pongee. All the desirable shades for Spring. Special, per yard ..... \$1.39

Children's School Hose in good serviceable grade, in black and brown, all sizes, 4 pairs for \$1.00  
Humming Bird Hose in all the best shades. Special, per pr. \$1.19

## City Drug Store

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The Rexall stock of this store is not only dependable, good value, etc., but is so recognized throughout the United States.

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# If You Can't Boom, Beware of the Boomerang!

By Verner W. Main, First President, the Kiwanis Club of Battle Creek, Mich., President Battle Creek Chamber of Commerce, 1922.

The man who would lift himself by his own bootstraps always engages our respectful attention. If his misapplied energy ever gets hitched to the right conception of the interdependence of men and affairs look out! But the man who would cut his own suspenders, so that he may rise above responsibility for the shortcomings of his civic and economic surroundings, gives us only pained apprehension. Look out for him, too. He's irresponsible in matters of civic and economic morality. We may doubt the ability of the first to get on until he realizes that no boot and no business will rise or fall solely because of the man inside of it; but we are certain of the failure and disgrace of the second until he learns that his status is inseparably associated with the status of other factors in his civic and economic environment. What are some of these other factors?

The government, the Chamber of Commerce, and hired help, three necessary agencies of widely divergent functions, but sharing one common fate—to be the target for the pseudo sharpshooters who are not out on the firing line. Too many soldiers back in S. O. S. are laying down verbal barrages of immature conversation or discharging fusillades of stale aspersions on the alleged deficiencies of their nation, their community, or their employees.

The experts on constitutional law tell us that the federal constitution is one of powers; while the state constitution is one of limitations. That is to say, the federal government has only those powers which the people by express provision, or by necessary and reasonable implication, have given to the central government; while the state has all powers which the people have not expressly withheld. Likewise, the Chamber of Commerce and the hired help are creatures of delegated powers. As it is the part of every sincere employer to hold the employee responsible for only such loyalty and service as working conditions, instructions and compensation justify; so it is the part of every reasonable member of a community to hold his Chamber of Commerce responsible for only such functions as that member of the community has shown a willingness to endow with vitality through his own efforts and personal activity in the Chamber of Commerce.

Before any pessimistic employer shall continue "to view with alarm" the present day tendencies of workmen and their organizations, he should indulge in a little honest introspection as to the length of his own working hours as compared with those of the founders of his business or his fortune; as to the rate of compensation with the earnings of one similarly situated a generation ago; as to the motives of the organizations which he and his business support as compared with the purposes which motivate the organizations to which his employees belong. Before the disgruntled citizen should dare to break forth in denun-

ciation of his government, he should honestly answer this question: What kind of country would this be if every other citizen was no better than I am in upholding the arms of the government—this government which my forbears and I have created?

So, also, the only fair attitude of any member of a community toward his Chamber of Commerce is that of an honest search after, and a willingness to promote, such activities in the Chamber of Commerce as will best serve to make his Chamber of Commerce the kind of Chamber of Commerce he would like.

"If you want to live in the kind of a town,

Like the kind of a town you like. You needn't slip your clothes in a grip.

And start on a long, long hike. You'll only find what you left behind.

For there's nothing that's really new.

It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town.

It isn't your town—it's you!

Real towns are not made by men afraid.

Lest somebody else gets ahead.

When everyone works and nobody shirks.

You can raise a town, from the dead.

And if, while you make your personal stake,

Your neighbor can make his, too, Your town will be what you want to see.

No, it isn't your town—it's you."

### A SAILOR CAT

SAN PERO, Calif., (United Press)—George Walker, local ship builder claims to have the fastest miniature craft afloat in the Windward Jr., a model Gloucester fishing schooner, 41 inches long and displacing 48 pounds. "She has repeatedly bowled off seven knots on the quiet waters of Los Angeles Harbor, which I maintain is a world's record for miniature vessels," stated Walker. The captain, mate and crew of the Windward Jr., consist of one sea-going malted cat, named Totten. According to the owner, the cat can bring the schooner about, or run her up in the wind with the handiness of a bank fisherman.

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### PRES. INDORSES WHEAT COUNCIL PLAN TO REDUCE ACREAGE

CHICAGO (United Press)—Reduction of America's wheat acreage to insure against over-production is endorsed by President Coolidge in a letter made public here by the Wheat Council of the United States.

The President's letter, addressed to Congressman Sydney Anderson of Minnesota, president of the Wheat Council under date of December 26, expressed the conviction that farmers would benefit by forming organizations and associations through which it would be possible for them to deal with the underlying problems of agriculture.

He expressed the belief also that the movement to increase the demand for wheat food products would result in much benefit.

"The work of the Wheat Council of the United States has interested me greatly," President Coolidge wrote, "and I am writing to say that I believe a great practical benefit is likely to derive from it. The effort, in an organized and systematic way, to establish such measure of control over the wheat acreage as will measurably insure against over-production is altogether to be commended. Almost every important business, except agriculture has trade organizations and associations through which it is possible to deal with such vitally important matters. Quite obviously the business of agricultural production would benefit by the same methodical approach to the underlying problems which it must always confront. It seems apparent, too, that much benefit should come from an organized and efficient move to increase the demand for wheat products through the established methods of business exploitation so successfully employed in marketing the other staples."

### FOREIGN BIRTHRATE HIGHEST IN THE UNITED STATES

CHICAGO (United Press)—Birth statistics show that the United States is working away from the Anglo-Saxon stock and will in the process of a few centuries be dominated by other blood and other racial traditions and characteristics than those of the founders of the nation, according to C. L. Vrooman of Kansas City in an address here.

"Foreign mothers have 33 per cent more children than native-born mothers," said Vrooman. "The average of births for the American-

born mother is three and the average for the foreign-born mother is four. The English stock averages three, while the German and Austrian average 4.3, Italian 4.4 and Polish 4.6. This predominance of fecundity of other races over that of the American and English stock must, if it continues, change the character of the American nation. "While the foreign stock reproduces more extensively than native American stock, the death rate is about the same. So the birth increase of the foreign element remains a continuing factor."

Avalanche Want Ads Get Results.

### MINER BECOMES SINGER

BERLIN (United Press)—Alfonso Richard was a miner; now he's a tenor with the prospect of a world fame before him. One day an enterprise inspection commission visited the shaft where Alfonso sang snatches of opera. An Italian commissioner was entranced with the beauty and strength of the man's voice and asked if he'd like to go to Italy to have the voice trained. He would. Now Alfonso Richard is miner no more. Today he is Alfonso Ricardas, singer, with contracts in Italy and America.

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\$8,000,000 in drop forge plants, so every vital part is made to Studebaker standards.

\$10,000,000 in body plants, so Studebaker ideals may be shown in every body.

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#### What extras cost

Lack of vibration is a famous Studebaker feature. We get that by machining crank shafts as they were in Liberty Airplane Motors. That extra cost is over \$500,000 yearly.

Matchless endurance is another famous feature. One Studebaker Six, still in active use, has run 475,000 miles since 1918. We get that through costly steels. On some we pay 15% bonus to makers to get form as exact.

Beauty of finish is another supremacy. But that finish requires many operations, including 15 coats of paint and varnish.

Our real leather cushions cost \$25 per car over imitation leather.

Every Studebaker car is Timken-equipped. The Special-Six and the Big-Six have more Timken bearings than any car selling under \$5,600 in

America. The Light-Six more than any competitive car within \$1,000 of its price.

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Note those bumpers, that steel trunk, those extra disc wheels with cord tires on some models. Note that extra courtesy light. Think what they would cost if you bought them.

#### The cost of care

The unvarying standards in Studebaker cars are fixed by a department

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Every year we give factory employees one week's vacation with pay. That cost us \$225,000 last year.

We sell them stock on attractive terms. We retire old employees on pensions.

All this to keep men happy, to foster morale, and to keep men with us when they develop efficiency.

#### Not extravagance

Do such things seem extravagant? They are not. All those extra dollars save more dollars for our buyers.

They result in the cars you see, in the prices and values we offer. Nothing else in the field can compare.

Those values have resulted in a demand for 150,000 cars per year. That volume cuts our costs in two, as compared with limited production.

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Limited production, Heavy overhead, Out-of-date machinery, Antiquated methods, Non-economical plants, Transient labor, Discontented workers.

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Coupe (5-Pass.)	1925.00
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BIG - SIX	
7-Pass. 126" W. B. 60 H. P.	\$1750.00
Touring	1525.00
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Coupe (5-Pass.)	2685.00
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### COUNTY POLITICS

By PHEBE K. WARNER

A lot of folks seem to think that county politics do not amount to much. Just anybody will do for county office. And it makes little difference whether I vote or not. Somebody will vote. There are always a lot of people who want to vote. Strange, isn't it? Strange that a person with good, common sense as most of us think we have, whether we have or not, should want to have anything to say about the officers of their county and school and the roads they travel every day and the use of their tax money and the management of their home town or city.

Let's take a look just for a minute at the political meaning of a county. How many things in your county are decided by the ballot? First of all the men who weigh your grain when you haul it to market will be selected by the ballot. Should you be interested in whether he is an honest man or not? The justice of the peace will be selected by the ballot and strange as it may seem he will have the power to marry your daughter or your son to anybody in the county or nation if he is asked to do so. Of all the ridiculous laws in our nation we believe this caps the climax. That anybody who happens to be elected justice of the peace in the precinct of a county inherits with his office the power to seal the sacred fate of a young man and woman for life. But since our country gives him this power which has led to more run-away marriages than anything else in the nation should we mothers be interested enough in the character of such officers to pay our poll tax and cast our vote for a decent man for the job?

Next our county commissioners are selected by the ballot. On them devolve the duties of keeping our roads of building all of our county buildings, such as a new court house, a county hospital, hiring the county's work done, employing the county farm agent or the county home demonstrator, and a hundred and one other things that have to be done in every county. Is it essential to have honest men in such positions? Is it essential to have public-spirited men in such positions—men that will think first of the good and safety and advancement of the county? Do you women who have been paying taxes for the last fifty years or less want a home demonstrator in your county to help YOU with YOUR problem of living? Do you want a county nurse to look after the health of your children and save money on doctor bills and suffering and lost time and expense in general? Do you want the mud holes dried up forever on your road to town? If you do then pay your poll tax and vote for men for county commissioners who will think more of the safety of you and your children than of the pigs and calves and other material things. And the safety of the lower animals have had a lot more attention in the past in most of our

counties than the safety of the higher animals.

And then there are the school trustees in every district in your county. Every one of them and the county trustees are selected by the ballot. Every new school house depends on them. Every teacher in the county is selected by those trustees. The progress of your school depends on them. And your child's life for all the future will be molded by the teachers those trustees select and the course of study and the educational equipment they provide for that child. Should a mother be interested in anything that means so much to her home and her child and his future? And not only your district school but unless you pay your poll tax you cannot have one word to say who is selected for your county superintendent of schools or even your State superintendent of schools. Our whole educational system is at the mercy of the ballot. Yet it is not a political institution at all.

And another thing that comes under county politics is all the town and city officials. Every one of them is elected by the ballot. Are you interested in what is going on in your home town? Does it make any difference whether you have lights or water or sewerage or pavements or a library or a hospital? All these things and many more must be settled by the ballot. And even if you do not want them, if you think your money should not be spent that way you can have nothing to say without the ballot.

The county judge, the tax assessor, the county clerk, the sheriff and every one of these officers have to deal with problems of vital interest to every home in the county. It is the sheriff's business to keep your county clean morally and socially just the same as it is your business to keep a clean home for your children, prepare clean food for them to eat and a clean bed for them to sleep in. Is it any concern to the mothers of the county whether that man has a reputation for being clean himself, socially and morally? Or should we vote for anybody because he needs

the salary? Are county offices where the safety and welfare of the whole county is at stake mere Christmas gifts to be distributed among the most needy? We believe of all the county offices that of the sheriff calls for the most self-sacrifice. It involves the greatest risk, the most daring work and the strongest test of honesty. It is upon the multiplied work of every sheriff in the State that the enforcement of all our laws depends. What kind of a man are YOU going to select to protect your home and your community from the vandals of society? Should the mothers of Texas be interested in the character of the man who is elected as sheriff? It is not a political question at all. It is a social and moral-duty you owe your home which will cost you \$1.75 to perform. And your poll tax receipt is not a political document at all. It is simply a permit to prove you are old enough and have sense enough to help select the people who are to direct the use of your taxes, your children's education and the protection of your home and property.

But county politics does not end with county. It is in our home county where we select every State and national officer. The Governor of our State will depend on your vote in the county. As the counties vote the State officials will be chosen. And the same is true of even the President of the United States. He will be selected in the county elections. There is no such thing as a State election or a national election. All the voting in the State or nation is done in the county and by the people of the county. So if you would have a voice in State or national affairs you need only pay your poll tax of \$1.75 and you have a permit to every election of county, state or national interest.

You don't believe in women voting? You don't believe in women meddling in politics? Whose land is this? Who pays the bills? Whose duty is it to select the leaders? You believe in good morals, do you not? You believe in good roads and good schools do you not? You believe in the institution called HOME, do you not? None of these are political institutions. Yet they are all influenced by the ballot. Then who should cast the ballots? Only one more week to pay your poll tax. And

every woman in the State who is interested in the protection of her home and family should pay her poll tax and be ready to vote for the things her home and county, state and nation needs.

#### ENGINEER MAKES RECORD

NEW BERN, N. C. (United Press)—William Petteway, Norfolk Southern Railroad engineer, has begun the 38th year of his career as a locomotive driver. No person who has ever ridden behind Petteway has been injured and the veteran railroader has never received a scratch in the service. He has served on four roads, the Atlantic Coast Line, Southern, the Plant System, now a part of the "Coast Line," and the Norfolk Southern.

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### POLICE JUDGE URGES CAR USERS TO FAMILIARIZE THEMSELVES WITH THE LAW REGULATING TRAFFIC HERE

JAS. H. Goodman, police judge of Lubbock, is very eager for all automobile users in Lubbock to become more familiar with the law of the roads, which is the basic law regulating traffic on the streets of Lubbock.

The effort the judge is making to inform more people of the road laws is being made strictly for their better interests, as the judge is going to be compelled to enforce this law in order to protect pedestrians as well as car users from injuries due to accidents, the most of which are caused by misunderstanding of one's duties in driving.

The judge insists that all car users become familiar with the law of the road in order to escape fines which will have to be imposed for reckless driving and for failure to observe traffic regulations.

#### ABERNATHY BOY HAS LEG AMPUTATED

We were mighty sorry to hear the bad news that came to our ears Wednesday, that of one of our rural route carriers, Mr. J. P. Suttles' 14-year-old son had to surrender to the amputation of one of his lower limbs. This young lad while playing ball here at school a few days ago happened to an accident, got hit on the knee with the ball, bruising it pretty bad, and from the very beginning it appeared that it was of an angry nature, and evidenced signs of not yielding to any kind of treatment, and finally he was taken to the West Texas Hospital at Lubbock, where he could receive very close and careful attention from skilled physicians, but of no avail, as it seemed that the worst was bound to come, so the submitting to an operation was the last resort, in order that they might save the boy's life, which was immediately entered into, the leg being taken off about half way above the knee joint. He stood the operation fine, and is now doing exceedingly well, which is very soothing news to the ears of the family's friends and relatives. The Review bunch extend best wishes for the young lad a speedy recovery—Abernathy Review.

#### SELECT JOHN BASSETT MOORE

NEW YORK. — John Bassett Moore, Hamilton Fish professor of international law and diplomacy at Columbia University, has been selected to deliver, in October of this year, the Marfleet lectures at the University of Toronto. Moore is former assistant secretary of state and member of The Permanent Court at The Hague.

#### THE STATE HIGHWAY REPRESENTATIVE VISITED CROSBYTON

CROSBYTON, Texas, Jan. 26—Mr. G. A. Linder, representative of the State Highway Department met with the commissioners' court of Crosby county here Wednesday and made arrangements to take over highway No. 18, traversing the county, on May 15th. The extension of time for taking over the highway was made in order to give the commissioners time to do considerable more improvement upon the highway and to have it in good shape when taken over by the state. The highway is already graded the entire distance across the county and should be in fine shape before May 15th.

#### State Highway Department to Take Over Crosby Road

RALLS, Texas, Jan. 23—In a call meeting of the Crosby county commissioners at Crosbyton Wednesday, arrangements were made by which the State Highway Department will take over all the highways in Crosby county May 15th. George Linder representing the state negotiated the deal and will recommend that the state assist in repairing the concrete bridge across the White river 3 miles east of Crosbyton, also build three concrete culverts in the county.

#### GERMAN-BUILT DIRIGIBLE TO SAIL FOR UNITED STATES IN APRIL

By United Press.  
FRIEDRICHSHAVEN, Ger. Jan. 26—The giant dirigible ZR-3, built here for the United States Navy, is expected to sail on its trans-Atlantic voyage to America in April.

Reports are current that Captain Anton Heinen, German expert, who was aboard the Shenandoah when she recently broke loose from her mooring mast at Lakehurst, N. J., will come here to assume the task of training the crew for the new airship. The ZR-3 is a sister ship to the Shenandoah.

Zeppelin engineers here are afraid that public opinion in America may oppose the ocean flight of the ZR-3 but declare that the trip will be perfectly safe. It is suggested here that the loss of the Dismuda was due to lack of experience by the French officers, and many doubt the reports that the ship was struck by lightning.

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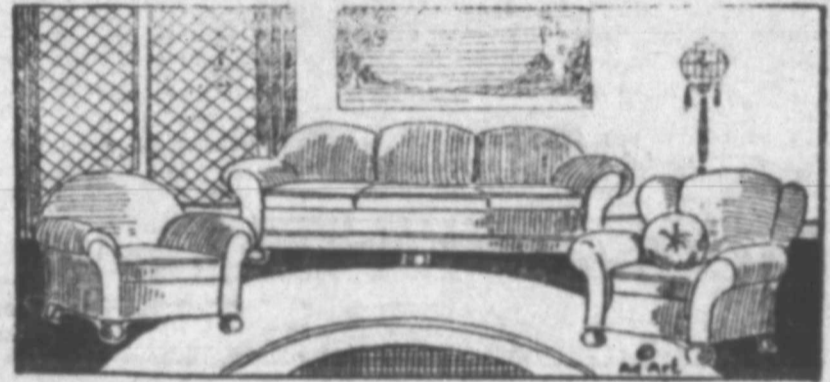
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### WASHINGTON INSIDE OUT

A Weekly Panorama of Events in the National Capital

By PETER KEEGAN  
Special Correspondent of *Avalanche*  
Nothing short of a miracle will bring the Mellon tax reduction plan out of the House Ways and Means Committee in the exact form it was sent to Congress by the Secretary of the Treasury—and this in fact of the repeated warning from the White House that President Coolidge will not tolerate any changes in the reduction plan approved by the Administration.

The completed tax revision bill which the committee places before the House next month for passage will be a compromise between the Republican and Democratic programs. The big fact that stands out above all else, however, is that taxes are going to be reduced, everyone agrees to that, though the amount and exact form of the reductions are still in doubt.

The stock of Oscar Underwood of Alabama has risen somewhat since the Democrats have decided to hold their national convention in New York City. New York is "enemy territory" to the friends of William McAdoo, and the decision of the National Committee has resulted in a speeding up of their plans to get the "nomination" of a Florida college professor for the Presidency caused little more than a faint ripple on the political waters here.

It has become difficult for the President of the Senate to assemble enough of the members on the floor at one time to get a quorum for the transaction of business. Everyone is busily engaged in some kind of an investigation. Never before in history have so many things been subjected to senatorial scrutiny at the same time. It is estimated that these official inquiries will cost well over a million dollars.

No secret is made now of the fact that the United States is wholeheartedly on the side of Alvaro Obregon in his effort to put down the revolution that threatens to destroy his government. Agents of the revolutionists are being jailed along the border on charges of violating the neutrality laws of the United States, while American arms and ammunition and American warships have been thrown into the balance against the rebels.

The interest of this country in Mexico lies largely in the oil holdings of Americans in the Tampico region but deeper than that is the policy of the Coolidge Government to frown upon any revolutionary activities anywhere in this hemisphere.

The land of Tutankhamen has contributed the newest addition to the diplomatic corps in Washington. The Egyptian envoy and his staff, con-

fronted with the capital's chronic housing problem, are quartered temporarily in the suite of rooms which President Coolidge used before he took up his residence in the White House. The Egyptians are all Mohammedans and because there is no branch of that faith in the United States they had to bring their own priest with them from Cairo.

The jokesmiths of the country apparently have overlooked entirely the fact that Congressman Callar has introduced a bill to legalize beer and wine. And his first name is Emanuel, meaning "the redeemer."

#### J. C. ANDERSON AT HOME AFTER SEVERAL DAYS AT MARKET

J. C. Anderson, of Anderson Brothers Jewelry, returned last weekend from Dallas where he went in interest of the company.

While away Mr. Anderson made a number of purchases of stocks for the Jewelry store, which will arrive in the very near future.

Spring goods were among the things purchased by Anderson Brothers, whose store is as seasonable as it is possible for such store to be maintained, and a strictly progressive policy enables them to turn large stocks of these seasonable goods which lends greatly to the good reputation of their business.

Anderson Brothers have created a good patronage in Lubbock and a demand for their goods. They are hard working, conscientious business men whose support in making Lubbock a better town in which to live means something.

#### WARNING IN RICE CAKE

LOS ANGELES (United Press)—M. F. Weaver has about decided to eliminate rice cakes from his diet. Twice he has found a slip of paper in a rice cake prepared by Japanese stating that his family would soon be increased by one. A year ago it was a girl and this year it was a boy. Weaver says that he now has a full house, with three boys and two girls.

#### HUSBAND WHO COULD COOK

WEIMAR, Germany (By United Press)—"Young, beautiful lady—with a job—having a family to feed, seeks immediate marriage to a young man who can cook and keep house. If possible, prefer one from a chocolate store."

This ad appeared in the Weimar newspaper. The lady received many applications.

#### CULLUM BROTHERS TO BE REPRESENTED AT THE NATIONAL SHOW

Cullum Brothers, local Studebaker distributors, will be represented at the National Automobile Show at Chicago by Bill Cullum, and his brother, Dyke, may possibly make the trip but has not made definite arrangements as yet.

Cullum Brothers are progressive in every respect and that the representative of their company at Chicago will gain much first hand information concerning motordom is assured, for that is one of the main features of the show that appeals to the progressive dealer.

Cullum Brothers are wholesale and retail distributors of Studebaker cars, and having started in the business here less than two years ago on a very small scale, have built it up to be one of the substantial enterprises of the city, with subsidiaries in many South Plains towns.

#### Salt the Real Elixir of Life Says Briton

LONDON (By mail to United Press.)—Experiments conducted by London scientists tend to show that salt is in reality the "elixir of life."

Professor K. Neville Moss says that by persuading miners to drink a solution of salt, about 20 per cent can be added to their efficiency.

Miners working in hot, dry places drink large quantities of water and perspire freely. This oftentimes causes cramp and fatigue. According to Prof. Moss' prescription, a solution of salt in water to balance the loss of salt by perspiration was given.

The results were striking. In one instance a miner, of poor physique, drank eight pints of water during his shift. After taking salt each day for three months he showed no signs of cramp. Evidence showed that:

His appetite had much improved; He felt quite fresh after a shift in the mine, whereas formerly he had been forced to stop work at 12:30 p. m. daily owing to excessive fatigue; His life at home changed from one of laziness and sleep to one full of energy.

#### DEAD ON JUBILEE

By United Press  
GRAZ, Austria.—Pera Dubrinvic, famous Belgrade actor, declared he only wanted to live to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his stage career. Thereafter, he said, he did not care what happened. A dispatch from Neusatz says his wish was fulfilled. As he stepped on the stage at a special jubilee on the fiftieth anniversary of his public life, Dubrinvic fell dead from heart trouble.

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#### TEXAS PROGRESS NOTES

Lockhart—Work has begun on construction of large additions to the capacity of the City Light and Water Company's plant.

Texarkana—The building program for this city in 1924 so far as planned definitely amounts to six million dollars. The new union railway station will cost a million.

Dallas—Construction work on the electrification of the Dallas-Denton line of the M. K. & T. Railroad has begun. This additional electric interurban railway for Dallas will cost

about a million dollars.

Haskell—S. W. Scott of San Antonio has been elected president of the Haskell Telephone Company. John W. Pace was re-elected vice-president and general manager.

Georgetown—Rebuilding of the Georgetown Telephone Company's plant will be completed in February. Mrs. J. M. Daniel is manager of the plant.

Fort Worth—Operation of the new Riverside street car line is to be started in a short time. The sycamore Heights, another new line, is about one-half completed.

Ballinger—The local telephone exchange has added forty-seven telephones in this city since October 1. Mount Vernon—The local light

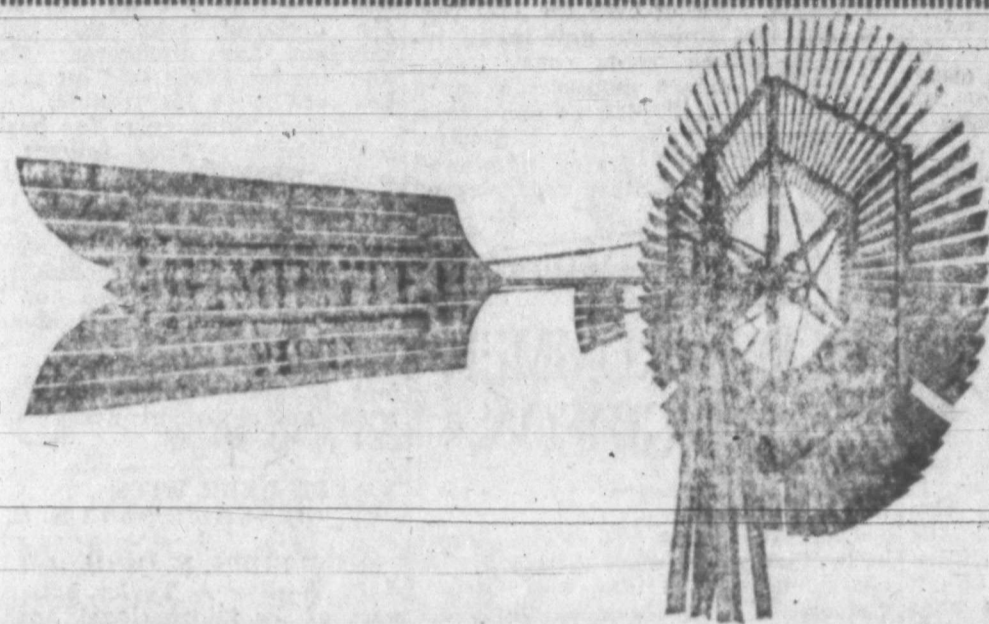
and ice company has been acquired

by the East Texas Utilities Company with headquarters at Marshall.

San Angelo—A gain of sixty seven telephones in San Angelo during 1923 brings the total telephones up to 2,815.

Navasota—Construction has begun on a new power house here by the Western Public Service Company. During this year the company will build a number of transmission lines connecting several plants.

Robstown—Plans are being made for building a natural gas line from the Dunn field to supply this city. Sinton—Natural gas for this city is to be supplied by a line from White Point, about twelve miles away.



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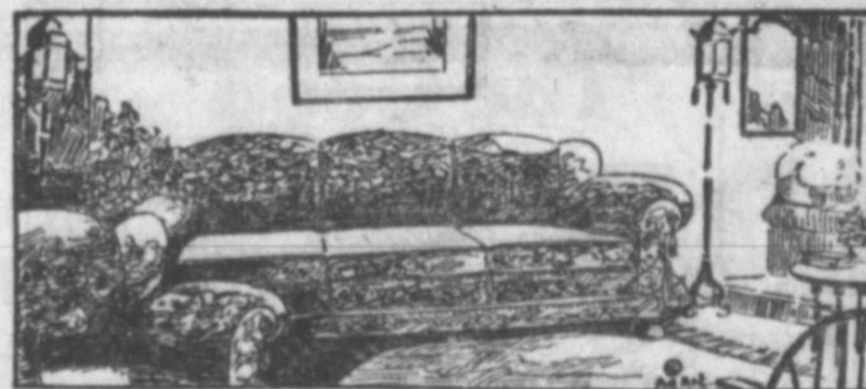
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HERE'S FOR BETTER HEALTH

By United Press.  
**MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 26.**  
 Radio is a valuable adjunct to the treatment of tuberculosis and is "of great therapeutic value in treatment of other hospital cases," in the opinion of Dr. Walter K. Foley, chief of the medical service of the U. S. Veterans' Bureau Hospital No. 68.  
 Dr. Foley, who has been "prescribing" radio for two years, made his assertion in a letter to a broadcasting station here, telling the personnel they are aiding toward recovery the ex-service patients at the hospital.  
 He revealed that more than 250 radio sets are being used in the hospital and that when a patient enters he is given the option of receiving a set as part of his hospital equipment.  
**Radio as Cure for Consumption.**  
 "A radio set will do more to cure tuberculosis than any other apparatus yet devised," said Dr. Foley. "Our method is this:  
 "A worried, unsettled state of mind is the biggest obstacle we have to fight in treatment of tuberculosis. The only way a patient may be cured is to be put to bed and given absolute rest in mind and body. He may be in bed from several months to a year or two, and, naturally, when told this is discouraged. When newness of hospital routine wears off, he begins to worry about himself, the folks at home, or his children. Even if he has no family, the sick man can always find something to worry about. One of our patients spent hours in mental agony wondering whether the United States would join the League of Nations.  
 "Two years ago we had a patient who worked himself into a mental frenzy with imaginary grievances. He claimed his sheets were being starched and that the food, no matter how tasty, was not good. His condition was rapidly growing worse. One day I installed a radio set at his bedside. He became interested at once and before long his mind was entirely at rest under the radio's soothing effect. He quit complaining and started to recover. He was recently discharged as cured.  
 "This was the beginning of 'radio prescriptions' at Hospital 68, which resulted in the installation of the 250 or more sets we now use. The boys now 'forget their troubles' with radio, and often call me to their rooms to check on a hook-up. I think these radio calls do as much good as professional calls.  
 "I would rather give a patient suffering from tuberculosis, and other diseases as well, a radio set than a whole handful of pills. It does him more good."  
 Dr. Ferguson, Dentist, Conley Bldg., knows how to cure Pyorrhea. 29730p

CANADA SHOWS BIG INFLUX OF BRITONS

OTTAWA, Ont. (United Press)—Immigration into Canada showed an increase of 102 per cent in the seven months ending December 1, according to figures compiled by the Department of Immigration and Colonization.  
 Newcomers entering the Dominion in this period numbered 106,506, as compared with 52,651 in the corresponding months of 1922. Immigration from the British Isles registered the biggest single gain, increasing 125 per cent.  
 British settlers during the seven months totaled 57,612 or more than 50 per cent of the total. Settlers from the United States numbered 14,900 and from other countries of the world 33,996.

BIBLE REFORMED OLD DRUMMER SAYS GIDEON

By United Press.  
 CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—The "hard boiled" traveling man who sold his customers with drinks and burlesque shows, is a thing of the past, Samuel R. Boggs, Philadelphia, national president of the Gideons, declared here during a session of the Gideon executives.  
 "He's not dead," Boggs asserted, "but he is 100 per cent more pure today than before the advent of the Gideon bible."  
 The Gideon bible is a little book of the scriptures which hotel guests find in their rooms. Boggs and his associates are responsible for them being there.  
 "I'm not inferring all 'drummers' were bad," Boggs said, "but in the

halcyon days most of them were high steppers. Their better brothers were shrouded by ill repute."  
 Then, according to Boggs, came the Gideon system to raise their morals 100 per cent. Now, he says, the drummer doesn't have to show his customers a "wild night," but must exhibit cleanliness and Christian spirit.  
 Boggs believes Christianity has been imparted to them through the Gideon system.  
 "Hundreds of drummers have joined the Gideons," Boggs said. "They found grace and light in our bibles. I doubt if you can find the 'Old Timer' who said: 'C'mon, let's have a drink, then talk business.'"  
 Boggs believes salesmanship cannot succeed without Christianity. He declared that the traveling salesman has discovered this fact and besides being sold on the bible, has sold it to his friends.  
 "I have three rules for business," said Boggs. "They follow:  
 "1. When drawing up plans for a corporation, Jesus must be one of the incorporators.  
 "2. When new translations of the gospels appear we should remember that the Bible need not be rewritten, so much as it should be re-read.  
 "3. When America's great transient population shifts itself, Christ must go along in every suitcase and portmanteau."

KILLED DEER WITH PENKNIFE SAYS N. C. MAN

By United Press.  
 NEW BERN, N. C. (United Press)—Dr. Herbert A. Taylor, malarial expert of an international health organization located here, killed a full-grown deer with a penknife during a hunt in Graven county low grounds. Two deer were started simultaneously by Taylor and companions. Only one was visible. Gunners blazed away at this. The other almost collided with Taylor in its dash to escape. The latter seized the deer's ear as it flashed past him. A rough and tumble fight followed. Taylor brought a vest pocket knife into play. With this he cut the deer's throat.

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The yule tide has ebbed and flown and we are again facing the prosaic duties of another year. When the sun has passed behind the clouds, and everything goes wrong, when the whole world seems topsy turvy, what do you do? When those you love are held down by Ill Health do you take the blues and give up in despair?

You are not the only human soul on trial. Every blessed one of us have our own battles. The proper thing to do is to look the whole situation over with your best intelligence and choose the best place to get well.

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Read what Mr. McSpadden has to say of the work we did for his wife. He had called many others who could offer no encouragement. Many of you know these good people. Mrs. McSpadden is now sound and well and telling her many friends where they, too, may recover their health.

ROTAN, TEXAS, JAN. 7, 1924.

On November 8, 1923, my wife was taken with a terrible pain in her back. The suffering increased and the pain went to her head. She suffered continuously, and we became so alarmed that we not only called our home physician, but others from neighboring towns were called in consultation, and they told us that in all probability her right eye would burst out. She secured no relief, whatever, except while under the influence of morphine. On the Sunday following she had a slight stroke of apoplexy. Her children were all called home for we felt that there was little hope for her recovery as she was totally unconscious and could secure no rest.

On the fourth day following the stroke one of our neighbors, whose son had suffered from an attack of appendicitis, and had been restored to health by Dr. Canfil, came to see us and insisted that we call him before we despaired. This was at midnight, Dec. 5, 1923, but my son-in-law jumped in his car and immediately rushed to Sweetwater to consult with Dr. Canfil.

Dr. Canfil came immediately, and my wife improved even from the first treatment, and Dr. Canfil was called again that night and the following morning, and the three treatments sufficed to restore consciousness, and she was brought to Grogan Wells Sanatorium, Dec. 7. Her blood pressure was 215. After thirty days' treatment she is entirely free from pain, and feels better than she has for years. Her blood pressure has been reduced to 154, and we have returned home happy in the thought that her life was saved through his skill.

Anyone so desiring may feel free to write us for any further information that they wish in regard to this case. While at the Sanatorium, we received every courteous service and attention. Not only did my wife improve, but practically every case that is retained in the institution is being restored to health. If those who are suffering and in ill health could only realize how soon they could be restored they would rush to Grogan Wells on every train.

(Signed) R. A. McSPADDEN.

Our business is bigger than ever before. Will you be one of the many to "MAKE READY" for a GREAT-ER 1924?

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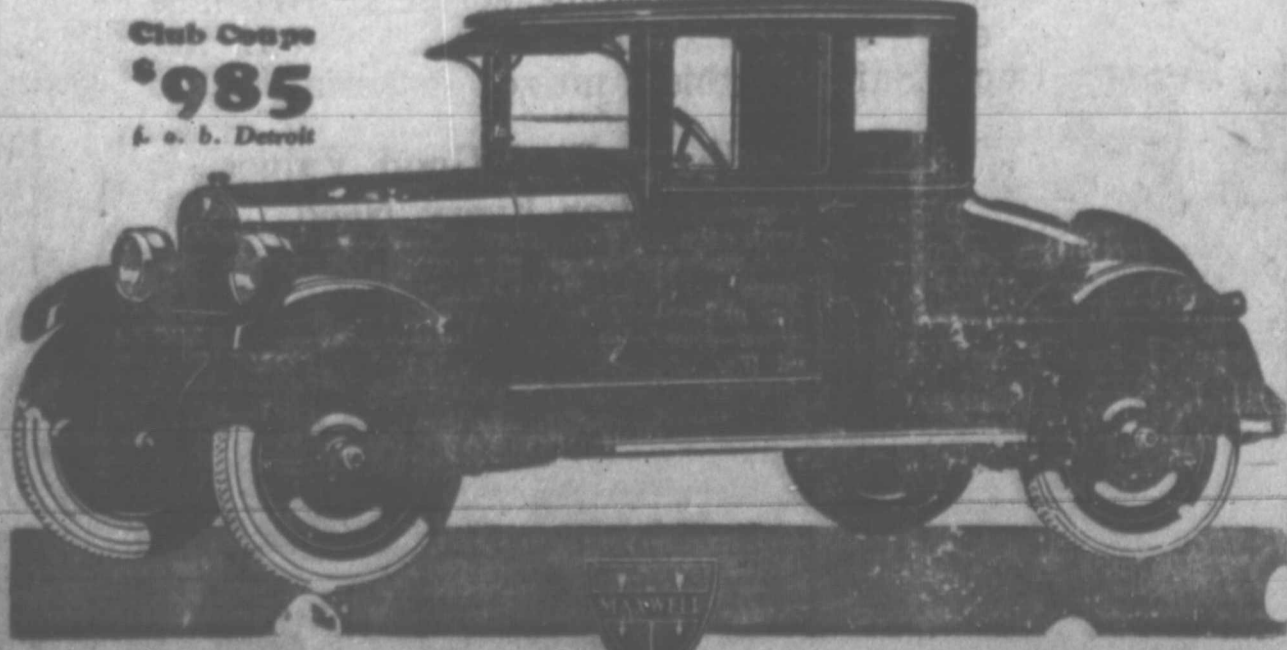
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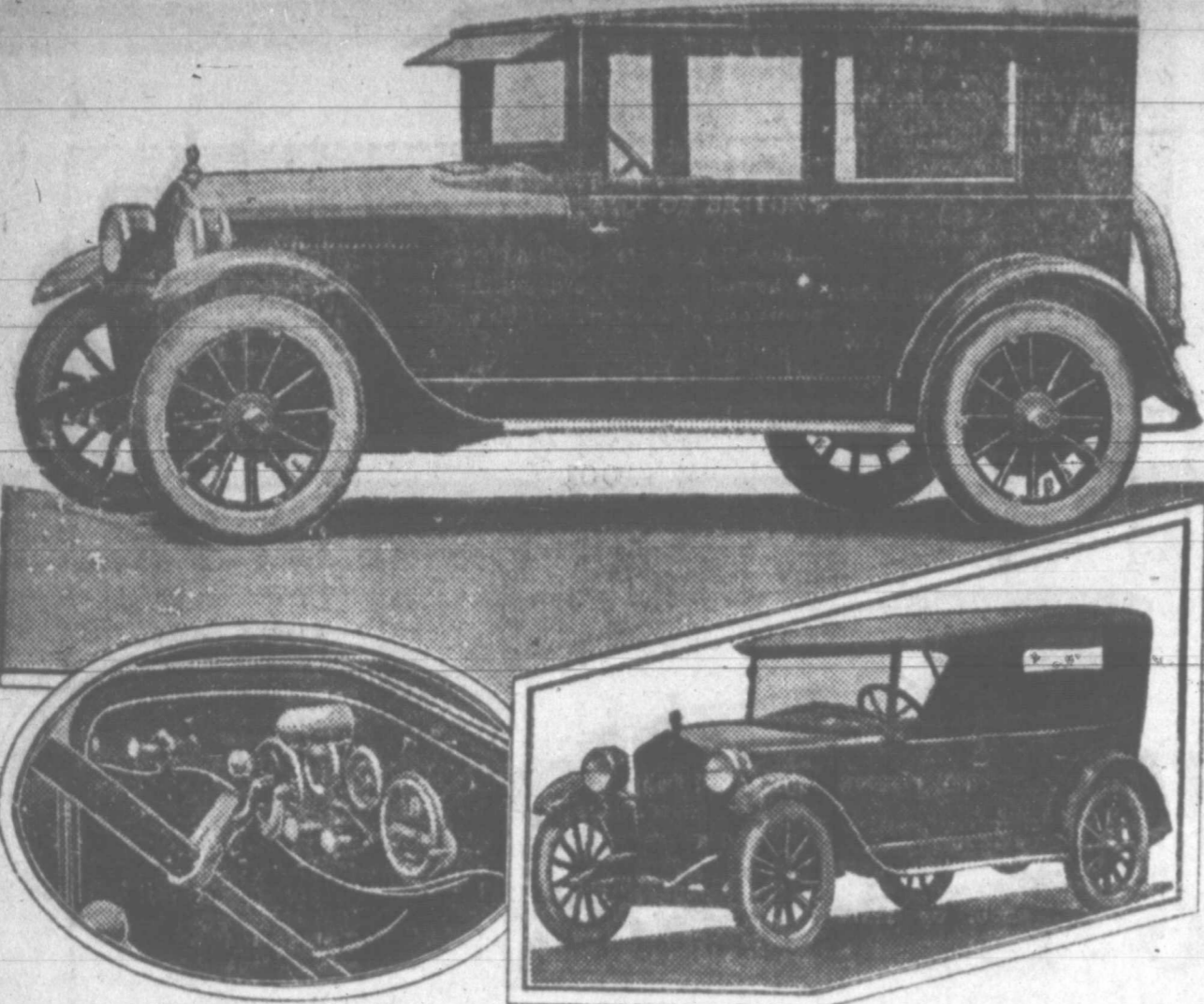
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**JOHN HANEY ELECTED BANK PRESIDENT AT RALLS**

RALLS, Texas, Jan. 26.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank here last night John Haney was elected president to succeed C. E. Dean who is devoting most of his time to his gin interests. Mr. Dean contemplates building two new gins on the plains this year. A. L. Winfrey of Fort Worth, who purchased the interest of W. R. Stockard, was elected vice president and cashier. Dr. E. L. Haney, vice president, Fletcher Eubanks was elected assistant cashier and C. A. Hollingsworth bookkeeper. W. R. Stockard will go to Corpus Christi for his health. Directors: John Haney, A. L. Winfrey, Dr. E. L. Haney, C. E. Dean and F. M. Reed.

**SCIENTISTS TO HUNT BURIED TREASURE**

LONDON (United Press)—Sixty British scientists will soon leave for the islands of the Southern Pacific with the joint aim of making scientific research and hunting the buried treasure on Cocos Island. The trip is expected to last a year and will be taken on a 1000-ton yacht. Tradition says that Morgan the pirate buried an immense treasure on Cocos Island, off the Central American coast only a century ago. Several parties of treasure hunters have explored the island, but as far as known the main treasure has never been discovered. Members of the party claim to have some new data and believe they have a chance where other parties failed. The value of the treasure is estimated from \$4,000,000 to \$30,000,000.

The party will have about 6 scientists on board covering all the oligies there are. In their 25,000 mile cruise among little known islands they expect to produce much that will add to the scientific knowledge of the world.

**WILL PAY TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF LENINE**

PARIS, Jan. 25.—French communists have decided that all communist workers here shall go on a five minute strike the moment the funeral procession of Nikolai Lenine begins in the streets of distant Moscow. Whatever the communists may be doing, they must stop work as a tribute to the Russian leader. The funeral is scheduled for Sunday however, and as most big industries will be inoperative, the strike demonstration is not expected to be an impressive one.

**CANYON COLLEGE DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE HELP DAIRYING INDUSTRY**

CANYON, Texas, Jan. 26.—Arrangements are being perfected by members of the agricultural department of the West Texas State Teachers' College to co-operate with Panhandle schools in the promotion of the dairy and poultry industries in West Texas.

The agricultural department of the college has recently carried on a butter fat sales experiment for the purpose of ascertaining profits to be expected from dairy cattle. This experiment has indicated that, under Panhandle conditions, a farmer may reasonably expect to pay for his feed, and besides, secure a profit by adding dairy cows as one of the enterprises of his farm. At a recent conference, G. F. Maggard of Amarillo and Professor J. W. Ridgeway, formerly of the A. & M. College of Texas, now with the educator division of the Mistletoe Creamery Company, worked out a tentative agreement with the college for a proposed series of one-day dairy schools to be held in this part of the state. It is expected that school which now possess agricultural teachers will be given seniority on the proposed itinerary.

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**SINGLE TAX PARTY TO PUT UP 1924 TICKET**

NEW YORK (United Press)—The national committee of the Single Tax party has called a convention in New York City, for Feb. 8-9, to discuss the program of the party this Presidential year. The call signed by W. J. Wallace, chairman of the party's national executive committee, says in part: "The Single Tax Party in addition to putting a Presidential ticket in the field has pledged itself to aid the California great adventure, and the campaign in Oregon to the end that Single Tax Amendment to their respective constitutions will be on the ballot in both these States in 1924. The Single Tax Party by championing California and Oregon in ad-

dition to its own individual responsibilities as a political organization is thus affording an unusually favorable opportunity for the co-operation of all shades of Single Taxers who see triumph for their cause thru the agency of the ballot."

**SENTENCED HUNGRY WOMEN**

BERLIN (United Press)—Five old women—all mothers—were sentenced to jail because they were hungry and stole some "wurst" from a profit-seeking market dealer. One of the women is fifty years old; another is about to bear a child. The court sentenced the leader of the plunderers to one year in prison; the other nine months each. They will begin their sentences as soon as there is room in the jails.

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That catt the plow is local ranch "holding or the develo; now under ity soon fin stand the te more profit since cotton of field pr H. V. Ed of the mar county who cowpony, l must give lands are as be, for on west of Lub been enjoy; of two hun it to cattle just been \$1350 for cotton grow it took a wh from grazing These are cultivation year it will Mr. Edsall approval of wealth prod ty. "The catt tually have are realizi and kafir pi acre than th country sto herds. Mr. Though t West T advocted farms, they as to be aim the past fifty now that the own the rea soon he visi ever the ent within a few few acres of Farming J duction is so the demand



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FULL LEASED WIRE UNITED NEWS

## COTTON PRONOUNCED KING OF ALL WEST TEXAS

### THE RANGE HAS BEEN PROVEN FAR LESS PRODUCTIVE OF WEALTH THAN COTTON LANDS BY LOCAL OWNERS

### THE PASSING OF THE RANGE HERDS IS ONL A NATURAL PROCESS AND WILL TEND TO ENRICH PEOPLE OF WEST TEXAS

That cattle will have to give way to the plow is readily admitted by all local ranchmen, and those who are "holding on" to the range despite the development program that is now under way will in all probability soon find that they cannot withstand the temptation to give way to more profitable uses of these lands, since cotton is pronounced the king of field products in this territory.

H. V. Edsall, of Lubbock, is one of the many pioneers of Lubbock county who are learning that the cowpony, hogs, spurs and range must give way to the plow if the lands are as productive as they might be, for on a section of land northwest of Lubbock from which he had been enjoying an annual dividend of two hundred dollars by leasing it to cattle owners, Mr. Edsall has just been given the neat sum of \$1350 for rent on sixty acres of cotton grown on the same land that it took a whole section to yield \$200 from grazing.

There are 350 acres of this land in cultivation at this time, and next year it will all be in cultivation," Mr. Edsall said, giving his hearty approval of farming methods for wealth production in Lubbock county.

"The cattle business will just naturally have to go. Too many men are realizing that cotton, corn, maize and kafir produce more wealth per acre than the best grassland in the country stocked with ever so fine herds," Mr. Edsall said.

Though there have been a few near West Texas for many years who advocated turning the range into farms, they were in such minority as to be almost ridiculous until just the past fifteen or twenty years, and now that they are coming into their own the results of their labors can soon be visualized through a visit over the entire South Plains, where within a few years one will find but few acres of grassland.

Farming pays so well, crop production is so much easier here, and the demand for products of the field

### HUGE HOG SALE AT HEREFORD LAST WEEK

HEREFORD, Texas, Jan. 26.—The Ott Brothers big Poland China Sale at the Sale Pavilion Saturday afternoon "went over the top," is the way Lee, one of the brothers, put it. Auctioneer E. E. Gardhouse of Palmyra, Mo., assisted by H. S. Hilburn of Plainview and Ray Barber of Hereford put over one of the most snappy and plucky sales ever held off in Hereford. Col Gardhouse is to be congratulated on the manner in which he handled the situation, full of pep and never discouraged up to the last shout.

The weather was cold and consequently the crowd was small, but the sales were very satisfactory, taking all things into consideration. Seventy-five head of the finest Poland Chinas this side of Iowa were sold. The average price on bred sows and bred gilts was \$30.00 and all others including fall pigs, averaged right at \$21.00.

The heaviest buyer was J. E. Ferguson, who purchased thirty-two head, others—G. W. Brumley and J. L. Fuqua, each bought seven head. The out of town buyers were: H. S. Hilburn, of Plainview, L. Irbeck of Happy, Fred Webb of Plainview, Frank Clark of Mary Mere Millon Dollar Farm of Amarillo, J. A. Reed of Adrian, Henderson and Sons of Groom, Texas, J. E. Finney of Berlin, N. Mexico and Henry Hoyle of Plainview.

Mr. Ott said they had 125 head left on the farm to start the 1924 crop.

E. W. Harrison, local Duroc breeder, drew "Pride of the Plains," a registered gilt at the close of the sale.

### AMERICAN LEGION IN MOST HEALTHY CODITION

INDIANAPOLIS, (United Press)—The American Legion membership is in the most healthy condition since its organization, according to Lemuel Bolles, National Adjutant. Figures here show that thirty five per cent more members are paid up at this time than there were on the corresponding date of 1923.

### EASTERN. N. M. EDITORS TO MEET IN CLOVIS

CLOVIS, N. M., Jan. 26.—Amarillo newspaper men have received invitations to attend the Eastern New Mexico Press Association which meets Monday, Feb. 18, at Clovis.

BUILD A HOME.

### GRAND JURY RETURNS FIVE FELONY INDICTMENTS

Five felony bills were returned by the grand jury Thursday, two indictments being for violation of the prohibition law, one assault to murder, one rape, and one murder charge. An indictment for murder was returned by the grand jury against Sam Denwood, charged with the murder of Jim Curry, both of whom are negroes, on October 15, 1923, in the northeast part of the county. Denwood is now in the Lubbock county jail and will in all probability be tried during the present term of court. Arrests not having been made in the other charges, the names of the defendants were not made public.

### BONDS FOR THE LAMESA SCHOOL CARRIED BY BIG MAJORITY

N. L. Peters, of the firm of Peters & Haynes, architects, returned to his home here Saturday after spending a few days at Lamesa on business.

Mr. Peters reports that the \$124,000 bond issue of the Lamesa Independent school district passed by a seven to one majority, in the election which was held on January 24.

On the following day these bonds were sold for 102 cents on the dollar, and the contract for the construction of the school building, which will be modern throughout and one of the best high school buildings on the plains, will be let as soon as the money is available.

### Seek Panther in N. Y.

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y.—Residents of the hamlets about upper and lower Chateaugay Lakes are alarmed by the night cries of an animal believed to be a panther. A woodsman recently sighted the beast which he states is far too large for either a wildcat or Canadian lynx. It is believed the animal is the same that has been killing sheep in that section for the last three years. It ignores traps.

### JAYTON MAN KILLED BY AUTO BEING DRIVEN BY NEGRO; ASSAILANTS BE GIVEN PRELIMINARY HEARING MON.

### BAPTIST CLOSE SUCCESSFUL MEETING THURSDAY NIGHT

LAMESA, Texas, Jan. 26.—A successful meeting that has been in progress during the past ten days at the First Baptist Church at Lamesa closed with the night session on Thursday night. Several new members were added to the congregation as a result of the able preaching and enthusiastic work of Rev. W. W. Melton of Waco.

### WORK TO BE SPEEDED UPON LAMESA BUILDINGS

LAMESA, Jan. 26.—The work on the First National Bank Building, the two brick business houses being erected by W. D. Adams and the work on the brick residence of M. Shaw is being held up due to financial reverses of the contractor. The Contractors Bonding Company is having work done on some of these buildings.—It is hoped that work will begin on all of these structures at an early date.

### QUAKER FEEDING PLAN

NEW YORK (United Press)—Cyrus P. Keen, director of the American Committee for Relief of German Children to raise ten million dollars in the United States to feed children of Germany, is enroute to the Hague regarding co-operation with Holland interests in the plan. The Quakers will have charge of the feeding.

Avalanche Want Ads Get Results.

J. D. Durham returned to his home here Saturday morning after having attended the funeral of his nephew, Elmer Durham, at Dickens City, Friday.

The deceased met a sudden and unexpected death Thursday evening shortly after six o'clock just as he was leaving his father's field near Jayton to go home. He was accompanied by a young boy named Blake, who had worked with him in the field throughout the day. Their automobile was parked on the opposite side of the road from the field, and while they were crossing the road to enter the machine they were struck by a fast going Buick automobile driven by a negro and occupied by five negroes.

Blake received only minor injuries. Three of the negroes who occupied the back seat went back to offer assistance as soon as their car was stopped, and as Elmer Durham was badly hurt his companion rushed him to the family home. He was later rushed to the hospital at Spur, reaching there at about ten o'clock and died at eleven o'clock Thursday night.

The two negroes who occupied the front seat of the Buick, one of whom was the driver, and the other owned the car, were arrested at Spur and lodged in jail to await a hearing before the court Monday. The other three negroes were released. It was rumored at Spur, according to Mr. Durham who returned from there Saturday, that the negroes lived at Lubbock but this has not been ascertained as yet. Mr. Durham will leave today to attend the trial.

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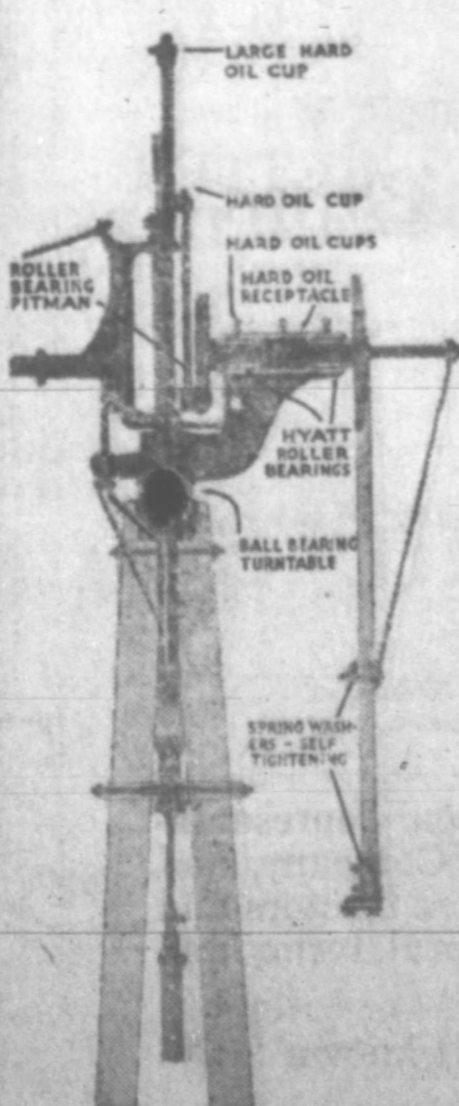
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### Stabilizing Prices For Farm Products

By CHAS. E. BAUGHMAN, (Commissioner)

It seems to me a mistaken idea that the actual prices of farm products should be fixed through legislation. Supply and demand should determine the price of the commodity.

It is true that some of our people believe it to be the duty of the government to actually set the price for farm, ranch and orchard products, and the idea seems to have gained considerable momentum of recent years.

It is not the setting of the price for the product, however, that is to serve the best interests of the producer, but there is a more important feature of price control that could be worked out through legislation that would serve the interests of the producer and the ultimate consumer—that of stabilizing and standardizing the grade and class differentials.

We say, for instance, a dollar is worth one hundred cents, a quarter twenty-five cents and a dime ten cents. In other words, the dollar becomes the basis for purpose of values.

The quarter is worth in value one-fourth that of the dollar and the dime one-tenth that of the dollar.

The differences are actual not imaginary, for when the dollar becomes worth less than one hundred cents the quarter and the dime drop proportionately in value.

This same theory should be applied in determining values of farm products.

To illustrate: Middling cotton, for the week of December 3rd to 8th, was quoted at Galveston, Texas, at 33.65, with 700 points off for Good Ordinary, while at Houston, Middling grade was quoted at 33.60, with 600 points off for Good Ordinary.

Middling cotton was bringing twenty five cents per bale more at Galveston than at Houston, while the Good Ordinary bale of cotton at Galveston was bringing five dollars less than the same grade was bringing at Houston.

It stands to reason that a bale of Good Ordinary cotton would have practically the same value in Galveston and Houston, and it has but the cotton trade applies different "offs" as the trade itself deems best.

We know that there is an actual difference in value between the bale of middling cotton and the bale of good ordinary, but that difference could be arrived at just as the difference in value between the dollar and the quarter.

Government tests have shown what these actual differences are. We mean the actual spinable differences and the difference in values as between middling cotton and the lower and higher grades could be determined in such a way as to have the

same differences applying on like grades in every cotton market in the nation.

In other words, the Federal Government, through the National Congress, could, and we believe it should stabilize these differences instead of undertaking to fix the actual price of the commodity.

No government, in our opinion, should ever seek to guarantee to its citizens actual prices for their products, but through legislation it should seek to throw about every industry standards for commercial dealing which would enable those industries to be in a position where they could determine, in conjunction with supply and demand, the actual values for the products or commodities in which it is dealing.

#### LEVELLAND BUSINESS MAN WAS IN LUBBOCK SATURDAY

B. E. Gunn, of Levelland, was here Saturday looking after business. Mr. Gunn stated that he has established a coal and grain business at Levelland and that his brother, C. L. Gunn, is now conducting a garage business there and that both are finding business very good with prospects good for their growth and development.

Levelland is one of the new towns in West Texas that is taking on more growth every day, and Mr. Gunn reports that a restaurant, hotel, hardware store and other businesses are to be established there in the very near future.

Mr. Gunn went to Levelland two years ago to teach the school of that place and found prospects for the town so good that he could not resist the opportunity to get in on the "ground floor" by establishing a business there for himself, and that he will succeed in the venture is assured.

#### SAN PEDRO'S BIGGEST SHIP

SAN PEDRO, Cal., (United Press)—The largest ship ever to enter Los Angeles harbor will touch port January 30, when the Cunard liner, "Laconia" stops here on a trip around the world. H. G. De Golia, assistant manager of the Cunard lines, is here making arrangements for the provisioning of the liner.

#### KILLED BY PET BULL

WILMINGTON, N. C. (United Press)—Levi A. Bollinger, father of ten children, was killed by a pet bull at Acme, near here. He entered a pasture to inspect some young prize cattle, when the bull, which was a favorite with Bollinger and thought to be thoroughly docile, attacked him.

#### GIRL DECLARES THAT MARRIAGE KILLS LOVE

Does marriage destroy love?

The question is asked in "Flaming Youth," the startling picturization of Warner Fabian's widely-read novel, which is being shown Monday at the R. & R. Lindsey.

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To marry would spoil the romance of love she reasons and so gives all that love demands without the bindings of wedlock. But how does her experiment—her revolt against the conventions—result? The answer forms the plot of a most unusual photodrama, highly entertaining, tensely dramatic.

In this vivid First National picture of present-day life Colleen Moore plays the leading role, that of the philosophical girl. Other members of the exceptionally talented cast are Milton Sills, Elliott Dexter, Myrtle Stedman, Sylvia Breamer, Betty Francisco, Phillips Smalley, Walter McGrail and Ben Lyon.

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J. L. Winder, of Morton, Cochran county was here Saturday and left an order with the Avalanche Job Printing Department for a nice batch of stationery. Mr. Winder will engage in general merchandising. He has just recently moved from Central North Texas to that place. He is delighted with the country and looks forward with great confidence to the future of that section as the heart of agriculture in this section of the country.

#### GUARANTY STATE BANK AT RALLS ELECTS OFFICERS

RALLS, Texas, Jan. 26—The Guaranty State Bank & Trust Company of Ralls have elected officers for 1924 as follows: W. E. McLaughlin, president; F. M. McLaughlin, vice president and cashier; J. Edd McLaughlin, vice president; P. B. Ralls, vice president; M. A. McLaughlin, assistant cashier; C. D. Lewis, assistant cashier; Charlie Moore, bookkeeper.

#### STATE CHAMPION MILCH COW IS AT MCKINNEY

MCKINNEY, Texas, Jan. 26.—Reed's Gypsy Queen, a Jersey cow owned by W. A. Massie, proprietor of a large dairy farm near here, is the champion of the state in milk production for 1923. The cow produced 447.82 pounds of butter in 305 days.

#### CLAIMS TURTLE NECESSARY TO PROLONG HUMAN LIFE

By United News.

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Jan. 26.—Why need one go to the expense and trouble of being subjected to gland transplantation or rejuvenation when the same results may be obtained by seating on the back of an aged turtle for a certain number of hours daily?

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#### FIRST COFFIN; THEN DEATH

RALEIGH, N. C., (United Press)

—A miniature coffin was found on a porch at the home of A. M. Thompson here months before he was shot to death. The toy casket was elev-

erly pieced together from parts of a cigar box, evidently the work of a skilled artisan. It was draped in black cloth. Thompson did not take the incident for a joke. According to the police he is supposed to have procured a pistol, which he is supposed to have carried until his tragic death in the home of Mrs. Bettie Spikes.

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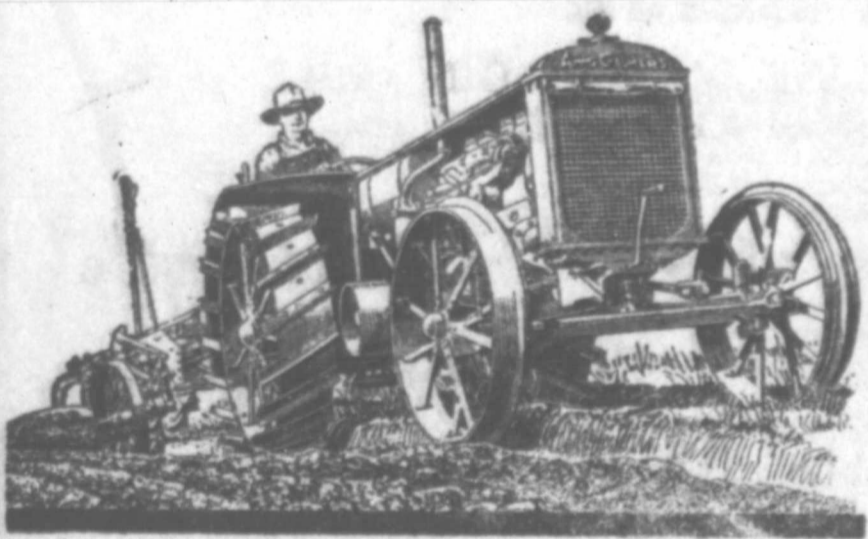
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THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF FOUR ARTICLES BY BETH JEFFRIES

absorb them. Girls in offices have so little time to themselves that a lone half hour is a pearl nearly without price. Women in the professions find themselves wrapped in a mesh of circumstance. But if benefit is reckoned against cost it will be a poor logician who cannot see that the time required to gain conservation of the powers that enable one to go along in the world is the finest of all investments. This is not an argument for the worship of the body to the neglect of all duties. Too much attention to oneself is worse than none at all.

Not granting that beauty and health are desired, and that we will to accomplish this in some way, enough to enable you to pick out a little time for yourself each day, the end can be accomplished. Remember that ten minutes, half an hour, or better still, one hour a day is not too long a time to devote to the search for youth and beauty. An hour a week will show its good result in the years when crow's feet and adipose tissue are trying to gain a hold.

Let's take these handmaidens in their order.

First and most important is sunshine. True we do not have it every day, but there are many sunny days when women spend their time in dark houses and apartment buildings and thereby deprive themselves of vitality for the physical body and encourage thoughts of morbidity.

Get out when the sun shines, even if it is merely to wheel a baby carriage, or hang up clothes, or go to the grocery store, or sweep the front walk, or chase a truant child, or journey to a card game or a department store. If the sun shines, walk in it. Sit in it. If you can, uncover your body and bask in it.

And while in the sunshine, think about it. Yes, think about it and what it is doing for you. Don't carry your unwashed dishes and mused bureau drawers and unadorned levers with you. Leave them behind. Let the sunshine get into your brain just as surely as you let it enter your body. Meaningless prayers murmured in a sort of chronic distracting never reach their destination. And even God's sunshine cannot pierce the shadows of the dark corners of a cluttered and worried brain; although it can soothe tired nerves and point the way to mental peace.

Best of all, of course, is the privilege of being able to have sunshine, and exercise and fresh air all at once. Golf, tennis, out door swimming, out door basketball, hockey and cross country walking are only a few of nature's most efficient radiocentrists. The woman who can indulge in them and does not, is throwing away youth with one hand and gathering ugly old age with the other.

Next comes diet. Enough material has been written on this subject to fill a book seven and six fifteens larger than the world. Or something to that effect. A few simple rules are sufficient.

Everyone who is normal, should eat fruit and green vegetables, and fish. And no white bread. You who wish to be thin should avoid butter, potatoes, macaroni, rice, anything containing starch. And incidentally you shouldn't sleep too much. No naps. Sensible hours. No rich desserts and candy. You who wish to be fat should eat what you please, but you should avoid foods which seem harmful and upsetting. You might try eating very regularly, four or five times a day. Never put a full meal into a tired stomach. A good schedule is breakfast at eight, milk or fruit, or any tid bit at eleven, luncheon at one, tea at four, dinner at six. If only a bite of dinner is desired, eat that bit, then take nourishment before going to bed.

One of the easiest ways in which to lure oneself into the path of exercising is by bathing. Only when the body is uncovered do we realize that it is too fat, or too lean, or too ill balanced. Again, many a woman can awaken her whole interest in herself by beginning with the bath tub. Gloriously tinted and scented soaps are an aesthetic delight. Bath salts give one that luxurious feeling of ease and untold wealth, and from the whole gamut of creams and lotions at least one can be chosen by even the poorest and busiest of housewives or business girls.

Indeed, it is not amiss to suggest that, for some, the first step towards awakening an interest in beauty via exercise and diet should come through the toilet accessory by way of the bath room. But the bath of habit is never so glorious as the bath of necessity. After a hard day at work, or tennis, or even housework, the bath tub holds a special charm.

Exercise is something that one can get, no matter what the circumstances. A set of daily gymnastics is best, but if one simply cannot do these, then part of the daily work should be made into exercise.

Walking is exercise. Washing clothes is exercise. Sweeping is exercise, even combing one's hair is exercise. One wealthy woman who lives in an apartment hotel where she cannot do very much, washes out two sets of underwear every day over a low tub. She makes an exercise out of it. She straightens up and down and up and down and sways back and forth. Then she makes a habit of stooping to pick things up from the floor without bending her knees. She has kept at herself for a year. At fifty she is as pink checked an agile as a girl.

Yet with exercise comes the same question of mental attitude as with sunshine. Concentrate on your work. Make your muscles act. Feel them stretch, think about what is happening to them. Breathe deeply. Don't let your body sag anywhere. Think of yourself as you would be. Don't overdo at the start but on the other hand do not take sore muscles, and a protesting lazy body as signals that you are hurting yourself.

Exercise without diet and sunshine, and a good mental attitude is about as useful as a phonograph without records. Sunshine and normal attitudes cost nothing, they give everything. And they stay the longest.

Not to mention fooling the radiocentrists.

## Hard For Americans To Shop in Paris

By HEDDA HOYT  
Fashion Editor of the United Press  
(Written for the United Press)  
To Paris, To Paris,  
To buy a new 'g,  
Home again, home again,  
'g a jib-jig.

PARIS, France, Jan. 26.—American tourists have a mighty hard time shopping in Paris, accustomed as they are to our large American department stores, where one can buy anything from a hair net to a five-hundred dollar imported frock; our numerous gown shops where salesmen meet one with a glad eye and "what d'ye want, Dearie?" grin.

One need not have one's name listed on the social or financial register to get into the American establishments. But try and get into one of the really smart gown houses of Paris!

Of course, there are the department stores such as the Lafayette Galleries, the Au Printemps and the Bon Marche, but all of these fall far below the mark set by department stores in towns like Seattle, Dallas, Cleveland, Detroit, Denver and St. Louis, to say nothing of the Chicago and New York department stores, which are the largest in the world.

One rarely finds a truly stunning frock in the Parisian department stores. As for the large gown shops whose names reach to the far ends of the globe, I am always reminded of "fools rush in where angels fear to tread" when entering them. The surly and swank of these places appals me. One feels like one is intruding into a sanctuary, when being scrutinized by the doorman and sales-women placed about the entrance for the purpose of shoeing off style thieves, folks with meagre purses.

French-English

To pass the barriers of these door lizards three things are essential: a pamphlet dealing on etiquette and airs necessary for passing the doorman, a pocket-book filled with the necessary evil and a sufficient line of French so that one can converse with the lady who is paid to represent the "Ici on parle Anglaise" sign that appears in the window.

If there is anyone around there that speaks English it is yourself. Should you say, "I should like to look at gowns, please," the English speaking lady will respond, "Quelle sorte des robes voudriez-vous?" Which may mean nothing to you.

Should you like a bonnet that smirks distinctly of Paris—again try and get one! Someone will tell you of a string of shops beyond the Gal-

## Japan's Royal Wedding To Be Simple, Due To the Earthquake

By CLARENCE DUBOSE  
(U. P. Staff Correspondent)

TOKYO (By Mail to United Press).—The most popular young couple in Japan, the "Imperial sweethearts," Crown Prince Regent Hirohito and the Princess Nagako Kuni are preparing for their earthquake-postponed wedding.

The ceremony will take place Jan. 27, according to present plans, at noon, in the Imperial Shrine, a part of the Imperial Palace—that sacred and forbidden precinct, hidden behind great grey walls, and surrounded by ancient feudal moats, that covers a large area in the center of Tokyo.

It will be a simple wedding—simple and inexpensive—that is, as such, so as Imperial affairs can be. For there has been an earthquake in Japan, and the Regent has ordered no money and no show on his wedding, when that money and effort might be applied to reconstruction.

The wedding banquet in the Imperial Palace, attended by only the highest court officials and, possibly, the foreign ambassadors will, it has been announced, be a very simple and modest affair, by comparison with the elaborate event that would have been the wedding feast, had there been no earthquake.

Little Ceremony

Through the shack-lined streets of devastated Tokyo hundreds of thousands of people will stand to catch a glimpse of the passing automobiles—big, red limousines with the golden sixteen-petaled chrysanthemum, the Imperial Crest—conveying the regent and his bride. That, and the squadrons of the cavalrymen of the Imperial Household guard, with red pom-poms above their military caps, will make about all there will be of outward pageantry, ceremonial or procession.

The Prince Regent and the Princess Nagako—the eldest daughter of the House of Kuni, one of the highest-ranking court families of Japan—have been forbidden, by Japanese tradition, from seeing much of each other during their engagement. Although a "love match," it was, of course, arranged by the Imperial authorities, just as the families, not the individuals, to be married, arrange most matches in Japan. There has been no spooning on the front porch and holding hands out on the lawn.

Only the Imperial family, the family of Prince Kuni, the families

## Simulation of the Flounce Models.

Part at top and bottom is the new note in coats, even for spring. And the colors—plain, orange, green, henna, and blue—are bright and dazzling.

The animal world is kept on the run these days, what with the vogue for being Steinbuck and every woman wanting a fur coat.

The alligator and his diminutive cousin, the lizard, are the newest of the beasts to take to the tall timber, figuratively speaking. Alligator skin shoes have created a big demand for the article of this homely creature, and the lizard who doesn't climb down off his sunny wall snappily enough this spring will find himself made into a pair of formal evening slippers.

For sports wear, alligator skin shoes are going to be all the rage.

The mandarin neck is developed even in sweaters. The sleeveless, knitted sweater of last year which had a low V-neck in front has a high neck this spring, with a little turn-down collar, buttoned tightly about the throat, or no collar at all.

The little jacquettes that were so popular last fall will be sold in quantities this spring, in the new bright colors.

Some of the shades include marvo, brick red, blue, salmon and orange as well as the more subdued shades of gray and tan.

You won't be able to tell whether the modish young woman is wearing a coat, a suit or a dress this spring. Many of the street dresses carry a matching cape, sometimes removable, or a matching coat, and some of them are two-piece affairs with straightline over-houses just long enough to reach the fingertips.

There are even one-piece coats-dresses that take the form of a three piece suit. These are usually made in novelty plaids with skirt, box-coat and flannel waistcoat—the whole thing made in one and opening down the front so that it may be slipped on like a coat.

Pleasant blouses with baggy sleeves usually brilliantly hand-dyed at the neck, cuffs and hip-band, are very much in evidence.

A new tailored over-blouse in midday fashion, with regulation sailor collar and embroidered monogram, is finding a large sale also.

Another variation of the style is a one-piece flannel sports dress with the new mandarin neck, very nearly sleeveless, and usually with a wide armhole. These have the embroidered monogram on the breast-neck, and open straight down the front.

## Imperial Palace, for the wedding banquet.

That night, had there been no earthquake, all Japan would have been luminous and alive with lantern processions, festivals, merry-making. There will be some lantern possessions in Tokyo, but nothing very elaborate is possible.

A few days after the wedding the prince and princess will travel by railroad to the Grand Shrines of Ise, in South Japan, and there worship before the shrines of the departed Emperors of Japan, and ask the blessings of those ancestors upon their union.

Hirohito is called "The Prince of Wales of the Far East," and is tremendously popular with his people. The Princess Nagako is also regarded with universal affection. They are both democratic, hard-working, level-headed "good sports"—to epitomize in Americanese. "They'll make a good team," say the people.

## LITTLE ROCK MAN IS VISITING LUBBOCK

Everett Pringle, prominent attorney of Little Rock, Arkansas, arrived in Lubbock Saturday and will be here several days prospecting. Neal Douglans of the Avalanche has the pleasure of knowing Judge Pringle for some time and was delighted with the opportunity to make him acquainted with a number of the professional and business men of Lubbock Saturday afternoon.

The judge is so very favorably impressed with Lubbock and the congeniality of the people of the plains that he has taken a genuine interest in the city and will not leave until he has had ample time to make several trips over the Lubbock trade territory.

Judge Pringle is owner of extensive cotton land interests in northwestern Arkansas and the abundance of cotton on the plains has been a surprise to him. He was surprised to know that the lands of this section which range in price from fifteen to thirty-five dollars per acre are just about as productive of this crop as the higher priced, heavily taxed lands of his state, and this feature of the plains alone has quickened his interest in Lubbock.

Bazaar to be Held February 9.

The market and bazaar being planned by the Civic League of this city will be held on Saturday, February 9. Everybody please send a donation. MRS. J. S. JOHNSON, Chairman Finance Com.

# PRESIDENT HORN OF TEXAS TECH. TALKED WITH MILL OPERATORS OF GEORGIA OF THE TEXTILE FIELD

Only a few years ago, LaGrange, Georgia, was a typical town of the old South, cultured, dignified, refined, more or less aristocratic and perhaps a little somnolent. There were broad streets, well shaded with stately trees, well kept lawns, a long established female college, and other things in keeping. There were perhaps 5000 inhabitants.

Today LaGrange is a lively, bustling, modern little city with 25,000 people living in it. The older part of the town is still very much as it was but on the outskirts there are whole villages of cottages, with parks and playgrounds and welfare work galore.

The agency that has made over the town is the cotton mill industry. There are today seven cotton mills in LaGrange with perhaps 20,000 people either employed in them or depending for support upon persons so employed. The annual payroll is about \$5,000,000. No wonder the town has grown from 5,000 to 25,000 people. There is something to make it grow.

The superintendent and the general manager of the Hillside Mills is Mr. S. A. Austin. I wish I could tell my Texas friends that the "S" in Mr. Austin's name stands for Stephen, but alas; it only stands for Sam. Nevertheless Mr. Austin states that his father was a Texan and was directly related both to Stephen F. Austin and to Moses Austin. Accordingly, the present Mr. Austin may be regarded as a Texan who, through some mischance, has strayed back to Georgia.

Mr. Austin is himself a self-made mill man, but he states emphatically that he believes in the products of technological colleges in industry.

"I will take any graduate of the Georgia Tech. who wishes to enter these mills," he declared. "If a boy were to come in that door right now and show me his diploma from the Georgia Tech., I would give him a

job. If there were no jobs open for him, I would make one. It might not be much of a job, but if he really possessed a diploma from a good college of technology, and if he were really willing to work, it would not be long before he would have a good job.

"Take young Asbury, for instance. He came from the Georgia Tech. three or four years ago. I put him to work sweeping floors. Today he is assistant superintendent. It would have been utterly impossible for him to rise as rapidly as he has if it were not for the fact of his college training.

"There is where the difference comes in. A Tech graduate during the first month he is out of school, may not earn any more than the boy who is altogether without Tech training. In the long run, however, he will greatly outdistance the other fellow."

When Mr. Austin was asked whether he himself lacked anything that the Tech. graduate possesses, his answer was about as follows:

"Not so far as concerns the mere matter of the mill itself. I can modestly claim that I think I know as much about mills as any Tech. man knows or could ever learn. However, it took me long years to acquire what the Tech. graduate can acquire in much shorter time. Furthermore, I realize that I lack background. I would give a good deal to have the background which the graduate of Georgia Tech. or any good college of technology has today."

Mr. Austin is firmly of the opinion that industries and technological training go along together. He feels that one stimulates the other. He was greatly interested in the new technological college of Texas, and made many valuable suggestions.

Another interesting man at LaGrange is Mr. Robert H. Adams, who does much of the testing in the laboratory maintained by a group of the associated mills at LaGrange. According to Mr. Adams, the qualifications used for the manufacture of cotton cloth are growing more and more complex every year. Formerly it was only specified that the cloth should be so long, so wide, and of such a weight. Today the specifications say how many threads of warp should come to the inch, how many of filler, what percentage there should be of elongation, of twisting, what the breaking point should be, the crimp, the tortion, and a lot of other things. Mr. Adams in his laboratory tests every one of these things. Under the microscope he counts the number of threads within an inch. He tells what percentage of stretch there is to the goods. He can show you just exactly how many pounds of eight can be sustained by a cotton strip an inch wide before it will break. In one of the pieces of goods he was testing when I visited him, it turned out that it required 702 pounds of weight to break a strip an inch wide.

After spending a while in Mr. Adams' office, one becomes convinced that the manufacture of cotton goods is in this day and time pretty much of an exact science. When

the number of threads to the inch is to be counted, there is evidently no room for guess work.

Mr. Adams believes in the Tech. graduate but believes in him still more strongly if the boy has worked his way through college, rather than if he has been sent on his dad's money.

Mr. Adams likewise was interested in the Texas college of technology and asked many questions about it. As a crowning manifestation of his interest, he stated that if everything went well, both with the Texas Tech. and with himself, he might send his youngest son out there to take a course in textiles.

Incidentally, much of the cotton being made into cloth in the LaGrange mills comes from Texas. Dallas, Greenville and Waxahachie are favorite buying places. Can any Texan think of any good reason why this cotton should not be made into cloth in Texas instead of in Georgia? However, Georgia has today 165 cotton mills, while Texas has only a small fraction of that number. May the Texas Tech. be instrumental in helping to change this situation.

P. W. HORN.

**Dr. Horn and Party Are Busy Inspecting Colleges**  
ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 26—Mr. John W. Carpenter, of Dallas, a member of the board of regents of the Texas Technological College, Mr.

William Ward Watkins of Houston, architect, and Mr. W. C. Hedrick, of the firm of Sanguinet, Staats & Hedrick, architects, of Fort Worth, reached Atlanta this morning. They immediately had a consultation with President P. W. Horn, who has been here for several days visiting the Georgia Tech. and studying its work. The entire party will go from here to Clemson College, South Carolina, and will go from there to Raleigh, where they will visit the state A. & M. College of North Carolina.

While the party is studying technological colleges in general, it is understood that they are particularly interested in the textile department. They are also making a special study of what is known as the co-operative system by which students work in pairs, one of the pair working for a month while the other is attending school and the two exchanging places at the end of each month.

The itinerary of the party will probably include the Philadelphia textile school, the Fall River textile school and the Boston Tech. The party also expects to visit the University of Cincinnati, the University of Wisconsin, the A. & M. College of Iowa and a number of other institutions before returning to Texas. It is stated that the cornerstone of the first building of the Texas Tech. will probably be laid with appropriate celebration on the

4th of July.

Young Lawton walked into the room on the third floor of one of the buildings of the Georgia Tech. where I was conferring with E. H. Flath, the head of the co-operative department. Lawton was a student, a freshman, a husky young fellow about nineteen years of age, and he took a seat and waited for Mr. Flath to have a moment of leisure.

"What can I do for you," the instructor finally asked. "I have come to see about that job," said young Mr. Lawton. "Have you found me one yet?" "Yes, Carmichael wants to see you about alternating with him out at Morgan Falls."

"What Carmichael? Do you mean J. R.?" "Yes, the fellow they call 'Red'." Lawton's face expanded into a grin.

"I know all about that job," he said, "and I like Carmichael, I'll sure be glad to get a chance to alternate with him. I'll see him this evening."

And out he went.

It developed upon inquiry that Lawton and Carmichael are working for the street railway company at Marble Falls, about twenty miles from Atlanta. Each one works a month while the other goes to school a month. Then they exchange places.

The job is that of a checker of

material. The young fellows are in charge of a supply room and check out all the material issued. The place is a fairly responsible one and yet is not beyond the capacity of a reasonably intelligent, husky, nineteen year old student. The pay is 50 cents an hour and the boys work eight hours per day. The result is that when the boy works a month he makes lightly over a hundred dollars. This is enough to pay his board during the month he works and also during the month he goes to school. They take it turn about, month about, and the courses in college are so arranged that neither one misses anything.

This is the way the co-operative plan works at Georgia Tech. It is very much the same plan as that used at Antioch, Ohio, of which President Eliot of Harvard said that it was the most important experiment being tried in American education today. It is also the plan being used by Dean Snyder with his 2,000 students in the engineering department of the University of Cincinnati.

At the end of five years Lawton and Carmichael will get their engineering degree and will have acquired a little experience in actual work. Incidentally, they will not owe anybody a cent for their education.

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DR. W. P. HORN  
President Texas Tech. college, now on tour of inspection of big educational plants.

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A Landscape Artist will be secured to arrange the yards, plant shrubery, etc. The firm name will be announced later. Plans and sketch of the "Home Beautiful" will be published at the earliest possible date. Watch for further important announcements.

The Temple Trust Company believes in home-ownership and sound construction methods and will help the buyer finance the purchase of the "Home Beautiful" on our regular loan basis.

**MOTHERS COMFORT DOOMED YOUTHS.**



Willie Jones, Gervais Bloodworth & Mrs. Pinkerton.

Gervais Bloodworth, under sentence to be hanged in the Taylor County Jail at Columbus, Ga., sits with his sons by turn, reading them news from the pen and talking with them in private for company. The boys must die for murdering Edward F. Pinkerton, Reynold's, Ga., medicine salesman, whom they robbed. Mrs. Dowden Pinkerton, mother of the murderer, is shown in the picture with her cell.

**KAMENEV MAY SUCCEED LENIN.**



Leo Kameney.

Leo Kameney, Third Vice-President of the Russian Federal Republic and Premier of Soviet Russia. Kameney is leader of the old guard of Soviets, is believed to be the man who will succeed Nikolai Lenin in the central executive committee's fight against Leon Trotsky, War Minister, who has practically been relegated to private life.

**WEALTHY MAN CHARGED WITH MURDER.**



L. E. Griffith and Ruth Hunter.

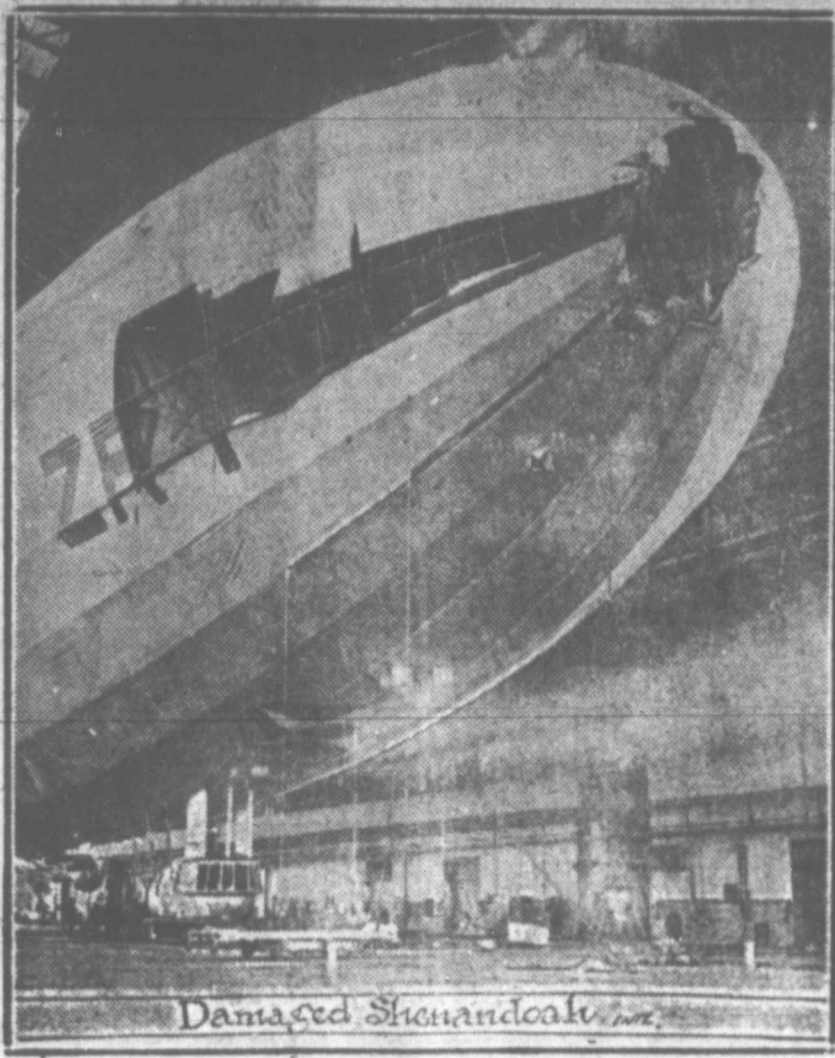
Louis E. Griffith, president of the United Machine and Manufacturing Company, of Canton, O., is held in \$25,000 bail on a charge that he strangled his wife Ruth Hunter, 18, in Lorain, Mo. Her body was found on a lonely road near Canton. Griffith died in the hospital.

**POSSE ROUTS FLORIDA BANDITS.**



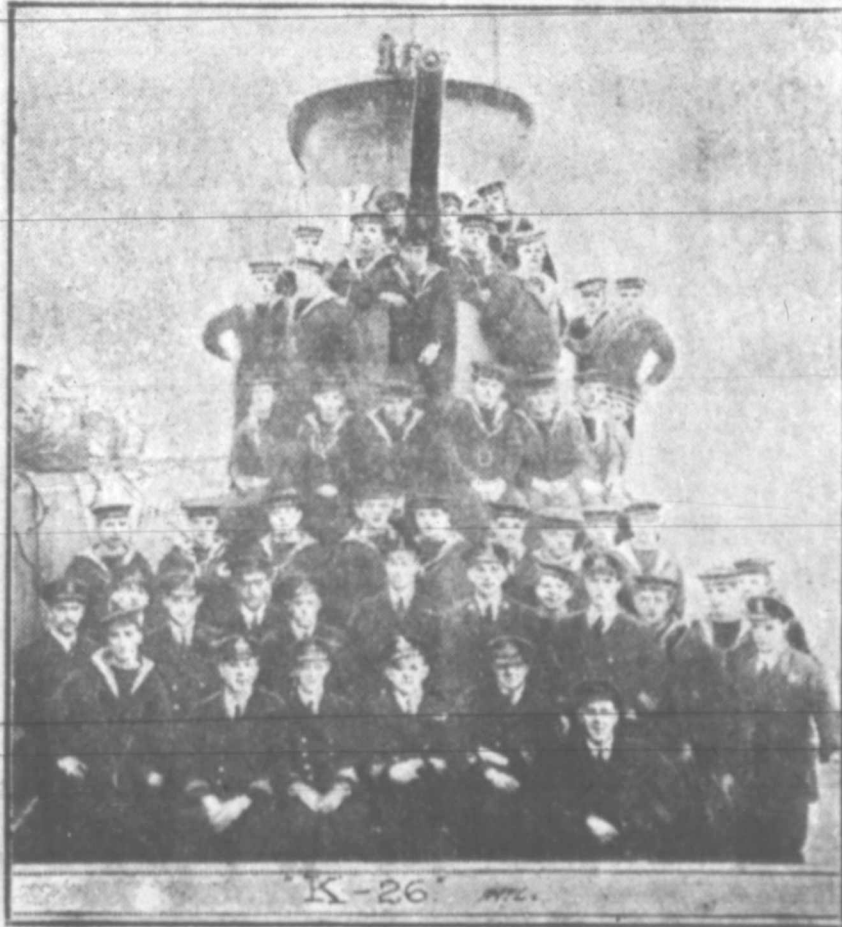
Fighting Florida Bandits.

This photograph shows "Dead Shot" Whitehurst, Judge Edgar C. Thompson and Ned Lacey, members of the Sheriff's posse who engaged in a day battle with the Ashby Mobley gang of bandits in the Everglades, Florida, near West Palm Beach, in which two men were killed, many of the bandits captured and the others driven into the fastness of the swamps. The bandit town was burned.



Damaged Shenandoah.

**SUBMARINE ON 9,000-MILE CRUISE.**



K-26.

The British submarine K-26, second largest under water craft in the world, has left Portsmouth, Eng., manned by the crew, on a 9,000-mile cruise in Mediterranean and Near East waters.

**SELECT U. S. OLYMPIC SKI TEAM.**



U. S. Olympic Ski Team.

Above are shown members of the ski team that will represent the United States in the Winter Olympic games at Chamonix, French Alps. They were selected in elimination contests in Minneapolis, Minn. In the front row are left to right: Overyn national cross country ski champion, Ragnar Omstedt, former champion; Colonel George E. Leach, Mayor of Minneapolis who accompanies the team as manager; Hans Hansen, holder of American amateur jump record; Anders Haugen, four time national champion. In the rear row are the alternates: Barney Riley, Le Mott Watson, Julius Siegel and Harry John.

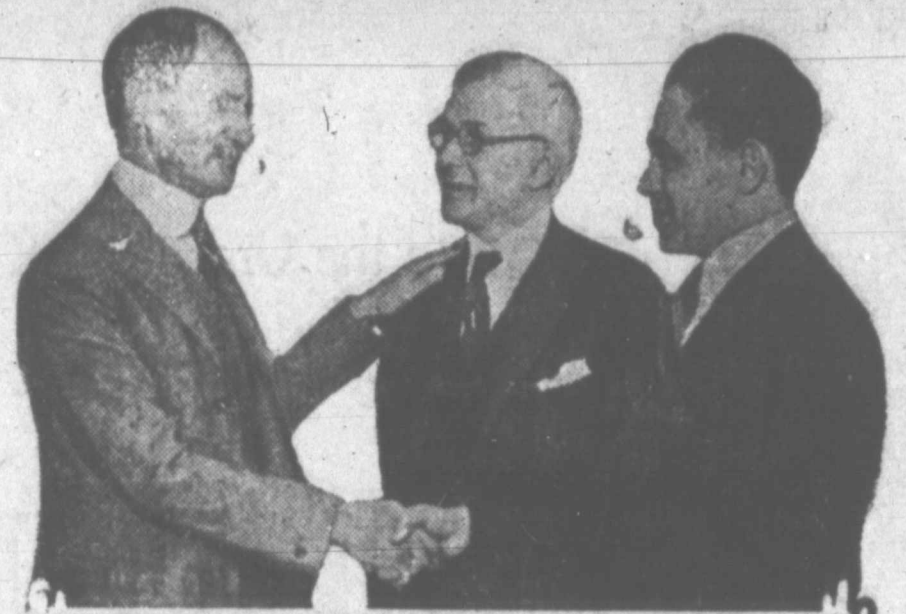
**COUNT SALT AS DESERT SHEIK.**



Count Salm von Hoogstraeten.

Above is pictured Count Ludwig Salm von Hoogstraeten as the Austrian cavalry officer appeared in the character of a desert sheik in a motion picture production. His amazing romance with Mary Mitchell Rogers, heiress to the huge estate of an evangelist, the late H. H. Rogers, Standard Oil executive whom he married secretly in New York, reveals interesting episodes in the Count's love career.

**GIVES BUSINESS TO EMPLOYEES.**



I. C. Herman, Fred Smith & Irving S. Rosoff.

"Giving money," says I. C. Herman, multi-millionaire piece goods and handkerchief manufacturer, "is no way to get on. You can't give away what you don't have. I've got my head and I'm giving. My money can't be junked. So we called in Irving S. Rosoff and Fred M. Smith, who had worked for him, talking up sales and production matters, and gave them his firm, which did a business last year of \$2,000,000. Mr. Her. and his wife brother-in-law, famous New York theatrical manager whose family name is Her-

**WOMAN ACCUSED OF HUSBAND'S MURDER.**



Mrs. E. J. Khouri.

Mrs. Mathilda S. Khouri, of Dorchester, Mass., is sought by the police on the charge of murdering her husband, Elias J. Khouri. A former contractor, he has confessed that he shot her and then tried to shoot himself. At first his death was ascribed to suicide.

**AMERICANS HELD BY THIBETIAN BANDITS.**



Rev. & Mrs. W. M. Hardy and children.

Rev. William A. Hardy, his wife and their two children are held prisoner, with other missionaries, in Batang, China, beleaguered by Thibetian bandits.

**WAGNER'S SON AND WIDOW ACCUSED.**



Siegfried and Frau Cosima Wagner.

Frau Cosima Wagner, widow of the great German composer, and her son, Siegfried Wagner, are charged in Munich with having directed the funeral of the composer. The son is accused of all over the world. The son is accused of all over the world. The son is accused of all over the world. The son is accused of all over the world. The son is accused of all over the world. The son is accused of all over the world.

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