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MAYOR SPENCER DIED TUESDAY AFTER SHORT BUT TENACIOUS STRUGGLE WITH FLU-PNEUMONIA

Mayor Percy Spencer is dead! Following an illness of five days, beginning with what was thought to be a mild form of flu, Mayor Percy Spencer, died at his home at 1625 Thirteenth street at 4:50 Tuesday morning, and the city of Lubbock is in deep mourning for the loss of this efficient and public spirited official and highly respected citizen.

Born in Mississippi

Percy Spencer was born in the State of Mississippi, February 19, 1886. He came to Texas to make his home in the year 1905, and located in Brownfield, Texas, where his uncle, Judge W. R. Spencer resided at that time. He remained there only a short time when he entered the law school at the State University and was given a license to practice law in 1907, at which time he returned to Brownfield and practiced law with his uncle for about five years, before moving to Lubbock, where he has resided ever since and has enjoyed a good practice in his chosen profession.

In 1912 he was married to Miss Gaster Randal, of Brownfield, and he is survived by his wife and three children, his aunt, the late widow of Judge Spencer, who died on the 14th of January, 1923; his father and mother, who live in Mississippi, two brothers, Rev. Lee B. Spencer, of Oakland, Miss., who is now enroute to Lubbock, and expected to arrive today noon; W. R. Spencer, of Birmingham, Ala.; besides a number of other close relations, here and elsewhere.

Was Elected Mayor in April, 1922

In the April election of 1922, Mr. Spencer was honored by the people of this city by being elected mayor, which office he has held with much credit to himself and the city, and which position he honorably held at the time of his death. He has had much to do with the progress of the city in many ways and especially in his official capacity. He has always shown a deep interest in the progress of the city, and as a private citizen contributed much toward making Lubbock the city that she is today, and we could go on at great length and enumerate the many accomplishments the city has wrought under his leadership, but it is not necessary, for the people of the entire South Plains know that he has been a leader in all public-spirited campaigns for the betterment of the town and his country.

Last Public Appearance Was at Wilson Memorial Service

Among the last official acts was to call a memorial service, to be held at the Court House lawn, in memory of the late Woodrow Wilson, at which time several thousand citizens of Lubbock, and a large number of school children gathered at the appointed place for the service, and Mr. Spencer made a few brief, timely remarks in introducing Senator Bledsoe, who paid a splendid tribute to the late President. Mr. Spencer was not feeling well at that time, and went home immediately following the services and on Thursday following was compelled to go to bed, from which he was not permitted to leave.

He was vice-president of the Kiwanis Club, and was a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and was highly respected by these organizations, and was prominent in the promotion of each. He had probably the largest circle of friends of any man in the city, who deeply regret his loss. His absence will be keenly felt.

Several Relatives at His Bedside

A number of out-of-town relatives were present when the end came, among them being Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Randal, father and mother of Mrs. Spencer, of Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Farrer, of Sweetwater, also a large number of close friends watch through the night while the last breath fled away, and ended the short, but successful career of this good citizen.

Special Memorial Program to Be Held Thursday

Special memorial services will be held Thursday by the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs in memory of the late Hon. Percy Spencer, mayor of Lubbock, and vice-president of the Kiwanis Club.

Neil Wright, chairman of the program committee of the Rotary Club, telephoned secretary Geo. W. Brewer early Tuesday morning that it was the desire of the Rotarians to meet in joint session with the Kiwanians to pay tribute to the deceased, and before nine o'clock Tuesday morning all arrangements had been made for the meeting save the completion of the program.

This was made later in the day when the members of the program committee of the two clubs met to discuss the matter.

Mayor Spencer was among the charter members of the Kiwanis Club, and his death was a blow to that organization as well as to all other phases of the community life.

The Rotarians have all been so closely associated with the mayor in his work here that they felt that a meeting this week with members of his club, when a memorial program in his honor would be held, was fitting, and it is evident that this arrangement has met with the approval of all members of both clubs.

Funeral services will be held at the home, at 1625 13th street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. C. N.

THE WEATHER WEST TEXAS—Fair to night and Wednesday; not much change in temperature. Low today 33.

ORANGE COUNTY WILL HARVEST BIG RICE CROP ORANGE, Texas, Feb. 12.—Orange county expects to harvest the biggest rice crop in seven years this season. More men are employed than at any time since 1917. Erection of pumping plants and repairs to canals and drainage systems are being made which will eventually irrigate around 6000 acres. Most of the land has been idle for years.

McADOO TO ASK PRIVATE LOAN PUBLIC WILL IN RACE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—William G. McAdoo will call a conference of his supporters from every state, to be held at Chicago, which shall decide by "cold blooded" judgment whether he should remain in the race for the democratic presidential nomination, in view of his former legal connection with E. L. Doheny, oil magnate, it was announced here Tuesday night.

"If they think I am unavailable I shall gladly withdraw and fight as a private citizen in the ranks; if they think I should lead, I will do so with all the power that is in me," McAdoo declares in a letter to his campaign manager, David Ladd Rockwell, of Chicago, asking that the conference be called promptly, it was made public here Tuesday night.

"I will do anything that they think is right and best for the service of the party and the country," he declared.

McAdoo did not set any date for the conference, but asked that it be called "as promptly as possible" and include "the representative men and women leaders in each state of the so-called McAdoo movement."

McAdoo asked that his manager also invite "representatives of progressive outside of the democratic party, representatives of labor, representatives of the farmers, and any others you think advisable in order that we may get as far as possible a true index of public opinion."

"I want the progressive men and women who attend to be cold blooded about it. I want them to disregard my personal interests of political fortune and to say, in the light of their well considered and deliberate judgment, what is best for the democracy and clean government—what is best for the future of the nation."

"I want this conference to consider and determine whether or not the fact that an honorable professional service rendered by me to a client, but having no relation whatever to oil leases now under investigation by the senate committee, is prejudicial to my leadership in the cause of progressive democracy."

"This has nothing whatever to do with the betrayal by ex-Secretary Fall of his public trust and the discovery and revelation of others who have betrayed the public interest or who have been guilty of wrong doing in the oil scandal."

"What I am concerned about is not McAdoo. My political life is of no consequence as compared with the cause of progressive democracy. That cause must be preserved and made victorious at any cost or individual sacrifice. The very security of our institutions depends upon it. The appalling conditions prevailing in Washington today—corruption, graft, incompetence—have created a situation more dangerous to government than bolshevism itself. Those who have betrayed the public trust must be driven out and lashed with public contempt and indignation. Those who are fighting me with disreputable methods know that if I had power, I would scourge them from every bureau and department of government and punish them, and all others guilty of wrong doing, to the utmost limit of the law."

"The most immediate and vital issue before the American people is whether these sinister and dangerous forces shall control government or whether honest and clean government shall be restored to the people, administered in the interest of all the people and not prostituted to the service of the privileged and favored few. I want this conference to consider this situation."

OCHILTREE COUNTY HAS 1148 POLL TAXES PAID

PERRYTON, Feb. 12.—Tax Collector Talley reports 1148 paid poll taxes for Ochiltree county, and 30 exemptions for this year, making a total of 1178.

LIEUT. GRIFFIS APPLAUDED ON ARRIVAL IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Lieutenant Corlias Hooven Griffis, the smooth-looking young typewriter salesman who tried to yank Grover C. Bergdoll back to his neglected country by the seat of his trousers, lost no caste by failure.

Chicago shouted and cheered, patted, hugged, applauded, paraded and banqueted Griffis Tuesday, when he arrived from his confinement in a German prison.

Griffis routed notions hereabouts that he intends to go into the movies. "I only did my duty," he said, "and I don't want to capitalize on it."

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NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—A loan to the Japanese government by American and British bankers, aggregating \$275,000,000 was announced here Tuesday night. This loan, which is the largest single piece of financing in the United States since the allied loan during the war, will be underwritten in this country by a syndicate of international bankers headed by J. P. Morgan and Company, Kuhn, Loeb and Company, The National City Company, and the First National Bank of New York.

The Japanese financial mission which signed the loan, stated that this advance, together with the foreign balance, will provide for the retirement not only of substantially the whole of the Japanese external debt maturing before 1931, but will also care for the Japanese government's entire financial requirements in the foreign market for reconstruction work necessitated by the earthquake of last September.

The American loan, totalling \$150,000,000 will bear a six and one half percent coupon. The announcement stated that the American issue will be offered later this week at 92 1/2 and that the yield will be 7.10 percent. This American loan will mature in 1954. It provides for establishment of a sinking fund for retirement of the bonds of \$5,000,000 annually during the first five years, \$4,500,000 annually during the next five years and \$3,000,000 annually during the final twenty years. The American bonds will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500 and \$1000.

The British part of the loan will total \$25,000,000, will bear a coupon of 6 percent and will have a yield of approximately 6.96 percent. It will mature in 35 years.

The proceeds of the British loan will be used partly to retire the outstanding balance of approximately \$170,000,000 of the Japanese government's sterling 4 1/2 percent bonds due in February and July, 1925.

It is learned that the American bankers, in negotiating the loan, did not ask for any special security beyond the credit of the Japanese government.

PAPERS INDICATE HUERTA BEEN DEPOSED

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 12.—Consul General E. D. Ruiz announced on Tuesday that seized rebel documents indicate that Adolfo de la Huerta has been deposed as supreme chief of the revolutionists.

A conference of rebel chieftains has decided to place General Candido Aguillar at the helm of the revolutionists. Participating in the conference were Generals Guadalupe Sanchez, Fortunato Maycotte, and Cesar Castro.

The documents, addressed to Adolfo de la Huerta, and signed by the three rebel generals, notified the "supreme chief" that the decision had been arrived at after due deliberation.

A document from de la Huerta, addressed to the three generals, protested their action. "I did not expect an imposition so rude and unjust on your part," de la Huerta replied, urging the generals to reconsider their action.

It is now generally believed that the flight of de la Huerta from Vera Cruz was the immediate cause of the three generals' action.

Yaqui troops have captured Canutillo, headquarters of Hipolito Villa and General Chao and rebel troops have been forced to retreat.

TO SUSPEND BUSINESS IN RESPECT TO MAYOR SPENCER

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF LUBBOCK: The funeral services for our departed Mayor, Percy Spencer, will be held from his family residence, 1625 Thirteenth St., at 3 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, February 13, 1924; and as Mayor protem. of the City of Lubbock, I hereby request that all business houses shall close at 2:30 o'clock, and that all business be suspended from that hour until after the funeral.

We feel that this is a matter of justice and that proper respect may be paid to one, who has labored in the interest of the City of Lubbock and of every citizen thereof.

Witness my hand at Lubbock, Texas, this the 12th day of February, A. D. 1924.

H. G. LOVE, Mayor Pro-tem., City of Lubbock, Texas.

OPENED BY CHINESE MERCHANTS WHO ALLEGE HARSH ACTION BY IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS IN PORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Feb. 12: (UN)—Drastic interpretation of the federal immigration laws at the port of San Francisco is said to be the basis for a growing movement for the boycott of American goods, ports and ships by Chinese nationals.

It is claimed that the movement is being instigated here by Chinese merchants who claim to represent and control commercial relations between China and the United States.

Chinese merchants of the city, protesting what they term unnecessarily harsh action on the part of the immigration officials of this port, are disseminating pleas of Koh-Ling VII, Chinese consul general, for moderation and are proceeding with organization of the boycott plans.

Appeal For Advice. An appeal by the Chinese chamber of commerce to national and international lawyers for advice has been forwarded to Secretary of State Hughes, it is said, and to the commissioner general of immigration in Washington.

Complaints allege that whereas first-class passengers of other nations are examined by the immigration authorities and quarantine officials of the public health service while the ships are making port, Chinese first class passengers are detained and held at the immigration station on Angel Island.

Officers of the immigration service at the port here, under the direction of Commander John D. Nagle, declared the complaints are not justified.

TERRY COUNTY HAS 1626 QUALIFIED VOTERS

BROWNFIELD, Texas, Feb. 12.—According to Sheriff and Tax-Collector Wood E. Johnson, old Terry's voting strength has increased about 50 per cent over last year, having just a little over 1000 voters last year.

Of course there are hundreds of new people coming in from other Texas counties that will be qualified to vote here by the time the July primaries, which will probably put the voting strength of Terry to near 2000 votes.

CLAIM SIMMONS IS PLANNING NEW ORDER

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 12.—The bitter struggle for control of the K. K. K., which has raged for months between Colonel Wm. J. Simmons and Hiram W. Evans, respectively founder and imperial wizard of the secret order, is believed to have been ended by an informal peace treaty.

Simmons is said to be planning a new order, to be known as the "Knights of the Flaming Sword."

In settlement of the feud, which reached its most dangerous stage when W. S. Coburn, a leader of the Simmons faction, was murdered by Phil Fox, the Evans publicity director, Dr. Evans prepared to have paid his predecessor the sum of \$146,000.

Emperor Simmons, it is understood, will withdraw from membership in the Klan, and renounce all rights both in that organization and the Kamelia, the invisible empire's feminine auxiliary.

Organization of the new Simmons order, to be based on the same lines as the Klan, will begin immediately, according to Henry J. Norton, a close friend of Simmons, who has been at Jacksonville, attending a meeting of the Simmons followers. Full details will be announced at the close of the Jacksonville meeting.

Meanwhile, however, a meeting has been called here for February 26 to "kill or cure" the Klan, and the reports of peace between Simmons and Evans will not affect this session, according to former Imperial Giant E. Y. Clarke.

SON OF LINCOLN CONFESSES SLAYING

AURORA, Ill., Feb. 12.—Confessions seem to run in the family blood of Warren J. Lincoln, indicted for the murder of his wife, Lina, and her brother, Byron Shoup.

Lincoln's 20 year old son John declared to Chief Michaels Tuesday that he, not his father, was the slayer.

After he was imprisoned twelve hours while the authorities checked up his story, John finally decided that he didn't like jail and admitted that his "confession" was a hoax.

Chief Michaels and other weary officials who had spent days wrestling with the father's eight confessions in an effort to extract the truth, were incensed at the boy.

Finally, the son was taken to his father. Told that John had said he was the real killer, the elder Lincoln exclaimed:

"John, you're a liar." That settled it with John. He admitted he was.

Chief Michaels heaved a sigh of mingled relief and regret and shortly afterwards resumed directing prisoners in digging in row nastures on the Lincoln farm in the hope of finding the dismembered bodies of the two victims.

BROOKLYN OUTFIELDER SURRENDERS FOR QUESTIONS

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—Bert Griffis, outfielder on the Brooklyn National League baseball team, surrendered Tuesday to police who wanted to question him in connection with the murder of Policeman William E. Anderson last Saturday night.

Griffis was released on bond. Police said he was reported to have been in a saloon near the place where the policeman's body was found. A "wild party" was said to have been in progress in the saloon at the time.

TEXTILE MILL OWNERS INTERESTED IN WEST TEXAS AND WILL LOCATE MILLS HERE SAYS W. C. HEDRICK

W. C. Hedrick, of the firm of Sanguinet-Staats & Hedrick, architects, who came here Sunday to assist the city commission and advisory board in placing the contract for the new city hall, had just returned from an extensive trip with the board of regents and Dr. P. W. Horn

of the Texas Technological College who were making a survey of the various educational institutions and textile industries throughout the United States.

Mr. Hedrick stated that the members of the firm of which he was a part and their association will start work immediately making plans ready for bidders early in April.

The administration building which will house the administrative, instructive and executive departments of the president's home and perhaps one other building for the textile department, are the one on which the plans have been ordered, these plans only to be tentative and subject to the approval of the board of regents in their next meeting.

Mr. Hedrick is thoroughly sold on Lubbock, and in fact is well pleased with the aggressiveness of the entire citizenship of West Texas.

Mr. Hedrick stated that he had never come in contact with a more alert, aggressive or unselfish citizenship than he has found in West Texas, pointing out that he had just visited all the middle Atlantic States the New England States, the main Southern States, going from New Orleans to Boston then back to Chicago, but on all the trip had never come in contact with a more prosperous or progressive citizenship than he has found right here at Lubbock.

Mr. Hedrick pointed out that while the members of the board of regents, Dr. Horn, and the architects who were on the trip were not in conference with textile operators or heads of educational institutions, they were invariably answering questions propounded to them by people interested in West Texas and the Plains country.

"We, of course, gave them all the information we had at hand concerning West Texas, and it appeared that they were impressed with what they heard. I am certain that many of the big textile operators are looking to West Texas as the logical location for their mills, where expansions can be made more readily than in any other portion of the states," Mr. Hedrick said.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Lubbock.

Whereas, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 23rd day of January A. D. 1924, in favor of Ruby Starnes and husband Roy W. Starnes, and against Mrs. M. A. Losey, a feme sole and the unknown heirs of her if she be deceased, No. 1773 on the Docket of said Court, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I did, on the 13th day of February A. D. 1924, at 8:00 o'clock a. m., lay upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Lubbock County, Texas, and belonging to Mrs. Ruby Starnes and Mrs. M. A. Losey, and her unknown heirs if she be deceased, equally, share and share alike to-wit:

Lot No. 3 in Block No. 165 of the Original Town of Lubbock in Lubbock County, Texas, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1924, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the Courthouse door of Lubbock County, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title, and interest of the said Mrs. Ruby Starnes and Mrs. M. A. Losey, and her unknown heirs, if she be deceased, in and to said property.

Witness my hand, this 13th day of February A. D. 1924.

H. L. JOHNSTON, Sheriff, Lubbock Co., Texas 91-4 Tuesday By U. L. GEORGE, Deputy.

W. B. Thorp is able to be about again after having been confined to his home during the past two weeks with an attack of influenza.

VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURAL CLASS TO TAKE LESSON

On Thursday morning the vocational agriculture class of the Lubbock high school, under Mr. Mowery will go to the farm of J. W. Lemons, 3 miles northeast of Lubbock to study terracing under Mr. Bentley and Mr. Eaton. In the morning the class will lay out the lines, study the instruments, set stakes and prepare for the actual work. In the afternoon they will build a terracing drag, and with teams, plows and the drag throw up a good terrace along the line layed out in the morning.

Farm terracing on the Plains is a new proposition. It was first introduced by County Agent Jennings with much success last year and already this year Mr. Eaton has more terracing work than he can hope to attend to during the spring months. He is giving two full days each week to this work and has a waiting list for his services. It is on account of this interest in terracing that Mr. Eaton has arranged for these demonstrations in the work where the farmers may learn from observation how to do the work for themselves.

GRADING OF STREETS ON MORNING SIDE BEGAN

Actual grading of streets and making of improvements began yesterday morning on Morning Side addition, Lubbock's newest and first restricted residential section, which will be offered for sale in a few days. Mr. W. E. Bush who is owner and developer of Morning Side addition says there is much interest being taken in lots for homes. "I am not going to let some buy now and hold the opening sale with most of the lots gone," said Mr. Bush yesterday, who also said that many were trying to make purchases even before the

addition is opened. "I know what Morning Side lots are worth now, believe that I know what they will be worth in a few months and for that reason I want everyone who is interested in making a purchase to thoroughly satisfy themselves as to the value before they talk purchase with me."

as soon as everyone has had ample opportunity to inspect the property. When the opening sale is announced Mr. Bush expects to make quick work of the sale and says that there isn't any doubt in his mind but that plenty of lots will be sold.

Jack B. Robert, of Breckenridge, was prospecting in Lubbock Tuesday

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 these due consideration at the polls

For District Judge, 72nd Judicial District—**MARK M. MULLICAN** (Re-Election.)

For District Attorney, 72nd Judicial District—**FARKE 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-elected)

For County Superintendent of Schools—**W. M. PEVEHOUSE**, **H. C. BOWLIN**, **P. F. BROWN**

For Tax Assessor—**R. C. BURNS** (Re-Election)

For Tax Collector—**I. F. HOLLAND**, Lubbock, Texas

For County Treasurer—**J. S. SLOVER** (Re-Election)

For County Commissioner, Prec. 1—**MARVIN T. WARLICK** (Re-election), **BEN W. CASEY**

For County Commissioner, Prec. 2—**E. BARTON**, (Slaton)

For County Commissioner, Prec. 3—**B. N. WHEELER** (Re-Election), **B. N. (Uncle Ed) HARRISON** Route 1

For County Commissioner, Prec. 4—**L. C. DENTON** (Re-Election)

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1—**COL. W. E. JOHNSON** (Re-Election)

For Public Weigher, Prec. 1—**W. S. (Billie) CLARK**, **L. M. CAMPBELL**, **P. O. BROCK**, **J. B. HEARRELL**

For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 5 Idalou—**H. N. ESTES**, Idalou; **J. T. LEE**, (Idalou); **AL H. TURNER**, G. P. (SHORTY) HOWELL, Idalou; **L. E. HAMLIN**, Idalou. (Re-Election)

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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—Frits 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, 8:00.
Lv. O'Donnell—Frits Drug Store, 9:45.
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—Frits Drug Store, 2:50.
Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 3:35.
Ar. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel, 5:00

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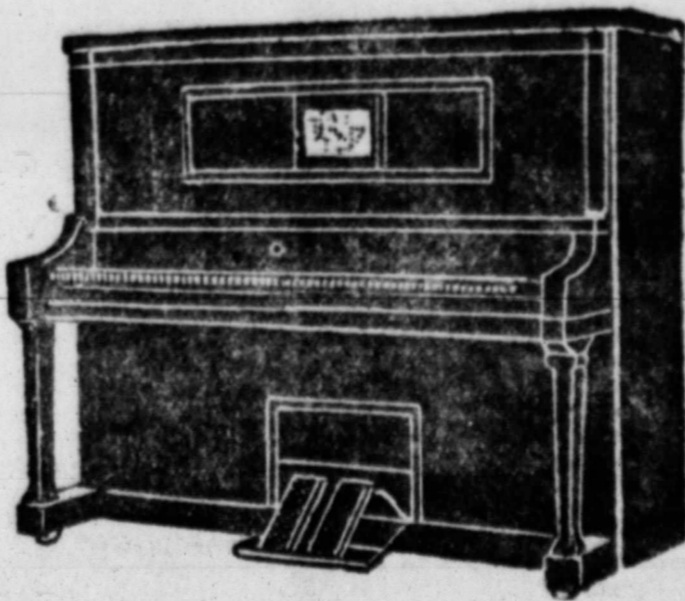
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DISTRICT COURT RECESSED SHORTLY AFTER CONVENING TUESDAY MORNING HONOR MAYOR PERCY SPENCER

There was no aggressiveness about the bar members or the court officials when the 72nd Judicial District Court convened Tuesday morning for the death of Mayor Percy Spencer for many years a member of the local bar, and probably one of the most popular attorneys in all West Texas, had cast a sadness over the body that could not be concealed.

Attorneys moved quietly, restlessly about the building waiting for the court to convene, when it had been planned that a meeting of the bar association members be held to make plans for drawing up fitting resolutions of sympathy for the family of the deceased.

Though Special Judge Dalton took his place on the bench as though a regular day's work was to be started, his usual alertness was lacking, and he immediately told bar members that a few minutes discussion of plans would be given, and that what action the court would take was left entirely in the hands of the local bar.

Judge George R. Bean was appointed chairman and called the members of the local bar into meeting. Senator W. H. Bledsoe, in appropriate and well chosen words, told how very important it was that court proceed, that the case pending was an important one and that two Amarillo attorneys, Messrs. Pinkin and Truelove, would be inconvenienced by a recess, and pointed out that Judge Dalton would also be inconvenienced, but that he thought that under the circumstances it was fitting that the memory of the deceased attorney be honored by a cessation of activities in the courtroom where he had labored for so many years until after his funeral.

Attorney Truelove responded to the senator, expressing the deepest sympathy of all members of the Amarillo Bar Association at the passing of Lubbock's honored citizen, and emphasized the willingness of him and Mr. Pinkin to meet with the wishes of the local bar members in recessing activities until after funeral services of the deceased had been held.

This ended the discussion of the matter among the attorneys and Judge Bean told Special Judge Dalton that further procedure was in his hands, when, with a tribute to the memory of the deceased, he declared a recess of the court until nine o'clock Thursday morning. The jury was excused and instructed to reappear for duty Thursday morning at nine o'clock.

The committee appointed to draw up resolutions of sympathy and present same to the family of the deceased was appointed as follows: Geo. R. Bean, chairman; W. H. Bledsoe; Pinkin of Amarillo; R. L. Douglas and Roy Starnes.

value of the increased production of the land.

The county agent, while new to Lubbock county, has thrown himself into the work with all sincerity, and his efforts are being rewarded by the interest the farmers are taking in the projects fostered by him.

SOCIETY NOTES

Missionary Society.
The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the church in regular meeting with a splendid attendance.

A very interesting lesson from the "Creative Forces in Japan" was conducted by Mrs. W. O. Stevens in her usual capable manner. Immediately following the study a business session was held, having been postponed from last Monday for the installation service. The president, Mrs. George Wolfarth presided and a number of good reports were made by the various committees and by the four districts of the society.

Opening the business session Mrs. Harding conducted the devotional from Revelations.

The society is doing excellent work under the leadership of Mrs. Wolfarth, and the district meetings, each conducted by an enthusiastic chairman, are progressing nicely.

Monday the district meeting will be held and each lady of the church is cordially invited to meet at her respective place. Plans for the meeting will be announced at a later date.

Delphian Society Will Not Meet Today.

The Lubbock chapter of the Delphian club has postponed the meeting which was to be held today, because of the funeral services of Mayor Spencer. The society will meet at the regular hour next week.

SENIOR HIGH P. T. A. TO MEET THURSDAY

The Senior high school Parent-Teachers association will meet at the high school auditorium Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The subject for discussion will be "What studies contribute most directly to character building." This subject will be handled in three phases by the following: Mrs. G. N. Atkinson, Mr. J. C. Marr, and W. C. Rylander.

The best musical talent will sing in the Colonial musical Friday evening at the high school. Price 25c and 35 cents.

"PROFESSOR PEPP" WAS PRESENTED AGAIN MON.

"Professor Pepp" was presented again at the Lubbock high school auditorium Monday evening, and \$36 was added to the class funds.

Miss Huddleston, who directs the play, stated that the students are well pleased with the results gained in presenting the play, as Monday evening's receipts brought the total up to \$300.

"Professor Pepp" is a good play whenever presented by the seniors of the Lubbock high school and the audiences are always well pleased.

W. O. STEVENS HAS BEEN ILL SINCE LAST SATURDAY

W. O. Stevens, president of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, has been on the sick list since Saturday.

Word from his home late Tuesday afternoon was to the effect that his condition is not serious, however, and that he will in all probability be about again within a few days.

Mr. Stevens' many friends in Lubbock have shown much concern about his condition and are wishing for him an immediate recovery.

LOCAL DENTIST TOOK POST-GRADUATE COURSE

Dr. R. B. Hutchinson, well known local dentist, returned to his home here Monday after spending several weeks at Chicago where he took a post graduate course in pyorrhea and prophylaxis.

He says he enjoyed a part of the visit to Chicago, but that he was very busy most of the time, and was mighty glad to get back to Lubbock.

TEXAS WOMAN DIES IN AUTO ACCIDENT

TEMPLE, Texas, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Ira Wesson was killed and her husband and three others narrowly escaped death when their car overturned while rounding a corner near Holland. All reside at Villas.

ABE LINCOLN'S SECOND WAS HERE TUES.

No, it wasn't a shadow of Abe Lincoln that strolled the streets of Lubbock Tuesday.

Though the banks were closed and the citizenship in general recognized the birthday of Lincoln Tuesday, none thought that Lubbock would be fortunate enough to have "Honest Abe's" second a guest in our city for that day, and all were genuinely surprised when they came face to face with him.

The "second" is none else than Ed Phillips, of Atoka, Oklahoma, and he and Mrs. Phillips have been at the Street home at 1416 Avenue L since Monday evening. They will leave this afternoon for their home at Atoka.

Mr. Phillips is six feet two inches tall, and having worked as a plasterer for a number of years, has the rugged features which characterized Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips had just been to Hollywood where Mr. Phillips had been with moving picture producers with reference to playing the Lincoln part in a production that will be made in the near future.

He was encouraged to get into the picture business as it is said there are very few types of Lincoln who so nearly represent all his features.

MARMON-REO COMPANY MAY LOCATE HERE

C. O. Fritz, representing the Fritz Motor Company, of Wichita Falls, was here Monday and Tuesday to demonstrate a Marmon automobile of the four brakes type.

The machine was equipped with balloon tires all around, and was very attractive.

Mr. Fritz stated that his company was interested in this territory and that he was here seeking a location for a distributing house for Marmon and Reo automobiles.

KNOX COUNTY TO VOTE ON \$250,000 ROAD BONDS

BENJAMIN, Texas, Feb. 12.—Commissioners' Court of Knox county has just ordered a special election to be held March 1 for the purpose of voting on bonds to the amount of \$250,000 to be used in Road District No. 4, in the east part of Knox county. It extends from Haskell county on the south to Foard county on the north. The bonds are to be thirty year serial bonds, and bear interest at the rate of 5 1-2 per cent.

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COUNTY AGENT WILL CONDUCT TERRACING DEMONSTRATION

County Agent Eston will conduct a terracing demonstration at the farm of a Lubbock county citizen two miles west of Abernathy this morning at ten o'clock.

These demonstrations are being held in all communities of Lubbock county and a great deal of interest has been shown by the farmers.

Mr. Eston has saved many acres of lake-side lands in the county where it was impossible for crops to be grown on account of being washed away during the spring season when rainfall is heavy, and the cost of terracing as demonstrated by him is very slight as compared to the

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THE IMPUDENCE OF SOME BOYS

What might have been a serious affair occurred in one of the local picture shows here a few nights ago, and it should be taken as a lesson to others. It should be taken as a real lesson of decent conduct of young men to the opposite sex. It should also be taken as a warning to the parents of this city in letting the young girls attend the picture show with boys who are not able to stay the whole show through without getting up and leaving the house and the girl in order to take a puff at a cigarette.

The incident that we refer to was that a young man had accompanied some mother's daughter to the picture show. Before the show was over this young man just had to smoke a cigarette and he excused himself from the show and went out side and drove another coffin nail and was out several minutes. In the mean time people crowded in from one side of the building and caused this young lady to have to move down the row of seats and sit by the side of two young fellows. They tried to engage her in a conversation, but she did not respond, and seemed nervous, so much so that a married lady behind her suggested that she move back on the seat with them, but she could not do that handily, stating that the young man who came to the show with her would be back in a short time. When the young man referred to found that the lady was interfering with their plans, one of them wrote a very inappropriate note to her and tossed it back. She read it, and became enraged about it and sent for her husband who came to the theatre and proceeded to give the young man a thorough going over and turned him over to the authorities. This was good enough for the youngster, and only goes to show just what we have been warning the people about for the past few years,—is coming to pass, that as our city becomes larger, and people are coming from all directions and from every quarter of the globe, and some of them are not the good old honest, sober and splendid fellows that formerly populated the city of Lubbock, and the South Plains. It shows that we are going to have to be firm with that class of people and give them to understand that this is a country where people are of a higher type than in some places. It goes to show that you had better know who your daughter is going to the picture show, church or in fact any public place with. So long as we let such fellows as we have told about, run around without giving them to understand that they are going to have to be good, it is dangerous for your wife or mine to be on the streets any time, and even to walk from their home to the business section of the town.

We are of the opinion that those young men are going to be rather careful about how they pull such rough stuff again, and a boy that will take a girl to the picture show or any other place, as her protector, and get up and deliberately leave her in order to fill his carcas with cigarette smoke is not fit for a girl to be keeping company with, anyway. Girls, when a boy thinks more of a little ten penny cigarette than he does of you, you had best be at home with your mother or toasting your feet before the fire.

The young people of this town are turned foot loose entirely too early in the game, and that is one reason that there are so many sad homes in the land today.

LUBBOCK PEOPLE SHOULD DRILL FOR GAS

Many of the old timers believe firmly that there is gas in any quantity in this section of the country, and there is no need in the world to spend two or three million dollars in piping gas from the Amarillo field to Lubbock, when in all probability we have more than they have and possibly of better quality. We believe that a well can be procured at a reasonable price and if we should strike a flow of gas in paying quantities, what a great thing it would be to this section of the plains.

The Avalanche is of the opinion that this would be a wise act. We are not much on spending a lot of money on uncertainties, but we are so confident that this will be a success that we believe that enough men should get in behind this proposition and put her over in good condition.

OUT OF RESPECT FOR MAYOR SPENCER.

Out of respect for Mayor Spencer, who died yesterday morning, the Chamber of Commerce banquet which was to have been given last evening was called off, and the time will be set for some future date. The Chamber of Commerce realized Mr. Spencer a man of much value to the community, and even though great preparation had been made for the banquet, it was deemed but proper and right that this act of respect be shown him. He was enthusiastic over the work of the chamber of commerce, and the civic clubs, and was always ready and willing to do his part in the performance of the duty of a good citizen.

LET THE COW COME TO YOUR AID.

The change from all-cotton farming to a more diversified cropping system is often accomplished with considerable difficulty. In fact, some farmers have made lamentable failures in attempting to grow other cash crops besides cotton. Poultry, hogs, dairy cattle, beef cattle, etc., all have contributed to this list of failures, but of the lot, dairy cattle have failed to produce a profit in the smallest per cent of cases, says the Progressive Farmer. Dairying seems to be one of the safest ventures in which a farmer can engage. Prices of dairy products are fairly stable, and one may figure on the income from a herd of cows with a reasonable assurance that extreme price ranges will not upset his calculations. Furthermore, the price paid to producers of dairy products since the war has been higher, compared to pre-war prices, than for any other farm product. There seems little possibility of dairying being overdone, at least during the next decade. During the last thirty years, the consumption of milk per capita in this country has doubled, and even after this marked increase, there are still five other countries which drink more milk per capita and four countries that eat more butter.

Dairy farming works well with cotton. The farmer may grow about as many acres of cotton as he usually handles, and at the same time tend a few dairy cows. When cotton fails, either because of low prices or poor yields, the income from the cows is sufficient to tide the farmer over until better times.

No sensible person will expect to "get rich quick" on a dairy farm, but the splendid financial condition of dairy states and dairy communities give abundant evidence of the ability of the dairy cow to make its owner a substantial living. There are, however, certain essentials to successful dairying. An abundance of farm-raised, rough fed, fairly good cows, and a satisfactory market are three on which the success of most dairy enterprises rest.—The Western Weekly.

This is some more diversified farming. It is that class of producing that is going to make this country rich. We do not need the great big farms any longer. One man should not undertake to farm the whole face of a section of land, for it has been proven that this cannot be done successfully, and fewer acres intensively farmed will beat the big acreage every time in total production. Dairying is going to be one of the profitable productions of the South Plains in years to come, coupled with poultry, and hogs, etc. It will make the South Plains farmer independent in years to come. Plant cotton, yes, but have something else to go with it.

TREES

Someone has written sublimely about trees, and we would that the people of Lubbock get interested in the planting of trees, and the life of trees, and that there will be thousands of trees and much shrubbery planting this spring yet. The writer says:

"Trees are the arms of Mother Earth lifted up in worship of her Maker. Where they are, beauty dwells; where they are not, the land is ugly, though it be rich, for its richness is but greasy fatness and its gaudy raiment is but cheap imitation of forest finery."

"Trees are the shelter of man, beast, and bird; they furnish the roof above us, the shade about us, and the nesting places of love and song. They are the fittest ornaments of wealth and the inalienable possessions of the poor, who can enjoy them without having title to them. They are the masts that fly the flags of all nations and the sails of all seas; they are the timbers that bridge forbidding streams; they hold the rails that carry the traffic of the continent; they are the carved and polished furnishings of the home; they cradle the young and coffin the dead."

"Trees are nature's prime source of food; their fruits and nuts gave sustenance to the first tribes of men and are the earth's products."

"Trees herald the spring with glorious banners of leaf and bloom; they clothe the autumn in garments of gold and royal purple; bared to the winter's cold, they are the harp of the winds and they whisper the music of the infinite spaces."

"Before the earth could be peopled it was set thick with trees; and when man has run his course and the race we know has disappeared in the completeness of its mission or perishes in the destruction of its trees, the earth will spring up again with new forests to shelter and sustain a new race of men and beasts and birds to work out a greater destiny. Perhaps if we are wise enough to replenish our waning forests and to make ourselves worthy of the gift of trees, we may be permitted to accomplish that great destiny which the Mighty Forest, the Perfect Orchardist, the Loving Father, requires in the fulfillment of His sublime purpose."

CITY BEAUTIFICATION

One of the interesting things we noted in the annual report of the Electra Chamber of Commerce, Byron Johnson, Secretary-Manager, was the report of the City Beautification Committee.

In connection with the A. & M. College, the Electra organization conducted a soil and tree survey of the city, which survey made possible a plan which assured success in growing shade trees in Electra. Surely nothing can be more important to our West Texas communities than Tree Planting. Do you think so?

Little Avalanches

And just think—the name Sinclair used to be Saint Clair!

Personally we hate hot weather, neither do we like it so cold it makes our teeth shimmy.

If it is true that Hungary wants a successful American to take charge of her finances, she can reach us by radio.

MARKETS

New York Cotton.

Mar.	May	July	Oct.
Open 33.59	33.79		
High 33.63	33.83		
Low 33.07	33.24		
Close 33.09	33.24	31.89	27.91
Y cls 33.52	33.76	32.34	28.08

Tone quiet.

New Orleans Cotton.

Mar.	May	July	Oct.
Open 33.85	33.34		
High 33.90	33.41	32.39	27.60
Low 33.11	32.60	31.60	27.21
Close 33.18	32.68	31.72	27.30
Y cls 33.63	33.16	32.18	27.51

Tone steady.

Liverpool Cotton.

Mar.	May	July	Oct.
Open 19.15	19.14		
Close 19.12	19.12	18.65	16.44
Y cls 19.24	19.24	18.75	16.48

Tone steady.

LOCAL MARKET

Retail Quotations:

Eggs, per doz.	25c
Country Butter, bulk, lb.	25c to 30c
Ruster creamery	50c to 75c
Churn per lb.	48c

Wholesale Quotations:

Hens, heavy, per lb.	15c
Hens, light, per lb.	12c
Cream, per lb.	45c
Schwartz, per lb.	65c
Old Roosters, per lb.	12c to 15c
Turkeys, No. 1, lb.	15c
Eggs, per case	\$12.00
Green hides, per lb.	4c
Dry hides, per lb.	8c

Chicago Livestock.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Cattle: Receipts 11,000; market better grade beef steers, fat she stock and bulls steady to strong; fed steers grading

SENATE HALTED BY REFUSAL OF PRES.

BY THOMAS L. STOKES

(United News Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Despite the vigorous demand from the senate that the secretary of the navy resign, Coolidge's strong stand for Denby—until there has been a thorough legal investigation—has left those who have been asking the navy chief's head practically impotent and without recourse, beyond their curse.

Impediment, the only other course for congress, appears impossible, because of the show of strength behind Denby in the senate where a two-thirds vote would be necessary to oust him. Only 47 votes were marshalled against him. It would require sixty-four. Seven more democrats, who were unable to vote Monday, would make that fifty-four—ten short of the necessary number to impeach—and that is the full strength that might be expected. There is the possibility, too, that this might be cut down by some republicans, who voted for the Robinson resolution being unwilling to go so far as impeachment.

This was the situation that confronted democratic leaders in the senate and the house as they talked the possibility of impeachment. They reached no definite decision as to their future course, though Senator Robinson of Arkansas, democratic leader, announced that he would make a statement Thursday.

Impediment proceedings must be brought by the house. Representative Garrett, of Tennessee, minority leader, said that no action was contemplated as yet by the democrats in the house. It has been discussed, but leaders are marking time for a few days.

Senate democratic leaders are of the opinion that Denby will resign very shortly. The refusal of the president to be moved by the senate resolution was his only course, several of them remarked.

"The president's statement was only a stall," one democratic leader stated, "and does not tell what is going on underneath the surface. The president will ask for Denby's resignation, and the secretary will resign in ten days. It's the only way."

Denby refused again Tuesday to make any comment.

Though the senate was not in session because of Lincoln's birthday, the special committee went ahead with its investigation and several developments of importance resulted.

1. Silas H. Strawn, appointed special attorney with Atlee Pomeroy, by Coolidge, was connected with "oil banks" in Chicago by testimony before the public lands committee.

2. J. Leo Stark, Denver oil man, told the committee that he believed Harry F. Sinclair had "entered into a conspiracy" with the Standard Oil Company of Indiana to obtain the Teapot Dome lease.

3. George Creel, director of publicity during the war, admitted that he approached naval experts to induce them to advocate leasing of naval oil lands, but said he didn't know Doheny was behind the effort, and when he found it out, immediately resigned.

Coolidge Criticized.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—President Coolidge has been criticized for "temporizing and delaying action" by his refusal to ask for the resignation of Secretary of the Navy Denby in a statement from Cordell Hull, chairman of the democratic committee of the national convention.

"No president ever had a clearer case or better justification to act than President Coolidge had in the case of Secretary Denby," Hull said. "It is greatly to be regretted that

FIVE WIVES OF DECEASED PRES STILL LIVING

Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, widow of Benjamin Harrison, still is living and is now in perfect health.

Mrs. T. J. Preston, formerly Mrs. Grover Cleveland, widow of Grover Cleveland, is another no longer.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt smiles when she thinks of the days when her husband was President.

The time has been short since Mrs. Harding was left a widow when President Warren G. Harding died. The fifth, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, is the last to lose her husband, sometime President of America.

CANDLER TRIAL POSTPONED ACCOUNT ILLNESS WITNESS FOR STATE

By United News

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 12.—To twist the cup and the delicately tinted lips of Atlanta society there was a slip.

Anticipated morsels of testimony which, even if not really scandalous, would certainly prove amusing enough to idle away many a rainy afternoon, were denied it Tuesday. The hearing of the charges of disorderly conduct preferred against Mrs. Asa G. Candler, W. G. Stoddard and G. W. Keeling, when the three were found in a fashionable apartment with, police claim, a bottle of whiskey on the table, was checked to some future date and as yet undetermined date.

The case now awaits the recovery of Police Chief Beavers, the officer leading the "raid," who is now unable to appear on account of illness. Society leaders attended the trial en masse. They pulled their expensive fur wraps close up under their jeweled ears and crowded around Judge Johnson's desk in order to catch every word.

SECRETARY WANTED FOR MIDLAND DISTRICT

MIDLAND, Texas, Feb. 11.—The Midland Chamber of Commerce will select a secretary, following a thorough reorganization of the body. Several applicants for the place are to be quizzed as to their ability. It is proposed to have the new secretary give Midland widespread publicity as a major part of his duties.

TWO BOYS ARE HELD IN ROBBERY AT AMARILLO

AMARILLO, Texas, Feb. 12.—Police report that two youths, each apparently 20 years old, entered the home of H. W. Adams, transfer driver, and with pistols drawn forced him to hand over \$25 then made a get away. Two boys have been detained in connection with the case.

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PROMINENT FLOYD COUNTY FARMER DIED SUNDAY

FLOYDADA, Texas, Feb. 12.—W. D. Lee, farmer of Floyd county, died in the Smith and Smith Sanitarium Sunday night as a result of a blood clot. Lee had just undergone a light operation a few days before and was convalescent when the end came. He moved to Floydada four years ago from Paris and at the time of his death had moved from his farm east of Floydada into town. Burial will be in Paris and the body will be shipped from Floydada Wednesday.

Mr. Williams, representing the Acme Brick Company, was in Lubbock Monday and Tuesday, having come here to attend the opening of bids on the city hall job.

W. E. Heard, of Fort Worth, was among the business visitors to Lubbock Tuesday.

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PROGRAM OF PEP OFFERED FANS TONIGHT

Following a strenuous afternoon of workout Tuesday, Billy London, through his local promoter, Gib Jackson, announced last night that everything is in readiness, and that he is in perfect trim for his tussle here tonight against Paul Rex, noted eastern wrestler.

Rex arrived on the scene yesterday and announced that he had never felt better in his life, and expected to give London a run for his money tonight. From the looks of the youngster, and his past reputation, he will certainly not be far short of this objective.

Three or four good lively preliminaries have been arranged. In one of these Wee Willie Johnson, of Amarillo, will meet a local lad in a fistic encounter. The local youngster has been working out hard for the past several days in preparation for the bout, and says that he is on the mark for a step. Another will be a boxing bee with two husky sons of the dusky tribe. One of these boys tops the scales at 217 and the other at 220. They are both thoroughly acquainted with ring etiquette, and a hummer can be expected in this event.

All exhibitions of this nature henceforth will be held under the auspices of the local Elks club, the same effective with the program tonight.

Tickets are now on sale at the Red Cross Pharmacy. The doors of the auditorium will be opened tonight at 7:30, and the opening gong of the preliminaries is scheduled to clang at 8 o'clock.

BIDS SOON BE OPENED FOR PLACES IN NEW U. S. ICE HOCKEY LEAGUE

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Professional sport promoters from Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Milwaukee, Boston and St. Paul will be invited to have a cigar and a chair with Tex Rickard in New York some time soon, and offer their bids for places in the proposed international professional ice hockey league which is to embrace cities in the United States and Canada.

The league will be an eight club circuit, and New York, Toronto and Montreal are pretty sure to be members. Boston and Pittsburgh also are likely to bid into the league as ice hockey is well established as a popular athletic show in both cities. New York knows virtually nothing about the game which has been seen but seldom here and then by only a special group of fans, but Rickard is willing to gamble on the fiercely combative element of the game as a drawing power, especially as it is played by professionals.

CUBS PREPARE FOR TRIP WITH TWO HOLD-OUTS YET ON LIST

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 12.—Cub officials have completed packing for the trip to Catalina Island, California, next Saturday.

Only two contracts proffered by the management to prospects on the club's roster have not been signed. Charles Hollocher, shortstop, still is belligerent and refuses to put his John Henry on the dotted line.

Hollocher won't play in the Cub yard unless the Cubs give him about \$4000 before the season starts for the time he lost after he quit the team in 1923. Vic Aldridge, pitcher, is hailing over terms. He will arrive here Thursday from Indian Springs, Ind., to talk over his grievances. Twenty players will leave Chicago

Saturday. They will be joined at Kansas City and Los Angeles by a number of recruits.

CHARLIE PADDOCK REINSTATED IN A. A. U.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 11.—Charlie Paddock, great California sprinter, who is under suspension by the Amateur Athletic Union for competing in an unsanctioned meet in Paris last summer, will soon be reinstated, it was believed here Monday night, following Paddock's second peace conference with President William C. Prout of the Amateur governing body.

After a long conference with the A. A. U. head, Paddock issued a statement which makes it appear that the feud between the A. A. U. officials and the champion sprinter is about to come to an end.

"The A. A. U. feels that I have, as an individual, publicly attacked the officials and policies of the A. A. U.," Paddock stated in part. "I cannot state too positively that this has certainly not been my intention."

PLAYERS' BONUS SYSTEM RULED OUT BY MAJOR BASEBALL HEADS

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Uncle Charlie Ebbetts, the philanthropic owner of the Brooklyn Dodgers and inventor of the trick contract for ball players, will not be allowed to impose unusual conditions on his men hereafter.

The magnates of the National League at their final winter meeting Tuesday adopted a suggestion by Christy Mathewson, president of the Boston Braves, that bonus agreements be limited from player's contracts. Ebbetts had been the most conspicuous user of this form of contract.

Under the bonus system, part of a player's salary was deducted if he failed to win a prescribed number of games in the box or hit for a certain minimum average.

Mathewson objected to the system on the ground that it was an evil thing for the interests of the magnates and when it was presented in this light they adopted his resolution. The good conduct bonus clause is still legal, however.

The National League also fell into line with the American League by deciding to offer a prize of \$1000 and a diploma every year to the one player in all the league who shall be adjudged the most valuable to any team.

The magnates adopted the schedule for 1924 and Hoedler appointed two new umpires, Jack Cowell, of the Ontario League and Jim Sweeney of the Texas League. Umpire Fineran was released.

WESTERNERS DEFEATED BY RALLS JACKRABBITS BY HEAVY COUNT

RALLS, Feb. 12.—Preserving their record of not having been defeated this year, the Ralls Jackrabbits today annexed further laurels when they downed the formerly vanquished Lubbock Westerners 23 to 5 here.

The local lads jumped into the lead early in the affray for a count of 10 at the end of the first quarter, while the visitors were unable to score, which lead was menaced at no time of the contest.

The Jackrabbits added five more in the second quarter, while the Westerners could only squeeze two, and in the third quarter the count was dittoed. Three more came in the last round, while the visitors added one, closing the affair 23 to 5.

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RADIO PROGRAM TRAVELS THIRD-WAY-AROUND-EARTH

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Feb. 12.—How a radio broadcast program traveled one-third the distance

around the earth was reported here Tuesday by the General Electric company's station, WGY.

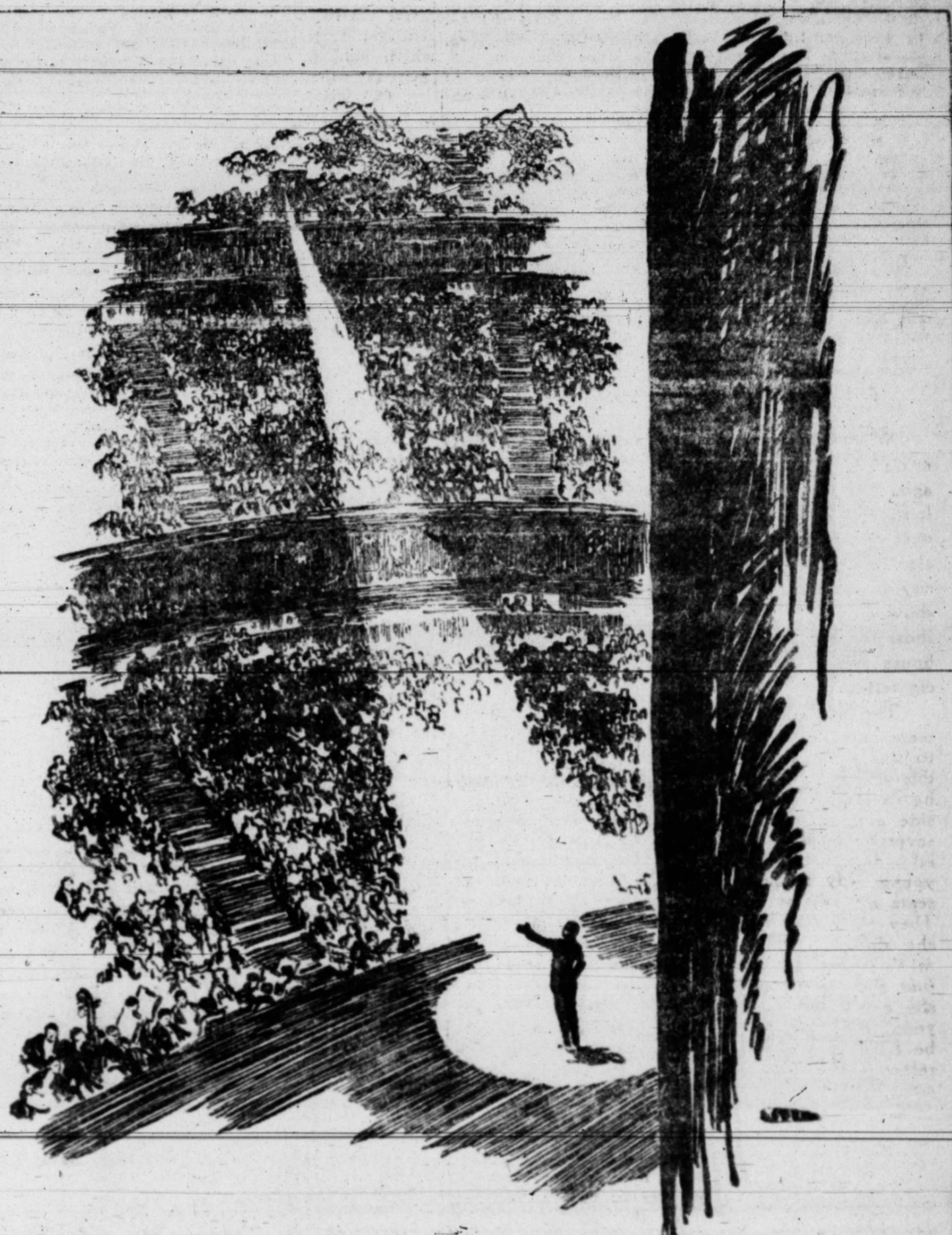
A letter from Cape Town, South Africa, gave the log of a program received there and broadcasted from

Schenectady the night of January 4. Every number checked exactly with the program sent from here.

It is believed this establishes a record for long distance reception of a radio program. The air line dis-

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Official National League Schedule 1924

Table with 8 columns representing teams: BOSTON, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO, and ST. LOUIS. Each column lists dates and times for home and away games throughout the season.

PRIMARY AND BEGINNERS DEPARTMENTS OF LUBBOCK SCHOOLS ARE NOW HOUSED IN K. CARTER BUILDING

As the days go by, the things that were once great in Lubbock are made small in comparison with the Lubbock of today, and in no case is this more true than in that of the old white school building that has occupied a prominent place in the school life of our city for a number of years.

It has been but a dozen years since this was the imposing structure of all Lubbock insofar as schools were concerned. It was looked upon as a "big" building. Big because it was sufficiently spacious to meet the demand for room space of the scholastic population of Lubbock, and was the meeting place of the populace when entertainments were given.

About ten years ago it was moved from the northwestern part of the city to the present site, and with the moving job completed the patrons of this school district felt that they had made arrangements to care for the school problems of Lubbock at least for a while.

It is vacant now. The completion of the beautiful brick structure fittingly named "K. Carter School," was the finish of the old white building. It has been looked upon as a "fire trap," and many Lubbock parents have worried for the safety of their little tots who went to the old white building each day during the school week, and no doubt these same parents were elated with the good news that the last class was moved from the white building Monday, and placed in the modern, well ventilated, commodious rooms of the K. Carter School, where every facility for the proper conduct of school work has been provided by a progressive and alert citizenship working through their board of directors.

On visiting the new building one is impressed with the change that has been made in the environment for the little folks who occupy it, and cannot help but feel a bit chummy about the progressiveness of "our town, and our people."

Mrs. M. M. Dupre was very busy with a class who were visited the school Tuesday afternoon, but nevertheless took time to say that all the little folks are genuinely pleased with their new school, and have promised to help keep it looking neat and new.

The old white school building, though vacant, still occupies its place near the junior high school. Some say it would be best to sell the material that is in it and have it torn down. Other say that the need for more room in the schools will again

be a menacing problem for the citizenship before many months, and declare that the old white building would stand as a buffer in the solution of these problems, and insist on its being kept for "emergency use," while others are too absorbed in pride of the new structures to give much thought to the disposition to make of the building that was once Lubbock's biggest school.

CHITWOOD NOTIFIED OF POSTPONEMENT OF BANQUET

Hon. R. M. Chitwood, of Sweetwater, who was to have been the principal speaker at the annual banquet of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce last night had reached the depot at Sweetwater to catch the westbound Santa Fe train to Lubbock when he was notified that the banquet had been postponed on account of the death of Mayor Percy Spencer.

Secretary Curtis Keen barely had time to get the station agent at Sweetwater in time to notify Mr. Chitwood of the postponement before the train left there at nine o'clock Tuesday morning.

BARRIERS BUILDING SIX ROOM HOUSE ON NINTH

Barrier Brothers have employed Hensley to construct a modern six room house on one of their lots on 9th street.

This home faces south and is just across the street from a building just completed and occupied by one of the Barrier brothers.

WORK TO START TODAY ON MARVIN COLLIER HOME

Work on the Marvin Collier residence on Broadway will be started this morning by J. W. Neves, local contractor.

This will be one of the most modern little homes in Lubbock, and will be a stucco on frame construction.

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LLOYD GETS IDEA IN A FLASH FOR NEW COMEDY

Ideas for comedies are rare. For the type of feature comedies that Harold Lloyd makes, they are "rarer than the rare."

The happy thought that led to the making of the spectacled comedian's latest, and longest feature, "Safety Last," a seven-reel Pathé comedy, came like a flash out of a sky.

One day, about a year ago, Harold Lloyd and his producer, Hal Roach, were walking on a downtown street in Los Angeles. It so happened that at the Roslyn Hotel that day, "Bill" Strother, known the world over as the "human-fly" was putting his skill against the intricacies of the Roslyn's granite walls.

Immediately the idea hit Harold that it might be a good plan to make a thrill picture, and to fill it with just such daring and hilarious situations as he made in "Never Weaken" and "High and Dizzy" outstanding successes in Lloyd's early achievements.

The idea was, not long in the crystallization stage, for it was put into concrete form by Hal Roach, Sam Taylor, Tim Whalen and Harley M. Walker—the last three on the Lloyd scenario staff—and the filming began after the completion of "Dr. Jack" Strother, himself, was engaged to play the part of Lloyd's pal, and to, incidentally climb one building for the benefit of the camera.

"Safety Last" will be seen today at the R. & R. Lindsey and it is declared to be filled to the brim with thrills. The funny situations are there in abundance, and with Mildred Davis, Harold also demonstrates that he can take his place

REVENUE CLERK TO HELP INDIVIDUALS MAKE TAX RETURNS

G. C. Breazeale, deputy clerk of internal revenue, announced schedule of dates to be in the various towns of this territory to assist individuals to make income tax returns.

Mr. Breazeale stated that he will be in Lubbock on February 25th and 26th; Plainview, February 28th and 29th; Brownfield, March 3rd and 4th; Lamesa, March 6th and 7th; Slaton, March 10th and 11th; Lubbock, second visit, March 13th, 14th and 15th.

Mr. Breazeale stated that he will begin and end the work in Lubbock due to the fact that there are more individuals to be waited upon here than in any other one place in his district.

Dr. Ferguson, Dentist, Conley Bldg. knows how to cure Pyorrhoea 297301

LOCAL CONTRACTOR TO ENLARGE LUBBOCK POWER PLANT

J. W. Neves, local contractor, was awarded the contract to construct a brick addition to the Lubbock Power Plant.

The addition will be made in order to give more space to the oil burning engines which furnish power for pumping and for the light system.

The contract was let for the expenditure of \$5,800 and work is to be started in the very near future.

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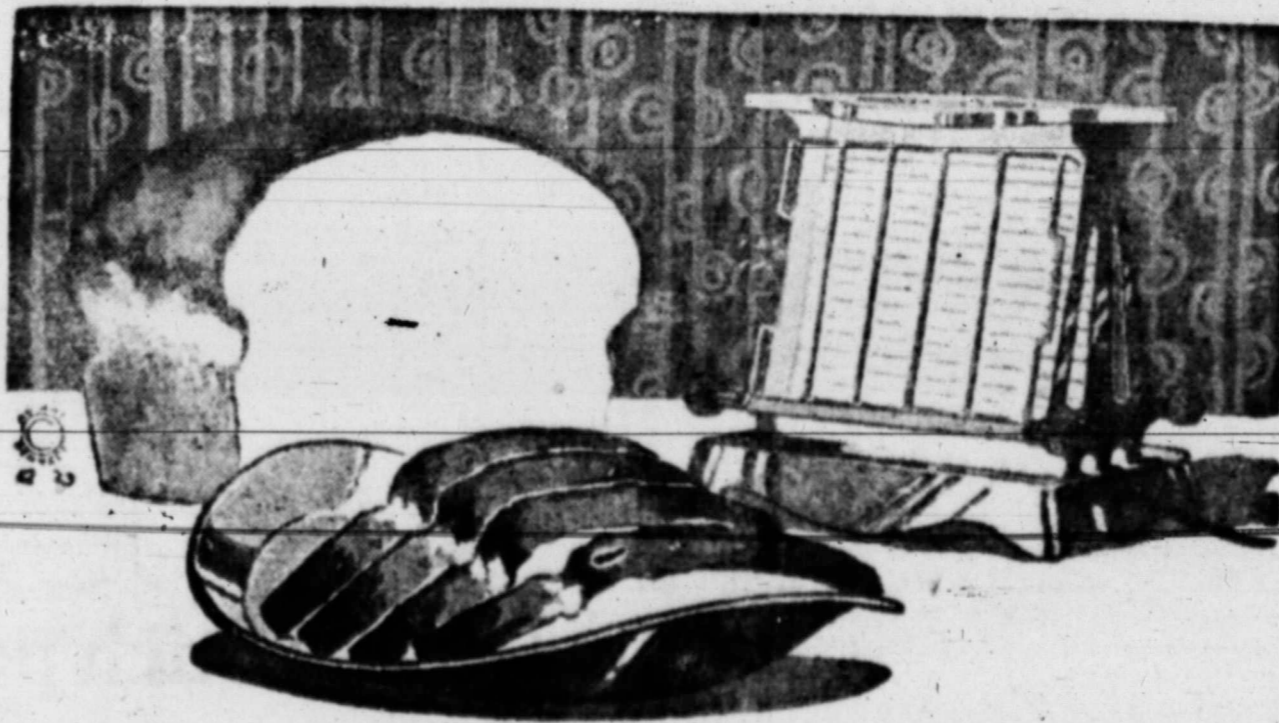
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Fort Worth Visitors Enthusiastic Over Morning Side

Contractors here to bid on the erection of Lubbock's City Hall Monday, were enthusiastic over Morning Side Addition. Although lots were not on sale while they were in Lubbock they placed orders for several and will become owners just as soon as we announce the Opening Sale.

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ON WAY TO BROTHER'S BEDSIDE, FARMER DIES

AMARILLO, Texas, Feb. 12.—J. S. Heayns, 67, farmer of Chillumoe came to Amarillo Saturday enroute to Tucumcari, to attend a brother reported to be dying. While here he was stricken with paralysis and died at 11 o'clock Saturday night.

ELECTION PETITION FOR COCHRAN PRESENTED MON.

At the regular meeting of the commissioners' court—of Hockley county which convened Monday of this week at Levelland the petition of Cochran county citizens bearing the names of 83 alleged qualified voters was presented seeking the organization of that county.

Parties who were interested in preventing the calling of the election appeared before the court and presented claims that some of the signers of the petition were not qualified voters, whereupon the commissioners' court reset a day (Saturday of this week) at which time those who were questioned relative to legal qualifications will appear before the court. The opinion still is evident among many that the commissioners will call the election when they meet Saturday.

Mesdames Stanton, Hankins and Moreman tell some startling things regarding their husbands and some of our most prominent citizens Friday evening in "Those Husbands of Ours," by the Athenaeum club. 91-1

NEGROES WHO TOOK CASH FROM STORE ARRESTED AT SNYDER

Curtis Ray, negro, and Addie Hill, negro, are among the guests at the county jail as the result of their being arrested at Sweetwater Thursday of last week.

The negroes entered Lowery's Community Grocery Store last Wednesday and while the groceryman was busy getting groceries for the negro woman, her companion took advantage of his being in the rear of the store building, and took twenty dollars from a money sack that contained all the cash used by the groceryman in making change.

Mr. Lowery and officers traced the negroes to Slaton, but lost track of them there, and had to give up the chase. Officers down the Santa Fe as far as Sweetwater were notified, and the negroes were arrested at Snyder.

They were returned to Lubbock and tried in Justice Court where the man was fined \$50 and given a sixty day jail sentence, while the woman was fined \$20 and given a ten days jail sentence.

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COOLIDGE PLEDGES UNSHRINKING PROSECUTION OF LAW VIOLATORS AND URGES PATIENCE BY PUBLIC

BY RAYMOND CLAPPER
(United News Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Filled with scorn and indignation at the corruption revealed in the Teapot Dome scandal, President Coolidge has taken a Lincoln Day pledge to effect immediate, adequate and unshrinking prosecution, both criminal and civil, of those involved. There will be no politics and no one will be spared.

Thus, speaking before the National Republican Club here, did the president answer the cry of anger which has gone up at this gigantic scandal. He voiced his humiliation at the spectacle which has just been unfolded to the astonished gaze of the country, but he asked that the public not lose faith, reminding them that the government which survived through the trials of Lincoln's day, will maintain itself now.

When the president had finished, there was not a shred of doubt but that he is deeply stirred and feels it a matter of personal and official honor on his part to see that speedy and "unshrinking" prosecution is obtained.

"The power of justice cannot long be delayed," he said. "At the revelation of greed making its subtle approaches to public officers, of the prostitution of high place to private profit, we are filled with scorn and indignation. We have a deep sense of humiliation at such gross betrayal of trust, and we lament the undermining of public confidence in official integrity. But we cannot rest with righteous wrath; still less can we permit ourselves to give way to cynicism. The heart of the American people is sound. Their officers with rare exceptions are faithful and high minded. For us, we propose to follow the clear, open path of justice. There will be immediate, adequate and unshrinking prosecution, criminal and civil, to punish the guilty and to protect every national interest."

"In this effort there will be no politics, no partisanship. It will be speedy, it will be just. I am a republican, but I cannot on that account shield anyone because he is a republican. I am a republican, but I cannot on that account prosecute anyone because he is a democrat."

Then the president asked for cool and fair minded dealings on the part of the country.

"I want no hue and cry, no mingling of innocent and guilty in unthinking condemnation, no confusion of mere questions of law with questions of fraud and corruption. It is at such a time that the quality of our citizenry is tested—unrelenting toward evil, fair-minded and intent upon the requirements of due process, the shield of the innocent and the safeguard of society itself. I ask the support of our people, as chief magistrate, intent on the enforcement of our laws without fear

or favor, no matter who is hurt or what the consequences."

"The high moral standards of the people," the president continued, "are revealed by their instant reaction against wrong doing. The officers of the government are determined to protect the government and bring the guilty to justice."

"The moral force of Lincoln is with us still," he concluded. "He that kept Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep."

Coolidge's speech was plainly a keynote for his coming campaign. He plunged into controversial questions with bold, positive assertions which revealed a decisive mind that will not be swayed by criticism and partisan bickering.

However, calm and deliberate the president seemed as he read, his speech was filled with fighting language which showed that he is asking no quarter in his battle with congress over tax reduction. While his lieutenants in congress are openly ready to compromise with the democrats, the president continues to fight for the Mellon bill as it stands.

He assailed the Garner democratic tax plan as a partisan measure drawn for political purposes, which would be impossible in practice. It was brought forward, he said, to have something different.

Then with thousands of persons listening at their radio sets, and knowing that thousands more would read his words within a few hours the president appealed directly to the public to bear down with all of its weight on congress and force the Mellon bill through.

"The people must understand that this is their fight," he said. "They alone can win it. Unless they make their wishes known to congress, without regard to party, this bill will not pass. I urge them to renewed efforts."

The president reiterated that he is opposed to material alteration, that he believes the Mellon surtax schedule will produce the maximum revenue and at the same time offer the greatest amount of relief. He revealed that it was on his initiative, immediately after he took office that Secretary Mellon set to work on the tax reduction bill. It will save the country a million dollars every working day, he said.

Then the president elaborated the cryptic declaration against the soldier bonus which was contained in his message to congress last December.

"A few months of good times are worth more to the service men themselves than anything they could receive in the way of a bonus," the president warned.

He said the bonus bill, which was vetoed by Harding, would have cost \$225,000,000 annually for the first four years. This he added, would mean indefinite postponement of tax reduction and increase in the cost of

living, drying up of credit, probable raising of interest rates, "all of which would result in inflation and higher prices, with the grave danger of ultimate disaster to our financial system."

"We have been through one period of deflation," he said. "Nearly all the men on the farms and many of the men in business have not yet recovered from it, and the country certainly does not want to take the risk of another like experience."

He also observed that it is doubtful whether there is any moral justification for placing all the people of the country under a great burden to pay some money to some of them.

"A very large body of service men do not want the bonus, and object to being taxed in order that it may be paid. Their request is entitled to just as much consideration as the request of those who do want it. This question ought to be decided in accordance with the welfare of the whole country."

The president added that the service rendered in the war could not be recompensed with money and that "the American soldier did not enter the service for the purpose of securing personal gain."

Opening his address with a brief eulogy of Lincoln, the president launched into a discussion of current political questions, writing his platform for the coming campaign with the same firm, bold hand which marked his first message to congress.

He cautioned his city listeners that the welfare of the farmer is a problem affecting the whole country. Co-operative marketing, increased tariff rates on wheat, government loans, and such aids will help, he said.

Touching briefly on the European situation, he predicted good will come of the reparations investigation in which the American business men are co-operating. Export of surplus American capital ought, in his opinion, to be encouraged.

Taking the note of recent time does not appear propitious for further limitation, but should a European settlement be affected, then something might be hoped for.

"The United States stands ready to join with the other great powers, whenever there appears to be reasonable prospects of agreement, in a further limitation of co-operative armaments," the president said.

Sale of arms to the Obregon government was defended in language almost identical with that recently emanating from the state department. To refuse the arms would have been equivalent to deciding that a friendly government should not be permitted to protect itself, Coolidge argued.

"I did what I thought was neces-

sary to discharge the moral obligation of one friendly government to another. While I trust no further action may be necessary, I shall continue to afford protection in accordance with the requirements of international law," he added by way of a fling at his critics in congress.

REASON SO MANY 'PIMPLE CURES' FAIL

Salves and lotions come and go, one after the other, hoping to hit the right thing which might cause them to get results for people who suffer from skin troubles. Most of these concoctions don't even heal the outward effects, much less take away the cause of the disease.

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SCURRY COUNTY TO VOTE ON \$50,000 HOSPITAL BONDS

SNYDER, Texas, Feb. 12.—Petitions are being circulated and will be presented to the Commissioners' Court asking for an election to determine whether or not Scurry county shall issue \$50,000 worth of bonds for the purpose of erecting a county hospital. An election was held for this purpose some months ago and the proposition carried by a large vote, but the bonds were afterward declared illegal because of technicalities. It is anticipated that the issue will again carry by a large vote.

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LID IS LIFTED FROM TOMB OF KING TUT

By United News

LUXOR, Egypt, Feb. 12.—In the stifling heat of the underground tomb of King Tut-Ankh-Amen, men of the twentieth century lifted the great marble lid that was lowered in place of the sarcophagus by hands of the ruler's subjects, more than 3000 years ago.

Scientists and officials, men of a modern civilization, looked in awe and wonder at the golden magnificence of other days within a mummy case of sheet gold, more like a statue than a coffin.

The sheet gold is modelled in relief with an exquisite likeness of the youthful king, wearing a crown encrusted with Lapis Lazuli.

This was the picture in Tuesday's ceremonies when the lid of the ruler's coffin was lifted in the tomb in the valley of the kings.

At 3:05 p. m., a party of sixteen scientists and Egyptian officials, led by Howard Carter, descended into the tomb. Blocks and tackles had been rigged to lift the great cover. The small group swayed forward

eagerly as native workmen began the task of lifting the marble top of the sarcophagus. It was a 25 minute job, and Carter and others impatiently joined in the work.

As the lid was raised the watchers saw a huge mass of dark brown cloth. Carter, trembling, turned back this covering, gradually revealing the radiant beauty of the king's inner grave.

STRIKING TEAMSTERS HALT EXCAVATION WORK

By United News

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 12.—Chicago teamsters went on strike Tuesday, halting excavation work on new buildings and paving projects.

Estimates of the number of men who refrained from working varied, teamsters and chauffeurs union officials asserting that at least 3000 were on strike, while the employing contractors' association was certain that only about 4000 men were affected.

Excavation for the new union station here was halted. The disposal of refuse from big buildings also was stopped, and health authorities were worried by this new menace.

The strikers want an increase of 81 cents a day and an eight hour day, instead of nine hours.

H. C. Card, of Snyder, was a business visitor in Lubbock Tuesday.



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