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EXPLOSION KILLS 44 U. S. SAILORS

Man Is Found Dead At Ranch

MURDER THEORY ADVANCED BY CO. OFFICIALS

IDENTIFIED AS ROY W. CAUDLE, EMPLOYE OF SKINNER RANCH

Roy W. Caudle, single, about twenty-eight years of age, whose people live at Arlington, Texas, was found dead at the secluded ranch home of his brother-in-law Al J. Skinner, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

The dead man held a death grip on a .38 calibre Colt special sixshooter, which contained three shells, one of which had been fired. A bullet hole was made at the front and just above his right ear, the bullet having ranged a bit downward and to the back of his head, going out just at the back of his left ear.

According to statements made by Hugh Burns, who had been batching at the Skinner home with Caudle, the two left the ranch between seven and eight o'clock Thursday morning, Caudle having gone to the Circle-Bar ranch for a load of feed while Burns went to a nearby farm where he worked throughout the day. Caudle went to the Circle-Bar ranch, got the feed and had returned home evidently some time in the morning, as when Burns returned home at about 7 o'clock he found Caudle's body lying just east of the house and indications were that he had been dead several hours. Sheriff Bud Johnston was notified of the tragedy and together with County Attorney Owen McWhorter went to the scene last night. They reported on their return home that they are not thoroughly satisfied that Caudle committed suicide, as the gun was held in a death grip, with his hands lying across his body and the gun was gripped in such awkward position that they are not satisfied that he fired the shot that caused his death.

The fact that the bullet ranged downward and that no abrasion on the ground near his body indicated that he was not lying down when the shot was fired caused the officers to believe that there is a possibility that the gun was placed there after his body was cold in death. This opinion is upheld also by the fact that if he was shot lying down when the shot was fired, the impact of the fall would have jolted the gun from his hand or at least would have shaken his body enough that it would have

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CONVENTION PHOTO IS SENT BY TELEPHONE IN FEW MINUTES



FIRST TELEPHONE PHOTOS FROM CLEVELAND CONVENTION

Herewith is the first photograph sent by telephone from the Cleveland convention of the Republican party, and quickly reproduced in New York by a process controlled by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. It requires only a few minutes to transmit such a photograph. The picture shows members of the New York delegation, right to left, Abraham Saffin, David M. Shapiro, Samuel Rubin, John M. Crews and Theodore Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

PARTY HONORING LEAGUERS AN ENJOYED ONE

More than two hundred delegates to the Northwest Texas Epworth League convention which convened Monday and will remain in session through this evening, were entertained with a big party at the Lubbock Country Club house at the county park Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Dainty refreshments were served and the Leaguers expressed themselves as being highly elated over the manner in which they were entertained.

An important night session was held at the church last night, a most beneficial program having been carried out. With the officers elected and the next meeting place decided upon, the Leaguers will go into the final day of the convention today with only routine class work to occupy their time.

The members of the local league who have contributed so much to the entertainment of the delegates, and the many other Leaguers in the Lubbock district, whose efforts made the meeting the success it was, deserve the heartiest commendation of everyone interested in the development of Epworth Leagues in the conference.

Amarillo Heat Record Broken.

AMARILLO, Texas, June 12.—The heat records of several years were broken here Thursday when the mercury registered 103 degrees in the shade.

TEXAS BALLOT GIVES DAWES MAJORITY

By RAYMOND CLAPPER (UN Staff Correspondent) CONVENTION HALL, CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 12.—Coolidge and Dawes, is the republican ticket for 1924.

The silent president has been hooked up with the man who sprang over night into fame by going up to congress one day and "cussing it out" to its face. Frig. Gen. Chas. Dawes, of Illinois, was nominated on the third ballot at the Cleveland convention after Frank O. Lowden had refused the honor which was handed to him during a stampede during the afternoon session. Dawes, one of Pershing's right hand men in France, has recently won international prominence on his work in revising the settlement of the reparations problem.

When the convention reassembles leaders decided to give both Dawes and Hoover a ride to see which grabbed on with the delegates. Wm. M. Butler sat at a small desk on the platform with two pairs of glasses on his nose keeping his own little tally. There were indications that at least Secretary Sleep leaned toward Hoover because the southern delegation—Alabama, Arizona, Florida, Georgia and Mississippi voted for Hoover.

Texas Swings Majority. New York and Pennsylvania gave Hoover trifling votes going almost solid in each instance to Brig. Gen. Dawes. Dawes went over when Texas was reached on the call of states in alphabetical order. At the conclusion of the ballot, the delegates voted to declare the nomination unanimous. When Texas cast her 22 votes for Dawes, his total was 556 or about a dozen more than was needed.

Unofficial totals on the ballot gave Dawes 682 1-2 and Hoover 234 1-2. Senator James E. Watson of Indiana, mounted the rostrum and declared "I have no doubt that Coolidge and Dawes will march to victory in November."

The chair recognized Senator Pepper, Pennsylvania and he mounted the platform. Pepper presented a resolution and moved appointment of Frank W. Mondell, permanent chairman, to head the committee to notify Mr. Coolidge of the nomination and to name Representative Theodore Burton, Ohio the keynoter, to head the committee to notify Brig. Gen. Dawes. The motion was adopted immediately.

Convention Work Over. While these formalities were go-

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IMPEACHMENT OF FERGUSON IS UPHELD

AUSTIN, Texas, June 12.—Legality of Go. James E. Ferguson's impeachment was upheld by the state supreme court Thursday. Answering questions in Ferguson's appeal from an injunction granted at Houston to keep his name off the Texas democratic primary ballot, the court upheld the contention made by Maddox et al in contesting his right to be a candidate for governor after his impeachment.

Ferguson has filed the name of his wife, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson as a candidate for governor, pending outcome of his appeal to the supreme court and the verdict indicates that her name will be the only one of the Ferguson family in the list for governor.

Ferguson's impeachment was valid and constitutional, the court held.

DRAGNET IS LAID FOR JEWEL THIEVES

NEW YORK, June 12.—Scores of federal officers are stalking 12 New York jewel pirates through the lonely wastes of the Canadian-New England border country to prevent their escape into the Dominion.

A picket line extending for miles has been established in an effort to apprehend the men who perpetrated a daylight robbery and kidnapping Wednesday, at a busy New York street intersection and escaped with a fortune in watches and uncut gems. Estimates of the value of the swag Thursday put the loss between \$100,000 and \$500,000, but the 29 jewelers to whom the valuables were addressed have not yet submitted complete claims.

The Bowery Jewelers Exchange is under special surveillance to detect any sudden movement in the uncut stone market. Such stones may be easily disposed of, but the watches taken are numbered and if sold may lead to the arrest of the thieves.

It was at first reported that ten men participated in the robbery but eye witnesses told postoffice inspectors Thursday that 12 men were in the bandit cars which were used.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips of Brownfield, were here Thursday visiting friends and relatives.

41 ENLISTED MEN AND THREE OFFICERS KILLED BY BLAST ON U. S. BATTLESHIP MISSISSIPPI

SAN PEDRO, Calif., June 12 (UN)—Forty-one enlisted men and three officers were killed outright in a terrific explosion which occurred Thursday afternoon aboard the United States Battleship Mississippi while that vessel was engaged in battle concentration practice off San Clemente Island, 30 miles from this port.

First reports that a "hang-fire" caused the blast were denied by Rear Admiral Wm. V. Pratt, who, in an official statement, said that the accident came when the gun was being loaded.

Some one called for a light, he said. The electric current was switched on, a short circuit occurred and the powder being charged into the big 14 inch gun exploded with a crash that wrecked the turret and the observation bridge.

Names of nine dead only are known:

- T. E. ZELLERS, lieutenant junior grade.
- W. G. M'RAE, ensign.
- M. ERWIN, Ensign.
- C. A. BYERS, boatswain's mate.
- T. C. REAGAN, gunners mate.
- B. W. SMITH, rating unknown.
- FARRIS C. HOPKINS, seaman Adairville, Ga.
- NORMAN LEE BARBE, San Francisco.
- HOMER S. BRIDGES, Seaman, Braxton, Mo.

The explosion, contradicting first reports, occurred in turret No. 2. After wirelessing the hospital ship Relief, the Mississippi put back immediately to port. There was a second explosion on the way in, caused by gas and flames, but in this second blast, no one was injured. It occurred while the battleship was passing the steamer Yale, outbound for San Diego and first confused reports stated that additional casualties had occurred.

Admiral Pratt, who in the absence of Admiral S. A. Robison is in command of the battle fleet, said that the disaster was the worst in the history of the navy. Other tragedies in which great loss of life occurred, he said were to the U. S. S. Missouri in 1905, to the Karsarge in 1905, and in the Honda, California destroyer wrecks last September.

After the dead and dying had been transferred to the hospital ship the Mississippi was towed to sea for fear further explosions might occur with resulting loss to neighboring ships.

The first eye witness story to come from the stricken battleship was that told by Boatswain's mate Robert MacAvin, of San Francisco. He and J. F. Carzil, Seaman first class of Los Angeles, were stationed in the gun pit directly below the gun which caused the explosion.

"The gunners had just finished loading" MacAvin, who was one of the visiting observers from the U. S. S. New Mexico said.

"Just as they started to close the breech, there were two flames—one small the other big. There was no sound of an explosion then MacAvin had dived for an open hatch with Carzil.

As they reached the first lower level fumes from the turret above overtook them. They reached the magazine, then plunged through the deck a second before the doors automatically closed. The magazine was promptly flooded with water.

Of the tales of heroism related by the men, that of Ensign H. D. Smith of Spokane, Wash., stands out prominently. Wearing an ordinary gas mask, Smith climbed through a hole cut by an acetylene burner in the turret roof. He found hands of dead sailors clutching at a turret hatch which they had tried to open as their last desperate chance for life. Deadly fumes had cut them down. Smith

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SLAYER OF WIFE TAKES OWN LIFE IN JAIL

PITTSBURGH, Kans., June 12.—Gus Herby, a farmer, confessed slayer of his wife in Arma, Kans., ended his life in the jail here Thursday where he was awaiting arraignment on a charge of murder.

FORMER ILLINOIS GOVERNOR REITERATES REFUSAL

By United News. OREGON, Ills., June 12.—Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois in a statement to the United News declined to amplify on reasons previously stated for refusal to accept the republican vice presidential nomination.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Fair to night and Friday; continued warmer.

Just Folks
by Edgar A. Guest

THE TOILER

What is there to the task that holds me fast,
And where's the beauty in so bleak a place?
What do I serve and try to find at last?
Merely the magic of a little face

I come unbidden to this dust and gloom,
There is no law can bind me to the wheel,
I could desert and go where roses bloom,
Yet she shall smile and bless my evening meal.

The tramp has tried it. He has turned away
From all that men deem dutiful and right,

Has scorned the irksome burdens of the day,
And yet no loved one welcomes him at night.

No little hands reach upward to his face,
No woman smiles to see him at the door;
His drab appearance tells his own disgrace,
He has his freedom, but no one thing more.

Day after day I see them growing strong,
For me at night I know they watch and wait,
And so I stand and do this all day long,
Glad for the love which keeps me going straight.

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COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES

BY W. M. PEEVEHOUSE

Never before has the fact been established that all the rural schools have been supplied with teachers in the summer. Most always, there are places open until September, and teachers know it. Evidenced by the continual flow of letters yet into the office wanting a list of all the vacancies, with names of trustees, and salaries and length of terms. These folks of the east and Oklahoma cannot realize that we have a land here that is a coming Empire within its own bounds, and if no teachers came from anywhere else, the land here will produce a student body that with a little experience, will be able to put Lubbock county on the map with brighter ink, in an educational way. We have a type of children here that when they set their heads to do a thing something is going to happen. We must give our boys and girls from home, Lubbock county, a chance to make good. Out at Carlisle, the board has employed Miss Velma Pendleton, sister of Mr. Pendleton of the Security State Bank. Miss Pendleton wrote me from Canyon College saying she desired a school near her home and never said she had relatives here that could speak for her. When she came down, I learned she was a

sister to our friend in the Bank. I asked her why she did not tell me of that fact, and I probably could have helped her more easily. She replied that she wanted to procure a school on her own merits and looks, and did not desire that her brother be the go-between to land the position. Fine opinion. Just such statements as that cause ambitious students to rise. Miss Pendleton has taught none, but she is well educated and we feel sure she will succeed.

Another instance is Miss Lois Cone, sister of the S. E. Cone, local grain dealer and business man, who was employed at Barton, No. 7, without her brother's knowing of the transaction. Miss Cone is College trained at Canyon, also.

Again is Miss Ruth Newton, also of the College, daughter of J. C. Newton near Idalou, who in all probability will begin work about January first, as the new member of the faculty at Woodrow.

Another local man's daughter, J. H. Bryan, Miss Noble Bryan, will be primary teacher at Grovesville.

Others are Miss Birdie Pierce, at Union, and Miss Stallings of Slaton at McClung, and also it goes. Our boys and girls are made of the material it takes to win. They have been in West long enough to become saturated with the Spirit of the country, and they need only a chance to make good. Of course, one occasionally will not find his calling at once, but what of that, many of the men, famous, locally, never found theirs until up in years. So I say let's help the young home boy and girl just out of college. If we do not help him how do you expect him to get assistance in a land far from home, among strange people?

Acuff trustees let the contract for their addition to the school house. Soon the place will look like a town, with two stores, a gin, an auditorium, many small towns might well be proud of, and a five room rural high school. The board has employed a college man as principal. He is able to make Acuff school just what the people want, we think. He hails from Hall county and signs his name, E. P. Lewis.

Woodrow school bonds carried unanimously, I understand. Mr. Raymond Barrier has a brother-in-law in the east who has caught the fever. Mr. Barrier was up today to discuss a principalship for the man. Likely, a change will be made in one place, and if so, well for the kinsman.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For State Senator: W. H. BLEDSOE, Lubbock. R. A. BALDWIN, of Slaton, Lubbock County.
- For Representative: J. K. WESTER, Lubbock.
- For District Judge, 72nd Judicial District: CLARK M. MULLICAN (Re-Election). GEORGE R. BEAN, Lubbock.
- For District Attorney, 72nd Judicial District: PARKE N. DALTON. (Crosbyton). JNO. L. RATLIFF Lubbock. J. M. MARSHALL.
- 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) JACK M. RANDAL.
- For County Clerk: HERBERT STUBBS (Re-Election) AMOS H. HOWARD, Lubbock.
- For Sheriff: H. L. JOHNSTON, (re-election) C. A. HOLCOMB.
- For County Superintendent of Schools: W. M. PEEVEHOUSE. H. C. BOWLIN. P. F. BROWN.
- For Tax Assessor: R. C. BURNS (Re-Election) DOUGLAS POUNDS.
- For Tax Collector: I. F. HOLLAND, Lubbock, Texas. JAS. E. WATSON, Lubbock, Texas.
- For County Treasurer: J. S. SLOVER, (Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner, Prec 1: MARVIN T. WARRICK, Re-election. BEN W. CASEY.
- For County Commissioner, Prec 2: E. E. WILSON. H. D. TALLEY, (Slaton, Re-Election.)
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 3: B. N. WHEELER. (Re-Election) E. N. (Uncle Ed) HARRISON Route 1. A. J. FUCHS. (Abernathy)
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 4: L. C. DENTON, (Re-Election) T. C. CALLEY, Shallowater.
- For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1: COL. W. E. JOHNSON (Re-Election.) S. A. RIBBLE.
- For Public Weigher, Prec. 1: W. S. (Billie) CLARK. I. M. CAMPBELL. P. O. BROCK. J. B. HEARRELL. W. E. (Walter) GRICE. EDD SCHROEDER.
- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 2: Idalou: H. N. ESTES, Idalou. J. T. LEE, (Idalou). AL H. TURNER. G. P. (SHORTY) HOWELL, Idalou. L. E. HAMLEN, Idalou. (Re-Election)
- For Public Weigher, Precinct 2: T. E. KINCAIDE, Shallowater. C. E. MERRELL, Shallowater.
- For Constable, Prec. No. 1: J. L. McCULLICH.

PAINLEVE TO BE CANDIDATE OF RADICALS

By United News.

PARIS, June 12.—Paul Painleve, ex-premier of France and president of the Chamber of Deputies will be the only candidate put forward by the radicals in Friday's presidential elections at Versailles palace, according to a statement issued by the radicals late Thursday night.

The announcement came at the end of a day in which it had appeared that the radical vote might be split between Painleve and Gaston Domergue, president of the senate. When the Left wing groups met to decide on their candidate Painleve received 307 votes and Domergue received 148. Twenty-two scattering votes were recorded.

Painleve had flatly announced his ambition to rule in the Elysee Palace. Domergue had not even come out for the office (having said that he preferred not to appear at the left wing caucus and that he would reserve action until the senate and chamber met jointly at Versailles for the deciding vote.

Following the caucus, however, both leaders expressed determination to stay in the race. The caucus indicates that I am the only republican candidate," Painleve declared. "I consider that others should retire."

A delegation requested Domergue to withdraw from the contest but up to a late hour he had remained obdurate.

Canadian bridge. This completes the last link in the International Meridian Highway between Canada and Mexico.

Mrs. Herbert Stubbs, who has been in a local sanitarium for several days, will be able to return to her home today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Butler and children accompanied by Mrs. E. A. Logan, of Littlefield, were in Lubbock Thursday shopping and visiting relatives.

Celebrate Finishing Of New Canadian Bridge

By United News.

CHICKASHA, Okla., June 12.—Thousands of visitors from Texas Oklahoma and Kansas participated in the formal opening of the new

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NEW MEXICO FOREST FIRES UNDER CONTROL

By United News.

ALMOGORDO, N. M. June 12.—Forest fires in the Benson and Penasqu canyons north of this place have been brought under control after sixteen hours fighting by more than 200 men, according to a bulletin issued by the forest service. Six hundred acres of cut over land was burned. It is believed that careless campers started the fire.

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EVANGELIST WHO WILL WORK IN A REVIVAL THAT BEGINS HERE SUNDAY MORNING IS A "MAN'S PREACHER"

Rev. R. B. Freeman, the evangelist who will arrive in Lubbock Saturday with his party to lead in the evangelistic campaign which will begin Sunday Morning in the First Methodist church, is noted as a "man's preacher." Wherever he has gone he has had a large following from among the men. Men seem to be attracted to him by the vigor and straightforwardness with which he puts over his message. He is just in the prime of life, and as an evangelist he is a "live wire."

Mr. R. C. Eddins is one of the finest soloists in the evangelistic field to day; but he is not only a soloist of note, but a great leader in evangelistic singing as well. He will have charge of the music during the meeting and wants all of the singers of the church, and any others who will assist in the music, to be on hand Sunday morning. Mr. Eddins is also a fine worker with young people.

The services will begin Sunday morning promptly at 10:50 and again at 8:30 Sunday evening. The evening services will open with a great sing song, lead by Mr. Eddins with Mrs. A. W. Freeman as pianist. The services will continue through the week; morning services at 10:00 and evening services at 8:30.

MEMBERS OF VAUGHN QUARTET HERE THURS.

V. O. Stamps and three other members of Vaughn's quartet passed through Lubbock Thursday en route to Lamesa, where they conducted a musical program Thursday evening.

They will conduct another program at Slaton Friday evening. They were guests at the regular weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis club Thursday and added materially to the entertainment features of the program.

RE-HEARING IN TEXT BOOK CASE IS OVERRULED

AUSTIN, Texas, June 12.—The Supreme Court today overruled motions for re-hearing in the text book case and State Superintendent Marrs must recognize the contracts made by the State of Texas book commission in December, 1922.

BUILD A HOME

COME SEE US!

There are quite a few subscribers on our daily and weekly lists that have allowed their subscriptions to expire and to all such, we extend an invitation to call and see us and let us know your wishes in the matter. We are very anxious to retain all of our old readers, but we must know whether you want the paper to still keep coming or not. We will on July 1st discontinue sending the paper to those who have let their subscriptions lapse. We appreciate every member of the daily and weekly Avalanche family and would not like to lose a single one of our readers, but the postal laws will not allow us to continue sending a paper to non-paid up readers.

Our new press, is now being installed and it is only a matter of a few days until the late deliveries of our papers will cease. We are very thankful to each and every one of our many subscribers who have so patiently borne with us the late delivery of your papers, and as soon as the new press "gets into harness" we can assure each of you that the daily and weekly papers will reach you promptly and on time.

Trusting that each reader will pay us a personal visit, when passing our way, we are, yours truly,

CIRCULATION MANAGER.

L. D. Huffstutler, of Middlothian, who has been conducting a singing school at the First Presbyterian church for the past two weeks, will close the term this evening, according to announcements just made. Attendance at all classes has been good and Mr. Huffstutler has accomplished much in the work here.

Lee Ragland, of the Ragland Brothers Motor Company, made a business trip to Lamesa Thursday.

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WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AT MEMPHIS

MEMPHIS, June 12.—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, district convention will meet in Memphis, Texas, June 23, and the following program has been outlined for the occasion.

Morning Session: 10:30 a. m., Palace Theatre—
Presiding officer, Hon. A. M. Bourland, Vice President, Vernon Music—By assembled bands.
Invocation—Rev. C. E. Richter Pastor Presbyterian church.
Welcome Address—J. H. Read, Committee Appointments.
Object of District Convention—

Homer D. Wade, assistant manager Motion Picture on: Mexico, Panama Canal, Dairying, Poultry Raising and West Texas Exhibits.
Luncheon 12:30 p. m., place to be arranged.

Toastmaster, R. A. Highsmith, organization manager.
Round table Discussion—One-minute talks from representatives of each town.

Dream of West Texas Chamber of Commerce—R. A. Highsmith.
Afternoon Session, 2:00 p. m., Baptist Tabernacle.

Call to Order—Hon. A. M. Bourland, presiding officer.
Rural Education—F. A. Phillips agricultural director West Texas State Teachers College.

Address—Col. C. C. French of the Stockyards company.
Cotton Planting in Panhandle—B. M. Whitaker, exhibit manager

Poultry and Dairying—M. B. Oates, agricultural demonstrator.
Selection of next meeting place, Special Prizes: \$5.00 for best

dozen eggs exhibited; \$2.50 for second best; \$5.00 for best dairy cow exhibited; \$3.50 for best hen exhibited.

Prizes offered by exhibit bureau West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Registration fee will be \$1.00 which pays for plate at the luncheon.

Earthquakes Shake Italy and Many Lives Lost

By United News.
ROME, June 12.—Newspaper dispatches this morning tell of severe earthquake shocks, resulting in a great deal of damage to property and a heavy loss of life is possible in the Balkan Peninsula.

The population is greatly disturbed and many have fled from the cities to the woods, horror stricken.

PLAINVIEW NEWSPAPER MEN HERE THURSDAY

E. B. Miller, advertising manager, and H. S. Hilbourn, editor of the Plainview Herald, were here Thursday to attend the Plainview-Lubbock luncheon and the Elk Day tournaments. They are both past exalted rulers of the Plainview lodge and are prominent in lodge circles.

While here Mr. Miller called at the Avalanche office and was pleased to notice the development that is being made in the plant.



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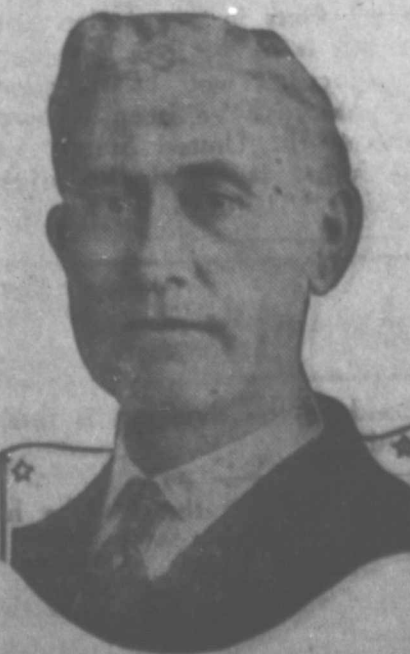
THE HOUSE OF SATISFACTION

PURCELL CHIEF WINS LONG FIGHT

Fighting for his health as well as for law and order, Chief of Police M. L. Thomas, of Purcell, Okla., has at last been victorious after an eight years battle.

"It was this new medicine Karnak that finally stopped my troubles and fixed me up with a gain of twelve pounds in weight," says Chief Thomas.

"It made no difference what I ate, everything seemed to settle in a hard mass in my stomach with a knotty, lumpy feeling and then I could hardly get my breath. Although I tried every sort of treatment I finally got so weak and lost so much weight it looked like I would soon have to give up entirely. But I have not had a bit of trouble since I finished the first half bottle of Karnak and three bottles of the medicine has put me back in the top health in every way with a gain of twelve pounds in weight and lots of strength and energy. Karnak is all that is claimed for it and I am glad to help others by recommending it publicly."



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SHELLING THE WOODS FOR VOTES.

The people of the State of Texas are these days being confronted, and button-holed by many men who are offering themselves as candidates for the various offices in the state. The Governor's race is being so more generally than any other, and indeed it is a very important office, and one that the people should know exactly who is going to fill it or at least the qualifications of the men who are wanting the job. This is a hard thing to do. Every fellow of course has his hobby and he is riding him for all it is worth. The Farm and Ranch touches on this subject very ably in the following editorial that appeared in the last issue of that publication:

"Candidates for office are shelling the woods and laying down a barrage in our towns and cities. They are gunning for votes, and along in July several hundred thousand men and women will go to the polls and fondly imagine that they are registering their choice of men to attend to the business of this government. As a matter of fact they are only making a selection from among the number of citizens who have offered for office, and often-times it is a matter of choosing the lesser evil.

"It is not altogether the fault of candidates that they must do political acrobatic stunts to enter the masses. The cost of making the campaign is distressingly high and votes must be secured in any way possible. So each candidate thinks up something popular as his slogan, generally along the line of some reform. Some shout from the platform for law enforcement. Everybody but crooks believes in that. Others, knowing that the average citizen wants lower taxes and efficient but economical administration of government affairs, build their campaign on a foundation of promises. Picking flaws in the other fellow is a popular pastime and amuses the audience. If there are no real issues before the people, they are easily manufactured. Straw men are constructed and stood up before the people for the purpose of knocking them down and tearing them to pieces. If one candidate does not lie enough about another to make it interesting, he manufactures lies about himself and credits them to 'they say' in order to disprove them and thus gain sympathy and votes.

"This form of campaign furnishes entertainment for the masses and that is the best thing that can be said of it. It does not make for good government or economy in its administration. Throughout the months that candidates shell the woods for votes there are few real serious discussions of the needs of the state, and voters are no better informed concerning matters of government after it is all over than they were before. Notwithstanding all the promises to lower taxes, the cost of government has increased all out of proportion to the increase in taxable wealth or increase in population. It would indeed be refreshing to have some citizen of real merit and ability publicly discuss conditions as they now exist and cover some sensible suggestion for their improvement. Texas is a large state of wonderful and abundant resources. It should become the richest state in the union with the best system of education and the most efficient public institutions to be found anywhere, but our progress in this direction is handicapped by our political system which prevents the selection of our best and most capable men to fill positions of great responsibility. The business of the great state, with an assessed valuation of a billion and a half dollars and an actual property value, according to the Census Bureau, of nearly \$10,000,000,000, is left in the hands of clientless lawyers and men of small experience in business matters.

"The government of Texas should be placed on a sound business basis, but this will never be accomplished, until the professional politician and men of small caliber in public positions are replaced by men of affairs who are endowed with a high sense of public duty."

There is so much development in the great state of Texas at this time, that it is hard for the state to keep pace with this growth. We kick about taxes, but it is the only means of carrying on the work or development in a public way. We admit that there is a great deal of money wasted, and that too often graft is allowed to creep in and stuff off a great chunk of coin that if judiciously spent, would mean much to the people in general, but a government cannot be run without taxes. The big institutions that the state must keep going must be maintained through taxes, and this is the only way.

The educational program in Texas has been expanding every year. The people are demanding better education of their children. They are requiring better school buildings; they are requiring more teachers; they are asking for better instructors, all of which is complimentary to intelligence and foresight, and should be given

them, but in order to do this, we must have money, and we must get it through taxation.

The main trouble with the people of Texas is that they do not take enough interest in the political issues of the state. They do not acquaint themselves with the people who are offering for the important office of state. Ten per cent of the people of Texas could not tell you today who is running for Governor, and of course do not know of their qualifications.

They will go to the polls in July and will find a large number of names under the head of For Governor. They will not know one of them. They may have heard their uncle or their grand father or their neighbor say that they knew so and so back in Van Zandt county twenty years ago, and will vote for him on that account. We have known some of the biggest crooks in all the land, some of the biggest liars in the world. Some of the most incompetent people on earth, and who will not be fit for governor, but they will vote for them because some relative has known them or their grand father. Some will vote for the first one on the list. Some will vote for a certain name because they like the name, and some will vote for the last one, and that is the way that we get incompetent men in office. The people should know the situation, and should study the candidates, and what they stand for, and vote more intelligently, and we will have better men in office, and our government will be handled better.

THE TRAVELING MEN'S LUNCHEON.

Lubbock people are the best people on earth to entertain visitors, and take care of their guests but they are likewise about the slowest people to take hold of the situation and get through with it. They will wait till the very last minute and then go into the matter and finally put it over.

The Lubbock folks are going to put the traveling men's luncheon over in great shape, and make the traveling men feel glad they are here, and that we are tickled to death that they came and want them to come back again next year. These parties are getting to be huge affairs, and we expected they would grow, in fact, we would have been disappointed if the attendance had not increased and the interest grown in the party each year.

There is not a business man in the city that would not be enthusiastic about the party if asked what they thought about it, but they are just a little slow about putting up the coin to pay the expense of this banquet, according to the committee that has selling of the tickets in hand.

Now we are going to put this party over, and we might just as well shell down the money for one or more tickets, and see that your traveling salesmen are provided for.

The ticket selling committee will be busy today which is the last day that they should have to work on the job. They want to sell all the tickets today, and get through with the deal. There is no use to take up their time, in soliciting you. Be ready for them when they step inside your door. There will be a great many of the business men who will have to buy more than one ticket, for there will be near a thousand attend, including the home folks, and the feed bill must be met.

The entertainment committee has been instructed to feed the folks that come, and they are dead sure going to do it. Now it is up to us to pay the bill, and the ticket route is the one selected as the most practical.

The party is worth every dime that it costs, and will show a good profit in the end, and we should get in line and clear up the slate today. Don't have the ticket selling committee have to explain a lot when they come, but shell down the coin. Five or six dollars spent in this way will be well spent, far more profitable than hundreds of dollars that you spend during the year for things that will bring you no returns whatever.

THE NATIONAL FARM SCHOOL.

It is gratifying to record the steady and substantial progress which has been made by the National Farm School at Doylestown, Pa. The announcement on Founder's Day that the property of the institution now exceeds one million dollars in value shows how much may be accomplished little by little with constant effort. The late Dr. Krauskopf did a good day's work when he laid the foundations of this most useful school. Modern ways of farming have taken the place of the antiquated methods of a half century ago, and the results have been distinctively beneficial.

Real farmers are needed more at this time than they have been at any period in the past, and we owe it to ourselves to keep alive the farming industry; that the farmer must not only survive, but prosper if we are to make national progress.

One of the cheering facts in connection with the school at Doylestown is that it has become a national institution in fact as well as in name. Gifts of a substantial nature have been received from men in all parts of the United States, and the outlook for the future is decidedly bright. Gifts during May totaled \$81,000.

Little Avalanches

Few men are afraid of the devil. It is themselves they are afraid of.

But the more a man knows the less he has to say about his knowledge.

A farmer's idea of bad weather is the kind that goes against the grain.

A fair-minded man will have to hear all the complaints from everywhere.

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MARKETS

Kansas City Livestock.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 12.—Cattle, receipts 4,000; calves 800; slow; largely steer run; practically no early sales. She stock fair; around steady; Beef cows at \$4.25-\$6.50; calves slow; bulls 10 to 15c lower; bolognas mostly \$4-\$4.65; stockers and feeders fair. Hogs: receipts 3,000; few 180 to 325 averages to shippers \$6.65-\$6.80; half load \$6.85; look around 4c lower; packers going slow; packing sows around steady; most sales \$6.25. Spot pigs are 15c higher choice kinds \$5.75. Sheep: receipts 3,000; killing classes generally steady; early top native spring lambs \$15.75; others \$15.00 to \$15.65. Texas wethers are \$7.35.

Chicago Cash Grain.
CHICAGO, June 12.—Wheat: No. 2 red \$1.12; No. 3 red \$1.11; No. 2 hard \$1.12 1-2; No. 3 hard \$0.81 1-4; No. 4 hard \$0.81 1-4. No. 6 hard 77-1-2. Corn: No. 2 mixed \$1 1-4@82; No. 3 mixed \$0 1-4@81 1-2; No. 4 mixed \$0 1-2; No. 6 mixed 77; No. 2 white \$1 1-4@82 1-4; No. 3 \$1@82 1-4; No. 4 \$0 1-2@81 1-4; No. 5 \$0. Oats No. 3 white \$0 1-4@51 1-4; No. 4 white 49 1-2@50 1-2; standards 49@49 1-2. Barley 75@81; Rye No. 3 73. Timothy \$5.00@7.25; Clover \$11 @18.50.

clock by Rev. Morrow, pastor of the First Baptist church. Interment was made in the Lubbock cemetery. Services were attended by all of her children and a number of other relatives and friends of the family. Mrs. Morrow was preceded to the grave just a few months by her husband, who died as the result of injuries received in an accident when he was hit by a Santa Fe switch engine.

SOCIETY NOTES

OPEN HOUSE AT COUNTRY CLUB EVENT

Open house at the country club was unusually delightful Wednesday evening with a large number of club members present. The cool and spacious club rooms were effectively decorated with June roses and larkspur, amid which tables were arranged for bridge mah jong and forty-two and a very pleasant hour was spent in the games. A short musical program was also enjoyed. Delicious punch and sandwiches were served.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames O. L. Slaton, Maedgen, Peterman, Russell Myrick, Overton, Joe Penny, John Penny, Posey, M. L. Price, E. L. Roberson, Rix, Clark Smith, W. D. Stevens, O. E. Sears, J. D. Slaughter and S. H. Stewart.

Personals
Mrs. Estelle Mercer left Thursday for Los Angeles, California, where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus M. Shaw and daughter, Myrtle Marlon, were in Lubbock Thursday from Littlefield. Miss Georgia Jackson, of the Citizens National Bank, is taking a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. W. D. Benson, left the first of the week for Belen, N. M., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. T. V. Swanson, who will be remembered by her many friends here as Miss Flo Benson.

Miss Mabel Maurine Hamilton and Mrs. Hammit, of Lindsey, California, will arrive here Sunday to spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hilton of 1814 Thirteenth street.

Avalanche Want Ads Get Results.

TEXAS HEAVY IN CONVENTION CLOSING

By WESTBROOK PEGLER (UN Staff Correspondent)
CONVENTION HALL, CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 12.—The pale flood of movies which turned their searching orbs on the mob below from strategic points in the balconies, the republican national convention of 1924, came to a whooping finale and burst out of the hall to the tune of the song that started things off three days ago, "Hail, Hail, the gang's all here."

As Texas tossed in the 23 votes that finally made the nomination of Charles G. Dawes for vice-president, an official fact, the scattered shouts from the floor and galleries, became a roar that boomed against the arched roof of the great hall and the doors slammed open on all sides, spilling thousands of dazed, tired people into the moonlight of Cleveland's downtown streets.

Through an avenue that danced in the flares of the hot dog and pop corn bazaars, the crowd pressed in a solid mass toward Superior street, where the elements debauched in various directions to their various hotels. There suitcases were slammed shut and snapped, bell boys-carried back breaking loads, taxicabs hawked and clattered about the entrances and the tide began a fatigued and crawling movement. Trains to the east, west and south delayed their departure until the delegates had time to pack their luggage and reach the stations. The exodus from Cleveland was on.

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TRAFFIC TALKS

ANTI-GLARE LAW NEEDED

Glaring headlights are still a common cause of accidents on highways.

All motorists should be courteous enough to dim lights if necessary when approaching another car.

What is needed is more cooperation between motorists and more courtesy. Just because a man obtains possession of a motor car is no reason why he should lose any of those finer sensibilities which mark the gentleman.

New York has a law on its statute books that the motorist is obliged to get out of his car and if necessary help lead a frightened horse pass the car. Sounds funny now that it is obsolete, but some of that spirit wouldn't do any harm today. Always be careful and courteous.

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PLAINVIEW COPS ELKS SPORTS DAY HONORS HERE

645 POINTS WON BY VISITING LODGE

Elks' Day in Lubbock was a live one from morning until many contests completed eliminations, and Plainview Elks went home carrying the big side of the scoreboard.

They scored 645 of the one thousand points, the basis on which the contest games were figured, leaving the Lubbock Elks with the score of 355.

The many expressions of elation made by the visitors were convincing that they enjoyed the day. The contests were interesting and each game was played "in the spirit of fraternity and sportsmanship that makes of each Elk a brother."

Alex McDonald and other members of the committee that had charge of arrangements, prepared a fine lot of barbecue, buns, cold drinks, etc., and all of the visitors were guests of the local club at the lunch that was served at the lodge rooms.

Too numerous were the games that were played for each to be sited, and the contestants entered into each of them with keen determination to win, but somehow the jinx was on the locals for at practically every game they met with defeat at the hands of their fellows from the neighboring city.

While it has been hard to make an estimate of the number of visiting Elks, the following names were taken from the registration book. It was pointed out by the local committee in charge of entertaining the visitors that the list is very incomplete and does not nearly represent the number that attended the meeting.

Those who registered from Plainview are: J. A. Testman, Tom J. Foster, W. F. Armstrong, W. D. Darby, R. C. Joiner, J. L. North, B. Burkett, R. B. Dibret, E. B. Miller, E. A. Boyd, A. B. Martin, J. J. Bromley, Roy M. Stocking, G. C. Keek, R. D. Gibbs, M. P. Garner, A. H. McGavock, J. C. Guest, J. D. Steakley, E. Lee Dye, J. J. Norris, F. D. Carpenter, of Corpus Christi, L. P. Barker, R. H. Kheohuisen, Wm. Watson, Frank R. Day, R. E. Horn, Wiley Brashear, Matt A. Cram, H. Brashear, H. W. Warren, W. E. Settoon, Bain McCavall, P. B. Randolph, W. J. Klinger, W. J. Lloyd, Jake Burkett, J. W. Rogers, H. S. Hilburn, C. S. Williams and L. P. Hartman of Oklahoma City.

***** TEXAS LEAGUE ***** Houston 000 010 110 000 003-6 14 2 Ft. W. 020 000 010 000 001-4 15 3 15-inning game. Knight and Diamond; Pate and Bischoff.

***** AMERICAN LEAGUE ***** Philadelphia 000 010 200-3 9 1 Chicago 100 040 00x-5 6 1 Burns, Rommell and Perkins; Thurston and Crouse.

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE ***** Chicago 000 308 300-9 11 3 Boston 001 400 000-5 8 2 Aldridge, Keenan and Hartnett; Genewich, Cooney, Lucas and O'Neil.

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***** SOUTHWESTERN LEAGUE ***** Coffeyville 1 4 2 Eureka 3 9 1 Boner and Bentley; Kelly and Carle.

***** SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION ***** Memphis 2 9 2 New Orleans 4 18 0 Rogers, Kelly and Yaryan; Hollingsworth and Dowie.

***** TEXAS LEAGUE ***** Lubbock 006 403 0-13 Lubbock 000 001 0-1 Summary: Home runs W. Brashears; three base hits Murphy, Jones; two base hits Murphy, Jones Horn; struck out by Woodward 8, Hunter 5; stolen bases Horn, and Rouse; passed balls Jones; double plays Murphy to Gould; umpires Allen and Melver; time 1:30.

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PLAINVIEW BEATS LOCAL ELKS HERE 13-1

Chalking up one more error than they did hits here Thursday afternoon, the local Elks made somewhat of a bad showing against the visitors from Plainview and came out at the end of seven inning agreement game holding the little end of a 13 to 1 count.

The locals, who had been battling almost hopelessly for five innings, getting only two hits, rallied in the sixth for a pretty comeback, scoring one run, and leaving the bases loaded with only one out, but Woodward tightened whiffs two men in succession, retiring the side and leaving three men holding the sacks on the circuit.

Woodward, for the visitors, delivered an excellent accounting for his teammates, and at no time except in the sixth was he in any danger.

Lewis Hunter, doing mound duty for the local Elks, although pounded hard at times, pitched a steady game, and but for errors on the part of his teammates, would have turned in a better exhibition.

Errors, rank and open, seemed to come right in the pinches of the affair.

The visitors opened counting in the third, when on five hits, two of which were triples and three errors, they counted six runs. In the fourth, following a double by Murphy, and three successive errors on the part of the local delegation, W. Brashears bounced a hot one over the infield, which rattled the boards near centerfield, allowing him to cross the rubber, chasing two men ahead. Murphy having scored on the triple of errors.

Again in the sixth, a double, and two singles, followed by a double, netted three runs. Plainview- AB R H O A E Murphy, 3b. 5 2 3 1 4 0 Jones, c. 5 3 2 9 0 0 Gouldy, 2b. 4 3 2 2 2 0 W. Brashears, ss 4 1 1 1 2 1 Woodward, p. 4 1 2 0 0 0 Horn, 1b. 4 1 1 7 0 0 McCarroll, rf. 4 1 2 0 0 0 H. Brashears, cf 2 0 0 0 0 0 Day, if. 2 0 0 0 0 0 Hooper, if. 4 1 0 1 0 0

Totals 38 13 14 21 8 1 Lubbock- AB R H O A E Rouse, ss. 4 1 1 4 0 2 Dickinson, if. 3b 4 0 0 2 0 0 Stubbs, 1b. 3 0 0 6 2 3 DeLong, c. 3 0 2 4 4 1 Bellah, 3b. 3 0 1 0 0 0 Sams, cf. 3 0 0 0 0 0 Price, 2b. 1 0 1 0 1 1 Conley 2 0 0 1 0 0 McDonald, rf. 3 0 1 2 0 1 Hunter, p. 3 0 1 2 3 0

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OLSON-WOODS MATCH TONIGHT AT AUDITORIUM PROMISES TO BE ONE OF BEST CARDS EVER OFFERED HERE

"Sailor" Jack Woods, champion of the U. S. Navy arrived in the city Thursday morning in full bloom, and announced that he was in A-1 condition for his match here Friday night with Chas. Olson, middleweight champion of Canada, who is wrestling here under the auspices of the local Post of the American Legion.

Both men are recognized champions in their line, and as both are in the best of condition, this should be one of the best cards ever shown here. Olson has been taking daily workouts since his last match, and although he has put on some flesh since he came here, his speed has not been affected in the least; his scientific turn on the mat is unsurpassed, and he has been known to break more holds that might ordinarily be considered fatal than any other man in his class on the mat. He is also far-famed for his ability to stand punishment.

Woods has met and defeated practically all of the best men in the country during his sojourn in the U. S. Navy and is also a man scientific in the game, and one who can stand almost an unlimited amount of punishment. He was an instructor in wrestling in the navy during his sojourn there.

"I am going to show the local fans tonight, not only speed and durability," said Woods, "but I am going to show them some of the technicalities of the science of the mat game, including the breaking of seemingly impossible holds and the manipulations of a wrestler in distress, when he is in the grip of his opponent."

Both of these lads carry records throughout their career as being types carrying the banner of true sportsmanship and clean dealings. Neither has ever been known to take unfair advantage of his opponent.

These men will weigh in for the match tonight at right around 158 pounds, both practically the same weight, and apparently it is going to be one who can stand up to the most punishment that will draw the decision at this event.

This match is being staged by the local Post of the American Legion, and proceeds derived therefrom will go into the Legion fund for the erection of a memorial hall here. This building is con-

Baseball Summary

TEXAS LEAGUE P. W. L. Pct. Fort Worth 53 35 18 .660 Dallas 54 31 23 .574 Houston 57 32 25 .561 Wichita Falls 54 29 25 .537 San Antonio 55 29 26 .527 Beaumont 57 28 29 .491 Galveston 53 18 35 .340 Shreveport 54 16 38 .296

Friday's Games. Galveston at Shreveport. San Antonio at Dallas. Houston at Fort Worth. Only three scheduled.

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Friday's Games. Philadelphia at Chicago. Washington at St. Louis. New York at Detroit. Boston at Cleveland.

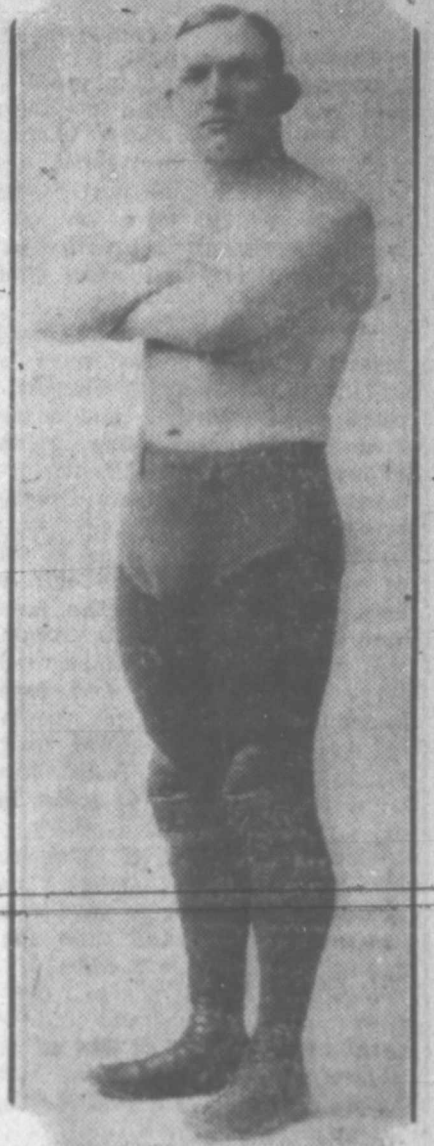
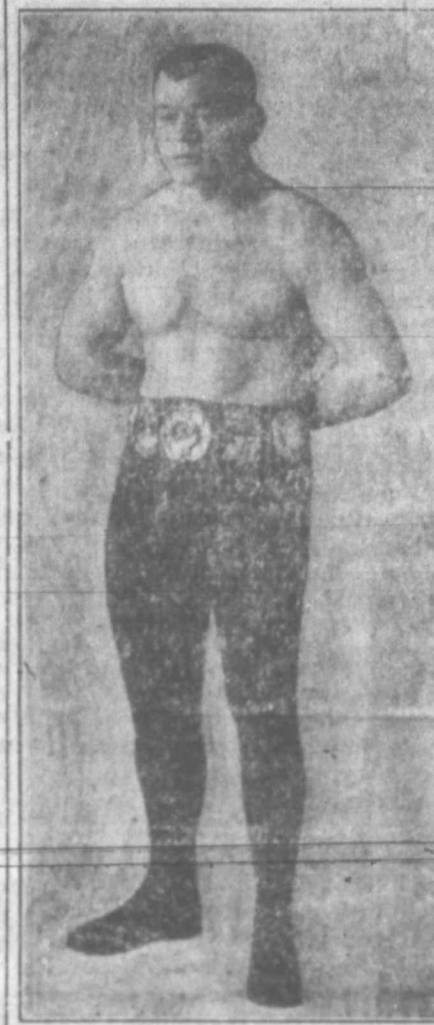
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Friday's Games. St. Louis at Brooklyn. Pittsburgh at Philadelphia. Cincinnati at New York. Chicago at Boston.

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Friday's Games. Nashville at Birmingham. Little Rock at Mobile. Memphis at New Orleans. Chattanooga at Atlanta.

CHAMPS MEET HERE TONIGHT



Chas. Olson, champion of Canada, and Jack Woods, champion of the U. S. Navy, and former wrestling instructor, both in the middleweight class, will meet here tonight at the City Auditorium in a 3-fall decision matched under auspices of the local post of the American Legion.

SINGING SCHOOL TO CLOSE AT CANYON THIS EVENING

J. E. Hamilton, who has been conducting a school of music at the Canyon school will close the term Friday evening, it was announced Thursday.

the class has been in regular attendance since the school was started ten days ago, and much good has derived from their efforts.

Editor and Mrs. A. C. White of the Meadow Messenger were here Monday shopping and looking after business. They own a nice home in Lubbock.

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GOOD WORK DONE BY MEMBERS OF THE AGRICULTURAL CLUBS AND THREE OF COUNTIES GET HONORS

Preliminary to entering the state contests in livestock, grain and poultry judging, club members of six counties met here Wednesday with the county and home demonstration agents and participated in contests which were staged primarily to give them practice to better equip them for state competition.

To make the contests more interesting, cash prizes were offered by the Weekly Avalanche, and these were awarded late in the afternoon. James L. Dow, managing editor of the Avalanche publications and who has been directly interested in development of club work in this section for a number of years, addressed the club members at the close of the meeting, assuring them that the Avalanche will be found at all times ready to serve their interests and especially would the columns of the Weekly Avalanche be devoted to those special articles on farm development that will tend to assist in the development of this country.

County Agent C. T. Watson and his delegation of stock judges captured the first prize for stock judging in the grand total for the county, H. Camp, a member of that delegation, having also captured first place among the individuals with a grand total of 386 of a possible six hundred points.

The Dawson team won first place by making a grand total of 1111 points in judging all classes of livestock, Lubbock county team being second with a total score of 1107; Dickens third with 1047 and Lynn county fourth with 1005 points.

The individual places for judging were as follows: H. Camp, Dawson, 1st, 386 points; Carl McIntire, Lubbock, 2nd, 386 points; Curtis Grimes, 3rd, 371 points; H. Pearson, Dawson, 4th, 370 points; H. Karr, Dickens, 5th, 361 points. A member of the Dawson county team whose name was not secured won 6th place with 352 points. H. Bennett, of Lubbock, and Ford Huffman, of Lynn, tied for 7th place with 350 points each. John Burroughs, Lubbock, 8th, 349 points; E. Middleton and M. Middleton, brothers of Dickens county,

placed 9th with a total of 343 points.

The Lubbock county team was pushed for first place in the grand-judging contests by the Lynn county team. Lubbock county won first place with 493 points while Lynn county took second place with 425 points. No other county placed in this contest. Individual standing in grain judging showed I. J. Thornton, of Lubbock, to be first with 256 of a possible five hundred points. The standing of the contestants is as follows: I. J. Thornton, Lubbock, 1st, 256; David Pounds, Lubbock, 2nd, 255 points; A. Fleming, Lynn, 3rd, 243 points; Porter McDougal, Lubbock, 4th, 237 points; Benny Lusk, Lubbock, 5th, 225 points; Elmer Cannon, Lubbock, 6th, 210 points; John Potts, Lubbock, 7th, 200 points; C. Morgan, Lynn, 8th, 182 points.

What the Lynn county aggregation failed to do in making the grade for first place in grain judging, they amply made up for by taking a liberal lead in judging poultry. That county took first place with a score of 549 of a possible six hundred, while Lubbock took second with a total of 449 and Crosby third with 261 points.

Carl Jones, of the Lynn county team, took the first place over all other individuals, and John Paul Ray, another Lynn county boy, helped them to win by a good margin, by taking second place with a total of 296 points.

The stading of the individuals in this contest is as follows: Carl Jones, Lynn county, 1st, 273 points; John Paul Ray, Lynn county, 2nd, 269 points; Buter Stalcap, Crosby county, 3rd, 261 points; Goldie Potts, Lubbock, 4th, 246 points; Mildred Sharp, Lubbock, 203 points.

W. B. Hilton of the Lubbock Variety store, made a business trip to Littlefield Thursday.

Collis Roland, is in a local sanitarium this week.

BUILD A HOME.

APPEAL COURTS

Special to the Avalanche. AMARILLO, Texas, June 11.—Proceedings of the Court of Civil Appeals for the seventh district at Amarillo, Texas:

Motions overruled: American Refining company, et al., vs Tidal Western Oil Corporation, rehearing from Wichita; T. B. Couch, et al., vs G. R. Wood, rehearing from Wichita.

Reversed and rendered: Hemphill county Home Protective Association, et al., vs Mrs. Elizabeth Richards, from Hemphill.

Reversed and remanded: F. M. Price, vs. Advance Rumley Thresher Company, from Floyd.

Heeled and agreement: Jno. E. Ferguson vs. Nannie Mounts et al., from Deaf Smith.

Submitted: Mercantile Bank and Trust Company, et al., vs. E. G. Schubart, et al., from Dallam; J. B. Masterson, vs. Town of Hedley from Donley; Woodward Lane, et al., vs. Harry A. Nelson, et al., from Gray; W. S. Burland vs. C. C. Huffness, et al., from Deaf Smith; P. O. Brock vs. Cullum Bros. from Lubbock.

UNIVERSITIES BID FOR MARSHALL NEILAN

After announcing his desire and plan to attend the Boston Institute of Technology two years hence, Marshall Neilan, producer of "The Eternal Three," which comes to the Lindsey theatre today for one day only, received numerous letters from universities in the United States and one German technical college, setting forth different curricula and soliciting his distinguished enrollment.

The University of Southern California especially brought to his attention a course in Public Utilities and Business statistics.

"There are fine things in every college," said Neilan, "but I won't be on earth long enough to enroll in each, so I guess Boston Tech will have to worry along with me after all."

Several of Mickey's friends are betting that he will not be a student long, but will assume command round up the professors and collegians and produce a picture on the spot.

Duval and Jackson, local contractors, have just completed a modern four room home on Avenue K for M. B. Hilburn.

Three Robbers Take \$1200 From An Okla. Bank

BLANCHARD, Okla., June 12.—Claude Lee, one of the three men who robbed the First State Bank at Washington, Okla., of \$1200 yesterday was killed by Deputy Sheriff Oscar Morgan in a gun battle here this morning.

Morgan was slightly wounded. Another bandit was captured, while the third escaped. All of the loot was recovered.

PROBE INTO RAIL MERGER ASKED BY EL PASO MAYOR

EL PASO, Texas, June 12.—Mayor R. M. Dudley Thursday urged the chamber of commerce to investigate the proposed merging of the El Paso and Southwestern Railway and the Southern Pacific Lines, saying that the city

was vitally interested in the matter and that the full scope of the merger should be fully known. In order that proper representations could be made if there was anything irregular in the consolidation. The merger assures Phoenix, Arizona, a main line road.

Baby Falls to Death.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 12.—Falling three floors to the pavement below, Robert Andrews, 20 months old boy suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries. His condition was reported serious at the hospital.

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L. E. Hunt, W. M.
Chris Harwell, Secretary.
NOTICE—Friday, June 13th, regular meeting night Yellowhouse Lodge No. 841, A. F. & A. M., also election of officers. All members urged to be present. L. E. Hunt, W. M. 192-4.

LUBBOCK LODGE NO. 1848, B. P. O. E., meets every Tuesday night 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend. Visiting Elks cordially invited. 105-41
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E. B. Porter, Secretary.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month. All members urged to be present. Visiting members welcome.
Mrs. Willie D. Brown, W. M., Mrs. Pharr, Secretary.

NOTICE FOR BIDS—Sealed bids will be received at the office of the city secretary at Tahoka, Texas up to 4 o'clock Monday, June 16 1924 for the remodeling of the Tahoka Independent High School building, according to plans and specifications now on file in office of City secretary. Certified check of 5 per cent will be required with bid. The school board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Witness our hands this 10th day of June 1924. R. C. Wood, president school board; J. S. Weatherford, Secretary. 194-2.

WANTED

WANTED—To rent bed room with board. 1602 Broadway. Phone 16. 194-3p.

WANTED TO BUY—Good span of young mare Mules. Duncan Ferry Land Company. 194-2.

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WANTED—Middle aged lady wants place as housekeeper. Phone 428. 194-3p.

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FOR SALE—Registered Boston Terrier (Female) Phone 858. 192-4.

FOR SALE—A Brunswick phonograph less than half price. 606 Avenue M. 194-2p.

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LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—Oen black mare mule weight about 900 pounds, strayed from place 3 1-2 miles east of Idolou. Last seen at A. W. Worsham place north of Lubbock. Reward for information. W. F. Pruitt, telephone 9008F12. 194-3.

FOUND—1924 class pin, with clasp attached on chain. G. High school monogram. Call at Avalanche, describe and pay for ad. 194-3.

STRAYED—Four year old bay horse, wire scars left front and hind legs. Reward for information. C. E. Stahla. 182-6p.

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City Health Officer. 194-7

COLLINS SPOKE TO LOCAL VOTERS WEDNESDAY

Senator V. A. Collins, candidate for Governor, spoke to a large audience at the District Court room here Thursday afternoon.
The senator expressed faith in the outcome of his campaign and promised the voters that it could be his highest ambition to serve them so well if elected to that office that they would not have a reasonable occasion to regret having cast their votes for him.
He made it plain that he is not aligned with cliques, factions or blocs, and made it plain that he recognizes only a reverent obligation to his Maker, and an equally binding obligation to all the people of Texas.
Impartial enforcement of law in accordance with the constitution needed reforms in the penal system, industrial development which will be of benefit to all the people of Texas and an economical business administration consistent with the adequate support of schools and eleemosynary institutions are some of the principles to which the candidate has expressed adherence.
The attendance was as good as usual on such occasion.

WORK STARTED ON CLUB HOUSE FOR SHALLOWATER

Duval & Jackson, local builders, have started construction work on the fourteen thousand dollar house for Shallowater, which is a county proposition that is being built by the progressive citizens

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TECH PRESIDENT PASSED THRU SWEETWATER

SWEETWATER, June 12.—Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of the Texas Technological College at Lubbock, visited in Sweetwater Wednesday morning between trains while en route home from Dallas in the latter city he attended a luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce wherein textiles and the possibility of the manufacture in Texas played a conspicuous part.

"I am getting many inquiries concerning the new college every day," Dr. Horn told the many Sweetwater men who met while here. "In one mail there were letters from prospective students from three states—Oklahoma, Mississippi, and Arkansas."

Present plans include the opening of the Tech in September, 1925, one year from this coming fall. A meeting of the board of regents has been called for June 27 at which time it is planned to let contracts for the buildings.

Dr. Horn is at work now on selection of a faculty. While none of the professors or instructors have yet been decided upon, available and desirable material is being lined up unofficially.

The first year, only freshmen and sophomore work will be given in the new college. Students who graduate from high school this year may attend Texas Technological college next year if they so desire, going on with the sophomore year work there.

Although Dr. Horn has passed through Sweetwater a number of times since he took up his residence at Lubbock the first of the year, this is the first time he has stopped over here and met local citizens.

Included among the men who met him here was R. A. Steward presiding elder of the Sweetwater district of the Methodist church, who formerly went to school to Dr. Horn.

to a message received by the navy department Thursday night.

The brief message stated that the accident occurred at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

The number of dead was undetermined it was said, but was thought to be 43 men and three officers. Several others were injured, the message said.

MAN IS FOUND DEAD AT RANCH

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not been lying in such perfect posture.

The appearance of the dead man was somewhat as that of a corpse after being laid out, and this fact gives the officers the opinion that Caudle was shot to death, then placed in that position by his slayer in an attempt to allay any suspicions of murder.

If this is the case the slayer was unsuccessful in his efforts as the most rigid investigation will be made of all incidents surrounding the events of the day.

Hugh Burns, intimate friend of the dead man and who was helping him to cultivate a crop, will assist the officers in making any investigation and in all probability more light will be thrown upon the tragedy today.

Caudle was said to have been in the very best of health, no trouble of any nature that might bring on a state of mind that would cause the rashness of suicide can be associated with him and these facts coupled with the suspicious position of his corpse strengthen the belief that what was at first thought to be a suicide might be found to be cold-blooded murder.

The gun on which he held a death grip is of such calibre that had it been fired from close range powder burns would have evidently been left, and an examination of the wound showed that there was not the slightest indications of this.

The Skinner home, where Caudle was found, is on the McClellan Elwood ranch; is off the road and it is several hundred yards to the closest neighbor's home. If suicide is the cause of the death the case will soon become forgotten only to those intimately acquainted with the dead man, but on the other hand if Caudle is the victim of a murderer, a chain of events that will lead the slayer to justice will in all probability occur, and the criminal court will claim the attention of another gruesome case.

It is altogether probable that with the suspicions already gained to spur them on, officers and the friends of the dead man will not cease their efforts of investigating the case until the old adage of "murder will out" has again proved true.

The remains of the dead man were brought to Lubbock last night and are being held at the parlors of the Rix Undertaking Company, Mrs. Al J. Skinner, sister of the dead man at whose home the tragedy occurred, and who is in another part of the state at this

time, has been notified and no funeral arrangements will be made until she has been heard from.

TEXAS BALLOT GIVES DAWES BIG MAJORITY

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ing on delegates gathered up their standards and prepared for a march of victory around the hall.

But the work of the convention over, delegates and visitors began trickling out to make their trains. They left with a distinct feeling they had received their money's worth.

Never has there been such a snarl at the national convention as was caused when Frank O. Lowden refused to accept the nomination.

Indications that Dawes would be willing to accept was seen in the statement shouted from the floor by Colonel Edward Clifford, a personal friend of Dawes who said: "You have no vacancy on the ticket this time."

Delegates had previously refused to believe that any man, once actually nominated would refuse to serve. Even after Lowden's previously prepared declination was read to the convention, the delegates insisted upon giving Lowden one more chance to accept and adjourned over the dinner hour while convention leaders appealed personally to the Illinoisan to revoke his previous refusal.

The wind up of the convention was in surprising contrast to the earlier days which were dull and uneventful. At that time, Coolidge managers were directing the convention details so efficiently that delegates complained of having nothing left to do.

Robbed of Big Attraction.

The fact that Coolidge's nomination was decided long in advance of the convention deprived the gathering of its one big attraction.

The bickering and speculation of which usually centers around the presidential nomination was centered on that of the running mate.

Coolidge and Wm. M. Butler his campaign manager ran the convention with a firm hand, but steadfastly refused to interfere in the matter of selecting a vice presidential candidate. This left the delegates in a bewildered state of mind and they swayed back and forth among various candidates. The first real ground swell went toward Lowden. That was last Saturday and Sunday. But Lowden's statement that he would not

accept stopped this. Strength then shifted to Hoover, then to Borah, Senator Curtis and to a number of others.

Borah could have had the nomination had he given the word. Dawes provides the ticket with a powerful personality. The only worry now is that he will uncork some of his high powered language at the wrong time. Dawes is known everywhere as the most outspoken man in public life and his "Hell and Maria" outbursts before one of the congressional investigating committees three years ago made him a picturesque figure before the country. This makes the republican ticket conservative. Dawes is a business man, a banker and was active a short time ago in an organization calling itself the Minute Men, who attacked the closed shop among other things. This provoked considerable hostility in labor circles and the selection of Dawes means that a good deal of missionary work will have to be done if any invasion of the labor vote is made. On the other hand Dawes being a world war figure is in a position to offset some of the difficulties Coolidge fell into when he vetoed the bonus.

Congratulations Sent.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—President Coolidge tonight dispatched the following telegram of congratulations to Brig. General Dawes: "Honorable Charles E. Dawes, "It will be a pleasure to be associated with you in the public service. Best wishes to you and Mrs. Dawes, in which Mrs. Coolidge joins.

"Calvin Coolidge."

Miss Opal Penny, who has been attending McMurray College at Abilene, returned to Lubbock Wednesday and visited friends and left Thursday for the ranch in

Cochran county, where she will spend the summer with her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Penny.

CANADIAN RIVER BRIDGE DEDICATED THURSDAY

By United News.

CHICKASHA, Okla., June 12.—While more than 15,000 persons looked on, the new Canadian bridge here was dedicated Thursday.

Three states, Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas took part in the dedication services. The gigantic

span is the last completed link in the International Meridian highway connecting Mexico, Canada and the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. McGavick, were here Thursday from their home at Lockney attending the Elk Day celebration. They were guests in the home of Mrs. McGavick's brother, France Baker on Avenue I.

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went into the turret five times, but could find no survivors.

One of those who perished in the turret is believed to be the one who, when the first flash of the explosion occurred, pressed a button which flooded the compartment with water. Had not this been done it was pointed out, the explosion might have ignited the magazine below causing a blast that would have wrecked the ship and killed its personnel of approximately 1300 men.

Powder Ignition Causes Blast
WASHINGTON, June 12.—The explosion on the Battleship Mississippi was caused by the ignition of powder bags of the two right 14 inch guns on the vessel, according



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