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## "INFORMED" FOR BALL

WICHITA COUNTY PRO DEMOCRATS ADOPT RESOLUTION FAVORING BALL

## DELEGATES NAMED

Resolution Against Proxies For Fort Worth Delegates Adopted—Lane Support Lacking

Wichita county prohibition Democrats at their mass meeting at the court house Saturday afternoon voted to send a full quota of representatives to the elimination conference at Fort Worth next Saturday adopted a resolution instructing that such delegates be "informed"—mark the word—that a majority of those attending the mass meeting favored the selection of Tom Ball of Houston as the gubernatorial candidate and voted that no proxies be given by Wichita county delegates not attending the conference.

Thirty persons attended the meeting and out of this number only ten voted for the resolution, expressing a preference for Ball. These two were favorable to the candidacy of Mayes. Lane had no supporters in the meeting; in fact, several of those present indicated they meant to vote for Lane when they did not wish to participate in the meeting. It was understood that they thereby bound themselves to support any candidate whom the Fort Worth conference might designate. It was only after it had been declared that the meeting was not a convention but a conference and that only the candidates would be bound by the action of the Fort Worth meeting that a majority of those attending announced that they wished to participate in the proceedings.

Despite the declaration that there was "nothing political" about the meeting, one unacquainted with politics the "conference" bore an aspect that was indeed political.

The meeting was called to order by W. J. Bullock who has been designated by the district chairman for this duty. "None of us want a new deal in politics," said Mr. Bullock in opening the meeting, "we are tired of political peace and legislative rest. We want a statesman, a man of affairs, a progressive Democrat, an our savior. We want a man with the real blood of courage and the spirit of reform. We need a political Moses.

"All eyes are now turned toward Fort Worth. I believe the reform forces will be united. In my judgment we're going to name a man who will sweep the State like an avalanche. The forces for right are lining up and we'll nominate a candidate worthy of this great State."

Mr. Bullock was elected chairman and declared the meeting open. Immediately thereafter J. W. Montgomery asked whether it was the understanding that those who participated in the meeting would be considered bound to support the choice of the Fort Worth conference. De declared there were some candidates who would be before the Fort Worth meeting whom he could not support. J. M. Bland and several other joined Mr. Montgomery in asking the status of the meeting in this particular.

Judge P. A. Martin declared that he did not think the meeting could be considered a convention in any sense; that it was only a "conference" among prohibitionists themselves to discuss who would be the strongest and most available candidate. He said that it was understood the action of the Fort Worth conference would be binding only upon the candidates themselves. "It is only an advisory meeting as I understand it," he said.

Judge Farrigan declared that he, too, was anxious to know just what was expected from those who participated, declaring that there was one candidate whom he could not vote for. "I think he is just a prohibitionist for the leaves and fishes," he said. He later declared Lane was the man referred to.

Rev. J. W. Hill declared that he was going to do his full duty in the primary by voting for Thomas Ball of Houston for governor. This remark brought forth enthusiastic applause.

Binding On Nobody. "A motion was made by Montgomery declaring that it is the sense of this meeting that no man participating will be morally or otherwise bound to support any candidate whom the Fort Worth conference may select unless he wishes to do so" was adopted by an unanimous vote.

A motion was next adopted that the chairman prepare a list of delegates from all parts of the county to attend the Fort Worth conference. Upon inquiry it developed that the representation at the Fort Worth meeting was one delegate for every ten votes cast for statewide prohibition. This entitles the county to about 109 delegates.

After disposing the delegate question Judge Martin moved "That it is the sense of a majority participating in this mass meeting that the

## OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF DELEGATES FOR BALL

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, Feb. 14.—An apparently overwhelming majority of delegates to the Fort Worth prohibition elimination convention who received any instructions at all at the county conventions held throughout the state today were instructed to vote for Tom Ball of Houston, according to reports received here.

Apparently about half the delegation will go to Fort Worth Saturday without instruction. Lieut. Gov. William H. Mayes and Controller W. P. Lane captured several counties, but their combined strength apparently was far behind that of Ball.

Dr. S. P. Brooks and Cullen F. Thomas were favored in a few counties.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE NEW YORK IS DEBTOR TO SOUTH

WILL STOP AT NOTHING TO ELIMINATE PRESENT MANAGEMENT SECTION CARRIES DEPOSITS IN NEW YORK BANKS EIGHT MONTHS

## A NEW LEAGUE PLANNED

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Formation of a new eight club league in major league territory is contemplated by organized baseball. It was announced here today by President B. B. Johnson of the American League. Johnson said the project was set on foot by President Baker of the Philadelphia Nationals.

Johnson said it would not be possible to put the proposed new league in operation this season, but that plans were being formed so that it was entirely within the range of possibility that next season would see it launched in American League cities.

Johnson added later, "I am clothed with absolute power by the American League to remove any club owner who is regarded as a detriment to the organization. The heads of the National League should have the same power. At my meeting in New York with Tenney, Herman and others I told them if the National League could not control this disorderly element here in Chicago that the American League would no longer be able to do tail and their organization. We are prepared to go to the length to get rid of this influence in Chicago."

Johnson said the American League was prepared to go to the length of changing the national agreement of favoring the formation of another major league. He explained that he regarded the manner in which Evers was dropped as very harmful to organized baseball.

## MEXICAN NEWSPAPER CONTINUES ITS ATTACKS

Despite Protests of O'Shaughnessy the El Imparcial Vilifies President of United States

By Associated Press. San Francisco, Feb. 14.—In spite of the protest made by Nelson O'Shaughnessy and of the instructions of the Mexican foreign office to desist from attacks on President Wilson, El Imparcial today carried a three-column front-page headline "The Word Wilson Lacks Honor As Does His Himself."

The article comments on the recognition by the United States of the new Peruvian government within four days after the success of the revolt and says: "This was done in the face of the declaration from the White House in March, 1912, that the purpose is to deny sympathy to all revolutionary governments. Yankee processes worked only along the line of evil passions."

With similar prominence the paper publishes an account of the alleged failure of 150 banks in southern United States because of President Wilson's "iniquitous Mexican policy." An effort is made by the newspapers to show that the president's policy is disapproved by the great majority of the people in the United States.

WEATHER FORECAST. Tonight and Sunday generally fair; warmer Sunday.

## UNITED STATES SENATOR GORE, NOW ON TRIAL AND WIFE



Senator and Mrs. GORE. BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION.

## LANE FORCES MET DEFEAT AT AUSTIN

Travis County Delegation Will Go To Fort Worth Uninstructed Next Saturday

Austin, Texas, Feb. 14.—Both W. P. Lane and W. H. Mayes today expressed themselves as confident that they would receive the endorsement of prohibitionists in today's primary and that they will receive the pro nomination at Fort Worth Saturday.

The Travis county convention today decided that Travis county delegates will go to Fort Worth uninstructed. This motion carried after a test of strength on election of chairman for the county meeting in which Controller Lane's friends were defeated.

CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATORS OF STRIKE DEADLOCKED

By Associated Press. Hancock, Mich., Feb. 14.—Finding the congressional sub-committee investigating the Michigan copper strike deadlocked on the question of making a full inquiry into the Italian Hall disaster at Calumet, Chairman Taylor today sent a telegram to Representative Foster, chairman of the House committee on mines and mining, urging the necessity for the immediate presence of Representative Hamlin of Missouri, the absent committee man.

A short session today was devoted by the committee to hearing six more strikers who gave testimony as to working conditions in the mines which they described as bad. When the committee adjourned counsel for the strikers said they had a hundred more witnesses ready to tell similar stories if the committee decided to hear them.

## ICE BOUND STEAMERS LOOSE BY WIND SHIFT

Chicago, Feb. 14.—After a hard struggle, and with the aid of a tug, the two steamships that have been rebound for two days within sight of the city, today were freed and steamed to their docks in the Chicago river. During the night the wind shifted, blowing the ice packs into the lake and releasing the steamers. Before that, plans had been made to force a passage with the aid of dynamite.

## PENNSYLVANIA PHYSICIAN IS CHARGED WITH MURDER

By Associated Press. Greensburg, Pa., Feb. 14.—Dr. M. E. Griffith, a wealthy and well known physician of Monaca, Westmoreland county, was jailed here tonight without bail on a charge of murder growing out of the death in Tharletts, Pa., today of William L. Robinson, a music teacher. Robinson had been in a hospital since January 26. He was taken to the hospital from Dr. Griffith's home. The physician is alleged to have attacked and mutilated the music teacher when he found him attacking his wife. Dr. Griffith came here today when informed that Robinson was near death. Robinson had a wife and two children.

## THIRTY-EIGHT COUNTIES INSTRUCT FOR BALL

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 14.—In complete returns from county conventions up to midnight showed thirty-eight counties instructed for Thomas H. Ball, twenty-two counties sending uninstructed delegations. Two counties, Brown and Runnels, were instructed for Mayes; Dallas county instructed for Cullen F. Thomas and Bell for W. P. Lane.

## GORE WILL TAKE STAND MONDAY

SENATOR DEFERS TESTIFYING TO ACCOMMODATE OTHER WITNESSES FOR DEFENSE

## PROOF OF CONSPIRACY

Gore's Attorneys Lay Grounds For Impachment of Plaintiff's Witnesses Saturday

By Associated Press. Oklahoma City, Feb. 14.—Although it had been announced that Senator T. P. Gore would testify today in the \$50,000 damage suit instituted against him by Mrs. Minnie E. Bond, the senator's counsel deferred placing him on the stand at the request of other witnesses who said they wanted to leave the city.

It is probable Senator Gore will be called Monday morning. Court adjourned at five o'clock this evening until Monday following the testimony of William M. Bonner, an officer of a local bank. Bonner was introduced by Gore's counsel in an effort to establish a conspiracy alleged to have been participated in by James R. Jacobs, Mrs. Bond, Kirby Fitzpatrick and T. E. Robertson. Bonner testified:

"Jim Jacobs told me that for \$25,000 he would see that the case against Senator Gore was dropped. Bonner said he asked Jacobs what he would do with that amount of money and he replied that he would take Mrs. Bond and go somewhere and start a newspaper. Bonner added that he asked him, what about Bond and he replied to him, with him, he don't amount to a ———. While Bonner was on the stand the defense made an unsuccessful attempt to have Bonner identify several telegrams that had passed between him in Oklahoma City. Bonner was in Washington. Judge Clark refused to allow the communication to be introduced."

Newell's Appointment in Case. J. Q. Newell who testified at length about the Bond-Gore incident, on cross-examination said that Senators Gore and Bacon had recommended his appointment as United States marshal of the western district of Oklahoma, a position he now holds, and he admitted that he had been senatorial campaign manager for C. N. Harkey at the time the latter was a candidate against Senator Owen in the last primary election. Plaintiff's counsel sought to show that it would be unusual for Owen to recommend an United States marshal, a man who had managed the campaign of an opponent, but Newell replied that Owen had made the recommendation.

Gore On Stand Monday. It is possible that Mitch Bonner will be recalled to the stand Monday. Senator Gore is likely to be the only witness in addition to Bonner and Gore will occupy the stand most of the morning. It is expected arguments will begin sometime Monday. As arguments will be long, the case is not likely to reach the jury until the middle of the week.

Instead of calling Senator Gore to the witness stand when a cross-examination for the defense decided at the last moment to call other witnesses in an effort to lay grounds for the impeachment of several prosecution witnesses, W. S. Fisher, an Oklahoma City lawyer, testified he had loaned T. E. Robertson a witness of the alleged attack on Mrs. Bond, \$245 and that when Robertson came back from Washington after the Gore incident, he demanded that it be repaid.

"Sweet Revenge For Me." At this point of testimony by counsel for Mrs. Bond caused Fisher to be excused until Robertson could be recalled and foundation laid upon which to predicate his examination. Deputy Sheriff Ezell testified about a conversation he had with Fisher on the day before the suit was filed against Gore. He said Robertson told him, "I have a paper I want you to serve tomorrow." Ezell asked about it and he said Robertson replied, "Never mind, now you will know what it is about when you see the head lines in the newspaper tomorrow. I want you to serve the papers on a man who has done me dirty. It will be sweet revenge for me."

The next day the suit against Senator Gore was filed. The Rev. R. D. Licklider, pastor of the Olive Baptist Church, testified about the efforts of Mrs. Bond, her husband and James R. Jacobs to have the Ministerial Alliance of this city get the Gore case before the United States Senate. He said Mr. and Mrs. Bond and Jacobs attended a meeting of the ministers shortly after the Washington episode. Mrs. Bond told the details of the alleged attack. They asked the Alliance to adopt resolutions and place the case before the Senate.

Prescribers Turned Them Down. Witness said the Alliance, after hearing the statement, voted to have nothing to do with the case. Licklider said Mrs. Bond was a member of his church, but that she had not attended it during the past two years. Robertson was then recalled and denied having a conversation with Fisher, but admitted he had gone with Mrs. Bond and Jacobs before the Ministerial Alliance. Fisher was recalled.

Business on the stock exchange was curtailed because of the storm. Many out-of-town members failed to appear. Attendance was the smallest since last summer. Robert McKim, of Bayonne, New Jersey, died of exposure while standing on the platform of the Central Railroad of New Jersey station. The body of an unidentified man was found in a hall-way in Third Avenue. Death was due to exposure. William Collins, after walking through the snow to the Erie station at Paterson, died of exhaustion. The frozen body of Miss Elizabeth Simpson was found by a neighbor who was floundering through a drift in Brooklyn. The storm closed about two o'clock this afternoon after ten inches of snow.

At Elmira the fall was twenty-four inches in twenty-four hours. At Solihill, New York, the fall was forty inches.

## 55,000 BALKAN WAR VETERANS RETURNING TO UNITED STATES

New York, Feb. 14.—About 55,000 Greek veterans of the late Balkan wars are due to arrive here within the next four months, according to information brought here tonight by the Greek steamer Paris. The Paris herself carried 250 ex-soldiers.

JUDGE W. F. RAMSEY POSITELY DECLINES. Austin, Texas, Feb. 14.—Judge W. F. Ramsey, in a statement tonight, absolutely declined to contest the possible nomination as governor by the prohibition forces. He said he is unwilling to sever business relations and his practice he has built up.

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## SNOWSTORM IN NEW YORK

SNOW GENERAL OVER MIDDLE EASTERN AND NEW ENGLAND STATES

## MANY FATALITIES

Believed Storm Extended Far as Sea and Big Liners Will Arrive Overdue

New York, Feb. 14.—A snow storm said to rival in severity the famous blizzard of 1888, raged to the accompaniment of zero weather in upper Hudson Valley and Mohawk Valley and the northern and western parts of New York state all day long. Late today the snow ceased in many districts only to be followed by a return to zero weather and high wind.

## FATALITIES REPORTED

Four deaths were caused in this city by the snow storm and the total fatalities due to the cold storm numbered seventeen tonight. Trolley service was crippled almost throughout the state and on many railroad lines traffic was virtually halted. All mails were late. Only one train was sent out during the day by the Lackawana railroad and none came in.

## HIGH WAVES AT SEABRIGHT

High waves again attacked Seabright, New Jersey, and placed under two feet of water, causing the population to seek safety on the mainland. Conditions there, it was said, were worse for a time, than on January 3 when many buildings were demolished.

It was estimated that more than 1,500,000 feet of snow was removed from the streets of New York during the day. About 16,000 men were employed in clearing the streets, but even this number could not afford much relief. In the upper part of Manhattan, all surface line traffic still was suspended tonight and the same was true of a greater part of the Bronx, the outlying districts of Brooklyn and almost all of Staten Island.

## THIRTY VESSELS OVERDUE

Trucking by means of horse-drawn and motor-vehicles was difficult or impossible. There is a possibility of more snow before morning. The maximum temperature here today was thirty-two and the minimum twenty. Weather conditions have been so unfavorable to Atlantic coast shipping that thirty-three vessels were said today to be overdue.

In a blinding storm off the Virginia coast the British steamer, Catherine Park, and another steamer, 77th ashore. They were floated today without assistance. That the storm extended far out to sea was shown by wireless messages from several liners due here today, that they could not reach port until Monday or Tuesday.

Many Die From Exposure. Business on the stock exchange was curtailed because of the storm. Many out-of-town members failed to appear. Attendance was the smallest since last summer. Robert McKim, of Bayonne, New Jersey, died of exposure while standing on the platform of the Central Railroad of New Jersey station. The body of an unidentified man was found in a hall-way in Third Avenue. Death was due to exposure. William Collins, after walking through the snow to the Erie station at Paterson, died of exhaustion. The frozen body of Miss Elizabeth Simpson was found by a neighbor who was floundering through a drift in Brooklyn. The storm closed about two o'clock this afternoon after ten inches of snow.

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### CARICATURES OF MEN AND THINGS

GRIDIRON CLUB AT WASHINGTON ROASTS PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND OTHERS

### HIGHER UPS NOT SPARED

Pathetic Little Melodrama Entitled "Trusting the Trusts" Presented For Guests' Education

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Saint Valentine was the patron of the Gridiron Club at its mid-winter dinner tonight and in witty verse in delicate strain and in laughter-provoking caricatures sketched by famous cartoonists were the pet vanities and follies of the many distinguished guests disclosed for mutual edification. The range of entertainment provided was wide, and at one time or another the diners were transported to Santo Domingo and Mexico; made interested spectators of picturesque inauguration ceremonies and admitted to the secrets of the war on trusts. The favorite policies of the new administration were exhibited in such garb as to startle at times the authors who were present in person. A cabaret show comprised a scene of jollity and care-free gaiety, as presented by the "Band of Hope," the most optimistic crowd of hoppers ever gotten together, and introducing performers of world wide fame, including Uncle Joe, The Colonel, Charles Murphy, the Grand Old Duke of York, Grady, Dame Chance, Suffragette, etc. The musical talent of the club found full opportunity as the various characters entered the show.

**Chief Murphy's Plan**  
To the air of "Curse of an Aching Heart," Chief Murphy poured out his woes as follows:  
"They made me think I was Big Chief, And I believed them too. They told me things to swell my pride And made me think them true; I played the game of politics, I backed my man and lost; And now I am a derelict, Alone I pay the cost."

The Colonel also appealed to the sympathies of the band by a plaintive appeal in song to the air of "Take me Back."

"Take me back to your ranks once again boys. Once again let me run the big show. Take me back and you never will lose me.  
For I am a winner, you know; I am tired of living outside the ramparts. You need ME just as I've need of you. I need you, I want you, I need you. Take me back and I'll always be true."

Mrs. Grundy identified some of the "watchful waiters." There was Albert Jeremiah Beveridge "waiting for the people to appreciate true statesmanship." And John Lind, "the original watchful waiter" who never gets tired of his job, though "some other people do." Asked whether Lind was a visitor in Mexico, Huerta replied: "Visitor? He's a regular boarder."  
Uncle Joe—"What is he doing down there?"  
Huerta—"Me; I guess."  
Uncle Joe—"Are you nearing the end of your resources?"  
Huerta—"Not a bit of it. The printing presses are working overtime and the output of government bonds is good."

**Huerta Has a Hunch.**  
And they he burst into song to the air of "The Rambler."  
"A year I've been president down in Mexico.  
"But now an intimation comes that I will have to go.  
"A kind friend on the north has stimulated this demand.  
"Until I'm forced to think at last I will soon be canned.  
"Oh, then I will ramble, ramble, I'll ramble all around.  
"The safety I've found.  
"Oh, then I will ramble, ramble, I'll ramble but not on my native ground."

In thrilling melodrama was told the story of the anti-trust plans of the administration, concluding with an impressive tableau of the formal signature of the Constitution of Peace, uniting the best of meritment the peaceful and prospects of the dominant party. "Trusting the trusts," was the name of this melodrama and the purpose was disclosed in an eloquent prologue.  
"Here then tonight we'll strive to make most clear  
That bustling trusts may go with kindly feeling.  
That sentiment and all that gives good cheer,  
Are not apart from what once seemed raw feeling.  
Thus runs the new Wilsonian dispensation:  
A trust that's trusted; it no longer busts,  
Or in its heart 'can shelter that sensation.  
The plot opened with Father Trust and Daughter Industry in hiding. Trust is startled at the likeness of Industry to her dead sister "Infant Industry" who was so beautiful that

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\$1,075,000 BOND ISSUE FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENT  
Waco, Texas, Feb. 14.—The \$1,075,000 bond issue for road improvement district No. 2 in which Waco and West are the principal cities, carried in today's election by a two-thirds majority and 189 votes to spare. The vote was 3,047 for and 1,242 against.  
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### CONSIDERS LANE'S RULING INEFFECTIVE

Attorney General's Department Declares Hotels in Wet Territory Can Serve Drinks

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Feb. 14.—The Attorney General's department tonight declared unofficially that the ruling of Controller Lane relative to serving of liquor by porters in hotels to be dispensed in dining rooms and guests' rooms, was ineffective and not conforming with the former holding of the attorney-general's department.  
"The department recently ruled that such action would be in violation of the Allison law and was permissible in wet territory. The Controller refused to recognize such ruling and was intending to enforce the non-sale of liquor to be served in dining rooms, etc., on the ground that it was in violation of the Robertson-Fitzhugh law. The attorney general's department considers that this law was covered in their recent ruling and that hotels in wet territory may serve drinks in dining rooms without violation of the law."

### MAGNOLIA AGENTS HOLD ENJOYABLE MEETING HERE

Local agents for the Magnolia Petroleum Co. in the territory of Claude M. Smith, salesman for that company, with headquarters here, met in Wichita Falls Friday when R. R. Darragh, manager for the northwest division of the Magnolia company was in the city. The meeting was held at the Westland hotel where the visiting agents were entertained on Friday night. Besides helpful discussions and suggestions of sales promotions and other matters those participating were pleasantly entertained.

The agents included: J. D. Johnson, Wichita Falls; Luther Briggs, Seymour; C. P. Dodson, Nocona; P. L. Kaush, Henrietta; Brandon Smith, Electra; W. M. Hampton, Vernon; Jesse Dale, Chillicothe; J. D. Smith, Quanah; J. L. Helin, Paducah; and W. J. Gingham, Wichita Falls.

### COST OF SPECIAL FREE SERVICE BY RAILROADS

Discussion of the Question Continues to Occupy Attention at Rate Increase Hearing

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Discussion before the Interstate-Commerce Commission as to whether free service by the railroads to certain shippers does not cost the carriers more annually than a general five per cent freight rate advance would add to their revenue, was continued today after a three day conference. Louis D. Brandeis, counsel for the commission, today asked W. H. Heath, vice-president of a large Buffalo concern which enjoys such advantages, whether he thought a charge of fifty cents a car would be unjust for this service.  
Mr. Heath acknowledged that his firm saved more than \$40,000 annually by avoiding drayage costs and that goods reached their destination in better condition because they were packed right at the factory. Mr. Brandeis argued that a small charge of one dollar or less per car by the railroads for this free service would bring them millions annually.

her face looked like 85 per cent ad valorem."

Industry—"What happened to her?"  
Trust—"The Democratic acid throwers got her."  
Industry—"Did they get you, too?"  
Trust—"No; but they're after me with a poisoned needle. The word trust is no longer respected except on a twenty dollar gold piece, and Roosevelt tried to take it off that."  
Miss Industry is Coy.  
Enter McReynolds who makes advances to Industry, saying:  
"I will clothe you in silks and deck you with diamonds," to which the girl replied:  
"Never! I know your idea of clothes. You want every one to dress like the blind-folded lady with the scales."  
Then McReynolds tempts the father, urging him to dissolve the trusts, keep part of what you have and draw dividends without voting privileges from the rest.  
Trust—"What good will that do?"  
McReynolds—"All the trust busters in Congress will be put out of business. They will have nothing left to bust."  
Finally under the tear of the mob, Trust throws himself upon the mercy of the new Interstate Trade Commission otherwise the brothers "Cheeryble" of the government and subscribes to their "constitution of peace" under which "the trusts come to our commission when they feel naughty and we tell them how to be good."  
On board the Battleship Friendship was held an examination of a class of blue-jackets by one of Secretary Daniels' "young warfare workers" and here were some of the questions and answers:  
"What is the chief aim of the navy?"  
"To knock out the kindergarten."  
"What is naval strategy?"  
"Carrying John Lind from Vera Cruz to Pass Christian without letting anybody know it."

Following in the wake of the ship came an ancient gliding his name as "Apt Alitteration," which was no other than "Woodrow Wilson, or Champ Clark, or Luke Lee, or Knute Nelson, or Tom Taggart, or Bill Barnes, or Swager Sherley." He was afraid his baby "Watchful-Waiting" had been killed as the other poor "Dollar Diplomacy."

### WELL SHOOTING IS A RISKY JOB

ONLY TWO DEGREES LESS DANGEROUS THAN BEING A FEDERAL CAPTURED BY REBS

### NOW WELLS ARE SHOT

Explosive Must Be Handled Carefully—Well Shot Holds Increased Production

Production at the rate of 100 barrels daily has been put into the tanks by McBride No. 7 Chenault, the well which was shot several days ago and which increased so decidedly following the shot. The rate at which the well is holding up is considered remarkable and owners of wells throughout the Burk Burnett country are "shot crazy" as some one expressed it. Arrangements are now under way for shooting a number of other wells in that section.

The "shooting" of an oil well—that is the exploding of nitroglycerin or dynamite in the oil producing sand—is a dangerous procedure, involving most interesting ones. In Oklahoma where many of the oil sands are hard and where much shooting is done, the "shooter" is a more or less common figure but as yet is comparatively unknown in this section. One reader was infinitely where a shooter met death plying his trade; it sometimes happens that the shot instead of increasing the production, wrecks the casing and ruins the well altogether. Shooting is not without its risks and should be done with extreme caution.

Lowering the Shot.

The McBride No. 7 had eighteen feet of sand and forty quarts of nitroglycerin were used. The "nitro" was placed in long tin tubes, and the shooter lowered one of these carefully and cautiously into the hole. At the end of the tubing, a small tin tube at the end of it is a thing to be respected and the shooter handles it that way; if it should strike something in the hole before he gets it down four or five hundred feet, depending upon the amount of nitro in the tube, it would be all day with the shooter.

When the tin has finally reached its resting place at the bottom of the hole, the shooter lowers another and perhaps a third, down upon top of it until the hole through the sand is lined with nitro, so to speak. Where the sand is eighteen feet thick, probably three such tins would be required.

The nitro safely in the hole, the worst part of the shooter's work is over. It is set off either by means of a fuse or by electricity, the latter method being used in the McBride well. The explosion occurs and presently there is an outpouring of sand and mud, and other things from the mouth of the hole; the nitro has ripped out the interior of the sand and forced up the oil bearing formation, so that the fluid may flow easily into the hole and be pumped out to be made into boarding house butter, gasoline, chewing gum, roofing and the other things that petroleum eventually becomes.

Casing Raised Before Shooting.

Before the shot is made the casing is pulled sufficiently far to leave twenty or thirty feet of "open hole," that is, hole without casing, above the sand. This is done to minimize the danger of the casing being wrecked by the shot; when the explosion strikes the casing it usually means no more oil from that well.  
The dangers that attend the shooting process begin when the nitro is manufactured and do not end until it has safely exploded. The explosive may have to be hauled over a few dozen miles of rough country road and it is no cinch but that the teamsters will not be a widow before the trip is through; upon arrival it has to be handled some more, placed in the tin tubes all of which is as dangerous, as can be and tends to make well shooting about two degrees less safe than being a federal just captured by the rebels.

### NEW POOL FOUND NEAR IOWA PARK

WELL ON SUNDAY FARM IS AN EIGHT OR TEN BARRREL PUMPER

### OIL FOUND AT 740 FEET

Other Wells Are To Go Down In Vicinity Immediately—Griffith and Burt Owners

The well on the J. P. Sunday farm northwest of Iowa Park has been drilled in and is an eight or ten barrel pumper at 740 feet. This is not as good a well as the first reports from that vicinity indicated, it is sufficiently productive at that depth to stimulate work in the country immediately north and west of Iowa Park and it is believed that it will lead to putting that community very decidedly on the oil map.  
Griffith and Burt of Houston own the well and the delay in drilling it was occasioned by their being out of the city when the sand was reached. They have already made location for another well in same tract and will probably start work within a few days.

A coincidence in connection with this well is that it is on the Sunday farm and the oil sand was reached on Sunday which as one near Homer set it, ought to make a "good" well.

### MUCH INTEREST IN ROAD MEETING

DELEGATIONS FROM ELECTRA, BURKBURNETT AND IOWA PARK COMING

### OUTLINE ROAD SYSTEM

One Proposed Would Extend 90 Miles and Connect All Points in County

Delegations from Electra, Burk Burnett and Iowa Park as well as all the citizens of Wichita Falls who are interested in better roads are expected to gather in the Chamber of Commerce rooms at the city hall at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon when steps for the organization of a county good roads association will be taken. W. C. Travilla, good roads expert, who is directing the expenditure of the million dollars voted by Tarrant county, will be here for the meeting and will be one of the speakers.  
Those back of the movement are planning to form an organization that will not cease to exist until every road in this county that is traveled at all generally has been improved.  
J. E. Head, the oil man, was largely instrumental in bringing Mr. Travilla here and who is one of the moving spirits behind the proposed organization. He wrote to Mr. Travilla recently and secured the expert's promise of cooperation.  
200 Letters Sent Out.  
All Wichitans are invited to attend the meeting and it is hoped to give the organization a good start. Over 200 letters were sent out yesterday to residents of the county, urging their attendance and it is believed that each of the smaller communities will send a number of citizens.  
A good roads system of approximately ninety miles in the plan of the organization. It is estimated that for \$6000 per mile a road can be constructed that will stand every variety of traffic and every variety of weather for an indefinite period. This would include roads leading from Wichita Falls to the Wilbarger county line via Electra and Iowa Park; to Burk Burnett; to the Archer county line; to the Clay county line toward both Henrietta and Petrolia; from Iowa Park to Burk Burnett and from Burk Burnett to Electra.  
Such a road system would cost approximately \$550,000, would serve every part of the county and touch every important community in the county. It is to the consummation of such a good roads plan that the efforts of the new association will be directed.

### PARRISH NO MATCH FOR CHARLES DELIVUK

Austrian Throws Clay County School Teacher; First Fall in Ten Minutes

J. Ben Parrish, the former Clay county youth who has won a number of wrestling contests recently, proved no match for Charles Delivuk, of Omaha Friday night. In a contest at the Moose hall Delivuk quickly won the first fall and Parrish collapsed before the second had progressed more than a few minutes, the honor going to Delivuk. The Austrian seemed to have decidedly the better of the argument so far as knowledge of the wrestling game was concerned; Parrish was neither quick enough nor expert enough to use it to advantage.  
Delivuk secured the first fall in about ten minutes, using a wrist lock and head scissor; at no time did the Austrian seem in real danger of being thrown. After the second fall had progressed a few minutes, Parrish seemed to be "wing fast" and asked Delivuk to stop the match long enough for him to get a drink of water. Delivuk declined to do this and a moment later Parrish collapsed upon the mat. He was all right after being permitted to rest for a short time but no effort was made to continue the match.  
Parrish is said by those familiar with the wrestling game to be an unusually strong man, but without much knowledge of the science of wrestling. He was undoubtedly much stronger than Delivuk who is about forty-five years old but the Austrian's long experience in the wrestling game made him a comparatively easy victor.

### KANSAS CITY FEELS MANAGER EXPECTED HERE THIS WEEK

Manager Stovall of the Kansas City Federal League team is expected in Wichita Falls early this week to look over what this city has to offer in the way of spring training camp facilities. The telegram announcing his coming stated that he would leave

the "coast" yesterday but just which of the several coasts was meant was not indicated. If the Gulf coast was meant the manager should be here today or tomorrow, if the Pacific coast was meant it will be two or three days before he can arrive.  
No effort will be spared to induce Mr. Stovall to bring the Feds to this city to train. In spite of the excep-

tional facilities this city can offer, no major league team has ever trained here and it is believed that once Wichita Falls is established on the map as a training camp, one or more teams can be brought here every year.  
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  - Fancy lemons, all good, dozen 15c
  - \$200.00 worth of candy, worth 15c to 35c pound, now 5c to 10c
  - 15 pieces domino chewing gum 5c
  - 4 Crown Fancy Raisins, slightly damaged, per lb 5c
  - Good onions, per lb 4c
  - Cracker Jack, 3 boxes for 10c
  - Wrapping paper, slightly damaged, 18 and 24 inch, per pound 3c
  - Big lot of chewing tobacco, half price.
  - Vienna Sausage, 10c size, per can 5c
  - Mince meat, all good, 2 for 15c
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## MANUAL TRAINING STUDENTS BUSY

DEPARTMENT NOW IN ITS THIRD YEAR AND GROWING IN POPULARITY

### INDIVIDUALITY IS SHOWN

One Girl is Member of Class This Year—Boys Design, Sketch and Execute Own Ideas

The manual training department of the high school is now in its third year and is proving more popular each year. There are one hundred and ten students in the high school who are taking the course, about twenty of them being in the advanced classes.

For the most part the boys alone have been interested in the course, but this year there is one girl taking the course. The first year's work includes instruction in the rudiments of mechanical drawing and also on the proper use of tools. The more simpler articles are constructed in this class, such as book racks and stands and they are instructed in the use of the turning lathes. In the advanced classes useful articles of furniture are made, the third year students now being engaged in making upholstered articles, Tabarets, pedestals, magazine racks and like articles are being constructed, the students doing every bit of the work first drawing, the design and work through all the different stages until the finished polished article is put out. The students make their own selection of the pieces and express their individuality in the working out of the designs. The beginners work with pine, gum wood, cypress and the easier woods to work with and gradually work up to the harder woods.

### Building Locker Case.

The students are now constructing a case of lockers to be fitted with paneled doors. This is being built by the students working in groups with a foreman in charge and a great deal of interest is being taken in the work. The case will be stained and polished and will make quite a nice piece of work when finished. A cedar chest is also being constructed along rather novel lines. The frame work is made of quarter sawed oak with top sides, bottom and tray of red cedar. A mission table that is somewhat out of the ordinary in design is also being made, a music cabinet and numerous other articles. The equipment of the department contains six turning lathes, tool grinder and hand saw all operated by individual motors, in addition to the individual work benches and lockers. Lumber racks and lockers for the tools have been built by the students.

Justin—Justin has just had a clean up day and twenty loads of trash have been hauled away. Every citizen in town participated in the event and 200 pounds of rubbish was the accumulation for each person.

## "INFORMED" FOR TOM BALL

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delegates to Fort Worth be informed that a majority of those present favor the selection of Tom Ball of Houston.

### A Tribute To Mayes.

Prof. G. H. Carpenter paid a sincere tribute to his former fellow townsman Will H. Mayes of Brownwood. He said he had no objections to Tom Ball whatever but that he was supporting Mayes. He will make a clear, practical, sane governor, he said. "He is not in any sense erratic but is a man of good common sense. There are men in Texas of greater ability, I know, but there are none more honest." He is a much stronger man than you might think. You've got to know him personally to appreciate fully his great worth."

Judge Carrigan opposed the resolution saying that he believed the representatives of this county know whom the people wanted and that they should be unshaken. Judge Carrigan later voted for the resolution, it being adopted with only two dissenting votes. There were only two dissenting votes to the motion prohibiting Wichita county delegates from giving proxies.

### List of Delegates.

Mr. Bullock in accordance with the instructions of the mass meeting announced the following delegates from Wichita county to the Fort Worth conference next Saturday:

- P. A. Martin, B. D. Donnell, A. H. Carrigan, J. T. Montgomery, George Carpenter, J. L. Hill, J. S. Fore, M. P. Kelly, Charles R. Fuller, J. M. Bland, W. R. Ferguson, George Simmons, E. P. Haney, E. H. Eddleman, N. L. Lowrance, N. W. Self, C. C. Shelton, W. J. Bullock, J. L. Meers, T. J. Waggoner, Ed Howard, P. B. Cox, W. H. Downing, Ed Friberg, R. P. Abernathy, E. E. Balesky, J. W. Morgan, J. B. Winfrey, G. T. Smith, J. R. Pace, J. A. Putnam, W. B. Hodges, George Ancell, Sid Smith, A. A. Honaker, T. H. Barwise, J. T. Hamilton, T. L. Pinkerton, W. T. Willis, D. Daniel, R. E. Moore, J. F. Gillett, J. D. Cooper, W. J. Gwin, W. P. Billingsley, C. G. Bilderback, W. B. Minnick, C. O. Quarnstrom, Hy Willis, J. W. Doneho, L. H. Lawler, W. L. Robertson, J. A. Deaton, R. L. Eeds, J. L. McConkey, T. W. Parker, T. B. Noble, J. C. Ward, J. A. Tanner, G. T. Akers, S. P. Hawkins, S. M. Daniel, A. R. Prothro, J. A. Elder, P. P. Warren, J. N. George, J. P. Sunday, A. A. Morgan, H. B. Johnson, J. C. Kay, J. T. Overby, L. P. Douglas, J. W. Stringer, E. V. Friberg, Joe Daniels, J. C. A. Guest, E. R. Menden, N. P. Ferguson, E. E. Reed, W. C. Heath, J. C. Hunt, E. E. Hardin, I. H. Mathis, A. B. Womack, W. W. Brown, Alex Kerr, E. Kilander, J. W. Mathews, J. C. Ralston, Thos. Huff, J. T. Williams, M. M. Noble, S. T. Taylor, W. Y. Hammack, J. M. McFall.

To-day—The oil companies operating in the field near this city have put on night shifts and further developments are expected at any time.

## INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE TODAY

REV. FREDERICK DATSON TO BE COME RECTOR OF GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH

### PLANNING HIS WORK HERE

Archdeacon Crittenden Will Conduct Service—This City is Surprise to 'New Divine'



Rev. Frederick Datson, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, will be formally instituted in that position this morning at 11 o'clock and the members of the Episcopal parish, a vested choir will provide music for the occasion and Archdeacon Crittenden of Weatherford will serve as instituting officer representing the bishop in that capacity.

The service of institution is one of the most solemn rites of the Episcopal church, placing the rector in complete charge of the parish and vesting in him all the authority that the Episcopal church confers upon its rectors. The actual institution consists of the turning over of the keys of the church to the rector by the wardens, Dr. L. Mackechney and W. M. McGregor. The service as a whole, with the bishop or archdeacon officiating, is not only a solemn rite of the church but has the force of a legal contract, binding upon both the rector and the parish.

### New Building Planned.

With the institution of the rector, the parish of the Good Shepherd will be fully organized for the first time since it became a parish and members are planning for considerable extension work. As stated previously it is proposed to sell the present church and rectory buildings and erect larger and more commodious structures further from the business district. It is likely that a parish hall in which the social activities of the parish may be accommodated, will also be built. The parish is a young one and its membership as yet

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2nd car leaves ..... 9:15 a. m.  
3rd car leaves ..... 11:00 a. m.

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2nd car leaves ..... 4:00  
3rd car leaves ..... 5:20

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## SCENES IN WAR TORN MEXICO AND MAP SHOWING CITIES HELD BY RIVAL FORCES



COOP OF YAQUI INDIANS 2 REBELS ARMING THEMSELVES FEDERAL GUNS AND AMMUNITION

is not large but it is demonstrating its faith in the future in many ways. The new rector arrived here about ten days ago with his family and conducted services for the first time last Sunday. He is from Menominee, Michigan, in the heart of the mining district of the northern peninsula of Michigan, not very far from Calumet, the scene of so much strife in recent months. Mr. Datson is thirty-nine years of age and has been a rector for ten years, spending all of that time in the diocese of Marquette, Michigan.

Mr. Datson was born in Lancashire, England and came to this country with his brother, who is also in the Episcopal priesthood when eighteen years of age. It was the intention then to bring the father and mother over later but the father died within a year ago; the elder Mrs. Datson now resides with the older brother in Michigan. Mr. Datson was educated in the English schools, finishing at Albion College, Michigan. He determined to enter the priesthood at an early age and all his energies were bent to that end, he becoming a rector for the first time ten years ago. He is married, Mrs. Datson being a Michigan girl; a boy and two girls comprise the family.

Although he came here a stranger to Wichita Falls, this city was not altogether a stranger to Mr. Datson. He had seen this city advertised in magazines to which he subscribed and when the call to this parish came he already knew something of Wichita Falls. He was agreeably surprised, however, when he arrived as he found the city far in advance of his expectations as a Texas town. The buildings, improvements and general appearance of the city, he said, are such as to put Wichita Falls in a higher class than the community he has just left in an older country.

Mr. Datson is enthusiastic about the work here and has already entered into his duties with a fervor that speaks well of the choice of the parish. He has many plans for extending and enlarging the work of the church here.

Speaking of conditions in the mining districts in the Michigan penin-

sula, Mr. Datson said that there seemed to be much sentiment against the Federatlok miners; these he said were mostly foreigners, drawing good wages under the contract system and they had struck because they had been led to believe that a strike would cause the government to take over the mines; being Socialists, they wanted to see such condition brought about. Mr. Datson said the mining companies treated the men well, providing them with comfortable homes at a rental of six or seven dollars a month, establishing hospitals, gymnasiums and the like and providing medical attention in case of illness.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, Feb. 15, 1914

Evelyn Thaw is coming to Wichita Falls March 16th. We're just wondering if the opera house will hold 'em.

Now they say that some of the "original" Wilson men can have postoffice in Texas. All right, Albert, Old Scout, but don't let the republicans who are eating the provender the Lord intended for patriots to have stay-in until it's all gone.—Houston Post.

Say what you will in adverse criticism to Governor Colquitt, even his critics are bound to give him credit for loyalty to his friends. Those who are closest to him say he most positively will not show favors to those who opposed his re-election if he can possibly avoid it. There are too many men who succeed in their ambition to gain high office who forget too quick those who helped to put them there. "To the victors belong the spoils."

Neighboring towns join with Wichita Falls in sorrow for the death of Mayor Bell. From all that we can hear he was a man of the highest worth, a man who exerted a beneficial influence in his community and gave Wichita an excellent administration.—Baylor County (Seymour) Banner.

If the prohibition Democrats of Texas are to meet in conference at Fort Worth next Saturday endorse a real big man as their choice for governor, the chances are that he will win in the July primaries. Thousands of such Democrats did not participate in the county conventions held throughout the state yesterday for one reason or other, but principally through fear that if they did they would be bound to give their vote and support to some candidate for governor who, in their deliberate judgment is not big enough for a position carrying with it such great responsibilities. Texas needs and should have a real big man for her chief executive.

While the delegates appointed to represent the prohibitionist Democrats of Wichita county at the Fort Worth convention, selected by the mass meeting yesterday at the court house in this city, were not instructed, a resolution was passed to the effect that it was the sense of those composing the mass meeting that the nomination for governor of Texas should be given to Tom Ball of Houston. There were only about fifty to attend that meeting, but the sentiment was overwhelmingly for Ball. If there was a single one in the crowd who favored the nomination of Comptroller Lane he kept quiet. There were a few who are friends of Lieut. Gov. Mayes present and participating, but they were largely in the minority.

The Culbreth tunnel horror, in which Castillo and his bandits fixed a trap that led to the destruction of the lives of some thirty passengers, including a number of Americans, aboard a train on the Mexican Northern Railroad, demands immediate drastic action which will stop nothing short of the extermination of his entire band. General Villa is reported to have announced his intention of personally leading a force that will accomplish that purpose. He should hold to that purpose resolutely until he has fully achieved it, even at the expense of delaying his present campaign for the overthrow of Huerta. He has much to gain and nothing to lose in the final establishment of constitutional government in Mexico in making a swift example of Castillo. Uncle Sam has been very patient, but there is a time when patience ceases to be a virtue.—Houston Post.

If the press dispatches are to be relied upon, Villa is making good his threat to exterminate that bunch of cutthroats. Castillo was executed shortly after being captured, and it is safe to predict that those of his followers who have not yet been captured will meet the same fate.—Houston Post.

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lowers who were captured along with their leader have shared his fate, Villa seems to understand how to win favor with Americans, and this incident furnished him with the opportunity he was looking for.

The Memphis banker who squandered about one million of the banks funds the other day would not have had such a fine opportunity to do that had Tennessee adopted a law for the protection of depositors like that of Texas. The bank might have failed, all right, but the depositors would not have lost anything. And again, there is hardly any likelihood that the dishonest banker could have managed to squander so much of the banks funds with an inspector examining the books every few months. Any law that has for its purpose the protection of bank depositors, whether national or state, should receive the endorsement of the people. Just because a man happens to be a banker does not necessarily make him honest, and no man who is honest is going to complain or find fault with a law that is enacted to protect the people from the man who is dishonest.

A movement is on foot to have an election in this county to determine whether or not pool halls shall be allowed to operate. Pool halls may be objectionable in some respects, but men and boys are going to have some sort of recreation. The extremists have made all forms of Sunday amusement impossible and now they would close about the only places where an hour or two's time may be spent in innocent sport during the week days. Just for information, we would like to be informed just what will be substituted in place of the pool hall as a means of recreation or for passing away a few idle moments.—Denison Herald.

This law has been held good by the higher courts, and it is a pottable fact that in every instance where an election has been held to enforce its provisions, it has met with favor at the hands of the voters. We shall watch with interest the results of such an election in Grayson county, which is one of the largest and most populous in the state. The people, as a rule, generally know what is best for them, and if they don't want pool halls to exist, they can put an end to them.

Tom Roark for Constable. The Times is authorized to announce that Tom Roark is a candidate for constable of precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in July of this year. Mr. Roark is well known to most of the voters of this city and precinct, having been a citizen of this city for several years, and is announcing for this office he wishes to state that he has had seven years experience as a peace officer and therefore feels that he is in every way qualified to perform in an acceptable and efficient manner the duties of the office to which he aspires. The Times respectfully submits his candidacy for this office for the consideration of the voters at the election.

W. M. Ross for Mayor. The Times is authorized to announce that W. M. Ross is a candidate for Mayor of Wichita Falls at the ensuing April election. Mr. Ross has been a citizen of Wichita Falls for the past five years. He is a building contractor and is also a member of the B. of B. U. As the Times understands it, Mr. Ross expects to draw his principal support from members of the various union labor organizations of the city and if he succeeds in doing this—that is, if the union men support his candidacy, he will prove a very formidable candidate in the race for mayor. The Times respectfully submits his candidacy for the consideration of the voters at the election.

Joe Aiken for District Judge. The Times is authorized to announce Judge Joe Aiken of Graham, Taylor County, as a candidate for Judge of the district court of the 30th judicial district. He is a genuine Democrat. He announces for the high and important office subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in July. Judge Aiken has been a leading lawyer at Graham for the past five years, and for several terms served his county as county judge. He was formerly a law partner of Judge John C. Kay, formerly of Graham, but now of this city and a member of the law firm of Mathis & Kay. Those who know him best speak in the highest and most complimentary terms of Judge Aiken, as a good citizen and of his ability as a lawyer. The Times respectfully submits his candidacy to the voters for their careful consideration at the polls in July.

TO START BRIDGE SOON ON NEW BRIDGE AT CHILDRESS CHILDRESS POST. The heavy flood losses in the central and southern parts of the state have so taxed the ability of the contracting company that the beginning of the work on the Childress county bridge across Red River has been considerably delayed. Consequently, many who had hoped to secure employment in different kinds of work on the bridge have been disappointed. Commissioner Hawkins returned Monday from Dallas, where he talked with a representative of the bridge company and he states that he expects to begin work in about three weeks. This will give farmers who desire to do hauling time to finish breaking and preparing their lands and then the bridge hauling can be done just before planting time.

GORE WILL TAKE STAND MONDAY

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called and testified to hearing Robertson say, "We have a frame-up against Gore unless he comes across with \$25,000 he will have to get out of the race."

C. W. Gould of Oklahoma City, testified Dr. Earp had told him two months ago that "Gore was an old blind fool and would have to get out of the Senate." "Some Strings to Pull." Dr. J. Q. Newell, marshal for the western district of Oklahoma, who was in Washington at the time of the alleged occurrence, testified that he met Mrs. Bond in the parlor of her hotel and in reply to a question how she felt, said, "Not very well, but I have some strings to pull on Gore yet." Newell said he met Dr. Earp last summer in Oklahoma City and Earp showed him an Indiana paper containing what purported to be a long confession from Senator Gore. Newell said Earp was quoted throughout the alleged confession.

In this confession, Gore is quoted as saying "They laid a trap for me and I fell into it. I tried to fondle her a little, but she fought like a hyena." Earp on the stand testified that Senator Gore made this statement to him. Newell said when he showed him the paper, Earp remarked, "Every word of that is a lie; there is not a word of truth in it."

E. S. Whitelaw for Justice of the Peace. The Times is authorized to announce the candidacy of E. S. Whitelaw as a candidate for justice of the peace in precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Mr. Whitelaw who is engaged in the insurance business making a specialty of accident insurance has been a resident of Wichita Falls for about seven years and is therefore known to most of our citizens. Mr. Whitelaw has clerical qualifications that will be useful in this office and feels that he is qualified to discharge the duties of the office to the satisfaction of the public. He will appreciate the support of his friends.

DR. ANNA HOWARD SHAW IS SERIOUSLY INJURED.

New York, Feb. 14.—The Rev. Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National Women Suffrage Association and one of the foremost workers for peace in the world, was badly injured today when she fell as she was alighting from a train in Jersey City. She slipped under a car after the train had stopped and broke her right leg. She was suffering greatly tonight but her condition was not considered serious. She is sixty-seven years old, this being her birthday.

The accident made it necessary for her to abandon proposed out of town trips in the interest of equal suffrage, including a tour to Texas with Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt. On Monday afternoon she was to have been a guest of honor with Miss Anthony at a tea arranged by the Women's Political Union. It was a coincidence that about ten days ago Miss Anthony broke her right arm.

SUBSCRIBERS MAY RESERVE CONCERT SEATS TOMORROW

Those who have subscribed will reserve their seats tomorrow morning, February 16th for the Fischer-Evans concert to be here on February the 25th. They will be able to reserve seats at the Rexall Drug Store from 9 o'clock on. The board will not go up for the general public to reserve seats until Friday. Many have subscribed for seats and if the enthusiasm continues to grow as it has in the past few days there will not even be standing room to be had on the day of the concert.

LES MISERABLES COMES TO THE WICHITA FRIDAY

The Motion Picture—World series "Les Miserables" will be shown by New York City at the Carnegie Lyceum beginning January 26. The Gordon Brothers Amusement Company, subject for New York and New England, will install in the Lyceum a great Moller organ. This new adaptation of Hugo's story may have the proper musical accompaniment, Gordon Brothers announce that Richard Henry Warren, organist and choir-master of the Church of Ascension in New York City, will be at the keys. "Les Miserables," which it will be re-leased in an Eclectic production, was shown for six weeks in the spacious Tremont Temple in Boston. So insistent have been the demands for another run that it is likely the picture will again be installed in this famous house.

The above production of Les Miserables will be shown at the Wichita Theatre, one day only, matinee and night, Friday, February 20.

Automobile Registrations

Automobile Registrations during the past two weeks as follows: W. P. Blighsly, Wichita Falls, Ford; Tillinois Torpedo Co., Elctra, Ford; J. F. Poole, Wichita Falls, Overland; W. B. Philpott, Wichita Falls, Ford; C. N. Henshill, Burkburnett, Maxwell; C. A. Combs, Wichita Falls, Little; Joe Long, Wichita Falls, Imperial; Corsicana Pet. Co., Elctra, Ford; E. V. Friberg, Wichita Falls, Mitchell; Mrs. W. H. Walker, Wichita Falls, Buick; Hugh Reilly, Burkburnett, Ford.

BOHEMIAN ROBBED OF DIAMOND PIN

Confronted With Revolver When he Stepped Out of Back Door of Barber Shop

A Bohemian farm hand who was unable to make the police understand his name was held up and robbed of a diamond valued at \$75 about 10 o'clock last night. The robbery made a safe getaway. The robbery occurred in the rear of the Hurley barber shop on Ohio near the corner of Eighth street.

The Bohemian while awaiting his turn in the shop, stepped out of the rear door of the barber shop, confronted by a man who pointed a large pistol at him. The robber quickly jerked the diamond from his victim's necktie and made a move as if to take his watch also but merely jerked the fob loose and dropped it on that night. He then backed off and disappeared in the darkness of the alley.

The police were at once notified, but no arrest had been made up to 1 o'clock this morning. The name of the man robbed was not learned, it being unpronounceable for the police. The man said he worked on the Dave Thomas farm.

DALLAS MAN CHARGED WITH MISUSE OF MAILS

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 14.—George B. Latham, candidate for finance commissioner of this city on the Progressive Ticket three years ago and P. N. Flood, a physician, were convicted in federal court here today on a charge of using the mails to defraud in connection with medical advertisements. Notice of appeal was given and sentence was deferred.

W. B. Q. C. AND J. WITHDRAW FROM A. F. OF L. DEPARTMENT

Indianapolis, Feb. 14.—By a referendum vote, the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America decided to withdraw from the Building Trades department of the American Federation of Labor. This was announced today. It was explained that the action would not affect membership of the Carpenters' organization in the American Federation of Labor.

WIDOW JUMPS OVERBOARD TO MEET MER BELOVED

Austin, Texas, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Charles H. Wood, wife of the late clubman and banker of this city, who died at Agra, India, December 5, jumped overboard from a steamer the first night out from Singapore, January 8, while en route to Hong Kong with her husband's ashes. She left a note saying "I am going to look for my beloved." Mrs. Wood's relatives learned of her death when they went to the dock here yesterday to meet a steamer on which they expected her.

BORAN TRIBESMAN EXTERMINATE WHOLE VILLAGE

Nairobi, British East African Protectorate, Feb. 14.—Boran tribesmen recently exterminated an entire village composed of 200 men, women and children of the Rendile tribe in a swamp in the northern part of the protectorate. The Borans who are peaceful people engaged in pastoral occupations have been harassed by the Rendiles. This exasperated the Borans so much that they retaliated by killing everyone of the Rendile tribe that they could find.

MAN KILLED NEAR PALMER, TEXAS FRIDAY NIGHT

Waxahachie, Texas, Feb. 14.—A man named Turner was shot and killed last night on the M. O. Jones farm near Palmer. A man named Jenkins was arrested and had an examining trial for the killing this afternoon at Ferris. Turner was shot once with a single barreled shot gun. The cause is unknown. Both men have families.

GOV. COLQUITT PARDONED FIFTY-THREE DURING JANUARY

Washington, Feb. 14.—The Texas penitentiary population decreased fifty-three during January according to the monthly report of the prison commission today. The total number of convicts February 1 was 3715; the governor pardoned fifty-three convicts during January.

WOMAN DIES ATTEMPTING TO RESCUE CHICKENS.

Stimpson, Texas, Feb. 14.—While attempting to rescue some chickens from a burning chicken house, Mrs. E. F. Monroe, living near here was burned to death. She had been clearing the trash out of the house and set it on fire, the flames spreading to the chicken house. She had \$195 in her stocking at the time and this money was destroyed. She was sixty years old.

WILLIAM STONE FATALLY SHOT FOR A BURGLAR.

Terrell, Texas, Feb. 14.—William Stone, a farmer aged twenty-six, died last night from a gunshot wound received while walking in his sleep Thursday night. He called at the home of a neighbor, Will Hsaw at Brin Switch while asleep and knocked at the door but made no response when asked what was wanted. Hsaw shot at the figure at the door when repeated inquiries brought no reply. The body was sent to Hubbard City for burial.

MINE OUTPUT TAXED FOR DEFENSE FUND

Colorado Mine Owners Contribute Cent a Ton to Pay Expenses of Guarding the Mines

Denver, Feb. 14.—A tax of one cent a ton on all the coal mined by principal operators in Colorado since the strike began last September has been used to pay the expenses of guarding the mines, according to testimony today by C. L. Baum, before the House sub-committee investigating the labor troubles. Mr. Baum who is president of the Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, operating a mine in northern Colorado, said he contributed to this defense fund and that he understood the other district operators had done the same.

"Do you assume responsibility for the purchase of machine guns and ammunition?" the witness was asked. "I assume the responsibility," replied Mr. Baum. He told of alleged instances of violence and the issuance of an injunction against picketing by Judge Whitford of Denver. The witness introduced an affidavit signed by W. B. Wilson, a non-union miner which he said was presented to the court with an application for the order. This affidavit asserted that John F. Sbarthro, then governor and now United States senator, had aided in the violence by refusing to send troops into the troubled area.

NATIONAL BANKS HAVE ONLY SIXTY DAYS TO JOIN.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Warning was issued to national banks tonight by M. C. Elliott, secretary of the reserve bank organization committee that to comply with the currency act they must signify within sixty days of its enactment their intention to join the new system. Several banks had expressed the belief that the law allowed them twelve months in which to make known their intentions. Under the law national banks which do not signify within sixty days must prepare to liquidate and are allowed twelve months for this process.

Elliott called attention to the provisions of the law which fix the day the organization committee fixes the geographical limit of a reserve district and names the city where a district reserve bank is to be created, banks in that district which wish to come in must subscribe to the reserve bank stock. At the close of business at the treasury department tonight 6833 national banks had applied for membership out of a total of 7500 in the United States. The time limit for applications is February 22.

2000 MEXICAN LABORERS AFRAID TO GO BACK.

Kansas City, Feb. 14.—Two thousand Mexican railroad laborers their contracts for work having expired, are stranded in Kansas City. They have refused transportation home because they do not wish to be thrown into the revolution. To provide for the hungry men, a free restaurant was today opened by various organizations.

CHAIRMAN MCCOMBS PLEASED WITH DEMOCRAT'S PROSPECTS

Washington, Feb. 14.—William F. McCombs, chairman of the Democratic national committee, who came to New York today, conferred with many members of the national committee. He expressed satisfaction with the status of the democracy in many States and while no such radical re-organization of the party is planned for any State as is contemplated for New York, the national committee will be active in many other States in seeing that men of progressive views are nominated for Congress.

Moore members and friends take notice. A snicker will be held at the Moore hall at 3 o'clock this afternoon. \$7 ticket.

Wanted to buy car of fat hogs at once. Will buy any number. J. M. McFall. 37 ties

AMERICAN LEGATION ADVISED GUARD IN MEXICO.

Washington, Feb. 14.—A small legion guard of marines and machine guns, sent from a British cruiser at Vera Cruz to the legation in Mexico City was ordered only after the state department had been advised of the plan through the American embassy in London. Threats that the British legion would be made a particular object of attack in event of a public uprising, led to the precautionary measure and it was intimated at the state department today that other diplomatic representatives in Mexico might take similar measures. It was thought possible American legations might ask for a legion guard.

The Moore will give their annual ball next Wednesday night. Planned to take this one of the most delightful social events of the year.

BIG ISSUE OF FIAT MONEY BY HUERTA IS RUMOR. Mexico City, Feb. 14.—An unfounded report was current in bank circles here today that President Huerta had signed a decree authorizing the issue of 400,000,000 pesos of fiat money or irredeemable paper money as legal tender by law. Foreign exchange today touched three for one at the highest point yet reached.

COMING COMING Princess Elenas Prisoner 4 PARTS 4 PARTS Featuring the Distinguished Tragedienne MISS BETTY NAUSEN in the Title Role The first of an artistic series of remarkable multiple reel Photo dramas to be known as PREFERRED FEATURE ATTRACTIONS One of the most beautiful stories ever filmed, staged amid surroundings of unusual scenic beauty, regal splendor and fascinating attractiveness. Majestic Theatre Tuesday, Feb. 17th Children 5c Adults 15c Loge Seats 25c

ANNOUNCEMENTS City Offices. Election Tuesday, April 7 For Mayor: J. B. STOKES, ALEX. BRITAIN, W. M. ROSS. For City Recorder: L. N. JERNIGAN, J. B. NAIL, A. J. (Andy) HUMPHRIS, J. A. BURTON. For City Secretary: W. A. McVARTY. For City Tax Assessor and Collector: H. P. ROBERTSON. For City Engineer: L. C. HICKLEBY. For City Attorney: Wm. N. BONNER (Re-election), HOBACE NUTT. For City Recorder: EDGAR RYE, R. H. WHITWORTH. For Alderman: JOHN T. YOUNG. For City Health Officer: DR. J. L. GASTON, DR. MARK H. MOORE, DR. DUANE MEREDITH. For District Office: Joe Aiken of Graham, Young County. County Offices For County Tax Collector: B. M. BULLARD, ARTHUR C. HOWARD, GEO. A. SMOOT, SR., J. W. WALKUP. For County Clerk: CHAS. R. FULLER, M. P. KELLY, E. P. WALSH. For Sheriff: FRANK L. BURNS, R. L. RANDOLPH, GEORGE A. HAWKINS, R. V. GWINN, W. W. HUMPHRIES. For County Attorney: J. M. BLANKENSHIP, T. B. GREENWOOD, BERNARD MARTIN. For County Tax Assessor: JOHN ROBERTSON. For District Clerk: A. F. KERR. For County Judge: C. B. FELDER, HARVEY HARRIS. For County Treasurer: T. W. McHAM. For County School Superintendent: R. M. JOHNSON. For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1, Place 2.

WICHITA TRUCKS OFFERED TO REBEL GENERAL VILLA. If General Villa Rebel chieftain and other things in Mexico, wants to emulate the example of his adversary, Huerta and do his fighting with armored automobiles, Wichita Falls will furnish him the opportunity. Dispatches stated recently that Gen. Huerta had purchased an armored automobile and that he was preparing to equip it with a machine gun for use against the rebels. The Wichita Falls Motor Company at once wired to General Villa and offered to manufacture him an armored automobile to put a machine gun on to use against the federalists. The plant here makes motor trucks for many other purposes and its was thought they could be used for warfare as well as for anything else, although armored automobiles is not one of the specialties. Up to a late hour last night Gen. Villa had not replied to the telegraphic offer made from this city. Lockney—J. H. Graver, a farmer near this place, sold a carload of poultry to a New York concern last week. The car brought \$2500.

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# We are Wishing for You

**NEW WOOL DRESSES**  
1-Piece Fancy Gingham dresses, well trimmed, \$1.25 values, Monday only ..... **79c**

**EXTRA INDUCEMENT**  
*For Monday Only*  
Genuine Pepperell bleached sheeting, 10-4 Monday ..... **27c**  
Genuine Pepperell bleach sheeting 9-4-Monday ..... **24c**  
2000 yards Standard print calicoes, Monday ..... **4 1-2c**  
20-pieces cotton poplins, all colors, 25c kind Monday ..... **16c**  
5000 yards Red Seal and Tolle de Nord gingham Monday **9c**

25 dozen Japanese Talcum, highly perfumed, delicate odors, 25c kind, Monday only ..... **9c**

We want your presence Monday that we may have opportunity to show you the many new spring fixings that are coming in daily.



We want you to appreciate the many new styles and ideas we have purchased especially for you. We feel sure they will commend approval.

For Monday we have arranged a preliminary showing of the many new lines of merchandise that have been pouring in. COME DOWN FOR A FIRST LOOK MONDAY.

### STANDARD PATTERNS

We have just secured the exclusive agency for Wichita Falls for the Standard Patterns, the new numbers we have just received. To popularize this popular pattern with you we offer for Monday only with each dress shirt or waist pattern of materials costing \$1.0 0 or over, your choice of any Standard Pattern FREE.

Next to Wichita State Bank

## J. A. DANIELSON

The Store of Opportunity

Formerly the Daylight Store

100 pair ladies' white kid-and buck gloves, 1 and 2 button, broken sizes, \$1.25 kind, Monday for ..... **69c**

### 50 DOZEN LADIES' MUSLIN AND NAINSOOK UNDER-GARMENTS

A line of salesmen's samples comprising every wanted garment, some elaborately trimmed, all extra values at the regular price. Monday we offer them while they last at One-Half Price  
Early shoppers will secure the best selection.

20 dozen fancy bordered Barnsley towels, 18x42, good weight, well fringed, 35c kind, Monday only, each ..... **9c**

### Local News Brevities

Dr. Bolding, dentist, office 304 Kemp & Kell building. Phone 286 48 tlc

Wanted to buy car of fat hogs at once. Will buy any number. J. M. McFall. 37 tlc

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 950 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 95 tlc

Mrs. Olive A. Child of Versailles, Mo., has come to Wichita Falls and will open a millinery store at 310 1-2 Scott avenue. Mrs. Child has had several years experience in the millinery trade, having been in business for some time in her home city. She expects to be ready to show the new spring styles by the middle of the coming week, and will extend a general invitation to the ladies of the city to call and see her line.

The Knights of Pythias lodge will hold Golden Jubilee services at their hall next Thursday night. Dr. J. L. Gaston will deliver an address on Pythianism. Balloting on candidates and initiation in the rank of Page. Dr. J. W. DuVal, C. G. 37 tlc

Osteopathy for the Growing Child  
As the child approaches adolescence it is important that it should be structurally correct. Especially girls at this time of life have erect spines, and every rib should be in its proper relation to the body; the vertebrae of the spine may from falls and twists have assumed a malposition, any of these may be checking the proper development of your child or causing pains, aches and nervousness that are unnatural and that the osteopath can detect and correct. Every youth age in perfect health should be carried in the osteopathy in order that the reason may be pointed out and the trouble corrected. Osteopathy is not an experiment but more nearly an exact science today than anything in the healing art. Drs. Campbell & Farris, K. & K. Bldg. 37 tlc

If you intend to purchase glasses come here and be fully satisfied. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 37 tlc

The Tonsor barber shop, 302 1/2 Ohio avenue. All new and modern. Bath rooms in connection. Expert union barbers. R. M. (Wad) Hurley, proprietor. 34 tlc

If any person, firm or corporation desires to use my slogan, "We know how," I'll gladly grant the privilege upon application. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat Specialist. 37 tlc

Dr. Nelson, Dentist, Bean-Anderson Bldg. Phone 585 and 423 31 tlc

The Oriental Oil Co. has opened a supply station at 707 Eighth street, which will be in charge of C. O. Woody.

Smoker at Moose Hall at 3 o'clock this afternoon for Moose and their friends. 37 tlc

Mrs. S. J. T. Smith and daughter, Miss Ruth of Anson, Texas, are visiting relatives and friends here and in Petrolia this week.

Mr. Taylor is demonstrating the New Life Vibrator for all kinds of pain, headache, rheumatism, poor circulation and fading beauty. Call 895 Belmont House to let he or his wife call on you. 37 tlc

Bring the pieces of your broken glasses and I will grind you another at once. No waiting to send to Dallas. I deliver the job while you wait. A. S. Fonville, Manufacturing Optician, 706 Ohio avenue. 32 tlc

### Talent, Talent

Music! Music!! Music!!!  
I guarantee to teach beginners with little or no talent to read every-day parlor music within one year. Scores after taking a year's lessons, can't read simple music nor plain church hymns. It would appear ridiculous if some one, after attending school for years could not read the first reader. My experience as director of the following colleges is at your command: Young Ladies Seminary, U. S. Senator W. A. Clark, (the copper king), president board of trustees; Ozark Training School; Hiram and Lydia College; St. Louis Conservatory, Missouri; Stamford College, Texas.  
Piano, Vocal, Violin, Sight Reading. Harmony taught in your homes. Phone 956 reaches me at meal times only.

PROF. PAUL E. PFEIFER, 37 tlc  
705 Scott Avenue.  
Notice  
Dr. DuVal, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. Glasses fitted. We know how. 32 tlc

Gold crowns \$4 and up; gold bridges \$4 and up; plain amalgam fillings 50 cents. Dr. Kearby, dentist. 95 tlc

"Seeing is believing." We believe you should see us about your glasses. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 37 tlc

I hereby make it known I am not the man or any relation to the man who is running for City Recorder. If this mistake has thrown any reflection on him, I regret it very much. Also regret being accused of running for the office.  
J. W. WHITWORTH, 37 tlc  
February 14, 1914.

No magic but we make you see with glasses fit by A. S. Fonville, the Manufacturing Optician. 32 tlc

We are graduate opticians and know how to make you see. We grind our own lenses, no waiting. A. S. Fonville, Manufacturing Optician, 706 Ohio. 32 tlc

Better see A. S. Fonville for good glasses. He grinds his own lenses. No waiting. 706 Ohio. 32 tlc

The most comfort comes from the best glasses—the kind we furnish. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 37 tlc

Marriage licenses have been issued as follows: Charles Furnell to Edna Stamps, city; W. L. Porter to Mattie Smith; H. H. Griffin, New Boston, to Willie Stone, Electra.

Dr. H. A. Waller, Dentist, Room 207 K. & K. Phone 335. 25 tlc

Our ambulance free of charge to charity patients. Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., phone 202. 37 tlc

L. Joseph Marks, of Oklahoma City has come to Wichita Falls to make his home, and has opened offices in suite 211 Kemp & Kell building. Mr. Marks is an attorney of experience, having served the United States government for seven years in the legal department of the Interstate Commerce Commission, under appointment from Attorney General Bonepart and Knox. For two and a half years he was associated with the law firm of Everest Smith & Campbell of Oklahoma City, and for the past year has practiced his profession in that city independently. Mr. Marks has a number of relatives at Electra engaged in the oil business, and it is through their offices that he has decided to locate in Wichita Falls.

You can afford to throw away your present glasses for the comfort our made to order ones will give you. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 37 tlc

Let us advise what is best for your eyes. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 37 tlc

W. K. Shaver, 301 Adams street, brought to the Times office yesterday afternoon a soft shell egg with a sure enough tail to it. In that respect, it is a freak. Eggs with soft shells are not so rare, but when they begin to show up with tails three inches in length, we have to make a guess whether it is the product of the ordinary barn-yard fowl, or that of a snake. This egg, however, was discovered in a hen's nest and the presumption is it is a hen's egg.

Dr. Frothro, dentist, Ward building, Eighth street. 50 tlc

Possibly that headache is caused by your glasses. Come to me and I will fit you with glasses so you can see as you once did. A. S. Fonville, Manufacturing Optician, 706 Ohio.

Mandolin and Guitar.  
Lessons taught by a first class teacher at the College of Music and Art, 1404 Eleventh street. Phone 1270. 33 c o 4 lf

Wichita Falls Undertaking Company, Hines & Embry, Props. Office and parlors, 812 Scott avenue, Maer building. Phone 202. Command us. Prompt ambulance service. 7 tlc

I am now located at 710 1/2 Indiana avenue in the Bean-Anderson building. Phone 585. Dr. J. S. Nelson, dentist. 301 tlc

Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., Oscar W. Hines, Licensed Embalmer, Mrs. Oscar W. Hines, assistant. 37 tlc  
Acting as adviser and mediator rather than judge, Saturday, in the district court, Judge Martin persuaded a husband and wife to lay aside their

differences and drop a suit for divorce filed by one of them. The wife had filed a petition for injunction and for alimony pending the trial of the divorce suit. This hearing was set for Saturday afternoon. Before going into the hearing Judge Martin decided to reconcile the differences of the couple. He called both into his private office and after half an hour's talk with them, they informed their attorneys that they would drop proceedings and would try to forget their differences. They returned together to their home at Burk Burnett.

The criminal docket will be called in the district court Monday and it is expected that most of the week will be taken up with the trials of these cases of which there are a number on call. Judge Martin announced Saturday that he would hear non-jury civil cases next week if his entire time was not taken up with the criminal cases.

The commissioners court adjourned Saturday after putting in a busy week, most of which was taken up with going over the reports of county officers, reports of road overseers and other routine business. A special session has been called to convene next Thursday to receive the report of the county tax collector which was not reached at the regular session. Adjournment was necessary because the law does not permit more than a week's continuous session of the court.

# Put It In Wichita Dirt and Do It Now

One of our most successful men made this reply to a young man who asked his advice a few days ago about investing some money. "Put it in Wichita dirt," he said, "and do it now. Go out beyond the circle of high-priced property where building lots are cheap and buy all you can. And swing to 'em—they'll make you rich. The natural growth of this town in the next ten years will double the actual value of lots in any suburb, but of course the biggest profits will be made on lots in the direct line of expansion toward the lake. There is where the heaviest development of the next ten years will be. In my opinion there is nothing better than Highland Heights." *The Best offering to men and women who want to make safe and profitable investments of their savings or their capital is*

## HIGHLAND HEIGHTS

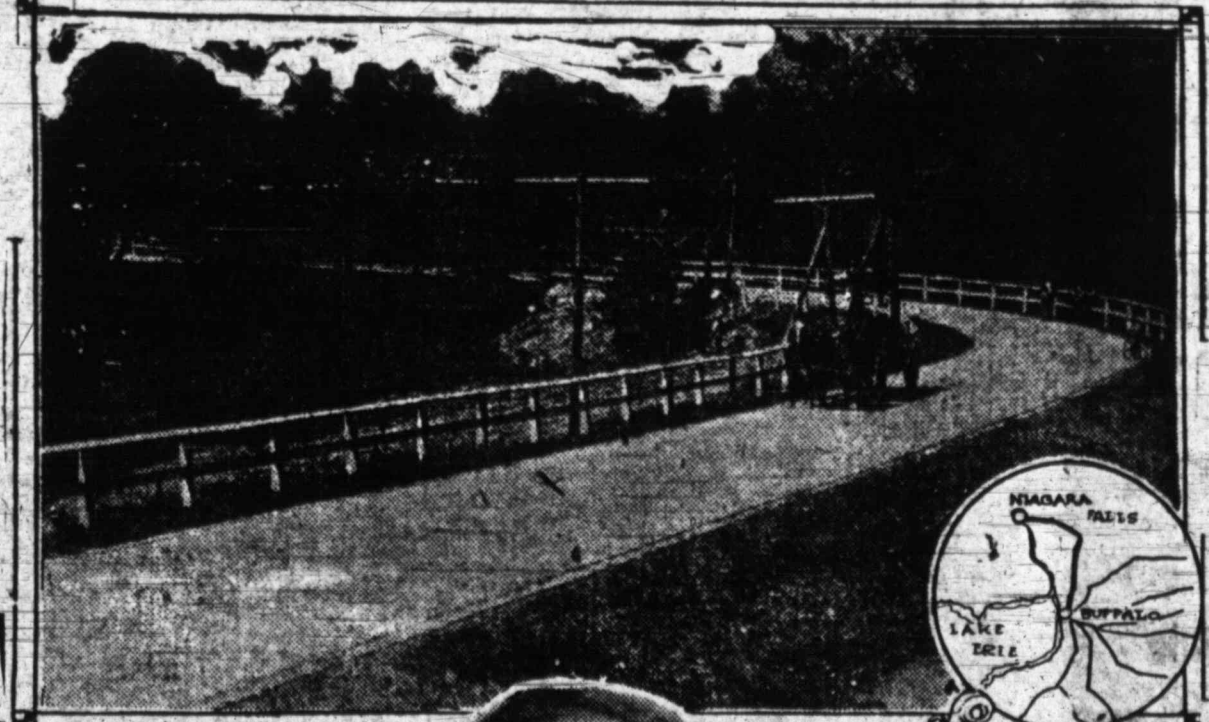
Prices: \$150 to \$325. Terms \$10 Down and \$5 per month

No interest or taxes until lots are paid for

## FOWLER BROS. & CO., Managers

211-212 Kemp & Kell Building

### WITH FIFTY MILLION IN SIGHT FOR EMPIRE STATE ROADS, ERIE COUNTY OBJECT LESSON IS FOCUS FOR ENGINEERS



A glimpse of typical Erie county highway and William C. Perkins and George C. Diehl.

Permanence is to be the watchword in spending a major part of the fifty millions now available for New York state roads, owing to the success of what is known as the Erie county policy. Under Engineers George T. Diehl and William C. Perkins, Erie county has a network of brick roads every way from the finest of which are ten miles to Niagara Falls. A highway properly built by Perkins "has practically no expense for maintenance."



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Practiced Limited to the EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT.  
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### Cadillac, Imperial and Maxwell

See the "Maxwell 25," the center of attraction at the New York show—the incomparable \$750 car.

### Imperial Motor Sales Company

615 Tenth Street



# Wichita Theatre, Saturday, Feb. 28th

## PAVLOVA

### And Her Company of EIGHTY RUSSIAN DANCERS

#### The Largest and Most Expensive Company Touring America This Season.

Wichita Falls has the distinction of being the  
smallest city playing this company.

### Seats Placed on Sale at Rexall Drug Store at 9 a. m. Monday, Feb. 16

.....PRICES.....

All Box Seats, \$5; 5th to 9th Row Center Parquet, \$5; Balance Parquet \$4; 1st to 3rd Row First Balcony, \$3; Balance First Balcony, \$2.50; Second Balcony, \$2; Gallery, \$1.



## THE GLORY OF THE MORNING

By HOMER CROY

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She had been in the Art League almost a month before I really noticed her. I had seen her quietly sitting in the corner, almost lost behind her easel, her eyes either on the canvas or on the pose, and had seen her come slipping in of a morning, hurry out to lunch at noon at our common table, be the first one back, and then had seen her hide herself in the back row for the afternoon. It was her retiring industry, so-out-of-place in so frail a body, that first called my attention. The faint, desirable note in all the room always seemed to be hers. The other students, on the mornings that I posed the model, bustled around selecting advantageous locations where lights and shadows would be strongest; when all were arranged she would slip into the nearest available spot, chalk her chair-legs on the floor, and uncomplainingly set to work.

She looked up, her eyes a little frightened, glanced to see if I was in earnest, and then murmured, "I think that if the model had his head turned just a little more it would give me a sharper outline."

people ever care for anything? They are always looking at something—away off that I can't see. I sometimes feel like a little bird—like a little humming-bird in a big, noisy rattle-box. But isn't that an awkward way of saying it? She turned to me with a nervous, appealing smile, and her hands went to work in. Do you think that I can get a drawing in the Academy of Design for the Spring Exhibition?"

"What do you think of it?" "I believe it is your field." "Do you think so? I am so glad that you say so. Why, yes, you want me to work in. Do you think that I can get a drawing in the Academy of Design for the Spring Exhibition?"

"Oh, yes," she answered with eagerness. "It is in my room. I work on it Saturday afternoons and on mornings. It is of two girls, bright-faced, sitting in comfortable, home-like rockers in the corner of a porch of an old-fashioned house. All over the trellis are morning-glories—big, deep blue morning-glories—I call it 'The Glory of the Morning.' Do you see how appropriate the title is? I have written mother all about it. She knows that it is my best, but she doesn't know that I am going to submit it to the Academy. I want it to be a big surprise. I will bring it over some-day; that you may see it. But you won't tell any one of my intention to submit it, will you?"

"I found her number in a crowning row of houses, in walking distance of the League. The landlady answered the button, on the fourth floor. 'Ah,' she said, 'my girl is sicker than she looks. She is so thin and so uncomplaining.' 'Come in,' she called with weak cheerfulness, half arising to her elbows, as I appeared in the doorway. 'Mrs. Regan, Mrs. Regan, it's all right, Mrs. Regan,' she explained with her eyes upon me, in a voice much fainter than I had ever heard before. 'It's all right, you see I am so used to it. I come one of the last ones out of the room to a book of new engravings in a drinking-stamp of the center-table. Her eyes followed me eagerly. 'You see, I order them from the greenhouse every morning,' she explained. 'They are a kind of inspiration. They are mine and mother's favorite flowers. That is why I put them into my painting. It is this room, too,' turning appreciatively upon the landlady. 'It is quiet back here, and these two windows let in lots of light for my work. I am not really sick at all, only when I set to work it makes me cough, and I become tired. But I will be over in a few days. Have you heard from my—from our paintings?'"

The mother dropped down on the edge of the bed, leaned over and fondly kissed the girl's lips as she sat up. "Don't you think that we had better get some fresh glories this morning, Fannie?" "The daughter had never seen the sun in the splendor of the morning, was beaming over the long line of roofs. 'It is not glorious to be out in the morning,' she said. 'Just at this time the glories trellis at home are at their prime, the mother quietly. 'It happened as we were sitting over a crossing. An automobile came careering down the street, whizzed by us with a mad rush, and I saw a man's head, and I saw a girl's head at all for a breath of time. I have blown her over. I could reach her, she tattered and. The hemorrhage set in before the hospital was reached. I told the other students at the League how it was, although many of us were struggling against the wolf that always prowls close to the art-student's door. It was a liberal collection. At the station, 190 1/2 years later, I helped the mother onto a train, and she waved her last farewell. 'See, I have it,' she said with a sad smile, holding up her little black and white sketch for the letter. 'When I get back home I shall have it framed and keep it always. Keep it always.' 'Here,' I said, rising, and thrusting the bills into her hand. 'Is something from an student, it is not much, but—' She looked at the bill with a moment and then with understanding looked into her face. 'No, I won't take it,' she said grimly. 'I know that Fannie would not want it now.' 'The mother still sitting at the table, her hand still clasped to her face, her eyes fixed on the mother's face, and her mouth open as if she were speaking. 'The mother's face was so pale and so uncomplaining. 'Come in,' she called with weak cheerfulness, half arising to her elbows, as I appeared in the doorway. 'Mrs. Regan, Mrs. Regan, it's all right, Mrs. Regan,' she explained with her eyes upon me, in a voice much fainter than I had ever heard before. 'It's all right, you see I am so used to it. I come one of the last ones out of the room to a book of new engravings in a drinking-stamp of the center-table. Her eyes followed me eagerly. 'You see, I order them from the greenhouse every morning,' she explained. 'They are a kind of inspiration. They are mine and mother's favorite flowers. That is why I put them into my painting. It is this room, too,' turning appreciatively upon the landlady. 'It is quiet back here, and these two windows let in lots of light for my work. I am not really sick at all, only when I set to work it makes me cough, and I become tired. But I will be over in a few days. Have you heard from my—from our paintings?'"



### Trimmings of Braid and Fringe Popular in Late Winter Styles

New York, Feb. 14.—The late winter and early spring styles show the wide popularity of trimmings of braid, fringe, passementerie and beads.

Braid is used most effectively in the development of the stunning suit illustrated on the second figure. The material used is taupe sponge. The collar and cuffs are of white broadcloth, solidly braided with black Hercules braid. The bouffant skirt has the front drap- ing caught up by a short panel, which

edge of a chiffon skirt holds the skirt in place.

Wreaths and garlands of tiny flow- ers, made from chiffon, tulle or rib- bon, are a very pretty and stylish trim- ming for evening dresses. They adorn the outside of a dress and are often placed on the foundation silk beneath a chiffon or net overdress.

This is a simple and inexpensive trimming to make at home, as the ma- terials are left-over pieces of chiffon cut into bias strips folded in the center, gathered tightly and fastened firmly with needle and thread. A narrow piece of baby ribbon with a picot edge may be gathered to form a calyx. These may be fastened to a long piece of green wire or twisted ribbon.



The Accentuated Hip-Line and the High-Waist Effect, With the Short Peplum Worn Outside the Skirt, are the Marked Fashion Tendencies.



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is also braided. A wide sash of Roman silk adds a note of color.

The trimming of a dress, the lining or the sash is by far the most important factor of the modern costume.

A woman may don her husband's gray flannel shirt if it is lined with a brilliant contrasting silk which peeps out alluringly at neck and sleeves and pocket. A white serge or broadcloth suit is infinitely more smart for the addition of a lining of cerise, bright green or black satin.

The growing preference for plaid in one's costume has spread rapidly. It is used in a variety of ways—to suit the individual taste of the wearer. Plaid collars, cuffs and pockets of plaid will rejuvenate last year's dress, and a broad sash of it can only be eclipsed by its cousin, the Roman stripe.

There are plaid waistcoats which lighten a dark serge or broadcloth suit in an attractive way; in fact, waistcoats are a welcome addition to the majority of the tilted jackets, which are the ultra style. The vests have been worn a great deal during the winter with suits of broadcloth, dury- tyne or serge. Brocaded ones were worn with many of the dressier suits. At a The Dismantle the other day I saw a young woman wearing a white crepe de Chine waist with a separate skirt. Over this waist she wore a waistcoat of bright Spanish yellow, cut on the lines of a man's waistcoat—even the strap in the back.

Fringe is extremely stylish, especially that made from threaded beads. It is seen around the edge of a tunic, like the fringe on a lamp-shade. On the bottom of panels and the stylish apron fronts it may be from 6 to 10 inches in depth.

Beads are a trimming which are very popular. Beaded motifs of flowers may be brought to trim the yoke or the hem of a waist even the ruffles of a skirt.

Beaded nets are used for tunics on evening dresses. The raw edges are left unhemmed, or they may be finished with a picot edge. This is done at almost any shop where accordion pleat- ing is made.

One very attractive net for a dress or its trimming was beaded with crystals and now and then a leaf composed of fine jet beads.

In one of the leading stores I saw a black dress which was made of a combination of faille de laine and charmeuse. The faille waist has set-in sleeves and vent of charmeuse. The upper part of the skirt is of charmeuse and the lower portion of faille de laine. The turn-back cuffs on the elbow-length sleeves are trimmed with a beaded motif in four colors, yellow, lavender, black and white. The only other color on this gown is a long string of beads of the same colors that see in the motif. It is strong ladder fashion; each end is finished with a black silk tassel tied loosely.

Bespoke trills and ruffles are much newer than the simple, gathered ones. They finish a waist at the neck and around the bottom of a tunic. A double hot-pleated ruffle on the lower

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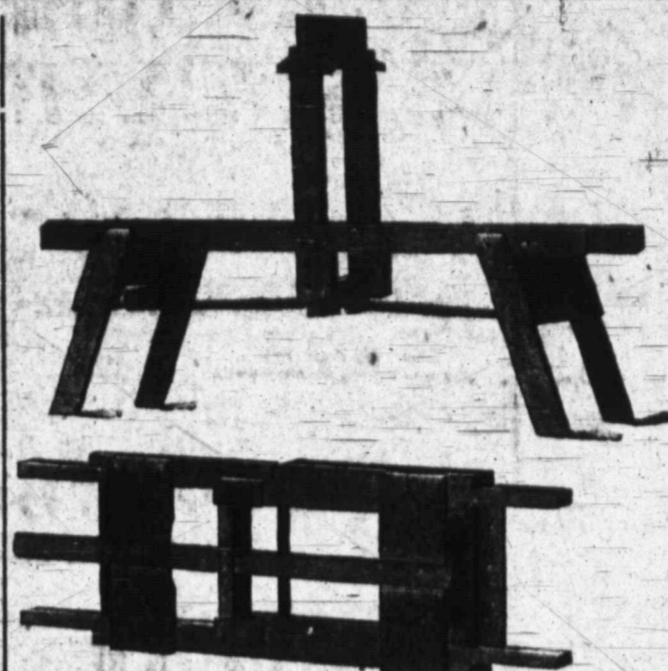


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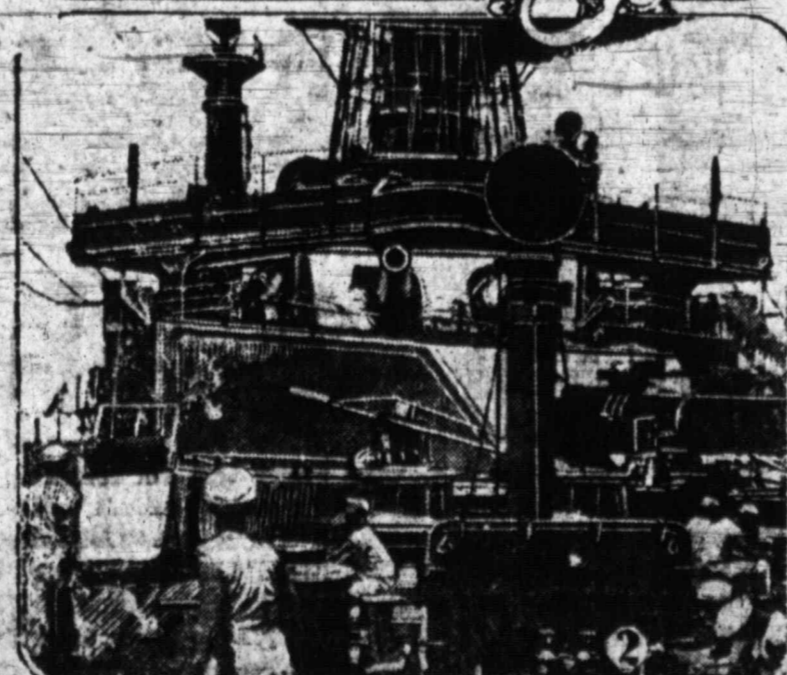
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Old Point Comfort, Va., Feb. 14.—Uncle Sam's soldiers and sailors are evidently destined to enjoy (?) a lengthy stay on the Mexican border and in Mexican waters, judging from

watching the Mexican situation develop. The New Jersey is one of the United States warships now stationed in the harbor of Vera Cruz, ready to give assistance to Americans whenever needed.

### PRINCESS ELMOS PRISONER

MAJESTIC THEATRE TUESDAY Princess Elmos Prisoner to be shown at the Majestic Tuesday, Feb. 17th is the first of an artistic series of remarkable multiple reel photo-dramas produced by the Great Northern Feature Film Co., known as pre- ferential attractions.

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## TEACHERS PARTICIPATE IN GOOD PROGRAM

Talks and Discussions Develop Many Points of Interest at City Institute

The teachers of the city schools held their regular monthly meeting Saturday at the high school building. Nearly all the teachers were present. The following program was carried out:

- "Reasoning"—E. L. Vance.
- "Reasoning as Applied to Science"—Miss Rieb.
- "Development of Reasoning"—Miss Shelton.
- "Experiments in Reasoning"—Miss Hall.
- "Reasoning as Applied to Reasoning"—F. A. Hein.
- "Diplomas"—Miss Harding.
- "Credits"—Miss Hunter.
- "Methods"—Miss Anderson.
- "Manual Training"—Miss Haney.
- "Realizations"—J. B. Jones.
- "Training of the Teacher"—Miss Hettler.

Among the points emphasized in the talks and discussions were the following: One of the primary functions of school work is to stimulate original investigation along lines of the student's interest. One of the errors in teaching to be avoided is that of "peddling out" information without permitting the pupil to make experiments and discover the truth for himself. The study of science and mathematics is especially beneficial in developing the reasoning powers.

Induction and deduction are the two processes of reasoning. Without inductions there can be no deduction. It is the process of induction that develops new truths.

Diplomas in themselves mean little. The main question to be considered is "What does the Diploma stand for?" Good results are obtained by permitting the pupil to select those studies he wants and giving him credit for it towards graduation. We should stress method more and memory less in our teaching. Pupils should be taught how to find information—how to use books, as well as the information itself contained in the book. The standards of the schools is

that of the community in which the school is found. The product of the public school is largely what the citizenship of a community demands.

The personality of a teacher as well as his training is essential to success.

Quannah Observer.

The members of the Quannah Chamber of Commerce met Thursday forenoon and elected as directors M. E. Kerrigan, W. A. Wilhelm, F. O. Griffith, Harry Koch, J. B. Goodlett, J. A. Radford, T. S. Haang, J. F. Womack, G. A. Bergman, M. M. Hankins, C. O. McCauley, C. T. Watkins, R. F. Hughes, J. A. Kirkpatrick and E. B. Caskey. The directors then met and elected Mike Booster Kerrigan, president, F. O. Griffith and Harry Koch vice presidents, Ben J. Brothers, secretary and treasurer.



Anna Pavlova, the incomparable Prima Ballerina Assoluta, Imperial Opera, St. Petersburg, at Wichita Theatre, Saturday, Feb. 28.



PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. A. W. McCoy leaves today for St. Joseph, Missouri, to visit relatives. W. Lee Moore left Saturday for a week's stay at Mineral Wells. Miss Bernice Milligan, who has been quite ill, is reported to be improving. W. B. Ponder of Amarillo, is the guest of his brother, W. P. Ponder, over Sunday. Mrs. J. L. Art and little daughter left yesterday for Sherman to visit relatives. Little Miss Thelma Green, daughter of O. J. Green and wife, returned Saturday after a visit with Mrs. Dane at Harrold. L. L. Dawson, superintendent of motive power for the Fort Worth and Deaver returned to his headquarters at Childress yesterday after a stay of several days here. C. A. Mertens of Burkburnett purchased a new 1914 Chalmers car from the Carpenter Electric Co. last night and Monday will leave with his family on a trip overland to Dallas and after a stay there will go to South Texas points. Homer Dodge and Carl Goetz will accompany them. The condition of T. R. T. Orth who has been confined to his room with pneumonia during the past week, was considerably improved yesterday and it is thought that the chances for his recovery are excellent. Captain Ross of the local Salvation Army Corps will leave tonight for Dallas to attend a session of other Salvation Army officers from this division which includes Texas, Oklahoma and parts of Louisiana and Arkansas. He will be absent several days. Dr. G. R. Yantis, who was injured on February 4 when a banana peel caused him to fall from the platform of a car, continues to improve steadily. He is not yet able to sit up, but his condition is such as to indicate that he will suffer no permanent effects from the injury to his head which he sustained. V. A. Lowery and children returned to Holliday yesterday after a visit here. Mr. Lowery says there are two wells drilling for oil within two miles of Holliday. One is being put down on the McCall farm, a mile east of Holliday. The other is on the Orton farm two miles west of that town. This is being drilled by Conductor Smith and associates.

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Monday, Feb. 16—The young ladies of the First Presbyterian Church will meet with Miss Alice Burnside. The Ladies with Society of the First Presbyterian Church will hold a "hog killing" at the home of Mrs. A. H. Carrigan. The Episcopal Guild meets with Mrs. Lindsay Bibb.

Tuesday, Feb. 17—Old Maid with Miss Edith Carver. Tuesday 42 with Mrs. Arthur Huff. Mrs. Raley entertains the Ladies Bible Class of the M. E. Church, South. Little Sisters Aid with Miss Kathleen Blair. Crescent Circle with Misses Mary and Mabel Byman. The Art Literature meets with Mrs. E. L. Smith, 2504 Tenth. Wesley Girls with Mrs. C. R. Hartsook.

Wednesday, Feb. 18—New Idea Club with Mrs. G. E. Friberg. New Century Club with Mrs. Addicks. What Next Club with Mrs. Lester Jones. Saupers' Club with Mrs. Richardson, 607 Lamar.

Thursday, Feb. 19—May flower 42 with Mrs. A. J. Thompson, 1197 Travis. The Ladies Club practice for the cantata at the M. E. Church, South. Thursday Sewing Circle with Mrs. J. W. Murph. Thursday Bridge with Mrs. Reese.

Friday, Feb. 20—New Bridge Club with Mrs. E. L. Smith. Newly Wed 42 Club with Mr. and Mrs. John R. Chambers. Washington Tea given by the Alamo Mothers at the Alamo school at 3:30. Freshman class of the high school will be entertained with a "box party" at the New Majestic. Benefit for Austin Mothers Club at the New Majestic. Unity Club with Mrs. Patten.

Saturday, Feb. 21—Colonial reception given by the young ladies of the First Presbyterian Church, place to be announced later.

### GRANDMA YOUNG HONORED ON SEVENTIETH BIRTHDAY.

Friday afternoon a number of friends engineered very successfully a surprise party for Grandma Young honoring her seventieth birthday. But in spite of the utmost secrecy being used in the planning some faint rumor of it was brought to Grandma's ear and the time for the guests to arrive found her in readiness for them. Every one had brought her a token of the love and affection which they felt for her and in nearly every instance the gifts were hand-made, being the handiwork of love. The honoree had prepared most bountiful and delicious refreshments for the party and the afternoon was passed away most delightfully. Those participating in this surprise party were: Mesdames Stampfl, Creed, Buck, Lindsay, Seitz, Witten, Anderson, Swearingen, Thompson, Black and Reed, Misses Daisy, Fanny and Florie Smith, Black, Opal Witten, Emma Seitz and Ralph Lindsay.

### RUTH AND BEULAH ELLIOTT ENTERTAIN AT FORTY-TWO.

Misses Ruth and Beulah Elliott entertained very pleasantly Friday evening with a Forty-two party. A number of delightful games were played and very delicious refreshments were served, consisting of salad, sandwiches, pickles, wafers and coffee. The young ladies' guests on this occasion were: Messrs. and Mesdames Dobson, Wilson, Perdue, Mesdames Langford, Hurst, Bradshaw, Corkhill, Misses Miley, Pike and Hazel Hurst, Messrs. Elliott, Karrenbrock, Howard Hurst, Richard Bradshaw and Harry Clark.

### AUSTIN SCHOOL MOTHERS' CLUB MEETING FRIDAY.

The Stephen F. Austin Mothers' Club met Friday afternoon at the Austin school. Dr. Hartsook made a splendid lecture on the eye, ear, nose and throat to the assemblage and Miss Kerr favored the club with a charming instrumental selection. It was announced that the slides will be on the grounds next week, an announcement of much interest to the school children who have been looking forward to the entertainment with much eagerness. Another announcement was made that the New Majestic will give the club a benefit next Friday evening at which time "David Copperfield" will be shown, also other reels. A business meeting concluded the session.

### ALAMO MOTHERS TO GIVE WASHINGTON TEA PARTY.

The Alamo Mothers Club met Friday afternoon in regular session and enjoyed a very interesting meeting. A vocal selection was given by Mrs. John Chambers which was enjoyed very much and Mrs. G. H. Carpenter gave a report from the United Clubs.

Those present were: Mesdames Frank Blair, Gooch of Amarillo, Wiley Blair, Eugene Sherrod, Reese, Gwynn, Sammons, Roberts, Misses Chamberlain, Sherrod and Shackelford of Alabama.

### NELSON FRATERNAL 22 CLUB ORGANIZED HERE.

What is to be known as "The Nelson Fraternal Twenty-two Club" was organized at the home of Mrs. L. B. Hardesty Thursday, Feb. 12. This club has as its object mutual protection against sickness and accident, and is named in memory of the late C. O. Nelson, district organizer. Only twenty-two can join one club but the history of these clubs show that there is always quite a number on the waiting list in case of a vacancy. After the business meeting was over a game of hearts was indulged in, in which each person wrote a description of her partner's Valentine to be. The hostess assisted by Mrs. Seelye served delicious refreshments. Favours for the evening were small red hearts on which were written the compliments of the season. A social meeting was planned for each quarter of the year the next to be held

with Mrs. Anderson. Mrs. J. B. Hardesty was elected president and Mrs. Seelye, secretary of this new club. The membership consists of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, F. J. Seelye, Mesdames Alice Cockrell, Dollard, Craig, Harrison, Duke, West, Dillard, Thompson, Wright, Ulrich, Cook, Stengel, Tucker, Denison and Miss Allene Hansard.

### PROGRAM FOR MISSION STUDY CLASS MONDAY.

The Mission Study Class of the M. E. Church, South, will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. D. J. Carithers. Following is the program which will be carried out on that occasion: Devotional led by Mrs. C. C. Shelton; study course, Immigrant forces, leader, Mrs. Fleming; roll call, names and location of established missions. The foreigner relation to industry of the United States, Mrs. M. P. Kelly; economic condition of Immigrant, Mrs. Harris; reading, Mrs. Carpenter; Immigration inventory, Mrs. Carithers. Music.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. R. E. Clopton has returned from the Eastern markets where she purchased all the latest styles in Spring Millinery.

Mrs. Clopton will be ready for business Tuesday, Feb. 17, in her new location, 518 Eighth street, next to Miller's Drug Store where she will be pleased to see her old and new customers.

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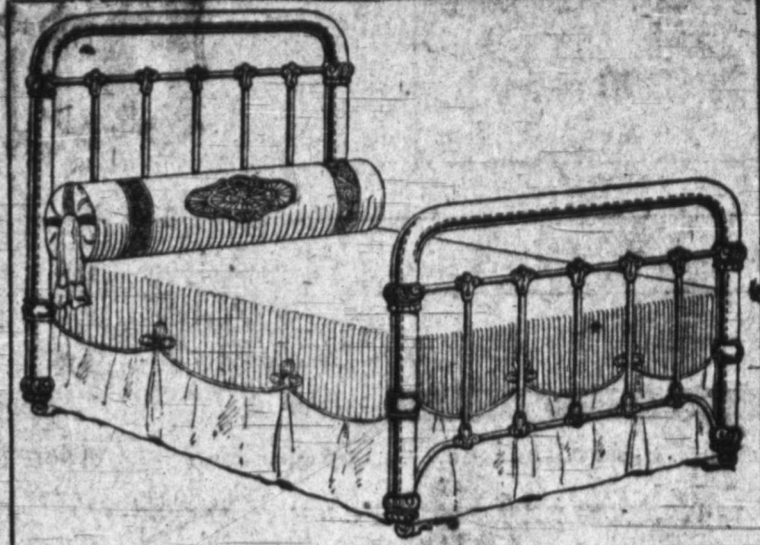
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### I. G. B. C.'S ENTERTAINED BY MISS LOUISE MONTGOMERY

The I. G. B. C.'s were entertained Friday evening at the home of Miss Louise Montgomery. Various games were played and a most delightful time was spent by all. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her mother and grandmother, Mrs. Darrell. A delicious two course luncheon was served to the following club members: Misses Elizabeth Patterson, Leila Bell Anderson, Margaret Noble, Lorna Shaw, Ellen Adele Robertson, Rose Johnson, Adele Addicks and Gertrude Davidson.

### MISS DORA COONS ENTERTAINS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Miss Dora Coons' Sunday school class of the first Christian Church entertained Friday with a Valentine party at the church. The rooms were decorated in appropriate Valentine symbols, hearts being used extensively. Numerous games were played and refreshments of gelatin, whipped cream and cake were served to the following: Misses Tyson, Titchford, Tevis, Wheeler, Roselle, Bentley, James, Mudd, Smith, Henderson, members of the class; Misses Hendrickson, Craig, Powell, Wells, Mabel Moore, Gibson, Maricle, Taylor, Lee, Mooneyham, guests; Messrs. Trotter, Crawford, Powell, Tevis, John Tevis, Whitley, Berry, Spoles, Stewart, Milliron, Bentley, Lee, Sanders, Edgar Reeves, Weaver, Hamlin, McCann, McCarty, Snider, Mead, McKinley, Drake, Mesdames Tevis, Butler and Hamlin and Miss Dora Coons.

### BAPTIST WOMAN'S ALLIANCE DIVISIONS MEET MONDAY

The Baptist Woman's Alliance met in divisions Monday afternoon. The same lesson was observed by all on faith. Roll call was answered by Scripture verses on faith. Division No. 3 met with Mrs. F. C. Barron. The Scripture lesson was read by the leader, Mrs. Basford. Several interesting talks were given on "Why-aid Young Ministers in gaining an Education?" A free will offering was taken up and then Mrs. Barron favored the company with a very appropriate vocal selection. A dainty salad course was served to Mesdames Basford, Brown, Clifford, Morgan, Price, Ponder, Stinton. The next division meeting will be held

March 9 with Mrs. W. W. Brown.

Division No. 5 met at the church. Mrs. Ashmore led the Scripture lesson; Mrs. Maricle gave a talk on "Am I interested for my unguided children and friends." Talks on or pertaining to the subject of faith were made by Mesdames Savage, Morris and Cook. Mrs. Oldham of Chicago also made a very interesting short talk. A short business session was held after the program.

Division No. 5 met with Mrs. J. W. Lee with Mrs. R. B. Statton as leader. The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Watts who also gave an excellent paper on "Ministerial Education." The entire division joined in a discussion of "Prayer and Faith." At the conclusion of the afternoon the hostess served delicious refreshments.

The young ladies Division No. 11 met at 7 o'clock with Mrs. E. O. Filgo with thirteen members and two visitors present. The leader for the evening was Mrs. Filgo. Miss Brown gave a very able talk on the subject of faith and Miss Cook gave a piano solo.

Division No. 1 met with Mrs. R. C. Smith with Mrs. Barringer as leader. The afternoon's program consisted of a general discussion of the subject under consideration and was followed by a business session. Mrs. C. J. Barnard was hostess to Division No. 4. The devotional service was led by Mrs. Jones and the lesson on faith, was very interesting and instructive. A business meeting followed the program and after that came a very pleasant social hour during which time the hostess served a delightful refreshment. The division will meet with Mrs. T. J. Taylor for the next monthly meeting on March 9.

### WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY CIRCLES IN SESSION MONDAY

Circle No. 1 of the Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church South, met Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Adams was leader for the afternoon and had an interesting paper on Korea. The devotional services were led by Mrs. Johnson and Mesdames Feltner and Thomas had papers on Mexico and China respectively. A vocal selection by Mrs. John Chambers was very much enjoyed and a business session was held at the conclusion of the program. The Circle enjoyed a splendid attendance.

Circle No. 2 met Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. B. Stokes. Devotional services were led by Mrs. Rahl and a Missionary query was conducted by the program committee. Miss Stokes gave an interesting reading and the program was followed by a business session. A plan of Bible study was decided upon, also plans were made for the Circle to give a chicken picnic in the near future.

Circle No. 3 met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sealing with a good number in attendance. A very interesting program was rendered, every one present taking part in some way. Mrs. Carpenter gave some special music. Talks on the

work in various mission fields were made by various members and Mrs. McDowell was in charge of the program as leader.

### MRS. FONTAINE HOSTESS TO EPISCOPAL GUILD MONDAY

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Fontaine. They enjoyed having with them the Rev. Mr. Dutton the rector and wife, Rev. Dutton making a very interesting talk to the ladies, full of excellent and helpful suggestions. The church hosts, and as far as possible with for the time being, the session being purely a business one. Those present were: Mesdames Dutton, Clapp, Gates, McCulloch, Fontaine, Milburn, Sammons, Warner, Johnston, Inge, Bibb and McKirby and Rev. Dutton.

### MRS. HARRY MARTIN HOSTESS AT LUNCHEON SATURDAY

Mrs. Harry Martin was hostess to a number of friends at a very pretty luncheon Saturday, Feb. 7. The table presented quite an attractive appearance over laid a handsome Cluny lace luncheon set, with a huge cluster of pink and white carnations forming the simple but effective centerpiece. The pink and white color scheme was further carried out in the dainty hand-painted place cards, and as far as possible in the menu, which consisted of four courses, a bouillon course, salad chicken a la king, with creamed peas and dessert. After the luncheon a contest was instituted in which Mrs. William Huff won the prize, a hand-painted picture. Those enjoying this most pleasant affair were Mesdames Grayson, Traack, Russell, William Huff and W. H. Shepherd.

### MRS. W. G. SHAW ENTERTAINS NEW IDEA CLUB WEDNESDAY

Mrs. W. G. Shaw entertained the New Idea Club Wednesday afternoon honoring her mother, Mrs. Mitchell. The time was spent in the usual manner by the club members in needle work and pleasant social chat. At the close of the meeting the members had a box of fragrant flowers sent to one of their number, Mrs. M. E. Carey who is seriously ill. The recipient of the remembrance expressed great pleasure at the gift, appreciating the thought equally as much as the flowers. The absence on account of illness of Mrs. Goodale another member, was also regretted. The hostess served a two course luncheon of vegetable salad chicken sandwiches, cake and coffee. Mesdames Coe, H. J. Bachman, W. G. Long, Simon, Della, Dobson and Charles Scott. Mrs. M. S. Coe was the only visitor.

### MODERN CROCHET CLUB IN SESSION WITH MRS. UHRICH

The members of the Modern Crochet Club enjoyed a very pleasant meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Uhrich as hostess. The club members give each other helpful hints and exchange patterns, spending their time most profitably. The hostess served delicious sandwiches,

jickies, coffee, cakes and chocolate during the course of the afternoon. The members present were: Mesdames Duke, Hammond, McConkey, Tolboth, Brooks, Stout, Thompson, Reed, Hendricks, Ross, West and Miss Daise-Brooks, invited guests being Mesdames Fred Decker, R. A. Duffield, Misses Willie Young and Elizabeth Forch.

### SOCIAL MEETING IS HELD BY BAPTIST PHILATHEA CLASS

The Philathea Class of the Baptist Sunday school held their regular monthly social meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Wiley Robertson. The afternoon was spent in sewing and conversation with musical selections by some of the members. Before adjournment the hostess served a dainty collation, consisting of sandwiches, olives, tea cake and dates. Those present were: Misses Ann Freear, Vera Taylor, Nabelle Jackson, Clara Maricle, Della Stone, Lou Ella Morgan, Rana Brown, Theresa Smith, Kathrine Cook, Cella Statton, Beulah Elliot, Blanche Lawler, Callie Powell and Bernice Taylor.

### MRS. J. S. WALKER HOSTESS TO THE WHAT NEXT CLUB

Mrs. J. S. Walker was hostess to the What Next Club Wednesday afternoon. Of this club whose membership is small there is little to be said except that they met and enjoyed the meeting very much. Sewing and conversation formed the chief diversions and the hostess served a very tempting lunch of chili, salines and crackers with a dessert course of quail and lady fingers. The club meets next with Mrs. Lester Jones.

### PROHIBITION IS SUBJECT AT NEW CENTURY CLUB

The New Century Club considered the subject of "Prohibition" at its meeting Wednesday with Mrs. C. J. Barnard. Roll call was answered with a "Prohibition State" and an interesting history of the prohibition movement was given by Mrs. Smyre. Mrs. Walker had for her subject "The Progress of It's Movement in Texas" and Mrs. McGregor gave a paper on "Frances Willard." Mrs. Grisham also gave a paper on "Great American Divines" and an interesting selected reading was given by Mrs. Guest. At the conclusion of the program the hostess served delightful refreshments to the following members: Mesdames Addicks, Adams, Grisham, Guest, Kelly, Lynch, McGregor, Snider, Smith, Watts, Whitney, Walker, Harrington, Ashmore, Smyre and Gardner.

### GIRLS' LITERARY SOCIETY MEETING AT HIGH SCHOOL

The Girls' Literary Society of the high school met Monday afternoon after school. The following program was carried out: Roll call, quotations from Hawthorne; vocal duet, Ruth Taylor and Birdie Goodnight; the

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**GOOD, CLEAN, PLAIN SEED**—Last May we shipped in from Oklahoma a car of first class, plain seed for planting, out of which we carried over 1200 bushels. These have been run through our cleaning machinery and the linting machines, hence are absolutely clean and lint removed. They are in sacks of 2 bushels each, and will be sold at what they stand on our books—55c a bushel.

If the planters do not care to buy any of the above we still urge them to send away somewhere and get some good seed not grown in this drought section.

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## AT THE CHURCHES



**First M. E. Church, South**  
(Corner Tenth and Lamar)  
The pastor will occupy the pulpit at both morning and evening hours. Sunday school convenes at 9:30 a. m. T. A. Baggett, superintendent. The Epworth League meets at 6:30 p. m., with an especially interesting program. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:30. Doors of the church always open to strangers. Auditorium warm and comfortable. The pastor will appreciate advice furnished him regarding any persons in the city who may be sick or otherwise in need of attention.  
J. W. HILL, Pastor.

**Lutheran Church (Mo. Synod)**  
(Corner Eleventh and Holiday)  
Sunday school (German and English classes) at 9:00 a. m. Bible class at 9:45 a. m. German morning worship at 10:30 a. m. There will be English service in the evening as the pastor must fill his appointment at 8 p. m. in the afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to worship with us.  
C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
(Corner Seventh and Lamar)  
Sunday School 9:45, morning worship 11:00, Epworth League 6:30, Evening worship 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.  
JOSEPH E. COE, Pastor.

**Lutheran Trinity Church**  
(Fourteenth and Bluff)  
German morning worship at 10:00. Sunday school at 11:20 a. m. Choir practice Wednesday at 7 p. m. No service at the evening hour as the pastor has an appointment to fill at Seymour. A cordial invitation to worship with us is extended to all.  
F. A. BRACHER, Pastor.

**First Evangelical Church**  
(Corner Fifteenth and Broad)  
Sunday school in both languages at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Y. P. A. Meeting at 7 p. m. English preaching service at 8 p. m. Choir practice on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.  
C. ERNIEL, Pastor.

**Christian Science**  
This society has leased the old Christian church building, corner Ninth and Lamar, and regular services are now being held there as follows: Sunday Lesson Sermon 11 a. m., Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting 7:45 p. m. Reading room same address is open daily except Sundays and holidays from 2 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

**Church of the Good Shepherd**  
Regular services are now being maintained in this church. For Sunday the following services will be held: Holy Communion 8 a. m., Sunday Sunday school 9:30 a. m., Morning prayer 10:30, Institution Service and Celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a. m., Evening Prayer at 7:30. We extend a most cordial invitation to the public to attend the services of this church. The Rector will gladly answer any calls when he may be of service.  
FRED T. DATSON, Rector.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
(Corner Tenth and Bluff)  
First session of the Sunday School in the new building at 9:30 a. m., Sunday, Feb. 15th. (The opening of the auditorium for worship will be deferred until the organ has been in-

stalled, announcement of which will be made later. Dr. McKee will conduct the service in the evening at the Floral Heights chapel, corner Kemp Boulevard and I avenue. Ladies Aid Society meets with Mrs. A. H. Carrigan, 1100 Austin avenue Monday 3:00 p. m. "A Hog Killing" time is expected.  
J. L. McKEE, Pastor.

**Christian Church**  
Bible school 9:30, graded work, V. J. Bullock, superintendent. Good teachers and classes for all ages. Juniors meet in basement at 2. Endeavor meeting at 6:30 in Bible school room. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30. The regular services Sunday, preaching by the pastor 10:40. Morning—The Temple Stream, Evening 7:30—The First Christian Martyr. We ask the members to remember that on March 1st we will call for our annual budget offering for missions. Last year we gave \$400. We cannot afford to do less this year. On March 8 we will dedicate our new building. In May Dr. Scoville and party will be with us for a meeting. A full attendance of members is desired at all services each Lord's day leading up to these red letter times. The public is invited to attend each of these services.  
E. F. WALTERS, Pastor.

**Fourth Street Baptist Church**  
Usual services at the Fourth Street church, Pastor T. E. Cannedy preaching at both hours. Sunday school at 9:45. Sunbeam band at 2 p. m. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m. A cordial invitation to attend these services. Sunday school at Walnut Street Mission at 3 p. m.

**First Baptist Church**  
All will be glad to hear Dr. Wither, sports of Fort Worth who will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Sunday school scholars are urged to be present promptly and try to bring some one who has not been attending. As many as can do are requested to attend prayer meeting services Wednesday evening.

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## WICHITA COUNTY YOUTH IS VICTIM OF SHOOTING

Robert Pace, Shot During Hazing Episode at Stamford, Resides Near Iowa Park

Robert Pace, the Stamford College student who was shot and seriously wounded recently during an alleged attempt to haze two other students, is a Wichita county boy, it is learned. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pace residing on Route two, Iowa Park, and bears an excellent reputation in his home community. Pace with a number of other students of Stamford College, was trying to enter the room of two of the young men of the college, when one of the latter fired through the closed door, the bullet striking Pace in the abdomen and inflicting a wound which it was feared for a time would cause his death and his condition is still very serious.

## BODY OF MR. GIBBS TAKEN TO CLIFTON

Brief Funeral Services Under Auspices of Knights Templar Were Held Here

Short funeral services under the auspices of the Knights Templar Masons of which the deceased was a member were held at the residence here Saturday morning before the body of George J. Gibbs, secretary and treasurer of the Texas Grain Dealers' Association who died Friday, was taken to his old home at Clifton for burial. Rev. J. W. Hill was the officiating minister. Mr. Gibbs was a member of the Vernon Commandery of Knights Templar.

The body was shipped to Clifton on the first southbound Fort Worth & Denver passenger train Saturday afternoon and the funeral will take place there Sunday morning. At Fort Worth the funeral party will be joined by a number of officials and members of the grain dealers' association who will go to Clifton for the funeral.

Those accompanying the body from here were: Mrs. Gibbs, Owen Gibbs,

Travis Gibbs, Mrs. R. C. Smith, F. M. Kell Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mutschel, son of Vernon, M. L. Thompson, Henry Gibbs of Valley Mills and R. G. Nixon of Clifton.

Frank Kell, brother-in-law of Mr. Gibbs and his former partner in business at Clifton who left several days ago for a trip to New Mexico and other points, could not be located by telegraph in time to get here yesterday and consequently did not accompany the funeral party to Clifton.

Many telegrams of regret and sympathy from prominent grain dealers and others were received by Mrs. Gibbs when the death of her husband became known.

The following letter was sent out from the Fort Worth office of the Texas Grain Dealers' Association Friday to all the members of the association:

"Gentlemen: I am sure each and every one of you will be shocked and grieved to learn that our beloved secretary, Mr. G. J. Gibbs passed into the Great Beyond at his temporary home, 507 Bluff street, Wichita Falls at noon today.

"Mr. Gibbs served as president of the Texas Grain Dealers' Association from May 29, 1902 until May 21, 1904 and was elected secretary on June 4, 1905, which office he had held since, although on account of ill health he

has not attended to his office duties since November 23, 1912. He served on some committee practically all the time he was not an officer and above all was one of the most beloved and popular members of our association and I am sure every member will feel his loss. I have extended the sympathy of the association to Mrs. Gibbs and I am sure every member heartily joins me in this.

"The funeral will take place at his old home, Clifton, Texas, Sunday morning, Feb. 14th at 11 o'clock. The remains will pass through Fort Worth Saturday evening arriving here about 7 p. m., over the Denver and leaving at 9 p. m., over the Santa Fe. President Moore, Messrs. Manning, Crutch and myself will attend the funeral and possibly Mr. Hughes and I feel that others of our members will also attend. Yours very truly,  
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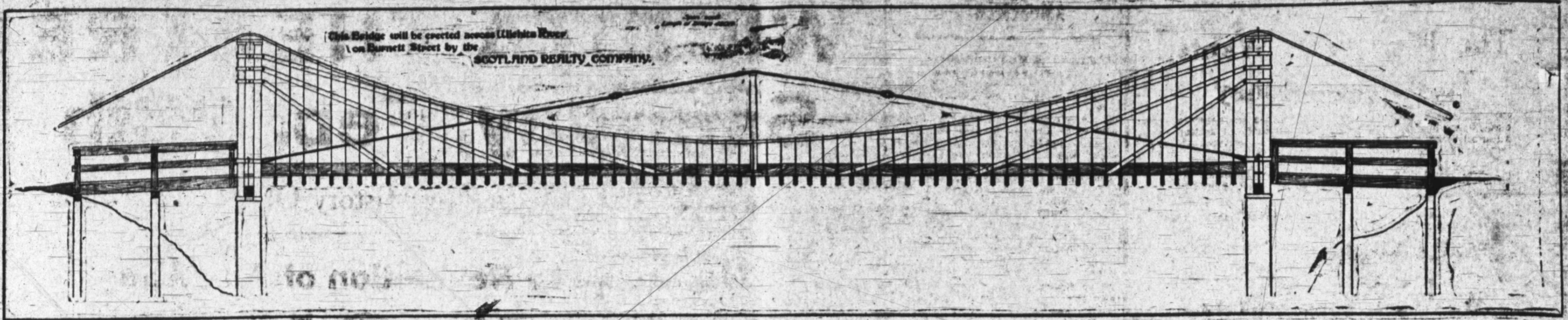
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### AMUSEMENTS

#### "THE LITTLE MILLIONAIRE" TO BE HERE MARCH 17

Geo. M. Cohan's new musical farce, "The Little Millionaire" which comes to the Wichita Theatre March 17 is said to be another of those delightful entertainments that the author has a happy knack of turning out, seemingly at will. Accustomed as are the theatre-goers of Broadway to the typical Cohan show, the production of the "Little Millionaire" at the Geo. M. Cohan theatre early last season was an unexpected revelation with its cyclonic rapidity of motion, its wealth of fascinating melodies, its humorous lines, its bright, snappy lyrics and its general air of mirth and gaiety.

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"The Little Millionaire" is very generally considered the best product of Mr. Cohan's prolific pen. The piece was one of the great Broadway successes all last season, and will be presented here with a company and chorus of unusual excellence. Two of the prominent players in the cast are Bert Leigh and Hazelle Burgess.

#### "MAGIC FLUTE" DANCE IS FEATURE OF PAVLOWA SHOW

An advance notice says: "A sublimated moving picture in color," "a defied musical comedy," these terms have been aptly used to describe "The Magic Flute." This dance drama, in its one act, the music Drigo, the original story of Ivanoff, the piece having been put in its present form by Cecchetti, of the Pavlova Company.

The rural farce tells the tale of Lise, the farmer's daughter, and Luc, her childhood friend. Lise's mother would have her marry the gouty old Marquis, a splendid catch, for his acres and his bags of gold are as many as his years. This ancient chateau comes to choose a bride from among the peasant maidens gathered to do the harvest dance upon the village green. Quite naturally his choice is Lise, the fairest of the throng. And all looks black for Lise and Luc, for the dance drama takes place during the time of old Louis XV, and parent's whims were law.

But this is a fairy story. Oberon, king of the supernatural realms, is in it. Luc, all unknowing, and out of pure kindness of heart bestirring Oberon, who, disguised as a hermit, has been turned away from the feasting by Lise's mother. Yet Luce finds small solace in the flute given him by the hermit, for Lise and the Marquis are within, seated at the feast in celebration of their betrothal. But when Luc tries a few notes on the flute, things begin to happen, and the drama rapidly lives up to its reputation as a brilliant farce. For when Luc plays everybody must dance. The Marquis with his years suffers most of all.

Then they wrest the flute from Luc, and summon the magistrate and his attendant hangman. But being a very thorough going judge, the Magistrate glares over his horn spectacles and won't believe the evidence. Produce "Exhibit A." If the flute is bewitched, prove it. Its powers are demonstrated quickly enough, and the magistrate has to bounce off the bench and dance with all the rest. But again the flute is snatched from the laughing Luc, and this time the hangman has the halter ready, for it is his duty to hold up court decrees. Luc is a sorcerer and must die. Lise is prostrated.

They start to lead Luc away, when from the air comes flute-like notes. It is Oberon, in his own shape, singing, and again all must dance. Luc is free, and at the command of Oberon, the fairy king also unites the young lovers. Thereupon the Marquis proves himself a true nobleman, or a "good sport." He settles a dowry upon Lise and congratulates Luc. Then he orders a feast and sits by while the lads and ladies finish their interrupted harvest dance.

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#### GRANDFIELD CHINAMAN IS GIVEN CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Fong Shun, proprietor of the Chinese laundry, died in the early hours of Sunday morning. He had been sick several days, and was alone at the time of death. Funeral services were held in the Baptist church at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon by Rev. J. W. Weathers. Christian respect was paid to his memory, as a stranger in a foreign land, and many Grandfield people, out of goodness of heart, attended the funeral. Several of his countrymen of Wichita Falls bought a nice casket and arranged for his burial, which took place at the Eschli cemetery immediately after the funeral service. They took charge of the laundry and found \$485.80 in the dead man's effects.

Dr. Chapman is in receipt of the following letter from Wichita Falls expressing appreciation for courtesies shown deceased Chinaman:

A. D. Chapman, Postmaster; M. A. Taylor, City Marshal; Rev. J. W. Weathers, Grandfield, Okla. Gentlemen: Permit me to thank you very kindly for your kindness shown to our friend, Fong Shun, who recently died in your city and to acknowledge receipt of the money left by him to be sent to his family. In order to show our appreciation to the entire citizenship of Grandfield, we will thank you very much to have the enclosed notice published in your paper for one issue, with the request that they send the bill direct to us.

Again thanking you for your kindness, beg to remain,  
Gratefully yours,  
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SAM LEM.



HARRY EVANS AND HANDEL CHORUS.

Singing to over 120,000 persons in London. The above picture is a reproduction of a photograph of the Handel Orchestra, including over 350 musicians, the Handel Chorus of 5,000 voices, and Harry Evans, the renowned English Basso-Cantante, singing principal, at the famous Handel festival in Crystal Palace, London.

Crystal Palace is probably the largest auditorium in the world, seating between 120,000 and 130,000 persons, and the building was filled to capacity for this concert. This picture includes only the musicians. The rear seats were vacated at the time the picture was taken, on account of the men of the chorus being out smoking during recess. Harry Evans now making an

American tour—in joint recital with the celebrated American Pianist and composer, Otto L. Fischer of New York City, will be heard at the Wichita Theatre on the night of Tuesday, February 24th. Those who are bringing these artists, say that the enthusiasm over the recital is exceptional and that if the interest keeps growing as it has been the house will be filled on the night of the program.

#### Thornberry Items.

Thornberry, Texas, Feb. 14.—W. D. Bentley of Yukon, Okla., is out for a few days looking over his farm. Mrs. Powell of Mexico, is visiting friends in Thornberry. Eugene Lynskey has moved his house near the road and is remodeling it and expects to move soon. Brother Keller filled his appointment Sunday at the Baptist church. Brother Jennings will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night. J. F. Poole has purchased a new

#### Overland auto.

He says horses and buggies are too common for him. Some few think the volunteer oats have frozen but we think if the weather stays warm they will come out all right. Wheat is looking fairly good but needs rain. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Osborn took dinner with L. J. Redus Sunday. The Baptist people have the addition to their church almost completed which makes a good deal more room.

#### Texas City—Twenty clean up clubs

were organized in this city last week. The purpose of these organizations is to divide the entire city into separate sanitary districts and remove all rubbish and trash. The expenses are being borne by public spirited citizens and the city government. Orange—At a meeting of the Orange Commercial Club last week the executive committee appointed H. S. Hommesdieu as secretary for a term of one year.

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John Doe and family moved here from Fort Worth about six weeks ago. Mr. Doe is a railroad man and makes a fair salary, and while in Fort Worth paid all his accounts promptly or at least paid them without delay that troubled the merchants with whom he did business. Immediately after establishing himself in Wichita Falls he paid cash for everything he and his family bought but after a few weeks he found it would be more convenient to pay his bills monthly, not without some hesitation, knowing himself to be almost a stranger, he asked the groceryman from whom he had been buying whether he might open an account with him.

"Just a minute," exclaimed the groceryman who apparently had forgotten something at his office where Mr. Doe saw him go to the telephone. In a few seconds the groceryman returned and apologizing for the interruption asked if he had understood Mr. Doe to ask whether he could open an account with the store. Upon being told that such was the case the groceryman assured Mr. Doe that he would be glad to get his account and asked if there wasn't anything else he could sell him. Mr. Doe wondered why the grocer was so willing and ready to let him buy goods on credit.

Also Richard Rox. The experience of Richard Rox who moved here from an Oklahoma town was altogether different from that of Mr. Doe. Instead Mr. Rox was a different sort of a man from Doe. He could talk much and do little, and when he left the Oklahoma town for greener pastures he left souvenirs with all the merchants in the form of unpaid bills and even forgot such a thing as paying his rent several months overdue. Like Mr. Doe, Mr. Rox also paid cash for whatever he purchased for a week or more after arriving in Wichita Falls but feeling that this was an unnecessary strain on his finances he too asked his merchant for credit.

"I'd be glad to sell you for cash," the merchant told him, "but I don't want to take on any more credit customers just now. I myself am carrying all the credit at the bank and the wholesale houses that I feel like asking for, but we'll give you mighty good service for cash."

This didn't suit Mr. Rox and it wasn't long before he was trying to open up an account with another merchant but got about the same satisfaction as from the first. He knew he wasn't entitled to credit from anybody but he simply couldn't understand why the country couldn't work somebody. Finally when he found that his operations in Wichita Falls must be on a cash basis he became disgusted and left town.

The Retail Merchants' Association explains the difference in the reception to Mr. Doe and Mr. Rox, who for the purposes of this article are imaginary persons but who have many counterparts in real experience. Mr. Doe when he paid off his bills in Fort Worth probably told some of the merchants that would be the last account he would pay there as he had accepted a position at Wichita Falls and was going to move there. This merchant in making up the reports of his credit customers to the secretary of the Fort Worth Retail Merchants' Association made the notation opposite Mr. Doe's name, "moving to Wichita Falls, Texas." The Fort Worth secretary immediately forwarded information to Wichita Falls. A circular sent out by John W. Thomas, secretary of the local association containing the credit ratings of a number of other customers bore this item, "John Doe, R. R. man, Fort Worth, reports he has always paid bill promptly there and is considered good for such credit as he may ask." This circular was in the hands of every member of the association in this city before Mr. Doe thought about asking for credit and he could have gotten it from any of them.

Checking Up His Record. Now the case of Richard Rox was somewhat different. The town where Mr. Rox lived in Oklahoma had no merchants' association and this is probably the reason why Mr. Rox was such an unsatisfactory customer there. A merchants' association there might have "made a Christian of him" to use a slang expression. When he came to Wichita Falls there wasn't any information about his credit standing that preceded him. But one of the merchants in Wichita Falls had a premonition that Mr. Rox was going to ask for credit sooner or later and learning accidentally where he came from had asked Secretary Thomas of the local association to find out about Mr. Rox's credit standing there. Mr. Thomas got the names of several merchants in the Oklahoma town and wrote them asking if they knew anything concerning the standing of one Richard Rox, formerly of their city. The replies told just how Rox had left them holding the bag and the information was telephoned the merchant making the inquiry and later embodied in the bulletin sent out to all the members.

The Retail Merchants' Association tried to find out about the credit standing of every new resident who comes to the city and to give this information to the members. It also keeps tabs on all the credit customers who do business with Wichita Falls merchants. If a merchant is failing to pay his bills without there being some good reason, the merchant, if

he is a member of the association, is duty bound to report the fact to the secretary who incorporates the information in a bulletin which is issued periodically. If a man who had not been paying his bills begins to pay up the fact is noted. If another who has been classed as good pay becomes dilatory this also is noted and the rating of a customer may be changed from "good" to "slow" or "demand cash" or from "slow" or "demand cash" to "good" as the conditions may warrant.

Rating Books Issued. Once each year the association issues a credit rating book for its members. This book contains the names and ratings of all the credit customers of all the members.

Opposite the name of each customer are spaces under the headings "Good," "Slow," "Demand Cash," "Demand Cash." If three merchants report a man "Good," one reports him "slow" and another "demand cash" then the number who have made such reports appear under the respective headings.

The 1914 rating book of the association has just been distributed to the members. It contains the names and ratings of over 6000 customers in Wichita Falls and territory immediately surrounding. The number who are rated "doubtful" or "demand cash" is surprisingly small compared to the number who are rated "good" or "slow" in large measure to the activities of the association. Since its organization about four years ago many customers who were at first

rated as "doubtful" or "demand cash" are now first class credit customers. The activities of the association have induced them to pay up and, once they have gotten straightened out, they have found it impossible to get back to the way. It has inculcated habits of thrift and promptness in meeting obligations that have been of great value. There doubtless have been instances where the ratings have caused hardships when misfortunes and sickness have been the cause of the delinquencies but these are usually taken into account by the merchants both in extending credit and making reports to the secretary.

For Self-Preservation. The credit bureau of the Retail Merchants' Association was organized several years ago as a measure of self-preservation. Wichita Falls was growing rapidly. New people were coming into town every day and it was impossible for the individual merchant to keep informed concerning the reliability of them all so the system of co-operative reports was devised and the credit bureau soon became known as one of the most efficient in the entire southwest. It continues to hold this reputation to this day.

In the new rating book just issued C. J. Barnard of the P. B. M. Co. holds the record for "good" ratings, having been reported in that class by 26 firms. This of course does not mean that Mr. Barnard is any profligate in meeting his bills than some others, for there are many who pay all their accounts upon presentation of the bills, but it happened that Mr. Barnard had been buying from more firms than anybody else in town. The following are those who have

been reported "good" by twenty firms or more: Frank Griffin, 25; Dr. J. C. A. Quest, 21; Mrs. M. M. Saddles, 20; J. E. Bond, 21; Orville Ballington, 20; S. E. Burdick, 21; Frank Fullman, 21; Jesse Dolman, 20; J. A. Fisher, 21; A. S. Prouville, 23; N. Henderson, 20; E. G. Hill, 23; Ed Howard, 23; J. L. Jackson, 24; J. A. Kemp, 25; Abo Marcus, 22; M. A. Marcus, 23; O. P. Maricle, 20; Newton Maer, 23; W. M. McGregor, 20; Dr. W. H. Walker, 20; T. H. Peery, 24; T. B. Noble, 21; J. C. Mylenger, 21; J. H. Martin, 24; D. P. Talley, 20.

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### HIGH SCHOOL DEBATERS WIN FROM FORUM TEAM

Affirmative Side of Discussion of Compulsory Education Question Victorious Friday Night

The high school debating team triumphed over a debating team from the Young Men's Forum Friday night when it secured the judges' decision after a debate in the high school auditorium. The debate was on the question of compulsory education, the high school team, which consisted of Brennan Gillespie and Otis Nelson contending that the next legislature should enact a compulsory education law and the Forum team, Charles Crowell and John Gould, having the negative side of this issue. The judges held that the affirmative debaters presented their case more strongly than the negative and decided accordingly.

These two high school debaters will represent the Wichita Falls high school in the county debating contest to be held here next month; if victorious there, they will represent this county in the district contest to be held in April, giving them an opportunity to take part in the State contest to be held at Austin in May.

The debate last night was preceded by an excellent declamation on "Peace" by Ross Basinger and was followed by a very interesting talk by Judge S. H. Hodges.



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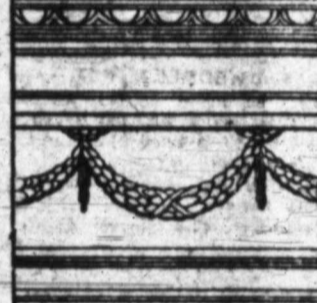
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**LITTLE SISTERS AND FRIENDS AT MISS ANN FREEAR'S.**

Life of Hawthorne, Isabel Fratas; violin selections, Velma Williams; recitation, Ione Skeen; piano solo, Katherine Cannedy; talk by Miss Beavers.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEET WITH SUPERINTENDENT**

The teachers and officers of the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian Church held a meeting Monday evening at the home of the superintendent, J. C. Hunt. Preparations were made for entering into the new church, teachers being elected to fill all vacancies. Associate superintendents for each department were selected, also secretaries and associate secretaries. After the business was attended to Mrs. Hunt served a delicious salad course to those present, about twenty-five in number.

**D. A. R. ENTERTAINED BY MISS JACKSON SATURDAY**

The regular monthly meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held Saturday afternoon, Feb. 7 with Miss Mabelle Jackson. The lesson was on the events of 1777. The members answered roll call with "Acting Generals of '77." Mrs. Whitney was the leader for the afternoon and with the aid of the hostess, had arranged a series of very clever tableaux, representing the battles of 1777. Two of the most interesting were "The Battle of Germantown"

**MRS. FRANK BLAIR HOSTESS HONORING MRS. HORACE GOOCH**

Honoring her visitor, Mrs. Horace Gooch of Amarillo, Mrs. Frank Blair entertained over a score of ladies at Bridge Thursday afternoon. The house was very prettily decorated for the occasion, a color scheme being furnished by the natural green of ferns, combined with brilliant red carnations. The table was banked with the ferns and the buffet was almost hidden in the greenery. Through the embankments were mingled the red carnations and vases of these flowers were placed wherever possible. The red shaded candelabra carried out the color scheme to a further extent, the charming decorations affording just the right background for the handsomely gowned guests. At Bridge Mrs. Brookins won high score receiving the prize of silk hose. The color scheme was featured in the refreshment plate in the charlotte russe, with maraschino cherries topping it, the stumped glasses being tied with red tulle. A salad course was served, chicken salad being accompanied by wafers and olives. The guests present were: Mrs. Horace Gooch, the honoree, Mesdames Wiley Blair, Allen, Miller, Leitcham, Sammons, Shaw, Reese, Dabson, Sledge, Eberhart, Tony, DeBarrell, Montgomery, Fontaine, Short Zundelwitz, Claude Woods, T. W. Roberts, Brookins, Fitzpatrick, Tully, DuVal and Gwynn.

**MESSES BACHMAN HOSTESSES TO CRESCENT CIRCLE MONDAY**

The Mesdames Lillian and Ruby Bachman were hostesses to a most pleasant meeting of the Crescent Circle Monday afternoon. The usual routine of sewing and conversation was indulged in and late in the afternoon the hostesses served a dainty luncheon consisting of brown bread sandwiches, marguerites, Italian cherry meringue and hot chocolate. The members present were: Mesdames Friberg, Leitha Musgraves, Mary and Mabel Byman, Hazel Hunter, Flossie Snoddy, Eberhart, Tony, DeBarrell, Mesdames Dollard and Coe, Miss Roberta Bolton was a guest.

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with Miss Dorothy Beavers, dressed as a little German maiden acting the word German; the other was a production of the picture of Washington at Valley Forge. The nature of this program was very different from any hitherto carried and met with great favor from those present. During the afternoon the hostess served a very acceptable refreshment course to the following: Mesdames Beavers, Ferguson, Burnside, Herblin, Whitney, Harrington, Jackson, Watta, Robertson and Miss Beavers.

**PRESBYTERIAN YOUNG LADIES IN SESSION MONDAY AFTERNOON**

The young ladies of the Presbyterian church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Bullington. A strictly business session was held and the report of the nominating committee was accepted, the following officers being elected: Mrs. Everett Jones, president; Mrs. Bullington, vice president; Miss Estira Bell, vice president; Miss Helen J. Lomick, secretary; Miss Lillian A. V. treasurer. A name and aim for the society were discussed but any definite decision thereon was deferred until the next meeting which will be held with Miss Alice Burnside. The young ladies decided to give a social reception on Saturday, February 21, both afternoon and evening, to which the public will be invited. The piece will be announced later.

**FIFTY CENT SOCIAL BY PRESBYTERIAN AID SOCIETY**

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church held their regular monthly fifty cent social Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Robertson. A business session was held during the afternoon and the ladies made plans for their "pig killing" which will be held next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carrigan. Every lady of the church is especially invited to be present, and to bring in their pigs. A regular old-fashioned "hog killing time" is anticipated.

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**MRS. STEWART HOSTESS TO MAYFLOWER CLUB THURSDAY**

Mrs. A. H. Stewart was hostess to the Mayflower Club Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was taken up in playing the club game which the members always enjoy and later the service of the dainty two course luncheon brought further enjoyment. The hostess assisted by her daughter, Andrea, Jerry and Opal, served chicken sandwiches, olives and coffee, followed by fruit salad in orange cups, served with whipped cream and cake. The members present were: Mesdames Dellis, Hagin, Dobson, Alton, Gregg, Hudson, Stearns, Yates, Walker, Wilson, Hurst, Bradshaw, Page, Miss Hazel Hurst was a visitor. Mrs. A. J. Thompson, 1107 Travis will entertain the club next Thursday and on the regular meeting day, Feb. 28, Mrs. G. W. Corkhill will entertain complimentary to the club.

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**B. O. P.'S IN SESSION WITH MRS. HARDY ON TUESDAY.**

The B. O. P.'s met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Hardy. The time was spent in making preparations for their Valentine candy sale and with merry conversation sandwiched at intervals. Cake and fruit was passed informally all during the afternoon. The members present were: Mesdames Mabel Williams, Lena Milliken, Annette Coffield, Una Cook, Anna Bell King, Tula Stokes and Mrs. Kelly.

**MRS. ROBERT THORBURN IS TUESDAY BRIDGE HOSTESS**

The Tuesday Bridge met in a very pleasant session with Mrs. Robert Thorburn Tuesday afternoon. In the game Mrs. Woods won high score, receiving the favor a bridge set. At the conclusion of the games the hostess served dainty refreshments to the following members: Mesdames Harry May, Newton Maer, M. M. Walker, Hines, Everett Jones, McGregor, Little, Guff were; Mesdames Woods, Huff, Reese and Peyton Gwynn.

**ART LITERATURE CLUB IN VERY ENJOYABLE SESSION.**

The Art Literature Club were entertained in an unusually pleasant meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sanders, with Mrs. Saffers and Mrs. C. W. Bean acting as joint hostesses. The affair was in the nature of a Valentine party in addition to the regular study, the club members being much indebted to the hostesses and the leader, Mrs.

DeBarry for an especially enjoyable afternoon. Roll call was answered by each member giving a Valentine and Mrs. Harris read an interesting paper on "The Origin of Valentine's Day." An appropriate reading, "The Lost Found" from Evangelina was read by Mrs. B. J. Caribers while Mrs. Sanders played a soft accompaniment on the piano. Red hearts and pencils were passed by the hostesses and a "Floral Contest" was engaged in. The prize, a hand painted Valentine going to Mrs. Harris. As a welcome diversion from the usual study course, a black board was placed on the wall and each member in turn, blind folded, drew a heart on it and placed their initials within, the results affording much amusement. Following this the guests were invited into the dining room which was beautifully and appropriately decorated. Chains of red hearts were festooned from the light dome and used in profusion about the room. A reflector surrounded by bleeding hearts occupied the center of the large polished table. This was surmounted by a cut glass fern dish filled with flowers. Around the table were placed large red hearts under which were placed dainty Valentine's as favors of the afternoon. A delightful collation was served consisting of heart shaped sandwiches, chicken salad, wafers, olives and coffee with whipped cream. During the afternoon delightful music was enjoyed, both vocal and instrumental solos by Mrs. Sanders and piano duets by Mrs. Kerr and Miss Kerr. The members present were: Mesdames Blankenship, Bean, Bolding, Baker, Filgo, Elmer Filgo, Kerr, Robertson, Rountree, E. L. Smith, Gebhart, DeBerry, Stone, Meredith, Stonecipher, Leitcham, D. J. Caribers, Misses Jamison and Kerr. (Guests on this occasion were: Mesdames Ferguson, Best and P. E. Kerr.)

**EPISCOPAL GUILD LADIES GIVE ENJOYABLE CHURCH TEA**

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild gave a church tea Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Sammons with Mrs. Sammons and Mrs. Shaw as hostesses. In spite of the very inclement weather a number were in attendance and a very pleasant informal social evening was spent. The house was decorated throughout in a very timely manner with hearts and cupid. The double doors were hung with portiers of the red hearts and hearts and cupid were used in abundance in every conceivable manner. In the dining room the chandelier was shaded with a cleverly arranged contrivance of hearts and cupid and the table was bordered with a fringe of hearts. A beautiful centerpiece of hatterburg lace was surmounted by an enormous cupid, standing in the center of the table. Here Mrs. Warner presided at the tea service and the guests were served by Mesdames McElroy, Gates, Fontaine and Shaw. A free will offering was taken up during the course of the evening.

**THURSDAY SEWING CIRCLE WITH MRS. JUDD PRESLEY.**

Thursday afternoon the Thursday Sewing Circle met with Mrs. Judd Presley by special request. The afternoon was spent in doing the usual things and with the usual enjoyment resulting. At the conclusion of the afternoon the hostess served delicious sandwiches and ginger bread with hot chocolate to the following: Mesdames Hartsook, Gardner, Murph, McDowell and Misses Murph and Monick.

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**MISS JOSEPHINE BACHMAN'S BIRTHDAY IS REMEMBERED.**

Saturday afternoon, Feb. 7 Miss Josephine Bachman entertained a few friends, it being her thirteenth birthday. This occasion was remembered by her friends with a number of beautiful gifts. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in playing interesting games. A contest was also held in which Miss Inez Crites won the prize. Late in the afternoon the guests were invited into the dining room where a beautiful birthday cake with thirteen lighted candles, occupied the center of the table. Here they were served with delicious refreshments by the hostess' mother, Mrs. W. H. Bachman and Mrs. C. M. Doke. The guests were as follows: Mesdames Louise Maricle, Velma Samson, Evaline Samson, Lucile Doke, Elsie Priebe, Lona Brown, Winnie Mae Giddings, Fae Delaney, Edaline King, Juanita and Zora Bachman, Maudie Webb, Dorothy Coe, Dora Snyder, Lucy Mae Priebe, Louise Bachman, Opal Stewart, Inez Crites, Eva and Lucy Meads, Irma Cassidy and Laurine Chappell.

**NOTES AND PERSONALS.**

Mrs. Edwards and daughter arrived in the city early in the week for a visit with Rev. J. W. Hill and family.

Miss Alice Burnside has returned from Fort Worth, where she has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ed Howard returned the early part of the week from Wolff City and Dallas, where she visited with relatives.

Mrs. Horace Gooch of Amarillo, is visiting Mrs. Frank Blair.

Miss Florence Sammons is visiting friends in Purney.

Mrs. W. B. Shepherd is visiting in Dallas.

Miss Rose Reisenberg who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Art, has returned to her home in Sherman.

Mrs. Tom Wade of Marlow, Okla., and Miss Mabel Darnell of Whiteboro, are visiting in the city.

Mrs. George Thorburn visited relatives at Byers and Seymour the first of last week.

Mrs. G. L. Graves of Petrolia, is visiting Mrs. Ed Bowle, is visiting Mrs. R. L. Lane at 1500 Travis.

Friday evening, Feb. 6 Mrs. Floyd Billingsley entertained the Just So Club. In spite of the inclement weather a very enjoyable evening was spent by those in attendance, due to the thoughtfulness and care on the part of the hostess in her cozy ar-

rangements. Tempting refreshments of hot chocolate, sandwiches and cake were served late in the evening.

The Pathfinders Club which was scheduled to meet with Miss Grace Nolen Friday afternoon was postponed on account of a death occurring in the family of one of the members. The meeting will be held next Friday with Miss Nolen.

Mrs. R. E. Clopton and daughter, Miss Mabelle, have returned from Chicago and St. Louis, where they have been purchasing spring millinery for their shop.

Mrs. Alice Skutt and son, J. W. Bradbury from Tulsa, Okla., are now located at 902 Austin.

Miss Inogene Brown has gone to Dallas where she will be the guest of Mrs. J. E. Boone for a week or so.

An Epworth League Social was held at Friberg Friday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Musgraves. There were about sixty-five in attendance and a most enjoyable time was spent by all. A late-hour tea the hostess served very delightful refreshments.

Mrs. T. W. Starkey who has been visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mrs. E. L. Luna, has returned and is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Luna.

Miss Jennie Peak of Des Moines, is visiting her niece, Mrs. E. L. Luna.

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