THE WEATHER
West Texas: Sunday partly cloudy; Monday unsettled, cooler in north and west portion.

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ARKANSAS ENTERS THE FIGHT OVER THE BED OF RED RIVER
BRITISH GOVERNMENT FACES NATION'S MOST SERIOUS CRISIS
GOVERNMENT PLANS ACTION IN EVENT OF STRIKE BY MINERS

ANOTHER STATE IN LIST OF CLAIMANTS TO THE RIVER BED

ARKANSAS FILES MOTION FOR PERMISSION TO INTERVENE.

ASSERTS TITLE TO LARGE SLICE OF STATE OF TEXAS

Supreme Court Will Decide Later If Claim Will Be Considered.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The state of Arkansas today entered the list of claimants to the bed of the Red river, now in dispute in the supreme court between the federal government, the states of Oklahoma and Texas, and private individuals. Arkansas, under a motion for permission to intervene in the dispute filed by Attorney General Utley, also asserted its title to a large part of the state of Texas. The state declares that it is entitled under the boundaries laid down in the act of admission to statehood not only to the bed of the Red river, but also to that part of the state of Texas lying between the Louisiana boundary and the 100 degree of longitude and north of the 32nd parallel.

The supreme court will decide later whether it will consider the claim in connection with the Texas-Oklahoma case.

HUNDRED MILES WIDE AND SIX HUNDRED LONG

AUSTIN, March 11.—The part of Texas that Arkansas claims in a petition filed in the supreme court of the United States today is a strip about a hundred miles wide and six hundred miles long, running west from Louisiana along Red river, according to Assistant Attorney General Wallace Hawkins, who is working on the Texas-Oklahoma boundary suit.

The southern boundary line runs through Cherokee, Navarro and Hill counties and turns north in Runnels county to the state line. It includes Dallas, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Abilene, together with the smaller towns north of the south line of the strip of Texas claimed by Arkansas.

Attorney General Keeling had not heard of Arkansas' claim until notified tonight. He said that he preferred to hear all of it before making a statement.

ALLIES LEAVE WAY FOR UNITED STATES TO DEMAND SHARE

SIGN AGREEMENT SUBJECT TO ALL THE RIGHTS OF AMERICA.

ENGLAND GETS LION SHARE OF THE TOTAL

Remainder Is Divided Between France, Italy and Belgium.

By WEBB MILLER
United Press Staff Correspondent.

PARIS, March 11.—At the eleventh hour, the allies have left the way open for the United States to claim its share of the first billion marks paid by Germany.

MILLER

The American government—through Roland W. Boyden, unofficial representative on the reparations committee demanded a part of this payment to meet the costs of the American army of occupation.

Allied foreign ministers tonight signed an agreement partitioning the amount according to the cost of the allied armies of occupation—subject to all rights of the United States, however, these may be defined. Except for this general reservation, the American demand was ignored.

The entire billion was partitioned with England getting the lion's share and the remainder divided among France, Italy and Belgium.

The note delivered by Boyden was characterized as "absolutely inacceptible" by Sir Robert Horne of Great Britain and the United States envoy was advised to refer his demands to the allied governments.

However, after the agreement had been submitted to the French cabinet for approval it was signed with the important general reservation regarding the rights of the United States.

Question Is Raised.

The question raised by the American demand for an integral share of the German payments is a fundamental one. Has the United States, the allies ask, any right to claim benefits of the Versailles treaty which she refused to ratify in order to avoid its obligations?

The agreement signed this evening provides for partition of the billion paid by German as follows:

England 550,000,000 marks, France 140,000,000 marks, Italy the equivalent of 150,000,000 marks, Belgium the remainder.

The allied ministers also provided for divisions of German payments in kind to be made this year. Of these France gets 65 per cent from which she must deduct 300,000,000 on account of her Saar mine holdings and the rest is partitioned among the other allies.

The American note presented by Boyden said the United States "intends to obtain integral payment with interest to May 1, 1921, before any portion of the German payments is distributed for reparations or anything else."

The United States will also demand payment for current expenses.

The finance ministers council tonight instructed M. De Lasteyrie to prepare a letter to Roland W. Boyden, informing him they were forwarding the American demands to their governments.

The official communique announced they discussed adjustment of the debts contracted by the allies among themselves during the war.

It is understood that M. De Lasteyrie suggested they form these into a bloc, and then accept German bonds of the C series, this putting off the necessity of a settlement for at least 30 years.

Owing to uncertainty as to the attitude of the United States, however, they were unable to discuss this further.

CASUALTY LIST IN SOUTH AFRICA NOW ESTIMATED AT 600

OF THIS NUMBER IT IS REPORTED EIGHTY HAVE BEEN KILLED.

TRADES UNION HALL BOMBED BY AVIATOR

Majority Assembled Were Killed and the Building Was Destroyed.

JOHANNESBURG, March 11.—The Rand Daily Mail places Friday's casualties at 600, of whom 80 are believed to have been killed. The casualties among the strikers are not known. The situation is regarded as somewhat improved today.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, March 11.—The trades union hall at Bedani, near Johannesburg, crowded with South African gold mine strikers, was bombed by an aviator today, says a Central News dispatch from Johannesburg. The majority of those assembled were killed and the building destroyed.

JOHANNESBURG, March 11.—The mine war that has blazed up over the Transvaal-Rands in the vicinity of Johannesburg tonight threatened to develop into open insurrection against the government.

The strikers were reported to hold two towns, Brakpan and Benoni, following a battle in which 21 constables were killed and to be threatening to capture Central Johannesburg.

Heavy casualties were reported on both sides as fierce fighting in the Fordsburg and Jeppe districts continued. Communications have been cut. The Union of South Africa government takes a most serious view of the situation. General Smuts has chcaracterized it as "one of the gravest crises that ever has arisen in South Africa."

The government fears this is the climax of a three-month strike at the gold mines, and may grow into worse proportions.

The fact that Boers have aided the strikers in part of the fighting, including the capture of towns, lends weight to suggestions that the trouble may become much more serious.

There was sharp fighting in the suburbs of Johannesburg last night and today. Sniping and bombing by miners had resulted in many casualties, several miners' meetings were broken up by the police. Martial law was proclaimed throughout the affected district. The citizens were warned to keep off the streets after dark.

GREAT BRITAIN IS CONFRONTED WITH SERIOUS PROBLEM

INDIA, THE TRANSVAAL AND IRELAND CONTRIBUTE TO DIFFICULTIES.

UNEMPLOYMENT ALSO AGGRAVATES SITUATION

Lockout of 300,000 Machinists Threatens to Add Million to Idle Number.

By ED. L. KEEN
United Press Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, March 11.—The British government tonight was confronted with its most serious combination of domestic and foreign difficulties since the war.

KEEN

The week-end brought sudden intensification of troubles in India, the Transvaal, Ireland and at home and it was considered certain that Lloyd George would be forced to curtail his holiday in Wales and hurry to the relief of his shaky government.

At home a lockout of 300,000 machinists at noon today threatens to add a million men to England's already tremendous army of unemployed.

In the Transvaal the Rands are aflame with fierce warfare between striking gold miners and the police. Nearly 50 have been killed in what threatens to develop into open insurrection. Grave fears are felt at the ability of General Jan Smuts, premier of the Union of South Africa, to deal with the situation.

India is reported to be seething with scarcely repressed revolt following the arrest of Ghandi, its leader.

Sectarian warfare has broken again in Ireland, intensified by murder of four members of the crown forces in Belfast.

To add to the government's difficulties, Edwin S. Montague, whose resignation as secretary of state for India was demanded by Lloyd George following publication of the Indian government's demand in behalf of Turkey, today launched forth in a bitter denunciation of the coalition government, its foreign policies and its treatment of himself.

Taken all in all, the British lion finds the tail which it was beginning to wag happily over better times, suddenly tied in a series of perplexing knots. Only those who remember the adeptness of this same lion for untieing such knots, exemplified since the empire was founded, could remain optimistic over the situation. The government has consistently managed to "muddle through" its greatest difficulties.

Of the difficulties, the domestic dilemma created by the lockout of 300,000 workers in engineering trades constitutes the most serious threat of the cabinet upset; the trouble in the Transvaal is the most spectacular, for it is reported an aviator has blown up a hall crowded with miners, and that the strikers threaten to capture Johannesburg; the menace of revolt in India possesses the greatest potentialities of danger.

A week ago the coalition government was reported on the verge of a collapse, which was to be brought about by Lloyd George's resignation. And that at a time when the skies looked particularly bright. Almost overnight a series of difficulties have arisen to confront the government, which is temporarily without its fighting leader. Political observers profess to see a general election looming as inevitable if the present troubles are not straightened out without serious development. Revolt in India, open insurrection demanding British intervention in South Africa, or martial law again in the north of Ireland—these things would be more serious still for Britain than the passing out of a government that has nearly run its course.

Lloyd George, who had retired for a rest and to prepare quietly for Genoa, must inevitably return to lead the fight if these fresh difficulties are to be met successfully.

LEADERS PREPARE TO VOTE ON BONUS MONDAY, MARCH 20

TIRED AND DISHEARTENED OVER EFFORT TO PLEASE THE PRESIDENT.

DESIRE IS TO GET THE MEASURE OFF HANDS

Action Proposed Notwithstanding Expected Veto By The President.

By LAURENCE M. BENEDICT
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Despite the now accepted view that President Harding will veto the certificate plan bonus bill, house republican leaders said tonight they are going ahead on their program, which calls for a vote on the house measure on Monday, March 20.

Tired and disheartened after weeks of vain endeavor to draft a bill that would be acceptable to the president, and at the same time have a chance of passing both branches of congress, house bonus framers' main idea now seems to get the troublesome measure off their hands.

They want to report the bill to the house Monday, have the house pass it the following Monday, then let the senate and Harding do the rest of the worrying.

House leaders indicated clearly there would be little or no disposition on their part to attempt to pass the bonus over the president's veto. However, it was pointed out that in view of the president's attitude the house's action on the bonus will amount to a test of strength between that body and the president's powers of veo. The house will consider the bonus under suspension of rules wherein a two-thirds vote—the same that is required to override a veto—will be necessary to pass the bill.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY DENIES STATEMENT MADE BY GOVERNOR

JACKSON, MISS., March 11.—A. J. Browning, district attorney, who recently filed anti-trust suits in Covington county against a number of life and casualty insurance companies, told a legislative investigating committee here today that "there is not a scintilla of truth" in declarations made by Governor Russell that the suits were instigated by "outlawed" fire insurance concerns.

The suits were filed by him in accordance with his conception of duty as a district attorney, he said.

State Representative E. M. Lane, chairman of the house committee on insurance, today emphasized that no lobbying had come to his attention in connection with insurance measures.

INDICATE BREAK OVER FORT WORTH CAR THEFT CASES

FT. WORTH, March 11.—A break between federal agents and police was indicated tonight as the investigation of the murder of C. A. Barngrove, 30, federal witness in a case involving a series of box car thefts, continued.

Federal men have been called off the case temporarily. The police, meantime, have accomplished little. Reports that the police knew the murder was the result of a "frame up," and that they knew who was responsible, were circulated. No one has been taken into custody.

It is believed the federal grand jury, which meets Monday, will take up the probe.

FAILURE OF TREATY WOULD BE NOTHING SHORT OF CALAMITY

SUCH IS STATEMENT OF SECRETARY HUGHES IN LETTER.

WAS NOT HOOD-WINKED IN FRAMING AGREEMENT

Secretary Reveals That He Wrote Final Draft of Four-Power Pact.

By LAWRENCE MARTIN
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Two members of the American delegation to the arms conference today struck back at senatorial critics of the four power pacific treaty.

Secretary of State Hughes, chairman of the delegation, in a letter to Senator Underwood, democratic senate leader, said failure of the treaty would be "nothing short of a national calamity."

Senator Underwood, democratic leader and a member of the delegation in a speech to the senate denied that the treaty constituted an alliance, and said that if it was an alliance it was for peace; not for war.

Replying directly to senatorial attacks as to the authorship of the pact, Hughes said the American delegation was neither hood-winked or imposed upon in the framing of the agreement, and that the treaty is in accordance with traditional policies of this government. He revealed that he wrote the final draft, which was adopted with some changes, but said international amenities prevented him from discussing other drafts.

The treaty, according to information obtained by the United States, is a complete picture of drafts submitted by Hughes, Arthur Balfour of Britain and Ambassador Shidehara of Japan.

Give Credit to Underwood.

These chief developments in the most important day thus far in the senate treaty fight had the effect of clearing the treaty atmosphere. It is apparent that if ratification is obtained, which now seems certain by a small majority, much credit must be given to Underwood.

Abandonment by Senator Lodge of efforts to hold the senate in continuous session to force voting on reservations proposed by Senator Robinson, Arkansas, and others; loss of another vote to treaty supporters through illness of Senator Harrold, republican, Oklahoma, and a movement designed to produce a "Russian scare" and thus lose votes for the treaty were other developments.

Hughes' letter which was plain and direct, caused a commotion in senate cloak rooms and will be the subject of debate next week.

Hughes wrote Underwood:

"That a full disclosure of everything said or done in the course of the negotiations would reveal nothing derogatory to the part taken by any of the American delegates or involve any consideration or acceptance of any position not entirely consistent with the traditional policies of this government."

That there are no secret notes or understandings.

That the negotiations resulting in the four power treaty "were conducted within limitation defined by the American government."

That the treaty itself is so clear and simple in its own words that no "ingenuity in argument or hostile criticism can add to them or make them other or greater than its unequivocal language sets forth."

That Hughes himself prepared the final treaty draft, after full conference not only with representatives of Britain and Japan, but members of the American delegation.

That "there is not the slightest mystery about the treaty or basis for suspicion regarding it."

That in view of the fact that the treaty is an essential part of the plan to create lasting peace in the Pacific, its rejection by the senate would be nothing short of a national comment.

Hughes wrote this to Underwood, but was speaking directly to senators who are fighting the treaty. He said they had implied in debate that in some way "the American delegates have been imposed on, or that they were induced to accept some plan cunningly contrived by others and opposed to our interests."

Apart from the reflection this cast on the competency of the delegation—two members of which were senators—Hughes said this betrayed a "very poor and erroneous conception of the work in connection with the conference, no part of which, whether within or outside the conference meetings, was begun, prosecuted or concluded in intrigue."

COMPOSITE VERSION OF THREE ORIGINAL DRAFTS

LONDON, March 11.—From a high authority the United Press received confirmation of its exclusive Washington dispatch regarding the drawing up of the four-power treaty at the arms limitation conference.

"The treaty," a British authority who was at Washington said, "represents a composite version of three original drafts, suggested by British, Japanese and American delegates to the conference. After these drafts were presented, months of work in committee brought forth the pact in its present form.

"Great Britain confronted with crises on every hand, is too busy with its own troubles to pay much attention to the senate fight over ratification of the treaty.

"Pending a vote in the senate, it is assumed here that the pact will be ratified. If it is not parliamentary action will be taken to withdraw Britain's participation and the Anglo-Japanese alliance will be rejuvenated."

MAN KILLED MAY HAVE KNOWN SECRET OF TAYLOR MURDER

THEORY IS HELD BY DETECTIVES WORKING ON THE CASE.

CIRCUS MAN FRIEND OF MOVIE DIRECTOR

Known to Have Been Under Surveillance Prior to the Fatal Shooting.

By United Press.

CAMDEN, N. J., March 11.—A theory that "Honest John" Brunen, proprietor of the Doris-Ferarie circus, who was murdered at Riverside, N. J., Friday night knew the secret of the murder of William Desmond Taylor, California moving picture director was held by detectives on the case today.

Brunen was known to be a friend of Taylor, whom he had met in the course of his 25 years' experience in the show business.

He was known also to have been the object of close surveillance for a time preceding his murder. A few hours before his brains were scattered by a charge from a shotgun, fired at close range through a window in his kitchen in his home, he had run a close motor car race with unnamed parties from Riverston to his home. He was on his way from Williamsport, Pa. He passed this incident off with a laugh. Yet, a few minutes later when his wife, drawn from the second floor by the shot that killed her husband, passed the front window of the house she saw two men run past the place and jump hurriedly into a car that made off in the darkness. She was unable to describe them when questioned by detectives.

The footprints of a man were found outside the window through which the shot was fired. They led to an open field, where the shotgun cartridge was discovered and part of the gun stock.

The imprints were lost a short distance from the road that leads into the city.

A mysterious blond woman, said to have once been friendly with William Desmond Taylor, was brought into the case when detectives learned she returned to her home late Friday night with a man suspected of the Brunen murder. Both seemed excited.

Another woman, modishly attired in sport clothes, lingered in the vicinity of the blond's home the greater part of today. She seemed to be watching for someone to emerge.

Mrs. Brunen told police that she "could guess who" did the killing. However, she declared she was not ready to give any names.

SEVERAL ARRESTS ARE EXPECTED IN THE DALLAS CASE

DALLAS, TEXAS, March 11.—Several arrests may be made in connection with the flogging of Philip Rothblum here before Monday, it was indicated at police headquarters tonight.

Rothblum and his wife were brought back from Little Rock, Ark., to appear before the Dallas county grand jury. Rothblum is said to have told who some of the men were who took him from his home and whipped him last Monday night.

INVESTIGATION WILL BE CONTINUED ON MONDAY

DALLAS, March 11.—Investigation by the Dallas county grand jury in the Philip Rothblum flogging case will be continued Monday morning, District Attorney Maury Hughes said late today.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothblum arrived here this morning from Little Rock, Ark., where they had sought refuge after Rothblum had been ordered to leave Dallas by the whipping party. They were accompanied by Captain of Detectives Moffett, who assured them of police protection during the investigation. Mrs. Rothblum still declares she can identify one of her husband's assailants, if he is brought before her.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothblum will go before the grand jury Monday morning to furnish what information they may have to that body. A number of witnesses went before the grand jury today in connection with the matter. The jury adjourned at noon without taking any action.

New clues, the nature of which he refused to divulge, have been obtained, Chief of Detectives Gunning declared today.

HAVE PROGRAM OF EXECUTIVE ACTION IF MINERS STRIKE

DECIDE ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIES MUST BE KEPT GOING.

SUPERVISION OF MINES PLANNED IF NECESSARY

President Is Keeping In Touch With Situation While In Florida.

By PAUL R. MALONE,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—A plan to prevent the public from suffering if the 550,000 union miners strike April 1, as threatened, is now being outlined by government officials.

Aroused by the failure of bituminous operators to respond thus far to the government call for a national wage conference, cabinet members planned action to save the nation from a threatened fuel famine.

According to those who are in a position to know what is in the administration, there appears to be little hope of a preliminary wage conference. The mine workers are eager to hold such a conference but operators in the bituminous fields are decided on the question it would seem there would be little likelihood of operators uniting on a general wage program. The government, while urging a conference, does not have any means of enforcing such a conference.

If the conference plans collapse, as seems probable, the government is prepared to propose arbitration through a commission which the president will appoint. This commission will be made up of one or more operators to be named by the producing interests and one or more miners, to be named by the union. The chairman is to be named by the president.

Should the strike actually take place, the administration will consider court action to restrain the men from quitting. It is realized by the cabinet, according to high authority, however, that this would not in itself keep the mines working. The men could not be forced to work, but strike benefit funds could be tied up, handicapping officers of the union.

Beyond this the administration has not looked. It can be stated upon highest authority that if a strike comes the president will have cabinet advice to assume sufficient control of the mines to assure the country of a coal supply.

RAILROADS AND ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIES MUST MOVE

NEW SMYRNA, FLA., March 11—The administration has decided that the railroads and essential industries shall be kept going whether or not the miners strike on April 1.

President Harding and his cabinet, according to members of the party here, have evolved a definite program of executive action in event the threatened walkout occurs.

In the first place, of course, it is the hope of the administration that the strike may be avoided. If it occurs, however, it may now be regarded as certain that feel will be provided even if government supervision of mines is necessary.

The president is accompanied on this trip by Attorney General Daugherty, who will be an active figure in the strike emergency. In addition Secretary Weeks already has been in consultation with the president and Weeks naturally would have a prominent part in whatever the government decided to do.

IOWA MINERS CANNOT NEGOTIATE AGREEMENT

ALBIA, IOWA, March 11.—Iowa coal operators and miners can negotiate no separate agreement seeking to bring about a settlement of the strike situation, according to John Gay, secretary of the Iowa district of the United Mine Workers of America. This is in reply to the statement of E. C. Smith, president of the Iowa coal operators association, that the operators are willing to negotiate a wage scale at any time that they are assured that the policy committee of the United Mine Workers will allow such district action, regardless of the action of the central competitive fields. Secretary Gay says that the president, Smith, knows full well that no agreement can be made between operators and miners of Iowa until a final agreement has been reached in the central competitive field. Results of the strike vote from six additional local unions of the state were announced today by Secretary Gay. All voted in favor of a strike in case no agreement is reached prior to April 1.

Unofficial returns from 42 local unions now have been reached in Iowa. These figures show that 6,420 have voted in favor of the strike as compared to 513 voting against the walkout.

OIL WORKER IN A CRITICAL CONDITION RESULT OF ATTACK

MEXIA, TEXAS, March 11.—J. Pierson, oil tank construction worker, was taken to his home in Cleburne today in a critical condition following an altercation on a tank farm six miles south of here which is said to have resulted from an argument over the number of rivets in a section of a steel tank.

A man by the name of People is being held by county authorities in connection with the attack upon Pierson which he claims was made with naked fists. Pierson's jaw bone is broken, a number of his ribs are crushed and internal injuries are expected to prove fatal.

'ASKED TO EXPLAIN THE EXTRA CHARGE MADE FOR DELIVERY OF MESSAGE

BATON ROUGE, LA., March 11.—The Western Union Telegraph company today was summoned to appear before the Louisiana public service commisison and explain under what authority it charges 10 cents for delivery of telegrams more than one mile away from its offices in New Orleans. No such charge ever has been authorized, it was explained.

BATTLE STAGED WHEN MASKED PARTY GOES AFTER A RANGER MAN

RANGER, TEXAS, March 11.—Police tonight were on the lookout here for the party of masked men last night engaged in a gun fight with Earl Douglas, oil worker, and an associate, about 75 shots being exchanged. No one was reported injured.

Douglas told police today that he had been captured by a group of men on February 18 last and later released, unharmed, after being warned to leave the vicinity. He refused to leave. Last night, he told officers, he saw a body of masked men approaching his house. From his window, he said, he saw the men bind another oil worker to a derrick, apparently to prevent his warning Douglas of their approach.

Douglas armed himself and a companion and went out to meet the party, according to his statement. During the fight which followed the bound man escaped when the rope holding him gave way.

The town is quiet tonight.

SAM HOUSTON NORMAL EX-STUDENTS LOAN FUND

AUSTIN, TEXAS, March 11.—The ex-student loan fund of the Sam Houston Normal college, of Huntsville, which was chartered today, has for its purpose the establishment of a students loan fund of $[illegible],000.

REPORT FRIO COUNTY HAS GIANT GASSER

AUSTIN, TEXAS, March 11.—The railroad commission was advised tonight that the Pratt Hewitt Oil syndicate has brought in a giant gasser on the Rooke lease in Frio county. It is declared to be the biggest gas well ever brought in the state.

FORT WORTH OIL MAN IS KILLED BY MISTAKE BY CLERK IN A HOTEL

FORT WORTH, March 11.—News was received here today of the killing through mistake at Bristow, Okla., of F. J. Curtis, a Forth Worth man. A clerk in the hotel heard a noise, thought he saw a burglar and fired, killing Curtis, who was an oil man on business there.

AIRPLANE TRIP FOR A HOG AND A CALF

DENISON, TEXAS, March 11.—A hog and a calf entered in the stock show at Fort Worth, belonging to Henry Hart of Okmulgee, Okla., passed over Denison this morning in an airplane, on their way to the Texas exhibition. The pilot landed near this city to feed his charges and replenish his fuel supply.

CLOSELY RELATED TO FOUR PER CENT OF THE POPULATION

WASHINGTON, March 11.—In investigating the record of Bennie F. Taylor of Crystal Springs, Miss., a soldier who died at Camp Beauregard in 1918, the U. S. veterans bureau believes it has come across something unique in the way of family relationship. Among other facts divulged was that Taylor, exclusive of cousins, was closely related to four per cent of the total population of his home town of 1,395 residents.

Taylor named as the beneficiary of his government term insurance policy his father, who in turn died, leaving the insurance to next of kin. The veterans' bureau required from the family the names of those relatives falling into the "permitted class" and in reply received a list five feet long containing the names and addresses of nine brothers, six sisters, six uncles, six aunts, 23 nephews, 19 nieces, six brothers-in-law, eight sisters-in-law and a stepmother, 84, all of who bear the name of Taylor. The Christian names were seldom found twice.

Under the new adjustment for the payment of Taylor's $5,000 policy, the stepmother and 15 brothers and sisters will each receive monthly installments of $1.92.

MEXIA PRODUCTION OFF 19,000 BARRELS FOR THE PAST WEEK

MEXIA, TEXAS, March 11.—Mexia oil field scored a daily production drop of 19,000 barrels the past week, compared with figures of the past week, according to the Oil Weekly, published here today.

Twenty-two producers were completed during the week, but the drop occurred upsetting all dope that the production from this field was due for an upward trend, the weekly said.

The daily average for the past week was 153,000 barrels compared with 173,320 barrels for the week preceeding.

Severe weather was given as the cause for the drop in production.

The outstanding development for the week, according to the weekly, was production of the four good wells on the Hines and Duccenberg leases by the Parker Oil company.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR COMING WEEK

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

West Gulf states: Considerable cloudiness, occasional rains, normal temperatures.

FLEISCHMANN COMPANY ACTED WITH CONSENT OF PROHIBITION OFFICIALS

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Former prohibition officials who consented to the agency method of industrial alcohol distribution adopted by the Fleischmann Company, Inc., of New York, did a "fool thing" but in absolute good faith, Commissioner Blair of the internal revenue department, said today.

The commissioner in his decision on the Fleischmann case last night revoked the permits for the sale of alcohol by the Fleischmann agencies, but stated that while the method used by the company in distributing alcohol to its agents was in violation of treasury regulations, it had been adopted with the knowledge and consent of former prohibition agents.

LEGION COMMANDER IS CONGRATULATED FOR THE PAYMENT TO THE STATE

AUSTIN, March 11.—Gov. Neff today sent a letter to Major Wayne Davis, state commander of the American Legion, congratulating him and the legion in Texas for having paid the state the entire indebtedness arising out of the transfer of the Kerrville memorial sanatorium to the state.

Major Davis this week paid the last of the debt.

"The unanimity with which your department assumed this indebtedness, and the readiness with which it paid it, has demonstrated beyond question that the Texas organization of the legion is living up to the high standard of citizenship embodied in its constitution," the governor said in part.

CALIFORNIA HILLS COVERED WITH SNOW

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—The hills within sight of San Francisco were covered with snow today. The snow followed a rain that fell during most of the night. The temperature at midnight in San Francisco was 35 degrees above zero, the lowest ever recorded so late in March.

RENEWS CHARGES INVOLVING GIRLS OF HIGH SCHOOL

BEGIN INVESTIGATION OF THE CONDITIONS IN ST. LOUIS.

WOMEN HAVE URGED STANDARDIZED DRESS

Charge "Dress Parades" Are Detracting Boys From Their Studies.

ST. LOUIS, March 11.—Investigation of charges of Victor Miller, president of the board of police commissioners, that serious vice conditions exist among students at Soldan high school, attended chiefly by children of wealthy families, got under way this afternoon at a special meeting of the board of education.

The women's chamber of commerce on March 2 adopted a resolution urging standardized dress for high school girls, following an address by Mrs. Norman Windsor, chairman of the child welfare committee of the organization, in which she charged "dress parades" at the school were detracting boys from their studies.

Mr. Miller, shortly after the meeting opened, reiterated his charges and said he was "better equipped now to substantiate the charges than when I made them."

The charges were made in an address Thursday night before a gathering of religious workers. They were that he had learned "on good authority" that an organization of girl students existed at the school, an entrance requirement which was that each girl "must have had an intimate relationship with a boy," and that he knew an organization existed among boys with a similar entrance requirement.

A number of civic and school patrons organizations announced the charges would be considered at a special or regular meeting, and Frank R. Smith, a member of the legislature from St. Louis, sent a letter to Governor Hyde asking an apology to the citizens of St. Louis because of Mr. Miller's statements, Mr. Miller being an appointee of the governor.

ARREST A MAN HERE WANTED AT BOWIE ON A CHARGE OF ROBBERY

BOWIE, TEXAS, March 11.—Thursday night shortly after 9 o'clock a man walked into the garage of Sam Coffman and held up Jim Givens, the young man who works at night. On being asked what he would have, the man replied "your money." Givens, thinking it a joke, replied that he had none, whereupon the intruder rushed at Givens with a knife, cutting his clothing, knocked him down and finally reached his pockets, securing about $14 in cash. He then went to the station and boarded the 9:35 westbound train. City Marshal Hogue Young immediately phoned to Wichita Falls and an arrest was made. Givens accompanied the marshal to Wichita Falls and identified the party held as the man who had attacked him. He was brought back to Bowie and lodged in jail to await trial.

MAN IS KILLED OVER ESTATE SETTLEMENT; BROTHER-IN-LAW HELD

SHERMAN, TEXAS, March 11.—Wiley Hooper, 42, is dead at a local undertaking parlor and Cleveland Phoebus, his brother-in-law, is in jail at Tom Bean, a small town in Grayson county, as the result of a shooting which took place at Tom Bean Friday afternoon. The shooting is said to have resulted over the settlement of an estate left by Hooper's father. Phoebus was administrator of the estate.

HOUSTON COTTON EXPORTS BREAKS PREVIOUS RECORD

HOUSTON, TEXAS, March 11.—Cotton exports from Port Houston for the season ended today totalled 313,699 bales, breaking all previous records. The season began August 1, 1921. The preceeding season was exceeded by 8,721 bales, it was announced.

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CHILDREN JOIN ROYAL EXILES

On her return to Funchal, Madeira, after a visit to a son ill in Luxembourg, the former Empress Zita brought her three children, including little Prince Francisco Jose Otto, former heir to the Austro-Hungarian throne.

BRITISH SCIENTIST DECLARES THAT PRODUCTION OF HELIUM FROM HYDROGEN IS POSSIBLE

PHILADELPHIA, March 11.—The quantity of hydrogen in a teaspoonful of water, contains enough electrical energy to generate 200,000 kilowatt hours of electricity and the release of this enormous power may be brought about in the near future, Dr. F. A. Astow, British scientist, declared yesterday in the last of a series of lectures at the Franklin Institute on "atomic weights and isotopes." Experiments now being conducted, he said, would make possible the transformation of hydrogen into helium. Through these experiments, he added, it has been learned that it is the hydrogen in the sun that accounts for the heat in that body.

He warned however, that the release of this tremendous energy might have serious consequences. "In the event that this energy is released," he said, "there is the danger that it may not be possible to control it. If that condition should come about then there would be enough power running loose to annihilate the earth and scatter it into space."

The whole development of theory, he said, depends upon annihilation of the mass of the atom of hydrogen in order that it may be transformed into helium, the gas which really contains the energy.

"It is absolutely certain," he declared, "that if hydrogen is to be transformed into helium a certain quantity of mass must be annihilated in the process. The importance of such an accomplishment is profound."

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SOUTH TEXAS HAS SERIOUS EPIDEMIC COLDS AND GRIPPE

HOUSTON, TEXAS, March 11.—The worst spell of colds and grippe since the influenza epidemic of two years ago is hovering over South Texas tonight, according to reports from principal cities.

In Houston practically one-third of the working population is at home with colds or the "old-fashioned grippe," according to the health officers.

Beaumont has approximately 1,000 cases of grippe tonight, with one death reported, advices from there said.

Other South Texas cities reported business establishments working with short forces on account of sickness following the coldest spell in 30 years last week.

TWENTY-FIVE CASES OF INFLUENZA AT DALLAS

DALLAS, March 11.—Twenty-five cases of influenza were reported here the past month, the city health officers said today.

WRATHER IS PRESIDENT PETROLEUM GEOLOGISTS

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 11.—W. E. Wrather of Dallas was elected president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists at the concluding session of the association's national convention here today. He succeeds George C. Mathon of Tulsa. Max W. Ball, Dr. Charles E. Decker of the University of Oklahoma, and Dr. Raymond C. Moore of the University of Kansas were reelected as vice-president, secretary and editor respectively.

New Questions by the Jersey League of Women Voters

TRENTON, N. J., March 11.—Thomas A. Edison, whose favorite indoor sport is propounding questions for other people to answer, has invented a pair of new ones for use in a questionnaire of ten "stickers," compiled by the New Jersey League of Women Voters to test women's political acumen.

Besides Mr. Edison's two, the questionnaire includes two each submitted by Governor Edwards, President John Grier Hibben of Princeton university, Dean Mabel S. Douglas of the College for Women at Rutgers, and former Gov. Edward C. Stokes.

The league will distribute the list throughout the state, announcing a free railroad ticket to the Pan-American conference of women at Baltimore April 20-27 as the prize for the best answers.

Here are a few of the questions:

"Why should, or should not, women serve on juries?

"Write one sentence on proportional representation, the short ballot or the city manager plan.

"What is politics?

"What was the chief force that brought about the eighteenth amendment?"

NOMINATE CROMWELL FOR MAYOR OF KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, March 11.—Frank H. Cromwell, president of the Cromwell Butter and Egg company, was nominated as candidate for mayor of Kansas City by the city democratic convention here late today.

Edward J. Flemming, who sometime ago startled the city by announcing his candidacy at a social affair for men and women at a local hotel without consulting party bosses received the second highest number of votes.

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SCULPTURE

NEFF CONGRATULATES GENERAL WOLTERS ON THE WORK DONE AT MEXIA

AUSTIN, March 11.—In congratulating Brigadier General Jacob F. Wolters, who commanded the martial law area at Mexia, on his work there, Governor Neff said in a letter today that he had not heard of a single adverse criticism of the military forces or their work.

"I have heard many expressions of approbation for the orderly and soldierly conduct of the entire organization, as a group and as individuals," the governor said.

STATE TAXES COLLECTED BELOW LAST YEAR TOTAL

AUSTIN, TEXAS, March 11.—Up to March 1, of the present fiscal year tax collections totalled $10,222,235, which is $600,000 less than the amount collected up to this time last year.

Heavy collections are expected this week March and April collections are expected to reach $7,000,000, according to official estimates.

M'ALESTER SHERIFF IS ACQUITTED BY A JURY

McALESTER, OKLA., March 11.—Sheriff William S. Sanders of Pittsburg county was today acquitted by a jury in district court on two charges alleging misconduct and maladministration in office. The specific charges were that he was habitually intoxicated and that he released a girl prisoner from jail before the expiration of her sentence.

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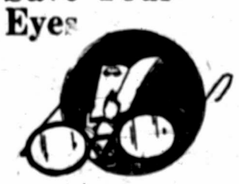

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Listerine	30c	25c
Listerine	60c	50c
Palmolive Shampoo	50c	45c
Ferrasal	50c	40c
Bromo-Quinine	30c	25c
Laxative Cold Tablets	25c	15c

Specials for Monday Only

	Regular Price	Sale Price
Syrup-Pepsin	60c	37c
Hind's Honey and Almond	60c	37c
Fletcher's Castoria	40c	29c
Baby Percy Medicine	50c	34c
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HISTORIC FLAG TO BE SHOWN SUNDAY BY MISS MORGAN

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WILL SPEAK TODAY AT OLYMPIC THEATER

Compliments Local Scout Organization on its Strength and Activities.

When Miss Anne Morgan addresses the mass meeting Sunday afternoon from the stage of the Olympic theater on the work of the American committee in France, an eloquent part of her background will be formed by a great American flag. It will be the flag which, surrounded by a company of marine fusileers in the middle of the great ampitheater of the Sorbonne, was saluted by the dignitaries of the French nation on April 20, 1917, in recognition of the entrance of America into the world war, and which was hoisted to the top of Eiffel tower on Sunday, two days later, and saluted by one hundred cannon.

The flag was just recently sent to Miss Morgan at San Antonio, after considerable travel since it left the top of Eiffel tower, and a gathering of considerable interesting history, to say nothing of a considerable "fringe." The flag was first returned to the Union of Great French Associations, later presented to the great French public in September, 1919, at the Trocadero palace during the celebration of the victories of the Marne. The Union of French Associations later presented the flag to Marshal Foch and M. Jusserand, ambassador to France from the United States, by whom it was confided to the care of General Destiker, who brought it to the United States in October of last year.

It will be saluted by a company of Boy Scouts at the opening of the meeting Sunday afternoon, with an impressive bit of ceremony.

Miss Morgan spoke of the Boy Scouts Saturday afternoon to a representative of The Times, complimenting the strength of the local organization. She also inquired with interest concerning the women's organizations of the city and the schools.

"We have the same situation in New York City," she said smilingly, speaking of the crowded condition of the schools.

Miss Morgan was frankly delighted with the little gifts which had been sent her during the day Saturday, a number of which were from local business houses—fruit, flowers and candy. She declared that she ha dnot found such a charming custom observed in any other town she had ever visited.

RECOVER MISSING MARKET FIXTURES AND MAKE ARREST

As a result of an article published in Friday's edition of The Times, practically all of the market equipment of the late Ed. Waggoner, the disappearance of which soon after his death has constituted an unsolvable mystery for the police department, was recovered by officers Saturday morning and a man believed to have been responsible for its disappearance arrested.

Police refused to make public the full details of the case, but stated that information given them by an unknown party who had read The Times' account had been instrumental in the finding of the missing equipment. All but a few articles were located Saturday morning in a home on Nineteenth street. A man is now held at the city jail pending a further investigation of his complicity in the case.

The meat market fixtures were formerly in the store of Mr. Waggoner at 807 Scott avenue, but were removed early in January while Mr. Waggoner was lying ill at his home. Following his death, which came after a brief period of sickness, relatives reopened the store and found nothing but an ice chest and a show case remaining.

Then started a long search by the police. Clue after clue was investigated without result and not until George Hawkins, special city and county investigator, had received a telephone call from some one who had read of the case as presented by The Times, did the officers get on the right track. Hawkins and City Detective Jack Miller visited the Nineteenth street home early Saturday morning and found the supplies.

The prisoner tells two stories as to his ownership of the property, according to officers. One is to the effect that he purchased it from Mr. Waggoner shortly before the latter's death and the other states that he won it in a poker game.

At any rate, the entire outfit with the exception of some small parts of a set of scales are at the city hall.

SINGER ARRIVES TO BE IN CHARGE OF MUSIC AT MOUZON REVIVAL

H. W. Richardson of Fort Worth, Texas, arrived on the Denver yesterday afternoon to have charge of the music during the revival at the Floral Heights Methodist church, which begins today. He will sing a gospel solo at the morning service. This afternoon at 4 o'clock he will organize a junior chorus which will help with the music each evening during the meeting. At night he will sing a special solo, "Think On Thy Way." He will conduct a 30-minute song service at the evening hour just before the sermon. The 30-minute song service will be a feature each evening of the meetings.

There will be an orchestra in connection with the song service each evening and a male quartette will sing from time to time. The people generally are invited to make this a community meeting. "All church people not engaged in worship at their own churches are invited to worship with the Floral Heights Methodists today and tonight and every night during the week. Bishop E. D. Mouzon will arrive Thursday and will speak for the first time at the evening service of that day," says an announcement.

DEAN OF FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT TEXAS WOMAN'S COLLEGE BRINGS FACULTY MEMBERS TO THIS CITY

CARL VENTH

One of the most unique characters in the musical life of America will be presented to Wichita Falls Monday night when Carl Venth, dean of the Fine Arts department of Texas Woman's college of Fort Worth, brings his faculty members here to present them in a musical program at the Wichita theater under the auspices of the local Kiwanis club.

An interesting feature of the program will be the presentation of the musical skit, "Lima Beans," by Alfred Kremborg, and set to music by Carl Venth. As a playlet, "Lima Beans," has received recognition in the theater centers of the east and now since it has been set to music, there are critics who predict that it will have a real vogue as a real opera instead of a parody as the composer evidently intended it to be.

If the Kiwanis club were to present Varl Venth alone, the evening would be worth while, for he is a master musician and composer, having hundreds of compositions to his credit. He has appeared as soloist in practically all of the larger cities of America, has organized and conducted some of the great American symphony orchestras, has entertained royalty across the seas as well as the most critical musical audiences of the old world.

There is a tremendously human side to this quaint old music master, for he is the real Music Master that was made immortal by the pen of Charles Klein before the Titanic disaster claimed him as one of its victims.

A warm friendship had existed for many years between Mr. Klein and Mr. Venth and they spent one summer together in the Maine woods. They had long walks and talks together. Mr. Klein would present certain subjects for Mr. Venth to discuss and would listen critically and even take notes of his answers and arguments.

When the Music Master was presented to the American public with David Warfield in the title role, Mr. Klein had as his personal guests Mr. and Mrs. Carl Venth, but he did not occupy seats with them. After the fall of the curtain, Mr. Klein rushed up to Mr. Venth and asked him, "What do you think of it?" Mr. Venth looked at him several minutes with a queer smile of his countenance. "I know now," he replied, "why you talked to me so much and so strangely in the Maine woods. It is me, but I am not disappointed."

And those who have seen the Music Master and are fortunate enough to witness Monday night's performance will note the wonderful likeness between this Music Master of Texas and the Music Master as played by the great David Warfield.

HARVEY HINDERMYER AND THE DANN SISTERS TRIO COMING ON MARCH 21ST

A very unique recital is to be presented on March 21 at the Wichita theater by the popular tenor, Mr. Harvey Hindermyer, and the Dann sisters.

Mr. Hindermyer is one of the most enjoyable tenors in the concert and re-creation field today. He has sung at the principal musical festivals throughout the country and the press and public have been unanimous in their praises of his glorious voice and wonderful art.

The Dann sisters are three New England young ladies of distinct musical ability. They have appeared in numerous concerts during the past season with marked success and their appearance here is anticipated with a great deal of enthusiasm. They will present numbers especially arranged for violin, piano and cornet.

Admittance to the recital will be by card only. Cards may be secured upon application to the Phonograph Shop, 803 Indiana.

MINNIE TURNER IS HELD ON ASSAULT TO MURDER CHARGE

Minnie Turner, who it is alleged shot Charles McDonald Friday night in a house on Lake street, was arrested Saturday afternoon on a complaint charging assault with intent to murder. She was released after perfecting a bond of $500. A charge of operating a bawly house was also lodged against her. She perfected a bond of $300 in this case.

It is alleged that following a quarrel of some nature that the woman whipped out a pistol and shot at McDonald, the bullet striking him in the fleshy part of the leg just above the knee. The wound it is said was not a serious one.

According to the officers, after the shot was fired McDonald took the gun from the woman and went across the street and notified other parties who in turn called the police.

E. E. SEAL IS RETURNED BY DEPUTY BRADFORD

Deputy Sheriff Bradford returned from Shreveport, La., Saturday evening with E. E. Seal who is wanted here on five indictments, each charging forgery. The indictments were returned by the recent grand jury of the 30th district court. He was placed under arrest in Louisiana. He waived extradition papers. Bond of $1,000 has been set in each case.

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3,000 FEET LAID ON BURKBURNETT ROAD DURING WEEK

Despite unfavorable weather conditions, Potts & Prentice, contractors, placed over 3,000 feet of concrete on the Burkburnett road during the past week. Short days accounted for the small amount as precautions were necessary against a freeze at night.

Including the run of Saturday a total of four miles of the pavement have been completed on the road, which brings the far mixers close to the six mile post, the end of the project.

The action of the commissioners Monday will undoubtedly reveal how much more paving will be done on this road, at least within the next four months.

It is stated that there is a sufficient amount of material on hand to keep both mixers at work for at least a week or 10 days.

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ALLEGE DEFAULT JUDGMENT TAKEN WITHOUT CITATION

Suit for damages in the sum of $18,700 was brought by S. R. Varner against T. J. Cole, T. A. Nordan, John R. Webb and Attorneys William N. Bonner and W. H. Sanford in which it is alleged that T. J. Cole as plaintiff in an alleged debt suit took judgment by default when in fact the defendant, S. R. Varner, who is plaintiff in the damage suit had never been cited.

The plaintiff also asked for a temporary injunction restraining the defendant in this case from further levying on any other property under the alleged void judgment.

The plaintiff Varner recites in his petition that on October 10, 1921, he was lawfully and legally possessed of one rotary rig outfit valued at $8,000. That on October 8, a writ of attachment was sued and on an alleged indebtedness of $9,850 for which judgment had been taken by default. The judgment as entered on the minutes of the court reads, it is alleged that proper citation having been had and that the defendant did not appear to answer for himself in the suit that judgment be taken by default. The petition recites that he had never been cited and contends that the two citations issued show that service had never been had on him.

A bond of $20,000 was filed when the writ of attachment was issued and after judgment had been taken, the plaintiff alleges that the property was seized by the sheriff and later sold at sheriff's sale for $2,100. He contends that the outfit was purchased by the defendant, Cole, who in a few days resold it for $8,500.

Mr. Varner asks for $5,000 actual damages, $5,000 exemplary damages and $8,700 for wrong conversion of the property.

Judge P. A. Martin granted the temporary writ of injunction.

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GUILLOTINE, USED IN LANDRU EXECUTION, IS FRANCE'S ONLY MEANS OF DEATH PENALTY

The mention of the guillotine in the Paris dispatches on the execution of the murderer Landru came as a surprise to many Americans, in whose minds the guillotine is associated with revolutionary France, but not with the France of today, and who had supposed that the guillotine had long since been discarded.

Ever since it was invented, in 1792, by Dr. Georges Ignace Guillotin, the beheading machine has been the only means of inflicting capital punishment in France. For 15 years, from 1894 to 1909, France abolished capital punishment altogether, but the guillotine was restored in 1909. Prior to 1792 criminals were executed with axes, wielded usually by skilled executioners; drowning was also employed to some extent.

The French claim for the guillotine that it is a certain, quick and painless means of putting to death, and that its use reduces to a minimum the possibility of the bungleSomeness that occasionally adds to the horror of executions by hanging or electrocution. American abhorrence of the idea of beheading is based on a sentiment against mutilation of the human body; the French are less squeamish.

The writer has had a first-hand view of the guillotine at Paris, and was even accorded, by a courteous attendant, the questionable privilege of placing his head upon the block underneath the knife.

The guillotine consists of two heavy uprights, about a yard apart, with a cross-piece at the top to which the heavy axelike knife is fastened when not in use. About four feet from the ground is another cross-piece, with a large notch, cruelly suggestive, in the center. On a level with this cross-piece is a table, so constructed that when the condemned man's head is in the notch, the feet can be slightly elevated; this has the effect of exposing the criminal's neck to the blade in a way that assures a cleaner stroke, it is said.

A trap-trigger releases the blade, which is triangular in form so that it strikes the neck obliquely as it descends by the force of its own weight, which is probably 20 pounds. Grooves in the inner sides of the uprights guide it as it falls on its 18-foot mission of death.

The French claim that as the knife strikes first on the vertebrae at the back of the neck, there is no possibility of the condemned man suffering any pain or other sensation. Dr. Guillotin, the inventor, is said to have claimed for his device that the only sensation felt by the victim, in the tiny fraction of a second of consciousness after the knife struck, was "one of refreshing coolness."

Although numerous histories recite that Dr. Guillotin met death in the guillotine himself, this is now authentically denied. He died a natural death.

There are few guillotines in France, as nearly all executions take place in either Paris or Versailles. Condemned prisoners are conveyed to the prisons at these places in "prison cars," which are simply strongly built cells on wheels.

Hanging is still the authorized means of execution in England and in most American states, though the use of the electric chair is increasing. In Utah there is agitation for using gas for executions, but the writer is not informed whether it has been officially adopted.

AFFIXING C. P. A. AFTER NAME COSTS MAN FINE OF $10

Affixing the initials C. P. A. after his name, as alleged in the complaint, was the cause of D. R. Crow drawing a fine of $10 and costs in the county court at law before Judge Guy Rogers.

The case was tried a week ago, but the judge did not pass judgment on the case until Saturday. It was alleged that the defendant was representing himself to the public as being a certified public accountant when in fact he had never passed the examination before the Texas state board.

A special statute defines that every person who holds himself to be a certified public accountant must either take an examination before the state board or exhibit his certificate as having qualified in another state and upon the strength of the latter secure the proper certificate in this state.

Mr. Crow exhibited in court that he was a member of the National Association of Certified Public Accountants and had a certificate issued from the national offices at Washington, D. C.

BODY OF SALESMAN WILL BE SENT TO AMARILLO

AMARILLO, TEXAS, March 11.—The body of Joe P. Mitchell, traveling salesman for the Gates Rubber company, Dallas, who froze to death in the snowstorm of Thursday night and whose body was discovered on the main highway 12 miles north of Tulia by W. C. Cowen Friday afternoon, will be brought to Amarillo for burial.

RUB RHEUMATIC PAIN FROM ACHING JOINTS

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Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest St. Jacobs Oil from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.—adv.

REPORTS INDICATE POSSIBLE INCREASE IN COTTON ACREAGE

DALLAS, TEXAS, March 11.—A possible increase of approximately five per cent in the cotton acreage in 1922 over 1921 is indicated by reports from 94 Texas counties to the Texas industrial congress, which announced a summary of the reports today.

The congress says its information shows that many non-resident land owners, and some bankers and merchants are insisting that the tenant farmer shall plant a full acreage. The tenant farmer comprise 53 per cent of all farmers in Texas. The announcement continues:

"Reports from the following counties indicate an increased acreage: Angelina, 10 per cent; Bell, 15; Bosque, 20; Caldwell, 10; Castro, 100; Childress, 35; Coke, 35; Coleman, 25; Collingsworth, 35 Concho, 20; Dallas, 15; Denton, 15; Dickens, 50; Doney, 30; Eastland, 15; Ellis, 15; Erath, 5; Falls, 10; Fannin, 5; Foard, 10; Frio, 10; Garza, 20; Grayson, 10; Hale, 20; Hamilton, 30; Hareman, 20; Hood 25; Jim Wells, 25; Johnson, 10; Jones, 10; Lamar, 5; Leon, 10; Live Oak, 10; Lubbock, 20; Lynn, 20; Marion, 25; Medina, 20; Milan, 10; Mills, 25; Nacogdoches, 25; Navarro, 15; Nueces, 10; Palo Pinto, 5; Panola, 10; Parker, 30; Rains, 225; Runnels, 30; Throckmorton, 300; Titus, 10; Tom Green, 10; Travis, 20; Washington, 20; Williamson, 10; Willacy, 25; Yoakum, 75; Young, 100.

"An estimated decrease in the acreage is reported in the counties below: Bexar, 10; Burleson, 20; Calhoun, 15; Clay, 20; Collin, 15; Comanche, 10; Dawson, 25; Fort Bend, 5; Freestone, 20; Goliad, 15; Harris, 20; Hunt, 25; Montgomery, 10; Morris, 15; Robertson, 10; Stephens, 5; Trinity, 5; Smith, 15; Waller, 10.

"Eighteen counties estimate the acreage as about the same as last year, as follows: Bandera, Bee, Bowie, Brooks, Case, Delta, DeWitt, Harrison, Hays, Hopkins, Kaufman, Kendall, Lavaca, Lee, Mitchell, Refugio, Shelby, Tarrant.

"Texas produced 2,971,757 bales of cotton on 11,522,537 acres in 1919, according to the census bureau. The average yied for the United States was .34 of a bale, and for Texas, a little over one-fourth bale."

BANKER AND ASSISTANT COUNTY AUDITOR IS DEAD

CLEBURNE, TEXAS, March 11.—William A. Wells, 52, assistant county auditor and well known Johnson county banker, died at his home here this morning of pneumonia.

CONTEND NEGRO IS INDUCED TO ENTER A PLEA OF GUILTY

Specifically stating that they were not charging the court or state's attorneys with any irregularity whatsoever, Attorneys Mathis and Caldwell, counsel for James Williams, negro, contended Saturday afternoon in asking Judge Guy Rogers of the county court at law to set aside a judgment that the defendant had been induced to enter a plea of guilty.

The court asked that a written motion for new trial be filed in the case, which it is understood will be done and hearing had next Monday morning.

In presenting the case to the court in support of their request that the judgment be set aside, the attorneys stated that the defendant had been arrested Friday night and a charge of affray placed against him. Attorneys assisted in perfecting bond for the negro Saturday morning and he was released.

It is then contended that within an hour after the negro had been released from jail upon bond that Deputy Constable Bean, who had made the original arrest, again arrested him and placed a charge of aggravated assault against him, to which the negro plead guilty and was fined $25 and costs.

Coast line of Heligoland has been reduced by erosion from 120 miles in 1300 A. D. to three miles.

Superbly satisfactory spectacle service supplied by Fred Goss, optometrist, with Kruger Jewelry Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. (C)

NO GOLD IS RECEIVED FROM LONDON IN WEEK

NEW YORK, March 11.—For the first time in almost two years, gold imports from London to New York have come to a standstill because of the prolonged strike of the miners in the South Africa gold fields. Not an ounce of gold was shipped here from London for the week ending today.

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We will close the Drug Store Saturday, March 18th, and begin to move in our new location. The opening date of our new store will be announced later. Do not fail to avail yourself of the opportunity of buying while you can save so much.

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Pebeco Tooth Paste....39c
Kolnoy's Tooth Paste....21c
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SEYMOUR'S ANNUAL C. OF C. BANQUET IS HAPPY OCCASION

CIVIC PRIDE AND FUN ARE MIXED IN MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT.

A. H. BRITAIN IS CHIEF SPEAKER AT BANQUET

Retiring President Outlines Objectives Toward Which Community Should Work.

Staff Special to The Times.

SEYMOUR, TEXAS, March 11.—They know how to put on chamber of commerce banquets here in the capital of Baylor county. Friday night's affair, at which the year's work was planned, officers elected, and pledges of support received, was as enjoyable as it was inspiring, and there was surely no lack of inspiration.

"Vision" was the theme of A. H. Britain's address, the principal number on the program, but R. R Kellum, retiring president, had beat Alec, as they call him down here in his old home town, to it by several laps, in setting forth the things that Seymour must work for. Some of these things are the same things that Wichita Falls either is, or ought to be, working for—a new city hall, a public auditorium, a junior college, and the others were mostly things that Wichita Falls has acquired only in recent years.

The program of the meeting was a most agreeable compound of civic pride, good eats, splendid music and rip-roaring hilarity.

Successful Clean-Up.

All day Friday Seymour had been staging her annual clean-up. They take clean-up days more seriously down here than in some larger communities and the town had a spotless appearance that told of splendid co-operation. In the midst of the clean-up, one set of workers came upon two pint bottles of corn likker, wrapped in a dirty shirt and parked in a vacant lot near a hotel. The find caused much excitement and resulted in renewed energy on the part of the workers.

The only place in Seymour sufficiently large for the banquet was the second floor of a big warehouse, and its capacity of 300 was tested for the occasion. Paper hats, horns, tambourines and other fun-making devices were provided for all. The Seymour band played a number of selections while the banqueters disposed of the chicken, pie and other eatables that the women of the Christian church dispensed.

Excellent Music.

A noteworthy musical program, with a decided Hawaiian note to it, preceded the heavy oratory. The Seymour male quartette, consisting of Bob Jones and three Blevins boys, sang a rollicking rural ballad, and then, when the crowd called for more, gave a sentimental song. Miss Aline Humphreys gave a humorous dialect reading, and as an encore recited a bit of verse written by her father, dealing with the clean-up. It set forth that Seymour had been made so clean that there was no place for a microbe to light.

Miss Doris Humphreys in a vocal solo, gave one of the 100 per cent treats of the evening. She sang "Aloha Oe," and it was mighty easy to listen to. An Hawaiian dance was given most artistically by Miss Mattie Lee Richardson and then ten young women presented an Hawaiian chorus that was most thoroughly enjoyed. Misses Georgia Britton, Flezie Carter, Florence Britton, Lesca Fancher, Girlie Dodson, Roberta Snider, Doris Humphreys and Eulene Power participated in this feature, with Mrs. Jess Cockrell at the piano.

Retiring President Speaks.

R. R. Kellum, retiring president, then delivered his annual address, outlining his views of the needs of Seymour. The future of Seymour is great, Mr. Kellum declared, because of her geographical location, and assurance of abundant water supply.

A city hall, a city and county hospital, a modern hotel, wholesale houses, a junior college, a park at the irrigation lake, a free labor bureau and a bigger camp site for auto tourists, were enumerated by Mr. Kellum as Seymour's chief needs and he urged that these objectives be kept constantly in mind. Mr. Kellum spoke of the need for a better highway system in the county, also.

Praise for the cooperation furnished by the organizations and the citizenship generally was voiced by Mr. Kellum, in closing.

"Gift" for Kellum.

Joe A. Wheat, attorney, was next called upon, and his remarks were chiefly a tribute to the retiring president for his earnest efforts. In closing, Mr. Wheat announced the presentation of a gift as a token of appreciation of Mr. Kellum's services, but misfortune overtook him when he started across the hall to make the presentation; he stumbled and fell, and the beautiful piece of cut glass was shattered on the floor. A head of kaffir corn, intended to serve as a bouquet, was all that was saved from the wreckage.

President Kellum related the incident of the finding of the corn likker, and said that one member would rise and apologize for drinking part of it. R. E. Baskin promptly arose, not because he intended to, but because an electrical appliance in his chair made it necessary. Mr. Baskin was able to satisfactorily explain the disappearance of the corn.

A. H. Britain of Wichita Falls was introduced as the chief speaker of the evening, and began by thanking Seymour folks for holding their affair as a birthday celebration for him, he being 57 years of age, more or less, on Friday. Mr. Britain related some reminiscences of his boyhood days in Seymour, as a young farmer, a school teacher and the other things that nearly all great men are before they become great. Some of the reminiscences were at the expense of his brother, J. A. Britain, who, following the example of his father and brother, is now mayor of Seymour.

Vision should be an unfailing factor in all plans for developing a city, Judge Britain told his hearers, and he urged that the organization have a definite purpose in view and keep unceasingly at work toward it.

S. A. L. Morgan of Wichita Falls, just happened to be among those present, and responded briefly to a request for a talk. He did not mention his own candidacy, but President Kellum did so for him, when he had finished.

I. O. Newton was called upon to canvass for 1922 memberships, and there was an almost unanimous response. Cards were distributed, to be signed by members.

"Bull Meter" Is Used.

"Beauties of Seymour" was the topic assigned to O. P. Caldwell, and he plunged into his discourse quite unaware of the fact that a "bull-meter" had been unveiled at the end of the hall back of him. The indicator ran swiftly from "good" to "fair," "bull," "super-bull" and "rotten" at various stages in the address, and the speaker got the notion that the crowd was heartily appreciative of his efforts. As a matter of fact, there was a substantial, worth-while message in Mr. Caldwell's talk that got lost amid the merriment.

The report of the nominating committee, consisting of F. H. Binkley, C. L. Caldwell, and George S. Plants. It presented the following names:

Directors—O. P. Caldwell, F. F. Fisher, J. T. Lively, R E. Baskin, T. E. Craddock, J. A. Wheat, A. J. McNeill, Frank Davis and G. C. McGown.

Officers—O. P. Caldwell, president; F. F. Fisher, first vice-president; J. T. Lively, second vice-president; R. E. Baskin, secretary; T. E. Craddock, treasurer.

The report of the committee was adopted unanimously, and the meeting came to a close with the playing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Take a Glass of Salts to flush Kidneys if Bladder bothers you—Drink lots of water.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.—adv.

FRANK F. MORGAN WILL SEEK RE-ELECTION TO OFFICE OF CONSTABLE

Frank F. Morgan who was elected two years ago as constable of precinct No. 1, announced Saturday that he would be a candidate for the second term of office, subject to the democratic primaries of July 22.

Mr. Morgan is well known throughout the precinct as a peace officer, having served in that capacity for many years. He served one term as United States deputy marshal of this district.

In announcing as candidate for reelection, Mr. Morgan stated that if the public expected more from him in his second term than what he had accomplished in his first term that it would be useless as he had put forth every effort to make an efficient officer for that position.

CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSMISSION LINE IS NOW UNDER WAY

WORK STARTS ON ANOTHER PHASE OF IRRIGATION PROJECT.

DREDGING COMPANY ASSEMBLING MATERIAL

Will Start Building Dredge Shortly —Steady Progress Made On Canal.

Another important phase of the irrigation project was gotten under way last week when work started on the electric power line between Wichita Falls and the diversion dam.

The work is being done by the district, under the supervision of Fred A. Jones of Dallas, and the line is under construction from the power plant here down the Wichita Valley tracks to Dundee. It is due to be completed within 60 days.

The power will be used for various phases of the construction work and will, after irrigation starts, be the main power line for farmers in the valley. Although the possibility of generating power at the two dams has been discussed, it is not believed that it will be practicable, owing to the fact that flow of water over the dam will be intermittent, not steady.

Officials of the Puget Sound Dredging and Drainage company, which has a big sub-contract for the storage dam, are here arranging for the assembling of material and for the starting of construction work on the big dredge which is to work in the upper lake. Work on the building of the dredge will start shortly.

Driving of sheet piling continues steadily at the diversion dam and work on the south ditch is going forward rapidly, with five sub-contractors at work. The number of men employed has increased steadily within the past few weeks.

OUSLEY TO SPEAK TUESDAY NOON AT UNIVERSITY CLUB

Hon. Clarence Ousley, candidate for nomination for the United States senate, who is to be the speaker at the University club luncheon Monday at the Kemp hotel, is expected to reach Wichita Falls Monday morning and will be on the mezzanine floor at the Kemp after 10 o'clock Monday morning. He will also be at the Kemp Monday afternoon.

Mr. Ousley will be introduced by Judge E. L. Bass, a friend since their boyhood.

The committee in charge of arrangements for reception of Mr. Ousley includes E. L. Bass, H. N Fitzgerald, Norris Ewing, J. P. Marrs and T. B. Greenwood.

Mr. Ousley is one of Texas' most talented citizens. He was for a number of years editor of the Fort Worth Record. He was later head of the extension department of the A. and M. college and later connected with the federal agricultural department.

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40-Inch Crepe de Chine—Light blue, brown, rose, white, Pekin, pink, red, navy and black; at.....**$1.49**
36-Inch Taffeta—French grey, Pekin, brown, black and navy; at, per yard.....**$1.49**
40-Inch Canton Crepe—Tomato, henna, cornflower, jade and orange; at.....**$2.95**
40-Inch Sorel Crepe—Fushia, sand, French grey and navy; at, per yard.....**$3.69**
40-Inch Charmeuse—Navy and brown, at.....**$2.98**
Take advantage of these unusual offers tomorrow. Come early,

There's a Touch of Color to New Spring Neckwear

Whether it be an O'Brien Girl Collar, a fine hand-made lace one, bateau style or one of the novelty vestee sets in dainty white with touches of color, Spring Neckwear, without any exception, is charming. Of course, too, exquisite lace vestees, with motifs of beautiful Irish, Venise o rfilet lace are fashionable and more than a bit exquisite.

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Oxfords, You Will Choose Them for Your First Spring Shoes

Of course, the very first Shoes to wear to meet Spring half way is a pair of Oxfords. There isn't a single way we know of that these we are showing now for the first time, could be improved. They have the newest and best of lasts and leathers, selected fabrics and clever, comfortable styles. And there is a multitude of styles from which to choose. Priced, $7.00 to.....**$9.00**

Our Children's Spring Footwear

You can see at a glance the worth of these Shoes. They are made of splendid selected calfskin and doeskin and fine calf or patent leather. Their common-sense lasts assure comfort for growing feet, yet there is a great deal of style to strapped or oxford styles.

Flower Hats

The chaplets of posies that Hats wear—how intriguingly they're worn on the off-face brim—large single blossoms flat against the straw or transparent brim—or against a crown or up-turned back. Then again velvety zinnias, flagrant in color, soft-hued lilacs or dainty wreaths of the wee little garden flowers are arranged around a turban or Breton sailor's crown—the results, hats that are colorful and gay.

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Cherries droop their hard, gay little heads down over the brims of many hats; others are enriched with currants or grapes. Fruit and Flower Trimmed Hats are numbered among the season's leading favorites. You will find many charming ones here, most reasonably priced.

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MENNONITES MIGRATING TO MEXICO.

The migration of a large colony of Mennonites from Canada to Mexico has started and will probably continue through several years until all Mennonites have left Canada and settled in Mexico.

The Mennonite colony in the province of Manitoba numbers many thousands. The Mennonites originally came from Russia. They speak the German language. They are pacifists and will not enter military service except under compulsion.

During the war they were forced into the Canadian army. Since the war an attempt has been made to make them use the English language and their children have been forced to attend school. These things have been so distasteful to the Mennonites that they are selling their lands in Canada at a sacrifice and are emigrating to Mexico.

These Mennonites are likely to find that they have made a bad move. The governments of the English speaking governments are the freest in the world. A subject of the Canadian government may be forced into the defense of his country, he may be forced to speak the English language and he may be forced to send his children to school, but there are many worse things that can happen. There are few men that are freer and more independent than the Canadian. He is protected in about as many rights as the individual ought to have. Justice is meted out with an even hand in Canada. It is perhaps more certain to find the wrong-doer there and to give him deserts than justice does in the United States. At least this is generally believed.

In Mexico there are many things that can happen to the Mennonites that could never happen to them in Canada. It is true that they can speak German there if they want to. They needn't send their children to school and if they wanted to they might have difficulty in finding schools to send them to. Any revolutionist with power enough can drive away their cattle, press them into service and there will be no recourse for them.

The Mennonites may be happy in Mexico and may thrive and prosper. We don't wish them bad luck but we do believe that when they exchange Canadian sovereignty for Mexican that they have made a bad trade.

NO GARDEN OF EDEN SINCE ADAM'S TIME.

Man has found no Garden of Eden since Adam's time. There is no section or place so ideal and perfect but that it has some fault or drawback.

Some have even found fault with our own delightful Wichita Falls. California is believed by many to be as near a paradise as any spot on mother earth but California is imperfect. That garden spot has been shimmied several times in recent months by earth shocks. One was reported there Friday morning.

These shocks are said to result from the extension of a great fault in the earth's surface in the bed of the Pacific ocean far from shore. This fault is caused by the contraction of the earth which has been going on for millions of years, geologists tell us. The shocks will continue at intervals until the adjustment in the earth's surface is completed. Nobody will venture to predict how long this will be.

While they are going on some timid persons will be disturbed but the great majority will accept them as one of the discomforts and imperfections of an otherwise Eden that would leave nothing to be desired to heaven.

ATTEMPT TO HAVE SOULS SAVED BY STATUTE FAILS.

The bill to prohibit the teaching of the theory of evolution in the public schools and state colleges of Kentucky has been killed in the house of representatives of the Kentucky legislature by a very narrow margin, the vote being 42 to 41. Proponents of the measure claimed that the teaching of this theory was undermining the faith in religion and the belief in God of the growing generation of Kentuckians, and, like many others before them, believed the way to save the souls of the youth of Kentucky was by the statute route.

Since the time the first laws were made men have been attempting to regulate beliefs and to save souls by statute. Their efforts to do this are as futile and hopeless and inimical today as they have always been. It does seem that men would learn about this through the experience of centuries. The close vote in the Kentucky legislature shows how impervious men's minds can be.

WHY SOME MAY HESITATE TO URGE SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE.

The Business Council of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a movement for a special called session of the legislature to remedy the situation caused by the failure of the legislature to include Scurry county in the redistricting bill adopted at the last regular session.

The oversight of Scurry county by the legislature has created a most awkward and embarrassing state of affairs which is likely to cause litigation and entail much cost upon the state.

The situation can only be remedied by a special called session of the legislature is the belief of those who have given the matter study. To call the legislature together for this purpose only would probably not cost more than fifteen or twenty thousand dollars. It would doubtless be economy in the long run for the state to go to this expense. That is if the legislature could be convened and this oversight promptly corrected without the legislature taking up other business. Fear that the legislature might not adjourn promptly is one of the reasons why some may not join in the movement set on foot by the Wichita Falls Business Council.

Have you ever begun looking up at nothing and seen other people start doing the same? Moral: Look up.

Miner strike may be a major one.

DRUNKARDS.

Mrs. Margot Asquith says her visit in our country has turned her against prohibition. She came dry, departs wet.

Mrs. Asquith is especially shocked by the drinking among our young people—the magnetic power of a flash of whiskey or synthetic gin at a dance.

She wouldn't be as emphatic now if she had visited us before prohibition and watched the drinking among young folks in grill rooms or even at high school dances where the boys with the largest pegtop trousers spiked the punch.

Very few rum hounds will admit it. But there is far less drinking now than before prohibition. Turn your memory back to saloon days, when midnight owl cars were riotous, road houses bacchanalian, and drunken men staggering in streets were common.

A souse attracts ten times as much attention now because the stuff is hard to get.

Every conversation these days, if it lasts long enough, drifts around to booze. A favorite topic is the great number of people who never drank before prohibition but now take intense pride in being able to serve something with a kick.

"All this," say the rum hounds, "is due to Americans' resentment against having their personal liberty restrained by law."

If this reasoning is logical, most of us are philosophical anarchists. Which we're not.

Personal liberty is restrained daily by hundreds of other laws—as traffic regulations, disease quarantine and prohibition of keeping pigs in city limits. These laws are accepted calmly, as a matter of course.

This is the truth: The people who are drinking now would be drinking twice as much if the saloons were back. The war left us with highly strung nerves and terrific economic problems. This heritage is the cause of widespread craving for liquor—to soothe the nerves and make us forget economic problems we haven't the courage to face with clear brains.

Rum hounds seem unable to get it through their heads that the prohibition law is here to stay. In the back of their brains lingers a delusion that dryness is only temporary—that, somehow or other, liquor will come back.

"Not whiskey, just wines and beers," they say. Their subconscious minds know that wines would be spiked high-proof.

Whether the national constitution could be unamended by any process is doubtful. Supreme court might have something to say about that. Certainly it would require majority vote of both houses of congress and both houses of 36 state legislatures.

Legitimatized liquor is gone forever in the United States. Talk to the contrary is as futile as it is asinine.

TODAY'S TALK

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

RARE COURAGE.

Physical courage is admired and applauded wherever it appears. But there is a much finer courage than physical, and that is intellectual courage.

Any mere brute of a man may have physical courage. But he who is able to think along untried lines or along those which are unpopular—and to express his convictions with sincerity and deep belief—he is a man of the rarest courage.

Thinking is back of everything that is worth while and which aspires to bigness.

But the mind should travel along constructive lines. It takes no courage to express an original or strange idea, so long as that idea is not backed by conviction.

Ideas worth fighting and dying for are those which would mould the history of the world, and lead people higher in intelligence and happiness.

In thinking you not only stimulate your mind but your body as well.

All you have to do is to study a man in his bodily movements, attitudes and recreations—and you know what kind of a mind he has. Wherever we go we present ourselves as pictures of what we think.

Intellectual courage compels a man often to stand alone, but it enables him to express himself instead of someone else.

If you think for yourself, you are willing to take chances and travel toward heights that would seem perilous indeed to others, less courageous. For the thinker inspires himself as well as others, and daily stores a part of all that he creates.

There come times when we all have to think for ourselves—when the assertion of intellectual courage may be the thing to keep us standing in a mental world of great stress and disbelief.

Know yourself—yes! But first learn to think for yourself.

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JUST FOLKS —By— Edgar A. Guest

EXCESS

He had more wine than he could drink,
His glass was filled up to the brink,
But still he kept on pouring more
Until it ran about the floor.

It stained the table and it took
Its crimson course across a book,
And what had been a mansion fine
Was tainted with the smell of wine.

Life's but a glass for us to fill,
Poured to excess, the contents spill;
In moderation men are glad—
Too much of anything is bad.

There is a realm where all is fair,
Enough to eat, good clothes to wear;
Life's glass holds this—of friends a few,
Some pleasure, and some work to do.

But who would fill the glass with joy,
The charm of laughter would destroy;
And who keeps piling up his gold,
Soon finds his treasure base and cold.

When love descends to vulgar lust,
What was delight becomes disgust;
When once the wine is at the top,
Good judgment bids a man to stop.

Life gives so much, to seek for more
But spills the treasures on the floor,
And he is wisest of our guild
Who knows just when his glass is filled.

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"Back to the farm" is the way too many are standing.

You can't convince a bootlegger that honest tea is the best policy.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

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YOU AND I

FEAR.

Attached to your kidneys are two capsule shaped things known as the adrenal glands. The adrenals secrete harmones, mysterious substances that are absorbed into the circulating blood.

If the adrenals stop secreting, their owner becomes timid, apprehensive, animated by fear or even terror. If adrenals secrete excessively, their owner becomes exceptionally brave.

It may be possible in the near future to make all persons brave by increasing the flow from the adrenal glands, either surgically or medically, says Dr. Charles Louis Nix, professor of clinical medicine at Northwestern university.

Disarmament then would require regulation of everybody's adrenal glands. Future war monuments may have inscriptions like this: "John Blink, who single-handed captured 12 of the enemy on only eight minims of adrenal stimulant."

CONFISCATION.

The supreme court in Washington rules that the state law which limited New York City gas rate to 80 cents a thousand feet was confiscatory in 1916 and 1919.

Property and wealth are protected against confiscation.

Why not laws protecting consumers against having their incomes confiscated by excessive charges—for instance, rents?

BRAINS.

A "moonshine" vender is arrested in Omaha. Police Judge Wipick made him this offer: "If you drink a glass of your own hooch I'll turn you free."

"I'll go to jail," the bootlegger decided quickly.

There always were more real brains behind the bar than on the brass rail side when it came to liquor.

PROSPERITY.

The chairman and president of the Midvale Steel and Ordnance company say in their annual report to stockholders:

"We are certain high freight rates are the pricipal factor in preventing a return to normal conditions not only in the steel business but also in the general business of the country."

This is equally true of rents.

No general prosperity on a big scale until all prices are on the same level, balanced. No balance until high rents and high freights deflate. They will be the last to drop, the hardest to get down.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY.

If the wicked turn from his wickedness and do that which is lawful and right, he shall live thereby.—Ezekiel 33:19.

I say again, man cannot choose his duties. You may choose to forsake your duties, and choose not to have the sorrow that they bring. But you will go forth, and what will you find? Sorrow without duty; bitter herbs and no bread with them.—George Eliot.

LEARN A WORD EVERY DAY.

Today's word is—Glamour.

It's pronounced—glam-er, with accent on the first syllable.

It means—charm, enchantment, spell, attraction.

It comes from—Scotch "glamour," corruption of English "gramarye," magic.

Companion word—glamorous (note spelling).

It's used like this—"The South Sea islands have an unusual glamour at a distance but they are not so pleasing at close view."

The Dangerous Season

By DR. R. H. BISHOP.

Health hazards are the greatest at this time of year. It is just the season when the sickness rate reaches its maximum.

People stay indoors more these days, eat more and exercise less than during any other time of the year. Resistance to disease becomes so low that the body becomes easy prey to colds, grippe and pneumonia.

This condition also makes it easy for such diseases as Bright's disease, diabetes, and hardening of the arteries to gain a firmer foothold. Any ailment is able to make greater inroads because of the weakened condition.

Much can be done to keep the body strong and vigorous. People cannot expect to keep well when they overeat three times a day and then give the body no oxygen to change the food into red blood and energy.

To approach having as good health at this season as in May and June one must spend as much time out of doors as possible, take as much exercise, eat as many vegetables as one does during the summer days.

Fruits and vegetables are so vital at this time of the year, especially that they cannot well be left out of the daily bill of fare.

If people would recognize the importance of merely keeping normally well all the time there would be little pneumonia, grippe and influenza these days.

People who begin to reduce their meat and heavy food rations now will not suffer later with "spring fever" and that tired feeling so common to the first warm days.

LITTLE BENNY'S NOTE BOOK

By LEE PAPE

The Park Ave. News

Sports. Leroy Shooster bunked his head against the lam post last Satidday wile giving a imitation of a Wherling Dervish and was took home feeling partly unconshious by Benny Potts, Sid Hunt, Artie Alixander, Sam Cross, Reddy Merfy, Skinny Martin, Ed Wernick and Pude Simkins.

Bissniss and Financial. Lew Davises mother told him she would give him a cent every time he took a dose of his bitter medisin, so Lew took 8 doses all at once ixpecting to get 8 cents but all he got was a fearse stummick ake and a diffrent kind of even fearser medesin.

Pome by Skinny Martin

Pass the Butter

O wat a social site to see
Is a lot of peple meeting!
And of all the things they meet for
The most sociale is eating.

Things You Awt to Know. Some snake bites are poison wile others are harmliss, and therefore the best way is not to leeve eny snake bite you unless he has bit you before without poisoning you.

Wunted. Ambitious boy with about 20 cents to invest in a growing bizsniss. See Ed Wernick and Lew Davis.

Business may be down but never out.

When a man loses his temper someone will always help him find it.

Mellon said: "We are not yet out of the wood." At first we thought he meant wood alcohol.

Uncle Sam will wind up his spring cleaning on March 15, last day to pay the income tax.

Atlantic City prohibits scant bathing suits. Got to have their pictures made at home this year.

Cafe cooks put over raw deals.

Now that jazz is over, the cows can have their bells back.

No young fellow turns out as people expect, so why worry?

What tickles us are these women haters with seven suits of clothes.

After a man breaks his word it isn't as good as it was.

If you want to know why there is a scarcity of farm hands, look at the big league ball teams.

Chicago is building the biggest hotel in the world. New York hotels will still be the highest, though.

Polish Diet votes Hoover a citizen. Hoover helped their diet.

Bughouse Fables

THE BICKER FAMILY BY SATTERFIELD

BOOM NOW ON WAY, DECLARES CHIEF OF THE FARM BUREAU IN DISCUSSING YEAR'S OUTLOOK

By ROY GIBBONS.

CHICAGO—Farmers can look forward to 1922 as a banner year. The sign in the heavens heralding agricultural emancipation at last has appeared."

That comes from James R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, nation-wide organization with national headquarters here.

Howard speaks as the recognized mouthpiece of a vast network of coordinated county farm chapters that stretch from coast to coast and numbers as members more than 2,000,000 farmers.

"A stud yof trends in farm prices show the beginning of the new year marked a turn in the tide for agriculture," Howard says.

"Heads of great mail order houses see a better business outlook. Federal reserve governors have begun to smile again.

"This means to agriculture—the basic industry—that things are really picking up.

"Figures obtained from research work show sheep have advanced 96 per cent in price since the low point in 1921; eggs, 76.7; apples, 73.3; cotton, 72.2; lambs, 69.75; beans, 61.5; wool, 56.8; hogs, 47.7; kaffir, 46.6; cheese, 46.4; butter, 46.1; flax, 39.8; poultry, 33.3; rye, 27.2; barley, 25.58; wheat, 23.1; corn, 20.4; oats, 16.6; steers, 11.7; and hay, 7.8 per cent.

"These upward trends have not been reflected excessively on the consumer.

"It is the supreme duty of the nation to get the farmer on his feet. This seems to have been realized quite fully in legislative and other endeavors made to render assistance.

"I predict that in 1922 you will hear more and more about co-operative marketing, an instrument the farmer has seized on as a means to aid himself by first aiding the consumer.

"It is not without reason to say that the near future will see the farmer selling his wheat, corn, livestock, tobacco, vegetables and milk directly to the consumer.

"The farmer looks forward to helping the public by elimination of profit-robbing middlemen, bringing a fair return of profit to himself without imposing price hardships.

"Among the important improvements farmers are looking forward to this year include:

J. R. HOWARD

"Reduction in transportation costs.
"Interior canalization.
"Opening of the Great Lakes waterway.
"Improved river transportation.
"And as credit is the lifeblood of farming, we hope for some legislative credit machine like Congressman Sydney Anderson's intermediate credit plan to come to our rescue.

"We expect tangible legislation to follow the report soon to be made by the congressional joint commission of agricultural inquiry which will go far forward toward making American farming a leader among the professions of the world."

DR. BELL BUSY ON DEVICE TO SAVE SHIPWRECKED

Dr. Alexander Bell and his granddaughter, Nancy Jane Fairchild.

By NEA Service.

MIAMI, FLA., March 4.—Forty-six years ago Dr. Alexander Graham Bell invented the telephone. Thirty-nine years ago he invented the graphophone.

Today he is working on the perfection of an invention that has to do with the saving of the lives of people who get stranded at sea and heretofore have died from thirst.

The first step along this line—the distilling of moisture from breath—was taken by Dr. Bell some time ago. Then a fellow scientist, working on the same principle, improved on the Bell method.

"Some time back I read about two men who died at sea from thirst," he says. "It seemed inexplicable to me how men could die thus with water all around them, both in the air and in the sea.

"I devised a simple apparatus which worked satisfactorily. It consisted of a glass tube and a bottle. By breathing in air through the nose I was able to obtain as much as an ounce of water an hour—more than sufficient to maintain life."

Then it was that the other scientist devised a small bottle to be strapped around the waist, a rubber tubing to breathe through and another tube, with a rubber hinged end to keep out the sea water, through which the air is expelled.

Now Dr. Bell is at work again on it, for further perfection. He is 75 years old and is visiting a daughter and son-in-law here.

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BY FRED GOSS

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Will the Tom-Tom Displace Jazz?

Indian Noises Now Seriously Suggested as a Substitute for the Queer Instruments of Modern Dance Orchestras.

THE echoed beat of tom-toms through the hills would the least suggest the glamor of white lights, hardwood floors and the syncopated shuffle of many feet. Despite that, the tom-tom has been seriously brought forward as a substitute for the jazz music that now accompanies modern dancing.

At a meeting of the National Board of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, held recently in Chicago, Mrs. Eugene Lawson of Oklahoma declared that if the music of the American Indian were properly promoted and advertised it would supplant jazz. As an alternative to the often "hysterical pounding" of saxophone and whining brass, she suggests the more stately measures of the Indian drum; in short, the tom-tom.

Though Mrs. Lawson, at first blush, would seem to be advocating a radical change, she has pointed out that in their essentials Indian music and jazz are the same. By this she means that both of them are held together by basic rhythms rather than by melodic forms. They differ in their melodies, she says, and the difference favors the Indians. For whereas the average jazz dance is nothing but a tawdry commonplace tune that is put through a lot of sensational variations by saxophones, clarinets, slide trombones and muted cornets—an Indian melody is usually the outgrowth of some deep-tribal feeling.

Out of such material as is furnished by Indian themes, such composers as Charles Wakefield Cadman have built up wonderfully effective songs. An example is Mr. Cadman's "From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water."

Mrs. Lawson was not the first to detect the similarity of basic appeal in jazz and Indian music. Many music lovers, for a long time, have been trying to cry down jazz on the ground that it was nothing more than a reversion to music of the most primitive form. Long before the Creature Man had dreamed of anything so intricate as a sequence of sounds in different pitches, he was pounding out dance rhythms on an animal skin stretched across two logs.

Mrs. Lawson proposes to stay this reversion to barbarism and at the same time retain its pronounced rhythm. If she and her supporters could have their way, modern dance music would be made up of a tom-tom base overlaid with Indian melodies that had been given a modern harmonic treatment by standard composers. She already has engaged the interest of many musicians. Whether she will be able to make any headway against the chronic jazz hounds, remains to be seen.

A Typical Jazz Band Dispensing Syncopated Music.

SPUDDERS TAKE FIRST GAME FROM CLEVELAND

Beck's Bat a Prominent Factor in Win Chalked Up by Salm's Sluggers

By PAUL W. LARKIN

Had it not been for a double play in the third inning by Tris Speaker's Indian rookies, the American leaguers never would have succeeded in getting Fred Beck out yesterday afternoon at Athletic Park. Salm's new big first sacker gave the boys who hope to land in the big show this year a few tips in the art of walloping the old horsehide, contributing as his share to the first pastime of the year three smashing singles and a prodigious blow which cleared the right field wall and accounted for the Spudders' sixth tally and clinched a 6 to 3 victory. Fred had the misfortune to be on first base in the third round when O'Brien shot a fast bounder to Hammond, and he was the first victim in a double killing. That was the only time he was retired during the afternoon and it takes no stretch of the imagination to understand how solid a home he has won for himself with the local fans. No, sir, he isn't going to be a bit hard to take.

If Messrs. Keidel, Odenwald and Tubbs expect to remain permanently with Cleveland this year, they'll have to show much more than they did yesterday. George Knadler, who relieved Steve Mokan at the beginning of the fourth session, was the only Salmite who failed to get at least one solid smash. All were not fortunate enough to break into the hit column, but they swung with a vengeance and the majority of drives which failed to land in safe territory went at the opposition so fast that the fielders couldn't get out of the way of them.

Mokan Shows Plenty.

Steve Mokan, on the other hand, pitched ball that would do any hurler credit in midseason. This youngster worked for three chapters and had the Indians completely subdued. In fact, they were lucky to get a foul off him, Hammond got a puny pop single to right in the first inning and Sorrells scratched a safety through the box in the third. That's the sum total of the damage the Indians did to him. Incidentally, Steve whiffed three at the rate of one per inning and Hammond's single was the only drive that left the infield. Improve on that, if you can.

Knadler took up the battle where Mokan left off and though he was not quite as successful as his predecessor, he hurled in a manner which brought several smiles to Skipper Salm's countenance. Two fast double plays, engineered by Buddy Tanner and completed by Sorey and Beck, pulled him out of a couple of tight holes, but he managed to extricate himself rather handily on other occasions.

Though it was the first contest of the year there were several plays which were of the Fourth of July variety. Buddy Tanner made several scintillating stops and pegs as did Sorey, while Sorrels and Hammond worked well around the middle station for the visitors.

Spudders Win In First.

The Spudders lambasted Keidel in the opening session for enough runs to win the game and all were made before the second man was put out. The Indians had gone out in order in their portion of the canto and then Salm's hopefuls started. Comstock pried the lid off with a bounder to right and pulled up at third when Tanner caught one on the nose and socked it on a line to left center for two cushions. Evans didn't give Keidel a chance to get settled, but hit the first ball on a line to left field which chased the two runners home. He went to second on the peg to the plate. Beck kept the ball rolling by garnering his first hit—a line drive to right for one base that scored Evans. O'Brien bounced one over second for another single and Beck went to second. Benny Allen made it six safeties in a row when he beat out a perfect bunt down the third base line, jamming the corners. Just as it was beginning to look as if Keidel never would stop the fusilade Sorey grounded to Hammond and was thrown out at first, Beck scoring. Schmidt popped to Luke Sewell and Mokan lined to Benedict. This quartet of tallies proved enough to win the game, but they threw in a couple more later on for good measure.

Sorey made a beautiful stop on Gusito's smash in the second and got his man at first. Yuna got on, however, when Beck let Evans' throw get away from him, but Mokan caught Uhle on strikes. Keidel looked much better in this round and made two of the three locals who faced him hit the breezes. Comstock and Evans were the victims.

Luke Sewell drew a pass to start off the third and Keidel fanned. Jeanes hit to Tanner and with an easy double play in sight, Sorey threw the ball away after forcing Sewell at second. Jeanes romping to that station. Sorrels got a lucky hit through Mokan, but the latter froze onto Hammond's smash and retired the side before any damage was perpetrated.

Beck Gets His Second.

Beck came through with his second blow of the matinee in the third, but the crash was wasted as O'Brien hit into a double and Allen grounded out, Sorrells to Gusito.

Guisto greeted Knadler with a safety in the fourth—the first real Indian hit. Benedict slashed one at Tanner, however, and the Spudders made their first double play. Yuna was retired by Comstock, who picked his line drive out of the sun in admirable fashion.

The Salmites got a taste of southpaying in their allotment of the session when Odenwald relieved Keidel. The portsider had difficulty in locating the plate at the start but managed to get three out before being scored upon.

The Indians chalked up their first counter in the fifth. Uhle almost tore Knadler's hands apart with a smash through the box and Sewell put him on second with a safety to right. After Odenwald had fanned, Uhle stole third and scored on Jeanes' sacrifice fly to Comstock.

A quicker return by "Speck" might have prevented the tally, but the one run didn't hurt as the home boys got in back in the same inning.

Some More Walloping.

Three singles in a row by Beck, O'Brien and Allen in the fifth enabled Fred to score. He came in from second on Allen's drive to center, but O'Brien was nipped going to third.

The sixth was uneventful as was the seventh for the visitors. A dropped throw by Beck after Tanner had made a wonderful stop on Uhle's drive got Knadler in bad and Sewell followed with a walk. Shinault hit for Odenwald and forced Uhle at third while Jeanes lined to Beck.

With two away in the Spudders' half, Beck caught one of Tubbs' fast balls on the snout and jolted it out of the park via right field. Fred then called it a day and some day it was. O'Brien delivered his third safe poke at this juncture—a screaming double to the left field fence, but Allen couldn't push him around.

Things looked extremely dubious for Knadler in the eighth. After Sorrells had been thrown out by Tanner, Hammond singled to left and Guisto and Benedict slapped out a brace of doubles which netted two counters. Salm shot "Lefty" Carmen into the bull pen at this point, but he wasn't needed as Knadler put on the brakes and fanned Yuna while Sorey threw out Uhle.

Bischoff got his little hit in the eighth, but one was down at the time and Knadler and Comstock were unable to do any good. Jeanes got a life in the ninth when Allen dropped his fly, but he was thrown out trying to reach second.

The score:

WICHITA FALLS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Comstock, rf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Tanner, ss	4	1	1	0	6	0
Evans, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Beck, 1b	4	3	4	12	0	2
O'Brien, cf	4	0	3	0	0	0
Allen, lf	4	0	2	0	1	1
Sorey, 2b	3	0	0	5	5	1
Schmidt, c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Elschcoff, c	2	0	1	4	0	0
Mokan, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Knadler, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	34	6	13	27	17	4

CLEVELAND—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Jeanes, cf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Sorrells, ss	4	0	1	1	3	0
Hammond, 2b	4	1	2	0	3	0
Guisto, 1b	4	1	2	9	0	0
Benedict, 3b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Yuna, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Uhle, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
L. Sewell, c	1	0	1	5	0	0
Shinault, c	2	0	0	2	0	0
Keidel, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Odenwald, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Tubbs, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	3	8	24	11	0

By innings—

Wichita Falls	4	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	x	6
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	3

Two-base hits—Tanner, O'Brien, Guisto, Benedict; home run—Beck; sacrifice hit—Schmidt; sacrifice fly—Jeanes; stolen base—Uhle; double plays—Tanner to Sorey to Beck (2), Hammond to Sorrells to Guisto; hits—off Keidel, 7 in 3 innings, off Odenwald 3 in 3 innings, off Tubbs 3 in 2 innings, off Knadler 6 in 5 innings, off Mokan 3 in 4 innings; base on balls—off Mokan 1, off Odenwald 2, off Knadler 1; struck out—by Mokan 3, by Keidel 2, by Knadler 2, by Odenwald 2, by Tubbs 2; passed ball—Bischoff. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes. Umpire—Magee. Attendance, 1,107.

BASEBALL'S GREATEST FEATS OF ALL TIME

For 12 years in succession Ty Cobb has led the American league in batting. This record covered a period of years extending from 1907 to 1919.

Honus Wagner for 17 consecutive years, 1897 to 1913, hit .300 or better in the National league.

Willie Keeler for eight consecutive years in the National league made 200 hits or more, reaching the high water mark for that organization in 1897 with 243.

"Babe" Ruth in three seasons in the American league, 1919, 1920 and 1921, made 142 home runs. His mark of 59 homers in 1921 stands as the record.

"Stuffy" McInnes during the season of 1921 played the entire season at first base and only made one error.

George Gibson in 1909 caught 140 consecutive games for Pittsburg. His team won the National league pennant that year.

Ed Walsh in 1908 worked in 66 games for the Chicago White Sox. He saved many games as a relief pitcher and was credited with 40 victories himself.

In 1920 George Sisler of the St. Louis Browns made 257 base hits, breaking the record in that respect for both major leagues.

In 1888 Harry Stovey stole 156 bases, a record that has never been approached by any of the modern-day runners.

"Old Hoss" Radbourne in 1884 pitched in 73 games for the Providence club, of which he won 60. He worked in 67 games in succession that season.

"Wee Willie" Keeler while with the Baltimore Orioles went through an entire season in the National league without striking out. He was at bat 700 times before he was retired on strikes.

Superbly satisfactory spectacle service supplied by Fred Goss, optometrist, with Kruger Jewelry Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. (G)

1922 CITY LEAGUE SCHEDULE

	TEXHOMA	BANKS	GULF	PRESBY.	RAILROAD	TEXAS CO.
TEXHOMA	READ	Apr. 15-H May 20-V June 24	Apr. 22-V May 27-H July 1	Apr. 8-V May 13-H June 17	Apr. 29-H June 3-V July 8	May 6-H June 10-V July 15
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H—HOME TEAM.
V—VISITING TEAM.
The location of the third game between clubs will be decided by the toss of a coin before the second game.

At the last meeting of the Wichita Falls City Baseball league it was decided to have a six-club circuit this year instead of eight, the following clubs being chosen as members:

Texas company, Gulfs, Banks, Texhomas, Presbyterians and Railroads. A four month season was decided upon, to open April 8 and close July 15. By this schedule every club will meet the other five three times during the season. In case of postponed games, double-headers will be played the next time the two teams are scheduled to meet.

A paid secretary, whose duty it will be to keep all records and have supervision over the umpires, will be chosen some time this week. President Mobley, however, will select the umpires and he states that the league will be able to pay them this year for their services. The secretary will assign the arbiters at each game.

Athletic park has been secured for May 6 and 7 and June 24 and 25 for exhibition games by the clubs, at which admission will be charged to help defray the expenses of the league. Every club, nevertheless, will be required to have a diamond of its own and the schedule has been so mapped out one team will not have any advantage over the other by playing too many games "at home."

President Mobley states that another meeting will be called in the near future at which all details will be threshed out.

EXHIBITION GAMES.

At New Orleans—

New York (Americans)	8	15	3
New Orleans (S. A.)	7	12	1

Batteries: Jolley, Quinn, and Hoffman, Devormer; Thomas, Townsend and Meyers.

At Mobile—

St. Louis (Americans)	11	8	1
Mobile (S. A.)	4	6	6

Batteries: Vangilder, Bayre, Davis, Pruett and Severeid; Hollingsworth, Roberts, Schculte and Tate.

At Orange—

St. Louis (N. L.)	9	13	0
Beaumont (T. L.)	2	4	2

Batteries: Sherdel, Walker, Barnes and Perry, Ralston, Scott, Henry and Alexander, Anderson.

At Fort Worth—

Cincinnati	1	8	0
Fort Worth	0	9	2

Batteries: Donohue, Gillespie and Wingo; Phillips, Appleton, Thomas and Haworth, Griesenbeck.

CARDINALS GET JUMP ON SPEAKERITES AND WIN

DALLAS, March 11.—Walter Mails, star hurler of the Cleveland Indians, was way off form in the first inning of the St. Louis Cardinals-Indians game here today and was largely responsible for the 4 to 3 defeat suffered by the Speakerites.

The Cards scored two runs in the initial frame without a hit on three bases on balls given by Mails, an error by Wamby and a sacrifice fly. They were never headed.

Two double plays by Speaker for the Indians and Mueller for the Cards after sensational center field catches were the outstanding features of the game.

The playing was spotty although the pitchers appeared in the poorest form.

Score by innings— R. H. E.

Cardinals	201 000 010	4	10 1
Indians	000 101 010	3	8 2

Batteries: Barfoot, Reinhardt and Ainsmith, Clemons; Mails, Bagby, Keefe and O'Neill, Nunamaker.

NEWSIES GUESTS OF OLYMPIC THEATER MONDAY NIGHT

Members of the Newsboys' Athletic club will be guests of the management of the Olympic theater Monday night. The "World's Champion" is the title of the picture that will be shown. The club members have been requested to meet at the Methodist church at 6:30 p. m. and will attend in a body.

Canada buys more of United States timothy seed than any other country.

SPEAKER OUGHT TO SEND THIS ONE HERE

CLEVELAND, March 11.—Manager Tris Speaker of the Cleveland Americans has added another collegian pitcher to his staff in the person of Bob Bisonette, a lefthander, according to advices from the Dallas, Texas, training camp. Bisonette made a good showing when at New Hampshire college and later at Georgetown university. He is the 19th pitcher on the Indians' staff.

Texas League Dope

DALLAS

DALLAS, TEXAS, March 12.—All is peaceful and calm along the Trinity. Just farther beyond its banks, at Marine field, the hopefuls upon whose shoulders are nailed the 1922 pennant hopes, churn through the ceaseless grind.

Things here do not appear the rosiest in the world, but Manager Jim Galloway is very optimistic, and is smilingly happy. Therefore worry is amiss. If the taciturn skipper is satisfied, everyone else should be.

Two absentees mar a perfect roster, George Swarts, no-hit pitcher, and Nate Schangling, catcher, have not reported, have not sent any word nor have they taken up their transportation. Other than these two, all are in.

With the arrival of Daniel Tipple and Matthew Donahue last Tuesday, all the recalcitrants except Swarts and Schangling were in the city. The lineup of the Marines this year will be changed but slightly from the previous season.

Claude Robertson and Arthur Forrest, who jumped the club two seasons ago, will bear the backstopping burden; Snipe Conley, Roy Mitchell, Jack Harper, Cliff Hill, Dan Tipple and Al Reid probably will compose the firing staff; Galloway will be on first, Falk on second, Bobby Stow on short, Kal Segrist and an entire new outfield will be seen.

Matt Donahue, from the Baltimore Orioles, a .300 hitter and the baby who slammed the Louisville team for an even .500 in the postseason series, will be in center; Pug Allen, from Birmingham, will be in right, and Spencer, a Virginia league hitter, will be in left.

Allen's appearance here is still doubtful, however, as he was obtained from Birmingham in a trade for Robertson. The latter refused to report, and the Barons were offered $1,500, which they accepted. Later Birmingham balked on the deal, but Secretary Walter Morris is confident the Marines will get Allen.

Work is being carried on in earnest, with the usual allotment of ambitious rookies and city leaguers working out with the team. Harper especially is working hard, with the memory of that bitter defeat sustained in Wichita last year, when, after pitching a scratch one-hit game up until the ninth, he was beat out by Tex McDonald.

Revenge burns in his breast.

SAN ANTONIO

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, March 11.—An unusually large squad of rookies in the San Antonio camp this spring is helping Boss Benson and Manager Northen keep the gray hairs of worry from sprouting behind their ears, which phenomenon is calculated to occure when six tried veterans insist on staying away from camp a whole week after the day for reporting.

Bill Holden, the outfielder from Baltimore; Harvey Hiller, the experienced third sacker from Rochester; Frankie Fuller, holdout second baseman; Pete Shields, veteran wielder of a wicked willow who pastimes either at first base or in the pastures, and Pitchers Larry Cheney and Ray Jordan, were still absent at a late hour.

The Bears have a full team—a good one, at that—to put in the lists against the Omaha Western leaguers at their Victoria training camp in the week-end contests, but the absence of the men depended upon to make a winning combination for the Bears and eliminate experiments as far as possible is a trifle disconcerting, although baseball headquarters insists everything will be rosy soon.

Jack Beatty, at first, has competition from a son of sunny Mexico, Leonardo Alinis, who hit a homer in the first Regular-Yannigan game during the week. There are several infielders after the second basing job, but Fuller will hardly have trouble landing this position.

Ewell Gross, who jumped the club last year, is back again, battling for his old place at short. Homer Essell, a jackrabbit from the west Texas league who seems to be hitting better than in years gone by, is giving Ewell a run for his job. Bryan Naylor, who played with the Bears awhile last year, is also in evidence in the shortfield.

Third Baseman Needed.

Hiller is needed for third base. A youth named McNulty who paid his way from Huntington, Ind., for a trial, is at present holding down the hot corner. He has nerve and no mean ability.

Kedzie Kirkham the ambidextrous slugger from Milwaukee; Everett Booe, the 1921 holdover; Jack Bryan, a "find" of Rub Northen's, and L. Myers, husky University of California product, are the leading outfielders on hand. Shields and Holden are counted on to grab two jobs.

The catching staff, a worrisome department last season, is well taken care of this year; that's a cinch, unless accidents occur. "Red" McKee, the veteran, is the goods and is likely to be first-string man. If the Bears can definitely arrange to jar Lew Wendell loose from the Giants, there are two cagey veterans who would team as perhaps the best allaround receiving corps in the loop. John Henry from Shreveport is on the job, so is Bill White, with the Bears a while last season; Rodney Whitney, from the West Texas league, and a few other youngsters.

When Cheney and Jordan get here, there will be enough talent on hand for a couple of first-class pitching crews. Mutt Williams, thin from a recent illness, feels better and is out at work. Bob Conchman is in the pink and is already sending his tantalising twisters across the pan. Bob has developed a new "tamale ball," discovered in Mexico last fall, which he promises will knock Texas leaguers cold with surprise and turn rival pitchers jade with envy.

Tiner, Lybrand, Crawford, Pena, Olin Voigt and a flock of others are struggling for the remainder of the hurling berths.

Northen is working his men hard in the few hours a day they can find to practice between the morning and afternoon workouts of the New York Giants who, of course, occupy center stage here.

SHREVEPORT

SHREVEPORT, LA., March 11.—Pre-season dope being rampant at all ports of call on the Texas loop, Shreveport is no exception, and Manager Billy Smith of the Gassers has issued his annual manifesto, stating that the Gassers have a good chance to cop the Texas league bunting this year.

The spring song of the managers has become an annual feature locally, and although no deep credence is placed in the pennant winning statement, Shreveport fans are rather optimistic over the prospects of having a first division team this season.

About twenty recruits have reported for the training grind, and as most of them promise to fulfill their destinies of speedy moundsmen and hard-hitting outfielders, the opening of the season is looked forward to with little dread.

Superlative pitching and hard hitting will be the salient feature of the 1922 Gasser offensive, and the brunt of the work will be borne by new men.

Gus Felix of the Kansas City team is one of the new Gassers that is looked upon as a leader in the batting honors, and will probably be used as lead-off man.

Eibel Holding Out.

Hack Eibel, home run king of the Texas league last year, is keeping the local fans and magnates agog over his refusal to send in a signed contract for this season, holding out for a larger slice of cake. It was expected that when the club called his bluff that he would come into the fold to avoid being outlawed, but word has been received from his home in Atlanta that Hack is buying stock in an independent club there, and this may upset the plans of the Gasser mentor.

All the rest of the veterans are present for the spring workouts, and although prospects are not as bright as they have been for the Gassers, the outlook is in no way depressing.

The first series of the team is against the Panthers, playing at Fort Worth April 13 to 17, and Billy Smith has in no way conceded anything to the champions of last season. Pop Boone and Skipper Jake have the Cats all groomed up in mid-season form, but as usual the breaks may intervene and the Gassers get away to a flying start.

BEAUMONT

BEAUMONT, March 1.—The Exporters will be remodeled in all departments when they begin the 1922 pennant chase.

More than a dozen new pastimers were added to the local collection during the winter season and these will be scattered from top to bottom on the opening day line-up.

With so many new faces on hand the job of forecasting the inaugural formation is more difficult than usual. However, a few things are reasonably certain.

John Anderson, obtained from Des Moines by purchase last winter, and Walter Alexander, holdover from last year, probably will divide the catching. Mathes grabbed Clarence Brooks from the Vernon Pacific coast league club with the expectation of using him as the wheelhorse of the backstop department.

But that worthy has balked at the idea of coming to the Texas league and it is hardly likely that he will report.

Don Rader will get the shortstop berth and Scotty Alcock is the most likely candidate for third base. Rader is returning to the Exporters after an absence of one year. He was sold by the locals in the fall of 1920 to New Orleans, where he played last season.

Alcock is another of the players coming from Vernon in the deal that sent Jake May, the little lefthander to the coast league.

It is questionable who will play second base, though Jimmy Doyle, now pursuing an academic course at Southwestern University, will not return before June, if then. Jack Stansbury, one of the most versatile players in the minors, may be used at the keystone bag. At present, he seems to have the call.

A three-cornered fight has developed for the first base berth. Joe Brennan, who finished the 1921 season at the bag; Harry Strong, who comes from the St. Louis Browns in the Cedric Durst deal of last fall, and Dan Wagner, a Lake Charles boy, are all eager candidates for the job. With only a week of training behind them, the outcome of the triple tilt is still a toss-up.

Nick De Maggio will be back in one of the garden spots. Ernest Vatche, Frank Wetzel and Stump Edington, all experienced men, are the other outfielders on the list since Ripperton was sold to Chattanooga. To date only De Maggio and Vatche have reported, though the others are expected.

The pitching staff is an uncertain proposition. Stuart Jacobus, George Scott and Lou Kraft are the only members of last year's staff who are back. Red Torkelson, a spit baller from New Orleans; Zing Mello and Lefty Caldero, from the semi-pro fields of San Francisco; Cy Morgan, a veteran minor leaguer who has been on the retired list for a couple of seasons, and Leo Webber, from San Angelo in the West Texas league, are the candidates from whom the staff of five or six men will be picked. Jacobus is the only man sure of his berth.

BOOTH ELECTED MANAGER OF MASKAT TEMPLE CLUB

At a meeting of the Maskat temple baseball club held Friday evening, A. B. Booth was elected manager. A captain for the team will be picked at a later date. The club agreed upon Tuesdays and Fridays as practice days, and practice will commence on those days promptly at 4:30 p. m. on the grounds to the left of Brook street near the present golf course.

The club has a membership of about 40 Shriners, with 25 present at the meeting held Friday evening. The new uniforms have arrived and were on display at the meeting. The colors are white, trimmed with red, yellow and green, with green caps.

The first game scheduled is with the high school and will be played March 24. The first Shrine temple in Texas to match a game with the Maskat team is Alzafar temple of San Antonio. They will appear here during the latter part of May for a three-game series. These games will be played at Athletic park.

WHITE SOX AND GIANTS BATTLE TO A DEADLOCK

SAN ANTONIO, March 11.—The crippled Chicago White Sox team played the world's champions, the New York Giants, minus only First Baseman Kelly to a 5 to 5 tie in the opening exhibition game here today. The Sox led in the ninth inning through a two-run last inning rally. With two Giants out, Meusel was tossed out at first by the pitcher. The umpire ruled the ball touched the batter. He was sent back and singled. Boone tripled, tieing the score. The allaround playing of Shinners, Giant recruit star, who got a home run and two singles, and home runs by Hooper and Frisch featured.

Score by innings— R. H. E.

Chicago (A. L.)	001 001 102 0—	5	9 1
New York (N. L.)	000 120 101 0—	5	14 4

(Game called account darkness).

Batteries: Acosta, Hodge and Schalk; V. Barnes, Benton and Snyder, Smith.

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WIND DOESN'T PHASE DEMPSEY AT SHOOT

Breaks 45 Out of 50 at Regular Weekly Event of Local Gun Club.

Giving a demonstration of trap-shooting that is seldom witnessed at the local traps, Hunter W. Dempsey won the club prize and a leg on the quarterly prize at the Wichita Gun club's weekly shoot Friday. Despite a high northwesterly wind, which played havoc with the best nimrods of the club, Hunter smashed 45 out of his possible 50 targets—four more than A. G. Deatherage, his closest opponent, who scored 41. Paul Adams showed the way in the doubles with 16 out of 24.

The wind was the worst the shooters have faced this season, as the scores of such men as Adams, Ramming and Nabb will testify. It didn't dampen the enthusiasm any, however, and the largest gathering of the season was on hand. Nearly three squads faced the traps.

A special prize for the fair members of the club will be hung up next Friday. Three of the best women shooters in the city have signified their intentions of competing, weather permitting.

The club's program for the year, as announced last week, has made a great hit with the members and some extremely warm contests are looked for every week. Never before have so many and such valuable prizes and trophies been donated by the club and its various members.

Last Friday's scores follow:

Singles—Dempsey, 45; Deatherage, 41; Ramming, 39; Nabb, 36; Rhodes, 31; Adams, 31; Dillard, 30; Kimmell, 30; Bowen, 28; Morrow, 26; Landon, 26; Carter, 25.

Doubles—Adams, 16; Deatherage, 15; Dempsey, 11; Ramming, 10.

LAKE CREST FARM SALE IS SUCCESS

About Four Hundred People Present and Numerous Purchases Made.

CLARENDON, TEXAS, Marche 11.—About 400 people attended the hog sale at Lake Crest farm, owned by W. L. Butler & Son, at Lelia Lake, Texas. The following were purchasers:

E. W. Hogan, Pampa, Texas, (top gilt) $700.
C. V. Griggs, Claude, Texas, $285.
J. M. Henderson, Claude, Texas, $282.
J. H. Henderson, Claude, Texas, $265.
W. B. Saulsberry, Pampa, Texas, $150.
J. H. Henderson, Claude, Texas, $150.
W. B. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $135.
W. B. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $127.50.
W. C. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $67.50.
J. M. Boseman, Lelia Lake, Texas, $77.50.
J. R. Caldwell, Lelia Lake, Texas, $77.50.
J. T. Caldwell, Lelia Lake, Texas, $72.50.
W. B. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $70.
W. B. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $70.
E. J. Holdhan, Hedley, Texas, $62.50.
W. B. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $67.50.
Bob Williams, Lelia Lake, Texas, $60.
J. H. Joyce, Lelia Lake, Texas, $57.50.
J. H. Seymour, Quail, Texas, $55.
J. H. Seymour, Quail, Texas, $52.50
W. O. Turner, Hedley, Texas, $52.50.
W. B. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $50.
E. W. Hogan, Pampa, Texas, $50.
R. L. Farris, Hedley, Texas, $50.
E. J. Holdhan, Hedley, Texas, $47.50
L. Z. Boyce, Lelia Lake, Texas, $55.
W. B. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $50.
J. M. Henderson, Claude, Texas, $47.50.
J. M. Henderson, Claude Texas, $45.
R. L. Farris, Hedley, Texas, $47.50.
Bob Williams, Lelia Lake, Texas, $40.
J. B. Stagner, Hedley, Texas, $27.50.
Sam Offett, Lelia Lake, Texas, $35.
W. B. Franklin, Hedley, Texas, $35.
J. M. Henderson, Claude, Texas, $30.
J. R. Caldwell, Lelia Lake, Texas, $30.

The above are bred sows and gilts and the purchase price paid. These are all Poland China hogs. This makes the third sale by Col. I. S. Jamieson, auctioneer of Pampa, Texas, for Lake Crest farm. He was assisted by Col. W. B. Saulsberry and E. W. Hogan, both of Pampa, Texas. Roy W. Hendrix, county agent, was clerk of the sale.

Crawfish Well The Latest Thing In South Texas

HOUSTON, March 11.—A crawfish well, the latest thing in producers, has just been brought in in the Pierce Junction oil field, just outside the city limit of Houston, according to word from there tonight.

The Humble Oil & Refining Co.'s well No. 3 Fitzsimmons, in the Pierce Junction oil field, blew in Thursday as a gigantic gasser. Today the well changed to a crawfish gusher.

Gas in the well, after flowing two days, broke through the casing and found exit through myriads of crawfish holes surrounding the derrick for 20 feet.

Tiny bits of mud, oil and water spouted from the crawfish holes, pushed up by the gas. Inhabiting crawfish, gassed, much in the manner of a patient in the dentist's chair, were thrown into the air by an invisible catapult. On landing the crawdads were so dizzy that they crawled forward instead of backward. Many of them stood on the end of their tails and shook like a flapper at a charity ball.

One huge crawdad fell on the back of a transient jack rabbit. "Right then started the beatin'est rabbit race ever seen in these hyar parts," a roughneck in the field said.

INDIAN REGULARS WHO ARE SHOWING AT LOCAL PARK

L. SEWELL

UHLE

SHINAULT

Luke Sewell, brother of the now famous Joe Sewell who jumped into the breach in the Cleveland infield in 1920 and helped Tris Speaker win a pennant after the death of Ray Chapman, Pitcher Uhle and Catcher Shinault are three Indians who are comparatively sure of berths on Speaker's club this season and all are with the club brought here for the exhibition games with the Spudders. Uhle is a real Cleveland veteran while the backstops joined the club last season and made such a good showing that Tris has intimated that they're bound to stick.

It was hoped that Uhle would be used in one of the games here, and McAllister stated last night that he might use him a couple of innings in today's game, though he worked five innings Friday and has a sore arm as a result of being hit by a ball thrown by Sewell in practice. Speaker is pinning a lot of faith in Uhle's good left arm this year. Whether he works in the box or not, he will positively play the outfield as he did yesterday.

Either Edmondson or Middleton will start the game for the Indians, while local fans will have their first real opportunity of seeing what "Lefty" Carmen can do.

Real Game Yesterday.

Fans who went to Athletic park yesterday (and there were more than a thousand) looking for a butchers' exhibition were sadly disappointed. The name "Cleveland" didn't bother Salm's crew in the least and the manner in which they tore into Keidel's offerings in the first round was a pleasure to witness. Salm declared last fall that he would have a club this year which would pummel the agate and though many of the men who worked for him yesterday will not be here next April, he proved conclusively that he had assembled an aggregation of swatsmiths. They hit everything two right-handers and one southpaw had to offer.

Fielding plays were pulled by both sides which showed that the men are rapidly rounding into form and some will not be in any better shape three months from now.

At least two thousand fans are expected to be at Athletic park this afternoon at 3 o'clock when Lee Magee calls "play ball."

Goal After Touchdown Abolished at Meeting Of Football Committee

NEW YORK, March 11.—Abolition of the free trial for goal after touchdown, substitution therefor of a play from line of scrimmage on or back of the five-yard line of a defending eleven and clarifying changes in the rules regarding shift plays, clipping from behind, and substitutions were announced today by the intercollegiate football rules committee.

The action of the committee in abolishing the trial for goal after touchdown, the most radical step taken since the introduction of the forward pass in 1906, had been recommended by the association of football coaches of America, following its meeting here last December.

The revision had been demanded by a majority of football experts for years, and since the abolition two years ago of the punt-out, many of the leading coaches took up the campaign for abandonment of the play. They declared that it was useless as it stood and harmful to the game. It was understood that W. W. Roper, Princeton coach, suggested the play for the point from a line of scrimmage.

In regard to the change in the shift ruling, the opinion of some football men was that it would tend to put a damper on the playing style of some of the leading western college elevens, especially that of Notre Dame, whose weird shifts have puzzled opposing elevens for several years.

Kick-Off Rule Altered

The initial kick-off regulation was altered so that if the side winning the toss selects the goal, the other team having the choice of either kicking or receiving. Heretofore when one captain elected to defend a goal the other side was obliged to kick-off.

The darkness rule was altered to allow the referee, with the consent of both captains, to decide between halves to shorten the fourth period or both periods in the second half. Heretofore a shortening of the time previously agreed upon could be made only before the game began.

Rules governing substitutions were changed so that a player cannot return to the field in the same half in which he is removed. It is not necessary that he should return at the beginning of a period.

The "one man in motion" regulation was rewritten so that any player leaving the scrimmage line before play begins, must be at least five yards behind the line when the ball is snapped.

Among the rulings approved by the committee was one that officials should whistle as soon as convinced that the ball had crossed the goal line, or, in the case of forward passes, when the pass is completed behind the line.

The committee decided to have interpretations of rules made by the general interpretations committee printed September 1 each year, and that thereafter interpretations for officials would be made only upon request, their formal approval or rejection to be made later at the annual meeting of the rules committee.

No action was taken on the proposal to make the numbering of players mandatory.

The personnel of the rules committee was not changed. E. K. Hall was re-elected chairman and Walter Camp secretary and rules editor.

COACHES EXPRESS VIEWS

MADISON, WIS., March 11.—The new play following a touchdown in football games devised to give the attacking team an opportunity to score through any kind of legal play from or behind the five-yard line is favored by Coach T. E. Jones, director of athletics at the University of Wisconsin.

IOWA CITY, IOWA, March 11.—Director of Athletics Howard Jones and Football Coach Ashmore of the state university of Iowa here are of the opinion that the abolishment of the free trial for a goal after a touchdown and its substitute rule is a good thing.

ANN ARBOR, MICH., March 11.—Coach Fielding H. Yost of the University of Michigan, one of the most widely known leaders in the gridiron sport in the country, today declared his opinion that the change in football rules eliminating the free trial for goal after touchdown "would be of no benefit to the game."

LOS ANGELES, March 11.—Claude (Tiny) Thornhill, former assistant line coach of Centre college and at present assistant coach of Stanford university, commented favorably upon the change in football rules eliminating the free trial for a goal after touchdown.

ST. LOUIS, March 11.—Abolishment of the free goal was commended by George L. Rider, coach at Washington university, and Steve O'Rourke, coach at St. Louis university.

"I consider the action of the football rules committee an improvement," Mr. Rider stated. "Often a team which played a far better game throughout, lost at the last minute by the kick. This is done away with now. I always opposed the kick."

"In my opinion it is a much needed change," O'Rourke commented. "A new field of scoring is opened up. Now a coach can get his head working and have his men score the point in a number of ways, instead of just one way."

MINNEAPOLIS, March 11.—Fred Luhering, athletic director of the University of Minnesota, when advised of the new football rule governing the try for the additional point after touchdown, declared the rules committee is to be congratulated.

DECISIONS ARE DELAYED ON SCOUTS' FIELD DAY

Final decision on the winning troops in the scout field day meet held Saturday will not be made for several days, according to Scout Executive H. E. Taylor, who stated Saturday night that some technicalities must be ruled on. Several disputes came up between the boys and the judges during progress of the meet and until these are thrashed out final awards cannot be made.

The field meet was considered a success by scout officials, who declared that more interest prevailed among the boys than at any other similar event ever held here.

WELL IN MOTLEY COUNTY IS OVER 3390 FEET DEEP

Motley county has the distinction of having the deepest well now drilling in this section of the state. The well has reached the depth of 3390 feet and is being put down by the Minnesota Oil syndicate. This test is located north of the town of Matador in what is known as the Whiteflat district. It is the plan of the company if conditions continue favorable to put the test down to 4500 feet, if necessary.

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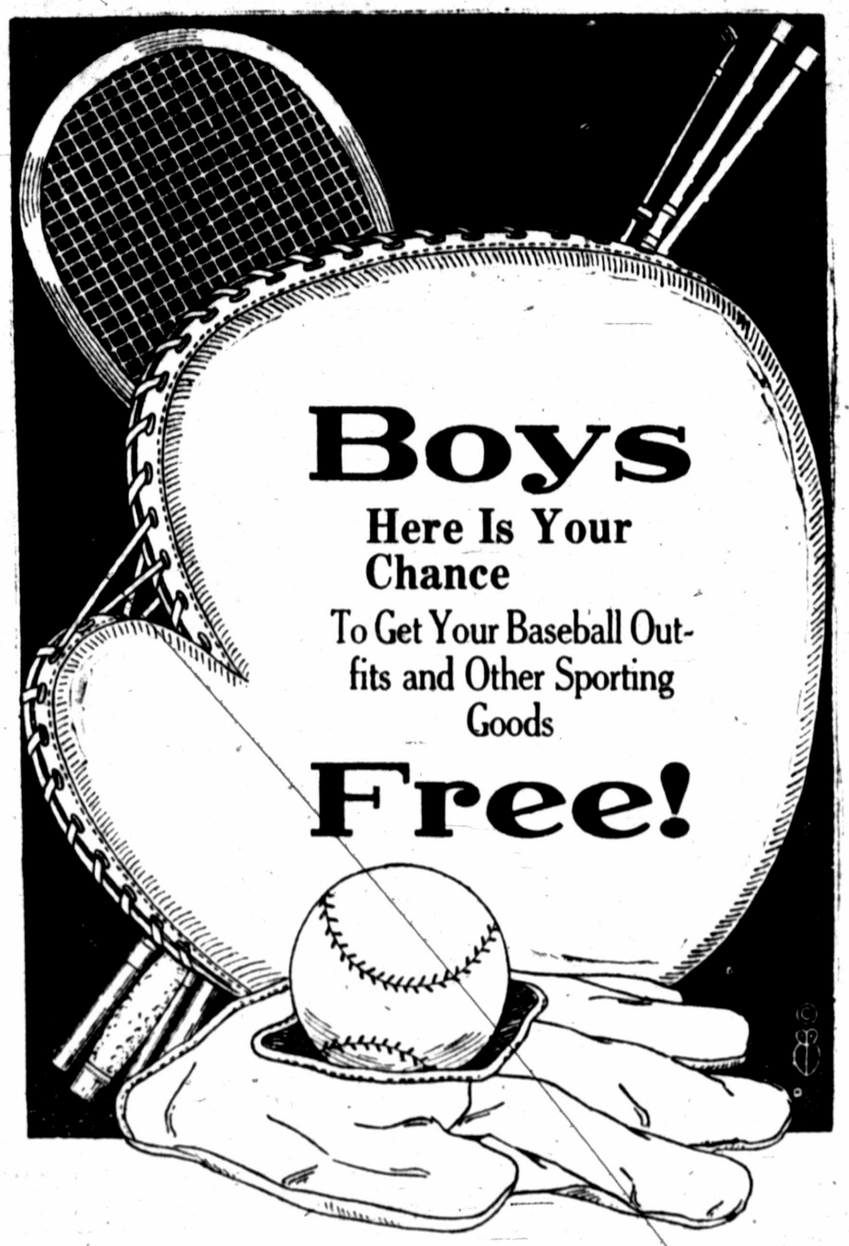

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Knights of Pythias
Meet Tuesday nights at 7:30 o'clock, corner Ninth and Travis. Club rooms open every night for members; visitors welcome.
M. A. BUNDY, C. C.
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Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
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W. J. WEBB, Secretary.
Work in the Entered Apprentice degree Monday, March 13, at 6 p. m.
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Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202 R. A. M. Stated convocations second Friday night in each month.
L. L. BENNETT, H. P.
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ALBERT ELLIS, Sec.
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W. Y. HAMMACK, E. C.
WM. J. WEBB, Recorder.
Drill Tuesday, March 14, and on Thursday, March 16, at 7 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter, No. 237. Meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
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Wichita Falls Lodge, B. P. O. Elks.—Meets first and third Monday nights of each month at Elks hall.
H. C. ENGLISH, Sec.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
RALPH DICK, N. G.
SAM JUDAH, Sec.

Rebekah Lodge, No. 236.—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 2:30 and first and third Saturday nights at Swartz-Woods Bldg., 605 Scott avenue.
BETTIE SUMMERS, N. G.
ETHEL MARTIN, Sec.

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WE WILL not be responsible for the payment of any accounts or other obligations against our company unless incurred on written order of John A. Ware Jr. Maney Brothers & Co. 255-60tp

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TRADE us what you have you don't need for what we have you do need and save your money. EXCHANGE FURNITURE CO. Dial 6992. O. L. Ross, Prop., 619 Indiana. 298-25tc

ONE OF the best shops for watch and jewelry making, designing and repairing in the southwest will be found at S. R. Glidewell & Son, 607 Seventh-st. 303-1tc

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The satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas D. Hughes. Phone 2224. 300-31tc

PAPERHANGING, painting. Rooms papered, $7 to $10 per room. Ask for Lee, 5579. 299-10tp

PAINTING and paper hanging promptly and neatly done. All work guaranteed. Call John H. Martin. Phone 5291. 301-10tc

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to Dallas, March 14, with large truck. Can take your household goods or other freight and save you money. Stanfill Transfer, 922 Ohio. Phone 3863. 301-4tp

FULLER Battery & Electric Co. will do that repair job on your battery or electric system for less. All work guaranteed. Phone 6818. 612 Indiana. 301-31p

FOR SALE—Two-room house at a bargain if taken at once. Apply at 211 Brook-ave. 302-3tp

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NOTICE—Carpenters, there will be a called meeting Tuesday night, March 14.—W. J. Hefner, recording secretary. 303-2tp

NU BONE—Abdominal supported corsets designed to reduce large abdomen and extreme thigh flesh. No corset equal to Nu Bone. Work guaranteed. Registered surgical corsetier. Phone 3777. Mrs. Holen. 303-31c

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FAIRMOUNT Maternity Hospital for confinement; private; prices reasonable; may work for board; babies adopted; write for booklet, Mrs. T. B. Long, 4911 E. Twenty-Seventh-st., Kansas City, Mo. 292-30tp

PHRENOLOGY — Consult Madam Keys, the world's most famous woman. She gives you reliable advice. Special reading this week, $1. Stratford hotel, room 3. 300-7tc

$1 WILL BE given as reward to first one giving proven address of Jerry Mosha, colored, who moved whom Wharton county to Wichita Falls in fall of 1920. W. G. Whitlow, Tempie, Texas. 302-1tp

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Eleventh between Lamar and Burnett, child's brown fur trimmed hat. Finder please call 2304. Reward. 301-3tc

LOST—Order book and advertising matter Saturday about 12 noon on Sixth-st. near Ford Service Station. Finder kindly return to the Kemp Hotel, room 239. 303-1tp

FOUND—Bunch of keys on sidewalk in business district on key ring and pocket clasp. Owner can have same by calling at Times office and identifying same and paying for this ad. 303-1tc

LOST—Taken from Alamo school Tuesday afternoon, boys' Junior bicycle, almost new; frame painted blue; $5 reward for return to Mack Thomas, 1615 Tenth-st. 303-3tc

PURSE found. Owner call 5436. 303-1tp

WILL PARTY who found little girl's purse in rest room at Olympic theatre Saturday afternoon please call 6282. 303-1tc

HELP WANTED, MALE & FEMALE

WHY not prepare yourself for a better position during your spare time through the International Correspondence Schools, Scranton, Pa. 280 courses. For information write J. Diamond, box 1153, Wichita Falls, Texas. 290-30tc

BE INDEPENDENT—Silver plating without battery or mercury. $1 will start you in business and make you at least $25 profit. Complete instructions 50c. James P. Bryant, 1613 Elm, Dallas, Dept. 13. 302-2tp

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—Small set of books to keep; financial statement prepared monthly. Reasonable charge. Apply Box 179, care Times. 294-10tp

WOMAN with two little girls wants a good job. Phone 3042F2. Mrs. Cargile, Iowa Park. 303-1tp

YOUNG lady stenographer desires position; has had legal experience. Phone 6018. 302-3te

WANTED—Man to work on dairy, house furnished for man and wife without children. Apply 1001 Virginia-st. 302-1tp

WANTED—Family washings, work guaranteed. Will call for and deliver. 610 Jefferson-st., Iowa Park, road. 303-8tp

SALESMEN WANTED.

SALESMAN to cover local territory selling dealers. Guaranteed salary of $100 week for right man. The Commercial Radium Co., Fifth Ave. Bldg., New York. 297-7tp

GENERAL distributors wanted for "Greas 'em," new guaranteed Ford accessory; make $100 weekly; territory being awarded to producers; three big sources of profit. No competition, big, quick sales. Free folder ready. Wm. B. Joyce, president, Aurora, Ill. 302-1tp

SELL Homes tires and tubes. No capital required. $100 weekly income. Price sells them, quality gets reorders. Holmes Rubber Co., 1500 W. Fifteenth, Chicago. 303-1tp

CAR OWNER representative wanted to demonstrate air filled guaranteed Puncture Sealing Inner tubes. Priced low, within reach of all. Autoists buy on sight. Enormous profits. Wemstone, 3025 Indiana-ave., Chicago. 303-1tp

FASTEST selling article on the market because of government ruling. Repeater. Connection with future for those who qualify. Ambitious salesmen make upward of $50 per day. Every cooperation extended. Strictly confidential. Jerome Laadt, president, 8 South Dearborn-st., Chicago. 303-1tp

NEW patented article. Everyone needs. Selling fast. Buy small stock and secure exclusive town and county agency. Business permanent. Saniphone Co., Victoria Bldg., St. Louis. 303-1tp

DIVISION manager to supervise sales. Practical money saving store appliance that sells readily to merchants. Protected territory. Exceptional income assurred. Contract department, 610 Burk Burnett Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas. 303-1tp

OPPORTUNITY open for those who qualify to handle our line of 144 pairs of hosiery; we deliver for you direct to the home; build a permanent business quickly under our plan, quality and price. Call or write at once. Pure Silk Hosiery Mills, 1111 Dallas County Bank Bldg., Dallas, Texas. 303-1tp

WANTED—Salesman with car. Cord and fabric tires at prices below competitors. $100 and expenses. Hydro-Vulcan Tire Company, 1104 Michigan-ave., Chicago, Illinois. 303-1tp

WIDE-AWAKE, energetic automobile salesman at once. Liberal commission. Apply in person. 609 Scott-ave. 303-1tc

MAKE $200 to $500 per month distributing Speedoline. Easy, permanent work, exclusive territory, automobile free. Write for particulars. Speedoline Co., Dept. S, Dallas, Texas. 303-1tp

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS—To sell rat serium, rids premises of rats and mice within 3 to 6 days; nonpoisonous to other animals; everybody buys and repeats; 2-oz. package retails 50c; your profit 100-300 per cent. Krueger Mfg. Co., 2710 Finney, St. Louis, Mo. 300-3tp

BIG PAY—Man or woman of character to distribute religious literature. Chance to make $600 or more. Full or spare time. No capital or experience necessary. Universal Bible House, Philadelphia. 302-1tp

$5,000 EVERY year, $2,000 easy in spare time. We share profits with you besides. Sell "Weather Monarch" raincoats. Ask about our "Dust Coat" No. 99. Get sample raincoat free. Associated Raincoat Agents Inc., 446 N. Wells, Chicago. 303-1tp

CRESCO
Three in one and utility shopping bags. Hot water bottles, waterproof kitchen aprons. Handle these fast selling articles and increase your income. For nineteen years we have been manufacturing good merchandise. New selling outfit free. Improved Mfg. Co., Dept 254, Ashland, Ohio. 302-1tp

LARGE manufacturer wants agents sell advertised brand men's shirts direct to wearer. No capital or experience required. Free samples. Madison Mills, 505 Broadway, New York. 302-1tp

AGENTS make big money selling the newest and best thing in auto polish. No rubbing, dries dustless in five minutes with brilliant polish. If you are a hustler with a little money, here is your chance to make big profits and establish a permanent business for yourself. Call or write Dean's Auto Products Co., 706 Tenth, Wichita Falls, Texas. 303-1tc

CRESCO RAINCOATS
Sells fast. High quality, low prices. Oldest manufacturers raincoats selling direct to consumer through agents. Hundreds of men and women now have steady incomes selling the Cresco line. Big new spring outfit free. Spring season now on. Write today. Improved Mfg. Co., Dept. 253, Ashland, Ohio. 303-1tp

HELP WANTED—MALE.

YOUNG man learn the barber trade. My system teaches you in a few weeks. Come today. Write Harry Foster, 517 Seventh-st., Wichita Falls. 285-31tp

AGENTS—80c an hour to advertise and distribute samples to consumers. Write quick for territory and particulars. American Products Co., 5053 American Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio. 302-1tp

MEN wanted for detective work. Experience unnecessary. Write J. Ganor, former government detective, 538, St. Louis. 303-1tp

$60 PER WEEK easily earned selling 150 household necessities of highest quality direct to housewife. Oldest, largest direct selling house in America. Write today. We train you how to sell. A. M. Lovell, organization manager, 3238 Herrs Island, Pittsburgh, Pa. 303-1tp

MEN for firemen, brakemen, beginners $150, later $250. Railway, box 52, care Times. 302-1tp

RAILROAD shopmen, sawmill and other mechanics—list of 150 railroad shops, sawmills, shipyards employing thousands. Send $1. James Dee, 420 Huntingdon, E., Savannah, Ga. 302-1tp

GOVERNMENT needs railway mail clerks, salary $133 to $192 month; traveling expenses paid. Examination announced soon. Write for free specimen questions. Columbus Institute, Columbus, Ohio. 302-1tp

MEN wanted to qualify for firemen, brakemen, experience unnecessary. Transportation furnished. Write W. Boggess, St. Louis. 303-1tp

APARTMENTS.

TWO rooms nicely furnished; large closet and sink. 1518 Eleventh-st. 300-4tc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished modern 3-room apartment, 1310 Eighth. Phone 6689. 300-4tp

FOR RENT—Nice rooms and apartments close in. Phone 6122. 301-7tp

NICELY furnished three-room apartment to couple only; private family —1413 Twelfth. 303-3tp

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, 1000 Burnett-st.; phone 4406. 302-2tc

BUSINESS PLACES FOR RENT.

STORE on corner Fourth and Indiana, rent reasonable. 303-3tp

FOR RENT—Entire second floor of Harrison - Everton building on Seventh-st., or will rent any part for offices. See John Man, at Star Furniture Co. 302-10tc

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

YOUNG ladies to travel and call on business men. Thirty dollars per week with commission that will pay expenses if you can qualify. See Mr. Mock, room 309 Argonne hotel. 301-2tp

SPECIAL representative wanted in each town on big direct-to-consumer advertising campaign; experience not necessary; good pay. Eastern Company, Dept. N 28, box 117, North Station, Boston, Mass. 303-1tp

WANTED—Office girl who can use typewriter, experience not necessary. Wichita Typewriter Exchange, 808 Eighth-st. 303-2tc

WANTED—Elevator girl at Kemp Hotel. Apply in person, corner of Eighth and Scott-ave. 302-3tc

WANTED—A competient seamstress to sew by the day. Phone 4513. 303-2tc

WANTED—Girl, for general housekeeper. Apply of mornings, 2114 Tenth or 606 Seventh. 302-3tc

HOUSE girl wanted. Apply 1101 Brook-st., or phone 6722. 303-3tp

WANTED—10 girls or women to work; nice home; must have references. 806 Tenth. 303-1tc

WANTED—TO BUY.

WANTED—About 220 feet of used red picket fencing; must be in good condition and a bargain. Address P. O. box 1266. 300-6tp

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This will enable you to have your ads displayed under the proper classification.

WICHITA DAILY TIMES.

Phone 4392 and our solicitor will call upon you if within the business district.

WANTED—To buy second-hand clothing, shoes, etc.—503 Eighth-st.; phone 3302. 297-7tp

WILL PAY cash for late model roadster; must be cheap for cash. Phone 2404. 300-6tc

WANTED—To buy light roadster, must be in good condition. Phone 6808. 301-3tp

WANTED—To buy about 5,000 feet either 2-inch, 1¼ or 1½ second-hand line pipe; must be cheap. 1511 Lamar-st. Phone 6961. 302-3tp

WANTED—Five or 10-acre tract on Iowa Park pavement, priced right. Phone 4663, Address Box 1697, Wichita Falls. 302-3tc

WANTED—To hear from owner having farm or unimproved land for sale. John J. Black, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. 303-1tp

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars, D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 303-1tp

WE WILL pay you the highest cash price for your second-hand furniture for the next 10 days. Mick's Furniture Co., 908 Indiana. Phone 5528. 302-7tc

WE HAVE some buyers for good homes; must be real bargains. List your property with us. Wilson & Fitzgerald, room 214 American National Bank Bldg. Phone 4680. 302-3tc

WANTED—Small house, two to five rooms to be moved off lot. Phone 5407. 302-6tc

BEDROOMS FOR RENT.

LARGE upstairs room nicely furnished. Large clothes closet and all conveniences. Rent reasonable. 1409 Tenth-st. 210-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished south front bedroom, Private entrance; adjoining bath, hot and cold water; garage if desired. 1504 Huff; phone 2952. 299-5tc

BEDROOM close in for rent, reasonable, for man or woman. Call at 1207 Lamar-st. 302-3tp

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Canveniently located, Tenth and Indiana.
REVISED RATES.
Private bath, $10 week; connecting bath, $8.50; outside room, $7; court room, $5. Hot and cold water, porter service and telephone. Phone 4284. 301-7tp

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom close in on pavement; garage if desired. Rent reasonable. Phone 5967. 1202 Scott. 301-4tc

FOR RENT—Bedroom, bath adjoining; private home; on pavement; two car lines; garage. 1631 Collins. 302-3tp

FOR RENT—Front bedroom at 1508 Fourteenth-st.; phone 3749. 302-3tc

FRONT bedroom with garage privilege. Phone 5969—1918 Eighth. 302-5tc

ELEGANT bedroom in private home, every modern convenience, very reasonable. Apply 1517 Tenth-st. 302-1tp

FOR RENT—South bedroom for gentlemen or ladies. Phone 2257. 303-3tc

NICELY furnished front bedroom with adjoining bath, garage if desired, $18 per month; half block from car line. 1307 Marshall-st. 302-5tc

WHO SAID room rent is high? $3.50 with hot and cold water, right in town; house remodeled; home cooked meals if wanted. Mrs. Montgomery, 1104 Scott. Phone 6585. 303-4tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, very conveniently arranged, to couple only. 1408 Lamar. 303-1tp

NICE front bedroom; private entrance; adjoining hall and bath; private home; privilege to living room and garage; or one-room apartment nicely furnished. 1205 Monroe. 303-2tp

NICELY furnished front bedroom, adjoining modern bath, hot and cold water, walking distance of town. Phone 2753 or 1408 Austin. 303-3tp

THE BACHELOR—Steam heated rooms for winter; large cool rooms in summer, shower bath, plenty hot and cold water, two blocks south of Kemp hotel. Rates for two in a room with two beds; home like place and courteous treatment. 800 Travis. Phone 5390. 303-7tc

NICE sleeping room for two gentlemen, single beds, hot and cold water. 601 Lamar. 303-3tp

FOR RENT—Nice bedrooms, $3, $5 and $6 per week; all modern; plenty of hot water all the time. 910 Eighth-st. 305-3tp

DRESSMAKING.

HEMSTITCHING 9c yard; guaranteed. 1306 Eighth. Phone 2813. 287-30tc

SEWING of all kinds, gingham and silk dresses a specialty. Call at 1305 Travis-st. 302-3tp

FANCY and plain sewing—1507 Travis-st.; phone 2218. 298-7tc

QUILTING, comfort tacking, plain sewing, wanted at 213 Austin-st. 299-7tp

PLAIN and fancy sewing, shirt making a specialty. Phone 6645. 1206 Broad-st. 301-4tc

PLAIN sewing done reasonable at 1907 Eleventh-st. 303-3tp

WANTED—TO RENT.

WANTED—To rent, before or on April 1, 3 or 4-room house east of Holliday-st. or south of Seventh-st.; three adults; permanent renters. Address A. J., care of Box 23, Times. 303-7tc

WANTED—To rent a 2 or 3-room apartment; must be close in and rent reasonable. Box 78, Times. 302-2tp

WANTED—To rent modern cottage on pavement. Phone 6060. 303-2tc

WANTED—By nice young man, room and board, close in; no other roomers. Box 17, care Times. 303-2tp

WANTED—To rent by two adults, 3-room furnished apartment; good location and reasonable. Would consider renting a five-room house. Box 23, care Times. 303-1tp

WANTED—Two furnished bedrooms with connecting or convenient bath, on Ninth or Tenth, close in. Must be very desirable and cool. Phone 2083. 303-3tp

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

FOUR light housekeeping rooms for rent, two upstairs and two downstairs—modern—$15 per month. 201 Travis-st. 301-3tp

HOUSEKEEPING rooms at 408 Scott. Rent reasonable. 300-7tc

FOR RENT—Two furnished south rooms for light housekeeping; sink in cook room, and bath with hot and cold water. 505 Holliday. 300-7tp

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms, connecting bath; use of garage. 407 Scott. 300-6tc

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms with private family; front and back entrance; connecting bath. 708 Austin. 302-4tp

TWO well furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern. 412 Travis. Phone 6505. 302-3tc

NICELY furnished housekeeping rooms at 2105 Eighth-st.; phone 3856. 302-2tc

FOR RENT—Two neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping on car line. Phone 5362 or call at 1510 Seventeenth. 302-3tp

1909 LAMAR—Two light housekeeping rooms furnished or unfurnished; private entrance; everything furnished if desired; living rates to permanent roomers; all home-like. 303-1tp

TWO dandy housekeeping rooms, neat and clean, close in on pavement—1416 Eighth-st. 303-7tp

TWO modern furnished housekeeping rooms on car line and walking distance; moderate rate. 1623 Elizabeth-st. 303-7tp

BEDROOM and kitchenette, 309 Lamar. Phone 2064. 303-2tp

TWO light housekeeping rooms to couple; in good neighborhood; one block car line. 1600 Burnett. Phone 6176. 303-3tc

TWO ROOMS for rent, furnished or unfurnished. 306 Burnett. Phone 2537. 303-3tp

TWO light housekeeping rooms, 502 Austin. Phone 2901. 303-7tc

TWO room apartment, furnished for housekeeping in modern home. 407 Lamar. Phone 2651. 303-1tp

TWO LOVELY rooms close in for housekeeping, 806 Tenth. Reasonable. 303-1tc

FOR RENT—Two rooms with pantry and sink, furnished complete for housekeeping; modern. 910 Eighth-st. 303-3tp

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

LARGE modern room and board with private family, close in, for two young men or young ladies, or couple without children. A-1 references required. Phone 2218. 299-10tp

VACANCY for two responsible men boarders—802 Travis-ave.; phone 4457. 301-3tc

ROOM and board for two in nice private home; walking distance of town; also paved street and car line. Garage if desired. Phone 6574. 301-3tc

ROOM and board, $8 per week, also light housekeeping rooms, cheap; close in. 1010 Indiana. Phone 5679. 301-3tc

WELL furnished room and board. Use of telephone and garage; in refined private home for one or two people. References required. 1609 Burnett. 303-3tp

ROOM and board, cheapest in city. Phone 6975. 303-3tc

ROOM and board, 810 Lamar; open Monday under new management. 303-2tp

UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT

TWO unfurnished rooms; modern. 1405 Magnolia-st. 303-8tc

TWO nice unfurnished rooms and kitchenette. 1418 Seventeenth-st. 302-1tp

FOUR unfurnished rooms in duplex house, sink in kitchen, hot and cold water, modern. Close in. 408 Travis. Phone 2407. 303-7tc

FOUR or two rooms unfurnished, close in, reasonable. 806 Tenth. 303-1tc

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

VACANT today: Two-room house with long closet and large screened in sleeping porch; one-half block car line; fine neighborhood. Apply 1203 Filmore-st. 299-3tc

FOR RENT—12-room modern house corner Sixteenth and Travis. Patton & Morris. Phone 2375. 299-5tc

LET OUR solicitor call and figure that moving, local or long distance. Standfill Transfer, 922 Ohio. Phone 3863. 301-3tp

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished house, 1404 Lamar. Phone 6084. 301-3tp

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house at 1703 Kemp Blvd. Phone 2644. 301-3tp

FOR RENT—Nice 5-room modern house, on pavement and car line; good garage. 1913 Ninth-st. Phone 6321. 302-4tp

FOUR-ROOM house unfurnished, modern. 311 Austin. Owner 614 Seventh-st. 302-3tp

MODERN five-room house; garage, chicken lot; in three blocks business section. Call 6212. 303-1tp

FOR RENT—Modern four-room furnished house with bath and toilet—1606 Bluff-st.; phone 2226. 303-3tc

FOR SALE—New six-room strictly modern home, all builtin features. Will sell at a bargain. See owner, 201 Bluff. 303-1tp

STOP paying rent. Let us build you real up to date home. Small cash payment down, balance on long terms. S. B. Wilson Home Building Co., room 214 American National Bank Bldg. Phone 4680. 303-2tc

FOR RENT—Furnished 4-room modern house with sleeping porch, $25. Call 704 Fourth-st., close in. 303-3tp

SIX-room modern house, 512 Indiana. Rent reasonable. 303-3tp

FOR RENT—Completely furnished house, 5 rooms, garage, servant house, near car line, immediate possession. Phone Helgerson, 2393 or 2573. 303-3tp

FOR RENT—Nice 3-room house in Sibley-Taylor addition $10.00 per month. Also good garden spot. Phone 4022. 303-3tc

MODERN 5-room house, garage, chicken lot, in 3 blocks business section. Call 6212. 303-1tp

FOUR-room house for rent, 2202 Princeton-ave.; with water, gas and light and yard. Apply 2200 Princeton-ave., Sibley-Taylor addition. 303-1tp

FOR RENT—On Burnett-st. to responsible parties, nine-room unfurnished house. Price per month, $55. Phone 3743 or 3252. 303-1tc

HOUSE for rent or sale on Bluff-st. Duplex house furnished, strictly modern. Price per month $60. Phone 3743 or 3252. 303-2tc

CARPET AND RUG CLEANING.

VACUUM cleaner for rent. Phone 2786. 256-tf

R. A. BAILEY, rug cleaning latest guaranteed methods; prices reduced. Phone 6228. 275-tfc

LIVESTOCK FOR SALE.

YOUNG Jersey milch cow for sale. 1604 Burnett. 302-2tp

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Piano and phonograph boxes. Phone 2475. R. G. Ripley & Co., Seventh and Scott. 297-11tc

CRYSTAL wax onion plants, 600 $1, or $1.50 per 1,000. Yellow Bermuda, $1.25 per 1,000. Scarborough Plant Farm, Carrizo Springs, Texas. 295-9tp

FOR SALE—Shelled pecans. Phone 6482—1300 Fifth-st. 299-6tp

FOR SALE—Tent 16x16 close in, modern, furnished or unfurnished; on paved street; car service. Hager Realty Co., room 14, Ward Bldg. 300-4tp

FOR SALE—Cash register, good condition. First $25 gets it. Olympic Confectionery. Phone 6071. 302-2tc

HEMSTITCHING and picoting attachment; fits any sewing machine; easily adjusted. Price $2.50 delivered with full instructions. Gem Novelty Co., box 1031, Corpus Christi, Texas. 303-1tp

BE A DETECTIVE, $50-$100 weekly; travel over world; experience unnecessary. American Detective Agency, 629 Lucas, St. Louis. 303-1tp

"CUCKOO" clocks, hand-carved walnut; beautiful ornament, reliable timekeepers; cuckoo on hour and half hour. Highly prized, useful present. $7 prepaid. Prompt shipment. W. B. Morrison, 509 Starr-st., Corpus Christi, Texas. Full particulars free. 303-1tp

SALESMEN to sell full line crockery, glass, aluminum and enamelware, also cash job lots white and decorated crockery and enamelware. Big commission. Baker Pottery Co., Sebring, Ohio. 303-1tp

EXTRA SPECIAL
Edison 6 lb. electric irons $6.25. Service electric curling irons, $4.76. EVEREADY ELECTRIC CO. 1106 Tenth. Phone 6200. 303-1tc

NINETY DOLLAR new talking machine for $45; cabinet type; oak finish. Some terms. 1106 Tenth. Phone 6200. 303-1tc

FOR SALE—Large National cash register with electric attachment at a bargain. Apply John Bemrod, 712 Eighth-st. Telephone 2551. 303-3tc

FOR SALE—Gents' snake head ring, solid gold, diamond and ruby inset, cost $35; gents' hard-carved meerschaum pipe, ornimental, original cost $75; gents' solid gold watch chain, cost $25. Will sell separately or all together—need money. Apply room 4, 704 Burnett-st. 303-1tp

FOR SALE—One gray Reed baby carriage. Phone 4513. 303-2tc

ATTENTION farmer, for sale cheap, One John Deere 7-foot binder complete with tongue truck. One 2-row John Deere planter. P. O. Box 1063 or inquire at Noble Little Hdwe. Co. 303-3tp

FOR SALE—Nearly new $100 wardrobe trunk, $50. 1006 Lamar. 303-1tp

FOR SALE—Wicker baby buggy. A-1 condition. 705 Austin. 303-1tp

WANTED—Small house, two to five rooms to be moved off lot. Phone 5407. 303-1tc

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

MUST SELL by 15th—Three piece mahogany bed room suite, 4-piece ivory bed room suite, kitchen cabinet, 4-burner oil cook stove, gas range, wicker library table, large oak library table, princess dressers, cedar chest, doufold, refrigerators, large dining room table, six leather upholstered chairs, four 9x12 rugs, two small rugs. 1406 Burnett-st. 298-10tc

CLOSING OUT.
We are offering our stock of new and used furniture, consisting of several beautiful suites, differ t designs, at astonishing prices, made possible only by our closing out sale. Terms if desired.
BOLDING & LUNN,
Phone 5510. 806 Scott-st. 299-5tc

EIGHT ROOMS of furniture priced to sell quick. Will sell all together or any part. See this before you buy. 9-piece walnut bed room suite, 8-piece oak dining room suite, 2-piece duofold suite, Wilton velvet rug, Body Brussel rug, cheap rugs, Hoover sweeper, washing machine, Singer sewing machine, chifferobe, chiffoneer, new graphophone and records, 2 kitchen cabinets, gas range, 2 -burner gas cook stoves, 4 heaters, odd dressers, beds, springs, mattress, bed linen, slop jars, bowls and pitchers. See this at once. 1513 Tenth. 300-7tc

FOR SALE—Sonora cabinet phonograph, 100 records, all excellent condition. $40. Phone 2211. 1505 Lamar-st. 302-2tp

FOR SALE—One good piano, one phonograph, a few rugs, dressers and beds; all in good condition—1301 Lamar-ave. 302-3tc

FUMED oak davenport in good condition; bargain price. Phone 2325. 302-3tc

WE will pay you the highest cash price for your second-hand furniture for the next 10 days. Micks Furniture Co., 908 Indiana. Phone 5528. 302-7tc

FURNITURE.

FOR SALE—One brown mahogany living room suite, one birdseye maple bedroom suite, one walnut bedroom suite, one mahogany bedroom suite, twin beds with dresser, Wilton rug, fibre breakfast room suite, Direct Action cook stove, refrigerator, hall carpets, Singer sewing machine, vacuum cleaner. Will sell reasonable. 1301 Lamar. 302-3tc

FOR SALE—Adams-Shoff piano and electrical Brunswick. 1206 Tenth. 303-3tp

FOR SALE—Seven rooms of furniture all together or in parts. Living room suite, three bedroom suites, dining room suite, kitchen cabinet, gas range, rugs, ice box; also wash tubs, boilers, lawn mower, wheelbarrow; everything for housekeeping. A bargain if taken at once 1206 Tenth-st. 303-3tp

FURNITURE crating and packing by experienced workmen. Get our estimate on the job. Ehlert Furniture Co., 807 Tenth. Phone 5214. 303-1tc

FURNITURE crating, packing, refinishing and upholstering. Get our prices. Ehlert Furniture Co., 807 Tenth; phone 5214. 304-7tc

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WE ARE ALWAYS IN
the market to buy your used furniture. It will save you money if you see us before you buy or sell. 916 Indiana. Phone 6011. 303-10tc

HOTELS AND ROOMING HOUSES.

FOR SALE—Good hotel proposition. Close in. Phone 6122. 301-4tp

FIFTEEN rooms, two baths, back yard, garage with front close in. The

IMPROVED CITY PROPERTY.

FOR SALE—Equity in modern home on large lot on pavement. Finest location. Would trade for vacant lot or car. Box 186 care Times. 296-8tp

FOR SALE—If you want a home at a real bargain look at 1303 Buchanan-st. Lot 50x150, five-room modern house, two-story double garage; connected with sewer; one block from pavement, one block from car line. This place is in good condition; new paper. Price only $2,500—$500 cash, balance easy. Patton & Morris, owners; phone 2375. 298-6tp

ON PAVEMENT, Southland addition, corner lot, a dandy five-room house, built in features, $4,750; small cash payment, balance easy. Moore & Blacklock, phone 5635. 303-1tc

THREE-ROOM house, lot 50x165 ft., $1,000. Phone 4501. 299-4tc

FIVE-ROOM modern house for sale to be moved off lot. Phone 6715.

LEAVING town by 15th. Will sell cosy little completely furnished house with modern conveniences for $75. Lot costs $4 per month rent. One block from Southland car line. A bargain and rent saver. 1505 Smarsh-st. Phone 2211. 302-2tp

HOLLIDAY-ST.—Five rooms and bath, $2,500; small cash payment, good terms on balance. Moore & Blacklock, phone 5635. 303-1tc

FOR SALE—Bargain. Five-room house, modern, furnished or unfurnished, 1700 Burnett. Leaving city. Must sell. For price and terms apply 1304 Twelfth-st. 302-3tp

POLK-ST.—Modern five-room home, $4,500; $500 cash, balance like rent. Moore & Blacklock, phone 5635. 303-1tc

TWO HOMES.

No. 1 on paved Monroe; has extra large living room, breakfast room, sleeping room, tiled bath; garage; shade trees. No. 2, on Ave. F, one block off pavement; five rooms and breakfast room, driveway, garage. You'll find contentment in either. A small payment will handle either or will trade No. 1 for drilling rig. James T. Cumley, 312 First Natl. Bank. 303-3tc

TAYLOR-ST.—Nice five-room modern house, $4,200; $500 cash, balance easy. Moore & Blacklock, phone 5635. 303-1tc

LISTEN—A real bargain just off Tenth-st. Five rooms, all modern; has servant quarters and garage. This place for $4,250 with $150 cash, balance like rent. Wilson & Fitzgerald. Phone 4680, 214 American Natl. Bank-bldg. 303-2tc

FOR SALE—Five-room house, $1,800. Will take Ford first payment. Phone 6291. 210 Chester-st. 303-1tp

A BEAUTIFUL 5-room home, new, for sale at a bargain, located on one of the finest streets in the city; price $4500, $600 cash, balance like rent; shown only by appointment. Phone 2107 or call Room 12, Beaman-Anderson bldg. 303-2tc

IMPROVED CITY PROPERTY.

$5,000 BUYS THIS BEAUTIFUL EAST FRONT BUNGALOW ON THE PAVING IN FLORAL HEIGHTS.

It was built by one of the most reliable contractors in this city and is without a doubt the best value we've ever offered. Heavy hardwood floors throughout, beautiful chipped brick fireplace and book cases. Lots of built in features in the kitchen, dandy breakfast room and built in cabinets. All the rooms are large and have nice light fixtures. Double garage, servants' house and solid cement drive; back all fenced. This house is solid as a rock. For sale exclusively by Welch & Richardson, 205 First Natl. Bank-bldg. 303-3tc

FOR SALE—My six-room home at 2003 Ninth-st., furnished; servant house, also furnished. Bargain for 30 days. Phone 5458. Mrs. Lovelace. 302-7tc

WILL take Ford roadster for equity in small bungalow; notes against it $1300. Phone 6690 on Thursday and Friday after 6 p. m. 303-3tc

HAVE equity in good home; notes against it $1300; easy terms. Make me an offer. Phone 6690. 303-3tc

FOR SALE—On pavement new 5-room home and breakfast room, hardwood floors, all built-in features, east front, concrete drive, walks, garage. Price $5500, $2000 cash, balance terms to suit. Phone 3743 or 2252. 303-3tc

A DANDY 5-room modern home on an east front lot in Floral Heights for $2900; French doors, built-in features and on a concrete foundation. A small cash payment and the balance like rent. Phone 2644. 303-1tc

UNIMPROVED CITY PROPERTY.

A PICK-UP—Lot with gas, 1305 Twenty-First-st., cost me $500, will take $200 cash and good used car, no junk. Ford preferred. See Schmidt, 807 Indiana. 302-5tp

FOR SALE at a sacrifice, fine lot 50x140-ft. in beautiful Scotland addition where so many people have bought; cost $400, if sold before March 25th $225 gets it. If you are looking for a home site here is a snap. Address, Kyle Hartson, P. O. Box 731, city. 303-1tp

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

THE WICHITA FALLS RAILWAY COMPANY—NOTICE.

Wichita Falls, Texas, March 1, 1922.—Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Wichita Falls Railway company will be held at the general office of said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, on Saturday, the first day of April, 1922, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting. Notice is also hereby given that the annual meeting of the board of directors of said the Wichita Falls Railway company will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders' meeting. C. E. Schaff, President. W. M. McGregor, Secretary. 292-31tc

WICHITA FALLS & WELLINGTON RAILWAY COMPANY OF TEXAS—NOTICE.

Wichita Falls, Texas, March 1, 1922.—Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of Wichita Falls & Wellington Railway company of Texas will be held at the general office of said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, on Saturday, the first day of April, 1922, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting. Notice is also hereby given that the annual meeting of the board of directors of said Wichita Falls & Wellington Railway company of Texas will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders' meeting. C. E. Schaff, President. W. E. McGregor, Secretary. 292-31tc

THE WICHITA FALLS & NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY OF TEXAS—NOTICE.

Wichita Falls, Texas, March 1, 1922.—Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway company of Texas will be held at the general office of said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, on Saturday, the first da. of April, 1922, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting. Notice is also hereby given that the annual meeting of the board of directors of said the Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway company of Texas will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders' meeting. C. E. Schaff, President. W. M. McGregor, Secretary. 292-31tc

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE OF RECEIVER'S SALE.

Pursuant to an order to be issued out of the United States district court for the northern district of Texas, I, as receiver of the estate of F. Y. Ponder, bankrupt, will offer for sale at public outcry in Henrietta, Texas, on Wednesday, March 15, 1922, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following assets: Stock of merchandise, scheduled at $6,325.00. All sales will be made for cash and subject to the approval of the above named court. Right will be reserved to reject any and all bids. M. E. Stevens, Receiver. 303-3tc

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If so, look over the following properties and should you not find a location or the priced home you desire if you will call on us we have it, as we have buys in any part of the city that you desire and you cannot buy the lot and build the improvements for the price that you can buy these properties.

$6,250.00

buys a strictly modern five-room house, besides breakfast room and garage, situated on Monroe street and completely furnished throughout with nice furniture. When we say nice furniture we do not mean old worn-out furniture. This is positively a buy that cannot be duplicated in the city, taking into consideration the condition of this house and the class of furniture that it has.

$8,000.00

buys an eight-room aeroplane bungalow completely furnished throughout, has also double garage and two-room servant house. This property is bringing a revenue of $100 per month and is an exceptionally good buy for a home or revenue property at this price.

NEAR THE HIGH SCHOOL

A north front, strictly modern six-room house with hardwood floors throughout, servant house and garage; $6,000. This is not an old property, as it was built about eighteen months ago and is an exceptionally good buy for anyone desiring a nice close-in home.

$4,500.00

buys a south front on Ninth street consisting of five nice size rooms, in the best of condition throughout, has also garage. This property is situated in one of the best residence blocks on the pavement on this street.

NINTH STREET

A north front consisting of seven nice size rooms with servant house and garage and an exceptionally good home for anyone desiring a home of this size. This property can be bought for $6,500 and if desired on very reasonable terms.

HUFF AVENUE

A south front with an extra width lot, situated west of Brook and in the best of condition throughout, has also garage and drive way. If in the market for a home on this street, which is one of the best residence streets in the city, let us show you this property as the price is far below anything in this location to be had.

N. O. MONROE

220 First National Bank Building

Phones 2454-2953

McLain's Third Street Grocery

Notice: I have sold out my grocery at 909 Third street to Mr. T. W. Ewing of Mountain Park, Oklahoma. I wish to thank all of my customers and friends for the loyal support they have given me, as it has been known in Wichita Falls as the busiest little store, where they keep good things to eat, with one price and it is always right.

Mr. Ewing will appreciate all of the old customers as well as new ones to continue to trade as the store will maintain the same courtesy as The Third Street Grocery.

OSCAR M'LAIN, Third Street Grocery

T. W. EWING, Successor

J. N. Prothro & Co.

Real Estate

Good five-room modern home, on east front lot. Has nice large rooms. Only two blocks from car line and one block off pavement. Garage, drive and nice shade trees; $6,000. Good terms.

A dandy location to build your home, 100x180 feet, in the restricted district, on pavement and paving is paid for. Price, $2,200. Terms if desired.

One of the best built homes in the Southland addition. Has six large rooms, three large closets, beautiful fireplace and mantel, all built-in features, hardwood and edgegrain doors. Extra good outside improvements, such as modern servant quarters, double garage, solid drive, fruit trees and an abundance of shrubbery. Price, $6,750. One-half cash.

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TIMES DAILY MARKETS

COTTON MARKET.

New York Cotton.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Reports of further rains in the eastern belt gave the cotton market a steady tone during today's early trading, but prices sagged off later on the forecast for clearing weather and realizing for over the week end. May contracts declined from 18.18 to 18.03 with market closing easy at a net decline of 4 to 13 points. The market opened steady at an advance of 3 to 5 points on the weather map showing further gains in the south and over night buying orders. There was some buying here for Liverpool account, but otherwise demand tapered off right after the call and the market turned easier after the publication of the favorable eastern belt forecast. March contracts sold off to 18.32 and July to 17.30 with active months generally showing net losses of 4 to 11 points in the late trading and closing at the lowest. Probably there was some scattered selling on apprehensions that the lockout of British engineers beginning today would have a depressing effect on Liverpool on Monday. The disposition to close out long contracts for over the week end was also promoted by the failure of week end reviews to show any improvement in the domestic goods market and uncertainty as to the showing of the census report on supply and distribution due next week. It is apprehended that this will show falling off in domestic mill consumption for February as compared with January, owing to the labor troubles. Sales of print cloths in the Fall River market for the week were estimated at 100,000 pieces and the curtailment was placed at 125,000. Mill curtailment in New England was said to be increasing and there were continued reports that southern yarn mills were talking curtailment because of poor trade. Except for realizing, however, local brokers reported very little selling and there were reiterated complaints regarding delayed farm work in eastern belt sections. Rumors were circulating that considerable cotton is coming here from the south for delivery in March, but such contracts held relatively steady during the entire morning.

New Orleans Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, March 11.—The tendency in cotton today was to sag gradually under offerings due to better weather over the belt and to uneasiness over the English labor situation. After making declines of 6 to 7 points around the opening the market came back and traded 1 to 2 points higher than yesterday's finals on the most active months but a little later it fell off again and finally worked down to levels 9 to 12 points under the close of yesterday. May sold down to 18.70 and closed at 18.74. On the close prices were at net declines of 5 to 8 points.

The weather map noted no rain in the western and central portions of the belt and while there was rain in the Atlantic states, the weather there was clearing. The forecast called for dry weather in all sections of the belt and was the main influence in the late trading.

Messages by wire to brokers here from Charlotte, N. C., said the spinners in Gaston county had decided upon a drastic cut in their output and this information caused more or less selling, all the more so because of telegrams from spot people in the eastern belt claiming that mills in that section were not showing any interest in the spot market.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth Livestock.

FORT WORTH, March 11.—All classes of livestock sold to a good demand on a fully steady basis today. Receipts were 500 cattle, 100 calves, 1,000 hogs and 300 sheep.

The best hogs brought 9.90 and most of the run 9.00 to 9.75. Pigs sold 7.50 to 8.00.

The highest priced sheep of the year appeared, a sale of clipped wethers being made at 8.50. Quotations:

Cattle—Beeves 3.50@7.50; stockers 3.50@6.50; cows 3.25@5.75; canners 2.25@2.75; heifers 3.50@7.25; yearlings 3.50@7.75; bulls 2.25@4.25; calves 3.00@8.00.

Hogs—Light 9.75@9.90; medium 9.25@9.75; mixed 8.25@9.25; common 7.00@8.00; heavy 9.50@9.75; rough 7.00@8.00; pigs 7.00@8.50.

Sheep—Lambs 9.00@15.00; yearlings 7.00@11.00; wethers 6.50@8.75; ewes 5.75@7.50; culls 1.00@2.00; stocker sheep 4.50@6.50; feeder lambs 7.50@11.50.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, March 11.—Cattle, receipts 450; killing calves mostly $1 lower; stock mostly 50c lower; all other classes very unsteady but mostly steady; top beef steers 8.90.

Hogs, receipts 1200; very uneven, around steady with yesterday's market; top 10.55; bulk of sales 9.75@10.50; sows mostly 9.00; stock pigs for week mostly 75c@1.50 lower.

Sheep, receipts 1500; today's receipts direct to packers and on through billing; for week: Sheep 50@75c higher; lambs steady to 15c higher; top 15.50; feeding lambs 25@50c lower.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO, March 11.—Light changes in prices and general nervousness marked today's short session of the Chicago board of trade. Most of the transactions were by local traders. Wheat finished ½ lower to ¼c higher, corn ½ to ⅞c higher, oats unchanged to ⅛c higher and provisions from 12½ to 17c lower.

Wheat opened weak on depressing cables but took on new life when corn showed independent strength and later bulged sharply when local shorts, who had sold freely on the opening decline, were driven to cover. With this movement ended there was nothing to interest the market and prices sagged feebly. Within the last 15 minutes wheat touched the low point of the day but scored a recovery of a full cent before the close.

The government report showing mill and elevator stocks of 73,000,000 bushels was 9,000,000 less than last year but was, nevertheless, construed as bearish as farm reserves of 204,000,000 bushels indicated that there was still plenty of wheat for export.

Local buying gave early strength to the corn market but was not extensive enough to hold it up throughout the session. Outside trade was light and the market towards the last swung into the path blazed by the wheat pit.

Oats were dull. The bulk of the the operations were trades in the May and July spread.

There was some eastern buying of provisions but on the whole that portion of the market was dull. There was enough scattered selling to make for lower prices.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:				
May	1.35¾	1.37¾	1.35⅝	1.37¼
July	1.17	1.18⅛	1.16⅛	1.17⅝
CORN:				
May	.62	.63⅛	.62	.63
July	.65¼	.66¼	.65¼	.65¼
OATS:				
May	.39¼	.39⅝	.39¼	.39⅝
July	.41	.41⅛	.41	.41⅛
PORK:				
May				20.00
LARD:				
May	11.37	11.45	11.25	11.25
July	11.62	11.62	11.45	11.45
RIBS:				
May	10.90	10.90	10.85	10.85
July	10.60	10.60	10.52	10.52

Kansas City Cash Grain.

KANSAS CITY, March 11.—Cash wheat, No. 2 hard 1.26@1.45; No. 2 red 1.32@1.33.

Corn, No. 2 white 54; No. 2 yellow 55@55½.

Oats, unchanged.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Raw sugar firm and unchanged; centrifugal 3.92@3.98.

Refined unchanged; fine granulated 5.30.

Refined futures without transaction. Closing: May 5.70; July 6.00; September 6.05.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Earlier week advances were followed by slight reactions in the market for coffee here today. The opening was 6 points lower but there was only a little scattering liquidation for over the week end and after selling off to 8.96 at the start, December rallied to 9.02. Other months held about steady around the opening figures with the market closing at a net decline of 2 to 6 points. Sales were estimated at about 11,000 bags. Closing quotations: March, 8.80; May, 8.89; July, 8.91; September, 8.92; October, 8.95; December, 9.00.

Spot coffee quiet. Rio 7s, 9¾ to 9¾c. Santos 4s, 12¼@12¾.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, March 11.—Stock market sentiment again was decidedly bullish during today's brief trading session, although prices moved uncertainly at the outset as a result of pressure directed against local tractions.

The plan of the Interborough Rapid Transit company to sever relations with its leased lines caused sharp breaks, partially recovered later.

Motors and their rubber subsidiaries, equipments, independent steels and the copper group were especially strong. Rails and oils lagged by contrast, but made marked improvement before the close. Sales amounted to 500,000 shares.

Reduction of the French bank rate to five per cent, the lowest figure since August, 1914, was without favorable influence on foreign exchanges to that country. Paris demand bills failing in sympathy with greater weakness in sterling.

London demand extended its reaction to a fraction under $4.35 and all the leading continental quotations lost ground. Marks showed great heaviness, presumably on the demand of this country for a share of the reparations money and Austrian, Polish and Czecho-Slovakia rates continued to decline.

New York Stock List.

Allied Chemical & Dye	58½
Allis-Chalmers	46½
American Beet Sugar	40
American Can	40
American Car & Foundry	155½
American Hide & Leather pfd.	68
American International Corp	44
American Locomotive	110½
American Smelting & Ref.	80¾
American Sugar	72¾
American Sumatra Tobacco	30
American T. & T.	122½
American Tobacco	126¼
American Woolen	89
American Zinc	13¾
Anaconda Copper	49¾
Atlantic Coast Line	93¾
Atchison	97
Atl., Gulf & W. Indies	29¾
Baldwin Locomotive	108¾
Baltimore & Ohio	37¾
Bethlehem Steel "B"	65
Canadian Pacific	136
Central Leather	25½
Chandler Motors	132
Chesapeake & Ohio	59¾
Coca Cola	44½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	23¼
Cosden Co.	3⅝
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	49¾
Ohio Copper	4
x Colorado Fuel & Iron	27¾
Corn Products	105¼
Crucible Steel	58¾
Erie	10¾
Famous Players-Lasky	84¾
General Asphalt	61
General Electric	156¾
General Motors	10¼
Goodrich Co.	49¾
Great Northern pfd.	78¾
Gulf States Steel	71¾
Illinois Central	101
Inspiration Copper	40
International Harvester	92¾
Int. Mar. Marine pfd.	70¾
International Paper	46
Invincible Oil	17
Kelly-Springfield Tire	45½
Kennecott Copper	29
x Louisville & Nashville	113
Mexican Petroleum	127
Miami Copper	27¼
Middle States Oil	3
Midvale Steel	30
Missouri Pacific	22¾
M., K. & T.	5½
New York Central	81
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	13½
Norfolk & Western	100½
Northern Pacific	81
Oklahoma Prod. & Ref.	21¾
Pacific Oil	49¾
Pan American Petroleum	57¾
Pennsylvania	37
x People's Gas	72¾
Pure Oil	20¾
Ray Consolidated Copper	14¾
Reading	74
Rep. Iron & Steel	50¾
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	50¾
Sears Roebuck	67¾
Sinclair Con. Oil	23¾
Southern Pacific	85
Southern Railway	20¾
Standard Oil of N. J.	173½
Studebaker Corporation	102
x Seaboard Air Line	4
Sloss-Shef. Steel & Iron	36¾
Tennessee Copper	16¾
Texas Co.	45¾
Texas & Pacific	34¾
Tobacco Products	60
Transcontinental Oil	9¾
Union Pacific	133
United Retail Stores	45¾
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	48¾
United States Rubber	61¾
United States Steel	94¾
Utah Copper	64¾
United Fruit	140
Virginia Caro Chem.	35¾
Westinghouse Electric	57½
Willys Overland	5½

x Bid.

Foreign Exchange.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Foreign exchange easier. Great Britain demand $4.38½; cables $4.38⅝; 60 day bills on banks $4.32¾. France demand 8.81¼c; cables 8.82. Italy demand 5.07¼c; cables 5.08c. Belgium demand 8.36½c; cables 8.37c. Germany demand .38½c; cables .38¾c. Holland demand 37.74c; cables 37.77c. Norway demand 17.74c; Sweden demand 26.20c; Denmark demand 20.93c; Switzerland demand 19.35c; Spain demand 16.90c; Greece demand 1.48c; Poland demand .62½c; Czecho-Slovakia demand 1.69c. Argentina demand 36.75c; Brazil demand 14.25c; Montreal 96¼c.

Liberty Bonds.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 96.96; first 4s 97.30 bid; second 4s 97.22 bid; first 4¼s 97.46; second 4¼s 97.40; third 4¼s 98.40; fourth 4¼s 97.54; victory 3¾s 100.02 bid; victory 4¾s 100.80.

CLARENDON WOMAN IS PRESIDENT OF DISTRICT CONGRESS MOTHERS CLUB

AMARILLO, March 11.—This city was designated as the 1923 meeting place for the annual convention of the First district Congress of Mothers' clubs, at the congress held at Ranger Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. John Sims of Clarendon was elected president; Mrs. M. H. Moore, first vice president; Mrs. Z. C. Steakley, De Leon, second vice president; Mrs. A. B. Robertson, Amarillo, third vice president; Mrs. Clyde Atterbury, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. D. Young, Canadian, recording secretary, and Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, Ranger, treasurer.

RAILWAY SCHEDULE.

WICHITA VALLEY

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
1 To Stamford and Abilene		3:20 p. m.
5 To Stamford and Abilene		12:30 a. m.
2 From Abilene	1:50 p.m.	
6 From Abilene	2:30 a.m.	

BYERS BRANCH.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
10 To Dean, Petrolia and Byers		10:20 a. m.
2 To Dean, Petrolia and Byers		2:35 p.m.
9 From Byers, Petrolia and Dean	1:50 p.m.	
1 From Byers, Petrolia and Dean	6:50 p.m.	

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS

Eastbound

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
43 From Kansas City, St. Louis and Denison	11:15 a.m.	
45 From Dallas (local)	10:25 p.m.	
47 From Dallas (local)	6:50 a.m.	

FORT WORTH & DENVER

Southbound

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
6 To Fort Worth		7:15 a.m.
2 To Fort Worth		3:25 p.m.
8 To Fort Worth		3:10 a.m.

From South

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
5 From Fort Worth	11:20 p.m.	
1 From Fort Worth	3:00 p.m.	
7 From Fort Worth	3:10 a.m.	

Northbound

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
7 To Childress and Denver		3:30 a.m.
1 To Childress and Denver		2:15 p.m.

From North

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
8 From Denver and Childress	2:50 a.m.	
2 From Denver and Childress	3:10 p.m.	

WICHITA FALLS & NORTHWESTERN

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
2 To Hik city		1:30 p. m.
4 To Fo gan		7:00 a. m.
3 To Frederick and and Oklahoma City		8:00 p. m.
1 From Elk City	12:40 p.m.	
3 From Forgan	7:45 p.m.	
11 From Frederick and Okla City	7:45 a.m.	

WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN

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To Graham and Breckenridge		3:00 p. m.
From Graham and		

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INDIAN GOVERNMENT AT DELHI PREPARING FOR SERIOUS REVOLT

ARREST OF GHANDI PAVES WAY FOR RADICAL AGITATORS.

HAVE PLANNED VIGOROUS POLICY OF REPRESSION

In the Big Cities Order Was Maintained Saturday Without Difficulty.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—India is on the brink of the bloodiest revolution in history, Sailendera Ghose, Washington representative of the Ghandi Non-co-operationists of India, told the United Press tonight.

In arresting Ghandi, the British government has jailed the man in all India who can keep the natives from violence, Ghose said.

By United Press.

BOMBAY, March 11—Although M. K. Ghandi's last message to his followers before his arrest was to urge "no violence," the Indian government at Delhi is preparing for the worst.

Removal of the Indian non-cooperationist leaders from the scene of his "passive resistence" campaign against British rule may pave the way for radical agitators among the natives, it is feared.

The arrest of Grandi indicates to every one in India that the government has determined upon a vogorous policy of repression. It had planned to wait until after the departure of the Prince of Wales next Friday, according to reports from Delhi, but events precipitated by enforced resignation of Edwin S. Montagu, Indian secretary, who was popular with native leaders, caused immediate arrest of the Ghandi.

In the big cities, order was maintained without difficulties today, no disturbances being reported, but in the outlying districts government garrisons were making extraordinary preparation for possible troubles.

Indian natives have been stirred up to religious fanaticism by agitators.

Ghandi's arrest was not necessarily connected with the resignation of Montagu for it was in part at least, officials say, the result of a recurrence of personal disobedience of the law which he and his followers had promised should cease a month ago when first his arrest was ordered.

PREMIER LLOYD-GEORGE AND CURZON CRITICIZED

By Associated Press.

LONDON, March , 11.—Edwin S. Montagu, former secretary for India, in a bitter speech before his Cambridge constituents, hit back today at Premier Lloyd George and Lord Curzon regarding his enforced resignation. The speech was delivered before the Liberal club.

Mr. Montagu showed no penitence for the publication of the Earl of Reading's dispatch and scoffed at "the new creed of collective responsibility of the cabinet." He asserted that he had been ignored on various occasions by Mr. Lloyd George himself and likewise Lord Milner in connection with the Egypt report, and Mr. Churchill.

"Cabinet responsibility is a joke," he declared. "We have been governed by a great genius, a strategist and dictator who, scenting the air while waiting for pursuit, has thrown over the most inconvenient cargo."

India, said Mr. Montagu, would win her appointed destiny of freedom within the British empire, to which there was no obstacle except disloyalty and non-co-operation, if an appeal were made to the British people. He pledged that there should be no vacillation in Indian policy, saying:

"We have been spreading western education in India for 150 years. Don't let us turn around now to the Indians and say, 'We have lost faith in our democratic institutions and all our teachings was a mistake.'"

The meeting, which was attended by numerous Indian students, unanimously voted confidence in Mr. Montagu.

ELEVEN BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED DURING PAST WEEK

Building permits issued last week by City Clerk George W. Thorburn have been listed as follows:

W. S. Couch, residence, 1108 Third street, $250.

W. S. Couch, garage, 1108 Third street, $100.

Eunice Jackson, residence, 2209 Holliday street, $1,200.

Mytinger and Walker, residence, 2911 Fifth street, $3,200.

Mytinger and Walker, residence, 2908 Tenth street, $3,200.

Mytinger and Walker, residence, 2112 Pearl street, $3,200.

Mytinger and Walker, residence, 2114 Pearl street, $3,500.

Mytinger and Walker, residence, 3642 Lucile street, $3,000.

Mytinger and Walker, residence, 3621 Collins street, $3,750.

Mytinger and Walker, residence, 2300 Yale avenue, $2,500.

Wichita Falls Lumber and Building company, residence, 2011 Pearl street, $3,700.

W. L. Dilliard, garage, 412 Lamar avenue, $2,000.

Earnest A. Cox, residence, 1602 Taylor street, $2,100.

Mrs. E. T. Anderson, business building, 1104 Scott avenue, $1,000.

J. S. Nichols, residence, 1920 Eighth street, $3,000.

DAVE WELLS SAYS HE WAS FALL GUY AND GETS IN JAIL

Dave Wells, who was arrested at Frederick, Okla., and returned to this county and placed in jail on a charge of theft of property over the value of $50, states that he has been the fall guy and a measly ten dollars is what has gotten him into trouble.

According to the officers to whom he told his story, he sold the automobile for another man, for which service he was given ten dollars. After the sale had been consummated a check was written, payable to him, Dave Wells.

Wells states that he cashed the check and turned the money over to the party for whom he had sold the car. At a late hour Saturday night he had not perfected bond.

Superbly satisfactory spectacle service supplied by Fred Goss, optometrist, with Kruger Jewelry Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. (G)

AUXILIARY TO HAVE BIG PART TUESDAY IN LEGION'S STUNT

Plans for the Legion Auxiliary's part in the big benefit entertainment and dance which the American Legion is staging Tuesday night at the hall were completed Saturday afternoon at a committee meeting at the home of Mrs. A. H. Carrigan. Mrs. L. I. Lucey, wife of the post adjutant, was named major in charge of the fourteen captains of the auxiliary—Mesdames O. W. Wilson, Carter McGregor, S. Y. Ferguson, Peery Hancock, R. E. Hilburn, J. W. Meadors, W. P. Parker, W. L. Rhodes, R. C. Thaxton, T. J. Strong, and J. W. Williams, and Misses Anne Chenault and Mabel Winfrey.

The women made plans for refreshment booths, which will include sandwich "stops," candy stands, Eskimo pie booths, and plenty of peanut, pop corn, and pink lemonade vendors. The girls of the Girls club, high school, will also have charge of refreshment booths.

The entertainment will begin with the presentation of the "Manners and Modes" one act playlet which made such a hit at the Business Women's meeting at the Wichita club Thursday night, in which eight or ten members of the club will take part. Later the Girls club groups will stage several circus side show stunts, which they used with great success in their own recent entertainment. "At 9 o'clock the dance will begin, with music by a jazz orchestra.

A general invitation has been extended, and the Legion and Auxiliary members are hoping for a record attendance. The "fireworks" proper will not begin until 7:30, but visitors will be welcome at the booths and side shows at 7, continuing until 11. All of the money from the booth sales will be devoted to a Legion benefit, and there is no admission charge.

BALLS AND CHAINS ARRIVE FOR USE OF CITY'S PRISON GANG

Evidence that a real convict chain gang would be established here in the near future was displayed at the city hall Saturday night in the delivery of a number of heavy balls to be attached to the workers legs. The weights are the same as those used at state penitentiaries and according to official reports will be used in exactly the same way.

The chain gang will be used by the street department in cleaning city streets and doing other municipal work. Its establishment has not as yet been authorized but a new ordinance making provision for such an organization is expected to pass its final reading at Monday night's council meeting.

REPORT A 20,000 BARREL PRODUCER IN ORANGE FIELD

ORANGE, TEXAS, March 11.—The Gulf Coast Oil Corporation's well No. 2 Leon startled local circles today when it blew in at 2170 feet as a 20,000 barrel producer.

Production was not looked for at this depth. The 4,000 level was being drilled for in the well.

This is the second largest producer to be brought in in the Orange field. The monarch so far is the Humble company's No. 5 Chessons, which made an initial production of 30,000 barrels, and is now storing between 500 and 1,000 daily.

ST. LOUIS MASON TO WRITE ABOUT LOCAL ACTIVITIES OF ORDER

James L. Post, prominent St. Louis Mason and press representative of Moolah temple and other Masonic bodies in St. Louis, who is visiting in Wichita Falls, has received a letter from W. Freeland Kendrick of Philadelphia, past imperial potentate of the Shriners, requesting him to extend kindest wishes to Potentate Cline and nobles of Maskat temple. Mr. Post expects to attend the meeting of Mosiah temple Tuesday night. He attended the meeting of the Wichita Falls commandery Thursday night and the meeting of Faith lodge Friday night. Mr. Post has been commissioned to write an article for a Missouri Masonic publication on the Masonic activities in Wichita Falls.

LOCAL CITIZENS PLAN TO ATTEND MEETINGS

Indications Saturday night were that a large crowd of local citizens would attend the mass meetings to be held at Iowa Park and Electra Monday afternoon under the auspices of the Wichita County Citizens association. A number of Wichitans who are members of the local organization stated that they intended going to the two sessions in the other towns.

The Iowa Park meeting will be held at 1:30 Monday afternoon and that at Electra at 3:30, thus giving those who attend from here plenty of time in which to return before night.

JUDGE SOLVES PROBLEM QUARTERING MIXED JURY

MADISON, WIS., March 11.—The problem of quartering a mixed jury of men and women when unable to agree was settled by Judge A. C. Hoppmann in Dane county superior court here last night, when he ordered the sexes segregated and given lodging in different rooms of a hotel. Nine men and three women were unable to arrive at a verdict in the case of Everett Westbury, Madison, charged with highway robbery and at 11:30 o'clock last night the judge gave orders that they should be put in charge of Sheriff W. H. McCormick and his wife. While the sheriff watched over the men, his wife, who was deputized, stood guard over the women jurors to see that they communicated with no one.

"BROADCASTER" TO BE STARTED TODAY BY LOCAL EXPERT

SENDS WIRELESS TELEPHONE MESSAGES OVER 25-MILE RADIUS.

WIRELESS USERS HERE INCREASING IN NUMBER

Great Difficulty In Obtaining Equipment Prevents Many From Installing Sets.

Starting today, Wichita Falls will have a wireless telephone "broadcasting station" in addition to the numerous "receivers" already in use. Heretofore no one in this city has been equipped to do "broadcasting" or sending.

The broadcaster, which will have a range of about 25 miles, has been constructed by Charles Parker, local wireless expert, at his home on Collins avenue. Today an automobile containing a receiving set will go out into the country to test the broadcaster.

The growing popularity of wireless telephone is evidenced by the fact that local owners of receiving sets who recently got their names in the paper have been besieged with inquiries from all over the southwest as to where equipment could be obtained.

The demand for this equipment prompted some local enthusiasts to form a small company to make this a distributing point for wireless sets. The plan fell through, due to the inability to obtain material of any kind. It is estimated that manufacturers are nearly a year behind with orders already.

Report Scientific Ghost Hunter Is Making Progress

HALIFAX, N. S., March 11.—Dr. Walter Franklin Prince, scientific ghost hunter, today withheld news of what happened last night in the "haunted" house of Alex MacDonald at Caledonia Mills.

This fact, Dr. Prince's announcement of leaving the haunted house next morning, gave rise to reports that Dr. Prince had captured the ghostly visitor or at least had discovered what or who "it" was.

The investigator applied last night all the ghost bait he could think of. The MacDonald lares and penates were restored to their old places in the house and the MacDonalds themselves—Alex, Mrs. Alex and Little Mary Ellen, their adopted daughter—slept in their old rooms, in their old beds.

W. H. Dennis, publisher of the Halifax Herald, today expressed confidence that Dr. Prince had solved the mystery of fires, ghostly apparitions and mysterious rapping which drove the MacDonald's out.

Dr. Prince wasn't the sort of man who would give up the quest or the ghost so quickly, otherwise, Mr. Dennis ruminated.

He said Dr. Prince, who is withholding news of what happened last night, had expressed a desire to be permitted to conclue his investigations in secret. A full report will be published after he has finished the spooky job.

Tonight Dr. Prince keeps vigil with Harold Whidden, Halifax reporter, who claims to have been slapped by the ghost.

Sunday night, Dr. Prince will shoo the reporter out and, singlehanded, dare the ghost to come forth and scare him.

OPERATES IN DAY TIME AND GHOST THROWS ROCKS

CHICO, CAL., March 11.—Chico has a rival of the ghost of antigonish, only it operates in the day time and throws rocks instead of slapping wrists and starting fires. Its target is a warehouse and, according to a statement by the police today, it rarely misses.

Yesterday the superintendent of the warehouse sent a workmen up to sweep the rocks off the roof. The workman had no sooner gotten under way than a big red brick was hissed by his ear. He ducked but a barrage of smaller bricks and rocks rooted him out.

Watchers have been set to find the ghost, who has been operating almost daily for more than three weeks but have found no trace of it. A reward of $20 goes to any one who can solve the mystery.

SHIREY READY TO RETURN TO TEXAS TO ANSWER CHARGE

AUSTIN, March 11.—Dr. Guy O. Shirey, former Texas state commander of the American legion, against whom a complaint alleging embezzlement of trust funds over $50 was filed in justice court here Thursday, is ready to return to Texas at any time to answer to the complaint, John W. Hornsby today said he had been informed.

Mr. Hornsby said that he had talked over long distance telephone with a person who received Shirey's offer to return. This person, he said, asked that his name be withheld and as his reasons satisfied Mr. Hornsby, his request was granted. He also refused to announce Shirey's present place of residence. Shirey is thought to be in California.

Mr. Hornsby's informant said that Shirey had wired for information as to the charges that had been filed against him in Texas. He made no mention of the suit filed in Fort Worth Friday by the American legion asking judgment for $20,879.95. Mr. Hornsby said his informant requested permission to inform Shirey of the case against him here. Mr. Hornsby told the person to tell Shirey of the complaint here and also of civil suit at Fort Worth.

An Overland touring car owned by R. L. Price, 2214 Buchanan street, was stripped of its tires and other easily detachable articles Friday night, according to reports made by the owner to the police.

THIRD TRIAL OF ARBUCKLE CASE TO BE CALLED MONDAY

By United Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle was packing his blue Norfolk suit into his trunk in Los Angeles tonight and storing away, pending return, his $25,000 motor car, preparatory to coming to San Francisco tomorrow for his third trial on a manslaughter charge.

Monday morning the big comedian will appear before Superior Judge Harold Louderback once more to fight for exoneration of the charges that he caused the death of Virginia Rappe, movie comedy star, on Labor day, when he gave a party at a fashionable hotel here.

Lawyers on both sides gave intimations that this trial will be a finish fight.

SCORES OKLAHOMA WAY OF HANDLING STATE BANK FUND

By United Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA., March 11.—Commenting on Governor Robertson's offer of $500 for arrest and conviction of persons spreading false reports about banks in the state, State Auditor Carter rapped the administration of the state guaranty fund.

"I think everything ought to be done to stop circulation of dangerous and malicious rumors, but if one is liable to go to jail for expressing himself about lack of administration of the guaranty funds, I think that is going too far," Carter said. "I most heartly condemn the way it has been handled the last three years."

The state bankers association today announced its plans to work until the next legislature convenes to crystalize public sentiment in favor of a fund in the form of loans.

Attorney General Short announced he is preparing to file suits to collect $8,000,000 assets of defunct banks which are held by the state banking department.

SHOT A HUNDRED TIME IN THE HEAD AND STILL LIVING

CAIRO, ILL., March 11.—John Gray, a farmer of Benton, Mo., who was shot approximately 100 times in the head and an indeterminate number of times in the body Thursday afternoon, was still alive this afternoon. Physicians expressed the opinion he would recover. John Merrick, a neighbor, emptied an automatic shotgun at him five times in a quarrel over domestic matters. Gray is at a local hospital and Merrick is said to be in jail at Benton.

OFFICER KILLS ONE AND WOUNDS ANOTHER

FORT SMITH, ARK., March 11.—A single bullet from the gun of Deputy Sheriff McClure of Lefiore county killed Roy Price, 17 years old, and fatally wounded Fred Evans, 28, at a dance at Panama, 15 miles from Fort Smith, last night. Evans was brought to a hospital here and died this afternoon.

McClure claims the two men had been drinking and after he had placed them under arrest they refused to go to the Panama jail. McClure says he jabbed his gun into the side of Evans with no intention of shooting. The bullet passed through the body of Evans and struck Price just above the righ eye, killing him almost instantly.

PLAN APPROPRIATION FOR DISABLED WAR VETERANS

WASHINGTON, March 11.—An appropriation of $17,000,000 for additional hospital facilities for disabled war veterans is recommended in a bill favorably reported today by the house public buildings committee. As originally introduced by Chairman Langley, the measure authorized a $16,000,000 appropriation, but the amount was increased by the committee to take care of several additional prospects.

The bill as reported does not stipulate where and how the money is to be expended, this being entirely left to the director of the veterans' bureau who, under provisions of the measure, would have control over all construction work and architectural plans instead of the architect of the treasury department.

WANT WAGE REDUCTION AND A 36-HOUR WEEK

BROOKLINE, MASS., March 11.—An immediate wage reduction of 20 per cent, establishment of a fifty-hour week to replace the present 48-hour schedule, and abolition of the permit system under which the employes must obtain permission from the union when taking on new operatives, are among the proposals of the Lynn shoe manufacturers' association in a new agreement submitted to the late committee of the United Shoe Workers of America.

The agreement would expire on June 1, 1923.

SECRETARY HOOVER WILL NOT QUIT THE CABINET

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Declaring President Harding had "strongly expressed the wish" that he remain in the cabinet, Secretary Hoover today informed Mayor J. Hampton Moore of Philadelphia he could not accept the director-generalship of the Sesqui-Centennial exposition to be held in Philadelphia in 1926.

In Russia trains are sent off by bells at the stations because the peasants cannot read the timetables.

Average height of a full grown human being, regardless of race, is 65 inches.

Former Beauty Is Unable to Appear At Trial of Case

AURORA, ILL., March 11.—Miss Elida Piza, 24, who a few years ago was pronounced the most beautiful girl in Costa Rica, was still too feeble today to appear in court or to be interrogated in the Geneva, Ill., hospital, where she is a patient, when the actions growing out of her suit to recover $70,000 back alimony from her former husband, Herbert P. Crane, 66, of St. Charles, were resumed in the Kane county circuit court at Geneva. The millionaire was in court, simpling, but as insistent as ever that Miss Piza be required to return their child, Rafael Anthony, aged 3, to Illinois as a condition precedent to his paying of the alimony. Counsel for Miss Piza said she had no intention of taking the child to her old home in Costa Rica to rear, but maintained that under the terms of the divorce decree granting her custody of the child she could make her home where she chose. She has relatives in New York and it is there she wishes to live, it was said. The baby is with Miss Piza's people.

SECRETARY HUGHES IS PRESENTED WITH GOLD DESK SHEARS

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Washington newspaper correspondents presented to Secretary Hughes at the state department today a pair of gold desk shears in token of their appreciation for his "kindly assistance to them in their work" since assuming office. The gift was said to be the first ever given a cabinet officer during his encumbency by newspaper men.

The gift was appropriately engraved and was presented on behalf of the correspondents by Matthew F. Tighe, who has been "covering" the state department for more than 40 years.

In his reply, Secretary Hughes took occasion to remind the correspondents the difficulty public officials experienced in maintaining the proper contact with public opinion. "It is not always easy to decide what should be done," he said, adding it had to be realized that the government was not "trying to put something over" when it was found necessary to refuse information on subjects prominently in the public eye.

TELEGRAPH BULLETINS

FLORENCE, ITALY, March 11.—Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles, continuing their honeymoon tour, arrived in Florence late this afternoon from Paris.

BELFAST, March 11.—Casualties in Belfast today as a result of continuance of the disorders incipdo one person killed, a woman and two others seriously injured.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Gerard and company, dealers in investment securities, today announced an assignment for the benefit of creditors. Harold G. Hanney of Brooklyn was made assignee.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American federation of labor, left Washington today for the New England textile centers where he will make a series of addresses before strikers mass meetings.

PRESIDENT RESUMES HOUSE BOAT CRUISE

Motor From Ormond After Golf Game Earlier in the Day.

By Associated Press.

NEW SMYRNA, FLA., March 11.—President Harding, after playing another round of golf here after luncheon today, again boarded the McLean houseboat and continued his cruise down the Florida coast. The president, Mrs. Harding and their party motored from Ormond immediately after the golf game there earlier in the day and, after luncheon, played nine holes of golf on the local course.

The president, before going to the golf course, shook hands with several hundred persons who gathered at the wharf where the houseboat was tied up.

PRESIDENT PLAY GOLF ON THE ORMOND COURSE

By Associated Press.

ORMOND BEACH, FLA., March 11.—Landing from the houseboat of E. R. McLain, Washington publisher, on which he is making a trip down the Florida coast from St. Augustine, President Harding today played 18 holes of golf over the Ormond course instead of the Sea Breeze links as had been planned.

Speaker Gillett, Under Secretary Fletcher and Mr. McLean completed the foursome. The weather, threatening earlier in the day, cleared and sunshine greeted them.

Mr. Harding and his party appear to have greatly enjoyed their trip down the coast. A large crowd gathered at the Sea Breeze course, expecting him to play there, but another crowd saw him drive off on the Ormond links.

NEXT CAMPAIGN WILL BE CONDUCTED LARGELY BY WIRELESS TELEPHONE

SWARTHMORE, PA., March 11.—The next presidential campaign will be conducted largely by means of the wireless telephone, enabling millions of voters actually to hear the appeals of candidates, Prof. G. C. Aubrey, of Swarthmore preparatory school, tonight predicted in an address before the Radio club at the school.

Professor Aubrey said that certain form of news in the daily and periodical publications will have to undergo a change because of the wireless telephone. "Greater stress," he added, "will be laid on the publication of editorials, photographs and reports relating to physical activities."

MAN UNDER ARREST ADVISES WOMAN TO STAND PAT IN CASE

SAN ANTONIO, March 11.—While police were searching through the effects of the man taken into custody at New Braunsfels and brought to this city to be questioned concerning the robbery of the New Braunsfels State bank yesterday, they found a black mask. The man refused to give any explanation of how he got it, or what use he put it to. A woman whom he said was his wife was held with him for investigation. Just before they were taken to separate cells for the night, the man turned to the woman and was heard to say:

"Stand pat. Keep still. They have got nothing on us." Further than that he refused to talk.

Policemen in airplanes, automobiles and on motorcycles searched the roads nearby all day and late into the night, but have discovered no traces of the robbers. One of the men who entered the bank is said to have worn a white handkerchief over his face. The others were unmasked. A recheck of the bank's securities showed that the thieves got away with about $104,000 in all. Of this, $18,000 was in cash, the rest in securities, about half of which were registered.

TO MOVE HEADQUARTERS TO THE CITY OF AUSTIN

HOUSTON, March 11.—M. A. Moore, chief of the field service of the federal prohibition forces in Texas, will move his home to Austin in the next few days, he announced tonight.

THIEVES BREAK INTO A HOUSTON JUNK YARD

HOUSTON, March 11.—"They'll steal anything, these days," Chief of Police Murphy said here today, when he learned thieves had broken into a local junk yard. The manager of the yard reported several tools and invaluable articles missing.

SCOUTS HEAR OF BOYS OF FRANCE FROM MISS MORGAN

A vivid description of conditions among the boys of war-scarred France and an outline of work being done in that country by members of the American relief committee was given by Miss Anne Morgan in an address to several hundred boys and adults at the Strand theater Saturday night.

The local scout organization was well represented, while a number of men and women were also present to learn of some of the things the youth of France has had to contend with as a result of the war. At the close of the meeting contributions and subscription pledges were taken, these to be devoted to paying expenses of scout camps established by the American committee working with executives of the American scout organization.

It is known that at least one local troop, No. 1, will finance a training course for a French scout at a camp this summer. Announcement to this effect was made by Miss Morgan and it is thought that several other troops will assume the same responsibility.

Miss Morgan traced briefly the origin and growth of scouting in France and then told of the fearful devastation wrought by the World war. The great responsibilities thrown on the French youths through the loss of their fathers and the manner in which these boys, many of them not more than 12 years of age, were caring for families were also discussed graphically.

The training afforded French boys at the scout camps was shown in two moving picture reels, these having been taken by the American committee at the camp established in France last summer.

DEATH PENALTY ASSESSED AGAINST BEAUMONT MAN

BEAUMONT, TEXAS, March 11.—Newt De Silva was found guilty of murder and given a death penalty at 9 o'clock tonight. The jury had been out since Thursday at noon. De Silva was tried on a charge of killing C. Abrahamson, an old sailor, at Port Arthur on December 17, 1921. The defendant was unmoved when the verdict was read.

The case has attracted much attention here. Since it retired last Thursday no word has been sent out by the jury as to how it stood or indicating that it was having difficulty in reaching an agreement.

CHARGE OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES

HOUSTON, March 11.—Webster Bishop, president of the Southland Realty corporation and who has been connected prominently with the Texas Oil Producers company, is in custody here today on a bench warrant issued in Des Moines, Iowa, charging obtaining money under false pretenses. Bishop stated he will fight extradition and that he has been having trouble with stockholders, whom he has sued for unpaid salary.

MEMBER OF TEXAS HAS REFUSED TO BE BOUND AND GAGGED

SERVE NOTICE OF ATTITUDE ON SHIP SUBSIDY LEGISLATION.

IS JOINED BY DAVIS A TENNESSEE MEMBER

Contend There Is Less Excuse For Ship Subsidies Than Ever Before.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Two of the democratic members of the house merchant marine committee—Davis, Tennessee, and Hardy, Texas, replying today to the written suggestion by democratic members of the shipping board to democratic committeemen that they withhold judgment on ship subsidy legislation until after hearings, announced that "they respectfully refused to be bound and gagged."

The letter sent by Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Thompson and Rear Admiral Benson, retired, members of the board, stated that the board had unanimously recommended direct and indirect aid to American shipping as proposed in the bill prepared by the board and introduced immediately after President Harding's address to congress.

Mr. Davis and Hardy conceded that the shipping problem should be "solved upon merit and principle and not upon partisanship."

"It is generally understood," they wrote, "that Chairman Lasker was appointed because of very shrewd and valuable political service rendered during the last campaign; he certainly could not have been appointed on any knowledge of shipping matters."

"Having, as he believes, successfully lined up the republican members of the senate and house committees," the letter added, "Chairman Lasker has apparently assigned you gentlemen the task of lining up democrats on the committees. However, you may tell Chairman Lasker that we are not as easily ensnared as some people he has come in contact with. We respectfully refuse to be bound and gagged, while he and the rest of you advocates of this iniquitious ship subsidy bill industriously disseminate your deceptive propaganda and lull the people and congress to sleep while you complete the job."

Mr. Davis and Mr. Hardy contended "there is less excuse for ship subsidies now than ever before by reason of the fact that our immense government owned fleet can be purchased by private operators at considerably less than world market prices."

"Yet the bill you now propose," they said, "would take more than fifty million dollars a year out of the pockets of the tax payers and put in the pockets of a few private ship lines, after amending the present law, so that the government ships may be sold to them at ridiculously low prices."

PUT OUT THE LIGHTS WHILE KLAN PARADES

TERRELL, TEXAS, March 11.—A parade of the Terrell klan No. 99, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, here tonight was witnessed by between 5,000 and 8,000 people. About 375 men were in the parade. They carried the fiery cross and the United States flag. All electric lights in the city were off during the parade.

OLD PROPERTY OF GOLF CLUB IS SOLD TO LOCAL OIL MAN

LEE WILSON BUYS THE CLUB HOUSE AND 20 ACRES SATURDAY.

BUILDING COMMITTEE TO BE NAMED MONDAY

Will Start at Once on Preparations For Club's New Structure.

The present club house of the Wichita Falls country club, and the 20 acres adjoining it north of Speedway road, were sold Saturday to Lee Wilson, oil operator, for $23,750. Possession is to be given as soon as the new club house is built, which is expected to be sometime late in 1922. Mr. Wilson plans to remodel the house for a country home.

When it was started, the country club occupied only a small tract north of Speedway road, part of which it later bought, and part of which it continued to lease until recently.

A. H. Britain, president of the club, will announce the personnel of the permanent building committee on Monday. It is expected that the committee will proceed without delay to employ an architect and take other preliminary steps.

NEGRO BEATEN AND HIS EARS CUT OFF BY A TULSA PARTY

TULSA, March 11. — John H. Smitheerman, who was taken from his bed in a local negro hotel here last night by a band of 12 white men, is in the county jail at Claremore with one ear cut off, alleged to have been inflicted by the band of unmasked men. After they had whipped the negro severely with a blacksnake, according to William "Bill" McCullough, Tulsa county sheriff, who went to Claremore tonight to bring Smitherman to Tulsa. Smitherman told United Press reporters over long distance this afternoon the negro's back was badly marked, cut and bruised from the whipping.

Smitherman is now awaiting trial on a charge of having incited a race riot here last summer.

City Clerk George W. Thorburn is expected home Sunday from a brief business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth.

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But Everyday Prices

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606 7th St.

Hon. CLARENCE OUSLEY

Will Address the University Club at Noon on Tuesday, March 14th

At a Luncheon in the Kemp Hotel Dining Room

Mr. Ousley's fame not only as a scholar and thinker, but as an orator is national. Our citizens are to be congratulated upon having this opportunity of hearing and meeting this distinguished Texan.

Non-Members, Both Ladies and Gentlemen, Are Invited to the Luncheon

Members, as well as non-members, must apply to the hotel management not later than 11 o'clock a. m. Tuesday for reservations at 75 cents per plate. Apply to Telephone 4331, or in person.

Big Springtime Musical

LIMA

By Carl Venth, the Leading Musician of the Southwest

Presented by Carl Venth, himself, and cast from Texas Womans' College.

Auspices of the KIWANIS CLUB

Curtain at 8 o'Clock

BEANS

Wichita Theatre, Monday, March 13

Tickets on Sale Tenth Street Drug Store and [illegible]t's Drug Store No. 2

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The First Di... Women's club... Walter S. Robe... president and w... teen counties i... tte, will mee... for a two days... and 19, accord... by the distri... weeks ago.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

First District Federation Meets in Haskell April 18-19; President Completes Roster of Departments

The First District Federation of Women's clubs, of which Mrs. Walter S. Robertson of this city is president and which comprises fourteen counties in this section of the state, will meet in Haskell, Texas, for a two days convention April 18 and 19, according to the dates set by the district executives some weeks ago.

Mrs. Robertson completed her executive roster, comprising the nine departments of activities in the district and their chairmen, the division chairmen and committees, and the convention committees, Thursday afternoon. These, with the other official roster of the district, are given in full as follows:

Officers.

Mrs. Walter S. Robertson, 1804 Rose, Wichita Falls, president.

Mrs. J. A. Britain, Seymour, Texas, first vice-president.

Mrs. Rosco Cox, Stephenville, Texas, second vice-president.

Mrs. Charles Spencer, 106 Morningside Drive, Wichita Falls, secretary-treasurer.

Mesdames W. R. Potter, and John Griffen, Arlington, members executive committee.

District Chairmen Departments.

Chairmen of the nine district departments and their committees are as follows:

Fine Arts, Mrs. G. W. Greathouse, 1120 Washington avenue, Fort Worth, chairman; Mrs. C. Lewis, Haskell, and Miss Ella Morgan, Bowie, committee.

American Citizenship, Mrs. H. B. Finch, Weatherford, chairman; Mrs. W. T. Coffield, Bowie, Mrs. Marshall Furgeson, Stephenville.

Applied Education, Mrs. Sylvester Karsteter, Henrietta; Mrs. J. C. Llewellyn, Mineral Wells; Miss Ada Bell Stapleton, T. W. C., Fort Worth.

Public Welfare, Mrs. L. F. Greeg, Olney, chairman; Mrs. W. W. Silk, Wichita Falls; Mrs. N. E. Rubin, 2104 Lipscomb, Fort Worth.

Press and Publicity, Miss Irene Davidson, Wichita Falls, chairman; Mrs. W. C. Blalock, 1305 Cannon avenue, Fort Worth, and Mrs. W. P. McDonald, Stamford.

Legislation, Mrs. Philo Boddy, Henrietta, chairman; Mrs. Joe J. Fox of Hilcrest, Fort Worth, and Mrs. Marvin Everett, Olney, Texas.

Home Economics, Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin, 1510 Tenth street, Wichita Falls, chairman; Mesdames L. B. Cole, Stamford, and J. H. Coleman, Mineral Wells.

Conservation and Civics, Mrs. J. W. Stone, 1400 Grant street, Wichita Falls, chairman; Mrs. W. M. Short, 2107 Elizabeth Blvd., Fort Worth, and Mrs. C. F. Galloway, Bowie.

Industrial and Social Conditions, Mrs. C. E. Birdsong, 1522 Grand avenue, Fort Worth, chairman; Mrs. E. C. Carter, Henrietta, and Mrs. Farland Collier, Weatherford.

Convention Committees.

The business and convention committees follow:

Budgets Miss Johnnie Mae Vickers, Dublin, chairman; Mrs. George Kelly, Fort Worth, and Mrs. R. G. Hallam, Graham.

Club Extension, Mrs. R. H. Buck, 2316 Sixth avenue, Fort Worth, chairman; Mrs. Oscar Owens, Hamlin, and Mrs. Levi Thomas, Throckmorton.

Badge, Mrs. A. C. Collins, Rotan, chairman; Miss Olive Strickland, 816 Penn avenue, Fort Worth.

Program, Mrs. W. R. Potter, Bowie, chairman; Mrs. R. E. Buchanan, 810 South Henderson, Fort Worth, and Mrs. J. U. Fields, Haskell, Texas, local chairman.

Transportation, Mrs. Joe A. Wheat, Seymour, chairman; Mrs. A. W. Terrill, 901 South Adams, Fort Worth, and Miss Lilas Penick, Stamford.

Finance, Mrs. Charles F. Spencer, Mrs. E. T. Duff of Wichita Falls, and Miss Anna Shelton, Fort Worth.

Rules and Regulations, Mrs. J. U. Fields, Haskell, chairman; Mrs. E. J. Hosey, 2518 Lipscomb street, Fort Worth, and Mrs. Ed Harris, Rotan.

Credentials, Mrs. E. S. Cummings, Anson, Texas, chairman; Miss Marian Mullins, 1424 Cooper, Fort Worth, and Mrs. R. R. English, Haskell.

Resolutions, Mrs. Bowen Pope, Hamlin, chairman, and Mrs. J. W. Ross, Dundee, and Mrs. Walter Isbell, Jacksboro.

Information, Mrs. Charles Randal, Seymour, chairman; Mrs. Ben Blair, Springtown and Mrs. Claude Grey, Hamlin.

Junior Section, Mrs. Charles W. Stewart, Goree, chairman; Miss Vida George, 2307 Gould avenue, Fort Worth, and Mrs. T. B. Smock, 704 Denver, Wichita Falls.

Division Committee.

The following are division chairmen and committees under the departments indicated:

Fine Arts: Division one, Art—Mrs. W. S. Douglas, Hamlin, Texas; Mrs. Geo. Reyer, 1912 May street, Fort Worth; Mrs. Price Williams, Stephenville. Special committee grouped with division art: Art Exhibits—Mrs. E. P. McKinney, Stamford, Texas; Mrs. C. C. Foster, 2218 Fairmont avenue, Fort Worth; Mrs. Bert Bean, 1505 Tenth street, Wichita Falls. Division two, Music—Mrs. H. E. Fehree, 112 Hilcrest, Fort Worth, Texas; Mrs. Geo. Thorburn, 1509 Tilden, Wichita Falls; Mrs. W. M. Harlan, Stamford, Texas. Division three, Literature—Mrs. J. C. Berney, 2404 Ninth, Wichita Falls, Texas; Mrs. Ben Whitehead, Dublin; Mrs. P. H. Neville, Henrietta, Texas.

American Citizenship: Division one, Training for Citizenship—Mrs. Paul Donald, Bowie, Texas; Mrs. William Austin, 410 Lipscomb; Mrs. L. A. Kayser, Graham, Texas. Division two, Motion Picture—Mrs. Roy Woodruff, Mineral Wells, Texas; Mrs. C. N. Alexander, Kemp Kort, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Frank Davis, Seymour. Division three, Americanization—Mrs. Herbert Griffen, Dundee, Texas; Mrs. D. H. Burroughs, Stephenville; Mrs. Gray Calloway, Jacksboro, Texas. Special committee grouped with American citizenship: Community service—Miss Millicent Keeble, T. C. U., Fort Worth; Mrs. E. E. Clarke, Mineral Wells; Mrs. D. L. Payne, Hamlin.

Applied Education: Division one, Scholarship and Loans—Mrs. J. Thomas Davis, Stephenville; Mrs. L. J. Wortham, 308 Broadway, Fort Worth; Mrs. J. E. Sharpe, 1505 Tilden, Wichita Falls. Division two, Kindergartens—Mrs. Earnest Grissom, Haskell, Texas; Mrs. W. A. Hanger, 1428 Eighth street, Fort Worth; Mrs. J. W. Melton, Goree, Texas. Division three, Peace—Mrs. Robert Alexander, Munday, Texas; Mrs. C. H. Kassell, 1114 Hurley avenue, Fort Worth; Miss Maimie Steph, Arlington, Texas. Division four, Library Extension — Miss Mayme A. Waldron, Mineral Wells; Mrs. R. T. Campbell, Olney, Texas; Mrs. W. P. Bolding, Wichita Falls, Texas. Special committee grouped with education: Elimination of Illiteracy—Mrs. Starkey Duncan, Stamford, Texas; Mrs. Beverly Thompson, 1111 Elizabeth Blvd., Fort Worth, Texas; Miss Ada Harding, Decatur, Texas.

Public Welfare: Division one, Health—Mrs. C. Fox Clarke, Graham, Texas; Mrs. J. C. Guest, Aspermont, Texas; Mrs. C. A. Crites, Mineral Wells, Texas. Division two, Child Welfare—Mrs. Wm. MacAfee Burch, Decatur, Texas; Mrs. C. A. Lanis, 2512 Fifth avenue, Fort Worth; Mrs. W. T. Richard, Weatherford, Texas. Special committee grouped with health: Health and Efficiency—Mrs. J. W. Akin, 1205 Burnett, Wichita Falls; Mrs. W. E. Bryson, 2424 Forest park, Fort Worth; Mrs. Taylor Johnson, Weatherford, Texas.

Press and Publicity: Division one, Printing—Mrs. L. Z. Timmons, Throckmorton, Texas; Mrs. Gordon Witherspoon, Seymour; Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Haskell, Texas. Special committee: Speakers Bureau—Mrs. M. Cohn, Mineral Wells; Mrs. C. R. Hartsook, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Lou Kelly, Henrietta, Texas.

Legislation: Division one, Civil Service—Mrs. W. H. Murchison, Haskell, Texas; Mrs. W. H. Slay, 612 Burnett street, Fort Worth; Mrs. Joe Edwards, Henrietta, Texas. Division two, Tax Revision—Mrs. Wm. Jordan, Aspermont, Texas; Mrs. W. T. Fry, 1142 Elizabeth Blvd., Fort Worth, Texas.

Home Economics: Division one, Thrift—Mrs. H. A. Waller, Iowa Park, Texas; Mrs. Bert Lilly, Throckmorton, Texas; Mrs. Henry Cole, Stephenville, Texas. Division two, Rural Life—Mrs. Virgil W. Garrett, 2252 Washington avenue, Fort Worth, Texas; Mrs. J. T. Lively, Seymour, Texas; Mrs. W. A. Albritton, Hamlin, Texas. Special committee grouped with home economics: Home Demonstration—Mrs. R. E. Thomas, Arlington, Texas; Mrs. Charles Conner, Haskell, Texas; Mrs. E. W. Wright, Bowie, Texas.

Conservation and Civics: Division one, Parks and Playgrounds—Mrs. Walter Keath, Stamford, Texas; Mrs. W. A. Dunwoddy, Aspermont; Mrs. H. H. Harp, 614 West Second street, Fort Worth. Division two, Good Roads—Mrs. Frank Harden, Weatherford, Texas; Mrs. Milton Felt, Mineral Wells; Mrs. J. Montgomery Brown, 2311 Sixth street, Fort Worth. Division three, Forestry—Mrs. David Warren, Bowie, Texas; Mrs. J. W. Moyer, Mineral Wells; Mrs. Howard Renfro, Iowa Park, Texas.

Industrial and Social Conditions: Division one, Prison Reform—Mrs. Alvan Horowitz, 911 Seventeenth street, Wichita Falls; Mrs. John Cain, Stephenville, Texas; Mrs. J. H. Laihram, Dublin, Texas; Division two, Business and Industrial Relations—Mrs. I. Pincus, 2104 Lipscomb avenue, Fort Worth; Miss Florence Jackson, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Vernon Terrell, Decatur, Texas. Special committee grouped with business and industrial conditions: Indian Welfare—Mrs. Charles Stewart, Jacksboro, Texas; Mrs. W. T. Bartholomew, 1650 South Adams street, Fort Worth; Mrs. J. C. Humphries, Kemp Kort, Wichita Falls, Texas. Special committee to study colored people—Mrs. Pin Lamb, Seymour; Mrs. J. W. Hall, Dublin; Mrs. E. S. Newcome, 2105 College, Fort Worth, Texas.

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TRAVEL CLUB ENJOYS AN INTERESTING MEET FRIDAY

The Travel club members were treated to an unusually enjoyable and interesting presentation of their weekly lesson Friday afternoon at Kemp library, when Mrs. Luther Hoffman gave an informal talk on "News from the Stage and Screen," emphasizing particularly those points which the Travel club has been interested in in their study of the drama and of playwrights and players. The talk was illustrated with photos of actors and actresses and scenes from well-known plays which have been on run during the past year or two in the dramatic centers of the country. Among other things Mrs. Hoffman discussed the causes which have led to the drama's losing ground within the past decade, and offered the fact that artists on the stage have been compelled to take parts in dramas featuring undesirable themes and situations, and that the lovers of high class drama have had no real heart in such performances.

After the talk Mrs. Hoffman conducted a memory contest bringing in the plays studied and mentioned, in which Mrs. Ben G. O'Neal was most successful and was presented with a box of daintily hand-embroidered handkerchiefs.

During the social half hour Mrs. Hoffman surprised the members with a delicious plate of home-made candy, which was enjoyed by the following: Mesdames Ola G. Hamlin, Will Pagan, H. G. England, Ben G. O'Neal, T. A. Hicks, Leslie Stringer, G. L. Shapard, Leslie Humphrey, J. W. Akin, W. W. Cook, Luther Hoffman, F. J. Elbert, E. T. Duff, Sam Holliday and Hardwick and Miss Blanche Potter.

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INFORMAL MUSICAL THURSDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Ard will entertain with an informal musical Thursday evening, March 16, at 8:15 at their home, 2112 Ninth street.

The program follows:

Prelude in C sharp Minor, (Rachmaninoff)—Miss Faye Fisher.

Ase's Death (Grieg), and, The Bees (Belton)—Floyd Ard Jr.

Valse in B minor (Chopin), and, Nocturne in F (Schumann)—Miss Lucille Smith.

Vocal solo, "Elegy" (Massenet)—Mrs. John Wegg King.

Etude Opus 10 No. 5 (Chopin), and, Berceuse (Chopin)—Mr. James Youngblood.

Two Arabesques (Debussy), and, Polonaise Op. 53 (Chopin)—Miss Jo Betsy Miller.

(a) Folk Song, (b) Rider's Story, (c) Romance (Schumann), and, (a) Consolation, (b) Venetian Boat Song, (c) Folk Song, (Mendelssohn) —Floyd Ard Jr.

Piano, four hands—Third Movement from Symphonie Pathetique (Tschaikowsky) — Miss Elizabeth Cole and Mr. Ernest Kats.

HEREDITY INDICATES BABY SONIA WILL BE FAMOUS

SONIA MARIE NOEL STOKOWSKI.

By NEA Service.

PHILADELPHIA, March 11.—This is an advance introduction to a future great pianist—or maybe she'll be, in the rapidly changing course of events, a famous woman orchestra conductor.

For surely little Sonio Marie Noel Stokowski will grow to fame in one line or the other.

That, at least, is what heredity and environment indicate.

Sonia's daddy is Dr. Leopold Stokowski, noted leader and conductor of the famous Philadelphia orchestra. Her mother, better known as Mme. Olga Samaroff, has won fame as a pianist.

Two months old now—will the next 20 or so years of musical atmosphere have its effect? The parents hope so.

Incidentally, here is a case of extraordinary interest to parents, psychologists, psycho-analysts, educators, physicians and every one else who is interested in the growth and development of a little human brain.

Just now Sonia isn't concerned about her future. But what is her little brain developing? What of those tiny little ears? What of the lullabies that will waft her off to sleep? What of the melodies and harmonies that will be heard in the Stokowski home?

Speculate if you like—and 20 years from now, see if you were right.

JERRAT-HALE ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED THURSDAY

The engagement and approaching marriage March 22 of Miss Mary Belle Hale and Porter W. Jerratt was divulged to her girl friends in a charmingly appointed bridge luncheon Thursday afternoon at the Wichita club, when Mesdames J. B. Evans and D. L. Fritz, and Miss Vera Hale were hostesses.

The club rooms were beautifully decorated, baskets of spring flowers and ferns with flat borders of ferns and blossoms in the chosen spring tints making the table lovely. At each cover a Cupid messenger boy presided, who held in his arm a tiny regulation message envelope and form containing the words, "Porter-Mary Belle, March 22."

A very delectable menu was served in courses to the following: Mesdames Ike Upchurch, Paul Anderson, D. L. Fritz, Abe Marcus, Chester Wynne, Paul Cotner, J. I. Staley, R. E. Shepherd, S. M. Black, Morris, F. C. Schauch, J. B. Evans, R. S. Richardson, Ralph Pond, Frank Shackleford, and Joe Stokes, and Misses Ruby Avis, Gretchen Avis, Cecilia Adickes, Mattie Ruth Corlett, Josephine Mayfield, Suda Willis, Madeline Thomas, Ruth Nolen, Jewel Cummings, Louise Hamlin, Sibyl Kell, Sadie Adickes, Lois Moore, Lillie Harper, Gera Davis, Natalie Schauch, Vera and Mary Belle Hale, and Nancy Jane Harlin.

Following the luncheon bridge was played at eight tables, and beautiful corsage bouquets of sweet peas and ferns were presented each guest as favors, while the guest of honor was remembered with a bride-elect corsage. Four handsome prizes, given for high and low scores, were all in turn presented the guest of honor as remembrances of the occasion.

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ENGAGEMENT AND COMING MARRIAGE IS ANNOUNCED

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Madeline Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Thomas, to Robert Nolen, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Nolen, was announced Friday afternoon at a beautifully appointed one o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. Thomas and her daughter, Mrs. Terrell Patterson.

The announcement, though not entirely a surprise, was of great interest to the friends of the bride and groom-elect, both of whom have lived in Wichita Falls for a number of years.

The table appointments and decorations were carried out in a color scheme of pink and white, with dainty hand painted cards marking the places of the diners. Sweet peas and tulle streamers and bows in the chosen colors were lavishly and beautifully used about the tables. Little gold wedding rings tied with white satin ribbon and bearing on a slip of paper the inscription, in gold ink, "Bob to Madeline, April 5, 1922" were concealed in the miniature white satin bride-slipper nut cups, which also served as place favors.

Mrs. John W. Thomas assisted the hostesses in serving the luncheon, which was in five courses, to the following: Mesdames Ola G. Hamlin, Will Pagan, H. G. England, Ben G. O'Neal, T. A. Hicks, Leslie Stringer, G. L. Shapard, Leslie Humphrey, J. W. Akin, W. W. Cook, Luther Hoffman, F. J. Elbert, E. T. Duff, Sam Holliday and Hardwick and Miss Blanche Potter.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR LITTLE MISS OSSENBECK

Little Miss Margaret Ossenbeck was the honoree at a birthday party given by her mother, Mrs. J. H. Ossenbeck, at their home on Fifteenth street Thursday evening, in celebration of her eighth birthday. Mrs. Ossenbeck was assisted by Mesdames Marriott, Lee and Thrasher in entertaining the following little folks: Juanita Raley, Viola Nelson, Ruth Nelson, Kathleen Bennett, Mildred Kaufman, Elinor Marriott, Dorothy Jane Marriott, Thelma Lee, Marjorie Smith, Mary Genevieve Ossenbeck, Ines Thrasher, Bonita Ellis, and May Marriott, Joe Morah, Bob Moran, Maymond Roberts, and Starling Lee.

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MISS MARY LEELE HALE

Whose approaching marriage, March 22 to Mr. Porter Jerratt was announced in a beautiful bridge luncheon Thursday afternoon at the Wichita club, and whose friends are planning a number of beautalities for her in the coming week.

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PROGRAM FOR THURSDAY MEETING OF MUSICIANS

The program for the Thursday meeting of the Musicians' club, which will be given under the leadership of Mrs. Robert A. Lyle, will be as follows:

Piano, "Les Veux Arabesques' (Debussy), Miss Florence Sammons.

Voice, "Les Claches" (Debussy), and "Romance" (Debussy), Mrs. W. L. Parker.

Piano, "Jardins sous la Pluie, (Debussy), Miss Beryl Knickerbocker.

Voice, "Hindoo Song" (Herman Bemberg), Mrs. George Thorburn.

Paper, "Saint-Saens," Mrs. Lucile Brooks Huff.

Violin, "La Cynge" (Saint-Saens), Miss Vivian Bailey.

Voice, "Berceuse" from Joclyn (Godard), Mrs. J. C. Albright.

Piano, "Elegie" (Massenet), Mrs. Daisy Almond.

Voice, "Ouvre tes Yeux Bleus" (Massenet), Mrs. J. W. King.

Piano, "Impromptu" (Gabral Faure), Mrs. H. A. Waller.

Voice, "Obsination." (He de Fontenailles), Miss Bessie Lee Bartlett.

Accompanist, Mesdames Fred Barron and Lucile B. Huff, and Misses Annette Walsh and Blanche Potter.

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FIDELITY BRIDGE CLUB WITH MRS. C. P. PARKS

Mrs. C. P. Parks entertained the Fidelity Bridge club Friday afternoon, when three tables were arranged for the players in the living room, which was attractively decorated with cut flowers and fern. Mrs. W. M. Gamble won high score and was remembered with a gift, a pretty hand-embroidered towel, and Mrs. T. B. Couch was consoled for low with a Flanconette of Houbigant's. The hostess served a delicious luncheon plate of chicken salad, sandwiches, cheese wafers, olives, date pudding, coffee and mints to the following: Mesdames A. W. West, F. A. Ray, L. A. Davis, T. B. Couch, C. C. Randle, F. O. Oberwetter, O. W. Wilson, W. C. Witcher, Robert Hamilton, W. M. Gable and L. E. Stewart, and Mrs. L. M. Oberwetter, guest.

The Fidelity club members will entertain their husbands with a St. Patrick's bridge party Friday evening, March 17, at the home of Mrs. T. B. Couch on Filmore street.

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TEA FRIDAY AFTERNOON HONORS MRS. DAVENPORT

A charming and informal tea at the home of Mrs. H. Walker-Harris, 715 Brook avenue, Friday afternoon honored Mrs. E. D. Davenport, who is expecting to leave the city in a short time.

Mrs. Walker-Harris was assisted in the tea service at an attractively decorated table by Mrs. R. S. Healy and Miss Walker-Harris, and the following guests were received: Mesdames Davenport, H. N. Fitzgerald, Roger Daughaday, W. L. Robertson, C. E. Thames, R. C. Carter, C. W. Reid, M. J. Bashara, A. T. Ails, Joplin, E. Morgan, E. Thompson, R. L. Hargreaves, Frank B. Wilcox, T. B. Greenwood, Harwood Stacy, J. Roy Aures, A. D. Lynch, George Dobie, Fred Kellogg, R. S. Healy, Will Ferguson, R. H. Graham, Fred Gates, Almond and R. Kellogg, and Misses Thames, Benedict, and Schofield of New York City.

Civic League Has Fine Record of Achievement Behind It; Wants to Keep Up Big Work for the Future

The Wichita Falls Civic league opens its big annual spring membership campaign Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock and any woman citizen in the city who is not called on to take out or renew membership in the organization is cordially invited to call up any chairman or worker in the campaign Tuesday evening and make the unintentional omission good herself. The campaign workers are listed at the close of this article.

The membership goal is not set at any certain figure, but the hundred or more women workers who will visit every home in the city possible during the day Tuesday have the vision of at least 1,000 paid up memberships in the treasury for 1922. The calls will not be discontinued, however, when that limit is reached.

The city has been divided into four divisions, with division chairmen under the direction of Mrs. J. M. Isbell, and each division has been separated into three sections under the direction of subchairmen. These twelve sections take in the entire populated district of the city.

Subscriptions for 1922.

The 1922 campaign for membership will include a subscription campaign, and every member or nonmember will be given the opportunity to subscribe to the Civic league fund for carrying on the big civic work. Members in arrears will be asked to pay back dues, as only by such payment can they be reinstated. New members will also be asked to classify themselves as active or associate, in order to facilitate the future work of the league. Men will not be asked for either associate memberships or subscriptions, but it is stated that any citizen of the opposite sex who appreciates the work of the league to the extent of assisting it, and who finds the desire compatible with his financial situation, will not be turned down by anybody in the field or over the phone. The league has spent thousands of dollars in civic improvement since its organization in 1908, and every dollar has brought big returns to the city in a way not made possible by any other organization. It needs money for its work in 1922.

"Back Talk."

A little "back talk" about the Wichita Falls Civic league, which is the largest such organization in the state and possibly this section of the country, would reach back to its emergence from the chrysalis of the old Wichita Falls Cemetery association in 1908—fourteen years ago. The Cemetery association's work was naturally limited to a comparatively small section of the city, and as every other section of the city at that time had a healthy need of improvement and assistance, the fifteen active members of the old organization got together and reorganized into the Wichita Falls Civic league. Mrs. J. A. Kemp was the first president.

The first big work of the league was the general cleanup and tree-and-flower planting campaign started in 1908, and the work on Bellevue park, with food inspection close on the heels of both. The city hadn't worried overmuch about a general cleanup nor concerned itself vastly with the condition of food offered for sale, but it began to. A volunteer food inspection department, working in cooperation with the state pure food and health department, was organized in Mayor Britain's administration and continued business at a determined and effective stand until 1916. The citizenry knew a good thing when it was demonstrated, and the paid department now in operation was inaugurated.

In the cleanup and city beautification work, the first move was offering substantial prizes for the prettiest front and back yards, school and church grounds, etc. Wichita Falls didn't look in that day what it looks like today, in the matter of trees and flowers and beautiful yards, but it hasn't been necessary for years to off-prizes to keep up the interest. It was another instance of the demonstration of a good thing and its appreciation by the citizenship. And the Civic league scored another the second run from first base.

In the past three years alone, 1,659 strong new trees have been set out through the direct efforts of the league, with hundreds of bushels of flower bulbs and cuttings distributed where they were most wanted without cost. The plant exchange of the league comprises one of its busiest departments every spring and fall.

In 1920 the league gave its Christmas charity ball for the benefit of the Texas Children's Home and turned over $600 to that organization. In the same year it donated $400 to the Wichita Falls day nursery, just opened.

In 1921 the open air market was opened, and proved a boon to dozens of produce men and hundreds of housekeepers. All of the other work of the league was also continued, an the extension work stressed.

This year—1922—the extension work of the league is probably receiving a maximum of attention, with none of the other six departments neglected, however. The North Side Civic league, which began life under the direction of Miss Florence Jackson, then chairman of the extension department, worked an amazing and appreciated transformation on the other side of the river, both in the physical and spiritual aspect of the community. Today it is one of the busiest and most progressive civic organizations that could be found anywhere.

And the Sibley-Taylor Civic league auxiliary has more than quadrupled its charter membership since its organization a few weeks ago, and has got under way with energy and dispatch, with the parent association backing and working with it. The community has profited by it probably more than by any other effort of its citizenship since that section of the city was settled.

Besides these the Colored Women's Civic league has been doing exceptionally good work for several years in an educational, beautification and sanitary way.

Campaign Committees.

The campaign workers will not meet at the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday morning as was the first intention. They will start work from their respective objectives immediately, instead, and meet at the Y. W. at noon for reporting and for luncheon. The district and section committees, with their chairmen and locations, follow:

District No. One: Mrs. Hubert Harrison, chairman. Location, from Scott street west to Austin, Third street south to Eighteenth street. Mrs. C. E. Bailey and Mrs. T. M. Conrey subchairmen with the following workers yet to be divided between the three sections: Mesdames Bert Bean, Frank Shackleford, C. A. Steelsmith, T. J. Streng, V. H. Shepherd, W. B. Larkin, Wm. Holden, A. C. Price, A. J. Kendall, J. F. Moore, W. R. Duke, E. E. Fisher, Tom Garnett, P. E. Kerr, A. J. Spreagell, R. E. Strange, P. H. Pennington and A. C. Parks, and Miss Viviven Railey.

District No. Two, with Mrs. R. E. Hilburn chairman. Location, from Burnett west to Brook and Fourth street south to Eighteenth street. Mesdames R. E. Hilburn, M. H. Glover and W. H. Doak subchairmen respectively of the following sections of workers: Mesdames A. DiPattillo, M. W. Lewis, C. O. Fritz, A. W. Burnsides, S. E. McConnell, W. S. Tyson and Ernest Archambeau; Mesdames J. A. Gardener, T. A. Beckman, Stanley McGregor, A. P. Terrell and J. A. Staley; Mesdames G. C. Manuel, B. F. Nix, P. A. Rogers, D. M. Jones, W. G. Bentley, Joe Mayfield and Hugh Larkum.

District No. Three, with Mrs. Walter Curlee chairman. Location, beginning with Eighth street, south to Wichita Valley railroad tracks, and Brook street west to Polk. Mesdames W. C. Wicher, R. L. Buchanan, and C. C. Rand II chairmen of the following section workers: Mesdames John Davenport, John Marrs, W. W. Silk, Glen Harvey, Ike Upchurch, W. C. Riddle, Dave Shepherd, C. U. Daniels and C. B. Haney; Mesdames Loren Taylor, Billy Davidson, S. M. Jamison, W. W. Anderson, Fred Barron, Julian Bobo, T. H. Lawson, Piner Avis and Porter; Mesdames L. E. Stewart, William Gamble, A. N. Lummus, Milton Gaines, Frank Keim, John Nossett, Parks, Ed Napier, C. W. Feavers, Harry Bray, L. L. Dixon, F. H. Wray, N. O. Monroe, J. L. McClure, Kirkpatrick and J. W. McCallister.

District No. Four, with Mrs. J. W. Stone chairman. Location, from Seventh street south to Avenue M, Polk, west to Hays. Mesdames Stone, B. F. Johnson and Charles Pogenpohl subchairmen of the following section workers: Mesdames T. P. Duncap, J. V. C. T. Christensen, H. S. Crawford, F. E. Thornburgh, W. W. Cook, D. O. Long, A. R. Bleakley and A. E. Myler; Mesdames J. R. Clymer, Orville Bullington, C. A. Winfrey, Dan T. ton, W. H. Richardson, R. H. Peterson, McMurdy and E. V. Leslie; and Mesdames Nat L. Ingo, H. A. Deans, George Doble, R. H. Collier, T. C. Van Eckman, Alex Kahn, J. Cohen, Charles Crowell and Frank Keim.

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SEVENTY-EIGHT CHILDREN RECEIVE DENTAL TREATMENT

Seventy-eight children in Wichita Falls received teeth correction treatment at the Red Cross free dental clinic at the health center during February. The dental work, made possible through the splendid cooperation of the local dentists with the Red Cross organization, has put Wichita Falls among the "leaders off" in the front rank of cities with effective A. R. C. organizations, and the local board is planning to begin extension work with a view to establishing branch dental clinics in the county. It is possible that the local equipment, which is portable, will be used at Electra in a day's clinic soon.

The local nurses, Miss Mary Quinn, Mrs. Thompson and Miss Dorpat, have started on the spring inspection tour of examinations, and will pay particular attention to the eye, ear, nose and throat inspection.

Two classes in health and hygiene were organized Thursday in the colored section with 25 members, and will meet each week under the direction of Mrs. Thompson.

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KILL KARE KLUB WITH MR. AND MRS. MANSKER

Mr. and Mrs. John Mansker were host and hostess to the Friday evening Kill Kare Klub at their home, 1313 Fillmore, when tables were arranged for five tables of bridge. The house was decorated in Irish green, with shamrocks and little clay pipes in evidence, and bowls and vases of fragrant cut flowers. Mrs. Milton Slack and A. C. Prim won high score in the games and Mrs. P. A. McMurdy and Dr. A. W. West held low. Mrs. Slack was presented with a corsage of cut flowers as guest, after which the hostess served a refreshment plate of pimento sandwiches, olives, potato chips, cake, coffee, paradise pudding and stuffed dates to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames McMurdy, W. O. Smith, J. Ivy, A. W. West, J. C. Walker, C. H. Feathstone, Noble Gray, John Mansker and guests, Messrs. and Mesdames C. A. Winfrey and A. C. Prim and Mrs. Milton Slack.

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EXCLUSIVE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. F. B. DANIEL

Mrs. F. B. Daniel was hostess to the Exclusive Social club Wednesday afternoon at her home, with "42" the entertainment provided. Mrs. Paul F. Cotner, who won high score, was presented with a quill pen, and Mrs. F. D. South was consoled for low with a measuring spoon.

Refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Mesdames B. D. Sartin, Dave Shepherd, C. D. Shamberger, N. E. Stevens, Harvey Harris, F. D. South, Noble Gray, P. H. Lawson, Lee Wilson and Paul Cotner and her guest, Mrs. Paul Anderson.

The club will meet March 22 with Mrs. Noble Gray, 1205 Filmore.

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L. P. HAMMOND HONOREE AT A SURPRISE LUNCHEON

Mr. L. P. Hammond was the very much surprised honoree at a sumptuous stag dinner served by Mrs. Hammond Thursday evening at their home, 1624 Tenth street.

Covers were laid for the following at a prettily decorated table: Messrs. W. R. Ferguson, G. Clint Wood, W. A. Freear, O. L. Powers, C. E. Miller, Walter Pyron and Hammond.

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SPORT COATS STRAIGHT

BY MARIAN HALE

NEW YORK, March.—Sport coats, the sort that may be seen along the avenue and even venture into the afternoon, have taken to straight lines, exceedingly straight!

And, like this clever Claire model they often boast a single button at the very throat, which loops into a cord buttonhole, and lets it go at that! They are designed for warmth, merely something swagger and easy to look at.

Broadcloth is the material most often used for these garments. The lining is a soft silk which dares be very colorful.

Blue, a peculiar bright blue, which just escapes a tinge of green, is the tone used for the model shown. Its smartly tailored pockets are piped with white to match its edge. The large buttons which hold it at the throat are also white.

"HEALTH FAIRY GAME" FOR WICHITA FALLS KIDDIES MARCH 27TH

The "Health Fairy Game," a delightful entertainment for little folks up to and including the third graders, will be given in Wichita Falls March 27 at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the local Red Cross, and every school child in the city from the first, second and third grades will be released from school to attend.

The entertainment, which will be given under the direction of Miss Raymond, from the child welfare organization of New York city, will begin at 2:00 o'clock, and an invitation is issued to all of the children of the county towns and communities to attend. Space will be reserved for the little out-of-town folks at the church.

The "Health Fairy" entertainment, which is expected to be an especially original and attractive affair, will only be given in 20 towns in Texas, and Wichita Falls was one of the first chosen because of its splendid Red Cross work and report for the past year.

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FLORAL HEIGHTS WESLEY CLASS MET ON FRIDAY

The Floral Heights Wesley Girls' class met Friday with Mrs. Charles Crowell, with Mrs. O. W. Harvey Crowell, joint hostess. The house was prettily decorated in St. Patrick colors and favors, and the class members enjoyed several interesting games and contests during the afternoon.

A refreshment plate, carrying out the color scheme of the decorations, was served to the following: Mesdames W. L. Rhodes, Rhea Howard, Earl Ruffner, Charles Green, S. E. Trevathan, J. V. Hopkins, Eugenia Wilson, Loren Taylor, F. C. Elkins, Harvey McCarty, J. R. Monroe, Preston Lea, R. L. Dillard, John Hughes, R. C. Prim, W. H. Robinson, E. M. Hughes, Leon Deaton, Carlisle Norwood, Floyd Billingsley, F. C. Corbin, W. B. Gutschaw, Ida Baker and Leslie Jones.

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FORD-MAIER WEDDING SOLEMNIZED WEDNESDAY

The wedding of Miss Anna Ford and Fred Maier was solemnized at noon Wednesday, March 8, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford, Rev. Dr. Fittenger of the First M. E. church officiating.

Immediately after the wedding a three-course luncheon was served by Mrs. Ford to the wedding party and guests. The house was attractively decorated with cut flowers and fern. Miss Ford wore a blue taffeta wedding dress with accessories to harmonize.

Mr. and Mrs. Maier are at home at 1201 Lamar to their friends.

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BACHELORS CLUB DANCE AT KEMP THURSDAY

The Bachelors Club will entertain with an informal dance at the Kemp Hotel Thursday night, with music furnished by the Youngblood orchestra.

PIANO AND EXPRESSION STUDENTS IN RECITAL

The advanced piano and expression students of Mrs. S. M. Foster and Miss Juanita Kinsey will be presented in recital Tuesday evening, March 14, at the First Methodist church South Tenth and Lamar. The entertainment, to which all friends of the young people are invited, will begin at 8 o'clock and the program will be as follows:

Impromptu, Op. 4, No. 3, Schubert—Miss Eula Lee Gribble.

Prelude, Op 28, No. 20; Op. 20, No. 15, Chopin—Lee Erwin.

Jerry and Mr. Hopkins—Frances Jones.

Kamennoi, Ostrow, Rubinstein—Miss Stella Winters.

The Voice From Afar, Hardin—Miss Dorthy Reed.

June, Tschaikowski—Miss Eula Lee Gribble.

Lovers Latin—Miss Lillian Randle.

Morning, Grieg; Polonaise, Op. 40, No. 1, Chopin—Lee Erwin.

Thou Sublime, Sweet Evening Star, Lisst—Miss Eula Lee Gribble.

Cure for Rheumatism, Burnett—Miss Dorothy Reed.

From an Indian Lodge; To a Water Lily; In Autumn—Miss Eula Lee Gribble.

The Call of the Star Spangled Banner, Anderson—Miss Frances Jones.

Prelude in C sharp Minor, Rachmaninoff, and Shadow Dance, Rachmaninoff—Miss Stella Winters.

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GIRLS' CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS FRIDAY

The Girls' club of the high school held a business meeting Friday afternoon, when the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Miss Janie McAllister, president.

Miss Elizabeth Brown, vice president.

Miss Anabel Couper, secretary.

Miss Louise Deaton, treasurer.

During the business session several of the girls who attended the Oklahomg City conference of the Y. W. girls work gave interesting reports.

BRIEFS AND NOTICES

The Floral Heights Baptist Mission circles will meet as follows Monday afternoon at 2:30: Circle One, with Mrs. Birdwell, 2304 Filmore; Circle

SOCIETY NEWS FROM THE NEARBY NORTHWEST TEXAS CITIES

Henrietta
SOCIAL ITEMS.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday—Methodist Missionary society.
Tuesday—Neighborhood club.
Wednesday—Delphian club.
Thursday—Bridge club.
Friday—Maids and Matrons Bridge.
Saturday—Girls Bridge club.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Green entertained at their home on Bridge street Friday evening with two tables of bridge. At the close of several games Miss Sara Dale received a novelty Dorin for ladies' high score prize and Mr. A. F. Bowdin received a silver ash tray for the gentlemen. At a late hour the hostess served a tempting plate luncheon t the following: Messrs. A. F. Bowdin of Wichita Falls, Fred Berner, Carl Green, Misses Dorothy Bear, Sara Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Brad Staggs.

Unity Club.

The Unity club met in regular session Tuesday in the club rooms. Papers were read as follows: Mrs. S. B. Holley, on Joseph Conrad's "Nigger of the Narcissus"; Mrs. Roy Snearly, "Pleasure and Profit to Be Derived from a Novel of Imagination in Contrast with that to Be Obtained from a Novel with a Social purpose." Mrs. Philo Boddy was leader for the meeting.

The Unity club will have an art exhibit in the club rooms all next week under the direction of Mrs. Douglas from Fort Worth, who is here under the auspices of the state federation. Mrs. Douglas will be entertained by Mrs. Boddy.

Rev. Harry Lee Virden of Dallas is holding a mission at St. Alden's Episcopal church this week and is with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Alexander. Rev. Mr. Virden and K. N. Hapgood of Dallas were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kelly Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Neville entertained with an informal twelve o'clock dinner Tuesday. The following guests were present: Misses Catherine Hall, Cora Neville, Rev. Harry Lee Virden, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Alexander.

Wednesday Afternoon Club.

The Wednesday afternoon "forty-two" club was entertained very delightfully by Mrs. W. H. Myers at her home on East Omega street. There were five tables of players. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. St. Andrew Myers and Mrs. Carl Barker. Delicious angel food cake, maple mousse and salted nuts were served to the following club members and invited guests: Mesdames Henry A. Allen, H. Boddy, Leslie Beamer, J. C. Chesnutt, J. Otto Gilliland, W. K. Millsapp, J. B. Oheim, Roy Snearly, Luther Thaxton, Arch L. Thompson, C. F. Walker, D. B. Walker, O. T. Liles, Jim Dale, Earnest C. Carter, Joseph Edwards, Alvis Fuller, Robert J. Brown, J. S. Dickey, Cyrus Coleman.

Dinner for Orchestra.

Mr. T. H. Marberry and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Millsapp entertained the orchestra of the Methodist church and Sunday school with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Millsapp Tuesday evening. The dinner consisted of fried oysters, sandwiches, pickles, cookies and coffee. Guests besides the orchestra were Misses Ruby and Allie May Marberry, Mrs. T. K. Jones and Rev. Guy Jones.

Informal Bridge.

Miss Mabel Edwards entertained Friday evening with an informal bridge party. At the close of several enjoyable games of bridge the hostess, assisted by her mother, served a salad and ice course to the following: Misses Mamie Kae Nutter, Lydia Cook, Mildred Jasper, Benbie McGlasson; Messrs. Charlie Edwards, Hilliard M. Muse, Kirk Edwards.

Neighborhood Club.

The Neighborhood 42 club was entertained last week by Mr. and Mrs. Ben M. Nutter. After several interesting games of forty-two. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Jack Petro, served an ice course to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames Joe Van Houten, Percy Neville, Jack Petro, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Allison, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Moffett, Mrs. Jack McKenzie and Miss Ettie Pickens.

Maids and Matrons Club.

Miss Mabel Edwards was a charming hostess Friday afternoon to the Maids and Matrons club at her home on West Omega street. There were three tables of players. Miss Cathrin Hall won high score and received a beautiful cut glass odor bottle for the prize. At the close of the games the hostess served a delicious two-course luncheon of pressed chicken with cranberry sauce, stuffed tomatoes with lettuce, brown and white bread sandwiches, olives, coffee, angel food cake and mint ice. The following guests and club members were present: Mesdames Carl Green, Tom Morris, Alvis Fuller, Carl Barker, Robert R. Hodge, Misses Dorothy Bear, Catherine Hall, Lumay McGlasson, Bennie McGlasson, Lydia Cook, Sara Dale, Margaret Holley and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris entertained several of their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Fuller Wednesday evening with three tables of bridge. At a late hour a dainty ice course was served to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames Robert R. Hodge, Cedric O. Taylor, Alvis Fuller, Misses Bryant Edwards, Kirk Edwards, Misses Catherine Hall, Mabel Edwards, the host and hostess.

GIRLS! LEMONS
WHITEN ROUGH
CHAPPED HANDS

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents, shake well, and you have a quarter-pint of harmless and delightful lemon-bleach lotion to soften and whiten red, rough or chapped hands. This home-made lemon lotion is far superior to glycerin and rose water to smoothen the skin. Famous stage beauties use it to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rose-white complexion, because it doesn't irritate.—adv.

The Parent Teachers association in connection with the local merchants are arranging a spring style show to be held March 16 at the Majestic theatre.

Girls Bridge Club.

Miss Catherine Cook was hostess Saturday afternoon at her home to the Girls Bridge club. There were two tables of players and several interesting games were played. Miss Catou Graham received a pretty pongee handkerchief for high score prize. The hostess, assisted by her sister, served charlotte russe and angel food cake to the following: Misses Lydia Cook, Louise Allen, Martha Edwards, Mary Cook, Beatrice Smith, Catou Graham and Mrs. Louis Kerr.

Personals.

Mr. Carl Mangum and Miss Orleta Payne were judges for the local declamation contest in Ringgold Friday evening.

Miss Lois Wantland and Mrs. Zoe W. Smith were called to Waxahachie Friday by news of the serious illness of Jenks Smith, who is attending Trinity university. They returned home Tuesday, where Jenks will remain until he has fully recovered.

Mrs. W. J. Mangum was in Ranger as delegate for the P. T. A. here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ikard, who visitd their daughter, Mrs. Marvin Smith, in Wichita Falls, have returned home.

Miss Lydia Cook, who is teaching school at Joy, spent last week end at home.

Mrs. Hal Basham of Petrolia is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hicks.

Mrs. George Price, who visited her sister, Mrs. G. Wayre Barker, left Monday for Carthage, Mo., to visit before returning home to Glendale, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert A. Hicks left Wednesday for Fort Worth to attend the stock show and visit in Dallas.

Dr. and Mrs. Allison were in Wichita Falls.

Mr. Thomas G. Abraham visited in Dallas.

Mr. Fred Berner was in Wichita Falls.

Mr. Arthur V. Slagle was in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cook of Wilson, Okla., are visiting Mr. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook.

Mr. Carl Green was in Bellevue.

Mrs. J. S. Dickey was in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dale were in Dallas.

Mr. William Mackey of Bonham has accepted a position with the Steger Lumber company in this city.

Miss Dorothy Bear and Sara Dale were in Wichita Falls Saturday evening to attend the automobile show.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graves and son John Milton of Byers are visiting Mr. Graves' mother, Mrs. Lilie Graves.

Miss Maggie Reynolds returned home to Gladewater after a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. D. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stewart and Mr. A. D. Brokaw of Electra are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McNew.

Mrs. Horace Haggard of Wichita Falls are visiting friends in the city.

Harry Myers of Jolly was here.

Mrs. Jim Dale was in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Carl Worsham and daughter Carlamae have returned from an extended trip to St. Paul, Minn., Chicago and other northern points.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Marberry and Mrs. Joe Van Houten were in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. Fred Squires of Dallas, formerly of this place, visited his mother, Mrs. W. H. Squires.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chilson, Mrs. Mary Greer and Mrs. Winters were in Wichita Falls.

Mr. Raymond Jasper of Quanah is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Jasper.

Miss Cora Neville, who has been ill, is now able to resume her work as proprietress of "Ye Hat Shoppe."

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris visited Mrs. Norris' parents in Chillicothe.

Miss Anna Frank Bridges, who has been visiting friends in Dallas, has returned to the city, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. J. S. Dickey.

Mr. J. S. Seigler of Joy was here.

Mr. H. L. Bear was in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac McKearnan and children of Fort Worth have returned home after a month's stay here.

Mr and Mrs. Cedric O. Taylor were in Fort Worth.

Mr. W. H. Kerbow was in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ike Hendley of Denton, who visited her daughter, Mrs. Jack P. Haynor of Wichita Falls, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert R. Hodge.

Mr. Carl Mangum, teacher in the Henrietta high school, was in Ringgold.

Miss Beulah Bradley, county demonstrator, was in Bellevue Friday, where she met twenty-five ladies who were interested in the work. Miss Dora Barnes, clothing specialist of College Station, will be with them at their next meeting, March 17, at which time they intend to complete eight dress forms.

Miss Jewell Jones, who is teaching at Mabel Dean, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Jones, here.

Mr. A. F. Bowdin returned home to Wichita Falls after visiting here.

Mrs. G. W. Ellis is in Wichita Falls visiting her son, Mr. Will Ellis, and family.

Judge R. E. Taylor has returned from Graham.

Jack B. Dale was in Graham.

Herbert Caldwell, recently discharged from the navy, left this week for Chicago, where he will take vocational training.

Mrs. W. A. Blount and daughter, Miss Faye of Roby. Miss Mollie Blount of Petrolia and Miss Lora Blount of Acme visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Millsapp here.

Jack B. Dale and Miss Catou Graham attended the Christian Endeavor rally in Nocona Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Evans returned home after a month's visit in Gainesville and Ardmore, Okla.

Dr. Johanna Campbell of Wichita Falls was here.

Bryant and Kirk Edwards were in Wichita Falls.

W. F. Suddath was in Wichita Falls.

Miss Virginia Ely, who has been with the law firm of Broadfoot, Muse and Taylor, has accepted a position in Marietta, Okla., where she will be located permanently.

Mr. F. O. Moore has returned from Dallas.

Mr. W. S. Culwell's mother and sister, Mrs. L. H. Culwell, and Mrs. B. W. Mitchell of Crosbyton are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Culwell and family.

Superbly satisfactory spectacle service supplied by Fred Goss, optometrist, with Kruger Jewelry Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. (G)

Seymour
Social Items

500 Club

Mrs. E. P. Croft was hostess to the Maids and Matrons club Saturday afternoon in one of its most enjoyable sessions with three tables of members. Miss Grace Porter was most fortunate in the score and was presented a pretty embroidered gingham handkerchief. After the serving of most delicious cherry pie with whipped cream and hot tea a short business session was held. Miss Thelma Porter was elected a member in Mrs. Raymond Croft's place, as she had moved to Fort Worth. Those present were Misses Lucy Britton, Anita Wise, Lois Daugherty, Jesse England, Sallie May Fancher, Neva Merrick, Grace and Thelma Porter and Mesdames W. T. McWilliams, W. B. Alexander, Horace Lankford and D. B. Daugherty Jr.

Christian Aid

The ladies of the Christian church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Gray. A brief business session was held and a report heard from the saleslady on Saturday food sale, announcing $21. The aid decided to furnish the supper for the chamber of commerce banquet Friday evening. Mrs. Lively, the president, complimented the aid on past work and said she felt sure of success Friday evening with the workers she had. Afterwards, the ladies worked on articles to be sold at their Easter sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Honored

A most pleasant afternoon was spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Harrison, with Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Jackson, bride and groom of two weeks, as their honor guests. They informally invited a few friends in for tea and for the purpose of meeting Mr. and Mrs. Jackson. Nut sandwiches, macaroons and chicken sandwiches were passed by Mesdames F. H. Bunkley and the hostess while Mrs. A. K. Moilliet poured tea from a beautiful tea service and table. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames F. H. Bunkley, F. H. Davis, J. J. Cockerel, Morris Randal and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson.

Benefit Show

Friday afternoon at the Criterion theater was "kiddies afternoon," showing "Cinderella." A per cent of the benefits go to circle No. 1 in the Presyterian Ladies Aid, which is under the supervision of Mrs. E. A. Richmond. This circle also serves lunches every Wednesday at the schools.

Dinner Party

Mrs. Tom Irby was the delightful hostess to a dinner party Saturday evening at her home. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wheat, Misses Katherine Terry, Burns Irby, Sarah Wheat, and Messrs. John Veal Wheat and T. E. Irby. Mrs. Irby in her gracious manner served a lovely two-course dinner.

Mrs. E. P. Croft Hostess

The "Know Nothing club" members paid the cold weather very little attention last week. On receiving an invitation to Mrs. Croft's on Friday, most every club member responded and enjoyed a pleasant afternoon. The guests were all arranged in the large living room and the contrast of the inside warmth and cheeriness to the weather outside added to the enjoyment of the afternoon and pleasant company.

After an hour was given to fancy work and conversation the president had a short business session. After roll call and reading of minutes, two vacancies were filled. Miss Neva Merrick was elected in Mrs. Fay Fisher's place and Mrs. J. J. Cockerel in place of Mrs. W. W. Woods. A flower committee was appointed, after which delicious cherry pie with whipped cream and hot tea were served to Mesdames J. T. Bolger, C. E. Johnson, A. Powers, J. R. Mann, Tom Irby, Chas. Mathes, C. M. Randal, Ira Davis, I. O. Newton, S. S. Knox, C. P. Fancher, Alva Hill, R. E. Lankford, R. H. McDavid and Miss Grace Porter and Mrs. Clyde Keitt of Hubbard City, a charter member of the K. N. club.

R. B. Club

The jolly R. B. club was delightfully entertained last Saturday afternoon by Miss Mozele Fancher at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fancher. Three tables were placed in the spacious living room for bridge and a number of games were enjoyed, after which a most tempting salad course was served to Misses Gurylie Dickson, Christine Caldwell, Grace Brooks Caldwell, Pauline Knox, Florence Britton Roberts Snyder, Irene Baker, Gladys England, De Ray Bryan, Ethel Britain, Ida May Fox and Mrs. Walter Fox of Haskell, Texas.

Harmony Club

The Harmony club is now studying folk music and at its regular meeting Tuesday, with Mrs. John Henson as hostesses and leader, found the subject on "Folk Music of Germany" a thoroughly fascinating one. A round table discussion on subject was lead by the leader. In order that all club members might become familiar with some of the most noteworthy folk music, Mrs. Joe Wheat played very impressively the Bavarian "Folk Dance." The next meeting will be with Mrs. F. Decker at the home of Mrs. J. J. Cockerel and the subject will be "Folk Music of Scandanavian."

The guests were Mesdames F. Decker, J. J. Cockerel, J. A. Wheat, W. S. Scruggs, N. P. Mitchel, W. W. Wood and F. H. Bunkley.

Hawaiian Troop a Treat

A most successful concert program was given to the music loving public of Seymour last Wednesday evening, when the Methodist Missionary society presented a number of their talented boys and girls in a Hawaiian program at the home of Rev and Mrs. W. C. Hinds, under the direction of Mrs. J. J. Cockerel. The home was filled to capacity by a distinguished and enthusiastic crowd. The members were without exception at their best and the entire program went along without a hitch from the opening chorus to the good night song. The living room was converted into a Hawaiian palm garden and was beautifully decorated with Hawaiian suggestions with a sunspray of blooming narcissuses, sweet peas, lilies and greenery with large palms adding to beauty of the retreat red-shaded lights also added to the beauty of the scene.

The following program was given:

"One-Two-Three-Four," by entire troop.

"That Is Love," cornet solo—H. L. Carter.

Four young men in fine voice sang "Juanita"—Lewis and Levi Blevins K. Brooks and A. Davenport.

Miss Mattie Lee Richardson read "The Last Hymn," with piano accompaniment by Mrs. J. J. Cockerel.

"Farewell to Thee" was sung by Miss Doris Humphries with Hawaiian accompaniment by the guitar and ukelele and piano.

Trombone solo—Levi Blevins, accompanied at piano by Miss Daisy Baskin.

Duet, "Whispering Hope"—Misses Daisy Baskin and Doris Humphries.

Hawaiian number—Lewis and Levi Blevins on guitar and Newman Blevins on ukelele.

Hawaiian dance—Miss Mattie Lee Richardson.

Hawaiian butterfly dance, in beautiful costume, by Misses Florence Cooper, Georgia Britton, Plessie Carter, Alcen Humphries, Valorie Buck and Eulene Powell.

"Good Night Song," by troop.

About 150 guests occupied seats in the home and there were many deeply appreciative comments on the program and at the close of the entertainment scores remained to congratulate the producer and various talents. Mrs. J. J. Cockerel was due much credit for the music furnished for the entertainment.

During the serving of pineapple pie with whipped cream and hot coffe a five-piece orchestra furnished music.

Pierian Club

The Pierian club met Thursday afternoon at the library. After a short business session the afternoon was given over to a splendid program led by Mrs. J. M. Roach. The subject was "Job." To the roll call they responded with a valuable thought received from study of poem.

Analysis of poem, Mrs. S. W. Pistole.

Relation of the Book of Job with the Teaching of New Testament—Mrs. C. T. Porter.

Job 21:12, "They take the Timbrel and heart and rejoice at the sound of the organ"—Mrs. H. C. Hinds.

Questions on lesson were asked by Mrs. J. M. Roach.

The members were Mesdames A. Davenport, Joe Dickson, F. H. Bunkley, R. R. Kellum, H. E. Lankford, W. Nichlos, S. W. Pistole, Joe Wheat, G. S. Plants, J. M. Roach, Chas. Randal and M. R. Surratt.

The next meeting will be March 2 with Mesdames A Power and S. M. Surratt at the home of Mrs. Power.

Personals

Mrs Guy Farmer was operated on for nasal polypi last Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Clyde Keitt returned to home Sunday at Hubbard City, having been here to attend the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Fay Fisher.

It is with much regret that Seymour is to loose the splendid family of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McWilliams. They leave for their new home in Mineral Wells Tuesday.

Johnnie Croft has gone to Fort Worth and has accepted a position in one of Ligget's drug stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilder Kenan of Haskell are spending the week in the home of his sister, Mrs. Geo. Plants.

Miss Thelma Dickson sustained a very severe accident last week by snow-balling. She was hit in the eye by a hard ball and it is feared she may loose her sight in that eye. Accompanied by her mother, she left for Dallas Tuesday to consult a specialist.

Miss Lucile Rupe has been quite sick for the past week.

W. H. Francis returned from Breckenridge last Saturday night.

Miss Alma Fancher returned from Electra and Wichita Falls. While in Wichita Falls she was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burnside.

Mrs. J. T. Williams was in Wichita Falls last week and was a guest of Mesdames W. J. and P. W. Nolen on Tenth street.

Messrs. Sam Cockerel and Raleigh Fancher were in Electra this week.

Mrs. Walter Fox and Miss Ida May Fox of Haskell spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Blocker.

Miss Robbie Joe, an ever welcome visitor from Haskell, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lively.

Mrs. E. P. Smith returned last week from Mineral Wells, bringing her little granddaughter home with her.

J. C. Ziegler motored Mesdames J. S. Foster, R. H. McDavid and M. R. Fuller to Wichita Falls Tuesday to attend the automobile show.

Mrs. R. L. Coffee of Vernon is a visitor in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. R. Martin.

Mrs. E. A. Pancher left Tuesday for A. & M. college in answer to a sick message concerning her son, Bedford Fancher.

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VERNON
SOCIETY NEWS.

VERNON, TEXAS, March 11.—Miss Woody Dixon was hostess to the Entre Nous Bridge club Thursday evening at her home on West Texas street. Those present other than club members were Misses Leola Smith, Annah Jo Pendleton, Rose Ellmann, Lucile Shahk and Johnny Mallow. Miss Frances Greever won high score for members and Miss Lucile Holt low score. High score for guests was attained by Miss Shank. Favors were white carnations. Delicious refreshments were served following cards.

Miss Clara Will Lane was hostess last Saturday to the T. G. Bridge club. Only one guest other than members, Miss Mary Hope Westbrook, was present. Following cards refreshments were served.

The explosion of a stove in the rear of the Bargdoll grocery on North Main street about 11:30 Wednesday morning sent the fire department to the scene of the blaze. Small damage was done.

Miss Adele Sumner, daughter of Mrs. J. C. Sumner, has been invited by the management of the Southwestern exposition and fat stock show to be princess from Vernon at the elaborate pageant to be staged in Fort Worth.

Vernon Rotarians went to Electra Friday night to attend a banquet which they tendered to B. O. Brown, formerly editor of the Record and retiring president of the local organization. Numbers of Electra citizens were guests at the affair, which was served by ladies of a church there. An attractive program of songs and speeches were presented.

B. O. Gilstrap of Iowa Park was in Vernon Tuesday.

Mrs. J. V. Townsend has been ill this week with influenza.

E. L. Dohoney has been confined to his home this week through illness.

R. Belcher of Wichita Falls was in Vernon Wednesday.

A. M. Works was confined to his home through illness.

Mrs. F. Hammond of Wichita Falls is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Manis, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Josephine Mayfield, Miss Louis Pinder and Harry Viner of Wichita Falls visited in Vernon for a short time Wednesday.

S. A. L. Morgan, candidate for congress, spent three days this week in Vernon.

Bowie News

Maids and Matrons Club

The Maids and Matrons club met with Mrs. Emin Heard Wednesday afternoon. Nearly all of the members were present, and an interesting program on the "Orchestra" was rendered.

Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. R. Q. Kennedy was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge club last week. Two tables of players were present, and several games of bridge were played. Mrs. Cecil Thomas scored high and at the close of the games was presented with a box of dainty linen handkerchiefs. A tempting plate luncheon was served to the following club members and guests: Mesdames Ras Saufley, Harry Karlsberg, C. C. Hutchinson, Emmett Archer, R. G. Stephenson, Lawrence and Miss Beatrice Kuteman of Ringgold.

Thursday Club Notes

The Thursday club held its regular meeting with Mrs. Worsham Whitman this week. About 20 members were present. Several important civic questions were taken up and discussed, and after the business meeting an interesting program on the writer "Synge" was given.

Country Club Barbecue

On Thursday evening at 6:30 a number of Country club members and their friends met for a barbecue at the club house. About 75 were present and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Literary Club

The Womans Literary club met with Mrs. Arnold Anderson Wednesday with 12 club members present. Mrs. C. Y. Cosby and Mrs. D. Calaway were welcome visitors from the Thursday club. The following program on Texas history was rendered: "Life of General Sam Houston"—Mrs. A. S. Jameson. "Life of John H. Reagan"—Mrs. E. A. Speer. "Early History of Bowie"—Mrs. Sam Heard. A parliamentary drill was conducted by Mrs. C. Y. Cosby.

I. B. Williams Elected

The school board at its regular meeting Wednesday night elected Professor I. B. Williams superintendent for next year. Professor Williams, who at present is superintendent at Alvord, was formerly a Montague county man, serving as county superintendent in Montague county for four years. Bowie will be very glad to have him with the schools.

Personals

Jack Beauchamp left this week to accept a position in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. Wynn, who has been visiting Mrs. W. S. Cummins, has returned home to Dallas.

Mrs. Floyd Price, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Askew, for several weeks, has returned home to Carnegie, Okla.

Mrs. W. S. Jameson of Montague is the guest of Mrs. A. S. Jameson.

Mrs. L. B. Moore and Miss Marianna Thorton of Bellevue were in Bowie.

Stamford
SOCIAL ITEMS.

Texas Exes Celebrate.

The third annual celebration of Texas Independence day by Jones county ex-students of the University of Texas took place Thursday evening at the Stamford inn. The banquet table was beautifully decorated with the varsity colors, orange and white, with a pair of immense horns for the centerpiece, typical of the early years of Texas and the football team of today, "The Longhorns." Baskets of yellow jonquils added charm to the long table and grape fruit baskets at every place carried out the color scheme effectively. Place cards, clever sketches of college girls in caps and gowns drawn by Mrs. E. V. Hardwick, marked covers for the following: Judge and Mrs. E. V. Hardwick, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Starkey Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Holland, Sid Lawrence and Miss Fannie Greenwade, Charles Sledge and Miss Virginia McKinney, Louis Langford and Miss Alpha Mae Porter, Harry Yates and Mrs. Payne, W. G. Swenson and Miss Gladys Rose, Miss Sallie T. McCulloch, representative of the senior class of S. H. S., and Judge Pope of Anson, who gave the principal address of the evening. Mr. Swenson presided and Judge Hardwick acted as toastmaster, introducing the speakers. Taking part in the program were Mr. Holland, Miss McKinney, who gave an appropriate reading; Dr. Hudson, Mrs. Duncan, Miss Rose and Miss McCulloch. The subject of Judge Pope's address was "Taking the University Out of Politics" and was handled in a masterful manner. Called into a business session by Mr. Swenson officers for the year were elected as follows: president, Judge W. S. Pope, of Anson; vice-president, N. S. Holland; secretary, Miss Gladys Rose; reporter to the Alcalde, Mrs. Duncan. Souvenirs of this occasion were handsome booklets with greetings from President Vinson and Orville Bullington, president of the Ex-Students association and an oration by Judge Yancy Lewis, "The True Spirit for Independence Day," sketches of the University and campus and pictures of such beloved teachers as Dr. Harber, Dr. Simonds, Dean Sutton, Dean T. U. Taylor, Dr. Battle, Dean Benedict, Judge Townes, Judge Simpkins, Dean Carter of the medical department at Galveston and the "portrait of a Lady," Mrs. Helen Marr Kirby, for so many years the loved and respected dean of women of the university. Prof. Holland, who has recently visited the university, reported favorably upon Stamford's students there. In athletics, the greatest honor possible has been conferred upon Magnus Swenson, as captain of the Longhorns, he stated.

Rotary Club Luncheon.

One of the largest attendances in the history of Rotary club was their regular luncheon at the Inn on Tuesday. The paramount feature of entertainment was the Wisdom sisters, the singing evangelists of the Methodist church. After the luncheon Rotarian Eustice Bunkley drew the prize, a leather belt. President McDonald introduced the guests, who were: Frank Adams, postmaster; M. B. Howard, Sweetwater Postmaster Inspector Kennedy of Abilene; Rev. Ernest Baldwin, Dallas; S. J. Strickland, J. K. Pittard Jno. C. Thompson, Judge Walter S. Pope, Prof. Rogers, Anson; O. P. Thomas, Abilene, and the Wisdom sisters. Several numbers were given by the Wisdom sisters after which the committee on the traveling mens' banquet recommended that such a banquet be given March 24. Chairman J. H. Hamblen of the Boy Scout committee reported thirty-five members of the Boy Scouts. Chairman O. P. Harlan of "On to Mineral Wells" committee, reported about twenty Rotarians had signed to attend the district conference.

Mrs. Burns Hostess.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. J. A. Burns was hostess to the study class of Mrs. H. H. Pennington of the Central Presbyterian church. Games of "84" pleasantly passed the afternoon and lovely refreshments were served at the conclusion. The members present were Mesdames E. P. Bunkley, H. H. Pennington, Perry Smith, O. R. Belcher, A. H. Goldsticker, Klein, Moudy and Lloyd.

Pierian Club.

Thursday afternoon the Pierian club met at the library with Mrs. J. H. Rutherford as leader. She was assisted by Miss Gladys Rose and

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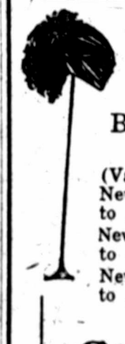

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Mrs. Geo. Connell in discussing the seven short plays by Lady Gregory. The members present were Mesdames Geo. Pryor, J. M. Carter, Geo. Connell, Harry Fuller, W. M. Harlan, J. H. Rutherford, W. V. Keith, A. H. Harmon, Bruce Stevenson, C. F. Upshaw, Lorne York and Misses Greenwade, Mary Pennington, Margaret Crockett and Cecile Donaldson.

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The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Northwest Texas conference will convene in Stamford April 15 to 18.

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Fire Company Meets.

The Stamford fire department met in regular session Friday night, March 3, President C. L. Meeker presiding. The department had a full attendance. Vice-President Pinson made a talk to the members of the department's band, who are taking great interest in their work. G. L. Inglish was unanimously elected an honorary member for the service he has always rendered the department.

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Mrs. Burrow's Recital.

Friday evening in the auditorium of the high school Mrs. B. C. Burrow presented her violin, voice and piano pupils in a recital. Thirty-one numbers were on the program and all were well rendered.

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Recital Saturday Evening.

Saturday evening at the High school auditorium Mrs. Harry R. Fuller and Miss Virginia McKinney, assisted by some of the music pupils of Miss Stillwell gave the following program: "Valse Chromatic," piano, Miss Evelyn McCloud; "Just Be Glad," "Amateur Photography" and "The Drummer," by Dovie Pearl Kight; "Patsy," by Miss White; a dialect group, by Miss Odell Johnson; "Hullo," and "Little Boy," by Dorothy Guillett; "Uncle Gab's White Folks," by Juanita Wright; two vocal solos, "With You" and "Spring is a Lovable Ladye," by Miss Pennington; Penrod Story, Miss Evalyn Baker; scene from "Miss Minerva and William Greenhill" by Alice Crawford. The cast in "Young Doctor Devine" included Misses Virginia McKinney, Dorothy McCloud, Hattie White, Dorothy Guillett, Evalyn Baker, Juanita Wright, Dovie Pearl Kight, Mrs. Bruce Stevenson and Miss Odell Johnson. Miss Clarice Hood concluded the program with two piano numbers.

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Pretty Party Friday.

Mrs. R. R. Robertson was hostess to the Kolonial Kard Klub and a few guests Friday afternoon. Spring blossoms in antique vases and American Beauty buds with ferns gave an artistic air to the rooms where bridge was played. Mrs. Herbert Carter and Mrs. Louis Dial cut for the prize, a dainty hand-made pongee handkerchief, which went to Mrs. Dial. Marshmallow whip, date loaf and cake were served to Mesdames J. D. Shackelford, Arthur Vernon, W. B. Harrison, Nib Shaw, Louis Dial, Herbert Carter, Claude Yates, C. F. Upshaw, J. R. Andrews, Cordie Pennell, Rudolph Colbert, W. B. Tayman, E. P. Bunkley, H. H. Pennington, Wayne Bryant, Frank Morrow, C. M. Francis, H. H. Harmon, N. C. Harmon of Holland, Russell Morrison, T. Murray Doyle, W. P. McDonald and Misses Irene Ferguson of Mineral Wells, Agnes Pender, Cecile Donaldson and Marie Dee.

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Party Thursday Evening.

A very enjoyable party was that on Thursday evening when the Junior Philathea class entertained the Junior Baracca class of St. John's M. E. church in the assembly room in the basement. The rooms were beautifully decorated in the national colors and games made the evening most pleasant. A refreshment plate of pimento sandwiches and hot tea was served to these large classes of Mrs. Massey and Dr. Blackwell and a number of visitors.

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J. F. Adams Gives Banquet.

J. F. Adams gave a dinner at Stamford Inn Monday night to which were invited all the employes of the postoffice, the retiring postmaster, Stephen Bennett, several business men of the city and Mayor B. P. Davenport. After the banquet was served Toastmaster Homer D. Wade called on John Plummer to speak, and later G. A. Gray of Anson made a speech and J. M. Carter made a short talk. Dennis Rhea, who has been with the postoffice since he was a boy, made an appeal to the merchants and business men for co-operation. Stephen Bennett was asked to talk of the past and Mr. Adams closed the program of talks.

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Woman's Missionary Society.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Central Christian church held their monthly meeting at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. At the close of the business session the president appointed two captains who will serve for six months. These captains chose from those present and the roll, dividing the society into two circles. Each woman was given a record from which she reports on ten points each month. Each circle will alternate in furnishing the monthly program. Mrs. Browning led a good meeting, the subject being "The Work on the Congo." The map and pictures of Africa were displayed on the wall. At the social hour sandwiches and hot chocolate were served to fifteen women.

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Parent-Teacher Association.

The Parent-Teacher association held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the High school auditorium. As it is the custom when school children are to appear on the program the business session was deferred and the program given first. By request of the program committee Mrs. Flournoy presented her pupils in the fifteen-minute program that won for them the $20 gold piece from the International Harvester Co. last week. This program consisted of the American creed repeated in concert and saluting the flag, patriotic songs and declamations, and was given without a mistake of any kind. Following this Judge W. T. Andrews spoke on "Shall Women Be Elected as Members of School Boards?", discussing the changing attitude of the world toward women and her sphere. At the conclusion of the program a business session was held and the reports from various committee given. After the splendid example of civic training for children Miss Gladys Rose gave a paper on community civics which was well received.

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Woman's Missionary Society.

The Woman's Missionary society of St. John's M. E. church held a business session Monday afternoon. One important item of business discussed was the raising of a fund for building a Methodist dormitory at State university. St. John's auxiliary has been asked to raise $75. Arrangements are going forward for entertaining the annual meeting in Stamford, April 15 to 18.

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Personals and Brevities.

J. A. Pickens has returned from Waco.

Chas. Brewington and Hon. Cullen Thomas went to Rule Wednesday, where Mr. Thomas spoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Browning were here from Albany, attending the Methodist revival.

The B. Y. P. U. social at the Second Baptist church Tuesday night was well attended and enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Andrews are parents of a young son, Henry G. Jr., since Sunday, March 5.

V. Z. Rogers, superintendent of the Anson schools, and John C. Thompson, county superintendent of public instruction, were here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook announce the arrival of a son on Tuesday, March 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Pierce of Portland, Oregon, announced the birth of a daughter in a telegram received Tuesday by Rev. J. D. Crockett, father of Mrs. Pierce, who was formerly Miss Gertrude Crockett of this city.

A message has been received by Mrs. J. K. Ashburn from Simmons City, stating that her aged father, J. N. Belle of that place was not expected to live. On account of Mr. Belle's old age, 94, little hope is entertained for his recovery. Mrs. Geo. Flournoy and Mrs. C. F. Wallace of this city are grandchildren of Mr. Belle.

W. N. Reynolds, who has been on the Colbert River ranch is visiting in Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. O. E. Wilson of Wichita Falls has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cargill.

James Edward Inglish has returned from Bonham.

J. A. Pickens and son, J. A. Jr., went to Hamlin Monday.

R. E. McDonald was in Abilene.

Ed Dodson has been ill.

Mrs. D. O. McRimmon and son Willard of Aspermont have recently been guests of Miss Mayme Cullum.

Mrs. Carl Langford is reported improved.

Holly Rose is here from Dallas.

Nib Shaw is in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ferguson of Mineral Wells are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Murray Doyle.

Mrs. J. M. Carter has been ill.

Chas. Brewington returned from Dallas Friday and states that Mrs. Brewington is improving since an operation recently.

Mrs. J. D. Green has been out of the library several days on account of illness.

The second number of the Lyceum course given under the management of the local Red Cross will be the Westhall quartette in the auditorium of the high school on the evening of March 13.

W. O. Dallas, pastor of the First Christian church at Abilene will preach here Sunday at the Central Presbyterian church. The pastor, Rev. Geo. Morrison, will fill the pulpit at Abilene.

Hon. Cullen F. Thomas, candidate for the United States senate, made an address at the city hall Tuesday evening.

Friday the third was the last day of the short course in agriculture here. Many farmers were here and the gatherings have been good considering the cold weather.

The revival at the First Baptist church is progressing nicely with Rev. Ernest Baldwin of Dallas preaching and S. J. Stricklin leading the singing and conducting all the music for the revival.

The Wisdom sisters arrived Tuesday morning and are doing the singing at the revival at St. John's M. E. church which is now well under way with Rev. J. H. Hamblen preaching.

The new band for Stamford, under the tutorship of Joe Ward of Abilene, formerly of Stamford, is getting along splendidly.

R. V. Colbert, J. C. Bryant and R. B. Bryant recently made business trips to Albany and Post.

R. B. Bryant and W. I. Pratt were in Knox City Wednesday.

Miss Vesta Fleming is at home after a seven week's visit with relatives at Mineral Wells, Weatherford and DeLeon.

Dr. Mitchell is out after a severe attack of flu.

Mrs. D. P. Folly returned home to Clovis, N. M., Wednesday after visiting here.

Miss Ora Bowden of San Antonio is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eanes Brophy.

J. L. Wileman was in Roby, McCawley and Roosevelt.

Marshall Baldwin was here from his father's ranch at Old Glory.

A. C. Thompson returned from Pampa, Texas, Sunday where he attended the funeral of his brother.

T. W. Anderson, manager of Grisom's store, is in Dallas.

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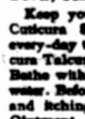

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Garment Salons (Second Floor)

Special Sale of *Brassiers*—Monday

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Corset Section (Second Floor)

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AMUSEMENTS

WALLY REID SEEN AS RING CHAMP IN OLYMPIC PICTURE

"The World's Champion" Comes For First Three Days of Week.

Middleweight ring champion of the world is the latest movie role undertaken by Wallace Reid, who comes to the Olympic theatre Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in his latest Paramount release "The World's Champion." The picture is based on the novel "The Champion" and was directed by Philip Rosen.

Mr. Reid, as the hero, appears as the battling son of a meek and nobility-worshiping British commoner. His first fistic encounter with a bawley duke, who is his rival in love, results in a decisive victory for the nobility. Our hero then goes to America, enters the ring and eventually emerges as middleweight champion of the world.

He later becomes a successful lawyer, returns to England, whips the tar out of the duke, is banqueted and feted, wins the lady fair and then brings her back to the U. S. A. Plenty of comedy and the usual highpowered romance of the Reid pictures make this film one of his best.

Lois Wilson, Helen Dunbar and Guy Oliver head the supporting cast.

The last three days of the week bring a combination of laughs and pathos with Will Rodgers and Lila Lee as the stars in "One Glorious Day," another Paramount picture directed by James Crux. The homely Will is seen as a professor of psychology, while the pretty Lila appears as a much sought Irish maiden who eventually falls for the eratic but loveable professor.

THEATRES

Olympic.
Monday to Wednesday—Wallace Reid in "The World's Champion."
Thursday to Saturday—Will Rodgers in "One Wonderful Day."

Empress.
Monday and Tuesday—Constance Talmadge in "In Search of a Sinner."
Wednesday and Thursday—Pola Negri in "The Red Peacock."
Friday and Saturday—William Desmond in "Fightin' Mad."

Majestic.
All week—Jack Hutchinson and chorus in "The Zis-Zas Revue."

Gem.
Monday—Earl Williams in "The Silver Cow."
Tuesday—First National feature production, "The Last of the Mohicans."
Wednesday—Quinn Williams in "Across the Border."
Thursday—William Russell in "The Lady from Longacre."
Friday—Doris May and Bull Montana in "The Foolish Age."
Saturday—William Fairbanks in "Hell's Border."

FOUR DIVERSIFIED FILM TYPES BOOKED FOR COMING RELEASE AT THE EMPRESS

Four widely diversified types of pictures will be offered in the Empress theater movie bill for the coming week.

The first two days brings an all-star comedy program, with Constance Talmadge in "In Search of a Sinner" and Charlie Chaplin in "A Dog's Life" as the co-stars. Wednesday and Thursday brings a heavy melo-drama. "The Red Peacock," starring Pola Negri, and the final two days will offer one of the popular wild west dramatic films, "Fightin' Mad," with William Desmond and Rosemary Thebe in the title roles.

In the Talmadge and Chaplin pictures, comedy is the predominating feature. A little light drama is mixed in with the work of Miss Talmadge, while nothing but hokum is used in the Chaplin release. The latter picture is regarded as one of Charlie's best and for those that are fond of his work it comes highly recommended. "In Search of a Sinner" is the latest release of the ever popular Conale and little is known of it.

"The Red Peacock," in which Pola Negri stars Wednesday and Thursday, is melodramatic from the first and is one of the heavy, passionate types that are welcome reliefs from the usual lighter pictures, but which are now falling into some disfavor among followers of the cinema art.

William Desmond in "Fightin' Mad" needs no introduction whatsoever as this type of playing is well known.

PART OF "THE ZIZ-ZAZ REVUE" CHORUS AT MAJESTIC

WALLY AT THE OLYMPIC ON MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

Wallace Reid and Kid McCoy in a scene from the Paramount Picture, "The World's Champion."

DORIS MAY AND BULL MONTANA IN PICTURE SCHEDULED FOR THE GEM

Earl Williams in "The Silver Car" is the first of a number of film celebrities scheduled to make their appearance at the Gem theater during the coming week. He will be followed by William Russell, William Fairbanks, Doris May, Bull Montana and a number of other lesser lights, all of whom have been cast in pictures of exceptional entertainment qualities.

"The Silver Car" comes for Monday only and will be succeeded Tuesday by a big First National attraction, "The Last of the Mohicans," a screen adaption of the famous novel by James Fennimore Cooper. An all-star cast is used in this production.

Wednesday brings Quinn Williams, better known as "Big Boy," in "Across the Border," a stirring tale of outdoor life along the Mexican line. Thursday brings William Russell in "The Lady from Longacre" and Thursday finds the real feature of the week, Doris May and Bull Montana in "The Foolish Age."

Miss May has always been a prime favorite here, and the fact that Bull appeared personally at the Wichita theater in a number of wrestling matches has gained for him a large local following.

Saturday will close the week with William Fairbanks in "Hell's Border."

"ZIZ-ZAZ REVUE" OPEN TWO WEEK STAY AT MAJESTIC

A combination musical revue and vaudeville layout going under the name of "The Ziz-Zaz" revue will be the attraction at the Majestic theatre for the coming two weeks. The show, which is described as being "something different," features Jack Hutchison and Midge Hiatt, with a large chorus.

The principal offering of the opening engagement will be "Polly of the Follies," a musical comedy with a Broadway romance as the main setting. A wealthy western sheriff and his college son who hit New York with a bang and cop off a chorus girl and a society dame for their prospectives furnish most of the excitement. Plenty of music, dancing and humor make the offering an attractive one.

Supporting "The Ziz-Zaz" revue will be five vaudeville troups, listed as follows: Roy and Rick Hughes in "Humps and Bumps;" Florence Thomson in "Kid Songs and Dances"; Grace Hutchison and Gene Cloude in "A Boy A Girl A Piano," "The Mystic Dunbars" and Tom, Midge, Jack and Vic, "The Nutty Four."

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THURSDAY—Wm. Russell in "THE LADY FROM LONGACRE"
FRIDAY—Doris May and Bull Montana in their latest comedy, "FOOLISH AGE"
SATURDAY—Wm. Fairbanks in "HELL'S BORDER"
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Throughout the entire store the blithesome spirit of Spring prevails and merchandise for the home and for the individual is vibrantly attuned to Spring's pulsing theme.

COLOR

Color plays a vibrant, living part in Spring Modes. Here are some of the fascinating new shades!

Spray Bambino
Cherub
Periwinkle Cactus
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LUSCIOUS Taffetas that make little Watteau figures of the younger generation. Heavy rough-woven white crepes with the Oriental feeling for Madame's frocks and radiant gold-shot Satins and printed Silks to line her Manteaux. . . . A tricksy fine cotton crepe, pastel toned and covered over with chalk white beads. A fairy-like gossamer fabric—unbelievably substantial—traced with a delicate web of Sports frocks and skirts developed in a rough-surfaced tub material blocked off with lines of white. . . . Perllaine, a soft new pliable wool fabric, comes in tan, silver grey and white for skirts and frocks. Kasha, a glorified cashmere weave with a brushed wool surface, is stunning in pumpkin color or white frocks and wraps, as is also Crepon, the new thin wool crepe.

Blouses

WITH consummate cleverness, the new Blouse resigns its role of star, and adroitly co-operates with skirt and wrap in achieving complete costumes of unrivalled smartness. Whether Crepe de Chine, Canton or Georgette, whether Peasant Blouse, Overblouse or Middy Blouse style, it finds its best expression in carrying out the costume motif.

Clever Suits

Express the Costumer's Skill

SENSING the important place which the Suit would assume in the Spring outfit, master costumers have employed their highest art in devising new and unexpected ways for making it smart and desirable.

The Three-piece Suit, the Compose Suit, the Sports Suit, the nonchalant little Box-Coat Suit, these at their best make up this distinguished presentation.

New Frocks

Find New Ways to Charm

IT has a mystifying way—has the new Frock—of entangling its identity with some sort of smart little cape. The cape may be of the same fabric, gayly lined, or of different material with lining matching the Frock.

Vividly colored Frocks glorify the sports world, sharing honors with winsome little affairs of white Crepe de Chine, combined with kasha.

Spring Wraps

Display Gracious Attributes

CONCEIVED in gracious mood, are these drapey, studied Wraps. Some show a simple circular cut of graceful fullness with high soft collar of cloth or silk. Sometimes a collar of raggedy chrysanthemums or fluffy fur contributes its picturesque touch.

Woolly fabrics with huge overplaids are perfection for motoring and sports, and knitted Capes are overwhelmingly approved.

Her Chapeau

Expresses Its Moods in Color

DELECTABLE confections of leghorn, Milan or dead-white horsehair, garlanded with flowers or masked with lace. Shapes of faille, ribbon, crepe, taffeta, in combination with hemp, timbo, tagal or other braids. Turbans of visca and lisere enriched with feather sprays, glycerined or shellacked and crushable Sports models knitted or of felt, chenille or jersey to match one's costume.

Colors: Poppy, French Blue, Rust, Burnt Orange, Majolica, Jade, Canna Red, Tile, Periwinkle, Pumpkin.

Saith the Oracle—

"These Things Must Milady Have"

SINCE all things else acquiesce the distinction of an embriodered motif—so it would seem, must one's Gloves. Pourquoi? Paris has decreed it. Also, Paris has looked in her mirror and formed the little pinned-back Veil chic beyond words. Therefore is the snug-fitting Veil henceforth au fait. . . . And does one countenance so drab a thing as a dull day? By all means, no! One dispels it with a gay silk Scarf flung to the winds of heaven. If that should not suffice, a lacy, frilly, frivolous little Vestee tucks itself coyly into one's suit coat and the miracle is complete. . . . One must have adequate protection these perilous times so an Umbrella is the constant companion of one's walks, its gorgeous bakelite or carved ivory handle far too fine to blush unseen. . . . And as for that provocative minx of a Handkerchief, it is just a net frill embracing a circular bit of melting color. That same searching color may be repeated in Earrings, if one so desires, as essential as one's boots that gala days and by the same token so are Bracelets. They may jingle and jangle in half-dozen lots on one arm, if the spirit so moves.

Spring Apparel

Impeccably Correct in the Details

WITH code as unbending as the laws of the Medes and Persian, the world of sports demands that its devotees be impeccably attired according to rule. Conspicuously correct Sports Apparel of the newest mode is featured in the Spring presentation.

The cocky little Hat of Felt, fabric or wool, the smart compose Suit in all its interesting phases; tailored shirts, knitted Frocks and outer wear; sports Hose, Scarfs, Gloves, all find adequate and authoritative representation.

Fashions

Befitting Junior Buds

TAKING its modes and and its moods scarcely less seriously than its elders the younger generation's Apparel has a dominant place in the displays of the Spring Exposition. With unerring instinct for fitness, clever designers have adapted the fashions of the hour to youthful needs.

Fascinating new collections are gathered in the Junior Sections representing the new mode at its best in Frocks and Suits for sports and school and dress-up wear; Tub Frocks and Taffeta Frocks in particularly adorable guise will intrigue Miss Polly.

Tiny Tots

And What They will Wear

THE diminutive smartness of the little tots of both sexes is one of the beautiful things about the mode of the new season. No more interesting sport is to be found in all the wonders of the Spring Exposition than the Juvenile Sections.

Charming displays present new and lovely things in play clothes, school clothes, dress-up clothes and real party clothes for both wee Girls and Boys.

Play clothes show the peasant influence. Quaintly smocked and cross-stitched little garments have a decided old-world flavor.

INTERESTING BITS FOR THE HOME

In the Spirit of the Spring Season

HOME is in its most livable and lovable mood when it takes on the blithe Spring atmosphere in all the delightful details of furnishing which the season suggests.

Our Drapery department is overflowing with beautiful Spring Draperies of Nets, Scrims, Madras, Cretonnes, etc., from the famous Colonial Drapery line. Draperies selected from our bountiful stocks are assured of being correct in style and reasonable in price as stocks are New.

New Counterpanes

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At the Churches Today

Floral Heights Methodist Church.
The Sunday school will be especially interesting today. Mr. H. W. Richardson, the singer for the revival, will conduct song service. You are invited to join this school at 9:30 a. m. The revival begins today. The services will be as follows: 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor; subject, "The Christian Like a River." Mr. Richardson will sing. The anthem will be "The Lord is My Strength." There will be a song rehearsal at 4 p. m. for all young people who will sing for the meeting. The services at night will be evangelistic, the pastor preaching on "Regeneration." It is expected that a great congregation will be present. There will be services each evening at 7:45 and each afternoon at 4, for all children and young people.

Floral Heights Methodist Church Senior League.
(6:30 p. m.)—Leader, Miss Hazel Donehoo, superintendent of second department. Subject, "Happiness." Scripture lesson, Prov. 3:1-14, by Fay Howell. Prayer. Talk by Ray Bland. Vocal solo, Corrine Whaley. Piano solo, Ernest Bartlett. Story, Miss Mae Cowling. Mr. W. H. Richardson will conduct the song service.

First Presbyterian Church.
Miss Teresa Veale will sing Sunday morning and there will be special music at night. The subject of the pastor's morning sermon will be, "Compensation." At night, "The Millennium." Opportunity for church membership will be given Sunday morning. The night sermon closes the series on the fundamentals.—N. F. GRAFTON, Pastor.

Church of the Good Shepherd.
(Episcopal). Holy communion, 8 a. m. Sunday school, 9:45. Holy baptism, 10.45. Morning prayer and litany, 11.00. The rector's seromn subject will be "The Transfiguration of Sorrow." Evening—Olympic theatre—7:15. If you have never attended this wonderful service of worship, song and inspiration, come this Sunday evening. But don't wait until the last minute—you won't be able to get in.—FRED T. DATSON, Rector.

Lamar Avenue Baptist Church.
Fourth and Lamar streets. We are extending a special invitation for new members in our Sunday school. We now have several additional class rooms and are prepared to take care of a much larger school. Time for meeting is 9:45 a. m., preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor. Subject in the morning, "Some Characteristics of the Early Christians;" evening, "The Reign Christ." Sunbeams at 3:00 p. m. and Senior and Intermediate B. Y. P. U. meet at 6:15 p. m.—A. J. HOLT, Pastor.

Pastor's Association.
There will be a regular meeting of the pastor's association of the city at the First Christian church, Monday morning at 10 o'clock. All pastors are urged to be present. An important matter of business will be brought before the body.

Floral Heights Presbyterian.
1701 Kemp Blvd. and Avenue G. Live Sunday school at 10 a. m. This is "Bring one, Sunday," children to bring their parents and parents to bring their children. Shall we have a house full? Let us see. This is also the Junior sermon day. The pastor will use objects to illustrate the sermon, and will have something of interest for those who stay.—C. C. DOOLEY.

East Side Presbyterian.
Sunday school at 3 p. m. We urge those who have dropped out to come back. After Sunday school the pastor will preach a Junior sermon, illustrated with different objects. The boys, girls, and older ones will have an interest in this.—C. C. DOOLEY.

First Christian Church.
Tenth and Travis streets. The average attendance at Bible school holds up over the six hundred mark, and the interest steadily grows in the study of Bible only. The young and old seem to look forward to the study of the lesson each Lords day. Lesson for next Sunday is a general review of chapters six to ten inclusive, of the Book of Mark. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and study the word of God with us. Rev. J. Lem Keevil will speak at both morning and evening services. If you believe in teaching the Gospel, and want to hear those gospel messages which seems to grip your very soul, you will enjoy hearing this man of God. Come and bring your friends. All visitors to the city are welcome, and are invited to come and worship with us. Bible school starts promptly at 9:30, no recess but a continued service until 11:45. Congregational singing which you are expected to take a part. Special numbers by the choir. Come.

Yale Avenue Evangelical.
Twenty-Second and Yale avenues. Services begins with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship and sermon, 10:45 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. Laukhuf. The public is always invited and we hope to see the house full Sunday. Come if you want to hear a good sermon. Junior Y. P. A. meets at 4:00 p. m. with Mrs. Ross, president. Seniors Y. P. A. meets at 6:45, will be led by Miss Marie Conor. Preaching again in the evening at 7:15. Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:00 p. m. Choir practice and teachers meeting Friday, 7:00 p. m.—REV. ALBERT C. LAUKHUF, Pastor.

Floral Heights Epworth League
The Epworth League of the Floral Heights Methodist church will start its program Sunday evening at 6:30 with a "peppy" song service. Good short talks and special numbers will make the service an interesting one. You will enjoy this young people's program. Be on time, and bring your friends with you. Everybody welcome.

Epworth League Program
(First M. E. church, south, corner Tenth and Lamar streets.) Under supervision of fourth department.
Subject, "The Way of the Crowd."
Leader, Miss Nell Smith.
Song service led by J. W. Akin Jr.
Scripture lesson, Matt. 7:13-.3.
Prayer.
Piano solo, Mrs. J. W. Akin Jr.
"The Path of Service," Mrs. A. L. Wilson.
"Jesus and the Crowd," Mrs. R. F. Ligon.
Saxaphone duet, Messrs. Alfred Schumm and Frank Haley, accompanied by Miss Beryl Knickerbocker.
"Following the Crowd," Arthur Thompson.
"Conscience and the Crowd," Miss Amy Taylor.
Reading, selected, Miss Dorothy Reed.
Announcements.
League benediction.
All the young people of the city are welcome, and strangers are specially invited.

Luthern Trinity Church
Fourteenth and Bluff streets.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. There will be no services on Sunday. Wednesday, March 15, at 7:30 p. m. we will have lenten services, conducted in the German language. Come and worship with us. Every one is welcome.—H. F. MUELLER, Pastor.

Floral Heights Baptist Church
Tenth and Kemp.—Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Chas. H. Smoot, Supt. Preaching by pastor 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunbeams 4:00 p. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. 5:00 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Boy Scouts Friday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.—J. W. LOVING, Pastor.

New Thought Truth Center
(A message of practical Christianity.) Jewish temple, Eleventh and Burnett. Sunday evening 7:45. Subject, "Established in the Kingdom." Speaker, Daisy Levi Freedman. Thursday evening, same time and place, a healing meeting. Open for healing ministry. 4406 telephone. All are welcome.

First M. E. Church.
If every member of the church would make a great effort to be on hand at 9:45 Sunday and help to fill the classes it would be an easy matter to reach the 500 goal by Easter. The Philatheas will have a separate room soon. The pastor will preach both morning and evening. Plans are under way for remodeling the auditorium and making the whole building more attractive. Epworth league will convene at 6:30 p. m., Junior league meets at 4:30 p. m. Come and bring your friends and let's study together the great program of the church and the Kingdom of Christ.—T. S. PITTENGER, Pastor.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday school at 9:30. The Sunday school classes will be reorganized and teachers assigned their new places. There will be a panoramic picture made of the whole Sunday school in front of the building at 10:45. Dr. Flake will speak at the 11 o'clock hour and the pastor will speak in the evening. There will be special music at both services. Miss Trenholm Doyle will give a solo in the morning and Miss Doyle and Mrs. Louella Thompson will sing a duet in the evening. We extend to all a cordial welcome to come and join our Sunday school and attend our services.

Christian Science Society.
Church edifice, corner Tenth and Van Buren streets. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Lesson sermon at 11:00 a. m. Subject, "Substance." Testimonial meeting 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. Reading room located in room 11, Jones-Kennedy building, 619 Seventh street, is open from 1 to 5 p. m. daily, except Sundays and holidays. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

Wichita Mission.
At North Side Rev. Mr. Donovan will preach morning and night, the closing services of the revival meeting. At Factory the pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and Rev. R. F. Hines at 7:30 p. m.—W. A. BETTS, Pastor.

Lutheran St. Paul's Church. (Mo. Synod.)
Eleventh and Holliday streets. Second Sunday in Lent: Sunday school at the usual hour, 9:30 a. m. Morning Lenten services in the English language at 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon, "The Second Word of Christ From the Cross: Woman, Behold Thy Son! And to the Disciple: Behold Thy Mother!" Berea Bible class Bible study meeting at 7:30 p. m. Lesson: Daniel 3, 18-30. Lutheran Study Circle will meet Thursday night at 7:30. Please bring your "Walther League Messenger," February issue, and "Lutheran Witness" Nos. 4 and 5. We extend to everyone a cordial invitation to worship with us during this Lenten season. It is our aim to bring out the high import of the bitter suffering and ingominious death of our beloved Saviour, Jesus Christ the Son of God. We invite especially those who go to church to hear something which will satisfy their souls and who do not attend to be entertained. We do not cater to the morbid curiosity of natural man, but strive to drive home the scriptural fact that "Neither is there salvation in any other; for there is none other name under heaven, that is given among men, whereby we must be saved" than the name of our Saviour, Jesus of Nazareth. Come and bring your friends with you!—C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

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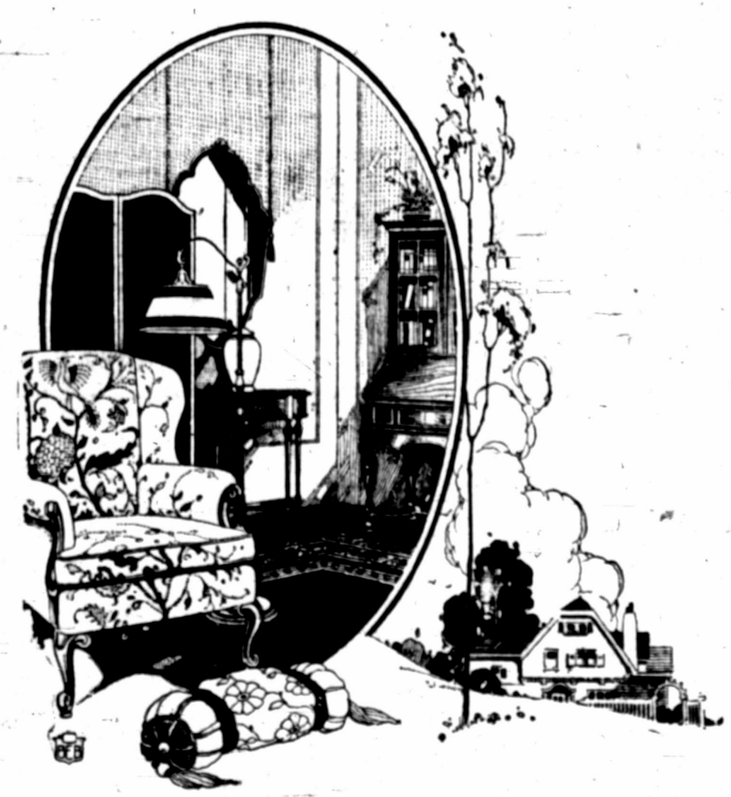

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

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SAM HOUSTON MOTHERS ORGANIZE CIVIC LEAGUE

The Sam Houston Mothers club organized a branch civic league Friday afternoon at their regular meeting, under the direction of Mrs. J. E. Sharpe, president of the Wichita Falls Civic league.

The organiaztion was enthusiastically affected, with Mrs. Eric Bruno president, Mrs. Gordon vice-president, Mrs. Zachary secretary and Mrs. Wisdom treasurer. Mrs. Sharpe addressed the women, who were present in one of the biggest meetings of the year, on the subject, "Ideas and Aims of the Civic League." Plans for he next meeting at the home of Mrs. Wisdom this week were made, and the league decided to raise funds at a box supper March 17 at the school house.

A health program was given during the meeting as follows: Health talk, by Miss Tibbetts; talk by Mrs. Bruno on "Building Habits"; by Miss Parker on "The Evil of too much Sugar," by Mrs. Polson on "What to Eat," and by Miss Martin on "Not Too Much Meat."

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PHILATHEA GIRLS CLASS MEETING

The members of the Philathea Sunday school class of the First Methodist Episcopal church were entertained at the home of the Misses Byman last Monday evening.

After a short business session an informal program, consisting of vocal and piano solos and readings, was had. Refreshments were then served to the following guests and members: The Misses Andree, Anna and Mary Byman, Cook, Corkhill, Clara Carbell, Fultz, Guyer, Jackson, King, Eva and Ruth Meade, Myers, Sullivan, Scott, Swain, Birdie Simmons, Beth and Muriel Scofield, Underwood, Van Deren, Gladys Wisdom, Mabel, Mattie and Sara Watson, Octavia and Gladys Zetzsche, Mesdames Inglis, Pittenger, Traeger, Ward, Wyatt and Mr. A. E. Traeger.

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UNITY CLUB ENTERTAINED AT WICHITA CLUB ROOMS

Mrs. Marvin Smith was hostess to the Unity club members, associate members and several guests Friday afternoon at the Wichita club rooms when the regular meeting was very pleasantly combined with a social occasion featured by the presentation of "Overtones" by the Players' club of the Travel club.

Mrs. G. D. Anderson was in charge of the lesson, and a discussion of the play was followed by its presentation by the Players, the performance being much applauded and appreciated. Mrs. Claude Wood discussed the "Little Theatre Movement in America" very interestingly, and Mrs. Anderson read a discussion of "The One Act Play" prepared by Mrs. W. M. Priddy, who was unable to be present. Mrs. T. B. Greenwood played a violin solo, "Cavatina," by Raff, immediately after which a delightful two-course luncheon was served to the following: Mesdames G. D. Anderson, W. J. Daugherty, E. B. Gorsline, J. C. Hunt, P. P. Langford, O. E. Maer, W. N. Maer, J. T. Montgomery, Eugene Sherrod, Claude Wood, Bruce Greenwood, J. C. Berney, A. H. Carrigan, Zundelowitz, Carter McGregor, S. D. Lynch, Joline, J. A. Richolt, Prewett, and Miss Helen Edmiston.

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BANQUET FOR METHODIST BASKET BALL TEAM

Honoring the members of the Baraca class basket ball team of the First Methodist Episcopal church, who represented the Methodists in the local city basket ball league during the season just closed, at a Baraca and Philathea Sunday school class banquet Friday night, the members of these classes united in paying tribute to the team that had carried their colors through the season.

The banquet was held in the basement of the church, corner Seventh and Lamar, and after the banquet several toasts were given, first by members of the team and then by others of the two classes. Dr. Pittenger, teacher of the Baraca class, acted as toastmaster, and many were the tributes paid to the gameness and playing spirit of the team, who, though often playing against heavy odds, and under great handicaps, played the game in such a manner that critics were forced to admire their fine fighting spirit and declare them to be gallant in defeat.

The honor guests of the occasion were Messrs. Clarence and Earl Neal, Reid, Ernest Chafin and Carroll Meade. Members of the Philathea class were Misses Andree, Anna and Mary Byman, Allen, Corkhill, Carbell, Fultz, Myers, King, Eva and Ruth Meade, Beth and Muriel Schofield, Edith and Bertha Jackson, Underwood, Swain, Simmons, Gladys and Octavia Zetzsche, Sara, Mattie and Mabel Watson, Messrs. Bryans, Miller, Charlie Brooks, Theo Allen, Charles Ross, Ross Scofield, Ward, Wilmer Shackelford, Anton Hoff, Vandigriff and D. A. Shortess of the Baraca class, and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Meade, T. S. Pittenger, Earl A. Wyatt and Mrs. Bently, Byman, Carey, Inglis and O. W. Ross.

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MRS. M'CURDY HOSTESS AT BRIDGE AND "42" PARTY

Mrs. P. A. McCurdy entertained at bridge and "42" Wednesday afternoon, and tables were arranged for the games in rooms very happily reminiscent of St. Patrick, with Kelly green crepe paper, shamrocks and pipes.

After a number of games it was found that Mrs. A. W. West had won high score at bridge, with Mrs. B. M. Hester low, and Mrs. J. C. Walker high at "42" with Mrs. John Mansker low. The hostess later served a dainty luncheon of fruit salad, whipped cream, sandwich and coffee, with plate favors of shamrocks, to the following: Mesdames A. W. West, B. M. Hester, J. C. Walker, John Mansker, Ed Enos, John Abbott, W. J. Hawkins, Ray Wilhite, Everett McCollum, Tom Fulton, Haddocks, Ivy, C. H. Featherstone, E. J. Bartels and Fred Ross of Fort Worth.

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PYTHIAN SISTERS TO GIVE PROGRAM FRIDAY

The Pythian Sisters will entertain with a St. Patrick program and social at the Temple Hall, 910½ Ninth street, Thursday evening at 7:30, when the following program will be given:

Address of welcome, W. W. Shuler.
Piano and banjo duet, Miss Benson and B. S. Dille.
Vocal solo, Mrs. M. M. Bates.
Reading, Mrs. Briggs.
Violin duet, Misses Lola Norris and Van Gleson.
Vocal solo, Mrs. Pirtle.
Solo, George Naylor.
Piano solo, Miss Gladys Mackechney.
Reading, Miss Margaret Grandburg.
Vocal solo, Mrs. A. E. Hull.
All Knights of Pythias and their wives are invited to be present.

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NEW CENTURY CLUB MET WITH MRS. C. J. BARNARD

Mrs. C. J. Barnard entertained last week's meeting of the New Century club on Friday afternoon, with the lesson on Count Tolstoi. Mrs. Grisham gave an interesting sketch of "Tolstoi, the Great Socialist." The book review of the day was on "Anna Karenina," and was led by Mrs. C. W. Gilliland. A round table discussion centered about the "Resurrection."

Guests for the afternoon included Mrs. Yielding of Birmingham, Mrs Glick of Greely, Colo., and Mrs Sissoms of Elk City. The members present were: Mesdames W. W Gardner, C. J. Barnard, S. H. Burnside, W. D. Cline, W. W. Silk, J. C. A Guest, Grisham, W. B. Hamilton, N H Martin, C. B. Montgomery, M D. Rowe, C. W. Gilliland, C. W. Snider and G. D. Whitney.

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CULTURE CLUB MET WITH MRS. V. H. SHEPHERD FRIDAY

The Culture Club held an interesting session at the home of Mrs. V. H. Shepherd Friday afternoon, with Mrs. A. R. Bleakley, leader. "Living Hours," by Arthur Schnitzler, was the book under discussion, after which an interesting review was given by Mrs. Bleakley of the work of the Women's Federation of Clubs. Mrs. Anderson sang a song, after which, during a business session, Mrs. D. O. Long was elected delegate to the district federation meeting at Haskell, April 18-19.

Members present included Mesdames Gose, Craig, Perham, Raley, Anderson, Bright, Parker, Stone, Sheegog, Pope, McArthur, Bleakley, Malone, and Stout.

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MISS MARY EVANS IS HOSTESS AT A DANCE

Miss Mary Evans entertained informally with a dance at her home on Tenth street Friday evening in honor of her cousin, Miss Natalie Schench of Missoula, Montana, who is her house guest. About fifty young people enjoyed the hospitality. Punch and light refreshments were served.

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The O. E. S. Study club will meet at the home of Mrs. D. Dellis, 1400 Taylor street, at 7:30 Monday evening. All members are asked to be present.

CYPHER CLUBS ENTERTAINS WITH MASQUERADE BALL

The Cypher club's masquerade ball Friday evening at Kemp hotel was one of the most attractive and enjoyable dances they have given during the year. The Doc Ross jazz band furnished music for the dances, and Mr. and Mrs. Aldredge, Mesdames Anderson, A. Kahn and T. B. Noble were chaperones. Some unusually attractive costumes as well as some very original ones were in evidence, one among others which attracted much attention being the "Wichita Falls Times" dress worn by Mrs. Byron Prothro.

Those who attended included: Messrs. Denzie Whitman, E. T. Parker Jr., A. H. Harris, R. H. Hollinger, C. B. Curtner, B. J. Manning, Goyne B. Blackman, H. W. Weldon, C. P. Massie, R. B. Primm, J. F. Riggs Jr., Raymond D. Rowton, Norris Ewing, J. V. Allred, Allen Gerock, Lee Haney, John Tancred Jr., A. D. Montgomery, Frank Nicholson, Geo. W. Gutzman, E. R. Fain, Lamar Fain, John Albritton, J. P. Nolen, Jarrell E. Gose, Wm. Viner, Jack Yates, Chas. Toney, R. J. Marin, Leo J. Wilmeth, C. H. Angle, R. W. MacEachern, Thomas O. Payne, Roland S. Bond, Chas. Cook, C. O. Davis, L. C. Cole, Harvey Bolding, Jerome S. Stone, L. D. Duff, John Moran; Mr. and Mrs. Byron A. Prothro, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Ike L. Upchurch, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanes.

Misses Belle Hollinger, Louise Hamlin, Louise Jenkins, Florence Devers, Temple Bray, Polly Crawford, Rose Stampfli, Ruth Shaffer, Maxie Martin, Suda Willis, Bernice Pross, Miss Morris of Tyler, Flora Lee McCullough of Waco, Zena Pickle, Ted Ferguson, Joe Cum-Cummings, Jewel Cummings, Marguerite Wheeler, Nancy Jane Harlin, Sadie Adicks, Billie Harper, Annabelle Jordan, Cecil McCurdy, Josephine Mayfield, Louise Pender.

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1922 STUDY CLUB HELD MEETING WITH MRS. HENRY

The 1922 Study club held its meeting last week with Mrs. S. G. Henry at 2107 Yale, and in a brief business session selected the course of study for the coming year. A parliamentary drill was conducted and two new members were voted into the club. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess to the following: Mesdames P. B. Curd, L. E. McConnell, J. M. Martin, Earl Ruffner, R. M. Finley, E. E. Fisher and Henry and Mrs. C. E. Bailey, guest.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. M. Martin on Polk street.

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MESDAMES VAN WORMER AND HAMPSHIRE WINNERS

Mesdames Van Wormer and Hampshire have won the Silver King putting ball prizes at the golf club the past two Thursdays. This week other members of the Women's Golf association who played Thursday morning and had luncheon at the club included: Mesdames W. B. Fyren, Hampshire, Kendall, Couper, Weldon, Hartsook, Thames, Van Wormer, Witcher, Bullington and Kell and Miss Thames.

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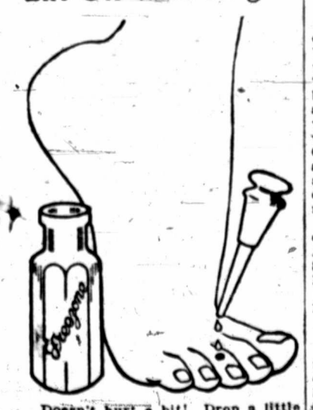

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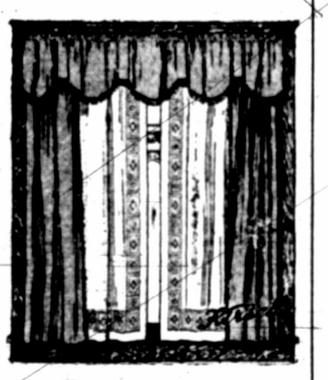

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GULF'S FOWLKES WELL MISSES DUKE SAND

Will Be Drilled Deeper—Eastland Is Showing Big Increase In Activity.

Several small completions at Electra, two good wells in Young county, and a small producer at Petrolia, the first from that district in some months, featured oil developments in this section last week.

The Gulf's well in the Fowlkes district, the first to get down to the depth of the discovery test missed the sand and furnished a bit of disappointing news in that new section.

Decidedly increased activity in Eastland county added to the evidence of the come-back which is being staged in that section.

Electra Adds 500 Barrels.

The Electra district slowed up somewhat during the week in the drilling line but managed to show an increase in production of around 500 barrels.

Thomasson & Mallory of Pittsburgh finished a 50 barrel pumper in the 1700 foot sand on section 5 Burnett et al., and the location has been made for their fourth test on this tract. West of Electra on the Wilbarger county line the Magnolia Petroleum company completed No. 42 on the W. R. Piper land for 30 barrels in the 1800 foot level. On the Waggoner land the Petroleum Producers No. 2 well failed to show up as big a producer as their No. 1, making around 20 barrels; No. 1 came in at 150 barrels just west of it. To the north the Modern Petroleum company are unable to shut off the water in their No. 1 Waggoner and may abandon at 1825 feet.

Bridwell & Heydrick, Waggoner No. 10 is drilling around 900 feet. Waggoner 213 of the Texas company has cemented the casing on the sand at 1555, and is awaiting to drill in. No. 214 is down to 1,020 feet, and 214 is drilling at 750 feet. In the southeast section of abstract 137, the Kentucky Producing company well is on a sand in No. 1 Waggoner at 875 feet, but had some trouble by the 10-inch casing pulling apart.

The Griswold Oil company is drilling two tests on the Burnett tract, but is having trouble getting water enough to continue operations. No. 21 is down at 1410 feet and No. 22 has reached 1385 feet. Beasley and Daniels have set casing on a good sand at 1900 feet in their test on section 6 Burnett, being an offset to the Gulf company's C-5 Burnett completed last week.

Very little is being accomplished in the Fowlkes district on account of lack of water, although the completion of the Texhoma line is expected to relieve the situation somewhat.

The week's disappointment was the failure of the Gulf Production company's Powell well to pick up the sand encountered in the Magnolia company's Duke No. 6; however the company has decided to drill deeper in an effort to reach the 1800 foot sand. Electricity for the first time will be used for drilling an oil well in this field by the Magnolia Petroleum company on their Duke well. A 75 horsepower motor will be used instead of a boiler and engine; power will be furnished by the high tension line of the Wichita Falls Electric company, that runs a short distance south of the property.

Several new derricks made their appearance during the week.

Eastland More Active.

Much attention is being paid to the Eastland county fields in the neighborhoods of the Lake and the Pioneer district. The latter is bringing in some good producers each week. The Eakin well that was finished two weeks ago is still producing between 700 and 800 barrels from the sand at 2450 feet. The location for No. 2 has been made and material is on the ground to build the derrick at once. Many companies are being formed and leases are changing hands daily.

The States Oil corporation, one of the largest operators in the county with holdings in the Stephens field, has built a rig on the Ed Hill farm about half a mile north of the Eakin and will drill a test. In the west 50 acres of the Eakin tract T. B. Slick and associates have erected a derrick and are installing tools for their No. 1 Slick-Eakin. A location has been made for No. 2 in the southeastern section of the tract.

Goodloe & Denny of Wichita Falls have purchased 50 acres from the Eakin land during the week for a consideration around $20,000.

The Fonby well five miles southeast of the defined pool has a good showing of oil and gas and is on top of the lime at 2080 feet, and from all indications this part of the field will receive its share of activity within the next few days.

The Pioneer Petroleum company has encountered the top of the sand at 2450 feet in No. 1 King, a string of 5 3-16 casing is being run and cemented preparatory to drilling. Storage is being rushed up to offset the lack of pipe line facilities in this part of the field. At present the Prairie Pipeline company is handling the oil from the Pioneer field with a two inch line that is inadequate to care for the rapidly increasing production.

The Rainbow End Oil company's well on the Crider farm about four miles northwest of Rising Star will try to shut off the water and give the test a shot of nitro. The well is showing considerable gas at 2300 feet.

Bunger Field Active

The principal completion of note in the Bunger field this last week was the No. 3 well being drilled at the northeast corner of the 30-acre tract owned by the Pomona Mutual Oil Syndicate of California, who brought in a good well making 350 barrels at a depth of 1850 feet on their Owen lease.

The Cosden-Ralco interests are busy drilling several wells and completed No. 5 on the "B" lease this last week that come in making 185 barrels.

J. B. Ross et al have reached a depth of 1500 feet on the 35 acre Orrell lease owned jointly with Cheney & DeFreest.

The Humble Oil company is erecting a rig on the north 40 acres of the G. L. Aynesworth survey, one-half mile southeast of the Barnes bell. The Humble company has also made a location on their 27 acres recently acquired in the Orrell survey and will drill a well to the east offsetting the Lynn No. 1.

The Barnes Production are muddying off the water in their well being drilled on survey No. 44 near Bunger after unexpectedly running into a gas sand at 2577 feet. The Gulf Production company has made another location on the Lisle land southeast of Oil City. The Mahletodt-Mook Oil company is 1200 feet deep on the Lasater survey, Williams land, east of Bunger about three miles. This company also spudded in their well on the Ramsours survey, Owen land, February 28. The Monroe Production company got a small showing of oil at 2640 feet in their well being drilled in the McKnight survey, Owen land. Nash & Windfohr are 1300 feet deep in their test being drilled on the Ben Eubanks farm in the extreme northwest part of Palo Pinto county. Spoonts & Varble spudded in this week at their location on the W. A. Ribble land east of Oil City. They have also resumed operations on their Lisle well No. 2 at 3,000 feet and expect to clean the hole at once with a view to drilling deeper.

The Ralco Oil company is 1800 feet in its well located on the T. K. Criswell survey across the river from Herron City. Pitzer & West are 700 feet at their location on the J. M. Johnson survey in the southeast part of Young county. The Leader Oil company is about to erect a derriew for a test well on the M. B. Jarnagin land, T. G. Wade survey, and will soon begin a test. The Gulf Production company has made a location in the northwest corner of the east 80 acres of the J. H. Fisher survey, Newby land; also another location in the northwest corner of the W. S. James survey, Driver land, about one mile south of the Parsons well. The Cosden company has been cleaning out the Parsons No. 1 after a shot and expects to get the well back on a producing basis shortly. Meeks et al have rig timbers on the ground for a well 3,000 feet north of the Herron No. 1, which is located on the Reed-Cheney 42 acres. Miller et al are 1050 feet in their well, one-third mile north of Herron No. 1. The Penn Cities Oil company, No. 1 Herron, Abernathy survey, is a location and No. 2 is drilling at 560 feet. The Tuloma and Halmack interests are moving a rig to their location on the Graham estate land, five miles southeast of Graham, and will soon be drilling a well. The Daton & Bryan well is 2400 feet deep, same being located 2½ miles south of Graham on the Alford land. Egger et al are 1800 feet in their Herron No. 1, located in the bend of the river north of Bunger. The Halmack interests have a rig up on their D. R. Akin survey, three miles south of Graham. Craig-Barrett Oil Syndicate has a derrick up and is getting ready to spud on the N. B. Carter land, 10 miles southeast of Graham. Costello No. 1 on the J. M. Johnson survey is drilling at 1,000 feet. C. R. Tyrrell is moving in tools and about to begin a test on the S. H. James survey, Williams land, located east of Bunger about three miles.

South Bend Tests

Not all the county's activity is confined to the Bunger section. In the South Bend district the Texas Products company, No. 4 McCluskey, picked up a sand at 1535 feet, that flowed every few hours at the rate of 200 barrels with the tools in the hole. The same company's No. 4 lease B, has set 12½ inch casing at 600 feet.

Hobbs-Haskell, No. 1 J. J. Scott, has reached the top of the sand at 2940 and has a hole full of fluid. The owners have decided to give the well a shot of nitro in a day or two. There is a considerable show of gas and a good well is looked for.

The Roxana-American company's Goode No. 4 tapped the sand at 2145 feet, which started to flow at the rate of 200 barrels. No. 3 is installing machinery and will start drilling within the next week or so. The Travers-Lewis well, a short way from the Hobbs-Haskell test, has set 15½ inch casing at 178 feet in a hard lime. On the Keller lease, No. 6 Hemphill is drilling around 1300 feet. The Konaha well, on the Stovall tract, remains a mystery on account of the bridge in the hole; the well was opened for a short time and the fluid shot over the derrick for several minutes. The well will be cleaned out and a good test will be given.

Many of the older wells are being deeped and almost every lease is engaged in work of some kind.

Much favorable comment is made by oil men coming to this section because of the fact that water and gas is available for all new operations undertaken in this county. This is particularly true of the Southeastern portion where the eyes of the oil fraternity are focused on the many tests being drilled in that section. A great deal of geological work has been done from Bunger east to the Jack county line and many except to see new oil fields opened in that locality.

Quiet at Burkburnett.

The week brought in nothing of unusual interest from the Northwest or Burkburnett section of the county. The Bryan Oil corporation completed No. 7 on the Taylor tract and it is a 40-barrel pumper from the usual 1,600-foot sand. In the Townsite district, Staley & Langford are rigging up a Star to drill in at 1,804 feet on the fee. The Sunshine State company also is rigging up a machine to drill in at 1,800 feet on the D. Holtzen tract. Palmer & Chenault have abandoned their No. 2 test on the G. W. Chapman land at 1,900 feet. Further south on the Ruyle farm the Texas company is testing out a sand at 1,700 feet.

Markham & O'Neil started drilling operations on their No. 1 test in the south half of the Hoffman tract in the district near the graveyard. This is the first test to be put down in this immediate vicinity and will be watched with interest.

The old Texhoma shallow field to the south slowed up considerably during the week. Only a few tests are drilling, although several are on the sand waiting to drill in when a supply of water has been secured. The Camp Oil & Gas have set and cemented the casing on the sand in their No. 3 test at 1,265 feet and will complete within the next few days. Sinclair company No. 2 Hi Willis is drilling around 700 feet. Thomas Martin No. 3 Cropper is down around 950 feet. No. 2 is a pumper, good for 30 barrels.

The K.-M.-A. pool the Gulf Production company completed their No. 9 on the Potter-Lewis lease, a 40-barrel pumper from the 1,400-foot sand. The K.-M.-A. Oil company is drilling at 1,400 feet in the No. 14 on the Munger tract. On the Lewis land the Nixon Oil company's No. 4 is cleaning out after a good showing of oil at 1,483 feet.

Drilling operations in Archer county are confined to seven wells, all in the territory surrounding the Texhoma company's Goss tract. The water shortage still is the cause of shutting down half of the tests in this field. The Kentucky Oil association is rigging up a rotary on the Taylor land for their No. 2 well. Markley & Johnson have set the 8¼ at 966 feet in their No. 3 on the L. F. Wilson land.

The S. M. Gose tract has four tests going down on various parts of the acreage. W. H. Barton and associates are drilling around 1,360 feet in their No. 1 test. The Texhoma company is down to the sand at 1,608 feet in No. 13, and has set casing and cemented. No. 15 is drilling around 340 feet. No. 16 Gose is rigging up a rotary.

More Activity in Clay

Clay county is again showing some activity in the drilling line. Three tests are now being drilled in various directions from Petrolia. Four miles northwest on the Boddy ranch, H. Boddy completed a good pumper making around 35 barrels from the sand at 1315 feet. The well was started about six months ago by Mertz and associates who were unable to finish it, and it was taken over by the owner of the tract.

North of Petrolia three miles the test of Loffhoner-Fowler on the Belcher tracts is drilling at 1400 feet. To the west about five miles the Lone Star Gas company on the Edrington is down at 1410 feet. On the Meyers land the Nebraska Oil and Gas company is shut down for water, as is the Champion Oil company's No. 1 Hattield, around 1814 feet. Five miles southwest of Petrolia the Petrolia Musselman has a derrick up on the Kemper tract for their No. 2 test. The Texas company is drilling on their lease east of here.

A few small wells were completed in the Eliasville district being small producers in the proven leases. Many of the old wells are cleaning out or drilled to deeper sands. On account of the weather conditions the production fell off around 2,000 barrels daily.

With the connecting of a high power electric line activity in the Curry pool is expected to stimulate operations in this part of the county, as the operators have been anxious for a line so as to be able to resume operations on numerous wells shut down on account of water conditions.

Construction has been started on the big absorption plant of Roeser and Pendelton in the Curry pool. The plant will be the second largest of its kind in Stephens county, with a capacity of 10,000 gallons of gasoline daily. The plant when completed will mean an outlay of $200,000.

OPEN LETTER NO. 2

FOR THE INFORMATION OF TAXPAYERS OF WICHITA COUNTY: ISN'T IT A FACT THAT APPROXIMATELY $1,000.00 PER MONTH OF THE TAXPAYERS' MONEY IS BEING WASTED ON BUYING SAND FOR THE CONCRETE ROADS?

J. P. Jones, County Judge, County Commissioners, J. M. Isbell, County Engineer:

You have not seen fit to reply to our open letter No. 1, published in the daily papers of this city March 4th, 5th and 6th. It seems to us that if our position is not right you would be glad to explain to the taxpayers wherein we have misinformed them.

We are, in this letter, going to give some additional information regarding the way you are buying sand for the concrete roads you are building in this county. First, we want the taxpayers to know that since the Company has been under its present management at least, it has had no desire to have you buy any of its products without it is first-class in every respect and meets the specifications of the State and Federal Highway Departments, whose specifications you work under in securing State and Federal aid. To show you our good faith in this respect we wrote you a letter some months ago suggesting that we would be pleased to have you place an inspector at our plant, appointed by you, to pass on the quality of our product and the expense of having such inspector to be met by us. You refused to do this and after such refusal we made arrangements with the best consulting engineer in this city to inspect and test every car of ur sand before it was hauled to your unloading plant. It was not our intention for any car to be delivered to you from our plant until it had received this very rigid examination. However, we cannot be responsible for samples exhibited when taken by a prejudiced party, as it is entirely too easy for a sample to be taken and "salted" with Wichita County dirt and then tested or exhibited.

We want the taxpayers to know that several weeks ago we called on you while the Court was in session and brought with us samples of sand taken from cars shipped you from other plants and placed them before you. You were of the impression when these samples were shown you that this sand was from our plant and immediately condemned it, saying that you could not afford to use any such sand in your roads. We think you were absolutely right in this instance, as some of the sand was of very inferior quality, containing clay balls, roots, sticks and other foreign matter, making it a very poor quality of sand. It developed, however, at this meeting that this sand had already been unloaded at your plant and was unquestionably used in the road work. In other words, it seemed that after you found that it did not come from our plant some miraculous change in quality of same was effected and the sand was entirely satisfactory, according to your judgment, for use. Please understand that the sand we are now discussing is sand that you are now paying 10 cents per ton more for than we are asking for ours, which will pass the most rigid examination by an unprejudiced and competent engineer.

Another question we would like to ask and have you answer to the taxpayers of this County, is, why are you so anxious to have all the money released by the banks so it can all be spent this year, instead of running over several months into the next year? What benefits, if any, are to be derived by the taxpayers in having this money spent more rapidly than you first anticipated? Why not give your successors in office a chance to spend a portion of this money and see if they cannot build more miles of road for the same money than you are building?

Since writing our Open Letter No. 1 numerous taxpayers of this County have written and talked to us about this proposition, all of whom, without exception, have suggested that we, in the vernacular of the baseball fan, "Pour It On." And for your information will say that their suggestion is going to be followed until justice and right prevail.

We shall be glad to hear from as many of the taxpayers of this county as see fit to write or talk to us regarding it and invite either criticism or commendation of our attitude, as all we are asking for is a square deal, which if given to us will mean a saving of many thousands of dollars to the taxpayers of Wichita County.

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CASE OF TWO NEGROES SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 23

WACO, TEXAS, March 11.—The case of two negroes, Bennie Young and Cooper Johnson, indicted here for the murder of W. H. Barker and his wife and Homer Turk, a 13 year old boy, at Concord, this county, Saturday night, February 11, has been set for trial Thursday, March 23. County Attorney Frank Tirey has asked for rangers to be sent here during the trial as a precaution against a mob. The negroes are in jail in another county.

Painters' Local Union No. 393 will hold a special meeting next Tuesday, March 12, 8 p. m., at Labor Temple. All members are requested to be present. Adoption of new by-laws and other very important business will be transacted at this meeting. J. J. Schneider, Recording Secretary. 303-2to

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CONSCIENTIOUS DEMOCRATS IN EMBARRASSING POSITION OVER FOUR-POWER TREATY

By MARK SULLIVAN
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WASHINGTON, March 11.—No one can fail to sympathize with a conscientious democrat called upon to determine whether he shall vote for or against the four power treaty. It must be conceded if this treaty stood alone, any senator, republican or democrat, would be free to vote upon it according to his convictions, and that the convictions of most democrats, as well as the convictions of many republicans, would be in opposition. The facts that make decision difficult are largely extraneous to the treaty itself. These facts are that this particular treaty is one of a body of treaties which as a whole are beneficent; that the refusal of the senate to ratify this one treaty might justify some of the other nations in refusing to ratify those other portions of the results of the Washington conference for which we are all most eager, especially the treaty for limitation of armament; and finally, that if the United States senate should now, for a second time, wreck the results of a great world conference, the effect would be to destroy the confidence of the world in America, to make the world doubt whether it is worth while to try to have international understandings with the United States, and to destroy in the beginning this whole beneficent theory of trying to arrange international matters through mutual conference.

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The country as a whole is at this moment overwhelmingly in favor of the ratification of the four power pact. Senators who make it a business to test the sentiment of the country know this. Even those democratic newspapers which favored the league of nations and whose faithfulness to democratic doctrine is unquestioned, are strongly in favor of ratifying the four-power treaty. Irreconcilable republican papers who opposed the league of nations to the limit of their energy are in favor of the present treat. Other republican papers which favored the league of nations, with reservations, are also now in favor of the present treaty. Throughout the country the sentiment in favor of ratification is indubitable. This is the factor which probably will ultimately determine the decision. Failure to ratify the four power treaty would result in very general resentment, both against the senate as a whole and against the party which will be responsible. There would be a certain amount of doubt about the four power treaty standing alone, but as to the four power treaty considered as part of the general results of the Washington conference, there is an overwhelmingly favorable attitude. That portion of public opinion which is outspoken against the four-power treaty and against the results of the Washington conference altogether, it almost negligible. What there is of it has little weight in congress.

Viewed strictly as a party matter, the democrats could base their opposition on a fundamental principle, and that principle would go far toward justifying them in opposing ratifications. In the management of America's relations with the rest of the world, there are three possible courses. They are:

Three Possible Courses

First: Isolation—Refusal to become a party to any league or alliance whatever.

Second: To enter a universal alliance taking in all nations. By this is meant the league of nations, or an equivalent "association of nations."

Third: A system of partial alliances—becoming a party to one group here and another group there.

Of these three methods, the first has now been rejected by both parties. The democrats rejected isolation when they favored the league of nations. The republicans have now taken a definite and final step away from isolation by proposing and endorsing the four power treaty. The policy of isolation is gone.

As to the second method, this is the one to which the democratic party as a party is commited. If they were to act on strictly party grounds, with a view to being consistent and with a view of maintaining the integrity of an important policy initiated by their party, they would be justified in refusing to become identified with any policy in foreign relations inconsistent with the league of nations.

At this point arises the question whether the four power treaty is or is not inconsistent with the league of nations. In this question there are two positions. In both positions the wish is father to the thought. Most of those who favored the league of nations claim that the four power treaty is one step toward our entrance into it, or into an equivalent "association of nations." Another very considerable group insists exactly the contrary. They insist that our ratification of the four power treaty will be a step in a direction away from the league of nations. What is more serious, they insist that it will be an irrevocable step. They claim that this four power treaty will be followed by similar group treaties in other parts of the world, and that we will become a party to the building up of a series of group alliances of exactly the kind that the league of nations was devised to do away with. So far as the past is concerned, it must be admitted that group alliances, "balances of power" and the like, have had a most unhappy history. If we were to base our hope of future peace in the world on a series of group alliances, history would laugh at us. The saving grace on this point is that in Harding's mind, it is fair to infer from frequent utterances of his, the Washington conference is not a step away from a universal association taking in all nations, but is meant to be the first step in the affirmative direction of what we called an "association of nations."

Unimportant Features

Many of the objections made to the four power treaty are based on extraneous and relatively unimportant aspects of it. One of the arguments put forth by Senator Hitchcock, for example, in opposition to ratifications, is that the four power treaty was conceived and brought forth in secrecy. This is true. The negotiations which preceded this part of the work of the Washington conference were secret. This was undoubtedly unwise. The great bulk of those negotiations could have been carried on in the public eye. On the other hand some of them could not have been public. This is true as to every treaty that was ever negotiated, or ever will be negotiated. Such negotiations invariably involve aspects of such delicacy that they cannot be discussed publicly. They involve references to nations and peoples not included in the conference. They involve considerations of the relations between nations and their colonies. In every negotiation for any treaty whatever, situations arise as to which public discussion would be universally recognised as unfortunate. This was as true of the negotiations leading up to the four power treaty as it is of the preparation of every other treaty. But it is also true that the great bulk of the negotiations leading up to the present four power treaty might just as well have been carried on in public as in private.

Also, and most important, in criticising the Washington conference for having practiced secrecy in connection with this particular part of its work, truth and fairness demand it should be said that as to the other parts of the work of the Washington conference, and as to the conference as a whole, more—infinitely more—of the negotiations were carried on in public than at any other similar conference ever held. It is decidedly unfair to lay too much emphasis on the fact that his portion of the work of the Washington conference was carried on in secret.

Claim Price Too Great

One objection made to the four-power treaty is that its main purpose is to afford a substitute for the Anglo-Japanese alliance, and that in assenting to the four-power treaty America is paying a larger price than ought to have been demanded by Great Britain and Japan as a quid pro quo for the abrogation of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. It is said that Great Britain and Japan ought to have been willing to abrogate that alliance without asking us to help them provide a substitute for it. It is said that they ought to have done it as an act of good will toward the United States.

It is a fact that the Anglo-Japanese alliance was originally made a defense against the aggressions of Germany and Russia in the Far East. It is also obviously a fact that Russia and Germany are no longer in a position to be aggressive in the Far East, and that therefore this original reason for the creation of the Anglo-Japanese alliance has disappeared. Since the original reason has disappeared, it is argued by those who reason this way, that the alliance ought to have been thrown overboard without asking anything as a substitute for it.

Against this there is a sound argument based on international courtesy. Japan was very proud of her alliance with Great Britain. The Japanese government would have been much embarrassed to explain to their people why this alliance with one of the two greatest nations of the western world had been terminated. Great Britain could not say to Japan, "We are through with you now." Great Britain was in a very embarrassing position. She knew that the United States did not like it, and that some of her own dominions, including Canada, New Zealand and Australia did not like it. The spokesmen of these dominions had told Great Britain that they did not like it. On one occasion, when the spokesman of Canada was telling Lloyd George that the Anglo-Japanese alliance ought to be abrogated, if for no better reason than merely the fact that it was objectionable to the United States, Lloyd George is said to have replied: "You talk as if you were a citizen of the United States rather than of the British Empire." Great Britain could not dismiss Japan merely because she wanted to win favor with the United States. As Mr. Balfour expressed it in his public speech in the session of the Washington conference which adopted the four-power treaty, "I am perfectly well aware that the treaty between Great Britain and Japan has been the cause of * * * some suspicions and of a good deal of animadversion in important sections of opinion in the United States. * * * I understand that point of view, but there is another point of view which I want you to understand and with which even those who disagree with it will sympathize. * * * This treaty, remember, was not a treaty that had to be renewed. It was a treaty that ran until it was formally renounced by one of the two parties to it. * * * That treaty had been in existence within a few days of twenty years. It had served a great purpose in two great wars.

"It had stood the strain of common sacrifices, common anxieties, common efforts, common triumphs. When two nations have been united in that fiery ordeal they cannot at the end of it take off their hats one to the other and politely part as two strangers part who travel together for a few hours in a railway train. Gratuitously, and without a cause to tear up the written contract. * * * Might lead to misunderstandings in one nation just as much as the maintenance of that treaty has led to misunderstandings in another. Great Britain therefore, found herself between the possibilities of two misunderstandings (with the United States) if she retained the treaty. A misunderstanding (with Japan) if she denounced the treaty and we have long come to the conclusion that the only possible way out of this impasse, the only possible way of removing these suspicions and difficulties, which are some of the greatest obstacles to that condition of certain peace which is the only tolerable condition after all for civilized people was that we should annul, merge, destroy, as it were, this ancient and outworn and unnecessary agreement and replace it by something new, something effective, which should embrace all the powers concerned in the vast area of the Pacific."

It is impossible to read these words of Mr. Balfour's without sympathizing with his position and Great Britain's. After all, the Anglo-Japanese alliance had served a great purpose. It has insured the fact that Japan should be one of the allies in the war against Germany. But for this Anglo-Japanese alliance Japan would have been free, if she chose, to join hands with Germany in the recent war. After all, a good deal of gratitude is due to an instrument which has served so great a purpose.

If a man was to dismiss partisan considerations, if he were to act as if he alone were the responsible statesman of the United States, he would probably vote to ratify the four-power treaty. The work of the Washington conference stands as a whole. It is nowhere said among the treaties that each is contingent on the other; and I do not know of any nation that has said it will refuse to ratify the other treaties if we refuse to ratify this particular one. But everyone must realize that if we reject one portion of the work of the conference, we will be in no position to reproach another nation for rejecting other parts of it. This is the view that probably will prevail ultimately. But before the four-power treaty is ultimately ratified, the democrats will have much to say, and they will be justified in saying it. They are asked by the republicans to sink their party advantage in the interest of a harmony which the republicans themselves most flagrantly flouted two years ago when it was Mr. Wilson's proposal of a league of nations that was under consideration. It is legitimate party strategy for the democrats now to dig up all that the republicans said two years ago against entangling alliances. The democrats see Senator Lodge, who was the foremost in bedeveling Wilson, now blandly asking the democrats to refrain from opposing a treaty which is the outcome of a conference held under the auspices of a republican administration. It is rather too much to ask the democrats to refrain from criticising the secrecy that attended the negotiation of the four-power treaty, when they recall how fiercely the republicans criticised the secrecy that attended the making of the league of nations. But after the democrats have taken their satisfaction out of the republicans generally, and out of Lodge particularly, probably enough of them will give their votes to ratification to make it successful. In saying this, it should be added that much depends on the state of public feeling. If there should be any considerable recession from the present popular approval of the treaties as a whole, if a state of suspicion against the four-power treaty should arise or be built up, that would instantly reflect itself among senators who at best will vote for ratification with personal reservations, believing that they are subordinating party advantage to the general international good.

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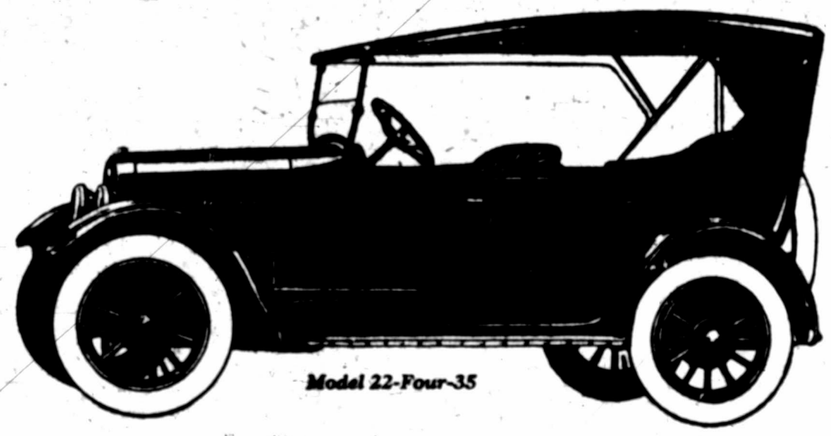
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How the Rich Oregon Country Came Under the Sovereignty of United States Through the Discovery of the Columbia River by Captain Gray

By W. W. CHEELY

Captain James Cook, the British navigator who discovered the Sandwich (Hawaiian) Islands, was indirectly responsible for the discovery of the Columbia river by an American seaman and also for the organization of the Lewis and Clark overland expedition to the Pacific coast. These were two important historical happenings which helped materially to extend the sovereignty of the United States over the rich Oregon country, and make of the young republic a continental power. These incidents of international consequence, occurring within a few years of each other, at a time when Great Britain, Spain and Russia were seeking to establish a foothold on the North Pacific coast, practically put the United States in possession of Oregon and confirmed her title to the northwest.

Cook sailed from England in 1776, his purpose being to seek the northwest passage, the mythical waterway that maritime men of that day thought existed. His instructions were to land on the coast of New Albion, the ancient name for Oregon. In March, 1778, he observed the mountains of Oregon. Further north he sailed by the strait of Juan de Fuca and wrote in his log his opinion that the story of the strait was a myth. In Nootka sound he took on many furs. Sailing on, he sighted Mount St. Elias, passed through the strait separating Asia from America, named Cape Prince of Wales, and then was forced, on account of ice, to turn back, going to the Hawaiian Islands, where, a few months later, he met his death of the hands of the islanders.

In the spring of 1879, his two ships, in an attempt to complete his work, sailed north over practically the same route. On the return voyage a stop was made at Nootka, where cargoes of valuable furs were acquired for practically nothing. Skins worth over $100 were bought for 10 cents each in goods. Cook's ships then sailed for Canton, where the furs were exchanged for valuable silks, which were marketed in England at a handsome profit.

Luckless John Ledyard

In this cruise of Cook and his successors was a petty officer named John Ledyard, a New Englander of some education. He was in England when the expedition was being organized and went along in the spirit of adventure. He was very much impressed with the fur wealth of the North Pacific. On his journey he kept a diary. This diary, said to be the best record of this memorable cruise, was taken from Ledyard by British naval officers on his discharge in England. Ledyard then returned to Boston, where, in an effort to raise money to equip a ship to engage in the Oregon fur trade, he wrote a pamphlet from memory. He canvassed the financial men of Boston to this end, and while they were interested in his narrative of the easy wealth to be made in the North Pacific, declined to embark on his adventure. But the story that he told made its impression and bore fruit several years later.

The development of the Chinese silk trade, in which Boston merchants were interested, and stories told by seamen coming to Boston port, stimulated interest in the fur possibilities of the Oregon country, and in 1787 a company of Boston merchants, headed by J. Barrell, one of the men to whom Ledyard had told his story, resolved to go into the trade. They equipped two ships, the Columbia and the Lady Washington, captained by Robert Gray and John Kendrick, stocked them with trade goods and sent them on their way to Oregon. They were to take on cargoes of furs, take the furs to China, exchange them for silks and other Chinese goods, and market the Chinese goods in America, the plan involving a possibility of three profits.

First Sea Captain to Carry American Flag Around World

The two ships left Boston on October 1, 1787, arrived on the Oregon coast on the following September, wintered at Nootka, and in the spring opened trade, securing a large quantity of the choicest furs for the merest trifles. Late in the summer Captain Gray sailed for China, sold his furs, took on his cargo of Chinese goods, and returned to Boston, arriving at his home port in August, 1907. In this voyage Captain Gray was the first American sailor to carry the stars and stripes around the world.

A month later saw Gray on his return trip to the North Pacific, where he arrived in the summer of 1791. The succeeding months of good weather were spent in trading with the Indians, with whom he had numerous skirmishes, and in exploration. With the approach of winter he established headquarters at Clayoquot, where he built the sloop Adventure. In the spring he sailed south in search of trade.

On May 7 he entered a harbor in latitude 46 degrees, 58 minutes, which was christened in his name. Four days later he steered his ships across a bar where a mighty river met the sea. On each side of the mouth were towering cliffs. Believing that he had found the "Great River of the West," of nautical legend, he took his observations and found that he was in latitude 46 degrees, 10 minutes. He sailed up the river for 10 miles, anchored, and a great multitude of Indians visited the ship to trade. He remained at this anchorage for 10 days, and then sailed about 15 miles further up the river, went ashore and took possession of the land in the name of the United States of America, most appropriately christening the river "Columbia."

Captain Vancouver Missed Opportunity.

A short time before Gray's discovery, Captain Vancouver, a noted British sea captain, had arrived in the North Pacific waters. He was sent out by the British admiralty to map the cost of North America from 30 to 60 degrees, which comprised the coast line of the Oregon country, and to endeavor to find a passage to the Atlantic. On April 27, only a few days before Gray's discovery, Captain Vancouver passed the mouth of the Columbia river, which he noted in his log as "an inlet or small river, not accessible for vessels of our burthern," and sailed on north. A few weeks later, when Vancouver was told of Gray's important discovery, he realized that he had missed the opportunity of establishing Great Britain's claim to the Oregon country. He sent Lieutenant Broughton to make a survey of the river. Broughton sailed up the river for 100 miles, and afterwards united with Vancouver in an effort to discredit Gray, claiming that the American captain had not seen the river proper. But this effort went down before the weight of evidence that was presented in the internatioinal debate of a generation later, when America's claim was acknowledged by the British.

To return to the luckless Ledyard. After American financiers failed him he went to London, where he had no better success. Then he journeyed to Paris, where he met Captain John Paul Jones, the famous American naval commander. The adventure that Ledyard proposed appealed to Jones, who introduced him to Thomas Jefferson, then minister for the United States to France. Jefferson, a student of conditions in the northwest, kept him for days narrating his stories of the fur wealth of the North Pacific coast, and the information he received from Ledyard is said to have impressed this farsighted statesman with the idea that if the United States could establish a claim to the Oregon country, there was a possibility of developing the young republic into a continental power. And when he became president of the United States a few years later he brought about the organization of the Lewis and Clark expedition which made the long overland journey across the continent, and established discovery rights, which, together with Gray's discovery, brought the Oregon country under the rule of the republic.

Ledyard had served his country well, but ill-luck pursued him to the end of his days. When he saw that he could do nothing in France, John Paul Jones' enthusiasm having cooled, he went back to London, where this time he found backing, and finally sailed. But his ship was only a few hours out of port when it was recalled by the British admiralty. The expedition was suppressed and no explanation was forthcoming. Then, financed by the same backers who had placed the ship at his disposal, he resolved to lead an expedition overland through Siberia to the Behring strait, purposing to travel down the western North American coast. He went to Petrograd and had outfitted and was about ready to start, when, at the instance of the imperial Russian government, he was arrested and deported to Poland, the Russian officials insisting that the trip was impossible and that he was risking the lives of those who proposed to go with him. He finally made his way back to London, led an expedition of exploration into Africa, where he perished.

When Russia Was Casting Eyes on Oregon Country.

About this time Russian officials in Alaska were looking with covetous eyes on the Oregon country and California. In an official report to his government, the Imperial Inspector Rezanof urged upon Russia the importance of founding Russian trading posts on the Columbia river with a view to gaining control of the fur trade. He advised the sending of an armed force to the Columbia to drive the Bostonians away. "This accomplished," the report reads, "we would gradually advance towards the south to the port of San Francisco, attract population from various localities, and in ten years would be strong enough to make use of any turn of European politics to include the coast of California in the Russian possessions." But after the success of the Lewis and Clark expedition, the fame of which went around the world, no more was heard of Russian ambitions in this direction.

America's claim to the Oregon country was further strengthened internationally by the founding of Astoria and other trading posts on the Columbia river in 1811 and the years that followed.

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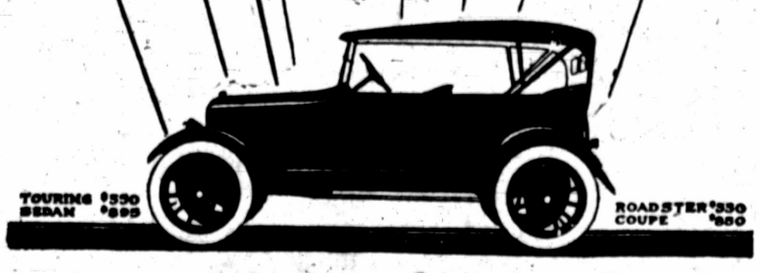

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THE MOTORISTS' PROBLEMS'

By WILLIAM H. STEWART, JR.

Motor Department: Please answer in your next issue the following questions: First, do the intake valves begin to open before the piston reaches dead center, or at what time? Second, What is a cycle, and how many has an automobile.—T. B.

The intake valves usually open about ten degrees past top dead center. A cycle is a completion of events, and a single cylinder engine completes one cycle when the suction stroke, compression stroke, firing stroke and exhaust stroke are finished. If the engine has more than one cylinder, then each cylinder functions likewise, but the design is such that no two strokes take place at the same time. In all multi cylinder engines, the power strokes are staggered in order to obtain greater flexibility of power.

Motor Department: I have a 1920 Dodge touring car that has been driven about 12,000 miles and when driving along at a speed of 11-12 miles an hour there is a slight growl somewhere that seems to come from the transmission or differential. Now at a speed of anything slower or faster than the above mentioned this noise is not noticeable. Am using Lubrico in transmission and differential. Any information you can give me on this will be greatly appreciated.—F. B.

A badly worn or defective bearing in the transmission or differential would cause the growl at certain speeds. Take up the floor boards and have a good mechanic locate the noise while you operate the car at the critical speed. It should not be difficult to determine the cause of the trouble in this manner.

Motor Department: Some time ago I put some radiator compound in my radiator to stop a leak. Upon adding alcohol to the water (now have a new radiator) I find that pieces of this compound come out of the engine and stop up the pipe. Will you please tell me how to lean out the water jacket of my engine so I will have no more trouble?—C. P.

Remove radiator from car. Connect hose to water outlet of cylinder water jacket. By flushing in this manner the powder and rust which have been accumulating will be forced out of the jackets. If this powder has formed a scale on the walls would advise procuring a scale removing compound which can be purchased from any accessory dealer. Full directions are given with the compound.

Motor Department: It will soon be time for me to take my car out of winter storage, but I did not change the oil in the crank case last fall. What I want to ask is whether it will be allright to run it from the place where it is stored to the place where I want to work on it, about five miles. Will the old oil do or must new be put in? I do not want to put in new until I have cleaned out the crank case, and it is not convenient to do that at the garage. Please advise me.—Owner.

The old oil may still be used, making sure it stands at the right height. As it was probably run some distance last fall it should be cleaned out as soon as possible. We approve your method of removing the oil base to clean. Never attempt to remove sediment by inserting kerosene and running the engine, as it throws grit into the bearings.

Motor Department: I find that after running my car an hour or so it begins to jerk and miss. The motor doesn't seem to pull at all. Stopping the car, I find the motor is running well. Leaving the car stand a minute and then starting again I find it will run fine for about twenty minutes and then the same thing will happen again.—OWNER.

The fact that the motor runs well most of the time and balks occasionally is sufficient proof that there is nothing seriously wrong. Perhaps there is foreign matter in the gasoline pipe line which at times hinders the proper flow of gasoline to the carburetor. A little water in the carburetor would also produce the same result. If the valves have not been cleansed for a long time, it is possible that they may be gummed and occasionally stick. It appears, however, that the annoyance is more than likely due to foreign matter in the carburetor and pipe line.

Motor Department: Kindly let me know if it is necessary to have the cylinders in a car reground if they are out .007 thousands in callipering them with an inside micrometer. Cannot new rings be ground very close; that is, the ends of the rings fitted so they are not over 2-1,000 apart? Will this give good compression in a six cylinder motor, 4-inch diameter cylinders? Would you advise having same re-ground and new pistons fitted or just fit new rings for another year?—W. K.

Would advise having the cylinders reground and new pistons with rings fitted. This will insure good results. Just fitting new rings would not produce desired results.

Motor Department: I have an Overland car, and noticed some time ago that there is oil in my radiator. I put a new gasket on the cylinder, put in new piston rings, considered the best, and my cylinder walls are not cracked. What, in your opinion, is the cause? The oil has run half way down the front of the radiator, and is still throwing oil. Any advice would be greatly appreciated.—H. C.

There may be a flaw in the gasket or the head may not be screwed down tight enough, due to the fact that the bolts strike the bottom. Remove head and try them to see if they can go down farther than when head is in place. After replacing head, warm up engine and tighten bolts again. Connect water jacket to city water supply and see if water leaks into cylinder. Water in oil base would show leakage from a crack or blow hole.

Motor Department: I have been told that there is on the market a type of bushing for spring shackles and other parts of a car which does not need lubricating. There are a number of places on my car which have bushings with grease cups and unless these parts are kept constantly lubricated there are all kinds of squeaks. I am about to have my car overhauled and if there is anything to this self-lubricating bushing I will be pleased to know about it. Will you please advise me whether they are any good?—READER.

The Graphite Lubricating company of Pound Brook, N. J., makes graphite bushings, which are supposed to remedy the annoyances you speak of. Would suggest that you communicate with them and they will undoubtedly advance full details as to merits of the bushing referred to.

Motor Department: I have a 1918 car. It is giving me some trouble with the electric lights. When running over rough roads up hill the lights flicker and don't burn steadily. The wires seem to be all right as far as I can see. Can you help me in this matter?—L. S.

You state that the connections are all secure and the wires are all right. If this is so, the change in the lights is probably due to the differences in speed of the engine, combined with a partly discharged battery. When battery is pretty well charged it carries the lights without their fluctuating; but when it is down the lamps depend on the generator and so the light rises and falls with the change of speed. Test battery with hydrometer, and if the reading is 1,200 or lower, have the battery charged at a service station.

Motor Department: Please tell me why some people speed the engine just before starting or after coming to a standstill, just before stopping engine? My ammeter stands perfectly still when the engine is running. I have had it to the shop three times and it is still the same. The last time the mechanic advised a new belt, the result is the same. Can you advise me what to do? I would like to know how many amperes are being charged in the battery. It seems to be in perfect condition otherwise.—C. L.

Usually because they have seen others do it, or just to make a noise. To the observant driver it shows if the engine responds readily to the throttle. Hold a small compass over the battery wire with engine running. If needle is affected then the battery is charging and the ammeter needle is stuck or the ammeter is defective.

HELPFUL HINTS.

In applying tire chains never use a tool to draw them so tight that they cannot creep. If the cross-grip cannot move to a new position on the tread every time it touches the ground it soons cuts deeply into the rubber, and then into the fabric, seriously weaking the strength of the casing.

If only one chain is used, put it on the left rear wheel, so as to avoid damaging it against the curb. If two are used, they should be on the rear wheels, as the driving force is delivered through them and they must be kept from slipping. Always use 2 at least. The car will hold the road better if the front wheels have chains, as they offset the tendency to slip sideways.

The drive chains on trucks should be adjusted carefully. If too tight the chain will wear rapidly, and if too slack they will break when the truck is started suddenly. A little care in this respect will avoid much trouble.

Opinions differ as to the value of the four springs used to hold the chains from sagging. If they hold the chains from creeping they are harmful, but if they are properly fitted they are a decided benefit.

When the roads are wet it is advisable to avoid driving fast over sharp stones and in car tracks. To cut rubber easily one usually wets the knife. The same principle applies to conditions surrounding the use of tires.

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A hole should be bored in the bottom of the battery box to allow any overflow of water or acid to escape.

A common symptom of a leaky inlet valve is backfiring or popping in the carburetor.

Soft metals do not usually have sufficient strength to sustain the weights and shocks of heavy rotating parts of engines.

If your car is equipped with the battery ignition system always remember that the distributor points need cleaning frequently.

If the steering knuckle pivot pins are allowed to become dry or rusty the steering becomes twice as hard as when they are properly lubricated.

Late or sluggish ignition is best detected by almost entire lack of power; also the motor will heat rapidly, causing the water in the radiator to boil.

Badly burned or fouled spark plug electrodes increase the resistance of the plugs, resulting in a weak spark. The only remedy for this condition is to replace the plug.

When removing the cap from crank pin bearings be careful not to lose any of the shims and keep them in place until ready to remove. Never remove more than one shim or one thickness at a time.

When the brakes are adjusted unevenly, one rear tire will wear more rapidly than the other. When the brakes are applied, one grips harder than the other and tends to prevent the wheel from revolving, possibly causing a skid. The other wheel, however, continues to revolve. A right rear tire wears faster than the others, due to the crowning of most roads which are oval.

The clutch should always be properly adjusted to transmit the full power to the engine, and when the frictional surfaces become worn so that they can no longer perform this function, they should be replaced.

When parking a car on a grade it is well to take additional precaution besides setting the brakes. Place the gears in first instead of neutral as the resistance of the motor will hold the car back. Also see that the front wheels are turned toward the curb.

When attempting to remove sprockets or other gear wheels from shafts to which they are attached by means of taper or plain fits and keys, care should be taken not to use the hammer too freely for fear of either fracturing the gear or springing it out of line.

If, when adjusting the bearings, they are not tightened sufficiently to eliminate the play, it indicates that the bearing surface is not exactly round and that a scrapping-in job is necessary. To do this work properly bearing scrapers and a tube of Prussian glue are necessary.

Motorcycle Notes.

Riders who are at all nervous should use a handle-bar mirror. It is a tremendous comfort to be able to see what is approaching from the rear without having to screw one's head round. Aside from that, eyes front should always be the rule when motorcycling.

The cure for a slightly porous tube which will not remain inflated for more than a few hours: Three parts fill a tumbler with gasoline and then add to it sufficient rubber solution to make the mixture about as thick as engine oil in summer. Pour this mixture into the tube, via the valve hole (the valve parts of course having first been removed), and then spread the solution all over the inner face of the rubber. Give the tube a couple of days to dry and there you are.

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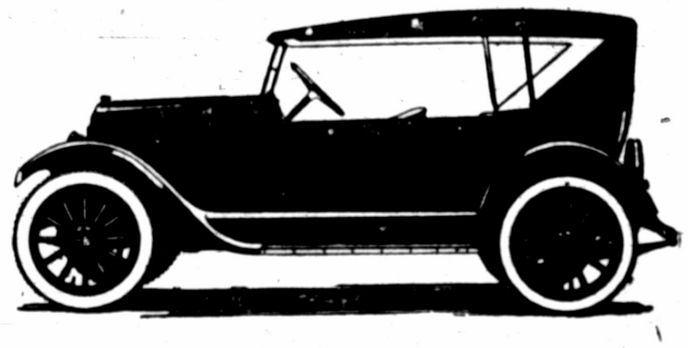

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ROTARY GRANDSTAND AT PARK COMPLETED

Will Be Open to All Boys Who Agree to Meet Certain Requirements.

Organization of the "Rotary Knot Hole Gang," the members of which will be admitted to week-day league games during the 1922 baseball season, will start next Friday night at 7:30.

At this time all boys under 16 years of age are called to meet at Scout headquarters to obtain their application blanks and have the purposes of the "gang" explained to them. The gang will have its own officers and discipline committee under the general supervision of the Rotary club.

A grandstand for the special use of the gang has just been completed at the baseball park, being constructed with funds provided by the Rotary club. To it will be admitted all boys who have not attained their 16th birthday by April 1 of this year, who will sign a pledge to obey certain simple rules of clean living.

The name of the organization is derived from the fact that the Rotarians built the grandstand to provide for boys who, ordinarily, must look through knot holes in order to see the games. In return for admitting the boys free on week days, the baseball association gets the use of the grandstand on Sundays.

A similar plan is followed in Houston, though it is not under Rotary auspices there. The movement for the local organization was started by B. Frank Johnson.

ODD FELLOWS LODGE ORGANIZED FRIDAY AT BURKBURNETT

About 130 men gathered at Burkburnett Friday evening, March 10, to participate in the institution of an Odd Fellow lodge under the direction of Deputy Grand Master Robert R. Brubaker, of Iowa Park. Through the efforts of T. E. Griffen, C. E. Lawrence, Wm. H. Patton and C. W. Copeland, a class of 45 new members was secured. With the addtion of Paul E. Friells, J. Z. Wilson, J. E. Perkins, P. E. Dutton, N. O. Midgett and John W. Grimes, a charter was granted to form a new lodge of Odd Fellows, to be known as Burkburnett lodge, No. 747.

Visitors were present from Iowa Park, Breckenridge, Electra, San Antonio, Longview, Vernon, Doris, Brownwood and Whitesboro, Texas, Elk City, Walters, Cement, Drumright, Deleware, Frederick and Shamrock, Okla.; Fairbury, Neb.; Joplin, Mo.; Oil City, York and Corry, Pa.

The working team from Panhandle lodge No. 341 of Wichita Falls conferred the initiatory and all three degrees in a very able and impressive manner, notwithstanding the hall was small, and many conditions not satisfactory. The class was very attentive and followed the work very closely which was proven by the actions of several members of the class.

After the conferring of the first degree a banquet was prepared at the City cafe.

Impressive and soul-stirring music was furnished by the Comer orchestra to the delight of all, after which the last two degrees were conferred.

The following officers were elected and installed for the ensuing term:

Noble grand, Wm. H. Patton; vice noble grand, N. O. Midgett; recording secretary, C. W. Copeland; treasurer, L. E. Griffen, warden, A. C. Estes; conductor, Jess Melton; inside guardian, J. W. Fyland Jr.; outside guardian, W. J. Little; right supporter to the noble grand, W. H. Kerby; left supporter to the noble grand, P. E. Dutton; right supported to vice noble grand, Jas. Griffen; left supporter to vice noble grand, J. Z. Wilson; right scene supporter, Wm. Burrows, left scene supporter, Sam N. Warren Jr.; chaplain, A. J. Dunn.

After several splendid talks were made "for the good of the order" expressing words of praise in the way the work was conferred, words of cheer to the Burkburnett lodge and helpful admonition, all departed at 4:00 o'clock Saturday morning feeling it had been a night well spent.

The regular meeting night of the Burkburnett lodge will be held each Friday night hereafter.

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WHAT AUSTRALIA WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT PROHIBITION

The state of New South Wales, Australia, is soon to have a prohibition election and folks over there are apparently not all of one mind about it.

The Rotary club of Wichita Falls has received an inquiry from the Rotary club of Sydney, N. S. W., asking for information about the effects of prohibition in this country, and local Rotarians will shortly prepare an answer to the questions propounded.

"The experiences of the United States of America in regard to prohibition are published here from two sources," says the Sydney letter. "First, the advocates of prohibition, and second, those interested in the liquor traffic. Of course, the reports which come from these two sources are widely different and contradictory."

The questions propounded as to prohibition's effects are as follows:

"Commercially—Has it tended to increase the purchasing power of the people? Has it reduced bad debts? Has it prompted financial confidence and stability?

"Industrially—Has it led to increased efficiency? Has it resulted in any better feeling between employer and employe? Has it reduced unemployment?

"Socially—Has it reduced crime? Has it promoted thrift. Has it had any direct effects on the well-being of women and children? Has it affected the gambling habit? Has it increased the drug habit? Has the illicit distillation and sale of liquor increased? Are there any social evils traceable to prohibition? Does it affect different classes differently, e. g. what is the effect on the illiterate? Has it accentuated any other vice?

"Generally—Has prohibition proved a beneficial measure?"

MILL SENDS $1,000 CHECK TO FIREMEN FOR RECENT WORK

A letter of appreciation for the splendid work done by his department in fighting the fire which last Sunday destroyed the old Wichita Mill and Elevator was received Saturday by Fire Chief J. L. McClure from officials of the mill company. A check for $100 was enclosed in the letter.

The mill fire, which was the largest of the year thus far in Wichita Falls, forced every man and every piece of fire fighting equipment in the city to work the limit for hours in order to prevent the spread of flames to surrounding buildings. The business-like manner in which firemen beat back the flames from lumber yards and surrounding freight warehouses attracted much favorable comment from the thousands who watched the progress of the fire.

Chief McClure and each of his men were highly grateful for the appreciative letter and were unanimous in expressing their thanks for the substantial monetary reward.

MANY AUTO SALES RESULT FROM SHOW, DEALERS ANNOUNCE

BRISK BUSINESS FOLLOWS THE THIRD ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF CARS.

CANVASS SHOWS BIG RESULTS FROM DISPLAY

Association Extends Thanks to Public and to Many Individuals.

As a direct result of the third annual automobile show which closed last Wednesday night local auto dealers experienced one of the busiest week-end periods expected this spring. Following up prospects or making deliveries on sales consummated during the progress of the show kept the majority of the auto association members on the jump.

After catching their breath and making a complete review of the situation, the dealers are more pleased than ever with the success of their efforts, if expressions heard Saturday were any criterion. During the show hours each interested dealer had little time to devote to anything beyond looking after his own display, but now that it is all over the individual exhibitors have compared notes and found out just what they had accomplished.

In a statement Saturday morning, H. A. Dodson, chairman of the general show committee, requested that the press extend word of the Wichita Falls Automotive Dealers association's thanks to the public for the interest it had displayed in the auto show and for the many appreciative compliments tendered the dealers for their work. Recognition is also made to the Motor Supply company, the Ripley Piano company, the Electrified Water company and other local concerns whose contributions and efforts aided to make the show a success.

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OSTEOPATHS WILL ESTABLISH CLINIC FOR CHILDREN HERE

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The clinic will be held for a time

The clinic will be held for a time being in the office of Drs. Scharff and Peterson, two mornings in each week. In order to get the more deserving cases the civic and charitable organizations of the city will select the cases for clinic treatment.

There are many deformed and crippled children who could have a much better chance in life if they were given the proper treatment and that is what the osteopaths of this city propose to do. Any surgery that can be done in the office will be preformed on all cases that need such attention.

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KIWANIS DISTRICT OFFICIAL TO SPEAK AT MONDAY'S LUNCH

Musical entertainment by the Texas Womans College artists who are to appear in the evening concert, an address by Dr. H. E. Stout, president of the college and lieutenant-governor of the Texas-Oklahoma Kiwanis district and final arrangement of plans for the evening musical festival will make up the Monday program of the Kiwanis club.

The T. W. C. artists will have arrived in town before the meeting convenes and will be guests of the club at its weekly session. Music and readings will make up the entertainment features while Dr. Stout's address will probably deal with matters relating to the Kiwanis club.

The attendance prize of the day will be offered by J. N. Sherill and the silent boosts will come from J. T. Yeargin.

DE MOLEY CHAPTER TO GIVE DANCE MARCH 15

Hope Chapter Order of De Molay for boys has announced a subscription dance for De Molay members and Master Masons, for next Wednesday night at 8:30 o'clock in the Shrine auditorium at Call Field.

The local chapter was instituted on March 1, and this is the first social affair to be given by the boys. Other social affairs will follow, as the boys are very enthusiastic over the new order, its ritualistic and social work. The chapter has 55 members at present, with boys from the towns of Burkburnett and Electra included in the membership. Another ceremonial will be announced at an early date, at which time it is hoped to have a class of over 100 candidates.

The dance on the 15th is to be given by Hope Chapter, and is not sponsored either by the advisory board or by Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59.

Music will be furnished by Johnny Youngblood's jazz orchestra.

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What *a* Man Should Do *at the* Zenith *of* His Success

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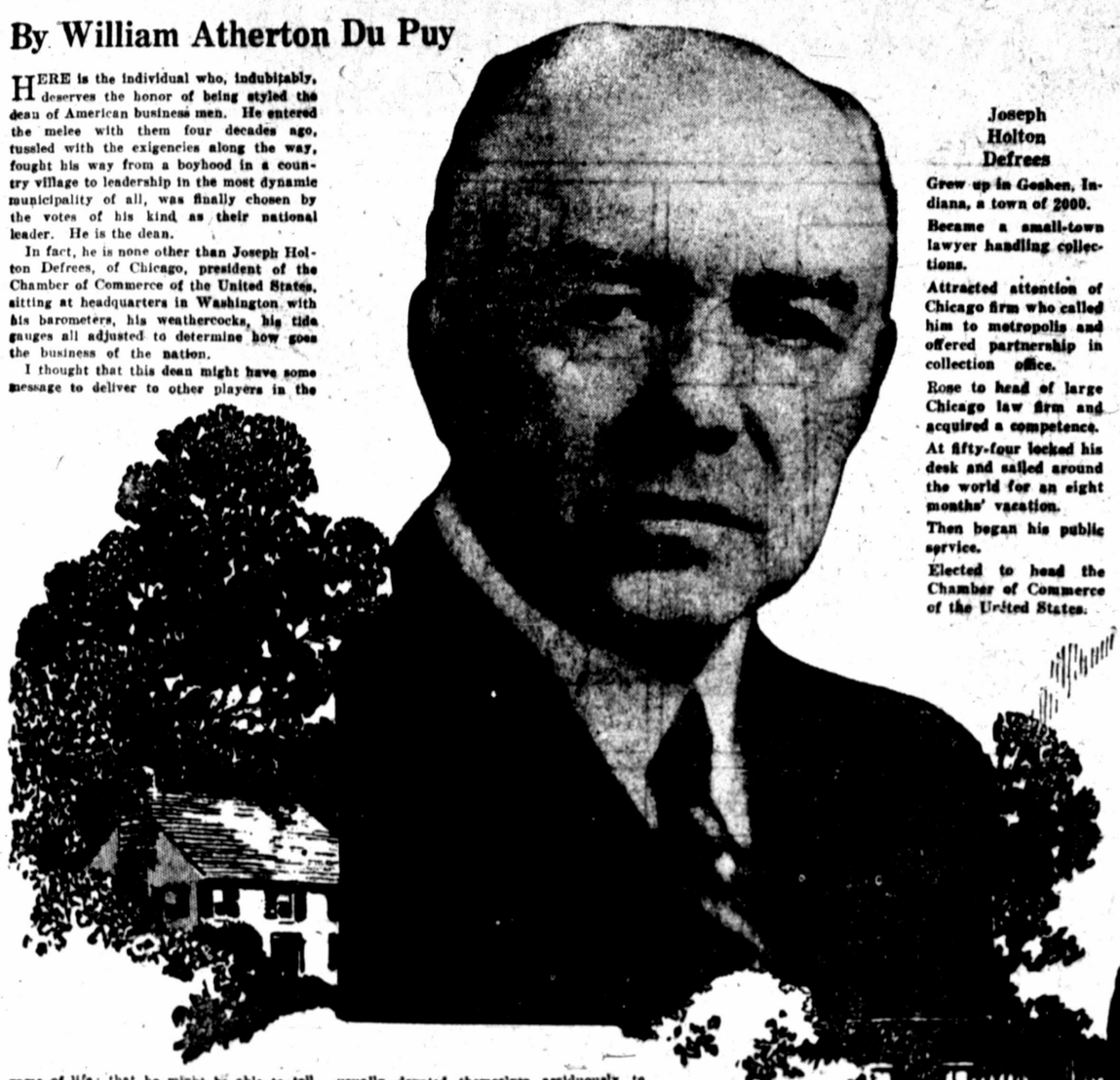

Joseph Holton Defrees

Grew up in Goshen, Indiana, a town of 2000.

Became a small-town lawyer handling collections.

Attracted attention of Chicago firm who called him to metropolis and offered partnership in collection office.

Rose to head of large Chicago law firm and acquired a competence.

At fifty-four locked his desk and sailed around the world for an eight months' vacation.

Then began his public service.

Elected to head the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

HERE is the individual who, indubitably, deserves the honor of being styled the dean of American business men. He entered the melee with them four decades ago, tussled with the exigencies along the way, fought his way from a boyhood in a country village to leadership in the most dynamic municipality of all, was finally chosen by the votes of his kind as their national leader. He is the dean.

In fact, he is none other than Joseph Holton Defrees, of Chicago, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, sitting at headquarters in Washington with his barometers, his weathercocks, his tide gauges all adjusted to determine how goes the business of the nation.

I thought that this dean might have some message to deliver to other players in the game of life; that he might be able to tell successful men how to put the most satisfactory cap possible upon the monument which they had built through the years; that he might point the way to the youngster who is only learning to toddle down the path which may open out into wide avenues or may lead into the muck of failure, depending upon the turnings he takes.

An efficient secretary made an appointment for me four days ahead. As one goes around among successful men he is impressed with the effectiveness with which they use this tool, the secretary. The secretary arranges the program of the day, keeps the big man on the dot for his appointments. He prepares the correspondence so it may be attended to with the minimum of effort on the part of his chief. He sees to it that the office is an effectually functioning piece of machinery which can do anything upon the instant, from digging out the copy of a letter written two years ago to procuring a drawing room to San Francisco. The details that eat up the time of lesser individuals pass through the screen of the secretary and only the bigger problems come to the executive for cracking.

"WHY," I asked the dean of business, "did you retire from the active work of your life and come down here to work just as hard without salary or profit?"

"On the face of it this giving up a money-making job for one that pays you nothing looks foolish, doesn't it?" replied Mr. Defrees. "In Chicago I was at the head of a law firm with an extensive business and many interests. The firm was obviously successful and I, as its head, had made considerable money and was still making it. I had been in active practice in Chicago for twenty-four years. I was fifty-four years old, strong and vigorous. The ship of my affairs was running on an even keel. There were serene seas ahead.

"Then, one day, I locked my desk and went away. After twenty-four years of work I thought I had a bit of vacation coming to me. With Mrs. Defrees I sailed around the world, spent eight months at it, saw all the sights that had lured me through the decades. It was a bit of personal gratification, of indulgence. It was a playtime which was but a curtain-raiser to the program I had in mind.

"I had long entertained a theory as to the most advantageous way a man could use his life. I held that, in the beginning, he had certain responsibilities that were purely personal. I believed that he should make it his primary purpose to look after these personal responsibilities."

"Specifically, just what are these responsibilities?" I asked.

"In the first place," said the dean, "a man owes it to himself and to his family to accumulate enough to tide him over emergencies.

"I have known many men who have thought happiness lay in acquiring a competence and retiring to a life of idleness. Such men, thus reversing the habits of a lifetime, have usually been very unhappy. A man who has led a busy life can rarely knock off, sit around in idleness and be happy. It has been demonstrated that this is not the proper program.

"I have known many instances, also, of men who have succeeded in one line, have retired from it with millions, have ventured into other fields and have failed. I remember one such man in Chicago, phenomenally successful in his field, who did just this. Years later I met him in the West Indies. He was broke, living on the liberality of a married daughter. It often happens thus.

"But my program for successful men is based upon a different foundation and will, I am quite sure, lead to happiness. Men who have fought their way to success have usually devoted themselves assiduously to their businesses or their professions. Their main purpose has been to get ahead in the world through the acquisition of wealth. They have succeeded. Their ends have been attained. They have all they need. They can go on making money or they can retire.

"Now I hold that it is just at this point that such a man is ripe for a certain idea. He should awake to the possibilities that lie for him in public service. He should come to an appreciation of the fact that the community, the country, has done well by him and that he should in return make an effort to repay it. Happy is the man who is ready to retire from his own active life and who gets the idea of devoting his remaining years to the betterment of those about him."

HERE was a prescription for a complaint I had often observed and upon which many authorities have commented. In the agricultural West it has long been noticed that the successful farmer, selling out his holdings and establishing himself in a comfortable home in the village with nothing to do, rarely lives long. In Washington attention has often been directed to the fact that army and navy officers, retiring at sixty-two from active lives, hale and hearty, usually pass away within five years.

The authorities agree that it is idleness that kills them. Were they given some worthwhile tasks with which to employ themselves they would drive on happily for an additional decade or two of usefulness. This is what Mr. Defrees would provide for the retired business man.

Looking at him there, enthusiastic and happy after twelve years thus used, apparently good for another two decades, he seemed the demonstration of his own theory.

"Just how is the man who is ready to retire from business to find his niche in public usefulness?" I asked him.

"Of course there is always politics," he replied with a shrug. "I think that this mature business man is ideal material for public service in politics. He has back of him a successful experience that may well be used to the profit of the public. He has provided himself with a competence, has gone out of the game of making money, so is temptation proof from that standpoint. He has the desire to serve. His mental attitude toward his office is just what it ought to be.

"Another great opportunity for the retired business or professional man is through work with chambers of commerce. During the last decade a great advance has been made in the characters of chambers of commerce, in the manner of work they handle, in the purposes that animate them. They are now all imbued with the civic spirit. Their activities include the betterment of the community.

"If the successful men who are ready to retire were only properly directed into public service they would be one of the greatest assets of the nation."

"YOU came from a small town," I said to this head of the Nation's greatest group of business men. "You won your success in the city of Chicago. With this experience back of you, in which sort of community, would you think, lies the best opportunity for the ambitious young man?"

"That question of the attainment of success," he said, ruminatingly, after patting his chest in search of a cigar, after rummaging in his desk for one, after finally resorting to the use of that useful tool, his secretary, and getting immediate results, "is one that is stupendously difficult to analyze. A great many apparent successes are mere accidents. A man goes down the street and meets success on the street corner. If he had gone down the other side he would not have met it. He becomes wealthy by a fluke. He is regarded as a success, which he probably is not. I doubt if he has built the character that will make it possible for him to get much happiness out of his wealth."

"How about the man who makes a fortune dishonestly?" I inquired.

"There is many a man in many a town," Mr. Defrees said, "who lives in a palace and owns a bank who envies his modest depositors the esteem of their fellows. When such a man has sacrificed the respect of his associates, when there is a curse in the heart of every man he meets on the street, he knows it and in his heart he is miserable. There is no occasion to envy the man who has become rich by improper methods.

"No rules, of course, can be made to help toward accidental success. It just happens. It cannot be artificially induced. There is consequently no reason for giving it consideration. It will happen to one or it will not and there is the end of it.

"But there is the success that comes from sustained effort, which is a much safer success. That is a thing for which one may go into training. It lies in the small community and it lies in the big city."

"When did you start?" I asked, holding that the genesis of a man is always interesting.

"I grew up in Goshen, Indiana, which had a population of about 2000 when I was a boy and has twice that many now. I went to school like the other village boys. It would have been very difficult in those days to put the finger on the lad who would succeed. Out of such a group there are usually but one or two who get to the top. I can hardly recall one of these early associates who made a success of his life. I can remember some marked failures. One, a doctor's son, had every advantage, gave great promise. But there was a weak spot in his character which allowed him to become a drug addict after he became a physician.

"I was moving head-on for a political career when I left Goshen. If I had stayed and been successful I would have been given a different sort of life, but one with great opportunity for service."

"HOW did you happen to leave the smaller community for the bigger one?" I asked.

"As a lawyer in a small town," he replied, "I handled collections. I represented in this capacity a Chicago wholesale house and two or three important tasks developed in the community. I had to take over an establishment, for instance, to sell it out, to get my client's money. I did this to the firm's satisfaction. An official of it wrote me a letter to come to see him when I was in Chicago.

"It was almost an accident that I happened to visit Chicago and called on these people. They offered me a partnership with another young lawyer who was handling their collections, and I stayed, with fair success, for fourteen months, at the end of which time my grandfather died and it became necessary for me to return to Goshen to settle his estate.

"This I did and my intentions were to remain in the town of my birth, but this I later found was impossible. My mind had adjusted itself to the life of the city and could not revert to an interest in the doings of the small town. The lad who thinks he will go away for a metropolitan experience and return with it to small-town life is working on a false premise. Once a metropolitan he cannot go back and be happy."

"But this intangible thing, success," I asked. "How may a man deliberately shape his course to attain it?"

"In the first place," Mr. Defrees replied, "the youngster must deliberately analyze himself. He must hold himself up for inspection, to find out where he is failing. The most obvious thing is that he should be physically presentable. He can ask himself, 'Is my person immaculately clean?' It is within any individual's reach to be immaculately clean and presentable, yet many people are not. Those who are have an advantage over the others. The rule of cleanliness can be applied to clothing. Though they may be poor, clothes may always be clean. Though threadbare, they may be brushed and neatly worn. The best possible appearance should be made with materials in hand. 'With what I have,' the youngster should ask himself, 'am I making the best possible appearance?' He can stand himself up and analyze himself. He is constantly offering himself on the market. He should keep himself constantly burnished just as he would keep a second-hand automobile he was trying to sell.

"Then this young man, or young woman, should realize that a definite purpose must be acquired. He must know what it is that he wants to do. Maybe it is to get a job, to learn a trade, to acquire a profession, or to get into business. He should not hem and haw, back and fill. He should know, when he approaches the employment manager, that this is the thing he wants to do. He should have a definite purpose.

"A knowledge that you are clean, that your clothing is brushed and well put together, that you know what you want to do, gives you confidence. One must have confidence. One should assume it if he has it not, but the assumption is not as sustaining as the real thing. Confidence is built on real virtues and on knowledge. If you feel that you have it not, ask yourself why. Probably you can add virtue here and there that will make for real confidence. The individual can look himself in the face all the time, can try to find out what is wrong and, when he has found out, can intelligently go about mending the fault. One can keep slipping corner stones under the foundation of his character all the time and is sure to find that it is work that will repay him well.

"Then when he gets going there remains the necessity for applying common sense all along the way. One should take himself in hand once in a while and ask himself: 'Am I making any mistakes that will keep me from getting ahead? Am I keeping myself in condition where I look like a good buy on the market? Am I gaining in address, in confidence, in efficiency? Am I letting any small vices rob me of the big opportunity? What is there that is holding me back?'

"In fact, the individual must use his head in virtually studying his own case and must exercise sufficient will-power to prune out those faults that are hurting and add the virtues that will help. This any man can do if he only takes the trouble. There will be so many who will not make the effort that he who does will have the advantage that is sure to bring him success.

"AND every man should have the will to be fair. I am inclined to believe that the will to be fair is about the finest thing that can enter into a man's make-up. Then, as a bumper between himself and the world, a sense of humor is of inestimable value. And, further, as an aid to happiness, a hobby.

"Apropos of this hobby theory, I may say that I am a bit of a collector of art objects. One of the happiest experiences of my life was the pursuit of a certain painting by none other than Charles Wilson Peale, famed as the painter of George Washington.

"In the Revolutionary days in Philadelphia our family had an ancestor whose name was John Strangeway Hutton, who was famous, among other things, for the fact that he had twenty-five children and seventeen of them were born to his second wife, whom he married at the age of fifty-two.

"I found somewhere a statement that Peale had painted John Hutton's picture. In the archives of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania I found a record of an auction sale of Peale's effects, with the purchasers, and among these the Hutton picture. From one clue to another we traced it until finally it was found in the house of two shy maiden ladies living out in New Jersey, between Philadelphia and Atlantic City. I went to see them and there, on the wall, was my Peale.

"It required months of sparring to bring these ladies to the frame of mind where I could make them an offer for this picture. Eventually they asked me for an offer. It was one of the hardest problems of my business career to determine on the figure to name—a big enough figure to interest them and yet a figure not so big as to frighten them. Finally I set it at $1000, which was immediately accepted. I had the picture very skillfully restored. It is a splendid thing and one of my greatest treasures."

The Key to a Rounded-Out Career

Mr. Defrees' Rules

Analyze yourself. Hold yourself up for inspection to find wherein lie failings.

Keep clean physically and dress in clean clothes. They may be threadbare, but must be brushed and neatly worn.

Know what it is you want to do, assert your purpose and stick to it. Employers are looking for men who refuse to be dismissed.

Acquire confidence, common sense. Be fair. Develop a sense of humor and—a hobby.

Your first duty is to accumulate enough to tide over an emergency. With emergency money cached, drive ahead to a fixed goal. When you have all you need——

What Then?

Should a man go forward forever making money or is there something more worth while?

My program for complete success is to cap the monument built up through the years with a career in public service.

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Soft Crepes and Drooping Plumage at Tea Time

Ornaments of Chinese-Red and Silken Tassels on Navy Cashmere—Rose Lines and Bands the Black Taffeta Hat.

At Right—Tan Crepe Uses Sable Tails and Clever Shirring—Ostrich Quills on Satin Hat.

The Looped Sleeves of This Jade Green Crepe Drop from Shoulder Strips of Black and Silver Lace.

She Pours Tea In a Frock of White Chiffon and Monkey Fur Posed Over Black Lace with Black Satin Toque to Match.

Margaret Lowry

When "4 o'Clock" Comes the Woman of Discrimination Realizes the Appeal of the Purely Feminine Touch in Spite of the Prevailing Mannish Tendency.

By Mme. Frances

The Famous Creator of Fashions

SINCE the feeling in favor of sports clothes is becoming apparent in almost everything, the woman who likes softer, fussier things will take advantage of the scope offered her in the choice of clothes to wear at tea time.

While the sports influence does not mean that women's clothes will become mannish in any degree, because women of discrimination will always realize the appeal of soft, feminine apparel, it may mean that more restriction will be placed on the use of elaborate trimming and on the accessories to be worn with certain frocks.

But at tea time smart women appear in soft crepes and satins, in plumage and drooping hats, wearing with them the jewels and dainty trinkets dear to the feminine heart.

Cleverly managed folds of material, dashingly draped and paneled skirts, slit sleeves or voluminous ones which would not lend themselves to sports activities—all of these are charming at tea time.

In the revolution of the fashion cycle, it is interesting to note the reappearance of little fads. General styles and the bigger things, such as silhouettes, lengths and sleeve treatments, sometimes take a good amount of time to swing back around the circle, but little fads are apt to repeat themselves more often. For a while they may not be seen or thought of at all, then, presto! There they are again.

Jewels match the costume to a marked degree. The fad for wearing many bracelets continues, the bracelets of bone or carved ivory in white and colors. A stunning afternoon costume in dull tomato chiffon was seen recently, the rich tone of the tomato set off by bone bracelets in dull red, green, orange and deep purple.

An Uneven Line Secret

Note the use of sable tails on the tan charmeuse frock worn by the standing figure above. This use of fur trimming on a gown of more or less fragile material may serve to illustrate the reappearance of a small note in the way of trimming. About six years ago one of my patrons attracted much comment at Palm Beach in a charming little frock I had created for her of sheer white batiste trimmed in ermine tails.

This crepe frock, in the tan which will be so smart for spring, is ideal for the afternoon tea scene of which it finds itself a part. True to the way of skirts for spring, an uneven line about the bottom is easily achieved by catching the skirt up here and there, and one of these folds is held up by shirring at the side. The slit at the back is straight and deeper than the front one, while a gold cord and tassels complete the neckline. The broad-brimmed brown satin hat is made smarter still by its ostrich quills posed at one side.

The long sleeves, shirred in about the cuff and extending out in a point below the elbow, strike a note of difference. In fact, the sleeves in the four frocks shown may serve well to illustrate the different ways of sleeves. But we may say that preference favors the big full sleeves seen on the navy cashmere frock worn by the seated figure at the left.

And on a spring afternoon there is an air of freshness and vivacity about a frock of navy blue, whatever the medium, that is hardly equalled by a dress of another hue. This frock is bound all about with the narrowest piping of self-material, and finds a note of difference in the fulness which swings off one side.

The feature of the dress, and that which gives it an undisputed note of difference, appears in the Chinese ornaments on the long heavy silk tassels which drop from the waistline. The rose of the ornaments stands out brightly against the background of navy tassel, while the Chinese temple design in raised gilt adds its picturesque touch.

The large hat is slightly elongated at the sides and droops a bit. It is of black taffeta lined with roselinen, while a drawn-work band of rose linen encircles the crown and ties at the side.

The hostess pours tea, and wears for the occasion a charming gown of white chiffon, posed over black lace and white satin. The white chiffon overskirt is split in panels which are joined by the band of monkey which runs straight about the bottom, as if the skirt were all in one. The accompanying toque is of black satin.

Large Hats for Spring

Jade green crepe with black and silver lace is worn by the figure at the far side of the table. Loops of the green crepe drop from strips of lace which extend from either shoulder along the upper arm. Her hat shows the same general outline as the other one, being slightly wider at the sides, except that it turns up ever so little at the front to soften the line and avoid hiding the eyes of the wearer. Devotees of the large hat, almost like the well-known Merry Widow shape, will be glad to know that many of the newer spring shapes are of this variety.

For that matter, however, shapes vary widely and hats are to be found for the woman whose features are sharp as well as for the more rounded contour. Ribbon is very smart, often appearing in a simple band tied about the crown and ending in a bow or falling loops at the side. Moire is used in this way, following the vogue for moire street frocks, while grosgrain, too, comes in for a share of interest. Interesting little grosgrain hats show turned-up brims made of loops of the ribbon over stiff frames, while around the edge, loops stand away from the frame and give a softer line to the hat. Another hat of rose grosgrain designed for an actress to wear with a frock of matching color showed a brim which was simply a wide piece of the ribbon sewed about the crown and caught into it at intervals with little bone rings.

In the tea hat there is something very appealing in soft ostrich feathers which droop about the face. Charming models of this inspiration are to be seen, usually in a close-fitting chapeau, the feather often of an indefinable shade, as a green-blue or a gray-green.

Slippers in patent or satin are shown for the tea hour. These are always strapped, a dainty pump often showing only one strap, with some variety of jeweled slide to fasten it.

THE FASHION FORECAST

Anything for the sake of the irregular line! Hence the new skirts will be caught up at some point either front, back or at the side.

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Blue Ribbon Fiction

THE STORY THUS FAR.

ON opposite sides of Lake Marmion, in Mississippi, are two huge estates—Bennington, owned by Maj. Kenneth Stark, and Marmion, owned by Gen. Bob Clayton. Their owners have been at feud for many years. First there was a political row, then a bitter lawsuit over a boundary, then a duel that left Maj. Stark with a stiff leg, while Gen. Clayton fled to Salamanca, in Latin America, with his tiny son Stuart. As the story opens, old Uncle Nat, Maj. Stark's colored servant, is dozing by the roadside when two constables ride up in an automobile. They have heard that Stuart Clayton has returned to Marmion, and they question Uncle Nat, who is evasive. They also question Florian Razilly, a creole, who, with his beautiful wife, Adelaide, is the guest of Maj. Stark and his lovely daughter Barbara. The constables have handcuffs with them, and are on a man hunt for Stuart. They leave after arranging a rendezvous with Uncle Nat and later with Razilly. Uncle Nat tells his story at Bennington House and it causes Adelaide and Barbara to become strangely excited. There are hints of a mysterious tryst in the woods surrounding the lake.

SECOND INSTALLMENT.

The Horse in the Jungle.

MEANTIME old Nat kept fumbling and digging through his pockets, but found nothing more. "Mr. Razilly," he inquired, "you never got dat blue colored letter what comes ev'y day."

"No." Razilly answered briefly, "they come from New York in the later mail."

"Den I'll jes give dese to de major," Nat said, and hurried to the steps.

Having delivered the major's paper and otherwise discharged his fatiguing duties, Uncle Naf now exercised his privilege of sitting on the steps with the rest of the family, and moved close to the pillar beside which Dr. Humphreys sat. The doctor, an old time comrade of Gen. Clayton, would be interested in a cargo of news which Nat itched to unload.

For a long time he sat and itched and held his tongue. The restless Mr. Razilly kept striding along the gallery, halting now and again to overhear the girls at their low voiced chatter, while Major Stark burrowed in his chair and barricaded himself behind a newspaper. Everybody appeared to be studying about something else, when old Nat tapped the doctor's knee and whispered his tidings:

"Doctor, two strange constables is hangin' roun' dis plantation."

"Constables?" Doctor Humphreys saw the negro's agitation, and leaned forward to hear.

"Egsackly, suh," Nat answered breathlessly. "Dey must be mighty high constables, from de biggity way dey conduct deirselves."

"What do they want?"

"De's seekin' fer somebody, an' powful sot on gittin' him."

"Whom do you think they are after?" the doctor inquired.

If Nat had suspected Major Stark of listening behind his newspaper he would never have dared mention the forbidden name. But the major seemed engrossed in reading, so Nat wriggled closer to Doctor Humphreys, and his voice rose with excitement:

"Dey's fixin' to grab Mister Stuart Clayton."

Suddenly the major's paper fell, and two stern gray eyes bored old Nat through and through as Major Stark demanded:

"What's that, Nat? What's that?"

Nat bounced up as if the steps were too hot to sit on, and started to dodge around a corner of the house, when the boss stopped him.

"Come back here. What did you say?"

"Nothin' much, suh," the Negro stuttered. "Nothin' 'tall. Me an' doctor was jes a jokin'."

"Joking? You said something about Stuart Clayton?"

"Who, me?" Nat looked surprised and injured. "Lordee, major, you nevir heard me speak no sech words."

"Yes, I did. Out with it. Tell it all."

Like a wary mule that doesn't mean to put his foot in a hole, old Nat felt his way along, ready to jerk back and retreat if he made a false step. Although Major Stark scowled most savagely, he gave no halting signal, but motioned for Nat to proceed, while Razilly keenly eyed him.

"You see, major, it was like dis," Nat began his blundering explanation. "Whilst I was gittin you' mail, two strangers come ridin' 'long in a automobile, 'quiring for me to lead 'em to de back door of Marmion, so Mister Stuart Clayton wouldn't 'spicion dey was comin'. I figgers it, major, dat dem constables is sot on grabbin' Mister Stuart Clayton."

"Then why the devil don't they go get him?" Again Major Stark pounded his cane on the floor. "He's at Marmion."

"So dem niggers say, so dey say. No, suh, major, no, suh." Nat took a nimble backward step. "I ain't helt no talk wid dem Marmion niggers, not sence yo' duel."

"Duel?" Adelaide burst out, and Razilly cut her short.

"But Clayton is there, isn't he?" the creole questioned with such ardor as to remind old Nat that he had several times seen Mr. Razilly examining the porch at Marmion House through a pair of field glasses.

"Dunno, Mister Razzle," he answered noncommittally, and Razilly would have further pressed the witness if he hadn't caught the frightened glances that passed between his wife and Barbara Stark. He saw Barbara grip his wife's arm to put her on guard, and noted the smile of comprehension with which Adelaide reassured her friend. Now the young creole woman moved along the top step, nearer to Uncle Nat and to the major while she queried innocently:

"Uncle Nat, tell us about the duel."

Old Nat jumped as if somebody had fired a cannon, and passed the buck to Major Stark, himself declining to exhume that long taboo discussion of a political disagreement and a boundary litigation which had culminated in pistols and punctilious courtesy, and a crippled knee. Maybe Adelaide failed to understand, or maybe she presumed upon being such a pretty woman, but even Barbara gasped as the glowing creole turned to her father and begged:

"O, major; do tell me about your duel. I never heard anything so exciting."

"Nothing to get excited about," the major's voice came gruff and brief, while the pacific Doctor Humphreys sat drumming on the arm of his chair and Barbara struggled to hold her tongue. It was only Adelaide who did not feel the icy silence which melted before the fire in her face. For Major Kenneth Stark surprised everybody by getting redder, to the top of his bald head, as he told about a hostile meeting on the lake bank, and all details of the lawsuit between himself and Clayton from the beginning to a final man-

"Howdy Mr. Stuart, howdy," said Uncle Nat. But the young white man never offered to shake hands.

date of the Supreme court. Then he thumped the floor, and finished:

"So I got Barbara's land by law—every inch of it to the burnt cypress. After I beat him, Clayton bundled up his brat and left the country."

"Where did he go?" The infatiated Adelaide kept asking questions in spite of Barbara's nudges.

"Went to a place called Salamanaca in Central America.

"And raised a lot of trouble." Florian Razilly spoke before he thought, then shrugged his shoulders when everybody looked at him. "That is—I've heard he did—in a general way."

For one moment Adelaide glanced questioningly at her husband with a puckering of her brows as if she were tring to remember something; but Florian scowled so fiercely that she turned again to Major Stark.

"O, major," Adelaide exclaimed, clasping her plump little hands and gazing upward into his face. "So this young man who has just some back, he's the son of the general with whom you fought the duel? How romantic!"

"Romantic?" Barbara laughed outright at the romantic language that her father would use should he catch his daughter on the lake bank, meeting this ardent young exile from the tropics.

"It sounds like a fairy tale," Adelaide insisted.

"Huh!" Major Stark snorted, and rose on his game leg to hobble away from all such fairy tales. "Florian, get ready. It's time to go for bass. Hurry, Nat; tell Neezer to run out the motor boat. We'll have him tow us down to the mouth of Lone Oak Slough."

"Lone Oak?" Barbara repeated with a startling gesture, and checking herself before anybody noticed it except Razilly. During Adelaide's grilling of the major, and frying the feud out of him, this dutiful daughter had never uttered a word, but sat staring across the lawn and choking a propensity to laugh while her parent swelled up like a frog. She enjoyed that part of the performance, but when her father intimated that he would fish near the mouth of Lone Oak Slough the girl changed countenance and tried to appear quite nonchalant as she inquired:

"You are going to Lone Oak?"

"Yes, daughter."

"But I thought you were trying the upper end of the lake this afternoon."

"No. Neezer thinks that silver bass will be feeding across the lower bar."

"O! The bar." That made all the difference in the world, and Barbara settled back with a sigh of satisfaction; for she knew that from the lower bar her father and Adelaide's husband could not see a certain log in a certain little glade which was their trysting place.

"Come on, Adelaide," she said and sprang up gayly.

Again Florian Razilly detected the hyplay between the two conspiring women, as Adelaide followed Barbara and they strolled away together.

As the whispering girls sauntered away to lose themselves amongst the shrubbery, Florian Razilly eyed his wife with vague suspicion, while Major Kenneth Stark wriggled deeper in his chair and got wrathier every minute. It made him hot in the collar to think how that creole woman had pried into his personal affairs; and he felt even more indignant at himself for answering her.

"Ken," inquired Dr. Humphreys, when the restless Razilly had gone inside. "Ken, have you heard anything about why young Clayton came home?"

"Not a word. None of my dambusiness."

At the flash old Nat dodged out of range and stood listening for thunder. But it was less of a clap than Doctor Humphreys expected—no ladies being present—so he dared call down another.

"I'm going to get hold of that boy, and see if he's in trouble," he said quietly.

"Certainly, he is," snapped the major. "Those Claytons were born for trouble."

During the past ten minutes Major Stark's bald pate had been glowing like a ripe tomato, and was just beginning to cool off when Matt Humphreys fired it again. He got up to move.

"Sit down a moment," the doctor urged; "let's have a little talk."

Having already sweated through his cross-examination from Adelaide, the exasperated major didn't want to sit down; he didn't want to talk; he wanted to go fishing, and be let alone.

"Talk about what?" he demanded.

"Nothing in particular," Humphreys nodded toward a chair, "Sit down."

Doctor Matthew Humphreys was one of those strong men who preferably gain a point by conciliation, without resorting to their latent force; unwillingly the major obeyed him, sticking out his stiff leg and gripping the head of his cane as he sat bolt upright to gag at some bitter medicine.

"Ken," his tormentor began. "Ken, don't you think these old animosities should be forgotten?"

"Forgotten? How can I forget? Look at my leg."

"Yes, I know. But in every quarrel there's always a little right on both sides."

"Not a bit. Clayton was wrong, dead wrong. The courts said so."

"But that boundary could have been adjusted if you hadn't got so bullheaded."

"Me? Bullheaded?"

"Yes. And you might have accepted Clayton's assurance that he meant no personal offense by his speech at Issaquena courthouse."

"Didn't he speak plain enough for any fool to understand?" Stark used his cane as a safety valve and kept pounding the floor while Doctor Humphreys continued:

"I was present and heard what Clayton said. He argued that you had reached an incorrect conclusion on free silver——"

"——that I hadn't the gumption to understand a financial proposition!"

Nobody else would have dared laugh at Kenneth Stark as old Matt Humphreys laughed.

"Honest, Ken? Honest? Right here in the bosom of the family, won't you admit that our ideas are just a trifle hazy on international finance?"

"Maybe so." The major emphasized his statement by another whack. "But I was right."

"No matter who was right," his friend insisted in a tone which expressed a lifetime of regret, "political differences never justify a quarrel between two lads who were reared like brothers. That first set you crossways. So gallant Bob Clayton died in exile because he couldn't bear to look across this lake at a constant reminder that he had shot his old comrade of the First Mississippi. And he did not want to rear his son in an atmosphere of revenge."

Thrice the major winced and tried to mutter something, but only held himself more rigid, with every line of his figure denying what Doctor Humphreys said.

"That's true, Ken, and you know it. Bob Clayton deserted Marmion so that his son would not grow up with the nightmare of having enemies. Bob wanted little Stuart to feel that the whole world was his friend."

"Matt, where'd you get all that Sunday school stuff?" Major Stark blurted out.

"Tom Yandell told me," the doctor answered.

"Tom Yandell?" At mention of this once familiar name Major Stark glanced up. "Tom told you that?"

"Yes. He had already established himself in Salamanca when Bob joined him, and they became associated in various enterprises. Three years ago Tom visited New Orleans. I went down to see him and he told me how Bob Clayton used to sit staring at the sea and wishing to be back at Marmion. And Bob always spoke of you as if no differences had ever come between."

While the gray bearded mediator talked on and on he scanned the other's face. Beneath the tightening of Stark's lips, beneath the stubborn gleam of his eye, Humphreys read his wavering thought, even though the major said:

"That's all rot. Rot!"

"But you can't refuse to believe what Tom Yandell says?"

"Of course not, but Tom was too infernally sentimental."

Then Humphreys leaned forward and touched the hand of his friend. "Ken," he pleaded. "Don't cling to this grudge. Don't. Hate is worse than death to a man like you. It sours his very soul."

"Rot!" the major retorted.

"And there was a time when you would have given your right arm to make up with Bob. Don't you remember? I was here on the night before Bob left. You had your horse saddled to ride to Marmion. But you lacked the moral courage. Instead of telling him how you felt, you walked up and down your room—all night long. No, don't shake your head; I heard you. Next morning Bob was gone."

"Not a word of truth in it! Not a word!" The gruff old major got up to leave, but Doctor Humphreys caught his arm and begged:

"Let me go to Marmion and invite the boy here. Then we can find out what his trouble is."

"Don't want to find out." The major jerked away, stalked across the gallery, and wheeled at the threshold. "Matt Humphreys, I invite none but friends to this house. And I'd just as soon be friendly with a Republican. Get ready now, I'm going fishing."

Doctor Humphreys continued to smile as he heard the major's cane go thumping through his hallway. For the first time in years they had discussed the Claytons, and he was making progress in being tolerated.

Safely hid from all spying husbands, the excited young creole could scarcely wait until she and her accomplice had seated themselves behind a screening gardenia. Then she whispered eagerly:

"He's the man that we've been meeting. I just know it."

"Of course he is," Barbara agreed with most astounding composure. "But aren't you dreadfully worried about those officers?" Adelaide shuddered at the very thought.

"Constables?" A word expressed Barbara's contempt. "They are probably looking for some Negro on his plantation. I'd better be thinking about the forty varieties of Cain that father would raise if he suspected me of flirting with a Clayton."

"What a romance!"

"Romance? It'll start a riot in the Stark family. We must be careful. This afternoon the men will be fishing so near our log."

"O! O!" her creole face lost a shade of its color as Adelaide suggested, "We'd better not go."

"Go? Certainly we shall go. But if your husband and my father go there, too, we may have an adventure."

"Adventure? Ugh!" Adelaide shivered at her fascinating peril, and cuddled closer to Barbara. With all French intuition and curiosity, she envied the more fortunate girl, and sighed, "O dear, it's wonderful for a woman to have her romance."

"Why Adelaide!" Barbara clasped an arm around her friend. "You have your romance; you married your lover."

"Not so." Adelaide promptly denied both statements.

It was paradoxical how circumspect this convent girl could be in certain matters, and how astonishingly frank in others. Facts of nature to which Barbara would never allude in the presence of a man, the creole discussed with startling candor; and then Adelaide would be virtuously shocked at the American girl riding in her car, alone with a boy whom she had known all of her life. The two were bred in different atmospheres, and Adelaide now emphasized their difference by making no concealment of a situation which Barbara would have buried in her own heart.

For some time Adelaide remained silent and thinking before she spoke again with French directness. "O, maybe one affair. Maybe after a while Florian he come. Florian he get provoked and kill my lover, perhaps. But that is too sad, too sad." Her bubbling vivacity refused to dwell upon such a sadness. Changing her tone, she caught Barbara's hand and asked: "My dear, what does your lover call you? He does not know your name. You must have a nom d'amour."

"Sure! I have a bully nom d'amour," Barbara answered complacently. "My nom d'amour is 'Adelaide.'"

"What? My name!"

"Yes, the first name I could recall—in a hurry. Now, don't fly off the handle like that. It just popped out accidentally. Yesterday we were sitting together on the log, and it seemed too comical to hear him say 'Miss,' 'Miss,' when all of a sudden he shot the question: 'You must have a beautiful name. What is it?' He took me by surprise. I couldn't think of any name except yours and the house girl's. 'Mandy' isn't poetic, so I told him 'Adelaide.'"

With all dramatic effect the creole sat down beside Barbara and whispered:

"Florian had a secret motive to visit here."

"A motive?" Barbara wondered. People generally visited Bennington because they liked it.

"Yes, Adelaide spoke jerkilly. "He tell me nothing, I guess. Many times you invite us, Florian always say no. He could not leave his bank. Last Sunday the Salamanca consul dined at our house. They have much business together. I hear him speak with Florian the name of 'Clayton, Clayton.' After consul he go, Florian say to me, 'Miss Barbara Stark lives near General Clayton's old home?' I reply to him 'Yes.' Then Florian give me his orders, 'Telegraph Miss Stark we come to visit her at once.' So we arrive, and Florian never imagine I know he have one other affair than to catch small fishes."

"What affair can he have?" Barbara could imagine no-business that might bring the young New Orleans banker to their home.

"That I do not know." Adelaide gave a shrug to deprecate her ignorance. "But it concerns Mr. Clayton."

"Well," Barbara decided, "if Mr. Clayton knows anything about it I'll make him tell me."

"But you will never tell, Florian, never, never, never!"

"Heavens, no! Florian and I are not confidential. Come along now. There go the men. We must ride, quickly."

Together they raced up the front steps; through the wide open hallway they saw their three fishermen go finling out of the back gate to the wharf at which Neezer's motor boat lay moored.

"Now, they've gone!" Barbara's face flushed with anticipation. "Hurry, Adelaide, hurry! We must ride much farther today, and approach from the low end. If we travel along our same old road your husband may see us."

Unlike the two young ladies, old Nat Stark never tarried to change into riding togs; neither did he consume time by powdering his nose, as Adelaide had done with fastidious care; nor in sprinkling his handkerchief with a suggestion of new mown hay, as Barbara always did. It was her distinctive perfume. Uncle Nat paid no such tribute to his personal pulchritude. He tarried for nothing, but slunk immediately out of sight until Neezer's motor boat had towed the white folks beyond all possibility of their shouting back a job for him to tackle.

Nobody could paddle a dugout with the skill and speed of this dexterous old Negro, who shoved off from Bennington wharf and steered northward, keeping well out of Neezer's return course in the motor boat. For Nat didn't want to risk being given a wood chopping contract. By the time Adelaide and Barbara had mounted their horses they could see Nat's solitary figure winging its flight across the lake, once in a while lifting his fishing pole and displaying it conspicuously upright, as an advertisement of angling intentions.

Green young willows, like a semi-submerged forest, grew far into the water on the western banks, and wary perch fed in hiding places beneath. Into this concealment old Nat plunged the prow of his canoe, then furled his fishing pole and began paddling swiftly among the treetops. With strong, sure strokes he urged his dugout through the greenery toward a point on shore from which an ancient path led to the rear of Marmion House. There he stepped out and secreted his canoe.

"Not ten feet away, in the densest, darkest brake, he heard what sounded like the trample of a bear. Being hemmed in so tight, Nat couldn't run. Then someting snorted.

"Nothin' but a hoss," the Negro felt easier. "Huh! dat hoss is wussed scared dan what I was. Wonder how come he done strayed down here? 'Tain't no hosses belongs here!" Curiosity led him through the brake to where he found the horse, a blazed face, stocking foot sorrel, frequently ridden by Mr. Bart Scurry, the manager of Marmion. It would have been mysterious enough to discover the sorrel in such a jungle at all, but it made Nat study a heap when he found that the animal was saddled and bridled ready to ride. Moreover, the sorrel stood hitched, and had probably remained hitched for several days; anybody could tell that by a glance at the trampled ground, where his restlessness had made a narrow clearing for himself beside his box of feed.

"Dis sho is puckculiar!" the bewildered Negro mumbled. "Dey hitches dat hoss here an' dey feeds dat hoss here. How come?"

"I'm nacherly 'bleeged to find out about dis," he determined, and turned to follow a roundabout path toward the rear of Marmion House.

For a while the old Negro hung back in the brush, blinking and smiling at his memories. He saw a fat, black cook sitting just outside her door, keeping the flies in circulation with a palmetto fan and scolding at her naked children, who wallowed in the dust like partridges. Lazy hounds lounged in the shade, ignorant of an alien presence, and even the wily guineas raised no alarm. Queer doings might be afoot amongst the white folks, but no hint of unrest showed up in Marmion's back yard. And yet, despite the mellowing influence of a vanished day, old Nat could not dislodge the nippers and the saddled horse from his mind.

No sound came from the great house; no face looked out from any window. By noiseless maneuvers, without shaking a bush, old Nat gained a position from which he could reconnoiter the front gallery, where he saw Mr. Bart Scurry, the big faced manager, leaning silently against a column. This should not have aroused suspicion, for Mr. Bart was a chronic leaner when he wasn't busy doing something else. But a manner in which he leaned made old Nat look sharper, and get a hunch that Mr. Bart was intently watching the road.

At the instant when Nat showed himself Mr. Scurry detected him and hurried down the steps, advancing in the manner of a sentinel. When he recognized the innocent invader the tense lines softened in Scurry's face and he hailed Nat loud enough for any person within the house to hear. It impressed old Nat that Mr. Bart was talking for the ears of other folks inside.

"Hello!" Scurry called out. "It's Uncle Nat Stark. Where's you come from? How's everything at Bennington?"

"Fine, Mr. Bart, fine. Us got a nice stand o' cotton, but a little shower wouldn't hurt."

"Well," inquired the manager, "what brings you over here?"

It sounded strange, the tone of Mr. Bart in speaking those words. During the general's day nobody on Marmion had ever questioned why Uncle Nat had come or how long he meant to stay. They just hollered for him to light and hitch and come in, it was mighty nigh dinner time. But from the short words of Mr. Scurry Uncle Nat felt compelled to state his business.

"Mister Bart," he explained, "yo' niggers keeps a sayin' dat Mister Stuart's done come home. So I jes' 'lowed to ramble over an' set a while wid him."

"Sure, sure. Mr. Clayton's in the house." Scurry still kept his voice upraised. "Wait here, Nat, and I'll tell him who you are."

"O, Stuart," Scurry shouted from the door, "it's Uncle Nat, old Nat Stark."

"Who?" a man's voice called out from the front room.

"You remember Uncle Nat Stark? From Bennington? Used to go fishing with him when you were a boy?"

"Yes. O, yes," the voice agreed. Then Nat could hear a whispering behind the shutters, before the voice spoke again.

"Tell Uncle Nat to wait," it said. "I'll come out."

The loyal old duck legged Negro had paddled across Lake Marmion and fought his way through thickets in the serene faith of a welcome. Whatever else might be happening, the Claytons were always proud to see their friends. And Uncle Nat likewise had a notion that he could serve his friend by putting him wise to Mr. Foxyjaw. No five dollar bill in cash, nor twenty in prospect, could induce old Nat to keep his mouth shut whilst foreign constables were contriving to grab Mr. Stuart Clayton.

Bart Scurry didn't let Nat out of his sight, and he didn't sit down. He stood up, eyeing the door and talking loud as if to drown a whispering that came from behind the shutters. Old Nat sat flattening for the whispers, yet pretending to laugh as Mr. Scurry retold many pranks of Stuart Clayton's boyhood. And Mr. Scurry hollered so loud as to convince Uncle Nat that he was really shouting for the benefit of somebody else.

Over his right shoulder he plainly saw Mr. Razilly, fishing near the south end of the lake, alone in his boat, and occupying the one position which commanded a view of Marmion porch. Again the Negro wondered why Razilly had kept gazing across the water through his spy glasses, why he talked with Marmion tenants, and why he had stopped the constable's auto.

Nat kept studying mighty hard until his attention was recalled by a tread in the hallway, and he saw a man, the man whom Mr. Foxyjaw had led him to expect. It was a tall, swarthy man, with tiny black mustache and goatee, wearing the khaki breeches, light gray coat, and flop brimmed hat of the constable's description.

"O, Stuart," said Mr. Scurry as the young man halted uncertainly at the threshold. "Stuart, here's your old friend, Uncle Nat Stark from Bennington."

Then Nat rose up from the top step, a pathetic figure whose wistful gaze was seeking to peer through this grown man and see once more the romping lad that he had loved.

"Howdy, Mister Stuart? Howdy?" He wiped a hand on his breeches in anticipation of the cordial grasp which should set all doubts at rest.

But the young white man never offered to shake hands, his uneasy glance passing by old Nat to fasten itself upon Mr. Scurry.

"That's all right, Stuart," Mr. Scurry assured him. "You remember Uncle Nat Stark."

"Of course, I remember Uncle Pat," the young man asserted, with the air of daring anybody to contradict him.

"Uncle Nat," Scurry corrected.

"Sure, I mean Uncle Nat. So this is Uncle Nat?" Now he turned to look at the Negro.

"Suttingly, Mister Stuart; suttingly. Dis is me. I never is fergot you." The Negro stood up expectantly and tried to smile. It seemed mighty strange for Mr. Stuart not to shake hands, but just to sit in a rocking chair and ask:

"Well, old man, what did you want with me?"

The tone was utterly devoid of sympathy or comprehension. It took the starch out of Uncle Nat, who eased himself down again on the top step and leaned against a column. Nobody spoke a word; Mister Scurry kept one eye on the road, while the other eye watched Nat with visible anxiety. Both white men seemed waiting for whatever the black man might do, and this sensation gave Nat the fidgets. Once, when he turned his head, he felt sure that another pair of eyes were spying upon him from inside the parlor window, peering out through the blinds.

[To be continued.]

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Three Glimpses of the Apartment at 300 Park Avenue, New York City, for Which Percy Rockefeller Pays $55,000 Per Year Rent.

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Percy Rockefeller Occupies the Most Expensive Suite in This $13,000,000 Apartment for Millionaires Only.

Miss Louise Stedman Wilson, Whose Debut Took Place in a Flat.

The Position of the Rockefeller Apartment is Indicated Within the Circle Shown Below.

Above—No. 300 Park Avenue, New York City, the Most Expensive and the Most Exclusive Apartment House in the World.

Floor Plan of Rockefeller Suite, Showing the Arrangement of the Most Lavish and Completely Equipped Apartment That Millions Can Provide.

Miss Isabel Rockefeller, Another of This Season's "Buds" Who Made Her Debut in Her "Tenement" Home.

By Betty Van Benthuysen

NONE of the discomforts of home. That strange idea has come to rule the exceedingly wealthy men and women who make up the social backbone of the world's metropolis.

Once upon a time it was all so different. Persons who wanted to rent a house, or to procure boarders, advertised "All the comforts of home." It was the ambition of the man struggling along in life to own his own home. Home signified a single institution, owned by one man, with one family within its walls, and whether friend wife did the housework, or one had a dozen servants, the entire abode was that of one family.

That used to be home.

But there has come a limitation upon the ability to have a home. And here, too, the scheme has changed. Where the limitation used to apply only to a man so poor that he could not pay the first instalment on a house and lot, it now applies to the man who has so much money that the keeping of a home on the scale that would befit his wealth is a real burden.

And so there has come to being "No. 300 Park Avenue," in New York City—a great, $13,000,000 pile which serves as a sort of City of Refuge to which millionaires may flee to escape the discomforts of home. Here, safely tucked away in apartments that range from two rooms for a bachelor suite, at $5000 a year, to twenty-two rooms at the mere trifle of $55,000 per annum, are now living many of the best known people of the city.

By no means the largest apartment house in the world, it is the most expensive and most exclusive. Its announced purpose, when the project was first formed, was to keep people out of it—not to attract them to it. And it was no snobbish design that prompted this attitude at all. The house was never built for profit. A number of rich men, finding the servant problem, the supply problem and the multitudinous vexations of private houses very annoying, decided to build an apartment, primarily for themselves, and in order to do so had to build one a trifle larger than they required.

So they rented the surplus apartments to such persons as could pass the eagle eye of Robert G. Elbert, formerly in the United States aviation service, and, therefore, thoroughly accustomed to high flyers. Mr. Elbert's task was not to find tenants for the place, but to find the right kind of tenants, who would harmonize with the ideas that suggested the construction of the great building.

One may well understand the caution used in passing upon applicants when one notes that the first name on the list of tenants is that of Richard T. Wilson, whose wife, a charming entertainer, and connected by blood and marriage with some of the leading families of the country, was rudely summoned to a police court once by a fellow-tenant in a common, 57th street variety of apartment house because her guests were entertained with jazz music at an hour that appeared unseemly to the complaining neighbor.

That, you understand, could not have happened in "our set," and anybody who gets into the new Mecca of Millions will have to be jazz broke and able to face an early morning hour without getting a case of nerves.

Two of the season's debutantes are domiciled under the roof of the great flat building. For twenty-five years the debutantes had their first entertainments under the old Sherry management in Fifth Avenue, and most of the olders recall Louis as a sort of milestone in their social careers.

Miss Isabel Rockefeller, daughter of the Percy Rockefellers, was given a costume dance by her aunt, Mrs. William G. Rockefeller, by way of launching her career in the new home. Miss Rockefeller is now making a tour of the Mediterranean.

Miss Louise Steedman Wilson, elder daughter of the famous Mrs. Richard T. Wilson, who had what one might call a preliminary debut at Newport, was also formally introduced as a flat dweller of the de luxe order. Miss Wilson is one of the most interesting of the debutante crop. She is a niece of Mrs. Ogden Goelet, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt and Mrs. M. Orme Wilson. She has been constantly at the opera with her mother during the season, and the box of her aunt, Mrs. Goelet, one of the most prominent in the "golden horseshoe," has been at her disposal.

Having fitted the home with everything that architects could imagine, the owners sent over to Paris, whither the famous Louis Sherry had fled to escape prohibition, and induced him to come back and assume charge of the restaurant and the service of the building. Sherry, who had supplied the entertainment for most of the debutante crops for a quarter of a century, undertook the job.

While his job, on the surface, was to conduct the public restaurant, and the dancing and assembly rooms, it extended, as a matter of fact, far beyond this function and now makes up one of the most interesting studies in domestic science in all the world. Sherry was made the key to the servant problem. The wealthy tenants do not employ their servants. Sherry does that. A family may have servants detailed by the hour, the day, the week, or the month, so that it is never necessary to worry about help, or to have more than one needs.

If a butler is wanted, press the bell, or use the telephone. If a maid is wanted, she is waiting to answer like a fire engine in a congested district. Cooks are shot along to order, and a private household, fully equipped with every possible need from a box of matches to a liveried servant to strike them, can be set up in one of these flats de luxe in thirty minutes.

Imagine Percy A. Rockefeller, who has the largest apartment in the house, for example, in his office. Mrs. Rockefeller is just telephoning that she will be in town and has sent invitations for the following evening for a dinner dance.

She merely says that she will arrive at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Friend husband turns to the other telephone, calls Louis Sherry and tells him 300 friends will drop in at 9 o'clock for a dinner dance.

That is all. Louis orders music, flowers, decorations, favors, the food, the cooks, the waiters, valets, maids and the hundred of other things needed, and all that Mr. Rockefeller ever knows of the details is what he gleans from the bill.

When Mr. Rockefeller starts home he enters a private elevator that serves no apartment other than His own. The elevator lands at the foyer vestibule, and through a foyer which is 13 by 33 feet, he may enter at will the dining room, which is 20 feet by 23 feet, from the windows of which a good view is commanded. A salon, 20 by 20, opens into the dining room, and the library, connecting with the salon, is 17 by 21 feet.

Five master chambers extend "L" fashion from the library around the remote side of the apartment, with the kitchen, store rooms, butler's pantry and service rooms forming the barrier between the master's side of the house and the servants' hall, behind which are lined more quarters for servitors than most families with money can afford to have in a modern apartment.

And yet, in this elegant home of twenty-two rooms, there is one feature that is precisely like that of a five-flight "walk-up" flat—the laundry is done on the roof.

Most of the furniture is unique. Mrs. Rockefeller's father was the late James Stillman, president of the National City Bank, and he passed much of his time after his retirement from the active management in Paris. While living there he acquired a great deal of valuable furniture. Mrs. Rockefeller imported much of this.

In addition to Mr. Rockefeller, the flat-dwellers of millions include: Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Wilson, Gen. and Mrs. Coleman DuPont, L. J. Horowitz, Col. and Mrs. B. B. McAlpin, F. C. B. Page, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Boomer, Thomas Cochran, W. D. N. Perrine, Louis Sherry, F. Coit Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis L. Dunham, George L. Duval, R. E. Boyd, Edward A. Clark, Carl Taylor, John A. Garver, H. M. Chisholm, Herbert Doane, F. M. Hitchcock and E. J. Horton.

BARRIE

An Intimate Picture of the Genius to Whom Life Has Been Unkind and the Story of Why He Is a Recluse

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By One Who Knows Him Well

NOT many men have known Barrie for as long as I have. Certainly not more than three or four out of them all know the man himself any better now than they did at first. But we know more about him. The mystery of his character and personality has probably become as clear as it ever will be.

Every American I have met lately has asked me why he was given the Order of Merit, the highest in the long English list of personal honors, the honor which one of us won and wore as a natural heritage as soon as he became an Englishman.

"Sir James Matthew Barrie, First Baronet" is his style and title. Over here he is just "Barrie." No one dares to call him "Jimmie" twice; it sounds too dismal.

He characteristically gives his address (in those books of reference which venture to mention it) as "Kirriemuir N. B." He is not living within several hundred miles of it, and he is seen as little in the London district he does inhabit as he is in "Kirriemuir N. B."

He loathes what is called "society." I only once heard him make an after-dinner speech (a second-rate form of genius, it must be admitted), and that was when we were entertaining Greenwood, the journalist who advised Disraeli to buy the Sues Canal shares. I suppose Barrie remembered he had been a journalist himself, under W. E. Henley, in the Pall Mall, in the old St. James' Gazette and elsewhere. I saw no reason why he should ever be shy of public speaking, but I remember very little of what he said, except that he had bought his first tall shiny hat to call on Greenwood.

It was a frail, slight figure that he made on that occasion. He has not grown more solid since. There is still a look of hunger in the eyes that are always striving to hide any expression from the outsider. You feel that he looks out upon the world with unappeasable curiosity, unable to interpret the undercurrent of its greater motives, yet failing in the persistent effort to persuade himself that his own life is the more real of the two. For his own life is a dream that has never come true. From the material facts of physical existence he has withdrawn, wounded.

HIS first play was "The Professor's Love Story," which appeared in 1895, and, if I remember rightly, it was with that famous old comedian, Toole, that Mary Ansell acted the heroine. No one could have chosen a sweeter wife than Mary and no one seemed more likely to be happy than the author of the play, who married her. But it was the first act in the tragedy.

Though the divorce case was mercifully silent, I need add nothing now to the details that inevitably became public property. The co-respondent was Gilbert Cannan, himself a novelist of no small promise at first, and a private secretary who had received considerable kindness from the husband. I need say no more of him save that Mary Ansell is alone again and when I last heard of her seemed happier in Capri than in England.

Barrie himself appeared to take the case with the same inexplicable aloofness, or was it with the same pathetic effort to guard himself from further visible hurt? At any rate, there was but one phrase heard from him in court, about a "contrite heart." It told the world little save in its echoes of far-off "Kirriemuir N. B."; and in a very short time the world that knew so little of him was wondering once more at his apparently inexplicable attitude to women.

They knew, for instance, that he had insisted on the baptism of Pauline Chase; they knew, too, that he had wafted the intangible incense of a legendary adoration before the kindly and entirely intelligent shrine of Sylvia du Maurier, whose charming, piquant face in Charles Furse's wonderful sketch still pains us with the unescapable regret that both the artist and his sitter are no more.

Sylvia, daughter of the creator of Trilby, had married Llewellyn Davies, the brilliant Balliol scholar, who died untimely of a cancer. Within about two years his widow, brave, smiling, appreciative to the last, had followed him to the grave. But she knew that her five sons would never beg their bread. Barrie took all five to his heart, educated them and brought them up at his own cost, and loved one of them as I suppose few boys were ever loved. It may almost be said that it was to an audience of one—this boy—that Barrie wrote the work of the last ten years. And this boy was drowned, not long ago, at Oxford. The billiard-room at the beautiful Adelphi flat (of which more must be said later) has been shut up ever since. The son to whom Barrie had opened the secret treasure of his heart had been taken from him. He seemed deprived of fatherhood, either physically or by adoption.

There is the secret of this slight, shy, reticent wraith of humanity; of this soul, packed full of brains, labored by the creative urge of genius, yet alone in a world of physical impulses against which he can but wield the insubstantial buckler of fantasies and whimsies, of visions fantastically unreal that they grow more and more difficult to intrepret; yes, more ghostlike. This is the psychological problem, this the tragedy I have tried to sketch for you who seem so far away, and I am not sure that I have not omitted yet one shade in it that must be added if my picture shall be true.

For I have often asked myself, Do the children indeed love Barrie with even a fraction of that love he has for them?

I escorted one little fellow to see "Peter Pan," who shouted to be taken away after ten minutes of the pirate-captain, and, being so unfortunate as to behold the crocodile on his return, insisted on going home for good, where he was with difficulty rescued from a window sill on the fourth floor, from which he had determined to fly out with Peter to a better world. Another youngster, after earnestly asking me whether Captain Hook was really drowned, explained his anxiety by telling us that he was off to the seaside the next morning and had no desire to meet that gruesome villain swimming for the shore.

I half suspect that "Peter Pan" is really given so long a lease on life by "grown-ups." But children? I think not. What child is not eager to grow up? What sympathy have they with Peter Pan's ambition "never to grow up"? None, I believe.

BARRIE often entertained Americans I had known well before I lived over here. I remember meeting G. W. Cable—that prose-poet of New Orleans life—with him. I recall seeing him play against Edwin Abbey's eleven of "artists" (it must have been about 1901) when Barrie's score was only 4, but Conan Doyle, who hit up 91 and took eight wickets, easily gave the "writers" a resplendent victory.

Another year he had A. E. W. Mason and Maurice Hewlett playing for him, I remember; and I know that in 1903 Abbey was terribly disappointed not to be able to secure C. F. McKim (an old member of the Philadelphia Club) to play against Barrie's literary eleven at Esher. This eleven Barrie called the Allahbukbaris (which being translated is "God help them") and he attached more importance than might be imagined to getting a good side together; though Abbey, who was a friend of N. E. Roller, captain of the English team at Philadelphia in 1889 or thereabouts, was generally able to get a better one. Their mutual acquaintance, E. V. Lucas (of London Punch and tiger-shooting), has published an appreciation of Abbey's cricket which lets so much light on Barrie's queer ardor for the game that I must give a few extracts from it. Here is what Barrie says:

"Abbey was tremendously professional and looked with remote reproof at you if you did not call the ball the 'sphere' or the 'leather.' Tossing for first innings was a solemn ecstasy to him. • • • It was in fielding that he was truly great; he had vast courage as well as enthusiasm and would have tried to stop a thunderbolt to save the third one. • • • The only fault he found with cricket was that it was not sufficiently dangerous. He tried to remedy this. As soon as you struck the ball you remembered Abbey and flung yourself upon your face. Great were the evenings that followed, though you might be in sticking-plaster • • • even now if I meet his shade suddenly at a street corner it is the cricketer I think of first, and I involuntarily duck my head."

Barrie looks as if he were always "meeting shades"; and long before 1911. How many must he be meeting now! Sometimes we are delighted to hear about it, but not always. There was his "Margaret Ogilvy" for instance. It was not so great a tribute to motherhood as Whistler's, which will last as long as the Luxembourg that shelters it. It was not nearly so fine as Henley's, whose virile lines will pulse with feeling long after Barrie's fine-drawn sophistry has forever faded.

Barrie admired Henley, with whom he did some of his first work. But he remained dumb. It needed Daisy Ashford's child-stories to rouse him to secure a circulation with his preface. Before such magnificent masculinities as Henley's his lips seem closed.

If you come to think of it, there is no red-blooded love-making in any book or play he ever wrote; no hero you can remember with the affection all the world can grant a lover; no real passion. He seemed near it when Irene Vanbrugh made so splendid a figure of Diana in "The Admirable Crichton." But even poor Harry Irving could not gain conviction for the butler who is changed from something like a male man into a domestic who marries the housemaid, simply by the arrival of a liner on the horizon of their desert island.

And think of "Little Mary," or of the nebulous ghosts in "Mary Rose." Yet we admit the charm. We hear, we read with ever renewed delight that curious humor, like the distant chiming of a silver bell, which moves as quickly to laughter as to tears. Hilda Trevelyan suggested something of that evanescent charm in "What Every Woman Knows." But what is it? Where does it come from?

AUTHORS are notoriously different from the impression of their personalities produced in their writings. I know not what impression Barrie can have made of his, but he must be singularly unlike the popular idea of him.

He "knows" Conan Doyle, and Hewlett, and Wells and the rest. He even asks them out to dinner with a box at the theatre afterward. But there is no real conversation at these mute festivities. Even at such jolly gatherings as used long ago to be held at old George Lewis' hospitable house, you might all beg him on your bended knees to contribute a little fun to the general harmony, and he would sit mumchance. The only real pleasure in which he has ever been detected is strolling about London in a soft hat and an old coat, watching one group after another with apparently insatiable inquisitiveness, to know what they can be doing. He has even had coffee at a coffee-stall during his pilgrimages on the Embankment, and I can think of no other lure that could have drawn him to such questionable refreshment.

His real home—a beautiful one—is where you might have imagined, though you would never have guessed it: on the terrace of the Adelphi, by that same Thames where Henley saw the golden bridge "touching the troubled sky," where Henry James and Turner died, where many a royal pageant passed and faded into gold and crimson sunsets.

Barrie lives in a home that must be full, not only of dreams, but ghosts. From the spot where he sleeps the gentle Lady Jane Grey set forth for her wedding with Henry VIII, and set forth once more on her last journey to be beheaded at the Tower. Here, a little later, dwelt Sir Walter Raleigh in great state as Lord Warden of the Stannaries to Queen Elizabeth, in the spacious days before he, too, was beheaded. Here, later still, were a regiment of Cromwell's soldiers quartered after they had beheaded Charles I. It is a place of tragic shadows, scarcely lighted up by the fitful appearance of Nan Clarges or the unhappy Duchess of Tyrconnel, in the same "New Exchange" upon this ancient site, where the first edition of "Othello" had been sold and published.

IN 1769 this strip of land, so full of memories, belonged to a Duke of St. Albans, who was directly descended from Nell Gwynne and Charles II. It was bought by the brothers Adam, who made the amazing design of mighty arches holding up a huge conglomerate building which still stands above the river and extends the level of the Strand behind it to the green of the Embankment Gardens. After these celebrated architects, the buildings have ever since been called "The Adelphi," and you may remember how Johnson and Boswell stood upon the terrace and talked of their dead friends, David Garrick and Topham Beauclerk who had lived here.

In the same building was born Benjamin Disraeli. Within its walls the young Turner had his first encouragement in painting, with his rival, Girtin, from an amiable physician named Monro.

Do their unquiet ghosts, I wonder, visit their fellow-countryman in the site now owned by the descendants of their murderer? What does Barrie dream of in that place of ancient specters? Do you wonder that he is full of unchancy mysteries and hidden sorrow? Or are you still asking why he was given the Order of Merit?

To the last question I can suggest no answer, save the suggestion that it must first have been refused by Rudyard Kipling.

THE only real pleasure in which Barrie has ever been detected is strolling around London in a soft hat and an old coat watching what people are doing. Here a chance snapshot caught him under a powerful arc lamp indulging in a cup of coffee from an all-night lunch stall, surrounded by the night life of the city—chauffeurs and teamsters, workers and unemployed. Surely his insatiable inquisitiveness for human nature would be the only lure to drawn him thus.

There is a look of hunger in the eyes of this genius, who seems always striving to hide any expression from the outsider, and whose real life story is told here for the first time

Sir James' home—a beautiful one—must be full of dreams and ghosts. His flat is on the top floor of this building full of historic lore

The famous Adelphi Terrace, overlooking the Thames, with the building containing Barrie's flat projecting at the end. This row houses more famous literary folk than any other place in the world

SCIENCE TELLS US —

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Sulphur Mines at Great Depth

EVERYBODY knows that a conspicuous topographical feature of Hades is a lake of burning brimstone, which is another name for sulphur. Volcanoes, apparently deriving the stuff from that source, vomit immense quantities of it.

The island of Sicily—on which Mount Etna, a famous volcano, is situated—has vast deposits of sulphur, upon which we formerly depended for our own supplies of that indispensable mineral. Within very recent years, however, great deposits have been discovered in Louisiana and Texas, and, as a result, the United States now dominates the sulphur market of the world. We have all we need for ourselves, and export huge quantities.

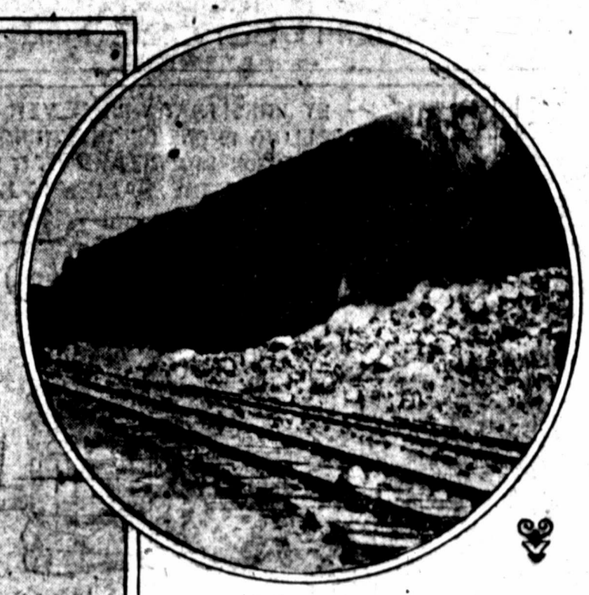
Last year we used in this country over 1,000,000 tons of sulphur—more than twice as much as we consumed in any twelve months before the war. The reason for this increase was chiefly that American manufacturers of sulphuric acid have taken to utilizing pure sulphur, instead of deriving their product from pyrites imported from Spain. It was the invention of gunpowder, in the fourteenth century, that first drew attention to the industrial usefulness of sulphur. Today we could not get along without it. If we had no sulphur, we would have no rubber; and many industries would be crippled—among them paper-making, the manufacture of bleaches and dyes, and the production of matches, insecticides and numerous medicines. Upon sulphuric acid we depend for innumerable necessaries.

Accident led to the first discovery of sulphur in this country. A bore-hole put down for petroleum fifteen miles west of Lake Charles, in Louisiana, struck at great depth a stratum of the pure stuff 100 feet thick. That was in 1865. But not until 1903 was a means devised whereby it could be mined.

The successful method finally adopted was that of pumping superheated water down through a pipe to melt the sulphur, and forcing it to the surface by compressed air. This is the process now in use. The sulphur, coming out of the ground in a fluid state, is piped into enormous bins and left to cool. Afterward the bins are demolished, leaving blocks of the stuff thirty feet high and hundreds of feet long and wide, to be broken up and shipped as wanted.

A second great deposit was found not very long ago at a depth of 1000 feet, forty miles southwest of Galveston, Tex., where the Brazos River enters the Gulf of Mexico. Since then a third source of supply has been discovered near Matagorda, in the same State. This deposit, at about the same depth, is 200 feet thick. The Matagorda sulphur mines, first worked in 1919, produced last year over 800,000 long tons. Its output, if pushed, could be made to exceed 4000 tons a day. The deposit is 4000 feet in diameter, and is estimated to contain upward of 10,000,000 tons. The supposition is that these deposits were formed from solutions rising from hot rocks at great depths. Perhaps the most remarkable thing about the sulphur is that it is almost chemically pure.

One side of a sulphur mountain after it has hardened and the containing walls have been removed



Railroad siding skirting a cliff of sulphur

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A lump of sulphur, just as it came from the ground, chemically pure

Sea-Girt Rocks Fort Sites

NO DOINGS of our Government are invested with such secrecy as those which relate to plans of seacoast fortresses. Nevertheless, it is known that an important feature of the scheme now contemplated for the reconstruction of the whole system of such defenses is the extension of it as far as possible to seaward.

Wherever practicable the new forts are to be built on islands off the coast, and some of them will be established on isolated rocks. Even a small rock can be made to serve for a revolving steel turret somewhat like that of a battleship and housing a couple of great breech-loading rifles of 16-inch caliber, which throw 2400-pound shells twenty-one miles. Turret and guns would be operated by electricity fetched by cable from the mainland.

The weight of such an outfit is, of course, enormous. Accordingly, in a case of the sort, much of the rock would be blasted out and replaced with a mass of solid concrete. It is a method that has been adopted in many instances for the installation of lighthouses.

A turret on a lone rock is so small an object that it can hardly be seen from a distance of a few miles. Dark gray paint would help to render it invisible. At the same distance enemy battleships would be in plain view; and the fact is to be considered that one gun on land (having a steady and immovable platform) is reckoned equal to six on shipboard of equal caliber.

Cylindrical in form, with a roof like a flat dome and clad in steel armor a foot and a half thick, such a turret would be impenetrable to any but the largest projectiles, which, even if they made a hit, would be likely to glance off harmlessly.

With ships as targets the turret guns would always have an exact range. The whole surrounding sea space within reach of the huge rifles would be mapped in imaginary squares like a checkerboard. Wherever within this area an enemy craft might float the square occupied by it would be indicated by range-finding apparatus, and the range for that square being precisely known, the gun-pointers could shoot with dangerous accuracy.

Compass for Sky Navigators

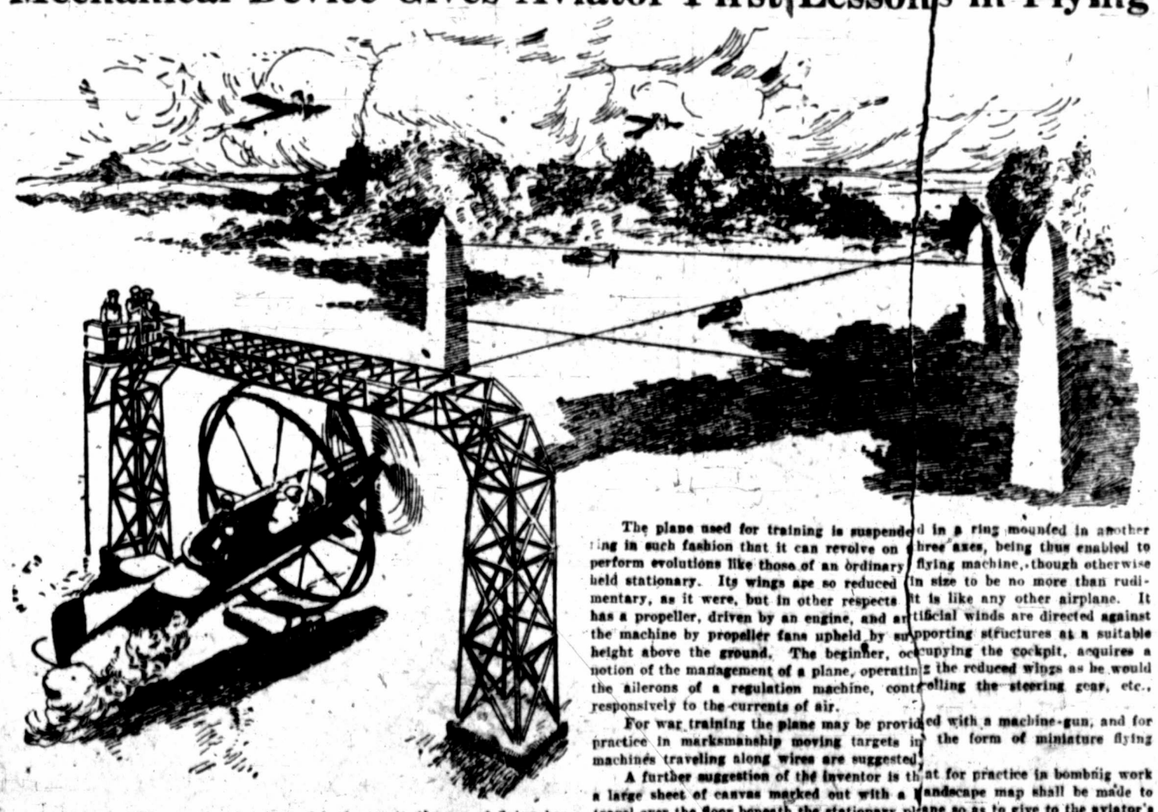
AIRMEN have long sorely felt the need of a compass that would operate reliably on a flying machine. For lack of such an instrument there have been many fatal accidents. Not long ago a mail-carrying aviator lost his bearings in a fog, and, having no compass to tell him in what direction he was going, he crashed into the side of a mountain.

As might well be imagined, the need of a satisfactory air compass was urgently felt during the war, but, although stress of necessity developed so many inventions in that trying period, this particular problem remained unsolved. An airplane compass is as necessary to the aerial navigator as is a marine compass to the master of a ship on the ocean. But no compass of any pattern hitherto devised can keep up with the rapidly changing movements of a flying machine, and there is the additional difficulty of avoiding irregularities of the needle due to attraction by the engine and other metal parts of the plane. Thus it became apparent that the desired air compass must be constructed on some altogether new and different principle, and, so declaring, the Government air service handed over the problem to the Bureau of Standards. There it has been worked out with complete success by two experts, Dr. Paul R. Heyl and Dr. Lyman J. Briggs, and the instrument they have devised has met the severest tests in actual flying trials.

The instrument depends for its action not upon a magnetic needle, but upon a coil of wire. It weighs thirteen pounds and the air service proposes to adopt it immediately, not only for airplanes but also for dirigible balloons. An instrument of the kind is to be installed on the Roma when that huge airship makes its contemplated trans-continental flights.

It is the opinion of the air service that this invention makes a long step toward putting aerial navigation on a basis of safety.

Mechanical Device Gives Aviator First Lessons in Flying



AN APPARATUS for the education of beginners in the art of flying has been newly patented in this country by a German inventor, Guido Horn.

The plane used for training is suspended in a ring mounted in another ring in such fashion that it can revolve on three axes, being thus enabled to perform evolutions like those of an ordinary flying machine, though otherwise held stationary. Its wings are so reduced in size to be no more than rudimentary, as it were, but in other respects it is like any other airplane. It has a propeller, driven by an engine, and artificial winds are directed against the machine by propeller fans upheld by supporting structures at a suitable height above the ground. The beginner, occupying the cockpit, acquires a notion of the management of a plane, operating the reduced wings as he would the ailerons of a regulation machine, controlling the steering gear, etc., responsively to the currents of air.

For war training the plane may be provided with a machine-gun, and for practice in marksmanship moving targets in the form of miniature flying machines traveling along wires are suggested.

A further suggestion of the inventor is that for practice in bombing work a large sheet of canvas marked out with a landscape map shall be made to travel over the floor beneath the stationary plane so as to give to the aviator's eye an effect as if he himself were speeding across country.

How to Thwart Death When an Artery Has Been Severed

IF ONE of your arteries be severed by some accident such as may happen to anybody, you are apt to bleed to death unless somebody is at hand who knows how to stop the flow. That requires some expertness, and teaching in this matter is an important feature of a proper course of instruction in first-aid work.

The first thing to do in such a case is to apply pressure with the fingers to the severed artery, at a point above the cut—that is, between the wound and the heart. But one must know where the right point is.

Just to show people how, the Bureau of Mines has prepared the interesting diagram-pictures which are herewith reproduced. They indicate the "pressure points"—the spots where pressure should be applied in case an artery is cut in the arm, the leg, the neck, the face, or the scalp. In the picture of the man's head and shoulders is a black line that runs straight up from his collar-bone to the front of his ear. That is the great carotid artery; there is a carotid on each side of the neck, which (the two of them together) supplies all the blood to the head and brain.

If that artery be cut below the place where it is seen to branch, mighty quick work is needed to save the victim's life. Hard pressure must be applied to a point close by the adam's apple, to stop the flow of the vital fluid.

If it is an artery in the face that is severed, the pressure point is against the jaw-bone, half way between the chin and the angle of the jaw. That stops the flow through the branch that supplies the face with blood. Another pressure point is just in front of the upper part of the ear, where the carotid branches over the scalp. It sends another branch to the eye, and, if you will put your finger on your temple, you will feel the "pulse" there, as the blood is pumped through it.

Your heart is a pump. At every stroke it forces blood to all parts of your body through the arteries. It makes seventy or more strokes to the minute, and you can count them by the pulse in your wrist as accurately as by feeling the heart itself.

Because of the joining of the two branches in the palm, whence they send out minor forks to the fingers, it is necessary in case of a bad cut in the palm to stop at the wrist the flow through both branches that come down from the elbow. At the wrist, therefore, there is a pair of pressure points.

If you will press with a finger against the bone of your thigh high up, on the inner side, you will feel the pulse of the leg artery, which runs down the back of the limb, dividing into two branches at the bend of the knee. At that point also, underneath, you may find a pulse. The arrangement is much like that of the arm artery.

If an artery in the lower leg be severed, the correct pressure point to stop the flow of blood is at the bend of the knee, behind. Supposing an artery in the forearm to be cut, pressure should be applied at the middle of the inside of the bend of the elbow.

To provide for the circulation of your blood, you have in your body about sixty-five miles of tubing. It is elastic tubing of very superior quality—better, in fact, than the best ever made for automobile tires. The inner lining is surrounded by fibers running lengthwise, which in turn are wrapped with fibers wound ring-fashion, and further re-enforcement is provided by an outer fibrous coat.

In some persons this tubing is of better quality than in others, and so tends to last longer. Hard labor calls upon the heart to pump blood rapidly through it, thereby putting a strain upon the tubing and perhaps impairing the efficiency of the valves that control the flow. A person suffering from such impairments ages rapidly. Thus the doctors say that a man is "as old as his arteries."

Your blood is forced through your arteries under pressure from your heart-pump; therefore, if an artery—not a vein, mind you—be severed, the vital fluid comes out with a spurt. If the flow be not quickly stopped you may bleed to death. This is where emergency first aid is called for. Pressure with the fingers at the proper point will stop most of the bleeding for the moment, giving time for the preparation of a ligature. A belt-strap or a pair of suspenders, tightly drawn about a limb, may serve as a ligature; or an effective tourniquet can be improvised by the tying of a handkerchief, with a supplementary knot through which a small stick is passed and twisted.

You have often observed on the back of your hand an interesting arrangement of blood vessels, one of which, particularly conspicuous, comes down from the wrist and branches toward the fingers. These are veins, not arteries. Your arteries carry your blood outward from your heart; your veins carry it back by way of the lungs to the heart again. If you puncture a vein it will bleed, of course, but the bleeding is not likely to be serious, and usually may be soon checked.

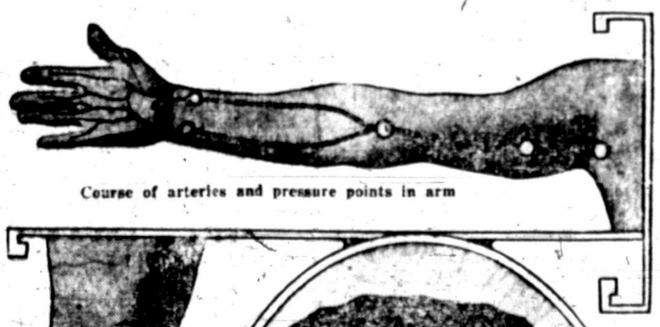
In the days of ancient Rome, a fashionable method of committing suicide was by "opening the veins." In the novel "Quo Vadis" the rich and sybaritic nobleman Petronius uses that term when, at a magnificent banquet, he destroys himself and the beautiful woman he loves. But the lethal expedient to which he resorts, to the horror of the assembled guests, is that of cutting the arteries at the wrist.

Because of the danger consequent upon the cutting of an artery, such vessels, by a wise provision of nature, are "routed" through the deeper tissues of the body, and come near to the surface only in a few places—as, for instance, at the wrist. It is at those spots that the pulsations of the heart may be felt. On the other hand, veins wander all over the surface of the body.

The blood, before getting back to the heart, is refreshed with oxygen by passing through the lungs. Thus its color is brilliant red when the heart pumps it out again into the arteries. When it returns through the veins it has lost this brightness of hue and has become dark red with a slightly bluish tinge.

The origin of the term "blue blood," as distinguishing families of high social caste, is altogether mysterious. Surely nobody would wish to have blood of that color, inasmuch as it would be the most obvious sign of poor health and defective constitution. "Blue babies" are bluish of complexion because of a deficiency of oxygen in their blood; they have heart trouble, and usually they die young.

The veins on the back of your hand afford an interesting study. They are not like those of anybody else in the world; yours have a pattern absolutely exclusive. In this respect, indeed, your own two hands are not alike. If finger-prints were not utilizable for purposes of identification, vein-patterns of hands, duly photographed and filed, would serve just as well.



Course of arteries and pressure points in arm

Arteries and pressure points in leg

Pressure points to stop the flow of arterial blood in the face and head

Dried Fruit Blocks

A NEWLY patented method of preserving fresh vegetables and fruits requires first that the juice shall be squeezed out of them and condensed. Then it is mixed with the pulp left from the pressing. The final product, after pressing in molds, takes the form of blocks sealed on the outside by a film of the dried juice, which helps the material to retain its freshness.