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QUIET PREVAILS AFTER W. C. T. U. ROW

Campaign Expenses Filed With Borah Committee

NAMES OF THOSE CONTRIBUTING ARE DIVULGED

REPUBLICAN EXPENSES TOTAL OVER MILLION AND THREE-QUARTERS

BY OTIS PEABODY SWIFT CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—Names of contributors to campaign funds and amounts contributed were disclosed Thursday when officers of the republican, democratic and La Follette-Wheeler organizations appeared here before the senate committee which under Senator Borah is investigating campaign contributions and expenditures. It was stated that the campaign fund of the republican party on October 10, totaled \$1,714,317, and that the fund of the La Follette-Wheeler committee totaled \$190,535.36 on that date. Lincoln Dixon, western manager of the democrats, said that he had received a total of \$32,500. The investigation will be continued Friday morning when it is expected that Geo. Barr Baker, of the National Republican Publicity committee will be called. Names of fund contributors were given when W. V. Hodges, national treasurer of the republican party, testified before the senate committee. The largest sum on the books was \$50,000 which he explained represented an advance from J. R. Grundy of Bristol, Pennsylvania, who was charged with raising \$300,000 in Pennsylvania for the campaign. The sum, he said, had been repaid. William Wright, Chicago chewing gum magnate contributor \$25,000. A similar sum was advanced by the Cook County committee, but is to be repaid. Hodges said James A. Patton, of Evansville, Ill., contributed \$20,000. Hodges reported that contributions in excess of \$10,000 were made through the Chicago office of the party by H. A. Eckhart, of Chicago assistant treasurer of the republican committee; Arthur Cutler, of New York, president of the investment banker of Chicago, General Chas. G. Dawes, H. F. Knight, of St. Louis and A. E. Carlton, of Colorado Springs. He presented a list of contributions of \$10,000 or more reported through the New York office, saying that Aldridge Jackson of Camden, N. J., contributed \$15,000 and Arthur Curtis James, of New York and Payne Whitney, of Manhattan, N. Y., similar sums. Contributions of \$12,500 were made by J. B. Duke of Somerville, N. Y., Mrs. O. N. F. Roberts of New York and O. F. N. Roberts of Avon, Conn, while \$10,000 contributions were made by Julius F. Kreechmann, of New York, James Hardy of Brunswick, N. J., J. D. Armitage, of New York, M. Ordimer Schiff, of New York, and Julius Forestman of Passaic, N. J. Hodges said that \$10,000 had been contributed by Charles Hanger, or Charles Hayden, of New York, but was uncertain which name was correct. He stated that there was now between \$250,000 and \$500,000 in the campaign chest and that contributions this year were \$600,000 less at this time than in the same period during the last campaign. Congressman John Nelson, of Wisconsin, chairman of the independent party, told the committee that campaign funds of the La Follette-Wheeler committee had totaled \$190,535.36 on October 10. W. T. Rawley, national treasurer of the campaign had contributed \$33,000, he said, adding that Rawley had declared he could be counted on for sums up to \$40,000. Press associations and individual newspapers had made payments totaling \$2,800, for press accommodations on the tour of Senator Wheeler vice-presidential candidate he said. Nelson Dixon said that of the sum of \$32,500 which he had received, George Brennan of Illinois had given \$5,000, and that the balance came from democratic headquarters in Washington and New York. Billy Sunday says the apparel of young women today is so corrupt. It sounds like a suggestion that they add something to it.

SEVENTH HERD CATTLE INFECTED BY PLAGUE ARE ORDERED KILLED

HOUSTON, Oct. 16.—The seventh herd of cattle to be infected with hoof and mouth disease in the Harris county quarantine area was ordered killed and buried today. The herd, owned by Glenn Peck, had been quarantined within the original 6,500 acre quarantine area. So far no infection has been discovered outside this area. Three hundred "Contact Cattle" near the infected herd will be destroyed tomorrow as a precautionary measure. Only four head were in the Peck herd. Only 15 head now remain in the 6,500 acre quarantine area.

POISON SLAYERS ARE INDICTED

MT. VERNON, Ill., Oct. 16.—Lawrence M. Hight, unfringed Methodist preacher of Ina, Ill., and Mrs. Elsie Sweetin, pretty member of his congregation, were jointly indicted late Thursday for the slaying of the pastor's wife, and the husband of Mrs. Sweetin. Hight and Mrs. Sweetin were brought before the circuit court early Friday for arraignment when pleas of "not guilty" are expected to be entered. Since the day of his confession Hight has insisted that he will throw himself on the mercy of the court. "What I want is mercy, not justice," he said. Following his indictment, however, Hight employed an attorney and it is now understood that he will make a desperate legal fight for his life. Mrs. Sweetin engaged an attorney several weeks ago and declares she is prepared to clear herself of the charges against her. The indictment will be returned in court Friday. Both Hight and Mrs. Sweetin confessed to the poisoning. Mrs. Sweetin at Hight's request administered arsenic twice or more to her husband, a coal miner to whom she had been married for 14 years, and the pastor converted Sweetin on his death bed, and preached his funeral sermon. Sweetin died July 28. Hight killed his wife September 12, with arsenic. He had been married to her for 26 years. Hight is 39. He is now in the county jail here, singing and praying. A lawyer has been hired with money raised by a subscription list among the former minister's friends. Elsie Sweetin, 34, a pretty little brunette woman has been in jail since the slaying here, since she confessed, as there are no women quarters here. Gossip among neighbors of the two families at the little village of Ina at the "goings-on" of the couple intensified by the gossip following the deaths of Sweetin and Mrs. Hight, caused the investigation that resulted in their arrest and confessions.

W. C. T. U. MAY LAY ASIDE LIQUOR FOR TOBACCO FIGHT

HOUSTON, Oct. 16.—Change in point of attack from liquor to tobacco was intimated today as the future program of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union by Mrs. Claude Van DeWatts, state president of the union in their forty-third annual conference here. Mrs. Van DeWatts official report recommended stricter enforcement of laws preventing sale of tobacco to youths under 16, proposed laws prohibiting teachers of either sex in public schools from using tobacco in any form urged, stricter enforcement of prohibition laws and the passing of new laws against selling liquor on prescription, and endorsed international court to promote peace. The president spoke at length against the ill effects of tobacco on modern youths. She also recommended the teaching of bible lessons in public schools.

WOMEN SEEKING OFFICES IN PENNSYLVANIA.



Below: Mrs. Daisy Deterlein, Mrs. J. V. Collett & Mrs. J. K. Dornblum. Below: Miss Anna Van Skike & Mrs. R. C. Deterlein.

Many women are running for office in Pennsylvania on the La Follette and Prohibition tickets. Mrs. Elizabeth B. Culbertson, of Meadville, is running for Congress from the Twenty-sixth District. Mrs. Jennie Kaste Dornblum, of Philadelphia, is a candidate for election to Congress from the Third District. Miss Anna Van Skike, of Pottstown, seeks to represent the Ninth District; Mrs. Jessie Leckie Collett, of Philadelphia, the Second District, and Mrs. Daisy Deterlein, of Lancaster, the Tenth District.

Late Wire Bulletins

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 16.—Thirty eliminations of scenes and sub-titles from vices and vaudeville acts appearing here this week have been ordered by the Houston censor's board, after the board had been inactive for several weeks. A "strip-poker party" at a local theater in which men and women strip and bet most of their clothes in a stage poker game, was not touched by the censors. COFFEYVILLE, Kan., Oct. 16.—The body of John Stuckey, actor-taxi driver who was killed by a Kansas City police Tuesday in a gun battle between police and bandits, following a series of daylight robberies will be buried in the family plot here Friday afternoon. Funeral services will be conducted at the Christian church. American Legionnaires will have charge of the services at the cemetery, firing the farewell salute, and sounding tans. GLENDALE, Cal., Oct. 16.—Caught in the wreckage of his airplane when the machine collided with a high tension electric cable, and crashed to earth at the Glendale Air Port, Commander Gratton C. Diehman, of the naval air station at San Diego was burned to death Thursday. Mechanic Mike Joseph Profi leaped from the plane and suffered injuries, which may cause his death. LONDON, Oct. 17.—Eighteen Breguet biplanes have been unloaded at a Chinese port from the French steamer Chantilly, and sent by rail to Mukden, according to dispatches reaching here. This constitutes a delivery of war material to a rebel against the Chinese government. Such a delivery is contrary to the spirit of the arms embargo of 1918 to which the French government is a party. WHEELER LOOKS TO SOUTHWEST FOR SUPPORT By United News. EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 16.—"I am looking to the southwest for substantial support," declared Senator Burton K. Wheeler, independent candidate for vice president, on his arrival in El Paso, where he spoke at Liberty Hall Thursday night. A large and enthusiastic audience attended the meeting. The speaker devoted himself principally to national issues. During the morning Senator Wheeler spoke at Albuquerque where he went Wednesday night from here by automobile. He returned to El Paso Thursday evening and was escorted to Liberty Hall by the Union band and labor leaders.

DIRIGIBLES ARE BETTER ADAPTED FOR INTEROCEAN TRAVEL THAN OVERLAND PILOT OF ZR-3 TO AMERICA CLAIMS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—In transoceanic flying, rather than transcontinental lies the future of the dirigible. This is the conclusion of Dr. Hugo Eckener, veteran Zeppelin operator who brought the ZR-3 across the Atlantic. He appeared before the National Advisory Committee for aeronautics here Thursday and outlined the problems facing the development of commercial dirigible operation. Neverthless, the United States, is well adapted to dirigible lines because of the great distances in this country, and is perhaps the only country in the world where commercial lines could operate with financial success, Eckener said. Eckener predicts commercial use of airships in the very near future because of the efficiency and safety of dirigibles in any kind of weather, because of the improvements and technical developments which are being made, and because of the greater comfort of airship travel. He expects transoceanic rather than transcontinental development for these reasons: 1. There is already fast and adequate service by railroad on land. 2. Air travel over the sea is infinitely more comfortable than over land. He pointed out that travel overland was not as comfortable as over sea because of the lumpy condition of the air brought about by the heat from the land and other disturbances. As regard sea travel he explained that there is no danger of seasickness on a dirigible. To be able to operate commercial airships with financial success, it is

POMERENE TO OPEN ELK HILLS PROBE NEXT MONDAY

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 16.—Prepared for the opening Monday of the government's suit to annul Elk Hills Oil leases given to the Pan-American company, former Senator Alton Pomerene reached Los Angeles from Washington Thursday afternoon. With Pomerene, who is in charge of the government's side of the case, were Owen J. Roberts, A. J. Schneider, Lovell Turrentine and George Chandler, his assistants. Pomerene had planned a conference late Thursday with United States district attorney Joe Burke, but this was impossible because of Burke's absence from the city. An estimated amount of \$100,000,000 is involved in the litigation which centers around charges that Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior conspired with E. L. Doheny to defraud the United States. The defense will contend that the Elk Hills lease was a profitable one for the government. It also will seek to show that the 20,000 acre lease of the Doheny company will be robbed of its value through off set drilling if the government keeps the oil in underground storage. Sixty witnesses, including Theodore Roosevelt, candidate for governor of New York, and Edwin Denby, former secretary of the navy are expected here to testify.

Ontario Wheat High.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 16.—Ontario's fall wheat crop will average 26.9 bushels to the acre compared with 23.1 bushels last year, according to final estimates issued by John S. Martin, minister of agriculture. The yield of oats will average 44.4 bushels per acre.

Tong War Takes First Casualty In On Leong's Tribe

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Chinatowns long war took a new angle when gunmen pumped two bullets Thursday into Tong Woo, a member of the On Leong's, and fled before police could reach the dying man from the street below. Police say Tong Woo was the first of the On Leongs to be killed. The casualties previously had been among members of the rival Hip Singes. Tong Woo, an employed kitchen worker, was in his room down on dingy Allen street when a cop outside heard three quick shots. The cop bounded up the stairs. Tong Woo's room was deserted for Tong Woo who lay on the floor unconscious and dying of a bullet wound through his stomach and one thru his arm. Tong Kan Fook, the slain man's brother, and several other celebrities also lived in the room, but when the police cordoned them for questioning they received only shrugs, vacant expressions, and torrents of Chinese that carefully explained nothing. They only heard that Tong Woo "him dead". The police agreed.

2,500 BALES GINNED IN RALLS' TERRITORY

Special to the Avalanche. RALLS, Oct. 16.—With the last few days of fair weather cotton is being harvested rapidly and about 2,500 bales have been marketed here to date. More cotton pickers are needed and efforts are being made to secure them through the U. S. Labor Bureau.

CHILLY WEATHER AND HEAD WINDS HINDER DIRIGIBLE IN FLIGHT

ABOARD U. S. S. SHENANDOAH BY RADIO FROM U. N. Correspondent, Oct. 16.—Raw and chilly weather enveloped the Shenandoah Thursday afternoon as the craft sped northward en route for Camp Lewis Washington, the last stopping place on the trans-continental journey. Headwinds of 10 to 20 miles an hour cut down her speed at 35 miles an hour and commander Lansdowne laid her course from 2,000 feet in the air and approximately five miles off shore. After flying over the Pacific fleet off San Pedro we headed into Greater Los Angeles and cruised slowly over the city. Then the course was laid west again to the coast and the airship's nose turned north passing Santa Barbara and other coast cities as the day advanced.

2 U. S. GUNBOATS GO TO CANTON

SENT AS SAFEGUARDS TO AMERICANS DURING THE FACTIONAL STRIFE By United News. WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Two American gunboats, the U. S. S. Sacramento, and the Panagua, have been ordered to Canton to safeguard the lives and property of Americans there in the hostilities between the Chinese fascists and laborers, the state department has announced. One American was slightly wounded by a stray bullet, advises to the state department stated, but all other Americans are safe. The gunboats, from the south China patrol were due to arrive in Canton Wednesday. Fighting between the troops of Sun Yat Sen, governor of South China, and the merchant volunteers opposing the fascists, began on Wednesday and is still continuing according to advices to the department Thursday from Douglas Jenkins American consul general in Canton. The volunteers, it stated were retreating toward the center of the city. Several fires, evidently of incendiary origin, are raging in the native quarter, and the bund and other important streets are practically impassable while numerous bullets have fallen on Shamen, the merchant quarter. The fascists troops from the east river front, who are understood to be loyal to the Sun government arrived in Canton Wednesday. They have been ordered, it is said to disarm the merchant volunteers, who fear that the fascists will retaliate on the merchants. The present trouble arose from the refusal of Sun on August 15 to allow a steamer to land guns and ammunition consigned to the merchant organization. A strike was called which broke August 30. Leung threatened the matter to what appeared to be final settlement during its last session, and declared that the "Turko-Mosul" frontier should remain "status quo". Turkey interpreted this to mean that territory which has been occupied since the signing of the Lausanne treaty should remain in Turkish possession. England held that status quo meant that the borders should revert to those existing at the time that the treaty was signed. The problem before the council will be to define its own statement.

LITTLEFIELD'S GROWTH IS SHOWN IN THE AMOUNT OF BUILDING

LITTLEFIELD, Oct. 16.—The growth of Littlefield is indicated by the fact that thirty-four buildings in course of construction can be counted on the town site. Others are starting daily. Jesse Mitchell, owner of the Lamb County Leader, has created a modern building and is greatly increasing and enlarging his newspaper plant. Two new attorneys have just located in Littlefield, one, Mr. E. A. Bills, from Eastland, Texas, and Mr. Potter from Fort Worth. The two big modern gins here are now running at full capacity. Cotton is just beginning to open good and pickers are coming in by the score. Many more are needed. Some men seem to think the two goldfish should be sufficient company for friend wife's evenings.

TWO FACTIONS WRANGLE OVER GOVERNOR RACE

SCHISM ARISES OVER CANDIDACY OF MRS. DE VAN WATTS FOR PRESIDENT

By United News. HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 16.—"Good will and tolerance" tonight apparently had begun to smooth over the political ruptures which split the Women's Christian Union here today. The state union is in its 43rd convention here and the delegates engaged in a hot revival of the Texas gubernatorial campaign of July and August. Ten delegates from San Antonio, accompanied by delegates from Wichita Falls, Greenville, Bay City, Vernon, Robstown and Garwood, bolted the convention upon the re-election of Mrs. Claude De Van Watts of Austin, as president. Apparently the reason for the split was that Mrs. De Van Watts is a supporter of Mrs. Miriam Ferguson for governor and the bolters favored Felix Robertson and now Dr. Butte for chief executive of the state. Mrs. G. W. Jones of San Antonio candidate for the union presidency and supported by the bolters, lost the office to Mrs. De Van Watts by a vote of 81 to 23. Immediately following the balloting the defeated group attempted to set up a rival organization but so far, has not developed the necessary strength to meet with marked success. While they were discussing their withdrawal and announcing their unqualified endorsement of Dr. Butte, the republican nominee was staging a "march of allegiance" through the city's main streets. Mrs. Jones charged that the W. C. T. U. was being used to further the candidacy of "persons in league with the liquor traffic." She later declared that the split was over principles and not personalities.

League Council to Take Up Dispute In Mosul Boundary

By United News. BRUSSELS, Oct. 16.—The Anglo Turkish dispute regarding the frontier of the Vilayet of Mosul will be considered by the council of the League of Nations next month. Paul Hymans, president of the council, has announced that he will convene the body at that time. England requested that the council meet following friction between British and Turkish troops along the Iraq frontier. The League threatened the matter to what appeared to be final settlement during its last session, and declared that the "Turko-Mosul" frontier should remain "status quo". Turkey interpreted this to mean that territory which has been occupied since the signing of the Lausanne treaty should remain in Turkish possession. England held that status quo meant that the borders should revert to those existing at the time that the treaty was signed. The problem before the council will be to define its own statement.

Infant Mortality.

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—Children die at the rate of one every six minutes in the United States from malnutrition and neglect, asserted Herbert C. Hook, secretary of the evaporated milk association, in addressing a health congress here. Often clear profits are made thru shady transactions.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Fair to night and Friday; not much change in temperature.

SOCIETY, CHURCH AND LOCAL NEWS

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Mr. Burns and Miss Holland Marry at Slaton Tuesday

On Tuesday evening, October fourteenth, Mr. George Burns and Miss Magna Holland, two of Lubbock's popular young people, were married at Slaton and were married by the Baptist minister Rev. Hardisty.

Miss Holland is the daughter of Mr. H. W. Holland of the Martin Wolcott grocery, and she with her family returned to Lubbock from Harlingen about eight months ago, having lived here before. She has won many friends by her sweet manner and charming personality.

Mr. Burns is the son of R. C. Burns, tax assessor of Lubbock county and one of the first settlers having engaged in the ranching business here before. She has established the city of Lubbock the Burns family are among the pioneers of West Texas, and the groom has all the admirable characteristics of a pioneer while being an exponent of progressiveness in the business life of Lubbock at this time, being a valuable member of the Ragland Motor company.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns spent a short time in Big Springs after their marriage.

The friends of this happy couple wish them many years of usefulness and prosperity.

OPERA COMING—WHAT IS IT?

Properly speaking, "Opera Comique" means any opera that has been brought out at the Theatre de l'Opera-Comique, in Paris. The chief offshoot of opera proper is Opera Comique, or in France and that of Singspiel in Germany.

As early as 1714 it was the custom for holiday-makers to gather in the market place and watch the performances of barbersquads, which are always uproariously applauded.

When songs in direct connection with the plot of the farce were introduced we have the beginning of Comic opera. It was the inevitable result of the growing demand for naturalness and spontaneity in dramatic representation.

Don Pasquale a typical example of the opera comique will be presented here November 14th, under the auspices of the Lubbock Music Club. It is a French opera of extreme cleverness, and will be sung in English.

Reporter.

PARTY AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

The Junior League and Missionary Society will have a party at the church this afternoon at four fifteen.

All members are invited to come to the party direct from school.

PERSONALS

Mrs. H. O. Waters, Mrs. Aubrey Walker, Mrs. C. M. Ballenger, Mrs. G. N. Atkinson and Mrs. E. W. Hein were among the Lubbock women attending the Baptist W. M. U.

convention being held at Idalou Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Denton and daughter, Mrs. R. D. Campbell are in Glenrose for a two or three weeks visit with friends.

Mrs. Fark Winn is in Dallas and will spend about a month visiting relatives and attending the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Horton and son have moved here from Arizona. Mr. Horton is an old friend and portage of Mr. Welton Winn.

Mrs. W. B. Powell and Mrs. Morton J. Smith left Lubbock Monday for Dallas to attend the fair and do some fall shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Jott Montgomery of Seagraves visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Vandever this week. They were en route home after visiting in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Sears of Whitewright are visiting their son, and daughter Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sears. They will be in Lubbock several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gib Jackson left Lubbock Sunday in their car for Dallas where they will attend the fair.

DIRIGIBLES BETTER FOR OCEAN THAN LAND FLIGHT

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necessary to operate over a certain minimum distance, Eckener said. "The Zeppelin company concluded that distance to 3,000 kilometers (1,888 miles). As the United States is one of the few countries containing large bodies of water, it will be not only the only country to operate with financial success. The trip from New York to Los Angeles would fulfill the conditions.

"It is my opinion," Eckener said, "that until improvements contemplated are completed, airships should be employed only for transportation of mails so that risks will not be endangering to development. This would be more economical and a better paying proposition."

The problems of dirigible operation were outlined by Dr. Eckener, in answering a series of questions, from which these conclusions were developed.

1. It is always possible for a dirigible to avoid storm centers, Eckener said that twice in their trip over the Atlantic they met storm disturbances, of which they were informed in advance by directions radiated from land stations. They returned through the first one, purposely, encountered off Spain, and avoided the second one in mid-Atlantic.

2. There are two things needed to improve the reliability and safety of airships.

First—the speed of airships must be increased so it will not be necessary to go around storms, but to proceed headon through them which will require an additional speed of five meters per second over that gained now. The second is the replacement of hydrogen by helium, which can be easily done in the United States, and the replacement of gasoline by heavier and less inflammable fuel.

3. To improve the method of handling and mooring of ships, the forward part of the dirigible must be strong, Eckener said. He stated that the structure of the Shenandoah was

not heavy enough and that the forward strength of the ZR-3 was increased at the request of American officers.

4. It is safe to operate commercial ships with hydrogen on a small scale, but there are dangers in extensive operations.

Hope Be Peace Bond.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The hope that the ZR-3 soon to become the Los Angeles will prove a bond of peace and good will between the United States and Germany was expressed by Dr. Hugo Eckener, its pilot across the Atlantic at the luncheon given by Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, in honor of Eckener and the three ranking German officers of the crew.

Secretary Wilbur announced at the luncheon that the name "Los Angeles" has been chosen in recognition that the dirigible was a ship of peace.

Before the luncheon was attended by high naval officials, Eckener and his fellow officers who accompanied him here were received at the white house by President Coolidge, who congratulated them on the flight across the Atlantic.

It was the general opinion among navy officials here Thursday that the ZR-3 could not be used immediately because of helium shortage. A decision will be made within the next few days as to whether the navy department will wait 30 days for the government helium station at Fort Worth to produce the necessary gas or use that of the Shenandoah when she returns home from the Pacific coast.

If the helium in the Shenandoah "is sweet" it can be transferred in one day but if it is not, it will have to be cleaned. That takes several days.

As a result of the helium shortage, it is expected that congress will be asked to provide more money for the development of helium. Appropriations for this purpose have been cut in the last few years.

"Congress will have to open the helium reserve in Wyoming," a high naval official said Thursday.

SAM T. DAVIS IS IMPROVING BUT IS STILL IN BED

A visit to the West Texas Hospital yesterday revealed the fact that Sam T. Davis, manager of that institution who was taken suddenly ill Sunday morning, with an acute attack of lumbago, is much improved, but is still confined to his bed and may have to remain there for several days, according to attending physicians.

The many friends of Mr. Davis will be glad to know that his condition is not any more serious than it is, and that the prospects for his recovery is now bright, and that he will be out again in a few days at the outside.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN ANDERSON BROS. STORE

Material improvements in the Anderson Brothers Jewelry Store have been made during the past several days, the installation of a beautiful new merchandise cabinet, with solid plate glass front being one of the largest additions to the well furnished store.

About the only job some fellows appear to be able to hold is that of husband.

SHENANDOAH FIGHTS WAY THROUGH HEAVY GALE

By United News.
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 16.—Battling one of the heaviest gales that has been evidenced along the Pacific coast for months, the Shenandoah Thursday night fought her way toward San Francisco against heavy odds, on the last leg of her flight to Camp Lewis, Washington.

Hold back by winds that cut her speed to as low as 25 miles an hour at times and hindered by a fog that blanketed the Pacific coast the giant of the navy air fleet struggled along the ragged line at less than half speed.

After leaving San Diego at 9:10 a. m. Thursday morning the dirigible plunged over the first 150 miles of her flight in exceptional time. At Santa Barbara strong head winds were encountered.

These winds increased as the ship tarding her northward, presently reaching her speed of 25 miles an hour. At 9 p. m. the ship had covered a bare half of the distance to San Francisco where it was planned to arrive at sundown. Officers at the Presidio in San Francisco said that radio messages from the Shenandoah indicated all well on board.

Plans for receiving the ship were called off when it was seen that she would not arrive before the hours of the morning. Hundreds of thousands anxious for a view of the silver monster of the air waited late into the night hoping that the winds would abate and permit her to arrive before midnight.

Passed Santa Barbara At 3:15. SANTA BARBARA, Cal., Oct. 16.—The navy dirigible Shenandoah en route from San Diego to Camp Lewis in Washington, passed Santa Barbara at 3:15 p. m. Pacific coast time.

POSTPONEMENT FORBES TRIAL IS LAID TO COOLIDGE

By United News.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Postponement of the trial of Chas. R. Forbes, former head of the Veterans Bureau until after election, was "at the instance of the Coolidge administration, Gen. Shaver, chairman of the democratic national committee, declared in a statement here.

"This effort of the Coolidge administration to prevent the trial of the Forbes case in the closing days of the campaign is in direct contradiction to the promise that Presi-

dent Coolidge gave the people last February when he was making a political speech before the national republican club of New York," Shaver said.

Trial of the case against Forbes at Baltimore has been postponed until after January 1, and that at Chicago is fixed for November 24.

Recognition Soviet Russia By France Is Expected Soon

By United News.
PARIS, Oct. 16.—The last start-wart companion of the United States in the latter's standpoint position against recognition of soviet Russia is shifting her position. Recognition of the soviet by France may occur at any moment. It is rumored in some well informed quarters that absolute de jure recognition of the Moscow government will be announced by France following a meeting of the cabinet Friday.

Recognition of the soviet was one of the campaign promises of the socialist premier Herriot before the election that elevated him from his office as mayor of Lyons to the Quai D'Orsay in Paris.

Premier Herriot Thursday received the report of a commission which had been seeking the proper procedure and form of recognition. The announcement that the cabinet would meet Friday was interpreted to mean that recognition might be immediate.

France would be the last of the great world powers to recognize the soviet. Of other world powers Japan and the United States have not recognized Russia but negotiations now are progressing between Tokio and Moscow.

The impression planned among the officials here is that French recognition would be absolute although it is understood the government intends to make it plain to Moscow that recognition shall not prejudice the millions of francs of debts which the government of the czar owed the French investors at the time of the overthrow of the Romanoffs.

Another meeting of the commission which has been examining the matter or recognition is scheduled for Thursday when questions which would arise following recognition will be discussed.

From San Francisco comes word of a new invention called the waffle-dog, a combination of waffle and Weiner—a sort of hot dog with a college education.

Agitation for birth control comes too late to do some families any good.

There Are Enough Values at This Sale to Keep You Busy All Day

Right now the opportunities this introductory sale offers are so varied that you can not get the benefit from all of them by a hurried visit to the new store. Plan to day to spend some time here. It will be decidedly worth your while. Investigate the values. Enjoy the conveniences of the many new arrangements. We are sure you will like all these things. Most of our customers have volunteered many compliments along these lines.

DRESSES, NEW AND SMART \$8.75 AND \$12.45

We venture you have never seen better values than these garments. It is really unfair to the garments themselves to offer them at this low price, for truly they are not dresses you would ever expect to purchase at anything like so low a figure. We are selling these dresses very rapidly and would suggest that you shop for yours today. For school, all around wear or a car trip they are ideal.

NEVER WERE STAPLE GOODS PRICED MORE LIBERALLY

Staple dry goods is being offered this week at prices that will not be repeated for many months. There is no questioning the values such as—

- Hope and Daisy Domestic at 14c
- Good Bleached Sheeting 9-4 at 34c
- Toile Du Nord Gingham at 19c
- Staple Shirts at yard 14c
- 54-inch Wool Serge at yard 69c
- Heavy Bath Towels at pair only 59c
- Fine Canton Crepes at yard \$1.65

Memphill-Price Co.

Agitation for birth control comes too late to do some families any good.

POULTRY RAISERS—WHY KEEP SLACKERS?

They don't pay for space taken up, in the hen house, to say nothing of the food consumed. You are cordially invited to attend a

POULTRY CULLING DEMONSTRATION

also some pointers will be given on the care and feeding of Baby Chicks—at the

PATTERSON GRAIN COMPANY

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MARY PICKFORD in 'TESS OF THE STORM COUNTRY'

PICTURE FANS HAVE GREAT TREAT COMING

Devotees to the cinema art are going to have the opportunity of seeing 'Tess of the Storm Country' again and therein lies a tale of more than passing interest.

In the first place, this was the picture in which Mary Pickford scored one of those earlier big screen triumphs, which insured her immortal fame and inspired the populace of the whole country to proclaim her 'America's Sweetheart.' That was just ten years ago, for this epochal photoplay had its inning in 1914.

Now, in this 1924, in her new 'Tess of the Storm Country,' a United Artists release, coming to the Lindsey Theatre, today, Mary Pickford will be seen for a second time as Tess in an elaborated version of Grace Miller White's celebrated story. The 'Queen of the Screen' re-created this lovable character before the camera at the Pickford-Fairbanks studio at Hollywood and this notable revival is now being presented internationally.

Although this particular story served to carry Miss Pickford to the foremost ranks of favorites among photoplayers, she had earned her rights to real stardom before its presentation. In fact, she attracted wide attention when she made her debut on the speaking stage at the age of five years. Her first role was that of a boy, Little Ted, and she did this so well that at the age of eight she went on the road in 'The Little Red School House,' and a year later was starred in 'The Fatal Wedding,' in which she played the part of Jessie, the little mother. Not long afterward she won the honor of originating the part of Betty Warren in 'The Warrens of Virginia,' a David Belasco production, which was this star's first play on New York's Broadway. After completing her contract with Mr. Belasco the lure of the movies gained an upper hand, and, under the direction of David Ward Griffith, she made her first appearance on the screen becoming a prime favorite from the inception. Her initial salary was \$40 a week, but she was receiving \$2,000 a week very soon afterward and, ever since she has been climbing steadily until today she is paid \$10,000 a week.

During the last year Miss Pickford has received thousands of requests from admirers to re-enact the beloved character of Tess and she has acceded to the wishes of her followers, being further actuated by a desire to improve upon her artistic achievement to such an extent as to make the characterization live.

The version of 1914 was in five reels and it was played until all the 'prints' were worn out. Now, with the improvements made in the film-making industry, it will be possible to preserve the new conception so that it may entertain generations of the distant future.

SEVERAL DISTINGUISHED MEN WILL DELIVER LECTURES

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 16.—Several distinguished men will deliver public lectures at the University of Texas this winter. Their names have been announced by Dr. G. W. Cunningham, professor of philosophy, and chairman of the committee on public lectures. Professor Era Illigman, of Columbia University, will lecture along the lines of economic or social problems, some time during the fall term.

In the winter term, a series of five lectures will be given by Professor Charles A. Beard, who has been a member of the faculty of Columbia University. These lectures will be in the field of social science. Two lectures will deal with certain phases of modern government, and three will be given on the economic as-

WEIGHER JACKSON HANDLED 2,540 BALES COTTON GINNED THIS SEASON; BUREAU SHIPMENTS NOT INCLUDED IN REPORT

Public Weigher C. T. Jackson stated Thursday morning that a total of 2,540 bales of cotton have been weighed by him during this season, all of which was ginned at Lubbock. The crop is opened and ready for pickers at this time and wagon loads of the crop are being brought to the pits here every day, showing that the farmers are taking advantage of the favorable weather for gathering the crop that has been experienced here during the past several weeks.

All northbound trains to Lubbock are well loaded with pickers who are going into all sections of the plains where they are finding plenty work, and in fact farmers are not yet nearly supplied with as many laborers as they could use.

The weighers account of the bales ginned here does not include that which has been shipped by members of the Lubbock County Cotton Bureau Cotton Association, as their cotton is shipped direct to Galveston and Houston. More than three hundred bales have been shipped in this manner.

he had divorced his wife so she might marry Hart. "That's a shame," Hart said. "It shows how lamentable the results of publicity given this case have been. I'm sorry it happened." He denied that he and Mrs. Hall-Quest had married since her divorce and said that his plans were still indefinite.

Man Kills Two And Wounds Another in Estate Settlement

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 16.—A hearing which was being held in a law office to settle the estate of Martin Warren, recent inmate of the state insane asylum, ended in a panic of terror when Warren suddenly jerked a pistol from his pocket and firing at the persons surrounding him, killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. Anna Tilski, his sister-in-law, Sophie Tilski, and seriously wounded Irving Templeton, attorney.

Warren's wife, Anne, had sued for the support of herself and three children from the estate which was in the hands of trustees. A dozen people were in the room, with a referee, conducting the hearing Thursday afternoon when Warren was asked to submit to re-examination by physicians. This apparently infuriated him, for he arose at once and began firing.

At his victims dropped, others engaged in a mad scramble to get through the doors. The air was heavy with powder smoke. Police arrested Warren a few moments later.

MILLAN NORWOOD CASE WILL REMAIN IN COURT THROUGHOUT THIS WEEK

District Court was in session all day Thursday with the trial of the case of W. D. MacMillan vs. E. P. Norwood consuming the entire day and is still in process of trial.

This case was started on Wednesday and it will probably consume the remainder of the week in court.

Hart Returns to Desk With Regrets For Divorce Case

By United News.

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—A fugitive from the Klieg lights of publicity ever since his name was linked as the "man" in the romantic Hall-Quest divorce triangle, Frederick William Hart went back to his brother's desk here Thursday resolved to fight it out until the public forgets what he cannot forget.

Hart has just been divorced from his wife so that he might wed Mrs. Hall-Quest, the wife of Professor Alfred Lawrence Hall-Quest, of Pittsburgh, with whom he has been living for more than a month.

Hart's first statement was one of regret that the force of publicity had driven the professor from the University of Pittsburgh. Professor Hall-Quest's resignation was accepted by university authorities after

pects of the partisan conflict during the middle period.

Plans for the dedication of the Biology Building in May include lectures by two visiting speakers. W. A. Bryan, of Syracuse University, who was the first professor of botany in the University of Texas, will deliver three lectures on botanical subjects. There will also be a speaker invited to talk on zoological subjects.

Professor Morgan Calloway, Jr., of the University, will give a series of lectures in March on the subject of findings made by him in English research. Dr. Calloway was chosen this year by the graduate council to hold the University Research Lectureship held annually by a member of the faculty selected for important achievement in research or for distinguished work in the arts. The custom was established two years ago, and Dr. M. B. Porter of the mathematics department, and Dr. G. W. Cunningham, of the philosophy department, have previously held this honor.

ELECTION MAY BRING DELAY IN FINANCE PLANS

By United News.

BERLIN, Oct. 16.—The cabinet will meet Friday to determine whether to dissolve the Reichstag and seek endorsement in a general election or to continue in office with the support of the present coalition.

The efforts to extend the coalition to include some of the elements of the right parliamentary wing Thursday failed, and it was conceded that the desperate attempts of the leaders of the Marx government to escape an election would fail.

Whatever the outcome, if an election is called, the operation of the Dawes plan will be somewhat delayed.

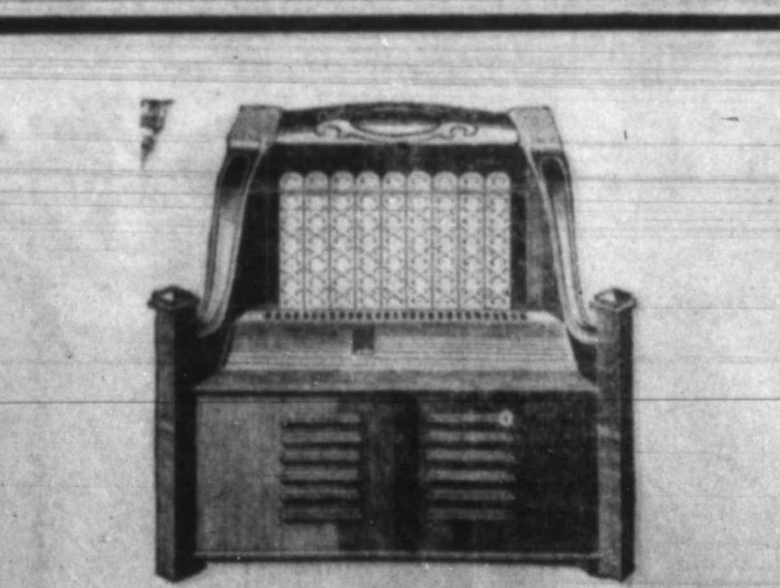
Soon we may expect to see some one launch an "Own-Your-Auto" movement.

Advertisement for 'Rays of Light' by Dr. Millard F. Swart. It features a cartoon character with glasses and the word 'PERFECT' written in large letters. The text describes the benefits of the treatment for eyesight.

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Advertisement for Kellogg's Corn Flakes. The text says: 'Kids may fiddle with other foods—but they always pile right into Kellogg's Corn Flakes! Don't ask for just corn flakes—say "Kellogg's Corn Flakes."'



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Advertisement for 'THE NEW STORE'. The text says: 'SPECIAL FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. Boys' and Girls' Shoes. Ladies' Coats. \$6.50 up to \$14.75. Men's work clothes. THE NEW STORE, Avenue H. North of Courthouse'

FOUR KILLED WHEN TRAIN DERAILED REPORTS SAY

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 16.—Four persons were killed and many injured when bandits derailed and looted a passenger train en route from Laredo, Texas, to Mexico City, according to a dispatch received here. Approximately one hundred bandits commanded by Demetrio Lopez looted the train Wednesday night after the locomotive, mail and day coaches had been derailed. Pullman cars

attached to the train remained on the rails.

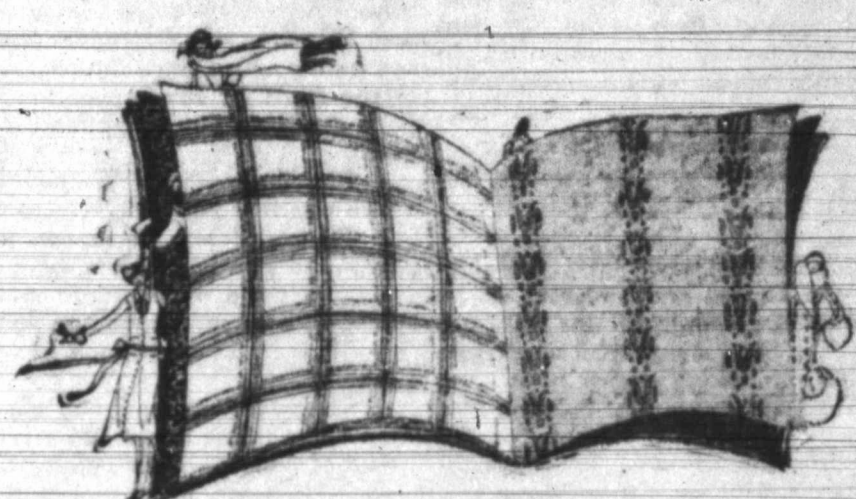
Money was taken from the express cars. Traffic on the line has been suspended temporarily.

20 MEN ARE HELD FOR TRAIN WRECK WHICH KILLED 8

JUAREZ, Mex., Oct. 16.—Twenty men are being held in the Fort Hidalgo prison and the curatel general, rounded up in the search for the bandits who wrecked the Erupcion mining train last Friday, securing a \$15,000 payroll, and shot to death eight men, according to General Roman Lopez, commander of the Jurres garrison. General Lopez said that all of the

men would be closely questioned in an effort to find those who took part in the crime and that efforts to secure the arrest of others was still in progress.

The Supreme Court of Illinois has handed down an opinion in which it is declared that the sale of poison liquor, resulting in death, is tantamount to murder. A new law in this state makes the sale of poison liquor which causes death punishable as murder; but under the Supreme Court ruling it is held that the homicide law which has been on the statute books for some time covers the case. The court declares that "if a man sold liquor knowing it to be poison, he is guilty of murder without considering the new law."



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THE PROGRESS OF TEXAS

Texas is possibly making greater progress than any other state in the Union, and so great is the progress that not only the people of this state are taking notice of it, but newspapers and magazines throughout the union are taking notice of it. So progressive is the Lone Star State that it is the first State in the Union to nominate a woman for the high and honored position of chief executive of the State. Not only is progress noted along this line, but in the matter of manufacturing, oil development, agriculture, education, etc., making it so noticeable that the Christian Science Monitor, one of the recognized great magazines of the nation, remarks in a recent issue that those who have observed most thoughtfully the periods of development in Texas, first as an independent republic and then as a member of the American nation of states, easily distinguish those periods and mark the influences which have contributed to what, superficially, appears as an unbroken era of industrial and social progress. But however analyzed and measured, it must be apparent that the last quarter of a century has marked, in Texas perhaps more emphatically than in some other portions of the United States, the period of most rapid as well as most substantial growth. Within those years almost uncounted millions of acres of virgin prairie have been reclaimed by the plow and devoted to cultivation of cotton, corn and wheat. During those same years those thriving cities which even in the latter years of the last century were the pride of the southwest have grown and become more beautiful. Prosperity has everywhere left the distinguishing mark of its welcome presence.

Comparisons, if one dares to make them, must be indulged in with caution when one attempts to contrast the relative achievements of Texas cities or sections. Like some of the other larger American states, Texas seems to thrive upon what may be called internal rivalry. Its interests and industries are so widely diversified, its climate so varied, its borders so far-flung, no wonder there is stimulating and good-natured competition even among those whose interests, in the final analysis, are common. But if one might be permitted to appraise the progress of Texas as a whole and indulge in kindly comparison, it might be said that the most conspicuous advance during recent years has been made in what is known as the Panhandle country, once the center of the stock raising industry. A half-century ago, or even less, it could not have been conceived that in many generations would intensive agriculture ever put its mark upon that vast section. But the unexpected has happened, and the country of which Amarillo is the center now knows the cowboy no more intimately than does Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston or San Antonio.

Thus it is that while the development of the petroleum oil industry has placed Texas in the ranks of the great mineral states, the tremendous increase in cotton production has kept pace in the march of progress. But cotton is not now, as formerly, the only crop the farmers raise. Rice, fruit, nuts and cereals of all kinds combine to make the Lone Star State more nearly independent economically than it has heretofore been. Its railroads carry to its ports the products of the farms, mills and mines of scores of its neighboring states as well as its own. Its schools rank high, its homes and churches combining with them to set the measure of advanced civilization and culture.

But in these days of her prosperity and peace, Texas does not forget the years of trial and struggle. What once seemed her remoteness, coupled with her proximity to Mexico, tended to multiply her political and social problems. The process of reconstruction there operated somewhat slowly. The broad leagues seemed, in the years immediately following the Civil War, to offer sanctuary to the hunted, the fugitive, the voluntary outlaw. As in the sections of the Far West in an earlier period, organized authority was impotent in dealing with the vicious and marauding. But that period was brief in Texas. Today, even the remotest sections are under the jurisdiction of duly constituted authority. There has been commendable progress along this line.

The great prairies open to the sky and swept by the Gully winds still remain. These can never change. They are dotted now with thriving cities and towns standing where corrals and stage stations once stood. Broad roads, steam and electric railways, ship canals and rivers carry to markets of the world the increasing surplus products of the State's rich soil. Texas, as Emerson Hough would say, is still south of 36, but it has established itself as the center of an empire prosperous beyond the dreams of her pioneers.

If this war in China is to establish the ingredients of chop suey it is worth while.

Is it going to be necessary to make baseball players give an honesty bond when signing up?

ARE WE ALL SUPERSTITIOUS?

One of the prominent writers says that we are more or less superstitious. Many people will deny it, but if you will take an inventory of the true feeling you will likely find that you, too, are superstitious. Phebe K. Warner, who most of our readers know and recognize as a writer of ability, says that ever since the rainbow was hung in the sky people have believed in signs. Few of us will admit we are superstitious, but the most of us are. We will flatly deny we believe in signs, but if we drop the dish rag in the morning we will expect company. If we see the new moon over our left shoulder we will be disappointed if something terrible does not happen.

If our bunions pain us we look for a storm. And if we wait long enough and conditions get right these signs will come true. But we are indebted to D. P. Yoder, of Snyder, Texas, for a few genuine signs that you can depend on winter or summer, rain or shine. Mr. Yoder is president of the Utilities Company, chief of the Snyder fire department and member of the Snyder School Board. We are adding these items that you may know the standing of the man who makes these assertions. And since the past week was dedicated to the study of fire prevention we feel that these signs may help you to be more cautious the coming year.

Mr. Yoder says: "A crack in your chimney is a sure sign that you are going to move."

"If you dream of smoke, it is a sign you are asleep and you had better wake up."

"To see a paperhanger papering over a flue-hole indicates an impending loss."

"It is bad luck to look into a dark closet with a match."

"If you can see your shadow from an oil lamp while filling a gasoline stove it is a sign that a crowd of people will be coming to your house soon."

"When the wind moans it is extremely bad luck to burn trash near your house."

"If you smell gas or gasoline and look for it with a light it foretells that you are about to start on a long journey."

"And even if your house and furniture are covered by insurance, it is extremely unlucky to have them burn on Friday, the thirteenth."

The reliability of these signs is further emphasized by Chief A. J. Trodick, of Grand Falls, Mont. They seem to apply in all climates and geographical localities. And, no doubt, they are worth remembering in Texas, especially, since through negligence, Texas burns up almost as much every year as she spends on the education of all her children. The total loss by fire in the United States is more than a half billion dollars. Is that worth trying to save? But the financial loss is the least part of a fire. No home ever burned that did not wipe out the most sacred possessions. They may not have been worth a penny to the world. But they were little things that can never be replaced. Perhaps it was the only picture you had of your mother.

Maybe it was the children's baby pictures, all gone forever. It might have been the old family Bible that was thumb marked by the generations of the past. Or a piece of furniture that a dear hand made for you that will never work again. No one knows the full value of a fire but those who have felt it.

But the greatest waste by fire in America is the terrible waste of human life. To think of a child being burned alive. A little innocent helpless life suffering the most terrible death of any criminal by mob law. That is what it is. It is nothing less.

And who are the criminals that burn innocent men and women and children alive. Often it is the parents that burn their own children through negligence and carelessness. And sometimes it is the children who destroy the home and everything in it by some thoughtless act. How do you suppose the people who have been burned to death by the carelessness of others would feel if they could come back to earth to plead the cause of their own death sentence? Suppose we did not mean to rob them of their lives. The results and their loss are just the same. But they never have a chance to plead their cause or defend their rights to live. Isn't it terrible? Do you think there should not be an official punishment for the crimes of carelessness?

CLEANING UP THE ALLEYS IN THE BUSINESS SECTION OF THE CITY

The city officials are making an earnest effort just now to get the alleys entirely clear of all rubbish, boxes, etc., and they are asking for the co-operation of the people in this effort, and we should certainly make every effort possible to help them make a good job of it. Some of the alleys in this city, especially around the business section have become almost entirely blocked with boxes, trash, old stoves, etc., and the city officials have decided to open them and have employed additional help in order to accomplish this purpose.

The business section can be kept neat and clean if the people of the town will co-operate with the officials in their work, and we certainly should give them all encouragement possible. They insist that you park no cars in the alley. There is an ordinance against it, and this law is going to be enforced according to the city officials who are in charge of that part of the work.

Co-operation is the power that builds. It is the power that is behind all matters of civic pride, and there is one of the essentials of town building, and the keeping of the wheels of progress rolling, brings about development in its greatest achievements.

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Democrats say it is a myth that the man in the white house is "strong and silent." When have they heard him say much?

Explorer MacMillan says there is coal at the North Pole. What of it? Could there be a more psychological place for it?

GREAT REVIVAL IS BEING CONDUCTED BY REV. W. A. BOWEN AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH; SONG SERVICE MAIN FEATURE

A great revival at the First Baptist church, "great" because God's word is being preached in a forceful way by the pastor, W. A. Bowen, who has just returned from the hands of our Saviour personally walked over and preached from two thousand years ago. But our pastor came back from these scenes filled anew with God's love for last and drifting humanity. Come and hear a man preach for the same reason that Paul preached. Our pastor is preaching, not only to revive our church, but to save lost men and women; that all other powers have failed to save and well do all thinking men and women know, that if the world is ever swung back to its rightful place it will be done by the grace and love of God.

IOWA NORMALLY REPUBLICAN ALMOST OVERWHELMINGLY BUT CLOSE RACE FOR PRESIDENT IS PROBABLE, CLAPPER SAYS

By RAYMOND CLAPPER, (Copyright by the United News) DES MOINES, Iowa, Oct. 16.—Iowa's normal republican vote is so overwhelming, in proportion as Vermont's, yet curiously it is the closest state, so far as the presidential race is concerned, that I have observed.

Iowa is the twilight zone between LaFollette country and the more conservative middle west. Davis is completely out of the picture. Coolidge and LaFollette are running abreast with each side hoping to win by a sprint in the last ten days. None of the politicians know what is going to happen in the presidential fight and all claims are made for public consumption.

Senator Brookhart will be re-elected by a majority of 100,000 it appears. He is being all he can for LaFollette short of giving a formal endorsement. He is attacking Coolidge, predicting LaFollette's election by 150,000. He rode thru a section of the state with the independent candidate and they had hoped to win by a sprint in the last ten days. None of the politicians know what is going to happen in the presidential fight and all claims are made for public consumption.

Judge William S. Kenyon, whose personal popularity is as great as Brookhart's was represented recently by having authorized the state that he favored Coolidge and LaFollette. He is a close personal friend that he has written a letter saying he and his family will vote for LaFollette. Word that Kenyon intends to vote for LaFollette's favor is that of Dante Pierce, editor of the Iowa Home-stead. Pierce's paper has a circulation in Iowa of 140,000 or more. It fights hard in every political fight and it has a reputation of carrying its readers with it. At LaFollette headquarters, four hundred contributions of one dollar each came in on a single day recently. Thirty-seven per cent of those mentioned specifically—that they were sending the money in answer to an appeal in Pierce's paper.

Then the candidate himself is personally almost as well known in some sections and in Wisconsin for 30 years, he has covered the northern Iowa counties in political campaign and Chautauque lecture tours. Every one with whom I talk conceded him the northern counties. But in the southern portion of the state, in what is called the "stalwart reservation" he is up against the "big Coolidge strength of Des Moines, the Klan spot in the southwest section of the state and hostile spots in the southeastern section. Finally, LaFollette will get a huge share of the democratic vote which normally is over 200,000. He will get most of it probably.

It would seem that all of the powerful influences would make

Modern Teachers Are Man Chasers Educator Claims

ALBANY, Oct. 16.—Phew! If the roseate cheeks of our flapper school teachers could turn any redder, they must be going some.

GERMAN LOAN BONDS OVERSUBSCRIBED HEAVILY

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The German loan took the country by storm. More than \$1,000,000,000 subscribed although the American share of the loan offered by J. P. Morgan and company was for only \$110,000,000.

2 OFFICERS ARE KILLED WHEN PLANES COLLIDE

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 16.—Two naval officers were killed Thursday afternoon when two planes from the navy air station at North Island collided in mid-air while flying at an altitude of 2,500 feet over Coronado Beach.

91 QUARANTINED FOR YELLOW FEVER ARE RELEASED

HOUSTON, Oct. 16.—Virtually all danger of a yellow fever epidemic in Houston is past, according to an announcement made by federal state and city health officers following the release today of 91 persons held in quarantine.

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Misérable with intense stomach suffering both day and night, and so weak and rundown that she could hardly get about the house. Mrs. Amanda Armstrong, 1822 Trunk Ave., Dallas, Texas, tells how Andre's abdominal new medicine, Karnak, has overcome her troubles and made her well and happy again. Just another demonstration of the remarkable, health-building powers of this great, new medicine.



"Before I got Karnak I was just plumb down," is the way Mrs. Armstrong characteristically expresses her condition, "and wasn't able to do a bit of my housework." I had such a terrible crampin' pain in the pit of my stomach that big drops of perspiration would just roll down my face. These pains would extend clear back through my shoulder blades and my breath. I was just simply in agony from bloating and suffering for hours after every meal, and at times I just didn't see how I could live through it. I was dreadfully nervous, too, and could scarcely get a wink of sleep.

"But I haven't had a single attack with my stomach since I began using Karnak. I have a splendid appetite eat anything I want, and my food digests perfectly. The pain bloating and suffering is all gone, I sleep like a healthy child every night, and now do all my housework. I will praise Karnak the longest day I live for the wonderful blessing it has been to me."

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