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DALLAS MAN IS KILLED NEAR CITY

School Board Buys Valuable Land For Future Expansion

Last week, the school board purchased a valuable parcel of ground located between North Eleventh and North Twelfth streets. The property takes in an entire block and was bought from Mrs. H. E. Deaver for a substantial consideration, the amount of which was not made public.

More Property Necessary
The school board considered that more property for the school system of Memphis was necessary, in view of the fact that the enrollment in each of the schools has been growing rapidly, and the time is not far off, when another building must be constructed. It is not known definitely when the new building will be needed, but it is believed it will be erected within the next three years.

Crowded Conditions
Due to the crowded conditions of the schools, the new Junior High Building was constructed this past year, but with the acquisition of this building, space is still at a premium. The Junior High Building is crowded, as well as the two grammar schools, and this past school year, it was necessary to put at least one grammar grade in the high school building in order to remedy the situation.

Conveniently Located
The property purchased from Mrs. Deaver is conveniently located with reference to other school property. It will allow plenty of space for future additions to the contemplated new building. While the need of a new building is not so acute at this time as it is likely to be within the near future, the action of the school board was one of preparedness in anticipation of the school needs of the future.

Will Have 5 Buildings
When the new school building is constructed, Memphis will have five buildings, which is a splendid showing for a town this size. The buildings will include the Junior and Senior high schools, and the East and West Ward school buildings. It is anticipated that the new building will be used for children in the lower grades, as it is thought that the present high school building is equipped to meet the needs of the upper classes for several years to come. This is about the only school of the four where classes were not crowded this past school year, and in order to do away with the crowded conditions in the ward schools and the junior high school, it may be necessary to put certain grades in the high school building again next year as was the case this year.

Much will depend on the enrollment of the various schools of the city at the beginning of the Fall term as to when the proposed new building will be constructed. Although the land purchased is not designed for immediate use, according to M. E. McNally, secretary of the school board, if the enrollment is such as to demand immediate action, work on the new school may be started before it is now planned.

No Explanation Of This Letter Is Necessary



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May 20, 1929.

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Respectfully yours,

S. Deaver
President.



SSM:J

Ninety-Eight Head Fine Jerseys Will Be Sold Saturday

S. M. Lawson of Fort Worth, who has conducted several very successful auction sales of fine Jersey cattle in this section of the state, is returning to Memphis and will offer at auction, Saturday morning, May 25, at 10 a. m., 98 head of Jerseys. The sale will take place at the stock pens at the Fair Grounds. W. A. Nash, auctioneer of Plainview will have charge of the sale.

17 Cows Fresh
Listed in the lot of Jerseys to be sold are 17 young cows fresh, 15 heavy springers, 30 bred heifers, 7 unbred heifers, 20 heifer calves, and three choice yearling bulls. According to George A. Sager, secretary of the local chamber of commerce, the previous sale that Mr. Lawson conducted here was eminently successful. The sale Saturday will afford an opportunity to obtain some of the very best young Jerseys from breeders who are located in the heart of the heaviest milk and butterfat producing part of Texas.

Best Blood Lines
Mr. Lawson states that the cattle to be offered at auction in this sale carry the very best blood lines and are beautifully marked in color. The cattle are tuberculin tested and guaranteed sound in every respect. Interested parties are invited to see the cows milked and to take samples of the milk, and at the same time examine the udders of the cows. The cows will not be milked on the morning of the sale but the evening before the sale is started.

Anyone who makes a purchase of a cow has the privilege of milking her out and examining her udder thoroughly and if a defect is found, the purchase price will be refunded.

Authority on Cows
Col. Nash of Plainview, who is to be the auctioneer of the sale, is a well known authority on cows and knows every phase of the dairying business. He will discuss, during the sale, dairy farming on the South Plains, and will demonstrate what the purchase of good blooded stock has meant to the farmers of that section.

Mr. Lawson, who owns the cattle, states that should anyone express disappointment as to the quality of the cattle, that he will be glad to pay that man's expenses for the day, so those who attend the sale do not stand to lose anything by looking over the stock that will be auctioned off by Mr. Nash.

The fresh cows and heavy springers will be sold before noon on Saturday, starting promptly at 10 a. m. The balance will be disposed of in the afternoon beginning at 1:30 o'clock.

Mr. Lawson stated that he has devoted his life to this kind of work and he absolutely guarantees satisfaction of any and all stock sold.

BERT DESHAZOR IS SHOT ONCE THRU HEART

John Rogers Surrenders To Sheriff After Killing

Bert DeShazor, 36 years of age, who is said to have lived in Dallas, was shot through the heart and instantly killed Sunday night shortly before 12 o'clock at the filling station three miles east of Memphis on Highway 5 operated by J. T. Wilkins. Following the shooting, John Rogers, better known as "Big Booger Red", drove to Memphis and surrendered to Sheriff Sid Christian.

Browder Signs Bond
When Rogers gave himself up, Sheriff Christian stated that he told him that he shot DeShazor in self defense. It is not known definitely what the trouble was about that led up to the shooting. Officers fixed Rogers' bond Sunday night at \$20,000, which was signed by John Browder and others, and the man was released from custody.

It is understood that Rogers has secured the services of two law firms to represent him, they being Moss and Deaver, and Hamilton, Fitzgerald and Grundy. He waived examining trial Monday and his bond was fixed at \$8,000 which he had no difficulty in making.

DeShazor was unmarried. His body was shipped to Dallas Monday night accompanied by a brother, J. T. DeShazor. It is understood that burial took place in Dallas, where DeShazor's sister resided. His mother lives in Wichita Falls.

Whiskey Is Found
Immediately after Rogers had surrendered, operatives from the sheriff's department went to the filling station where the killing occurred. In searching this place, officers found eighteen gallons of whiskey. Virgil Jake Mathews, an employee of the filling station, was taken into custody as a material witness and lodged in the county jail.

Rogers is a man of a family and lives on Browder's ranch, some seven miles north of Memphis. He is popular in this section due to his connection with a number of rodeos. He has many acquaintances among cattle men.

DeShazor is said to have been shot with a .38 Colt. Two shots were fired, but only one took effect, just over the man's heart. When officers examined DeShazor's body, it was said that no weapon was found on his person.

Mathews Eye Witness
According to Sheriff Christian, the man who had leased the filling station was away at the time the whiskey was found. This is the second time that officers have searched this filling station, the other time their search not divulging any whiskey. Mathews, who is said to have been an eye witness, (Continued on page 4)

Davenport Sees Derby

Church Of Christ To Hold Services During This Week

Starting Wednesday night, services will be held during the remainder of the week at the Seventh and Brice Streets Church of Christ. The services will be concluded Sunday night. Wednesday evening, Rev. R. L. Whiteside, representing the Boles Orphans Home of Greenville, preached.

Thursday night the regular prayer meeting was held and Friday night Rev. L. E. Carpenter of Corpus Christi will begin a series of sermons that will continue through Sunday night. Rev. Carpenter will begin his services at 8:15 each evening.

Wichita Boosters Descend On City

Wichita Falls boosters, 125 strong, descended upon Memphis at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. Headed by a band, the good will trippers who were out on a three day trip through the South Plains country, marched from their special train to Rube's Coffee Shop, where breakfast was awaiting them.

A number of Memphis people were at the station when the special train pulled in and accompanied the excursionists to the coffee shop. The men were in fine spirits and the band they had along did some good work.

Visit With Merchants
The men remained in Memphis until 9 o'clock. While here, they visited many of the merchants and business men around the public square, renewing acquaintances and making new friends. They had the general line of souvenirs which they seemed glad of a chance to distribute.

Chevrolet Dealer Witnesses Famous Race In Kentucky

B. E. Davenport of the D. & P. Chevrolet Company enroute home to Memphis from the General Motors Proving Grounds stopped off in Churchill Downs to witness the fifty-fifth Kentucky Derby, which took place there last Saturday. According to Mr. Davenport, this was the most colorful race he has ever witnessed, despite the fact that the main race and all the preliminaries were run in a down-pour of rain.

Clyde Van Dusen Wins
The winner of the race was Clyde Van Dusen, with L. McAtee up. The horse was owned by Herbert P. Gardner and C. Van Dusen. More than \$50,000 was won by the winner. Naishapur came out second in the race and a Texas entry, Pancho from the Three D's Stock Farm was third. The race was for three year olds. The Kentucky Derby has been an institution in racing since 1875.

Mr. Davenport stated that about 160,000 people witnessed the mile and one-quarter race that was run on muddy tracks.

Demonstration of Prowess
The local Chevrolet dealer had been to attend a demonstration of the prowess of Chevrolet cars on the General Motors Proving Grounds at Melford, Michigan. He left here May 14 and drove to Oklahoma City, where he joined a delegation of Chevrolet dealers. Four special Pullman cars carried the party to St. Louis. The party arrived in St. Louis the following day and made a trip of inspection through the Chevrolet assembly plant there. The next day they left on a special train for the Proving Grounds and factory. (Continued on page 4)

Lee Rushing Moves His Office To New Quarters In Annex

C. Lee Rushing, local agent of the Southland Life Insurance Company, has moved his office from the second floor of the First National Bank building to the new annex of the Citizens State Bank. The change was made by Mr. Rushing last week.

The new quarters give Mr. Rushing more office space than he had at his old location. His office has been fitted up with new furniture and is nicely equipped throughout. He will be glad to see his many friends at his new place of business—especially if they are interested in life insurance.

Red River Bridge Work Begins Soon

Construction work on the concrete bridge to be erected over the Prairie Dog fork of Red River on Highway Five, will probably be started about the first of June, according to County Judge A. C. Hoffman.

Judge Hoffman stated that Joe Grace, of the Brown-Abbott Bridge Company, was in Estelline last week looking for a site upon which to build a spur track to be used in hauling supplies to the place where the construction work will be started.

Lines Already Run
Judge Hoffman was in Estelline recently and stated that he learned that lines for the bridge had already been run. Engineers from Carson and Childress counties are in charge of all of project 438-G, which includes all territory between the pavement on the north and south sides of the river.

Water Company Here Given Inspection

Engineer Finds Condition Is Excellent

R. D. Stuart, local manager of the Texas Water Utilities Company has been going abroad with a broad smile on his face for several days past and like "instant Postum" there's a reason. Mr. Stuart feels a just pride in the fact that his company has been given a clean bill of health by the State Board of Health at Austin. Recently, Herbert Hargis, sanitary engineer from the State Board of Health, spent a day in Memphis going over the entire property of the Texas Water Utilities Company. He inspected all wells and reservoirs and found them in excellent condition. He congratulated Mr. Stuart upon the splendid way in which the water system is conducted in Memphis,

saying that Memphis people should appreciate their good pure water supply. He found that the property was well kept up and stated that Memphis had every reason to be proud of the kind of service the company was rendering. Sometime ago, an announcement was made that the Texas Water Utilities Company is expecting to put in a new reservoir here, and when this is accomplished, Memphis will be assured of an adequate water supply to meet the ever increasing needs of this growing community. It is not known just when work on the new reservoir will be started. The present water supply will not be affected by the contemplated improvements.

On the Level

A colyum by William Russell Clark

It's not a fine thing if you could have talking picture time before this year. Say what you will, Memphis left out of the picture. Towns smaller than Memphis have secured talkies. How much longer will they wait for them?

Wellington, for instance, must be smaller than a good 1,000 inhabited yet it boasts one of the finest theatres in West And that isn't all. The Wellington has three theatres of the number have pictures.

As I am personally convinced I can continue to make Wellington, Childress and other towns when I want to hear a "talkie." One recently while attending a Wellington, I could hardly keep my eyes. There must be 150 or more Memphis residents on that one occasion are not a fad. They are to stay and the play recognizes this fact and advantage of it will get the profit.

Recreation season has opened in earnest in Memphis, even the college boys and girls begun arriving home for their recess. I know of a number of people who would like some kind of job this summer. Everyone needs the services of buskies, who are willing and not particular about work it is, please get with me at The Democrat.

League baseball season officially started here after noon. A fair sized opening game and small gate charge of ten head, but it is going to be a crowd if the league expenses this summer. Baseball games are in for future delivery, seems that local people know a good thing when it comes.

Nothing selfish concerning the League. It is needed to promote anything of good sport during summer months. None of us get anything from except the exercise and sweat that comes from the pastime.

Perform At Luncheon Of Rotary

Session Withheld In Easter Egg Debate

Representatives from the Lions Club and the Rotary Club met at a luncheon at the Hotel Memphis Tuesday at noon at the Temple. J. M. McKelvey, program chairman for the preliminary to the program, Mrs. Throop presented in two enjoyable numbers, accompanied by Margaret Morgan Andrews. M. Hicks was in charge of the program. After a which he predicted that the world would go from this ridiculous, he presented E. Robbins, who played a piccolo, but was doing so by his looking, which kept the in consonant wriggles of

laughter. He singled out various members of the Rotary Club and proceeded to roundly pan them, much to their evident discomfort.

Following this number, a debate was staged between R. D. Stuart and Tommie Potts on the subject, "Resolved, That Rabbits Lay Easter Eggs." These two have been debating this subject ever since Easter and are getting well along with it, the Rotarians agreed after hearing their respective arguments. President Jack Figh presented the judges from making a decision in the case as the time for adjournment arrived opportunely, just as the debates were concluded.

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"Going Away" Costume Important Part of June Bride's Trousseau

BY HARRIET

The June bride is busy these days making final decisions about her trousseau.

Her bridal gown, undoubtedly, has been decided upon long since. Next in importance comes her "going away" costume. What shall she choose for this costume that her new husband will see her in first, after the crowds have been left behind and they are speeding away on their honeymoon?

Since this is a suit year, many a bride will feel she must have a cute, becoming version of the season's favorite. Silks are an important choice, for they are good all summer. But, if there is much traveling on the honeymoon, one of the summer worsteds might be a more advisable selection.

Given a light colored suit, with a blouse of its own and a couple of extra little batiste or georgette blouses and a June bride has several costumes.

If she prefers an ensemble undoubtedly the frock should be silk or crepe and the coat worsted. Then the coat can serve double duty with other frocks and the dress is sweetly dressy after the serviceable coat is shed.

Beige is the season's choice for summer worsted suits. Since beige has gone varied and comes in all kinds of colored tones, a bride can easily find one to suit her coloring.

Gray is always good, greens are cool and summery and blues never were better. Several blues together are better than one.

For the bride who wants a suit, I suggest a feminine type of one in a French tweed of beige and cream. The skirt has a circular front and the jacket is cut raglan sleeved, with a sweet little round yoke across the back that ends in buckles and round tabs on each shoulder. Pockets have this same tab finish, with buckles.

Fisherman's Hat

The blouse of this is beige flat crepe, with the batteau neckline, long sleeves and edge of the overblouse finished in a narrow edge of the tweed. Diamond-shaped insets of the tweed work a modernistic pattern around the body of the blouse. The hat is one of the new fisherman's hats, in beige summer felt, light as a feather, crushable and therefore practical for travel.



A suit and coat that the June bride might consider for her "going away" costume are shown above.

If the June bride wants an ensemble, she might do well to consider the powder blue frock of flat crepe, topped by a coat of silver and powder blue novelty worsted. This coat is a charming little garment, youthful and individual. The striped worsted is used horizontally and vertically to give the flaring lapels distinction, and the cuffs and pocket are used horizontally. The coat is straightline, with raglan sleeves. Side godets of diagonal material give fullness and variety.

With this a powder blue felt hat has handings in silver and a slightly deeper blue. The frock is made princess line, with a

charming overskirt effect below the hips and long sleeves finished with a touch of silver.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Gladys Ewen of Hedley and her mother, Mrs. J. P. Adamson, were in Memphis Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Merrick and daughter, Miss Doll, visited in Maud, Oklahoma, last week. They returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gore left Friday for a visit with Mrs. Gore's mother in East Texas. They will go from there to Austin about the first of June to attend summer school.

Miss Ruth Harrison spent last Thursday in Childress.

Charles Webster and D. A. Neeley went to Amarillo for Federal Court last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Simmons went to Sayre, Oklahoma, to spend the past week end.

Miss Elsie Lou Phillips of Claude, and Miss Maurine Phillips of Denton were guests of Miss Ruby Adams this last week.

John R. Edmonds of College Station, district farm agent, was here Saturday in conference with the local farm agent, H. R. Ellis.

Lena McLearn who has been visiting in Fort Worth returned home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. White and daughter Helen Ray were visitors in Shamrock last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Lee Pope spent Sunday in Quanah.

Miss Lotta Chambers spent the week end in Childress.

Miss Beth Moreland left for her home in Durant, Saturday afternoon.

Presiding Elder Murrell of Clarendon preached the sermon Sunday night at the Methodist church.

Miss Macona Brummet of Clarendon is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. H. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Conly Ward and Mrs. Ward's sister, Miss Mary Noel, are visiting in Wichita Falls and Mineral Wells. They will be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Noel and daughter, Alice, of Hedley were in Memphis last Friday.

Mrs. Courtney Williams and Miss Altha Tom Bridge spent Sunday afternoon in Childress.

Mrs. A. H. Glasco of Parnell was in town Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Jones returned Thursday evening from Breckenridge where they attended the state convention of the Christian church. The convention was the best convention on record they reported, and that every session was interesting. Mr. Jones was chairman of the Committee on Resolutions and Memorial.

J. Arthur Bryant of Paris who is superintendent of the Curtis Publishing Co. interests for North Texas, is in Memphis for the week. He attended church Sunday at the First Christian church, and sang two splendid numbers.

J. W. Jones, who has been district sales manager for the Gulf Refining Co. is being transferred to South Texas. E. J. Harkey has come to Memphis to take Mr. Jones' position.

M. M. Pounds, R. B. McMurry and Mr. McLearn are away on a week's trip. They are making an auto trip to the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Get it at Tarver's.

Man Who Discovered Artificial Cotton Seeks American Aid

NEW YORK, May 23. (UP)—Dr. J. Harley-Thornton, discoverer of the method by which "artificial cotton" is manufactured, was in New York attempting to arouse the interest of American firms in the formula which he believes will revolutionize the world's cotton industry.

Hadley-Thornton, who said he was not seeking capital in the United States, discovered the artificial cotton weed in British Guinea. He was assisted by Gaston de Fleury, a chemist, in perfecting the system of manufacture now used by the English artificial cotton production and marketing Corp. Ltd., London.

The two men found the cotton-like material in a bird's nest and spent months tracing the material to the weed from which the bird had plucked it. After finding the weed, they spent nine years perfecting the secret chemical process by which the cotton is made from the fibre of the weed.

It has been grown successfully for more than a year in England and the product has been sold in a number of countries. The discoverers claim production of about 700 pounds per acre to be sold at about 12 cents per pound.

RECOVERS JEWELRY FROM SEWAGE SYSTEM

CLEBURNE, May 23. (UP)—One chance in a million won, according to Mrs. Gladys Campbell, in recovering \$900 worth of jewelry lost in the sewer.

Mrs. Campbell was uncertain where she lost her diamond and sapphire studded bar pin and platinum bracelet, but she recalled having them last in her pajama's pocket, wrapped in a small red handkerchief.

Thinking she might possibly have lost them in the bath room, she notified Superintendent T. B. Sims of the sewage system. The wife of the attendant at the sewage plant found them, uninjured, wrapped in the handkerchief and caught in the septic tank at the plant.

Get it at Tarver's.



Leaving on a Trip?

You're probably going on another long trip this Summer in your car. You'd like to enjoy it without even a stop for a puncture.

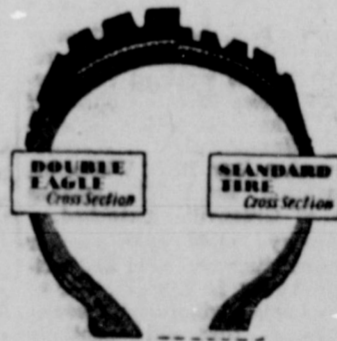
You're going to hit all sorts of roads, and probably will travel pretty fast at times. You want to ride with the greatest safety and comfort possible.

I'm writing you a "prescription," therefore, against all worry about tires until you finally trade in your car, and I hope you'll take it.

It calls for a set of the new Goodyear Double Eagle Tires. (I'll be glad to accept your present tires in trade.)

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SOCIETY and Club

CONFERENCE ATTENDED

Hammond and Miss Austin returned Tuesday where they attended the Cactus Region Conference of Girl Scouts. Mrs. A. who also attended, returned.

Report a conference, well attended from all over the Cactus Region, New Mexico. The main speaker for the conference was Miss Price, National Headquarters, Park City. They say the conference was splendid, the convention very interesting and the hospitality beyond ordinary.

ALLEN SOCIETY MONDAY NIGHT

Christine Allen Missionary Society Monday night, in the parlor at the Methodist church, with about 25 members present. The subject for study was "Our Ideal." The study session was interesting. The lesson, the building of a house at the Palo Duro was discussed. The camp will, and it is planned for members of the society to spend several weeks there during the summer.

REBEKAH LODGE MONDAY NIGHT

Rebekah Lodge No. 346, O. O. F. Hall Monday night, May 20. The N. G. president, 46 members present. The general routine of the two candidates were to receive the degree, to be conferred next Monday, May 27.

There were twelve applications for membership. All Requested this lodge are requested to present next Monday.

EXHALL HOSTESS CRAFT WEAVERS

Craft Weaver Club met with their president, Mrs. Hall in her lovely home on Tuesday. A most enjoyable evening was spent socially. An elaborate buffet luncheon was served by Mesdames DeBerry, Foote, Harrison, Joe Hittinger, Kinslow, Webster, Walker, Woods, and Harrison of Greenville.

SALISBURY SCHOOL HAS LAST DAY PICNIC

Last day at Salisbury was spent very pleasantly by teachers and pupils. The school prepared a picnic for all. All gathered at the schoolhouse Friday, May 17, for the last day of school. There were 62 children there went to the 62 children between Estelline and Childress.

Greater part of the morning was spent playing games and the canyons of the 62 children. Then about 11 o'clock it began to rain, and the pupils their fun was at an end. The fun was just beginning and the pupils were loaded and returned to the schoolhouse. There the lunch was served, and the remainder of the day was spent in games and socializing.

The pupils were chaperoned by Miss L. Thornton, Miss Zonail and Miss Ruth Keeling, teachers of Salisbury school.

BROWDER IS HOME FROM EUROPE

Virginia Browder, daughter of Mrs. Oren Jones, has returned from an extended trip to Europe. She has been gone for several months, returning Sunday.

A trip was made as a member of a group of Hockaday of Dallas. It was one of the most comprehensive foreign school trips ever undertaken in the United States. The girls visited Italy, France, England and other countries for several months.

Most of the girls were from Childress. The experience was one long to be remembered, and talked over. Browder's many friends will be glad to welcome her home.

SENIORS ENJOY BREAKFAST SOCIETY

Federated Missionary Society entertained the Seniors with a breakfast at Waynesville Monday morning. The "eat" was enjoyed by all. The most interesting feature of the breakfast was the fact that there were twenty-five chickens. If anyone doubts that the Seniors enjoyed the breakfast see

Ingram Walker or Charlie Stidham for information.

There were about thirty-eight Seniors who were brave enough to get up at six and come out to the park. As for the teachers, not one of them possessed enough energy to journey out—not even Mr. Jackson, the superintendent.

Mesdames Noel, Foote, Phelan, Webster, Tipton, DeBerry, and Kinslow were the gracious hostesses, and the Senior class wishes to thank them and Mr. Flannery for their efforts.

The breakfast for the Seniors has been an annual affair and the Seniors of '29 sincerely hope the Seniors of next year may be receivers of this courtesy.

CULTURE CLUB HAS ANNIVERSARY LUNCHEON

On Thursday, May 16, the members, and one of the former members of the Culture Club celebrated

the thirtieth anniversary of this organization with an elaborate four course luncheon at the home of Mrs. D. A. Grundy. The house was beautifully decorated with the club colors, purple and gold, and the club flowers, white carnations. The tables were covered with lovely filet cloths, and gleaming silver, and were laid in the living room and the dining room of this spacious home.

Mrs. Grundy, acting as toastmistress called on Mrs. Wheat for the invocation. As the luncheon progressed, the new members learned that this club has had an unusual history. The minutes of the first meeting were read, and the members were informed that this club was organized when there were only fourteen houses in the central part of town and the meetings were held in house fourteen. The purpose of the club was to promote culture and social fellowship in this small Western town. Two of the charter members of this organization were present, Mrs. R. L. Henderson and Mrs. D. A. Grundy.

After the history of the club had been discussed, toasts were given as follows: "The Old Members," by Miss Imogene King; "The New Members," by Mrs. J. A. Whaley; "The Officers," by

Mrs. Ed Dishman. Several other members added to the entertainment when urged by Mrs. Grundy.

The president, Mrs. George Sexauer, closed this charming courtesy by having the club give the hostess, Mrs. Grundy, a rising vote of thanks.

Those present were: Mesdames Duval Brumley, Cross, L. S. Clark, M. L. Tarver, Horace Tarver, Henderson, Dishman, Hennen, Howard, Grundy, Madden, Milam, Norman, Quigley, Sexauer, Wells, Wheat, R. E. Clark, and Miss Imogene King.

MIZPAH AUXILIARY MEETS WITH MRS. J. H. TUCKER

The Mizpah Auxiliary met Monday night, May 20, with Mrs. J. H. Tucker. Mrs. J. H. Mallard led the devotional, reading the Beatitudes from the fiftieth chapter of Matthew.

Interesting roll calls were given as follows: Hattie Johnson, a sketch of Mrs. Boyd's early life; Era Mallard, original poem; Estell McCool, a little story about the native African; Frankie Noel read an interesting clipping from Denver about the retrial of Jesus; Lorraine Tucker, About the Mormons; Cora Fox Yonge gave a message from the missionaries of South America.

and she made the lesson very interesting. After the lesson, Mrs. Grundy led the prayer for the missionaries in South America. Then each repeated the Mizpah benediction: "The Lord watch between me and thee when we are absent one from another."

with Mrs. Ruth Pierce on June 10. Lovely refreshments were served to the following: Lola Clower, Emma Deaver, Boodie Grundy, Hattie Johnson, Era Mallard, Estell McCool, Frank Noel and Cora Yonge.

These girls have gone to Denver to spend their vacations. They were teachers in the Parnell school during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duncan of Clarendon were visitors in Memphis Sunday.

CONSTRUCTIVE COMMUNITY BANKING SERVICE

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\$7.20

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Cashier.



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Friday, Saturday and Monday Specials at the Cross Dry Goods Store. Yards and yards of Silks, Taffetas in plain and plaids, Rayons in printed and plain, short lengths too numerous to mention. Only the women that can plan and sew will appreciate this great reduction as it will help them to make two garments for the price of one. Dresses, Underwear, Skirts and all kinds of fancy work can be made from this collection with laces to trim. Be sure and examine our tables Half Price Merchandise and remember the Sale Price goes off Monday night.

One table of Ladies' Hats, former price \$4.95, for **\$2.00**

We have new shipments of Felt Hats in White and colors, also the new Magic Tams for the young girls. The store that tries to please its customers.

The Cross Dry Goods Store

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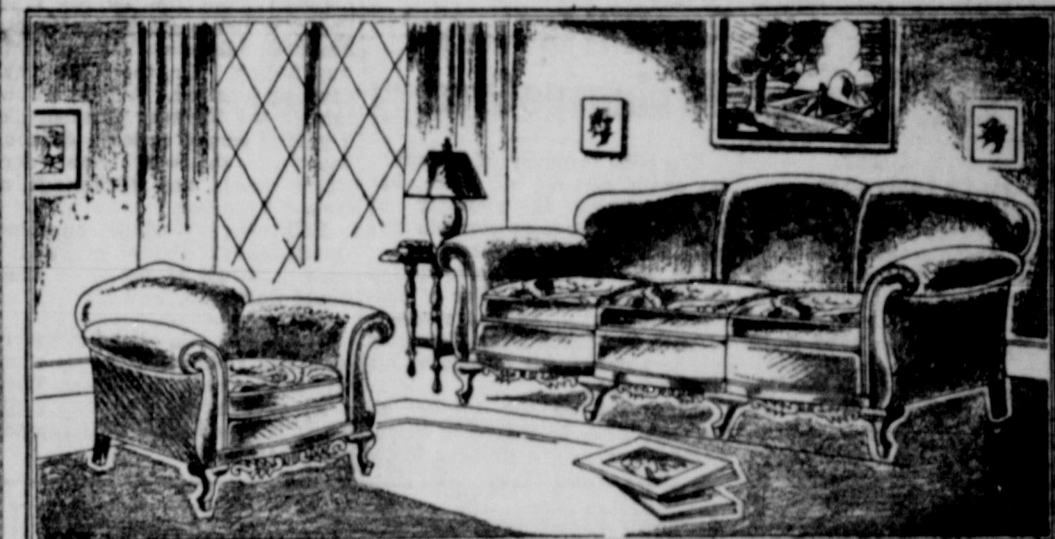
It's no trouble for us to make prices lower than our competitors' and still keep quality up to a high standard. A visit to our store will reveal that everything is priced fairly, and many items much lower than you will usually find. Quality must always be top-notch.

Saturday Specials

TOMATOES	FRESH AND FINE, 2 LBS. FOR	25c
ORANGES	PER DOZEN	16c
PEANUT BUTTER	LARGE GLASS	19c
CATSUP	LARGE SIZE	19c
MACARONI	OR SPAGHETTI, 4 FOR	25c
PEACHES	NO. 2 1/2 (Fancy) PER CAN	21c

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Amarillo Furniture Co.

608 Noel

will be treated by their by their presence. newspaper is convinced of that fixtures and in painting the fixtures, so that when the opening Noel will engage in.

Coming To Palace

The thrilling historical drama "El Bandido" based on the life and incidents of Mexico's Phantom Bandit and Rebel Leader, Pancho Villa, to be shown at the Palace Theatre Wednesday, May 29 gives William Russell a part true to his own heart as chief of the Texas Rangers.

Strong Romance
The picture is now in its scope and atmosphere with thrills of wild riding, raids, war and mortal combat, directed by Henry King, one of America's foremost directors. It is generally thought that cowboys, Indians, gambling dens and wild life constituted western pictures with the usual streak of love that held them together. William Russell holds more than this in this picture—he has strong romance, charm and the true spirit of the life of the Texas Rangers.

Educational Exhibit
An unusual educational exhibit will be on display in the theatre lobby on the day of showing consisting of a wax figure of the noted bandit and his famous horse attired in a beautiful Mexican hand carved and special trimmed saddle. The picture is having a popular run throughout the state and comes highly recommended by leading exhibitors as an out of the ordinary road show attraction that is well worth seeing.

New Mexico Said To Have Been Inhabited 100,000 Years Ago

EL PASO, May 23. (UP)—That New Mexico was inhabited by human beings 25,000 to 100,000 years ago is declared to have been established definitely with new bone discoveries in the Organ Mountains near Mesilla Park by an El Pasoan.

Roscoe P. Conklin, statistician of the American Smelting & Refining Co. and an amateur archaeologist, revealed the find which has been pronounced as one of the most important prehistoric discoveries in America.

Bones discovered include the thigh bones of a human being, spinal column, and a crushed skull.

Unearthed in Cave
They were unearthed in a cave in Bishop's Gap, a promontory of the Organ about five miles east of Mesilla Park.

Conklin first found bones at a depth of about six feet during excavation work. Digging deeper, he found bones of the cave bear and camel, and a human skull.

At 18 feet, a layer of hard sand was encountered. The seal of this was broken. Beneath, were found the human thigh bones, spinal columns, and skull.

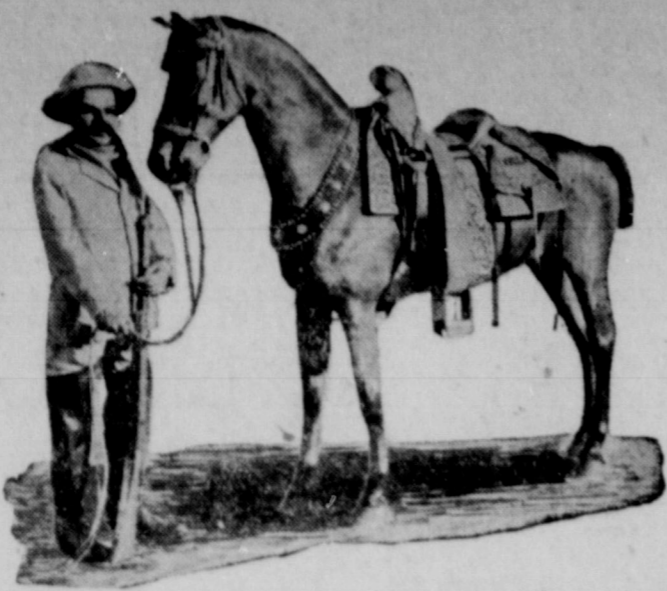
Scientific Importance
Dr. William A. Bryan of the Los Angeles museum who examined the find pronounced it one of great scientific importance and declared the body of a human being could not have been buried artificially beneath the sand stone ayer.

Conklin has photographed his discovery and has prepared an article for the Scientific Press to be published in the near future.
The excavation now extends to 30 feet below the surface with indications that it will go further. Practically the complete skeleton of a ground sloth was uncovered midway between the two human skulls. Bones of extinct horses, cave bears, camels, and sloth have been excavated in such numbers

In Memory Of My Dear Grandmother

BY WILFORD JONES
My grandmother lived to seek and help, he always repeated this was the way she felt; all thru her struggles and falls, he never, never forgot to call or the help which came from above.
When in later years came sadness, although it ought to have been gladness, or we could always bring to mind, my dear grandmother was with the sublime.
In her bed she lay, and would look up as if to say, Children, be of courage, for you know a few days I will be where blessings flow."
My dear grandmother thought her grandchildren sweet, and would tell us where we would all some day meet, "I would stand in silence by her bed, and seemed as though she would have said, Ours, live to be as your old grandmother tried to be."
As her last minutes came, I looked as if you could see the fame, or God had come to take her home, and we will later find her in our future home.

Noted Bandit, Horse and Saddle



Exact reproduction of Pancho Villa, notorious Mexican bandit and Rebel leader and his famous horse. This horse is a masterpiece—conceded perfect—and the greatest piece of taxidermy of its kind in the United States.

to fill large table-type museum exhibition cases. A bushel or more of small animal or bird bones have been recovered.

Wild Animal Den
It is believed that the cavern for countless centuries had been used as a den for wild animals and his early comrade—man.

Except for a slight amount of surface material and material falling from the roof, the entire cavern bottom was filled uniformly with a fine reddish wind-blown sand, indicating a slow accumulation.

Summer School Has Enrollment Of 62

Fifty-one students enrolled for high school work and eleven in the lower grades at the opening of the summer school in the high school building last Monday morning.

The faculty of the summer school is made up of four teachers: L. C. Linn, History and Science; Sam S. Cowan, Mathematics; Mrs. Sebron Buck, English, Latin and Spanish, and Mrs. Dycus, high fourth and fifth and low second grades.

Subjects are taught in five one hour periods, from 7:00 o'clock in the morning until 12 o'clock noon. The summer school will end about the first of July.

Ben Hill Is Named To Manage Grocery

Ben Hill, formerly of Memphis, but more recently of Brice, has been secured as manager of Snell's Cash Grocery store in this city, effective immediately.

Mr. Hill needs no introduction to Memphis people. For a considerable period, he was connected with the Clark Drug Company and he numbers his friends by his acquaintances.

After leaving the employ of the drug firm, he moved to Brice, where he opened a grocery store.

On The Level—

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said about anyone except something good.

Recently, I had something to say in this column about women who think more of playing bridge than they think about their children. One woman called me to task and asked me what I knew about raising children. I had to admit that I knew nothing, but I still have my ideas about women who are never at home except to sleep, and whose children are allowed to grow to maturity without the benefits that accrue to real and genuine home life.

Chevrolet Dealer—

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Inspected Factory
At Flint, Michigan, the party inspected the Chevrolet factory, which covers 80 1-2 acres of ground. At the factory, the dealers were shown how the cars are made, from raw material to the finished product. According to Mr. Davenport, some of the dealers came away knowing just how the Chevrolet was built, but he said he was not quite so sure that he could make one.

The delegation of dealers left Flint on May 17 for the General Motors Proving Grounds at Melrose, Michigan, by bus. At this place, they saw all makes and models of cars tested in every possible way, for speed, endurance and other tests. Mr. Davenport stated that he inspected a Chevrolet that had been driven 76,461 miles, the car stopping only for fuel. The car was being driven in eight hour shifts and it was still going. The party then left for Detroit by way of Canada.

He now has his store at Brice leased.

"I simply couldn't stay away from a good town and that is the reason I am back," Mr. Hill told a reporter for The Democrat.

B. Y. C. Stores, Inc. Officers Elected

At a meeting held recently, officers and directors were elected, completing the organization of the B. Y. C. Stores, Inc. J. C. Ross was elected president of the company, C. C. Meacham, vice-president and J. C. Wells, secretary-treasurer. W. C. Dickey and Allen C. Grundy will serve with the officers on the directorate.

The B. Y. C. Stores, Inc., is capitalized for \$150,000. Stock is now on sale in Memphis, with a number of stockholders already signed up.

EVEN CALIFORNIA COULDN'T BEAT THIS

RANGER, May 23. (UP)—Even old-timers who thought they had seen all the vagaries and contradictions of West Texas climate rubbed their eyes in amazement one evening during the recent rain storms.

Cars bound for Ranger from Eastland saw over the highway a beautiful rainbow. A slight rain was falling. On the left was dazzling sunshine. A field on one side of the highway gleamed like a golden carpet under a dazzling sun. In the west were dark storm clouds and flickerings of forked lightning.

Rainbows, blinding sunshine, storm-clouds, lightning, and a light rain—all at the same time. Could California beat it?

A dispatch tells of the discovery of a fish that walks across country, from stream to stream. What a lot of publicity that fish could get if it would wear a slicker and galoshes!

The last night in Detroit, a banquet was given the dealers at the Statler Hotel. The principal speaker was H. A. Klinger, vice-president of the Chevrolet Motor Company in charge of sales. Following the banquet, Mr. Davenport went to Louisville, Kentucky, and from there to witness the running of the Kentucky Derby, after which he went to Memphis, Tennessee where he spent last Sunday, thence to Oklahoma City and back to Memphis.

In speaking of his reactions to his trip, Mr. Davenport said: "That was some trip. It reminded me of a country boy going to town, the way I took things in. I saw a great many things worth seeing and I am going to see more every chance I get."

Bert DeShazor—

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ness to the shooting, has not made bond, it is understood. According to the sheriff, the boy said that a car drove up in front of the filling station, DeShazor was called out and the shooting followed immediately.

Lions Club Enjoys Program Given By Students In Voice

One of the most interesting programs of the year was enjoyed by the Lions Club last Thursday when Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley presented four of her prize-winning voice pupils in costume recital. The entertainment was arranged by Lion Sid Baker.

Each of the four young ladies who performed covered herself with glory. Their rendition indicated that their ability coupled

would have of their teacher offers many possibilities. The costumes were clever and the numbers were well selected.

Following is the program:
A Song of May—George Roberts
Ruybe McCanne
Danny Boy—Weatherley
Top o' the Morning—Manna Zucca
Martha DeBerry
Senorita Mine—Petrie
Rosa Dear—Lieurance
Margaret Milam
Indian Dawn—Zamernick
Spring Secret—Woodman
Vernadine Jones

Spearman Enjoying Its Possession Of County Government

SPEARMAN, Texas, May 23.—(UP)—Spearman less than 10 years old is enjoying its peaceable possession of the seat of government of Hansford county.

Moving of the records from old Hansford, six miles away, is now past history. The removal followed a recent election which decided this city should have the county seat honors by an overwhelming majority.

When the first truck load of records entered Spearman from Hansford, the fire whistle sounded. It was a momentous moment in Spearman's history. The county has secured the city building as headquarters for the present. Later a bond issue will be held and a court house built.

The election which decided the county seat was the fourth in seven years. The first was in 1922. Then Spearman lost by 15 votes less than the required majority. In 1927 it lost by 15 votes a second time. In 1928, Spearman carried the majority but lost by a court decision.

The first election was in 1889 when Hansford took the seat of

Memorial Gate Plans Complete

AUSTIN, May 23. (Special Final plans for the \$250,000 memorial gateway to the campus of the University of Texas considered by the commission, consisting of H. A. of Austin, President H. Y. dict and Dr. W. J. Battle, 3, when Pompeo Coppini, sculptor who has designed the gateway for the monument Austin. Coppini will be panned by a member of the go, architects in whose hands execution of the masonry has been placed.

The fund by which the ment is to be constructed left to the University by Major George W. Littlefield Austin, former University General plans for the were given Coppini some years ago. Heroic figures Southern patriots have been completed by him a stand in the State Capitol the completion of the details of the monument.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. teachers for all ages. Pr services, 11 a. m. and 8 Junior-Intermediate C. E. Senior-Intermediate C. E. Junior church 11 a. m. meeting Wednesday evening usual hour. A comfortable and a welcome for you. J. Hardin Mallard, P. Dr. M. McNeely, Supt.

Chicago is now fighting smoke nuisance. Where so much smoke there is some firing.

SPECIAL SALES

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100 Ladies and Misses DRESSES

To close out this week, beautiful styles and good quality values up to \$10, on Sale

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Specially Priced Friday and Saturday

Sizes 14 to 52 For Misses and Women \$8.95

A Group of Pretty new Pastel Shades. Printed Dresses and Ensembles. Values up to \$19.75 are included in this wonderful assortment.

36-inch English Prints, Small checks—in many colors—Good quality material—Yard

15c

40 inch Washable Flat Crepe, all Silk Materials, Pastel Shades—Special, Yard—

\$1.39

One lot Ladies' House Slippers, all colors and sizes. Regular \$1.00 value, Special—

59c

32 inch Dress Gingham. Good quality small checks and plaids, yd.

10c

One lot Boys' Hickory Stripe Unionalls, regular \$1 value. Special—

79c

40 inch Printed Batiste, beautiful assortment of Patterns. Guaranteed fast colors. Regular 35c value—Special—

25c

36 inch Printed Mercerized Pongee, extra fine quality, Soft Finish. Guaranteed fast color, Yard—

23c

Ladies' Rayon Bloomers, Pink, Orchid, and Peach. Regular 85c value, Special—

59c

One lot Ladies Full Fashioned Silk to Top Hose. Regular \$1.50 value—Special—

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Lions, Goodsmen Tangle Friday

game of the City and the last game will be played Friday at 5:30 at Fair Park between Lions and Dry Goodsmen.

They have been working hard and some good material developed. Advance the Dry Goodsmen in this initial encounter of the two teams, but the Lions are not always on the side up.

It is likely the game will be as interesting as Monday between the Lions and All Stars; it may be as entertaining as the game between the Lions and Grocers, but it will be a race track out of the Lions.

Some who really want to know what will happen is suggested they go to Fair Park, leave a gate and learn first the best nine men are. There are 7 innings requiring an hour and a half to an hour and a half.

Demonstration Of Refrigerators To Given Locally

ing to Raymond Ballew Fore, local General Refrigerator dealers, Mrs. Ballew, a food expert direct General Electric facelined, will be in Memorial Wednesday and Thursday to conduct a demonstration of the new Studebaker show.

ingly will instruct local in regard to the making of deserts and salads in which an auto-refrigerator figures.

onstrations will begin about afternoon and will last 4:30.

FALLS EDITOR VISIT TO DEMOCRAT

nell, editor of the Daily Times, visited in the Democrat Tuesday night after the arrival of the trippers special from Falls.

business conditions, said, are improving in the vicinity of Falls since the recent and noticeable advance of crude oil.

American Tennis Expects Improve

LIAM J. DUNN Staff Correspondent

ORK, May 23. (UP)—Developments in the world have tended to cast a hue over American tennis.

merican Davis cup team, old time stars—Bill Hunter—way through the first cup matches with a great straight-match now look to the companion for the right to finals of the American

ope comes the word and Hunter have return to form in the court championship available for Davis cup in the United States the victorious in its

from Autell, where titles are being de- have you believe that in top form.

glance at those dis- however, would show that is based on the show- No. 1 ranking star of on the basis of his one match—a first affair in which he with Hunter.

however, showed ex- in his match with in the mixed doubles he played with Helen partner. There is no reason why he should at least one more good

are not gone so far as the failure of France some of the Davis cup but they do agree that for some of the American stars, includ- Allison, George Lott, and John Van be a warning for the match out in 1930.

the Davis cup the first important ten- of the season will be the collegiate at Haver- starting June 24.

Children Who Never Saw Train Found Among Dakota Mennonites

There are many Mennonite maidens who have never seen a train.

They have never used a telephone.

They have never ridden in an automobile.

In fact, they have never been outside of Wolf Creek Colony, at Freeman, S. D., where they were born.

Their elders believe it is "a sin" to have one's photograph taken, and visitors to the colony are repulsed if they suggest a snapshot, but the children of the colony feel some of the American spirit of freedom. They feel such a tiny sin will be forgiven.

Moving to Canada
Soon, however, they will be moving on, with their fathers and their mothers and their kinsmen, to the cheap prairie lands of Alberta, Canada, where the colony fathers believe their young men will be exempt from military duties and contaminating contact with the outside world.

The Mennonites live in colonies, eat in a common mess hall, have no personal property and receive no compensation, other than a few cents portioned out to the menfolk on their infrequent trips to town.

They came to South Dakota 60 years ago from Russia, because the Imperial government of that country decided on compulsory military training.

In their present move to Alberta, Canada, they are continuing their 400-year-old quest for peace and exemption from mili-



Parents of Mennonite children forbid them to be photographed, but "the kids" enjoy having their picture taken on the sly.

tary service which has already taken them from Moravia to Rumania, Prussia, Russia and the United States.

When they came to Dakota 60 years ago it was a trackless prairie. Many of the colonists came penniless. For three successive years their crops were destroyed by grasshoppers. They suffered through prairie fires, drought and blizzards.

They Preserve
But men and women whose forefathers had died for their cause knew the worth of perseverance. In time their sod houses were replaced by low, rambling stone houses. The villages were beautiful and peaceful.

Then came the war. The Mennonite young men were drafted, Mennonite leaders protested, but to no avail. Objections to the teaching and speaking of the German language at that time also was a blow to the colony ideals.

It was then that the first of the fifteen colonies left for Canada, where they succeeded in evading service.

Soon after, a few more colonies migrated northward.

And now, Wolf Creek, mother colony of the fifteen which once flourished here, has announced an option on its 5,400 acres of land, and the last of the Mennonites in South Dakota will follow the trail of the others.

STRANGE CASE OF NEW YORK GIANTS Baffles Manager

BY GEORGE KIRKSEY United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, May 23. (UP)—The strange case of the New York Giants is baffling the baseball world.

Most of the national league managers and leading players agree that the Giants have one of the most flawless clubs in the league, but they were in a low position today.

Hunting for the flaw is like hunting for a needle in the haystack. The Giants have had no serious misfortunes to handicap them. Andy Reese and Andy Cohen were put out of the lineup with injuries at the same time and Mel Ott had to be brought in from right field to play second base in one game, but Reese is back in the game.

You must look farther than injuries to discover the Giants' ailment. John McGraw's absence from the team because of sinus trouble may have played its part, but the Giants have been without McGraw before and still have been able to win games. McGraw still has two capable assistants in Ray Schalk and Bert Niehoff, smart, veteran players who themselves have piloted ball clubs.

McGraw refuses to believe that the Giants are not pennant contenders. He sticks to his theory that they will throw off their slump almost any day now.

"I'd be foolish to say that the Giants don't have me worried," he said. "I don't know what's wrong with them. If I did I would correct it. This team reminds me somehow of my 1916 team when we lost 11 out of our first 13 games, but later won seventeen straight and were in second place June 1. Still later we set a record which has never been equalled by winning 26 straight games. When we do get going, we are going to be as hard to stop as we were to start."

New President Is Elected To Head Grocery Company
FORT WORTH, May 23. (Special)—At a meeting of the directors of the company, L. H. McKee is charged to head the affairs of the Waples-Platter Company,

one of the largest Wholesale Grocer concerns in the country.

He succeeds A. F. Platter of Denison, who was one of the founders back in 1872. Since then the company has grown to over a three million dollar concern.

Directors and Officers
The directors and officers now are as follows: L. H. McKee, Fort Worth, president; H. C. Platter, Dallas, vice president; J. W. Shugart, Fort Worth, vice president; R. W. Lewin, Denison, vice president; J. E. Wallace, Fort Worth, treasurer; H. R. Elbert, Fort Worth, secretary; Charlie Wallace, Dallas, auditor; W. C. Wynn, Dallas, assistant treasurer; and another director being R. J. Lovelless, Fort Worth.

The average length of service of all these directors is thirty-five years; the oldest being connected with the company forty-five years and the youngest ten years, and all active in the business.

A touching tribute was paid these men and the Company by the retiring president, A. F. Platter, who is attaining that golden age of four score years.

P. W. Platter also retired from the company with his father, that he may regain completely his former health.

Resolutions Passed
Resolutions were passed and spread on minutes of record of the Company in highest praise of Mr. Platter's long service, enviable record, outstanding character and leadership; the purity of his life

and the standards imparted in the lives of others and his graciousness which has marked his contact with his associates and employees of the company, as well as his trade clientele.

President McKee has announced the same policies and the same high plane of merchandising will continue as heretofore.

This is one of the outstanding concerns of the United States in its line and ranks about fourth or fifth in its volume.

Denison House being the mother home of the institution, of course, will continue to occupy the same prominent place in the affections and affairs of the company as heretofore.

Three Headquarters
The company maintains headquarters in Denison, Dallas and Fort Worth and branches in three states, Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico. Also maintains a factory in Fort Worth for the packing of various food products, also Coffee Roasters at Dallas and Denison.

The company the past year succeeded to the business of the Carter Grocer Company of Fort Worth and has been one of the pioneer concerns in the growth and development of a large portion of this Southwest country.

This company is one of the largest importers of merchandise in the South, as well as one of the largest manufacturers and packers of various lines of food products, putting out their own brands and lines which they have advertised for years.

The Waples-Platter Company does an exclusive wholesale grocery business and are not connected with chain stores or retail companies in any way.

Resident of Fort Worth
Mr. McKee has been a resident of Fort Worth for more than a quarter of a century and has acquired the reputation of a progressive business man, as well as taking interest in many civic and

constructive enterprises in this state, as well as in Fort Worth. The business was established in Denison in 1872 and later, in 1893, a house was established at Fort Worth and then in 1901 a house was established in Dallas and during more recent years, houses have been established in the following towns: Amarillo, Brady, Bowie, Brownwood, Cleburne, Dublin, Graham, Gainesville, Greenville, Lubbock, Memphis, Marshall, Ranger, Stamford, San Angelo and Vernon, Texas, Ada, Oklahoma, and Clovis, New Mexico.

300 Agricultural Engineers Holding Meeting In Dallas

DALLAS, May 23. (UP)—More than 300 agricultural engineers, many of them internationally known for scientific agriculture and machinery advancement, were here today for the twenty-third annual convention of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.

The meeting, lasting four days, is the first the society has held west of the Mississippi River. The program gives special attention to southwestern agriculture.

Mechanical Harvesting
Among the problems scheduled for special attention during the meeting are those of mechanical harvesting of cotton, multiple row tractor cultivation, wholesale harvesting of various crops, soil erosion and conservation, cotton breeding, problems of farm house, planning, research in power machinery, electricity in agriculture, and land reclamation and drainage.

Today's session, with E. R. Jones acting as chairman, was de-

voted to discussion of reports of committees on the advancement of agricultural engineering training, teaching methods, and farm mechanics in secondary schools. An address by Prof. M. F. Thurmond of Texas A. & M. featured the morning program.

College Division
The college division session was held this afternoon with reports from special committees. Professor E. R. Jones of the University of Wisconsin addressed the gathering.

William Boss, president, and a University of Minnesota graduate, will make his annual address tomorrow. The annual dinner will be held Sunday night.

Field demonstration trips will occupy the morning of the final day.

TEXAS STATE FAIR PLANNING FOR RODEO

DALLAS, May 23. (UP)—Plans for a "world championship" rodeo were being made here today by officials of the Texas State Fair.

A total of \$14,000 in cash prizes was called for in a contract signed between T. E. Jackson, president of the state fair, and W. T. Johnson, millionaire West Texas cattleman. Johnson produced the rodeo during the national convention of the American Legion in San Antonio last fall.

Because of the fair rodeo being the last of the season, fair officials believed it would draw the largest number of entrants ever entered in any rodeo.

Plans for the livestock department of the fair were also being accelerated with appointment by Otto Herold, director in charge, of A. L. Ward as general superintendent. Ward, formerly of Texas A. & M., now heads the educational department of the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers Association.

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Here is a special offering in which every frock and ensemble in stock, as well as many entirely new ones just received for the occasion, is offered at a reduced price.

\$10 New Summer Styles
\$885

\$6.00 Dresses \$4.95

Nothing is restricted. Everything goes—wash crepes, georgettes, printed crepes, plain taffetas, printed taffetas, ensembles, one-piece frocks, two-piece frocks, sunburn necks, no sleeves and evening dresses. All sizes for misses and women.

\$10 Hats	\$6 Hats
\$6	\$4.75

Special Group Hats priced very low at **\$1**

\$16 Dresses	\$20 Dresses	\$35 Dresses
\$13.85	\$18.95	\$24.75
\$25 and \$30 Dresses		Buy two or more Dresses at these low prices.
\$22.95		

Strong As Horseradish!

We're still going strong as horseradish with our Saturday Specials. Cutting under the other fellow "just a leetle bit" is our hobby. Trade here and see how often we undersell.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

SUGAR	25 POUNDS	\$1.38
SOAP	P & G or Crystal White, 10 bars	37c
CRISCO	6 POUNDS	\$1.29
STRAWBERRIES	QT. BOXES, 2 FOR	45c
FRESH TOMATOES	PER POUND	12 1/2c
LETTUCE	LARGE HEADS, 2 FOR	15c
GREEN BEANS	FRESH AND FINE, 3 LBS.	25c

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VISIT TO DEMOCRAT
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Where 120 Were Killed in Hospital Blast



Scenes outside the Cleveland Clinic, where 120 persons were killed in an explosion and fire that sent clouds of poisonous gas through the hospital building, are pictured above. The burning of chemicals and X-ray film formed a gas that proved deadly to all who breathed it. At the top is a view of the clinic building after the blasts, and below rescuers trying to resuscitate one of the victims.

SOCIETY and Club

U. D. C. HOLDS MEET TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Curtis Cudd, Mrs. Sam West and Mrs. Blake Bolton were hostesses to the U. D. C. Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Cudd, when a most interesting program was given on the subject "Mother—A Woman's Rank Lies in the Fullness of Her Womanhood."

The meeting was opened by all joining in the U. D. C. Ritual. Roll call was answered by a tribute to our Mothers. Mrs. Joe DeBerry and Mrs. Jackson sang "Silver Threads Among the Gold," accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Norman. Mrs. Ernest Clark gave a reading, "Mother O' Mine." A Tribute to the devotion of the Southern Woman of the Confederacy was given by Mrs. W. L. Wheat. "Mother Mi-Gree" was sung by Mrs. Sam West, Mrs. Curtis Cudd, with Mrs. Baskerville at the piano.

Refreshments were served during the social hour, and consisted of lovely angel food cake and ice cream, topped with whipped cream and strawberries.

The following members were present: Mesdames G. C. Baskerville, Blake Bolton, Ernest Clark, Joe DeBerry, H. J. Gore, H. A. Jackson, J. H. Norman, George Sexauer, Stidham, Sam West, J. A. Whaley, W. L. Wheat and Curtis Cudd.

BAPTIST W. M. S. MEETS IN BUSINESS SESSION

The Baptist W. M. S. met in regular business session at the First Baptist church, Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Henderson Smith presiding.

The meeting was opened with song and scripture reading. Mrs. E. T. Miller gave the opening prayer, after which the president called the house to order for the consideration of business calling for reports from four circles. Splendid reports were made, especially the social service report, showing each circle active in looking after the sick and needy. Excellent reports from the Y. W. A. and G. A. and Sunbeams were made, showing the leaders of these departments were deeply and sincerely interested in furthering every movement in the interest of the W. M. S.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Jodie Wilson.

MRS. DISHMAN HOSTESS TO CULTURE CLUB

Members of the Woman's Culture Club met at the home of Mrs. Ed Dishman, May 15 for the last meeting of the club year. After

a business session, fourteen members answered to roll call by giving facts concerning noted Indian warriors.

Mrs. J. H. Norman told about Indian Legends of Texas, making her story very interesting.

What the Government is doing for Texas Indians, was discussed entertainingly by Mrs. J. A. Whaley.

The hostess served delicious refreshments during the social hour.

MRS. JACK BUMPASS HONORED WITH PARTY

Mrs. D. A. Neeley entertained with a forty-two party, Friday afternoon, May 17, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Jack Bumpass of Farmersville, Texas.

Roses and Snapdragons were

used in profusion throughout the rooms. A lovely salad and ice course was served to the following guests: Mesdames W. C. Dickey, W. B. DeBerry, N. A. Hightower, C. R. Webster, A. H. Miller, Almon Kinard, T. T. Harrison, S. A. Bryant, S. T. Harrison, M. J. Draper, R. C. Walker, V. R. Jones, T. E. Noel, Allen Grundy, C. W. Kinslow, W. B. Quigley, George Greenhaw, O. M. Cosby and Miss Bird Pressler. Sweetpeas were given as favors.

MRS. WEBSTER HOSTESS TO ATALANTEAN CLUB

The Atalantean Club met Wednesday, May 15, at the home of Mrs. C. R. Webster. The rooms were artistically decorated with roses, carnations and other Spring flowers. Each member invited a mother as a guest, and the following Mother's Day Program was rendered.

Roll call, quotations, A Tribute to Mother.

Piano Solo—Mrs. James Norman.

Reading, "The Minuet,"—Mary Helen Kinslow.

Solo, "Memories of Mother"—Billy Sigler.

Piano solo—Mrs. Sam Foxhall.

A two act play, "Good Gracious Grandma," was enjoyed by all present, and was very ably presented by the following members: Mrs. S. A. Bryant, as the Grandmother, Mrs. E. S. Foote, the Mother, Mrs. W. P. Dickson, the daughter, and Mrs. S. L. Seago, the fiancee of daughter.

The social committee, Mesdames W. P. Dial, T. T. Harrison and W. B. DeBerry served a delicious two course plate lunch to the following members and guests: Mesdames S. A. Bryant, W. C. Dickey, W. P. Dickson, E. S. Foote, C. W. Kinslow, N. A. Hightower, S. B. Foxhall, T. T. Harrison, D. A. Neeley, James Norman, Frank Phelan, C. R. Webster, W. E. Johnsey, J. M. Elliott, D. H. Arnold, D. P. Webster, C. F. Wilson, Lizzie Gay, Dunbar Johnsey, S. S. Montgomery, H. F. Schoolfield, J. M. Pressler, T. E. Noel, Marie Gerlach, D. C. Hays, F. A. Spencer, H. E. Deaver, R. S. Greene, P. M. Randall, Mamie Van Pelt, B. F. Denny, T. R. Franks, and Mrs. Jack Bumpass of Farmersville, Texas.

Rosebuds were given as favors.

GIRL SCOUTS HOLD MEET AT COURTHOUSE

The Girl Scouts of Troups 1, 2, 3 and 4 met at the Courthouse Wednesday, May 15, with their mothers, councillors, committee of awards, and other friends present.

The opening exercises were conducted by Miss Neville Wrenn. The girls reviewed the Promise, Motto, Laws, and sang "The Star Spangled Banner."

Rev. E. T. Miller then made

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HOUSE, 4 room, after the 17th of May. 216 North 12th. Mrs. Shorty Hughes. 58-3p

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TWO AND THREE room apartments. Call 337 or call at 1109 W. Noel. 58-4fc

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FOR RENT—Modern six room residence South Sixth street. Dr. J. M. Ballew. 58-3p

a talk of appreciation for the work done by the Girl Scouts during the past year.

The Court of Awards then presented the Merit Badges to the girls who had earned them. There were seventy eight merit badges awarded, and one Tenderfoot pin.

Mrs. Delaney then gave a talk about the one girl scout that had done the most and the best work for the past season, and the love and appreciation all these present had for her. She then called Miss Wrenn forward and presented the handkerchiefs that had been brought by the different troops as a token of their friendship for Miss Wrenn.

The Girl Scouts then adjourned to the picture show to see the Girl Scout film shown at the Palace Theatre.

Memphis Hotel Barber Shop specializes in ladies' and children's hair cutting. 61-4c

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STRAYED—Gray mare, weight 800 pounds, wire cut on right shoulder. W. E. Burnett, Newlin. 61-3p

FOUND—U. S. overseas pin. Owner may claim same by paying for this ad.

LOST—Between Memphis and Wellington, new 48-inch stake end gate for truck body. Finder please return to D & P Chevrolet Co. and receive reward.

For Sale

BUY MILK COWS NOW—I will bring 40 2 to 4-year-old cows to Memphis to be sold Saturday, May 25. All fresh or to be fresh in a few days. Also 40 head of yearlings, nearly all of them bred, 20 heifer calves and 2 young bulls. S. M. Lawson. 69-2c

FOR SALE—Pure half and half cotton seed, planted one year. O. R. McMennamy, 4 miles southeast of Pliska. 50-4p

FOR SALE—One Edison photograph, with thirty records, price \$40; can see same at corner 15th and Bradford streets. 60-3p

TWO FRESH milk cows. See J. W. Longshore, 11-2 miles west Salisbury. 57-3p

FOR SALE—Good half and half cotton seed \$1 per bushel, 4 kinds of peas 6 cents per pound. Two miles south of Lakeview. H. S. Gardenhire. 58-3p

BUY A SMALL home. I have two new houses on E. Noel. Lights, water, gas. 2 room house \$850. 3 room house \$1050. Will sell on same terms as automobile payment plan. See B. J. Woodington at Ford Garage. 56-tfc

For adding machines, Standard and Portable typewriters, see Zeb Moore. 50-tfc

FOR SALE—320 acres land near Turkey on highway. 250 acre tillable, well fenced. \$25 per acre, \$3400 cash, balance 5 years at 7 per cent. Apply Preslar & Gully, Childress, Texas. 52-tfc

Special Notices

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Sealed proposals addressed to the Commissioners' Court of Hall County for remodeling the ground floor of the Hall County Courthouse, will be received at the office of the County Judge at Memphis, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m. May 27, 1929, and then publicly opened and read.

Work consists of tearing out the auditorium and stage and dividing this space into rooms, plumbing, heating and wiring complete as per plans and specifications.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained at the office of A. C. Hoffman, County Judge, at Memphis, Texas.

A certified cashiers check for 5 per cent of amount bid, made payable without recourse to the order of the Commissioners' Court of Hall County must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in an amount equal to the contract price.

The right is reserved by the commissioners' court to reject any and all proposals or to waive all technicalities.

A. C. HOFFMAN, County Judge. 58-4c

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Article Number 698A of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, provides, "That no municipal corporation, private corporation, partnership, joint stock association, syndicate, voluntary association or person shall use or maintain any dumping ground or dump any trash, refuse, debris or dead animals or permit the same to remain within or nearer than three hundred yards of any public highway of the State of Texas; that no person, firm or corporation, as above named, shall dump or deposit any rubbish, trash, refuse,

debris or dead animals nearer than three hundred yards of any public highway said land belongs to the son, firm or corporation and the Penal Code provides that "Any violation act by any person, firm or corporation shall subject the offender to a fine of not less than ten dollars, and not more than one hundred dollars, and each such violation shall be a separate offense."

All corporations, firms or persons are hereby notified above article must be with and no trash, debris or animals dumped on or within hundred yards of any public way in Hall County, Texas. S. A. CHRISTIAN, S. W. J. BRAGG, County Judge. A. C. HOFFMAN, County Judge. 60-2t Officials of Hall County.

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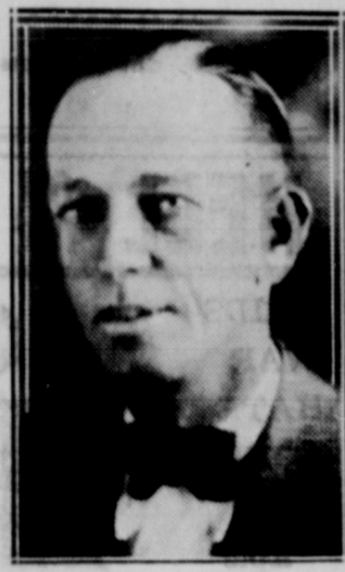
SAM WEST IS TOURNAMENT MEDALIST WITH SCORE OF 70

WEDNESDAY MORNING HAZARD AT START

Players On Links Wednesday For Qualification

The rain failed to dampen the local tournament Wednesday morning when the first play at 7:30. Wet weather roughs and soaking that would try the patience of any golfer made the first two or three holes very good condition by 11:00.

Shoots a 70



Sam West, local golfer of considerable ability, who tucked away medalist honors in his pocket when he shot a 70 at the Memphis Country Club Tournament Wednesday.

Henderson Smith, Harley Cudd and D. L. C. Kinard, E. N. Hudgins and Turner Lewis, Jack Figh and Lee Pope, David Hudgins and W. M. Owens, Tom Wilson and Sug Lemons, Bill Kesterson and Tommie Potts and Lyman E. Robbins.

Birdie Prizes
One golf ball for each birdie as follows: M. J. Draper 1, M. G. Tarver 1, O. V. Alexander 1, Sam West 3, Raines West 2, George Forgy 1, H. E. Tarver 2, V. O. Williams 1, Sam Moore 1, Pete Cudd 1.

Sam West, with 3 birdies to his credit, won three golf balls. President Foxhall's prize of a pair of golf shoes to the player shooting the most birdies whose score was 80 or more went to Horace Tarver.

QUALIFICATION SCORES

Player	Out	In	Total
M. G. Tarver	40	38	78
M. J. Draper	45	39	84
D. B. Gentry	41	40	81
Ira Neely	50	53	103
Ingram Walker	49	49	98
Thos. Hampton	50	44	94
David Hudgins	53	59	112
J. W. West, Jr.	50	45	95
Lyman E. Robbins	66	70	136
Paul Vinson	56	50	106
Sug Lemons	56	65	121
Lee Pope	58	54	112
W. B. Quigley	48	45	93
W. M. Owens	62	54	116
Harley Cudd	53	57	110
D. L. C. Kinard	54	56	110
George Greenhaw	52	52	104
John Deaver	44	44	88
Henderson Smith	57	52	109
Tom Wilson	61	57	118
W. C. Dickey	49	44	93
Olin V. Alexander	52	41	93
Frank Foxhall	35	36	71
Sam West	38	32	70
R. V. West	41	37	78
A. J. Clower	45	42	87
George Forgy	45	45	90
H. E. Tarver	46	35	81
Thos. E. Noel	49	45	94
V. O. Williams	48	42	90
Irvin Johnsey	40	43	83
Bailey Gilmore	51	45	96
J. C. Ross	41	39	80
J. H. Read	48	54	102
Paul James	47	55	102
W. P. Dickson	46	53	99
Allen Grundy	44	44	88
O. M. Cosby	44	41	85
T. M. Harrison	44	44	88
Will Kesterson	61	63	124
Dr. T. L. Lewis	51	57	108

Sam West Medalist

West, former tournament medalist with a score of 70. He receives a pancake from the West Texas Company for this honor. West was medalist last year with a score of 71.

J. C. Dickey, chairman of tournament committee, related over the intermission in the annual event. Dr. Dickey made the statement at the close of the tournament.

During the adverse weather conditions under which the tournament began, the committee gratified over the intermission and the cooperation. We are perfectly satisfied that the 1929 tournament will be the best the Memphis Club has ever seen. And, the splendid spirit of the club has been particularly gratifying.

Flights Named
Results of the qualification play follow:

Championship Flight—Sam West and R. S. Greene, H. E. Tarver and R. V. West, M. G. Tarver and D. B. Gentry, J. C. Ross and Frank Foxhall.

Second Flight—Sam Moore and A. J. Clower, John Deaver and M. J. Draper, O. M. Cosby and Allen C. Grundy, T. M. Harrison and Irvin Johnsey.

Third Flight—Oren Jones and Frank Garrett, O. V. Alexander and V. O. Williams, George Forgy and W. C. Dickey, W. B. Quigley and Temple Deaver.

Fourth Flight—Thos. E. Noel and Omer Johnsey, Bailey Gilmore and Thos. Hampton, J. W. West, Jr. and T. J. Dunbar, M. L. Wood and Buster Helm.

Fifth Flight—Harry Delaney and Paul James, George Greenhaw and W. P. Dickson, Henry Read and Ira Neely, Pete Cudd and Ingram Walker.

Consolation—Bert Brewer and A. R. Evans, Paul Vinson and

THANKS!

The Democrat and everyone connected with the City League desires to express thanks to the business men who closed their establishments from 4 to 5 o'clock Monday afternoon in observance of the baseball season's opening locally. This action by the merchants increased interest in the sport and added materially to the gate receipts.

Thanks also are due the Roberts & Olver Lumber Company for a donation of two 4x4 posts for a backstop and a sack of lime for marking off the diamond.

And while the gratitude is being passed around, fans also have the deep respect of those concerned for having attended the game and spent their dimes. Come again!

Player	W	L	Pct.
E. N. Hudgins	52	55	107
Harry Delaney	53	44	97
Buster Helm	47	47	94
Oren Jones	45	44	89
Omer Johnsey	49	46	95
T. J. Dunbar	48	48	96
Frank Garrett	43	48	91
Jack Figh	58	53	111
Pete Cudd	49	55	104
A. R. Evans	52	55	107
Bert Brewer	54	51	105

How They Stand

Club	P	W	L	Pct.
All Stars	1	1	0	1000
Grocers	1	1	0	1000
Barbers	1	0	1	.000
Dry Goods	0	0	0	.000
Firemen-Lions	0	0	0	.000
Wholesalers	1	0	1	.000

How They Play

Friday—Firemen-Lions and Dry Goodsmen.
Monday—Wholesalers and Barbers.
Wednesday—All Stars and Firemen-Lions.

Four Times British Champion



For the fourth time Walter Hagen won the British open golf championship this year, a feat unduplicated in the history of the tournament. The famous American golfer is shown as he addressed an audience of Britons assembled on the links where his remarkable victory was scored.

They Beat Our Best Golfers



Members of the British Ryder cup team that defeated the team from the United States in the recent tournament in England, are shown above. In the front row, left to right, are Archie Compston, E. R. Whitcombe, Percy Allis, Captain George Duncan, and Aubrey Boomer. Back row, left to right: Stuart Burns, Abe Mitchell, C. R. Whitcombe, and Fred Robson.

WHOLESALE BOW IN DEFEAT AT SURPRISINGLY INTERESTING EXHIBITION; SCORE IS 5 TO 4

Three Hundred People Witness Official Opening of Memphis' City Baseball League at Fair Park Monday

Memphis Wholesalers were forced to content themselves with the small end of a 5-4 score when the season's first City League baseball game came to a close Monday afternoon. And a real baseball game it was—more or less to the surprise of all the fans, who expected entertainment for their dimes, but did not anticipate the fast, smooth playing they witnessed. That the opening encounter was well worth while was the general consensus of opinion.

BARBERS TASTE DEFEAT ON DIAMOND

Prune Peddlers Trim Chin Scrapers 10-7 Wednesday

Barbers learned Wednesday that scraping chins, massaging maps, mopping domes, cutting manes and playing ball are vastly different and distinctly separate occupations.

And it cost them a ball game, to the tune of 10 to 7, with the Grocers on the winning end, to acquire their education. The crowd was not as large nor was the game as good as was the case Monday, but the prune peddlers and tonsorial artists supplied good entertainment and played a much better game than many fans anticipated.

Good pitching on both sides and rather lax fielding featured the contest. Blevins, twirling for the Barbers for two innings and a half, was the surprise of the afternoon. Nelson, who relieved Vallance in the fourth, also was in good form. And the pitchers who started the game did not do so badly. Vallance, for the Grocers, allowed 5 runs in the first inning, but tightened perceptibly thereafter. Byars arm was good until the fourth, when the Grocers ran in 5 men.

Both clubs exhibited some good material that promises, after a few more workouts—the "sure cure" for stiffness, to make pennant-winning not such an easy task for either of the teams conceded to be the strongest, the Wholesalers and All Stars.

Player	W	L	Pct.
Painter, c	4	2	1.100
Kennedy, 2b	4	1	1.000
Randolph, rf	4	1	1.000
Simmons, cf	3	2	0.600
E. O. Patrick, ss	3	1	1.000
Blevins, 1b	3	0	1.000
R. G. Patrick, 3b	3	0	1.000
E. W. Patrick, lf	3	0	1.000
Byars, p	3	0	1.000

Player	W	L	Pct.
Gilliam, lf	4	2	1.100
Joe Boone, cf	4	0	1.200
Jack Boone, 3b	4	0	1.100
Eldridge, 2b	4	0	1.100
Clower, 1b	3	1	1.800
Gilliam, G., ss	3	1	1.700
Bolton, rf	3	0	1.000
Helm, p	3	0	1.300
Guthrie, c	2	0	2.100
Massey, c	1	1	0.000

Player	W	L	Pct.
Stewart, B., 2b	4	1	2.300
McNeil, 3b	4	2	2.012
McCreary, O., ss	4	0	2.011
McCreary, B., lf	4	0	1.000
Stewart, H., 1b	3	0	1.311
Hansard, c	3	0	1.221
Williams, rf	3	0	1.310
Dodson, cf	1	0	1.000
Roper, p	3	0	1.510
Hill, cf	2	0	1.100

This Week's Results
Monday—All Stars 5, Wholesalers 4.
Wednesday—Grocers 10, Barbers 7.

IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

GET BAD START BUT STILL LOOK LIKE CLUB CARDS AND CUBS WILL HAVE TO BEAT

PHILIP MARTIN
A customary in any well-kept business to take in occasionally, it seems an odd time to glance over the major leagues presents itself after one day's play.



distinct surprises were in the National League: the strength of the Boston Red Sox in their early games; the failure of the New York Yankees to get started in the winter.



the American League, the Yankees along as it was probably would, with the Athletics pressing for the league leadership. The Detroit and St. Louis clubs along strongly.

Riggs Stephenson, top, and Pat Malone, below, are units in the Cubs' power machine.

Giants. They have a good club and will prove it before many weeks pass. And it still seems as if they are the club that will trouble the Cards and the Cubs for the pennant.

THE Cubs have shown all the power expected from them and also have shown they were able to win on the road. They have been getting great pitching from Pat Malone and Guy Bush and some lusty hitting from Riggs Stephenson. An injured catching staff is their only problem, as Grace, a fifth-string receiver, is now their best workman.

THE American League players say it is going to be just too bad for the Yankees this season. They say the Athletics are a much better club, with more spunk than they had last year, and the Detroiters have just as much and perhaps more hitting power than the Yankees have. They also point out that the Browns are troublemakers.



FAREWELL PARTY IS GIVEN FOR DAUGHTER

Mrs. J. B. Wright gave a farewell party for her daughter, Frances Katherine, Monday evening, May 20.

There were fourteen couples present and the evening was spent in playing games, and stunts, one being "Chasing Rainbows,"—capturing toy balloons.

A delicious plate lunch was served, with sweetpeas and carnations for favors.

Frances Katherine will spend the next five or six weeks in McKinney with her grandmother. She left Tuesday morning in company with her grandmother, Mrs. G. H. Lucas, and her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Hammock. Many parties and entertainments are planned for her in McKinney, and the visit is sure to be a pleasant one.

DR. WIGGINS HOSTESS TO DELPHIAN CLUB

The last meeting of the Delphian Club for the year 1928-29 was held with Dr. Pat Wiggins, Tuesday afternoon, May 21.

One feature of the business session was the report of the Federation Convention at Snyder, given by Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie, the delegate.

Mrs. W. C. Dickey, in her own charming manner, conducted the travellers from New York by way of Washington, Atlanta, New Orleans, and Houston, to Memphis. "Home, Sweet Home" was sung by the club, as a fitting climax to her interesting discussion.

Three Texas songs were sung, and roll call was answered by giving incidents concerning important women of Texas.

Mrs. George Greenhaw pleasingly interpreted several poems by Texas writers.

Mrs. Jim McMurry gave a very delightful talk on the life of Barry Benefield.

Mrs. Dickey led in a review, questionnaire and criticism of the book, "A Little Clown Lost," which was highly enjoyed.

During the social hour, the hostess served dainty refreshments, after which the club adjourned for the summer.

HARMONY CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The Harmony Club met Wednesday afternoon, May 22, at the home of Mrs. E. S. Greene, with Mrs. Bass and Mrs. Greene as hostesses.

After a short business session, the following program was rendered:

Response, "Favorite Songs." Piano, "Waltz," by Chopin—Mrs. C. L. Sloan, Jr.

Voice, "Gray Days." "Beat Upon Mine Heart,"—Mrs. Clyde Milan.

Piano, "Sextette from Lucia,"—Mrs. James Norman.

Voice, "The Slave Song," by Teresa Del Riego—Mrs. Horace Tarver.

Musical Lesson, by leader, Mrs. Milan.

A delicious salad course was served to fourteen members.

RETURNED MISSIONARY LECTURES AT CHURCH

On Tuesday evening, May 21, Miss Lena Boyd of Kasur, India, lectured at the Presbyterian church. A good audience greeted her, and she told us many interesting things concerning a Missionary's work.

She stated that caste is a great obstacle to the work in India. Throughout the whole evening there was not one word of privations or hardships. Her whole heart was thrilled with the gospel message, and she exhibited a number of curios.

Two of our girls, Mary Winston Walters and Mildred Lucken were dressed in native costume. Some writing in the Hindu language was very interesting. Miss Boyd sang "Count your Blessings" in Hindu, and as she sang we realized how many we have.

40,000 Feet



Flying to a height of 40,000 feet, or nearly eight miles, Lieutenant Apollo Soucek of the Naval Air Station at Anacostia, D. C., has set a new altitude mark for airmen to shoot at. Lieutenant Soucek is shown in the heavy outfit he wore when setting his record.

The choir rendered a beautiful quartet "Must I go Empty Handed."

After the offering we were dismissed with the Mizpah Benediction.

Miss Boyd will be at Buffalo Gap at the Young People's Encampment in July.

MR. AND MRS. DOWELL ENTERTAIN FOR WILSONS

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson spent a delightful evening last Thursday in their honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dowell. The occasion was enjoyable, yet regrettable, for its purpose was to bid farewell to the Wilsons who are moving to Man-

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gum where Mr. Wilson has acquired an interest in the Chevrolet agency.

A number of interesting forty-two games were enjoyed by the guests. Mrs. Dowell served a most delectable refreshment course consisting of chicken sandwiches, potato chips, iced tea, sweet pickles, banana nut salad, mints and sherbert bricks topped with whipped cream and cherries.

Following is the guest list: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Slover, Miss Altha Tom Bridge, Lyman E. Robbins, Herschel Montgomery, Miss Grace Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower, Miss Frankie Allison, Mrs. D. C. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dickson, Mrs. Sam Cooper, Mrs. J. P. Montgomery, Mrs. Jet Fore, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Powell.

Memphis Business College Is Making Progress Rapidly

T. N. Belew, the new manager of the Memphis Business College, states that the institution is progressing satisfactorily.

He gives the following information concerning the school: Miss Velma Huckaby of Memphis has enrolled for the combined course. Miss Ella Mae Bolls of Lodge entered school Tuesday. Miss Bolls wants all the school has to offer, the combined course. Miss Mary Sue Foster of Giles has enrolled for the combined course.

Miss Hattie Mae Billings of Lakeview, a school teacher, has enrolled for the combined course. Miss Billings realizes the need of commercial work in teaching.

Miss Pearl Garry of Giles missed school this week on account of sickness. Miss Una Loard, a graduate of Memphis High School, has enrolled for the commercial work. Miss Genevieve Williams has accepted a position with the law firm of Hamilton, Fitzgerald and Grundy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Scott of Plaska were among the visitors at the college on Monday of this week and enrolled their daughter, Miss Scott, for the combined course. Miss Scott is a graduate of the Plaska High School this year. Miss Ilene Dodson has also enrolled for commercial work. She and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dodson were visitors at the college this week. Miss Juanita Robbins has not

PALACE 10c

EXCEPT SATURDAY PROGRAM

FRIDAY "THE WARE CASE" Comedy and Fox News

SATURDAY Tom Mix in "JUST TONY" Beginning a New Serial "THE MYSTERY RIDER" Comedy

MONDAY & TUESDAY Douglas McLean in "CAPTAIN LASH" Paramount News and Comedy

WEDNESDAY Special Attraction (Admission 10c and 25c) William Russell as chief of the Texas Rangers in "HELL ON THE BORDER" Comedy: "Husbands Must Play"

THURSDAY & FRIDAY Emil Jannings, Gary Cooper and Esther Ralston in "BETRAYAL" Fox News and Comedy

only received the training that will benefit her in a business way, but also training that helped her receive her diploma from high school. She lacked a little having enough credits to graduate from high school, so after being in Memphis Business College only a short time, she took the required examination on her work, and graduated from the Quitaque High School, while attending school here. She says it's worth while.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bellings, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Bolls, parents of Miss Bellings and Miss Bolls, were visitors at the college this week. Aubrey Loyd, graduate of Lakeview High School, enrolled Monday for a bookkeeping course.

Leader—Allie Caviness. Daily Bible readings: Psalm 95:1-7—Durward Jones. Psalm 100—Glendell Jones. Psalm 24:1-5—Raymond Jarrell. Luke 10:25-28—By superintendent. Song, Page 133. Story: "The Prince Who Took Time to Pray"—Allie Caviness. Duet, "Living for Jesus"—Durward and Raymond Jarrell. Poem, "The Story of the Japanese Boy"—Elizabeth Cooper. Song. Benediction.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Subjects: "His Everlasting Kingdom" at 11 o'clock; "Who Forgives?" at 8:15. Special music by choir. Leagues at 7:15 p. m. A cordial welcome to all.

MEMORIAL DAY POPPY SALE IS POSTPONED

The American Legion Auxiliary has announced that the Memorial Day poppy sale, scheduled to take place Friday and Saturday of this week has been postponed to Friday and Saturday of next week.

A Memorial Day program will not be given this coming Sunday, but has been postponed until next Sunday, June 2.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "Muzzling the Ox;" night subject, "The Pattern Shown on the Mount." Special music during the morning church service by J. Arthur Bryant of Paris.

Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 5 p. m.

All members of the Christian church are asked to remain in their homes during next Sunday afternoon, until called upon by a committee from the church, which will be sometime between 1:30 and 5 p. m.

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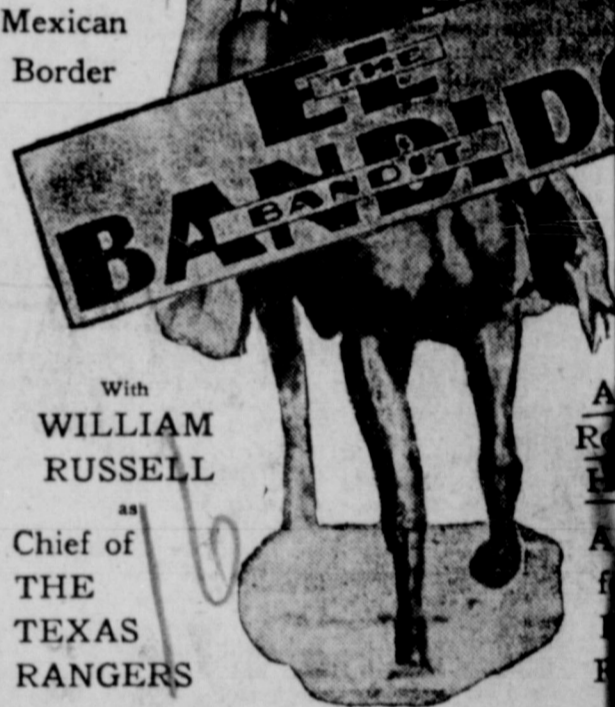
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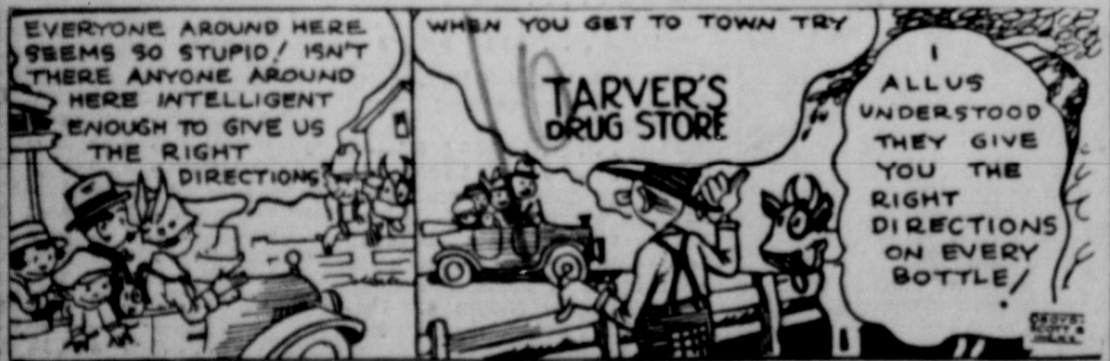
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NEWLIN MAN INVENTS COTTON CLEANER

MEMBERS OF SENIOR CLASS GRADUATE

Exercises Are Held At Auditorium Last Friday

Forty-five members of the class of the Memphis High School received their diplomas last night from H. A. Jackson, president of schools, at the commencement exercises held in the school auditorium. The crowd that has attended during the year was present Friday to see the Seniors step into the ranks of high school students the larger life outside school.

Heart to Heart Talk M. Whaling, vice-president of the Southern Methodist University commencement speaker introduced by Superintendent J. C. Downing. Mr. Whaling by his manner and his congenial humor soon won his way to the hearts of the students. He addressed the students with a prepared speech. He urged them to go into the world and strive to achieve. He pointed out the instances in the business world where men of large ability are looking for the right employees. He said it was not man and woman unusually who generally succeeded, but those who generally succeeded, plodders with good character were interested in their work more than it as being more than a job or position.

5,000 a Year Man A speaker said that recently a Dallas executive hurried through the streets of that city and stopped him and asked the reason was for the hurry. The executive turned to Dr. Whaling and said, "I am looking for a man who can pay \$25,000 a year for the business world wants women who have good character, willing to work, who are able to get ahead." That burden of the speaker's message, and he impressed upon them that talent is not the thing, but rather, that it is an end and hard work.

March Across Stage Seniors entered the auditorium from the back center of the stage, walking across the stage down steps to the front that had been reserved for their use in the center seats. They came in to the strains of the professional, "Triumphal March," played by Elmer S. Shelley. They slowly and with dignity cap and gown regalia, the Senior class officers followed immediately by the class and salutatorian.

Seniors remained in the auditorium for their class "High School Days" at A. Penn. Following the invocation, Dr. J. Hardin Malvern gave the invocation. Jones, second honor student, gave the salutatory address, what high school had the Seniors and gave a list of what they expected when they received diplomas. He spoke of the things that make for success, of thinking, right endeavor, of giving a saxophone solo, by Dr. J. Hardin Malvern.

Salutatory High Spot The salutatory, delivered by Dr. J. Hardin Malvern, was one of the high spots of the program. Miss Gattlin gave a remarkable oration. She spoke of the patriotism that should be shown by each member of the class. She spoke of the things that are worth while ideas and the things that are worth while in life. She gave feeling interpretation of school patriotism and complimented the Seniors that had cooperated in the school year an outstanding success. Dr. Whaling's address followed.

Special Recognition Dr. J. Hardin Malvern, principal of the Memphis High School, awarded diplomas to the first and second honor students. He then called upon the Seniors to stand in appreciation of their services during the year, among them being...

20 Black Dicers Are Arrested By County Officers

Twenty negroes were arrested by local officers last Sunday and lodged in the county jail, on charges of gambling. It is stated that they were found busily engaged in the pastime of shooting dice in the negro hotel across from the Farmers Union Supply Company.

Six of the huskies when they saw a fine was staring them in the face, made a quick getaway, jumping from a second story window of the building in which they were playing.

Estelline Routed By Lakeview Nine Sunday Afternoon

The fast baseball team of Lakeview routed the Estelline team in a match game played at Lakeview Sunday afternoon. A large crowd of enthusiastic supporters of both teams was on hand to witness the contest which was better than the box score would indicate. The gate netted paid admissions of eighty dollars.

Many Errors Made Both teams made a number of errors, but despite the fact that the score was large, the game was a fast one, it being played in an hour and fifty minutes. The second inning was the one ragged spot of the contest, when Lakeview went on a rampage, scoring ten runs.

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Summary: 2 base hits, Weathered, McCollum, Russell 2; 3 base hits, Weathered. Sacrifice hits, Williamson, Cushionberry, Davis and Weathered. Struck out, by Powell 4, by Marcum 2; earned runs, Estelline 5, Lakeview 6; Umpire, Wright; time of game, 1 hour and 50 minutes.

At the district meeting, it was decided that the eleventh annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held in El Paso on July 2, 3 and 4, unless the dates are changed by the advisory committee, which is not deemed probable.

Planned for October A meeting of the directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was held at Vernon on Tuesday of this week, and the dates as fixed by the regional meeting were changed from July 2, 3 and 4 to October 24, 25 and 26. A proviso was included whereby the convention will be held earlier if an earlier date is suitable to President Herbert Hoover, who has already announced that he probably will visit Texas this fall.

The directors decided, at all events, to make the convention date and the date of President Hoover's visit to Texas coincide. Resolutions Adopted At the close of the district meeting, resolutions were adopted as follows: "Hon. Tom N. Bell, chairman Lower Panhandle district convention West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Seymour, Texas. "We your committee on resolutions of the Lower Panhandle

Like Bryan



Tom D. McKeown's remarkable resemblance to the late William Jennings Bryan has been commented upon often in Washington. This picture of McKeown, who is congressman from Oklahoma, was taken the other day in the capital.

Commencement of Junior Hi Studes Is Held Last Week

Graduating exercises for 47 students of the Junior High School took place at the school auditorium last Friday morning at 10 o'clock. These students were awarded diplomas for finishing the grammar school work satisfactorily and will be in the senior high school when school work is begun in the fall of this year.

Commencement Address The program rendered at the commencement exercises was as follows: processional, Mrs. M. McNeely; invocation, Rev. E. T. Miller; salutatory address, Lena Bayne; commencement song, girls chorus; class poem, Dorothy Jones; solo, "Whispering Hope," V. L. McGlocklin; class prophecy, Mildred Lindsey; class will, Pauline Turlington; valedictory address, Loreece Webster; commencement address, Dr. E. E. Robinson; recessional, Mrs. M. McNeely.

Presented with Diplomas Those who were presented with diplomas by Principal H. J. Gore were the following: Lena Bayne, Leon Boyd, Alfred Burks, Wilson Brooks, Fred Brewer, Ruth Baker, Roberta Berry, Allie Cavin, Roy Forkner, Lola Mae Grundy, Leo Gatlin, Dorothy Hart, Hazel Hagemeier, Anna Louise (Continued on page 4)

Coach Bolton He came to Memphis at a time when athletics were not thriving well here, and the prestige of Memphis' teams at the present time is due, in large measure, to his efficient work. Some outstanding college players received their instruction under Coach Bolton. He is known as a man of clean habits, a thorough-going gentleman and a man who knows football. Dalhart is to be congratulated. (Continued on page 4)

Pioneer Picture Is Presented To School By Club

The Woman's Culture Club of this city, a club that has been functioning here continuously for the past thirty years, presented a beautiful picture to the Junior High School at the commencement exercises held at the school building last Friday morning.

The picture is 5x3 feet and has a handsome frame about it. It is called "The Covered Wagon," and depicts an incident of the pioneer days. This picture was decided upon for presentation due to the fact that a pioneer club is the donor, and due to the fine artistic treatment displayed. It was hung in a prominent place in the study hall. The presentation was made by Mrs. Ernest Clark and Mrs. W. L. Wheat.

Blake Bolton Has Accepted Job As Coach At Dalhart

Blake Bolton, who has coached the athletic teams of the Memphis High School for the past six years has accepted a position as head coach of the Dalhart High School, at Dalhart, Texas, it was learned this week. Mr. Bolton had received a number of offers from various schools in this section of



Coach Bolton

the Panhandle, but decided to accept the offer coming from Dalhart. He is considered one of the ablest high school athletic coaches in the western part of the state. His success with the local teams has demonstrated his prowess in no uncertain terms. He did most of his college work at the New Mexico State Teachers' College, Colorado University and the West Texas State Teachers' College.

Ranger Wins Duel With Bear



Four times in two weeks a huge silver tip bear cleaned out a United States ranger's camp on the South Fork adjacent to Glacier National Park. Ranger Diehl, with a rifle, finally catured the big fellow, which is shown hanging at the entrance to a seven-foot tent.

With Plenty Of Slapstick Comedy 'The Arrival Of Kitty' Goes Over In A Big Way As Final Production of Graduates

What was unquestionably the best performance by amateurs in Memphis this year took place at the high school auditorium Thursday evening of last week, when seven members of the 1929 graduating class put the skids under amateur theatricals by presenting a finished performance—one that glistened with bright spots of sheer humor and that caused the suspicious audience to shake with laughter as the play progressed.

It is so often the case that amateur theatricals are amateur theatricals that the audience of "home folks" generally expects the worse and is seldom disappointed. The Seniors were responsible for a remarkable exception to the general rule, and it gives them one more sprig of laurel in the wreath they have worn throughout the school year.

Real Acting Featured As a play, "The Arrival of Kitty" was nothing to lose any sleep over. It was not so much the spoken lines as the way in which they were spoken that appealed mightily to the audience. The mere fact that the play was written by a bird named Scartout is merely an incident. Real acting, all the way through, featured the performance and it was really a disappointment to many that it could not have been lengthened out considerably.

Play in Three Acts The play was in three acts. Most plays are. The time was "one day last August" and the scene "the office of the Halcyon House in the Caskill Mountains." The Halcyon House was one of those houses where you pay dearly to look at the scenery and get little service except on the large end of tips. It all happened here. (Continued on page 5)

Lightning Strikes Dunbar Residence During Severe Electrical Storm Here

Shortly before four o'clock last Saturday morning, during a down-pour of rain and accompanying electrical storm the home of T. J. Dunbar on South Seventh street, was struck by lightning, which did considerable damage to the house, but fortunately did not hurt any member of the Dunbar family. The lightning struck the north-east corner of the house, taking off a portion of the roof and side of the house. The roof being made of fireproof material possibly prevented serious damage by fire. In several places on the roof where tin was used to hold

INCORPORATION OF COMPANY EFFECTED

Three Machines Will Be Manufactured Each Week

F. D. Roan of Newlin, who has had 22 years experience in the gin business, has invented a cotton cleaner that is expected to revolutionize this needed accessory in the ginning of cotton. Mr. Roan gained his ideas for the invention through constant study and application to his work during the long period he has worked with gins.

In order to put the invention on the market, a company has been formed with W. E. Nelson, president and J. C. Downing, secretary-treasurer. The board of directors will be announced within the near future with the likelihood that several Memphis men will be on the board. The company is incorporated for \$10,000, and will do business under the firm name of the F. D. Roan Machine Company, Incorporated.

Patented in April The machine, perfected by Mr. Roan, was patented on April 23, 1929. It is said to clean the trash, dirt, shale and rubbish from the cotton while it is in the process of being ginned with more thoroughness and ease than any similar cotton cleaner now on the market. It is said to simplify the cleaning process and to preserve the staple and quality of the cotton, thereby enabling the owner to get more for his product than otherwise would be the case.

The new company plans to start manufacturing the machine immediately. Already, large orders for equipment have been given and the needed tools will be in place within a comparatively short time. Power drills, power saws and similar machinery has already been installed.

Three Machines Weekly According to present plans, the capacity of the manufacturers will be three machines a week. When the demand for the cotton cleaners increases, this total will be added to as occasion demands. Each of the cleaners will sell for \$1,000.

Since the initial announcement was made to the ginners of this section of the Panhandle that a new machine to clean cotton had been perfected, unusual interest has been shown in the invention. Newlin has been the scene of renewed activity as the invention has been demonstrated. The Company has the full endorsement and backing of the newly organized Newlin Chamber of Commerce, and this organization will cooperate with the company in getting the salient points of the machine known to the general public.

Demonstration Conducted A demonstration was conducted at the Farmers Union Gin Company in Newlin throughout the day Thursday, when a number of ginners and other interested parties from Memphis and this section of the Panhandle watched with interest the ease with which the working model cleaned cotton. Memphis people, and more especially ginners, are given a cordial invitation by the newly organized company to come to Newlin and inspect the machine at any time. Until the company actually starts the manufacture of the cotton cleaner, the officials in charge should be notified several days in advance of a visit in order that they may have everything in readiness for a demonstration.

Roan to Supervise The manufacturing end of the concern will be under the complete control of F. D. Roan and each machine is guaranteed to give complete satisfaction. He will have a number of assistants in the plant, but he will supervise each step of the manufacture. According to W. E. Nelson, president of the company, a complete sales organization will be announced within the near future. It is planned to put the article on the market, using the most approved methods of salesmanship, and in addition, it is likely that one or more of the large gin supply houses will act as agents for the new invention.

West Ward School Honor Roll Given For Last 6 Weeks

The honor roll for the West Ward School for the past six weeks has been announced as follows: Low First Grade, Bonnie Marie Terral, Beatrice Banton, Leona Johnson, Katie Nell Posey, Lorene Reynolds, Eugenia Scott, Margaret Swallow, Thelma Mae Saunders, Inez Graham, Betty Lou Johnson, Dorine Scott, Ila Ray Durham, Eldon May, Chester Sweatman, Leroy Sweatman, James Wilson.

High First Grade: Francis Barker, Mary Isabell Hanvey, Mary Helen Lindsey, Margaret Sue Leath, Doris Jo Vallance, Geneva Hazelwood, Liney Billington, E. G. Christensen, Robert Lane, Looney McGowan, O. C. Rich, Harry Tyler, Foy Young, J. H. Powell, R. C. Schoonover, Bedford Vickers, Mary Frances Follis, Ida Glenn Champion, Harry Hart, Gregory Posey, Thelma Lee Messer, Raymond Hay, W. R. Landis, Oreta McCreary, Virginia Million, Hamilton Gammage, Ruth Barnes, Mildred Tucker, Randolph Comer, J. L. Helm, Gladys Marie Lucas, Katherine Teeter, Lloyd Hicks, Harold Smith, Arnold Shelley, Marion Ruth Duren, Dorothy Jean Montgomery.

Low Second Grade: Martha Jeane Parks, Isabell McIntosh, Christine Thurman, Phyllis Howard, Edna Ary, R. E. Paschall, Alton Dewlen, Allan Ray Webster, Billy Joe Thompson, Charles Brooks, Jr.

High Second Grade: Betty Ann Anderson, Doris Bradford, Shelby Martin, Marcia Potter, Roseland Williams, Reed Graham, Joe Henry Leverett, A. W. Rasco, Joe Bailey Smith, Jeanne Draper, Emma Jo Johnson, Othierine Curry, Jewel Deane Potts, Katherine Robinson, Mary Cosby, Zona Gayle Wallace, Joyce Read, Jimmy Ragsdale, Fred Champion, Kermit Monzingo, Eugene Lindsey, Jack Walker, Horace Templeton, Earl Underwood.

Low Third Grade: Jack Foster, Edward Johnson, Tom Mullis, H. J. Johnson, Royce McCreary, Margaret Harrison, Inez Morrison, Billie Sigler, Charlotte Williams, Ida Mae Wilson.

High Third Grade: Edith Alexander, Omega Ballew, Ranieth Berry, Sussie Mae Brackeen, Lloyd Evans, Yanele Goldsmith, Audene Hill, Lillian Huckaby, Haskell Keeton, Billy Kinslow, Elizabeth Mason, Mary Helen Nelson, Mary Parker, Frank Phelan, Kathryn Reynolds, Dorothy Faye Smith, Mary Catherine Walker, Raynes West, Bill Joe Boren, Ted Joe Doss, Whaley Gillenwater, Frances Huffman, Ola Mae Maddox, Zeb Moore, Jr., Pat Noel, Mary Lois Powers, Dennis Sanders, Bertha Turnpseed, Ola Moe Wallace, Willie Ben Wilson.

Low Fourth Grade: Delvin Batson, Jack Baldwin, A. W. Guill,

J. D. Roden, Lee Vickers, Winifred Swift, Anna Beth Leverett, Ima Sue McIntosh, Jeannette Watson, Ruby Hodge, Fern Durham, Rufus Jones, Hays May, Dennis Walker.

High Fourth Grade: Juanita Cudd, Dorothy Dunbar, Tommie Noel, Ann Palmeyer, Benjamin Estes, Jr., Robert Evans, Harold Foxhall, John David Keeling, M. E. McNally, Ben Scott, Bruce Sitton, J. W. Slover, Jim Bob Brewer, Rose Baker, Mae Dell Gerlach, Geraldine Kinard, Fae Rasco, Ouida Reed, Lucile Cudd, G. W. Smith.

Low Fifth Grade: Pauline Givens, Louis Johnston, Thelma Lindsey, Vida Fay Thurman, Edward Bourland, Luther Greason, Jessie Johnson.

High Fifth Grade: Mary Miles Hall, Virginia Orr, Inez Thurman, Violet Tippett, Frank Martin, Tom Bob Harrison, Agnes Cottingham, R. E. Martin, R. W. Mullis, Billie Ragsdale, Helen Rae White, Annie Ruth Williams, Eloise Hill.

Low Sixth Grade: Mary Bourland, Mildred Cooley, Laverne Pullen, Marvin Simmons, Norman Deason, Carl Eudy, Joe Jackson, Alvis Melton, Ima McIntosh, Bernice Woodington.

West Texas State Teachers College Boasts Medal Cow

CANYON, May 23. (Special)—The dairy herd of the West Texas State Teachers College boasts one of the few gold and silver Medal Jersey cows found in this section of Texas.

Gamboge's Fox's Little Agatha, 664623 recently finished the third production test, with a record of 648.48 pounds of fat and 10,853 pounds of milk in 305 days, class AAA.

During the ten months test her milk averaged 5.98 per cent butter fat. Nine times during the test Little Agatha's name appeared on the list of cows reaching the fifty-nine pound mark, and her yield once reached 88.66 pounds for a month. This test was begun at the age of four years and ten months.

Dairymen were already interested in this cow as she had made a record of 602.80 pounds of fat in 365 days at the age of two years and one month and again as a senior three-year old produced 736.86 pounds of fat and 13,215 pounds of milk in 365 days.

Double Medal Winner This double medal winner is the third register-of-merit daughter of Gamboge's Fox's King 201085. Her dam is a silver medal cow, Gamboge's Fox's Agatha 467939, with three fine records of 635.54 pounds of butter fat and 11,815 pounds of milk in 365 days at two years; as a senior four-year old, 638.33 pounds of fat and 12,314 pounds of milk

in class AAA; and her third record at seven years of 787.34 pounds of fat and 17,311 pounds of milk.

Gold Medal Cow All of the tests of the College gold medal cow were made under the direction of the American Jersey Cattle Club and are of record in the files of the organization. The college herd to which this cow belongs is in charge of T. M. Moore, who runs it as a laboratory for students of agriculture and as a source of milk supply for the two dormitories.

Harry Sinclair's job as pharmacist in the Washington jail won't be such heavy work. Jail drug stores are about the only pharmacies in the country where the clerk doesn't have to handle everything from automobile tires to gossamer sandwiches.

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262 Corporations Granted Charters During Last Month

AUSTIN, May 23. (Special)—Establishing a new record for April, 262 new corporations were granted charters by the Secretary of State to operate in Texas, according to Bervard Nichols, editor of the Texas Business Review, issued monthly by the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas. "Ordinarily, a decline occurs from March to April in the number of new companies formed, whereas there was a sharp gain between the two months just passed," Mr. Nichols said. "Only 247 charters were granted in April,

1928. Total capitalization of the 262 companies chartered during last month amounted to \$24,471,000, compared to the capitalization of \$8,748,000 in April of last year.

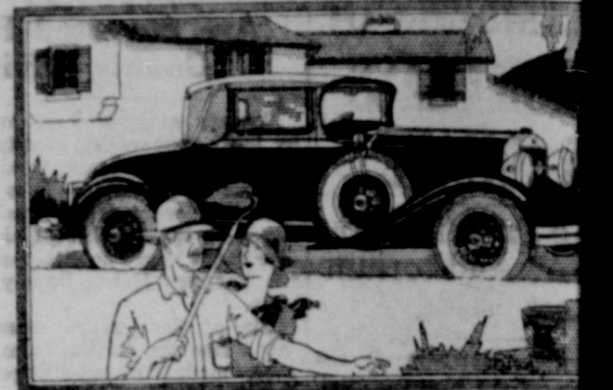
"An interesting feature of the month's record is the large number of new manufacturing companies, there being 53 in the whole list."

The state ran the penitentiaries last year at nearly a half million dollar loss. This seems to be a lot to a poor old country boy, and yet that is getting out pretty light when we take into consideration some of the politicians and office holders we have in the state.—Paducah Post.

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High School Graduates of '29

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is commencement time. It is the climax of youth. After they will never be high again. Never will their lives be free from such faith. Never again in all their lives will they own the whole world they live. "They're 'beamed up in glory' on the grounds for the last week it will all be over what?

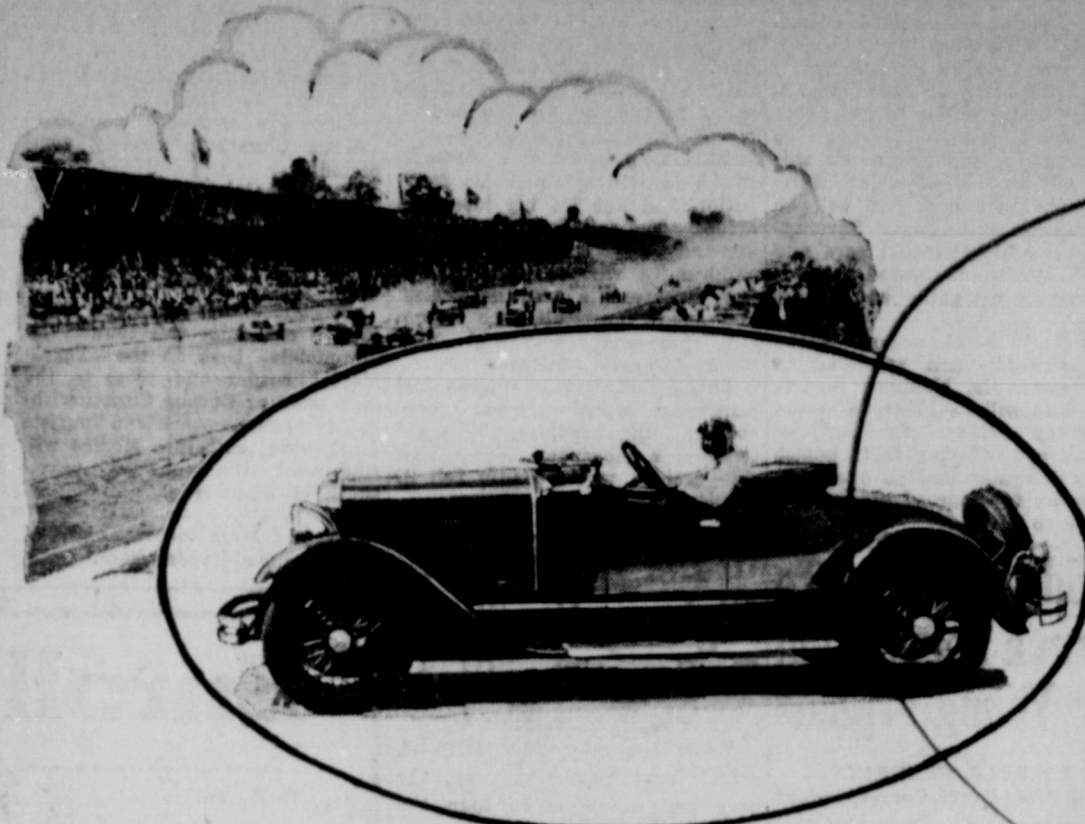
But what's that? Up to this present they have all had some that might come the next year. But the first time in their lives and girls of the graduating classes of 1929 are facing down future. For eleven years they have worked and together. They seem like a happy family of boys and their parents feel like the class belonged to them. But today will be yesterday.

Instead of all hurrying to the old school bell rings, their minds and feet will all be in different directions. That final hour on commencement night our boys and girls will drift farther and apart day by day and year from now until eternity is the happiest, the saddest, the most victorious and the most painful hour they have ever lived. In fact they are their first taste of real life. What the future will be most of them when they at last night of their high school days.

Boys and girls are only those who are clinging to their mothers. There's a tear down in father's throat and mother is trying to smile through the tears. They see their first or it may be their last. They reach out and take a hand which means "Good-bye" to them too in a few more. But that's life too. We are fortunate enough to have up some time.

But our high school commencement. Up to that hour, the school has been a free institution. It is possible to make a poor boy and the rich boy so far as his father's was concerned had the right to the school and all it offered. The bright girl and the girl had the same privileges to her. And because they have all grown up together. And the class lines between and bodies, wealth and position and power have been drawn so distinctly in high school. Those boys who loved and respected one

They're Off—Start of Indianapolis Grand Prix



ONE OF THE MOST THRILLING SPECTACLES in sport is the start of the 500-mile Memorial Day race at the Indianapolis Speedway. This year, Studebaker's President Eight Roadster will pace the field of tiny race cars around the 2.1-2 mile track in what is expected to be the fastest race ever staged on a big speed oval. The President Eight was selected because of its outstanding position in the stock car field. It holds 11 world records and 115 American records, including the greatest record in history—30,000 miles in 26,326 consecutive minutes. At the wheel of The President illustrated above is Ralph Hepburn, veteran race pilot, who will be seen at Indianapolis this year burning up the bricks as a member of the Duray team.

another because of what they were and what they could do rather than who they were and what their parents had.

But it will be different tomorrow. Their free school days are over. And there is nothing quite so bitter to face as the fact that "He can go on. But I must stop." It is the commencement to one's ambitions. It is the end of another's. Perhaps it is the first time they have really felt that bitter pang down deep in their heart.

Yes, on that wonderful commencement night, they separate. Their paths, their ideas, their ambitions, their goals, their thoughts, all, all must be torn apart that night. Ever since they were seven years old they have been growing together. Tomorrow they will begin to grow apart. The day dawn of a new life has come. Youth went out last night. And young manhood and young womanhood stepped in to take its place. And the first thing to appear on their new horizon is RESPONSIBILITY. To most of their earlier comrades it had already come before they ever reached the high school commencement platform. But now it has come to them. From now on they must choose, decide their own problems, and in most cases make their own way. That's the

ed. But the beautiful part of it all is that they are all so happy in their accomplishment on commencement night that they are totally unconscious of the great change that is taking place in their lives. Their joy serves as a hypodermic.

Will the world be kind and patient with these 1929 high school graduates until they discover themselves and become adjusted to the new world they have just entered?

Commencement At Baylor To Be Held In An Amphitheatre

WACO, May 23. (Special)—Commencement Exercises of the 1929 graduating class of Baylor University will be held in the air for the first time in the history of the school, Professor F. G. Guittard, chairman of the commencement committee, has announced. The reason cited for this change in the usual procedure was that the chapel building is not capable of comfortably seating as many as are usually present during commencement week. The exercises will be held on May 29.

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er, Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, can be heard throughout the assembly. Mrs. Willebrandt is assistant attorney-general of the United States.

This will be the second time during the present year that a woman has addressed a Baylor audience with the aid of amplifiers. The first occasion was at the ground-breaking ceremonies for the Memorial Dormitory last fall when Dr. Dorothy Scarborough was the speaker.

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IS it any wonder the Texas State Highway Department and many counties and cities in this great state build portland cement concrete pavements?

The Bates Road, built by Illinois Highway officials to test pavements, contained 63 sections of three principal paving materials in various combinations and thicknesses.

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Illinois Girl Pays Way In School By Being Pastor at Two Churches

It's text books and tablets and pencils and rulers five days a week for Mabel Gooch, 18-year-old high school girl of Johnston City, Ill.

Then on Sundays and two nights a week it's the Bible and preaching the old-fashioned religion in two churches to pay for her schooling.

The attractive high school sophomore admits that it is mostly a dollars and cents proposition. Her eyes twinkle the smile that her mouth tries to conceal when she hears about the girl evangelists who go into big cities accompanied by their mothers, business managers and press agents, with camera flashlights booming and a blare of carefully prepared publicity about a great "mission."

How She Started
"I felt that it was my duty to make my high school expenses if I wanted more education, and I'm doing it," she says simply.

"Not that my heart is not in my preaching," she is quick to add. "It seems to me that I should help to convert others as I was converted three years ago."

"The Johnston City Methodist minister understood how I felt and when some of the men from Cedar Grove came to him to recommend a pastor, he recommended me."

"Another girl and I went to their church and held services. They seemed to like us and we kept on. Then the other girl got married and I took charge and have been preaching there ever since. That's nearly two years now."

Mabel was 16 years old when she went into the strange church and had just completed the eighth grade near here where she lives. She had about given up her great ambition—to attend high school. There was little work in the mines for her father and high school in a town several miles away costs money.

There are about 100 members in her first church, miners, and armers' families principally, and they like their girl pastor.

Plain Preaching
"No 'high falutin' stuff from me," they say. "Just good straight preaching what the Bible says."

Word of her ability in the pulpit went from one person to another until she became a prophet.



Mabel Gooch, 18-year-old high school pupil-pastor, and one of the churches where she preaches four times a week, are shown above.

with honor in her own village. The Methodist church there now has her as its pastor, too, with meetings Tuesday and Saturday nights.

The church work sends her to school, she says, and the school educates her for better church work.

She would almost prefer to talk about school affairs than preaching. She likes English, Latin and biology and "has to take" geometry.

"There's lots of common sense in the theory of evolution," she says. "There are so many ways in which evolution is illustrated to us in things that we know and see about us that there are some points about that theory that we cannot deny. I don't think, though, that we came from monkeys."

Commencement—

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Judges, Dorothy Jones, Ruth Johnson, Elizabeth Killian, Mildred Lindsey, V. L. McGlocklin, Elizabeth McMurry.

Reba May, Gerald Mabry, Iaine Myers, Wilson Owens, Mary Luma Rasco, Mary Helen Anford, Willogene Stephenson, Ruby Lee Stringer, Ruby Lee Stoll, Pauline Turlington, Mena Tompson, Ivan Thornton, Loece Webster, Frances Katherine Wright, Robert Dewlin, Charlene Fore, Brown McMurry, Vernice Ray, Vee Smith, Thurns Mae Turner, Mary Wilson, El Bowerman, Josephine Wicker, Hunter and Tommie Mae Aren.

Blake Bolton Has—

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attulated on his selection, and is safe to say that he will more than make good in his new position.

During the six years Mr. Bolton coached in Memphis, local high school teams won the district track and field meet four years. In football, in 1924 the team won eight conference games, won 7 and lost 1. The team was runner-up in the district; in 1925, the team played conference games, won 6 and lost 1, and were again runners-up in the district; in 1926, the team played 11 games, won 10 and lost 1, and won the district bi-district titles; in 1927, the

Cyclone played 9 conference games and won them all, but withdrew from the district competition at the instance of Superintendent Miles; the following year the Cyclone played 8 games, won 5, lost 2 and tied 1; the past season, the Cyclone played 10 conference games, won 7, lost 1, and tied 2, making a total of 52 conference games of football played, the Cyclone winning 43, losing 6 and tying 3.

In basketball, the record of the Cyclone is as follows: 1924, played 15 games, won 11, lost 4; 1925, played 20 games, won 16, lost 4; 1926, played 18 games, won 16, lost 2; 1927, played 18 games, won 12, lost 6; 1928, played 18 games, won 11, lost 7; 1929, played 23 games, won 19, lost 4, making a total for the six years of 112 games played, with the Cyclone winning 85 and losing 27.

This is, indeed, an enviable record for a coach and one that is appreciated by Mr. Bolton's many friends and acquaintances here and elsewhere.

Court of Honor—

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It is fair to be the biggest and best ever undertaken by Scout Mr. Jolly is having a folder prepared at the present time which he expects to mail out, giving in detail all needed information in connection with the camp and a Boy Scout who fails to avail himself of this opportunity to become better acquainted with the great out of doors will be denying himself a rare pleasure.

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Breckenridge To Entertain Elks

BRECKENRIDGE, May 23. (Special)—With one state convention gone, Breckenridge turned its attention this week to its next major state gathering, the Elk's annual session, which convenes May 23 and lasts for three days.

Delegates to the State Christian Missionary Convention, held here May 13-16, were hardly on their way to their homes before preparations were started toward making the annual Elk gathering one of the greatest in the history of this state.

N. J. Nanney, secretary of the Breckenridge B. P. O. E. lodge, and a candidate for the State President this year, announces that no less than 2,000 Elks from the fifty one lodges over the state will be in Breckenridge for the three day session.

Elaborate Program
An elaborate program has been mapped out for the visitors, including the greatest racing card ever held in West Texas. Approximately 100 race horses from the best stables in the state have been entered for the three-day racing event. Prizes totaling \$1400 will be distributed, individual prizes ranging from \$150 to \$500. Racing will be each afternoon.

Golf tournaments, trap shooting, swimming, boating, fishing, dancing, bridge parties for the women visitors and several banquets are other features of the entertainment program.

10 or 12 Bands
Some 10 or 12 bands will be brought to the convention by the visiting lodges. The following towns have signified their intention of bringing along bands: Dallas, Fort Worth, San Angelo, Ranger, Cisco, Eastland, Wichita Falls and Plainview.

Del Rio, Corpus Christi, Beaumont and Laredo are understood to have announced they will ask for the next convention. It is likely that these places will also send along bands and as many noisy delegates as possible.



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Charles H. Mangold, of Dallas, will likely head one of the largest delegations to be here. The Dallas lodge plans to send a band, a drum corps and the Elk Chanters, male glee club.

Will Stage Parade
Secretary Nanney of the Breckenridge Lodge firmly believes that the largest parade to ever be staged at a convention of this kind will be held Saturday afternoon, the last day. It will be two miles long, he says. Seventy-five specially decorated cars and floats have been entered, besides the many delegates and their bands.

Although hotel accommodations have already been extended to the utmost, Mr. Nanney reports that there will be plenty of room for every visitor. Breckenridge citizens are offering their homes to the delegates and no one need stay away for fear of not getting a place to stay.

Daddy Browning To Form a Foundation For Young Friends

BY PAUL FREDRIX
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, May 23. (UP)—Edward W. "Daddy" Browning has a whopping big idea. He is going to auction off some \$6,000,000 worth of his skyscrapers and apartment houses and establish the Browning Foundation for his "young friends."

Browning got the idea last Christmas when scores of children attending his annual toy party crashed through plate glass windows in their eagerness for candy harps and toilet sets, and were sent to the hospital.

"Why not," said Daddy, "move my charity closer to the hospitals so the kiddies won't have so far to go?"

With Daddy, to think was to act—and in terms of millions. So on June 11, when Prof. Milton D. Crandall's dance marathon supposedly will have ended and moved out, Browning will stage a great show of his own in Madison Square Garden.

Three Auctioneers
Three auctioneers will sell to the highest bidders 60 parcels of property which Daddy has been accumulating for 30 years. They range from a 16-story Mercantile

to one-story "taxpayers" and include apartment hotels and elevator apartments the length and breadth of Manhattan.

The buildings to be sold cover 268,000 square feet, with a total content of about 26,000,000 cubic feet, and Daddy expects to get about \$6,000,000 for the lot.

To Establish Foundation
With a part of the proceeds, Browning will establish his foundation and put his big idea into effect. The foundation will operate and maintain playgrounds for children in various parts of the city, "preferable near hospitals," and endow hospitals with expensive permanent toys and play things for child patients.

Large doll houses, mechanical railways, model farms, race courses and anything to make sickness a pleasure. Many East side urchins would gladly fall ill for less.

Grand Trunk Paved Highway For Texas To Span The State

LAREDO, May 23. (UP)—A grand trunk paved highway, the only one in Texas to span the state and to form a direct connection with the highway system of Mexico, will be completed during the summer.

The highway will also be the only one in Texas not to cross a railroad track and without dangerous dips or gaps. All that remains to complete the highway is the construction of 12 1-2 miles of concrete in Webb county, in which Laredo is situated. The contract will be awarded at Austin May 23 or 24. A second contract for building a minor span of 5 1-2

be awarded at that time. The highway runs from Laredo to Corpus Christi, a distance of 157 miles. The longest stretch of concrete will be from Laredo to the Webb county line, 44 miles. The paved highway through Duval, Jim Hogg, and Jim Wells, and the greater part of Nueces county to Corpus Christi is already completed.

The remaining 12 1-2 miles in Webb County will be completed before Sept. 1, and the 5 1-2 miles in Nueces county before the Webb county stretch.

By midsummer, tourists from Mexico can enter this country by automobile here on the Texas-Mexico border and cross to the gulf coast at Corpus Christi within four hours. American tourists journeying south into Mexico will find most of the highways paved south of Monterrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knight of Newlin, spent Sunday here.

TRANSFERRED TO DALLAS
J. B. White, who has been mentioned here as local agent of J. N. Wisner & Co. of New Orleans, for the last year and months will be transferred to Dallas about the first of June. Mr. White came here as the agent, in the last year he has employed about four others in office, and the business has grown the original office at filled seven rooms. He is promoted upon going to Dallas and will be head of the offices of all Texas with quarters in Dallas.

NOTICE

The furniture for the new building of the First Christian church has been ordered, and will be shipped about June 1. It is to have it here and installed time to open the church June 6.

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49c			Men's & Boys Tennis Shoes \$1.49 value 83c
This week only	Imported China CUPS AND SAUCERS Beautiful Designs 50c value 10c Complete Cup and Saucer (Limit)	Extra Quality BATH SALTS—SWEET PERFUME, \$1.00 size 25c	\$1.00 Size Bottle RUBBING ALCAHOL ALMOND CREAM WITCHHAZEL While They Last 39c
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Dorothy Evans; Circle Waltz,
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Lesson, Elizabeth McMurry;

Schottische Op. 24, Dayne Stew-
art; The Football Alumnus, Lola
Mae Grundy; Melody of Love,
Mary Luma Rascoe; The Spinster-
hood of Mary, Ernestine Walker;
Valse Op. 40, Bessie McBrayer,
Mildred Lamb; Chorus, Hats of
Other Days, Pauline Turlington,
Lola Mae Grundy, Mary Helen
Stanford, Annie Louise Hudgins,
Josephine Wicker, Elizabeth Mc-
Murry, Ruth Johnson, Vee Smith,
Frances Wright, Tommie Mae
Boren, Mary Luma Rascoe; The
Innocent Salesman, Mazie Per-
kins; Under the Maples, Mary
Helen Stanford; Falling Waters,
Ova Lee Wood; the Wheels of
Time, Alice Baker, Senior in Ex-
pression; Ripples of the Pacific,
Jewel Grundy; Maymie's Story of
Red Riding Hood (Costume),
Alice Baker; Solfegette's (con-
test number), Vee Smith; Roves
Response, Mary Winston Walters;
Sixteen and Sixty, Try Smiling-
Musical, Alice Baker.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS
Notice is hereby given, that the
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ers of the Farmers Union Supply
Co. will be held at the office of
the company at Memphis, Texas,
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the election of directors and the
transaction of such other busi-
ness as may properly come be-
fore the meeting.
61-2p E. M. EWEN, Sec'y.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Whaley, of
Wellington, spent the week end
here with Mr. and Mrs. P. F.
Craver.

Misses Ruth and Geraldine Wat-
son left Saturday morning for
Longview. They stopped in Dal-
las for one day, and made a side
trip to Denton. Longview is Miss
Ruth's home, and Geraldine is to
visit there for several weeks be-
fore returning home.

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This will be my second sale at Memphis, having had the first sale May 1st. Should anyone express disappointment
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THE DEMOCRAT'S PROGRAM FOR 1929.

- (Check Mark Indicates Project Has Been Realized)
1. A municipal auditorium.
 2. More dairy cows for Hall County.
 3. Modern creamery plant.
 4. Paved highway across Hall County.
 5. An adequate public library.
 6. More paved streets.
 7. Better police and fire protection in business and residential districts.

OUT OF THE ORDINARY

In preaching the baccalaureate sermon to the 1929 graduating class of the Memphis High School, Dr. Ernest E. Robinson told the graduates that they should not be satisfied with being on a parity with many of their fellows, but rather, they should seek to be out of the ordinary, or in other words, they should strive to achieve something for themselves that is not the privilege of everyone to enjoy. He stressed the fact that material wealth is not the criterion by which a successful life is measured, but accomplishment of an outstanding nature should be the desire of all.

It is rather seldom that a man in public life has the courage to make such a broad and far reaching statement as did Dr. Robinson. All of us are prone to look at life from a material standpoint, from a matter of dollars and cents, if you please. This condition is noticeable here in Memphis. How many of our outstanding citizens are willing to render unselfish service for long periods of time with no thought of receiving any substantial remuneration?

A life of service is the only kind of life worth the living. It is given to some to lead; others to follow. All of us have the opportunity to serve, no matter what our station in life. We can serve our time and generation in a better way than by some distinctive service—something that will set us head and shoulders above the crowd.

Dr. Robinson told the graduates if one among the number painted one picture that achieved immortality, if one wrote one poem that stood out on the pages of history, this would be worth more than countless chests of precious stones, of lands and cattle, of all the material wealth that might be boasted of. It is to be hoped that he struck a responsive chord in the natures of these young men and young women and at the same time what a fine thing if he has awakened some of our older people to their responsibilities as citizens.

It is not enough to enjoy material prosperity, to acquire property, to gain power, to increase the prestige of a family name. It is not enough merely to live inside the law and to meet only those demands upon our time and energy that come in the ordinary course of our pursuits. If anything is the matter with Memphis at the present time, it is the unwillingness to go beyond the bounds of our own little schemes, our own pet hobbies, our own narrow channels of endeavor.

It is not given to all of us to hitch our wagon to a star, but the stars are there and the wagon can be hitched, if we will to do so. It is up to each person to make his own decision and leave whatever imprint he may care to make on the sands of time.

TRAFFIC TROUBLE

FROM time to time, citizens of Memphis call attention to matters that should be remedied here in the city. Recently, one of our prominent citizens stated to this writer that something should be done about the way in which cars are parked around the public square. This is not a new subject. In fact, it has been commented on editorially time and time again, but little good has been done as the situation has not been remedied.

The point at issue is this: it has been a well defined practice for owners of automobiles to park such machines in front of their respective places of business. In this way, it has not been possible for visitors to Memphis to find adequate parking space. In other words, take a farmer who desires to consult a lawyer on a matter of business. He drives up in front of the lawyer's office, and there is the great jurist's car and the car of his grocer friend, his dry goods acquaintance, his men's wear neighbor—all are lined up against the curb. This particular farmer is in a hurry. It is necessary for him to drive his car four or five blocks in order to find a place where he is satisfied to leave it.

We think it would be a good thing if more consideration was shown in this regard to the visitors to our city. Why not use the center of the space around the square as a place to park cars belonging to local business men? If this space is not sufficiently large, recourse could be made to some of the side streets. It is a simple matter of psychology. It is better to give precedence to the visitors, if not through courtesy, then from the standpoint of dollars and cents. If a place of business is cut off from trade, that place of business will eventually suffer. It is a little matter, but something worthy of a considerable amount of thought.

And another thing along the line of traffic trouble that is pertinent in this connection is the matter of double parking. Despite an ordinance against this practice, local people continue to double park their cars. We have seen men and women who had their cars parked next the curb wait anywhere from five to twenty minutes for a car that has parked behind them

to move out of the way in order that the cars parked next to the curb might go on their way. There is no excuse for such a practice in Memphis. It is "small town stuff." People know better. Women should use the telephone when they need groceries and not come to town and stop traffic while they are giving their orders and receiving supplies. Incidentally, delivery trucks have no monopoly on the streets of the city and care should be exercised by the owners to keep them out of the way of traffic. There is a right and a wrong way to do everything, and as soon as the traffic ordinances are enforced, the better off we are going to be as a city.

THE CITY LEAGUE

THE City League Baseball season is now under way. It is something new in Memphis, but at the same time, something that should appeal to the majority of our citizens. No better way can be found to spend the hot summer months than by taking plenty of recreation, such as the local baseball games will afford. The price of admission is very nominal—only ten cents per game. Those who cannot afford to pay this small charge have no good reason for living in Memphis.

Considerable expense has been incurred in getting the six teams in the league properly equipped. Baseballs, bats, mits, and gloves cost money and the admission charge goes to help defray the actual expenses. It is not the purpose of the league to make money. It has been proven to the satisfaction of all concerned that baseball in Memphis is not a paying proposition. This is attested to by the lack of interest taken in the games played here this spring between high school teams.

If nothing else, the games this summer will be colorful. And, despite rumors to the contrary, some of the games are going to be more than interesting. Possibly the best team on paper in the six cornered race is the All Stars. Here is to be found the cream of local baseball material. Many of the players on this team have appeared on college diamonds and they have "strutted their stuff" before and the race this year will not be new to them.

Next to the All Stars, the Wholesalers are said to rank. This remains to be seen, however. The Barbers and Grocers are conceded to be on a parity, but like all dope predictions, this statement can very readily be upset. The relative merits of the Dry Goodsmen and the Lions-Firemen cannot be ascertained at this time.

It might be well to state that every team in the league is going to do its utmost to come off with winning colors. To make a pick this early in the season is likely to be far from true. Games are to be played three times each week, weather permitting, and after each team has warmed up to the game, a better decision can be reached as to what the teams can do.

The Democrat will carry a full report of each game played. The box score of each will be given by a competent sports writer. At this time, prospects for a successful season are everywhere noticeable, but it is up to the city as a whole to support the league, and to make this the beginning of a similar league each summer season.

This and That

By L. E. R.

It is rumored that a few Lakeview citizens objected to the costumes in which Paul Vinson and I made our appearance at one of their ball games about two weeks ago. Paul and I had just completed nine holes of golf and became suddenly possessed with a desire to witness the struggle between our sister city and the Childress Y. M. C. A. team. For fear of missing part of the game, we didn't attempt to change clothes, but hid ourselves to Lakeview in our golf knickers and other anatomical trimmings contiguous to that game often referred to as cow pasture pool.

We didn't know we were doing wrong, and we're still not real certain that we violated any unwritten social law. However, word was sent to us that we would "be taken care of" if we ever again appeared in Lakeview in our "bloomers." At first we strongly suspected Ott Bevers and Don Wright were responsible for the threatening statement, but they have flatly denied the charge and have even offered to attempt to protect us in the event mob violence develops should we ever again attend a Lakeview baseball game in golf knickers. Messrs. Bevers and Wright explained, however, that to champion our cause would be to deliberately jeopardize their prestige. In other words, their offer to lend us protection would appear as a direct endorsement of our manner of dress, and they were not particularly thrilled over the outlook.

Moral: Wear your golf knickers on the golf links.

You've often heard the term "irate subscriber," haven't you? Well, here's one who seems to be sure enough irate. Read this letter:

Spearman, Texas, May 18. The Memphis Democrat, Memphis, Texas.

Gentlemen: Recently I received a notice from your office that with that current issue of The Democrat, my subscription would expire and the publication would be discontinued at once unless I renewed. To all of which, please allow me to say that your "Office Devil," bookkeeper or mailing clerk (or whoever is respon-

sible) should have gotten better organized on the facts in the case before sending out such statements, for my paper PLAINLY bears the expiration date as "5-32," which is May, 1932. In the year of our Lord, 1927, some generous friend of mine, in an honest and legitimate effort to secure an auto as a prize for subscriptions, paid for a five year subscription for me, and since that date the paper has been coming, and will continue its weekly visits to May '32, so please keep it coming for it would be discourteous to my unknown friend, and very disconcerting and disconcerting to yours truly, to stop it now.

BERNICE ADKISSON.

Rather a convincing letter, I must say. And it looks as though this particular subscriber has the axe on us. All I have to say is that any subscriber to The Democrat who is interested enough in the paper to write a long letter like that is certainly entitled to receive our weekly effort for three more years. Any fair jury would return a similar verdict.

Several other subscribers have complained that our records are not exactly what they should be and we, of course, are always open for conviction on this subject. We want you to get every copy of the paper you have paid for. It's music to our ears for you to kick; we enjoy it immensely, because it's proof positive that you don't want your Democrat stopped. And the last thing we want to do is to stop it.

A friend of mine has asked why, since I have been attacking several other things, I haven't said something about the women who wear such extremely short skirts. Now, listen, people, I know when I'm well off. That's one of the main reasons I'm not married: I don't have a hankering to get into a big argument with a woman. Besides, to argue that question might arouse the women to the point of shortening their skirts, just for spite. That wouldn't do, you know. So let's not hear any more about that.

Getting back to my long suit subject—marriage—I've just discovered another reason why I've never married. This excerpt is from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram:

MADRID.—Senora Maria Salpoldi, married six years, is the mother of nine children, twins, triplets and quadruplets.

And I just can't close this col-

The Great American Home



FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS

umn without saying a little more about those automatic traffic signals. I'm going to leave Chilli-cothe out of it this time, but for some reason every time I think of traffic lights I think of Chilli-cothe.

Some people have actually laughed at the idea of Memphis having traffic control signals. Investigation has revealed that they are the same people who emitted a snicker when paving was first talked of in Memphis, the same bunch who snorted when agitation began for a white way and the same crowd who voted against any number of proposed issues for the advancement of Memphis. In fact, I believe their ridicule dates back to the time when they guffawed heartily after someone had casually predicted that the automobile would eventually replace the horse and buggy.

If anyone knows of a better way to permanently and effectively stop downtown speeding and protect pedestrians and level-headed motorists, I would consider it a favor if that person would write this column next week. The Democrat gladly receives and publishes any constructive letters, and it may be I'm on the wrong track.

But I won't think so until I'm thoroughly convinced. I'm still hoping the day isn't far off when I shall see the red and green lights blinking on our busiest street intersections. If you share my viewpoint, or if you don't, how about dropping The Democrat a line or two on the subject? If you think that traffic lights will be a good investment for Memphis, let me hear from you. If you're afraid

your city taxes might be doubled or tripled as a result of such action, let me hear from you, too.

Panhandle Press Paragraphs

The road bond election is history and slightly over a third of the voters are highly pleased with the outcome, and the excellent rain has helped the feelings of the others. The main trouble with securing the passage of road bonds is that one negative vote will kill two affirmative votes.—Deskins Wells in The Wellington Leader.

Speeders should remember that while there may not be another car within a mile, its only six feet to the ditch.—Estelline News.

Communities don't happen. As a rule, a town grows where the men and women wish it to grow. Towns and cities have certain natural advantages. Chance and luck also play a part, but a town made up of high spirited citizens will realize to the full its opportunities, which a community indifferent toward its own possibilities will develop only a small part of its potentialities.—Tulia Herald.

Times have changed and there is no better proof of it than the manner in which local communications have speeded up in Floyd County. Time was when a shower fell, if the clouds were thick all about, we took it for granted that all the county had a good rain, to find a day or two later that the shower was strictly local, per-

haps, or vice versa, a grocer might be thought only a shower. Thus, Saturday noon when the shower came, some of the community county, practically every one was interested enough to effort to find out, knew had rained, where hail had the probable extent of in fact, just all about an occurrence in one county is known as a week. The times have—they've speeded up Floyd County Hesperian.

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Col. Ernest Thompson of Amarillo, is making his early statement at that bootleggers and would be routed out of a strong, concerted launched this week by department. The law obeyed.—Clarendon News.

Other sections may million dollar rains, but do our present season if we estimated its value Texas at less than one Quannah Tribune-Chief.

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—By



and Texans

Will H. Mayes,
Austin, Texas

Grows Along
Building and engineering reported in Texas for April reached \$18,000,000, a slight increase over the corresponding period of last year. Available however, do not represent construction work under way more indicative of the present programme of the state, the large figures, is that 36 per cent of the work was for residential buildings which shows that either the population is increasing very rapidly or that the people are beginning to own their homes.

School Growth
From 1910 to 1926 attendance in schools of this country has increased a little more than fourfold from 915,000 to 3,757,000, more than a million new children are now registering every year in the high schools. Practically all of those who graduate from high school attend a higher school of learning.

making greater educational progress than ever before, and a constantly increasing building program, it is possible to provide and to build buildings to accommodate those who wish to attend the state and universities of the state and more Texans are beginning to agree with the fact that the benefits of education are being made available to all.

Legislative Labors
The visible completed work of the special session of the Texas legislature was the passage of a bill to pay for the expenses of the session, knocking out of the way, and authority to adopt a plan for schools, to none of which measures any objection was registered.

Shipping Watermelons
Falfurrias announces that the melon shipping season at that point has opened and that the best crop in many years will roll to the markets from that section. The word "best," for it is hard to imagine anything better than the melons that have been shipped from there in past seasons. Even Weatherford, Elgin, Ballinger, Center and other melon growing centers, while possibly having melons just as good, have never sent out anything better than the melons that move in carloads from Falfurrias.

Millions in Wool
Over two million pounds of wool were sold at Del Rio during the first week in May, bringing an average price of 33 cents a pound. Other large Texas markets, including Kerrville, San Angelo and Uvalde, probably handled equally large shipments. The aggregate sales in Texas ran into millions. Wool and mohair are steady and large contributors to the fast-growing wealth of Texas.

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Gentlemen may not all be alike, but most of them can be easily understood. They seldom go out of their way to offer advice, but when they do it is likely to be sensible. F. M. Richardson to all his friends as recently gave young boys a piece of advice which it is well to ponder. He said, "Follow the trail—whichever it offers—and stick to it. Success lies in the right trail and sticking to it is the sticking point."

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Lampasas Park at Lampasas, Texas health resort, some time past used by the Baptist Encampment summer camp, has been purchased by the Lampasas citizens and they are going to convert it into one of the most modern parks in the South. That program, for Texas now has many popular resorts and it is constantly increasing. Parks of the kind that are a pleasure to a community, and longer satisfied with poor conditions when they can do anything better by traveling hours longer to reach a place once attracted to well-to-do people, but it offers opportunities until it is going there in large numbers. Competition for the park is now strong in

The Senate Farm Committee



The Senate Agriculture Committee is shown leaving the White House after calling on President Hoover to get his farm views. Left to right in the front row are Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, chairman; Charles L. McNary of Oregon, and Thomas Heflin of Alabama. In the back row, left to right, are Senators Peter Norbeck of South Dakota and Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana.

every day and sometimes thinks he knows it fairly well, but learns something new almost constantly. A statement coming from Mercedes is that the irrigation system that furnishes the water for the Mercedes and Weslaco sections is "the largest privately owned irrigation system in the world," and that is something well worth remembering.

There has been a contest over water in the lower Rio Grande Valley for some time. Texans are coming to appreciate the value of water and in the future there will be many interesting scrambles to secure whatever rainfall may be available for storage and irrigation.

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women of all walks and professions came to know her, she still lives.

To the sorrowing relations, we would commend them to Him, who said: "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the Kingdom of God." Thus, around our hearts are twined the memory of her, whose life was as unselfish as the dawn or the sunset, whose love for all was as fragrant as lilacs wet with dew.

Golden indeed are the memories of what we have lost, yet since her passing, the unknown country no longer seems a land which is cold and silent, but a glorious track of cheery splendor. "There are no roses in the garden now, but memories garden grows each day more fair; Sun, moon and stars their orchards close endow, And there bloom roses—roses everywhere."

—One Who Loved Her.

Labor Agents Work Will Be Curtailed To Remedy Shortage

CORPUS CHRISTI, May 23. (UP)—Curtailling of activities of certain types of labor agents by support of the Johnson bill and a plan for issuing seasonal agricultural passports to Mexican farm laborers will be methods used by the South Texas Chamber of Commerce to remedy the acute shortage of agricultural labor. The Johnson bill provides that emigrant agencies engaging in sending workers out of the state pay an annual fee of \$5,000 to

Texas and \$2,500 to each county in which they operate. The Farm Labor Committee of the South Texas Chamber will appeal to Governor Dan Moody for introduction of the bill in the special session. The East and West Texas Chambers have been asked to assist in its support.

The agricultural seasonal passport will permit Mexicans to enter border states from April 1 to Nov. 1 to engage in agricultural labor only. It would provide that at the expiration of these passports their holders be returned to Mexico.

A number of the Dallas band boys in the trade excursion said that Matador had the best band that they had heard on their trip. No doubt every band along the route received practically the same compliment. The statement was pleasing, nevertheless. —Motley County News.

A Connecticut girl fell in an unlighted street, spoiled the dimple in her knee and is suing for \$200. You can't blame her—being deprived of her attractiveness that way.

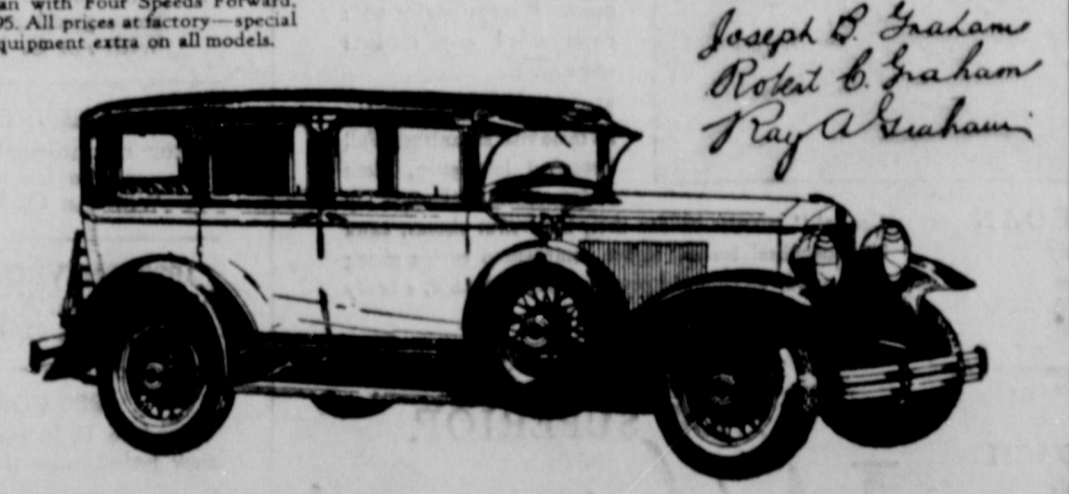
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Prohibition To Be Tried In Mexico

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MEXICO CITY, May 23. (UP)—Prohibition in Mexico will be instituted gradually and "in a prudent manner," President Emilio Portes Gil assured the public in his first statement on the methods he will use to make Mexico dry.

Since first announcing he would begin a campaign against alcohol in Mexico, Portes Gil has insisted he was opposed to "repressive measures." The proposals now before the public outline a steadily tightening anti-wet drive, accompanied by intensive dispensation of information in every available field.

The success of the drive will depend largely on the attitude of the next administration, since Gil's term of office ends Feb. 5, 1930.

Committee to Direct
Portes Gil said a national committee will direct the movement, assisted by sub-committees of various state departments including the national health sections. Civilians and technicians will be included in the national committee's membership.

In its first form, the drive will limit the sale of hard liquors, such as gin, whiskey, and absinthe, and later will prohibit their manufacture.

At the outset, whiskies and gins would be sold only in sealed bottles but fermented drinks and certain distillates with low alcoholic percentages could be sold in bulk.

Is New Departure
The Mexican president's prohibition drive will be a new departure in that it will provide for numerous social and health measures to be applied in conjunction with anti-liquor laws. Among these are the establishment of hospitals for alcoholics, better homes for workers, and improved sanitation.

Portes Gil's announcement said the national committee would begin work May 20 but it gave no indication of when the first actual limitations against liquor sales would be ordered.

Directors At—

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takings that are assisting in getting practical railway connections to all sections of West Texas.

Adjust Taxation
"We record this convention as favorable to the proper adjustment of overtaxation situation and the enactment of laws that will insure uniformity thereof. We express convictions, however, that radical changes in our taxation laws without due consideration would be injurious to the constructive development of our state, and we therefore congratulate the special session of the Forty-first Legislature in the wisdom shown in its refusal to pass such laws as the income tax measure, the gross production tax, the intangible tax and others submitted at the special session recently."

"We appeal to our state legislature to fix a definite policy that will give absolute assurance to the protection of our sacred water rights and one that will forever safeguard waters for municipal and domestic uses and for irrigation purposes."

"We do not believe that there is a demand for a radical change in registration fees on automobiles and express the further belief that a 3-cent gasoline tax will afford sufficient revenue to supplement registration fees in order to maintain our present system of financing our highways. It is our thought, however, that the sovereign voters of Texas should be permitted to pass upon the question of a constitutional amendment submitting a bond issue for the construction and maintenance of our highways."

Inadequate Salaries
"We deprecate the inadequate salaries now being paid the Governor and members of the Legislature. We pledge this convention to the policy of increased salaries for the Governor and members of the Legislature, and to that end we favor the adoption of a constitutional amendment that would guarantee these increased salaries."

"We direct attention to the approach of the decennial census. We pledge ourselves to do everything within our power to see that the proper accounting is made to the end and that our resources which have grown so marvelously within the last ten years may be exploited to the world. We also recommend that the parent organization exert its energy to the end that a reapportionment be made in West Texas in order that this section may have its just representation in the State Legislature and in Congress."

We call upon our State Legislature to make adequate appropriations for the proper maintenance of our West Texas institutions which are growing in the most unusual manner.

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try bids fair to become a great source of wealth in this section of the state. We therefore pledge the membership of this convention to lend every encouragement along these lines. We also commend the agricultural department of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for its constructive work in urging the necessity for terracing and the conservation of our soils.

"We give cordial indorsement to the efforts now being made to secure the attendance of President Hoover of the United States and Gil of Mexico at our annual convention to be held in El Paso. We commit this convention to the efforts of making this the greatest event ever held in the Southwest."

"We give our heartiest approv-

al of the efforts being put forth by President Bourland and the staff of workers of the organization for their untiring efforts and in the development of West Texas and we pledge our continued cooperation to the president, manager and the staff.

DR. ODOM LEAVES FOR EXTENDED TRIP

Dr. J. A. Odom left Saturday, May 18, to attend the State Medical Association, at Brownsville. Following the Medical Association meeting, Dr. Odom will go to Dallas for ten days, to attend the Post Graduate School at Baylor University. Dr. Odom will be away from Memphis until about June 6.

Miss Gwendolyn Cox, sister of Mrs. W. S. Moore, came from Lamesa Sunday night, to visit for several months.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Miss Ruby Davis of Lakeview succeeded in winning highest honors in her class in the Lakeview High School and was awarded a free scholarship by the Chillicothe Business College of Chillicothe, Missouri. She has her choice of either a Shorthand, Bookkeeping or Telegraph course.

BEGIN REGISTRATION

DENTON, May 23. (UP)—Students at the College of Industrial Arts have already begun registration for next year under a plan of spring enrollment to avoid long lines characteristic of previous enrollments. Two weeks is being given over to enrollment by the new plan. Already 850 students have paid their fees for next year.

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61-2p JOHN T. BISHOP, Sec'y.

Yettie Mae Hackworth, who is a sophomore at West Texas State Teacher's College at Canyon, won a sweater for proficiency in athletic activities.

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J. Hardin Mallard, Pastor.
Dr. M. McNeely, Supt. S. S.

Miss Bernice Bean, who has been attending school in Canyon came home Friday to attend graduation exercises, her sister, Ruth, being one of the graduates. She returned to Canyon Monday.

Mrs. R. E. Stroup, attending the burial of her mother, Mrs. Roark.

Mr. and Mrs. H. and son, Henry Boyd Newman's mother at first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. W. W. Clower, and Mrs. Clower went to Hollis opening of Dr. and Jones. They returned day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. came Friday from visit with Mrs. M. J.

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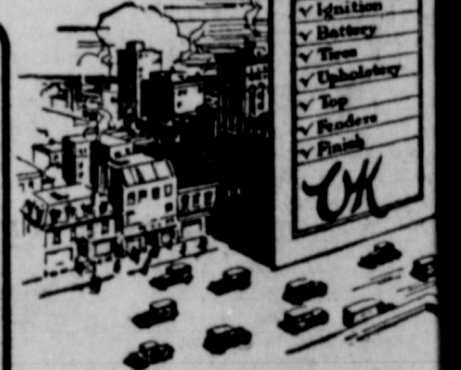
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