

To advanced age and the reckless energy Mr. Clark had thrown into his work. To development of those who opened an easy door. It was only a question of a little time, Mr. Whip knew, despite the "congratulatory" fight his patient was making and besides Mrs. Clark, the former speaker's son Bennett and his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Thompson of New York, were at his bedside through all his last hours.

Democratic Leader Loses Out in Fight With Grim Reaper



Champ Clark.

Was the War Speaker. Mr. Clark presided over the house throughout the world war, following the speaker's office after seven years when the republicans regained control last year as a result of their victories in the 1918 congressional elections. He then was chosen as democratic leader in the house.

During the present session it was apparent that the former speaker's health was failing. He walked slowly, he talked slowly, and he usually was on the floor and followed proceedings closely, he rarely engaged in debate. In one or two sessions, however, he spoke of his death in congratulatory terms. During the session and talk, however, he retained vigor and took an active part in his campaign for reelection in Missouri. A thought ran ahead of his rickety Mr. Clark was defeated by approximately 3,000 votes, Judge T. W. Haskins of Warrenton, Mo., being elected.

Led on 27 Ballots in 1912. In the Democratic national convention in Baltimore in 1912 Champ Clark led on 27 ballots for the nomination as candidate for president and had a clear majority of nine ballots prior to the final naming of Woodrow Wilson. The two-thirds rule of the convention alone prevented Mr. Clark's nomination. The honor which his party thus paid him was the most notable of his public life. In American political history Martin Van Buren was the only other man who failed of the nomination for the presidency after having received a majority of the votes in the national convention, but he enjoyed the unique distinction of being elected subsequently.

Oklahoma newspaper editor, was announced in the signing dates of the 62nd congress and Bennett Clark, parliamentarian of the house at the speaker's appointment, whom the speaker hoped to have succeed to his seat in congress, comprised the rest of the immediate family.

Spring Sensation in Murder Trial

Landlady of Kansas City Charged With Death of Society Girl, Talks

Two Plead Not Guilty to Robbing Aged Negro

Who is Clipson? Investigate

Stomach Upset? Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

Senator Denies That Soldiers Propose to Dip Him in Tick Vat

By Associated Press Staff Writer. OKLAHOMA CITY, March 2.—Senator J. E. Fleming of Poteau today denied a report that the Poteau post of the American Legion had adopted a resolution proposing the revivification of him in tick eradication vats as a penalty for his alleged opposition to the soldier's hospital bill.

Drainage Bill Is Law Over Veto

Senate Follows House in Passing McKeown Act; Owen Gives Dinner

Prowlers Kill a Woman

Wife of Cleveland County Farmer Is Shot to Death

Young Dalton Gives \$15,000 Bail

Currency Chief Resigns Fund 'Drive' at Capital

WASHINGTON, March 2.—John Hamilton Williams resigned tonight as comptroller of the currency, in accepting his resignation "with deep and genuine reluctance." President Wilson wrote Mr. Williams that he had been done a gross injustice, "by the way in which the senate banking committee had handled the question of his re-confirmation."

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 2.—Reminiscence of the many drives for funds during the war, with which to carry on the activities necessary for its successful completion, was the scene in the state senate this afternoon, where fund and appropriation drives were subject to the closest scrutiny and debate. Requests for so much money for one state department, a little more for a state institution, as were requests for appropriations by the people for similar functioning bodies relating to war winning, were passed upon, many going over the top, while those deemed unworthy died for want of support.

Lightning advertisement: THE PLAY THE NATION IS WAITING FOR. LIGHTNING CONVENTION HALL—THURSDAY NIGHT, MARCH 10

Spring Neckwear advertisement: HERE are the first of the new beauties in spring ties. New silks, satins, silk knits in small shapes to fit the new low collars young fellows are wearing.

Madansky Brothers Model Clothing Co. advertisement: Have you a bad taste, coated tongue, poor appetite, a lazy, don't-care feeling, no ambition or energy, trouble with undigested foods?

The Happy Road

Those who save money will be self respecting and respected by their friends. In thrift there is dignity, independence and no fear of poverty. Other things being equal, the person who saves naturally is happier, more contented and a more useful and desirable member of the community.

Exchange Trust Company advertisement: SAVINGS DEPARTMENT. Exchange Trust Company 14 EAST THIRD

Worked With Wilson. The breach between Bryan and Clark never healed, although they met at a luncheon arranged by mutual friends a few months later and exchanged perfunctory speeches.

Mouser's C. O. D. Grocery and Market advertisement: 1003 East Third. PHONE CEDAR 2454. 1003 East Third

U. S. TIRES advertisement: Osage 705 Osage Polin Service. Seventh at Boulder

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Queen of the Southwest TOGGERY advertisement: Successors to Wissman. Next Door to Hyland Tailoring Co. 16 West Third St. Opposite the Orpheum Theater. Newest Arrivals in SPRING SUITS of Serge and Tricotine. \$25 to \$75. Many Pretty Models in the SPORT COAT. Attractively Priced Now at \$17.50 to \$25.

Dunlap & Co. advertisement: EXTRA QUALITY DUNLAP & CO. More Than Just A Trade Mark. THE Dunlap die has served for many years as a sign post guiding men to hats of the finest quality.

Wear-Ever advertisement: The Ware That Lasts A Generation. "Wear-Ever" Aluminum Cooking Utensils give you every satisfaction: Safety, Economy, Durability, Freedom from Worry. YOU can cook the most delicate and easily scorched food in "Wear-Ever" utensils with less fear of burning than in any other kind, because aluminum is a better distributor of heat and retains it longer.