

**THE WEATHER.**  
West Texas—Tonight and Sunday partly cloudy, probably rain in south-east portion; colder in Panhandle.

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Exports from Texas ports is three times as great as from Pacific coast ports?

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## RUSSIAN DOCTOR HELD BY AUSTIN POLICE

### BANKHEAD GETS BETTER PRICES REPORT SHOWS

Produce Firm in New Orleans Pays Premium on Bankhead Eggs to Get Quality.

The Bankhead Poultry Producers' association for the week which ended Jan. 28, paid its members 29 1-2 cents per dozen for eggs after the association's commission for handling was taken off as compared with 22 cents to 25 cents per dozen received by non members, according to Geo. W. Briggs, secretary of the association.

For the week ending Saturday, Feb. 4, non-association members received a price which ranged from 18 cents to 22 cents per dozen while the association paid its members 23 cents per dozen, according to Mr. Briggs.

Mr. Briggs stated that there may have been a few individual cases where non-association members received more than the prices quoted for their eggs, but these instances, if at all, were scarce.

It was pointed out by the association secretary that the association is performing a real service to non-association members as well as to its members, since it is shipping eggs out of the territory all of the time which prevents a surplus which would have the effect to run the price down.

The association last Friday and Saturday shipped out sixty cases of eggs and could have shipped more but did not have them. One firm in New Orleans is paying 75 cents per crate more for Bankhead eggs than is being asked. This premium is being paid by this firm for quality.

That the association is making progress is evidenced by the fact that only recently an additional truck and driver was put on. This truck will haul eggs to Fort Worth where they will be sold to retailers.

An announcement as to arrangements for cold storage facilities for the association may be made shortly, it is stated.

### Delay Opening Of Golf Tournament At San Antonio

**SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 4.**—The opening round of championship play in the 72-hole Texas open golf tournament was again postponed today.

A steady rain falling Friday and this morning caused officials to postpone the match.

The second postponement was made possible by the advancing of the Hot Springs, Ark., tournament from next Wednesday when it was scheduled to open, until Friday.

### EXPLOSION WRECKS HOME OF OHIO MAYOR

**CAMPBELL, Ohio, Feb. 4.**—The front of the home of Mayor Roy Cordon was wrecked by a bomb explosion here today. Cordon and the four members of his family escaped uninjured.

Shortly after the blast, Cordon was called on the telephone by an unidentified man who asked him "how he liked the explosion." Cordon could assign no motive for the bomb. The mayor also was called an hour before the blast and warned that his house would be dynamited.

### Lone Navigator Scorning Social Ties, Now Completing A Cruise of Two Years

**PARIS.**—Alain Gerbault, French tennis player who became a circumnavigator of the globe, using a tiny sailboat, is on the last lap of his long journey which has taken him up and down the seven seas for two years. He is now somewhere in the South Atlantic bearing due north from Cape Town, via the island of St. Helena where Napoleon passed his last years in exile.

Even Gerbault's close friends, and they are very few, are unable to explain his liking for solitude and long sea voyages far from civilization. It is ascribed by some to a hopeless love affair, by others to financial reverses and by others to deep seated mysogony amounting to a positive hatred for modern life in civilized communities. It has even been reported recently that he intends to take up his permanent residence in an island of the South Seas.

Gerbault was, however, always a lover of the sea. In his youth he lived for years in Dinard and St. Malo on the Breton coast. The local fishermen were his pals and from them he learned all they knew about seafaring. The old corsairs were the heroes of his boyhood reading. He was an insatiable reader of books of travel and adventure even when he was an engineering student in Paris. Of exceptional physical strength and agility he made a name as a tennis player. In the Great War he distinguished himself as an aviator.

### Dangerous?



Mrs. Faye Brimberry, attractive 23-year-old blond of Frankfort, Ind., is said to have confessed writing and mailing threatening letters to five prominent business men. The letters, signed "Dangerous Sam," promised death to the recipients' families unless sums of money were surrendered.

### Eastland County Rural Teachers Meet Saturday

About 52 rural school teachers met Saturday with Miss Beulah Spear county superintendent, to discuss some of the important problems that confront the rural teacher, and to arouse more interest in the rural districts in the Interscholastic league work.

Instructive talks were made by Miss Speer, E. E. Layton and J. Andrews, all of which dealt with the work of the league. Each of the speakers told of the advantages to rural school of the Interscholastic league and touched upon the county meet which will be held in Eastland, March 29 and in Ranger, March 30 and 31. The Interscholastic League meet, the county fair and the county examination, were touched upon.

Among the teachers present at the meeting were Miss Thelma Boles, Mr. Roland, Misses Gorce Graham, Willie Graham, Zella Guy, Lennox; Mrs. Sloan, Ima Higgins, Mamie Clement, Mr. L. H. Aldridge; Misses Lilly Gertry, Verda Gilbert, Vickie Stone, Mr. Messrs. B. B. Brumett, J. L. Bisbee, James Harper; Misses Velma Johnson, Pearl Donoway, Ollie LeMaster; Misses E. M. Battles, E. E. McLain; Misses Roba Jenkins, Vesta Lee Gilbert, Mr. A. L. McDonald, Mrs. A. L. McDonald; Misses Zora Byfield, Mary Bell Crouch, Priscilla Cozart; Messrs. A. P. Quinn, C. P. Drake, Herman Jordan, Roy Cypert; Misses Dona Mathews, Connie Parker, Bertha Lucas, LaNell Hanks, Dresda Stubblefield, Fay Rasmussen, Lucile Martin, Argie Mary McCaules, Berdie Courtney, Estha Bradshaw, Daily Caldwell, Maurine Gordon, Don Moran, Messrs. J. Andrews, Forman; Mrs. Devote Dover, J. J. Jones and Doris Donaway.

### Kellogg Favors The Outlawing Of Submarines

**WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.**—Secretary of State Kellogg informed the house foreign relations committee today that the United States is willing to sign a treaty with other countries prohibiting the use of submarines.

In a letter Kellogg approved a resolution of Representative Frothingham of Massachusetts declaring for outlawing the submarines.

### Farmers Advised Now Time to Buy Jerseys

County Agent J. C. Patterson stated Saturday that only a few days remained for those wishing to purchase purebred Jersey bulls and cows through the committee named at the Cisco dairy meeting a few days ago, as this committee expects to leave Monday, Feb. 13, for a tour of South Texas and other places to look over available Jersey cattle for purchase.

Anyone desiring to purchase Jerseys should get in touch with Mr. Patterson at once in order that he may so inform the purchasing committee.

### MAKE GOOD PROFIT IN BEEF CANNING WORK

Miss Ruth Ramey, Eastland county home demonstration agent, reports six beef canning demonstrations in which a profit of \$100.35 was realized. The beeves were canned as chili, hot tamales, soup, etc.

### Oil Sand Found Near Ranger At Depth 45 Feet

George Capilos, owner of the Snappy Service cafe, Ranger, has discovered the shallowest of shallow oil areas in Eastland county. Capilos, while drilling a water well on his place located on Eastland hill, encountered an oil sand at 45 feet in depth. Capilos stated Saturday that the 20-foot bailer had filled every time it was run in the hole.

He has a specimen of the oil on display at his cafe, located on Rusk street.

The shallow well is near several of the big gashers that were brought in during the boom.

At present the well is shut down awaiting repairs to the machinery.

### RANGER LIONS TO ENTERTAIN FOR DISTRICT

Representatives From Twelve Clubs Meet in Ranger Thursday at Luncheon.

The Ranger Lions club will entertain the largest number of out of town members at its regular noon-day luncheon, Thursday, Feb. 9, that it has since its organization.

Judge N. N. Rosenquest, Eastland, district governor of the Lions club, has called a meeting of all presidents, immediate past presidents, and secretaries of the clubs at Fort Worth, Weatherford, Cleburne, Stephenville, Dublin, Comanche, Brownwood, Santa Anna, Cisco, Eastland, Breckinridge and Ranger, and has designated the Ranger organization as the hosts.

The object of the meeting, according to Judge Rosenquest's statement, is to perfect a group organization of the group composed of the above named clubs. It is provided in its constitution and by laws of the Lions club of Texas, that the clubs of the state shall be grouped in organizations of approximately ten clubs each arranged according to accessibility of one to the other.

The meeting to be held in Ranger Thursday is to form this group, elect a chairman. The chairman elected shall become a member of the governing board of Texas as long as he is in office.

Plans to entertain the visiting Lions are being made by the Ranger club, an elaborate banquet will be served at the Gholson Hotel and a short program will in all probability be presented to the visitors. The object of the group organization is to promote and assist in the development and extension of Lionism in this district.

"It will give the clubs a chance to come in closer contact with each other and will furnish an opportunity for the club officers to know each other better and to discuss the various problems that are incident to the progress of the work in their clubs locally as well as in the group, and also furnishes an opportunity to get a broader vision of Lionism," said Judge Rosenquest.

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The new company will engage in producing and other phases of the oil industry, according to Reed.

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Spectators ran to the scene, fearing the plane would ignite. They saw Chamberlain emerge from the cabin, smiling. Not until later did he notice the burn on his hand.

A. B. Martin, New York backer of the flight, said the flyers would remain here to superintend salvage of the plane. He said the endurance attempt would be made again with a new plane.

### Acorn Queen



Dainty and demure Beth Winkler was chosen queen at the Acorn Ball this year. The ball is an annual event at Weber college, Ogden, Utah and hundreds of girls compete for the honor.

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### UNITED STATES POLICY SCORED AT CONFERENCE

Undercurrent of Resentment Breaks Out. Efforts Are Made to Check Debate.

**HAVANA, Cuba, Feb. 4.**—A smoldering undercurrent of Latin-American resentment against United States policy in South America burst into flame at the Pan-American conference today and left the United States delegation standing almost alone in a fight for things as they are.

Victor Maurtua, Peruvian section of the international law committee submitted a report that while it recognized the right of sovereignty of all nations, reminded of the fact that rights entailed obligations.

Delegates from most of the 21 nations represented at the conference had ideas on the subject. Every one knew what they were—that intervention by the United States in one country might sometime mean intervention in any.

Columbia announced flatly she would not agree to any declaration that directly or indirectly the right of intervention by any nation in the affairs of another.

Gustavo Guerrero, Salvador, president of the committee had turned his gavel over to another man so he could reply as an ordinary member and he refused in his speech to accept the Maurtua report as a basis of discussion.

Honorio Pueyrredon, Argentina, followed and declared his country's views in opposition to the proposal.

Gonzales Roa, Mexico, made a cryptic declaration that some interpreted as relating to the United States intervention in Mexico.

"Mexico is the only country of the western hemisphere that has written the principle of non-intervention in blood."

It was obvious the debate had gone beyond the restricted bounds planned for it. The question in most delegates' minds was whether and how soon it could be checked.

### Eastland Schools Require Pupils To Be Vaccinated

**W. Z. Bates, superintendent of the Eastland public schools, announced Saturday that all school buildings in the city had been fumigated in accordance with the orders from the county and city health officers and that school would open Monday morning as usual, but that only those pupils presenting certificates showing they had been vaccinated for smallpox would be admitted.**

The order for vaccination from the health officers includes each and every person connected with the schools, Superintendent Bates said.

The order that the school buildings be fumigated and the pupils and teachers vaccinated were issued by the health officers when a number of cases of smallpox broke out in the city.

It is stated at Eastland that smallpox cases have been reported from other places than Eastland also and that the doctors have expressed some alarm that a general epidemic of the disease is probable unless steps are taken at once to prevent it.

### Governor Pothier Of Rhode Island Dies at Age of 74

**WOONSOCKET, R. I., Feb. 4.**—Aram J. Pothier, governor of Rhode Island, died at his home here tonight in his seventy-fourth year.

Death which came suddenly at 7:50 p. m., removed a dominant figure from republican politics in this state—a man who had held public office intermittently for more than 40 years and who had seven times been elected governor.

### Bird Dog is Lost 23 Days Without Food or Water

A valuable pointer bird dog belonging to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chambers of Sweetwater, disappeared from his home January 13, which was Friday, and was not located until today.

An abandoned storm cellar in the Chamber's yard was opened to be aired and the dog crept out and licked his liberator's hand.

The dog had been confined in the cellar for 23 days without food or water. He had eaten part of the lower step of the cellar for food.

### Killer?



Confessing to two robberies on the eve of his wedding to a nurse, James L. Morehouse, Battle Creek, Mich., postoffice clerk, since has confessed slaying Cleo Platt, Eaton county deputy sheriff, following a robbery.

Morehouse was arrested in Sturgis, Mich., the home of the bride's parents and now is held in the Eaton county jail at Charlotte.

### Prosecution Hits Hickman Defense With Hard Blows

**COURTROOM, LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4.**—Two state alienists today struck telling blows at the insanity defense of William Edward Hickman, on trial for the murder of Marian Parker, 12-year-old daughter of a Los Angeles banker.

Dr. Cecil Reynolds of Los Angeles and Dr. Paul E. Bowers, former superintendent of Indiana hospital for the criminal insane, both were called by Asa Keyes, district attorney, at today's session.

Both testified that in their opinion Hickman was sane at the time of the murder of the little school girl.

### Vacancy on Ranger School Board Is Filled Saturday

Lee Williams, resident of the Merriam district, was elected to fill the vacancy on the board of trustees of the Ranger Independent school district, at a meeting of the trustees held Saturday afternoon.

Williams will finish the unexpired term of Dr. L. C. Buchanan, who resigned from the board some time ago.

The vacancy on the high school faculty, caused by the resignation of Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick, will be filled by Miss Martha Wetzel of Commerce, Miss Wetzel will have charge of the Spanish department in the high school.

She is a graduate of Baylor University, having received her B. A. degree there and has had several years experience in teaching.

### Representative Says Moody Will Run For Governor

**AUSTIN, Feb. 4.**—Representative A. P. C. Petch of Fredericksburg after a conference with Governor Dan Moody here today announced positively that Moody would be a candidate for re-election for governor.

He said he was authorized by the governor to make the announcement.

### Stewart Is Granted Habeas Corpus Writ

**WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.**—Robert Stewart, millionaire oil man, today was granted a writ of habeas corpus temporarily. The senate demand that he appear before that body at once. The defiant Indiana oil chief, whose refusal to testify fully at the senate Teapot Dome hearing had caused his arrest, appeared before Justice Bailey of the district supreme court at 11 a. m. The proceedings were brief.

### PRINCETON-NAVY GAME TO BE PLAYED IN PHILADELPHIA

**ANNAPOLIS, Maryland, Feb. 4.**—The Princeton-Navy football game on Nov. 24 which replaces the army game on the navy's schedule this fall, will be played at Franklin field, Philadelphia, Commander Jonas H. Ingram, director of athletics announced today.

### UNFOLDS STORY OF LIFE IN TALK TO GOVERNOR

Nicolas Trotsky, Present at Execution of Former Czar Aided Daughter to Escape

**AUSTIN, Feb. 4.**—Police here Saturday detained a young Russian physician who claimed to be Nicolas Trotsky, the nephew of Leon Trotsky, the Soviet ex-leader. He was taken into custody when a check was not honored.

To Governor Moody the physician unfolded his life story, he having declined to make a statement to the police or other city officials.

He claimed to have been present when the czar of Russia and his family were executed by a firing squad of 21 men and that he was the physician who examined the bodies and officially pronounced them dead.

According to his statement the youngest daughter of the czar escaped and he assisted in the escape, taking her on horse back away from the scene of the execution.

He succeeded in getting her to Liverpool, England, where he left her. He sailed to America on a refugee ship and when he landed in this country 10 years ago he had 5-000 Russian rubles for which he received 37 cents, he said. Since his arrival in this country he claimed to have received one letter from the czar's daughter whom he had aided in escaping. When it was written she was in Austin.

The young Russian talked freely with the governor, stating that if he was deported to Russia he feared he would be jailed or executed.

He came to Austin recently as an applicant for the position of assistant city physician.

### Aviation News

**Lindbergh Lands**  
**SAN DOMINGO, Feb. 4.**—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh landed his plane, the Spirit of St. Louis, at 2:10 p. m. today in this capital, chief city of an island where Christopher Columbus first knew he had found a new world.

American's veteran flyer, who was 26 years old yesterday, made the 235-mile trip from San Juan, Porto Rico, in three hours and five minutes.

He was on one of the last laps of his circuit to Central America, which began when he left Bolling Field, Washington, D. C., for Mexico, Dec. 13, nearly seven weeks ago.

**Flys To Nicaragua**  
**WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.**—A marine corps Fokker transport monoplane late today completed a one-stop flight from Washington to Nicaragua, the navy was notified. It was the third plane of the type flown successfully over the 2,700-mile route. All three planes were sent to be used in the marine operations against the rebel leader, General Sandino.

The plane, commanded by Lieutenant George T. Towner, reached Managua, the Nicaraguan capital, at 4:55 p. m. mean time, from Miami, Fla., where it had hopped off across Cuba and the Caribbean sea today.

### French In New Orleans

**NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 4.**—Dieudonne Costes and Joseph LeBriz, French aviators, who spanned the South Atlantic, arrived here at 5:07 p. m. today after a non-stop flight from Mexico City.

### Donnellon at Key West

**KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 4.**—Captain Joseph Donnellon enroute from Chicago for an air tour of South and Central America arrived here late today from Miami, Fla.

### Levine Is Delayed

**ROOSEVELT FIELD, L. I., Feb. 4.**—The start of Chas. A. Levine's "long Southern flight" destination uncertain, was delayed indefinitely today by Miss Mable Boll, "the diamond queen," whom Levine had agreed to take along.

Miss Boll had to wait until Manhattan stores opened to do some shopping which she considered necessary before beginning the flight which may lead to Cuba or South America.

### County Board School Trustees Hold Meet

The Eastland county board of school trustees met in regular session, at the office of Miss Beulah Spear, Eastland county school superintendent, in Eastland Saturday afternoon. A number of very important matters were disposed of at this meeting. Those present were: J. A. Beard, W. R. Ussery, W. E. Cooper and R. R. Bradshaw.

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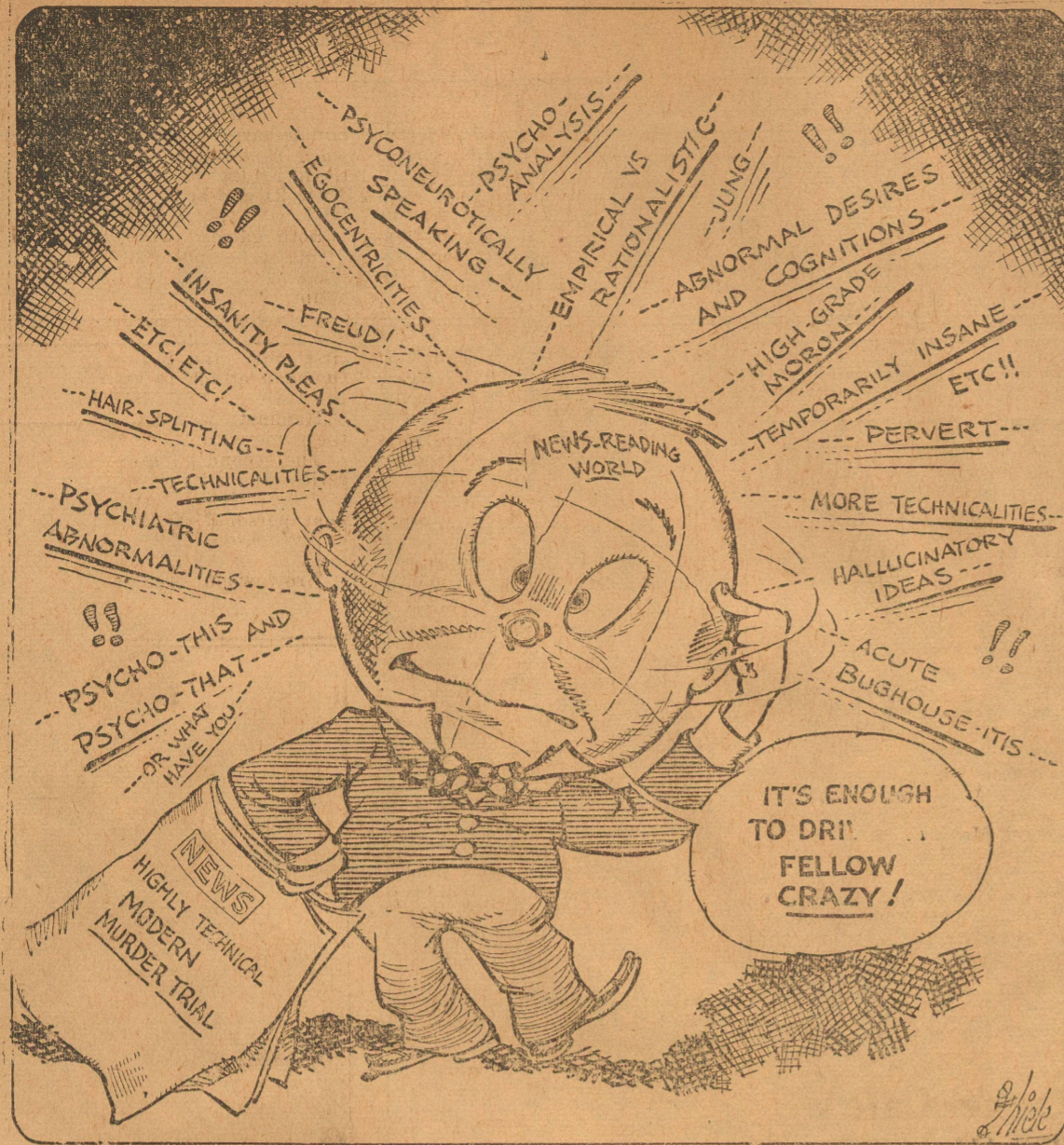
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### Another Prospect for These Here Now Alienists



**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Sunday school, D. F. Knox, superintendent, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching by the pastor, 11 a. m. Annen, New Heaven and a New Earth—Gaul.  
Epworth League 6:30 p. m.  
Lion's Club service 7:30 p. m.  
W. M. S. meets in regular business meeting Monday. The president requests a report from the captains on membership drive.  
All members are urged to bring supplies for the box.  
Young Peoples choir practice Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-week prayer service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Choir practice Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

**FIRE DAMAGES HOME OF JOE DRISKILL, EASTLAND**  
The Eastland fire department answered a call to the home of Joe Driskill, located on Halbyrant street, about 7:30 p. m., Saturday.  
The top of the house was completely destroyed. All the furniture was saved by the department and volunteers.  
Youths are getting nerves.—Headline. And that sounds bad, if said "nerves" are the plural of the "nerve" they already have.

Bandits reported to be getting some big hauls, but the best one will come when they are hauled in some city's patrol wagon to the nearest jail.

**Variety Store and Fixit Shop**  
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**CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. J. A. Caraway, pastor.  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service 11 a. m.  
Religious Census 1:30 p. m.  
Training service R. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m.  
Evening service 7:30 p. m., hearing Geo. W. McCall, the old time Gospel preacher. Singing led by B. L. Millard.  
At 1:30 p. m. we will assemble at the church to take the religious census of the city. We invite all members to assist us and be at the church a little before 1:30.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Walter Murray, superintendent.  
Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. leaders, Mrs. Lee Mitchell and Mrs. Chambers.  
Evening preaching 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Delivered."  
Monday the ladies of the church meet at 1:30 p. m.  
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. prayer meeting.  
Friday 7 p. m. choir practice.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Revival services beginning at the Church of God, 602 Strawn road, J. C. Coats is in charge.  
Woman clings to decollete dress, notes a fashion column. And, if she is to avoid embarrassing mishap, she had better not relax in her clinging.

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**PRACTICING COURTESY.**  
Speaking well of another is not only good policy, it is a wonderful tonic. Moreover, it creates an atmosphere of cordiality, it removes distrust and soothes animosities, it is a social salve that heals many a wound received in the battle of life. It is good business, too, and it promotes a feeling that is at the foundation of united civic endeavor. In a town where there is constant criticism, where wrangling and backbiting are indulged in by any considerable number of persons, there is to be found little of the spirit that makes communities grow.

Bruce Barton, tells of a man who made a practice of utilizing every opportunity for doing and saying courteous and considerate things. He declares that at least half of that man's millions were accumulated by courtesy and adds, "and it cost him nothing." That is quite true, the cost to him was nothing and while the return may have partaken of material profit the greater gain was in his own happiness—a spiritual dividend, worth more than all else besides.

Next to self-respect, based upon consciousness of a desire and effort to deal fairly with all men and to live aright, there is nothing so stimulating to the nobler ego than an attitude of constant liking for the good points of others, the unconscious searching out and recognition of such traits, the doing of little courtesies, the giving of consideration, the withholding of the spoken word or expression of the unkind thought that might wound if uttered, the daily practice of kindness that smooths the path of life for those with whom one comes in contact.

**WHY WE ARE RICH.**  
It is doubtful if any of the various reasons advanced for the constant increase in this country's wealth are more pertinent than the results of a study recently made by the census bureau on the average industrial output per worker. The study showed that in 1925 each worker was responsible for an output of \$7,479 worth of goods, the total output having been \$62,706,000,000. Both figures were new high records, and though no similar study was made for 1926 it is thought the results were little different despite lower commodity prices.

Industrial output per worker has grown steadily in recent years, and shows an enormous gain over pre-war production, even allowing for decline in value of the dollar. In 1909 average output per worker was only \$3,125 worth of goods, which left a far smaller surplus after deducting cost of production.

**Aviator Turns 515 Air Loops, Breaks Record**

By United Press.  
ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 4—Gene Shank, 22-year-old law student, today looped the loop in an airplane 515 consecutive times. He broke all known existing records for the feat.  
The highest known previous record was 315 turns, in France by Bevin W. Maynard. Shank was in the air four hours and 26 minutes. He tied Maynard's record three hours after taking off at the local airport and continued to fly until his gasoline supply was exhausted. Shank brought his plane to the ground in "dead stick" fashion.  
His chapped lips were bleeding and his face was numb from the cold.

### Collie Will Run For Judge County Court-At-Law

Wilbourne B. Collie, district clerk of Eastland county has authorized the announcement that he will be a candidate for judge of the county court at law. Mr. Collie has served two terms as district clerk in the county and is now asking for an advancement. In its report made the latter part of the week the grand jury paid a very high compliment to Mr. Collie and his work as district clerk.

Mr. Collie is a native of Eastland county, having been born and raised here. He lived two years in Ranger before moving to Eastland when elected district clerk. In his campaigns for district clerk he polled good votes in both Ranger and Eastland.

Mr. Collie's announcements follow:  
"In announcing my candidacy for the office of Judge of the County Court-at-Law, I desire first, to express my gratitude for the loyal support given me by the people of Eastland county in my first campaign for district clerk, and in electing me to a second term to that position. The confidence shown in me is deeply appreciated and it has been my fervent, sincere endeavor to repay this confidence by fulfilling the trust you have reposed in me to the very best of my ability. I am now asking promotion at your hands."

"During my administration of the district clerk's office, it has been my constant purpose to conduct it in a businesslike manner for the benefit of Eastland county, and at the close of each year I have turned over to the county treasurer a surplus of several thousand dollars above all expenses of the office. This has been accomplished because I have employed an absolute minimum number of deputies at salaries as low as competent employees could be secured, and for the further reason that the fees of the office have been diligently collected."

"While in the service of the public I have observed the trials of hundreds of cases in the county and district courts. This opportunity for observing the processes and procedure of our courts is, I think, of great value in qualifying me for the position of judge of the County Court-at-Law. Furthermore, the office of district clerk is a position that requires considerable study of law and knowledge of technical questions. In addition, I might state that I have used much of my spare time in studying all the branches of law. If I am your choice for the position of judge of the County Court-at-Law, it will be my conscientious desire to try with fairness all cases and to maintain impartially the rights and privileges of all persons appearing before the court. The county court should try all cases over which it has jurisdiction and thereby relieve the congestion in the district courts."  
"As district clerk, I have tried to discharge fully every duty. I am now asking advancement. If through your ballots you allow me to realize this ambition I assure you, with a heart filled with loyalty to my fellow-man and devotion to duty, that you will never have occasion for regret."  
MILBOURNE B. COLLIE.

### Candidate



Wilbourne B. Collie who announces as a candidate for judge of the county court-at-law. Collie is now serving his second term as district clerk.

**TO HOLD PAN-PACIFIC ADVERTISING MEETING**  
By United Press.  
HONOLULU, T. H.—A Pan-Pacific conference on advertising and marketing will be held in connection with the annual convention of the Pacific Advertising Clubs association at Honolulu in June.

In a statement issued in connection with the plan to enlarge the sphere of the annual meeting A. Carman Smith, president of the association, expressed belief that the conference will be an epochal event in the history of organized advertising.  
"The westward trend of commerce has now reached the point where the commercial interests of America are extending recognition to the tremendous market of the Pan-Pacific countries which in turn are making a strong bid for American business," Smith said.  
"Such conferences, international in character, should bring about the more intelligent development of our commercial and social intercourse with our neighbors bordering on the Pacific. The Honolulu convention is a distinct opportunity to bring about this better understanding, establishing as it will, a common meeting ground for commercial interests at the cross-roads of the Pacific."  
"The magnitude of the task we are undertaking is fully appreciated but I believe we will have the fullest cooperation of the commercial interests of all the countries concerned and of the various governmental bodies," Smith's statement declared.

### CHURCHES

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Main, near new hospital.  
Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor.  
Sunday school 10 a. m., E. T. Walton, superintendent.  
Preaching, by the pastor 11 a. m. No preaching at the evening hour as we will join the Methodist church in a union communion service.  
Christian Endeavor will meet as usual at 6:30 p. m.

This afternoon is the time for the annual budget drive and the committees for this service will be at the church at 1:30 this afternoon. It will not take long to do his work if all will be prompt.  
The ladies will meet with Mrs. Hood on Strawn road Monday afternoon at 2:20. This is the monthly Missionary meeting and a large attendance is requested.  
The Grison Rule Bible Class will meet at 10 a. m. at the usual place, Mr. Holloway, teacher.  
There will be no prayer meeting Wednesday evening as there is a revival meeting at Central Baptist church. Come and worship with us this morning.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m.  
Mr. Read of Waxahachie, Texas, will fill the pulpit at the 11 o'clock hour.  
Come worship with us.  
S. B. BAKER, Supt.

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START THEM ON  
**SUPERIOR CHICK STARTER**  
ALL KINDS OF FEED  
**A. J. RATLIFF**  
PROMPT DELIVERY  
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**CHOOSING A SPRING SUIT**  
—How to change the Usual Ordeal into an Occasion of Triumph

You can do it—in this way:  
Instead of hurrying into the store in the old time fashion, without having any idea what suit you ought to wear—  
and being uncertain and embarrassed, not knowing which style to choose, and later wondering whether, after all, the suit would look well—  
Do this. March in with a firm, self-confident tread. Ask us to show you the

**The New Styles for Spring by Society Brand**

Try one on. Look in the mirror and your confidence will be justified. We will tell you whether you look better in two or three button styles that are here in such fine fabrics as Dublin Twist, Imported Scotch Tweeds and the new hard finished fabric—Belvo Twist.

In grays, tans and stripes—  
**\$50**  
**GLOBE**  
CORRECT DRESS FOR MEN  
220 MAIN STREET  
RANGER, TEXAS

### Three of Filipino Boxers Coming To United States

By United Press.  
HONOLULU, T. H.—Three Filipino boxers who have been well known members of the local squared circle gentry are planning to embark upon professional careers on the American mainland.

The two Bolo brothers, Battling Bolo and Young Bolo, already have sailed for Los Angeles where they will train under the guidance of Johnny Hogan, Long Beach gymnasium instructor and boxing manager.

Hogan has announced that the Filipino battlers have affixed their signatures to contracts to box in and around Los Angeles and that tentative arrangements have been made to match them for bouts in February and March.

Cyclone Pete, another well known Filipino boxer, is still in Honolulu preparing to leave for Los Angeles shortly where he will join the Bolo brothers in Hogan's stable.

Hogan is a cousin of Philadelphia Jack O'Brien. On a recent visit to Honolulu he was impressed with the ability of the Filipino boxers and determined to introduce them in professional rings on the mainland.

"The boxing public in Los Angeles demands colorful fighters and when I first saw the Bolo brothers and Cyclone Pete I recognized their possibilities," Hogan told the United Press while he was here. "These boys are fast, they can punch and they don't know how to stall."

The elder Bolo will fight as a legitimate lightweight while Young Bolo, who packs a knockout drop in either fist, will try his fortunes as a Bantam. Pete will be listed in the flyweight division.

Battling Bolo already is known to coast ring followers for he appeared in California three years ago as a featherweight. On that visit he entered the ring 18 times, won eight fights by knockouts, as many more

### At Eleventh Hour She Won't Wed



What was to have been the second honeymoon of Franklin S. Hardinge, 61-year old Chicago Millionaire and Miss Anne Livingstone, 30, Tulsa, Okla., divorcee (above) seems to have been called off. A prenuptial dinner was given by Hardinge, the minister engaged, the wedding supper arranged, and all that. There seemed to be no hitch. Yet when Miss Livingstone was asked to sign a paper waiving claim to the wealth of her prospective husband for \$100,000 to be paid upon his death, she refused. Thus ends this chapter.

on decisions and it is a matter of record that not once did he take the long count.

Claimed that everyone should be instructed in music, and most of our citizens have got so far that they can blow an automobile horn.

### Remodel Building For Auto Agency

The brick building owned by the First Christian church of Eastland and located just across the street from the Eastland Telegram office, is being repaired and repainted and will house the Whippet and Overland automobile agency owned by Jack Williamson, according to E. E. Wood.

A ladies' ready-to-wear store is to occupy what was formerly the lobby of the Stanley Hotel in Eastland located on North Lamar street. The inside of the building is being repainted for this purpose.

### Mexico Plans To Send Forty To Olympic Games

By United Press.  
MEXICO CITY—Mexico is expected to send 40 athletes to the coming Olympic games in Amsterdam this year. Included among these will be a football team which will compete in the international games, won in 1924 by Uruguay. Mexico will be represented in most all branches of sport, except in tennis or rifle shooting competition.

Mexican football teams are among the best in the world although they met defeat at the hands of the Real Madrid team during that club's visit here last autumn. From information given out by members of the Olympic committee here, it would seem that Mexico intends to concentrate its hopes on its football team which will be most carefully selected. The decision not to send a tennis or rifle team was made so that the money and time necessary for the selection of competitors in these sports might be directed to football.

This will be only the second Olympic games in which Mexico has been entered. A movement to send teams to the Olympics was started in 1923 when Count Baillet Latour visited Mexico. Fifteen athletes represented Mexico in the 1924 Olympiad, the first time Mexico had been represented in any such international athletic event.

The committee which had charge of the selection of these contestants is still in power and working to raise money to meet Mexico's expenses in the coming games.

These days a man considering marriage must figure whether he can afford not only matrimony but alimony. A traveler says he finds Scotch truthful. But the labels on it often aren't.

### Frog Mentor Is Invited To View Corner Stone

The Eastland Board of City Development has written Matty Bell, coach of the Texas Christian university football team, extending him an invitation to be present when the cornerstone of the old Eastland county courthouse, which is being torn down, is opened to see for himself whether the horned frog, which legend says was placed in the cornerstone was laid 31 years ago, is in it. The letter follows:

"Mr. Matty Bell, Coach, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas. Dear Mr. Bell: You have doubtless heard the West Texas legend that a horned frog can live for a hundred years without food or water. In all probability you have also read—in the past few weeks—of the horned frog that, tradition says was placed within the cornerstone of the Eastland county courthouse 31 years ago.

"Within a short time, the cornerstone will be opened and the marvelous powers of the horned frog should be proved or disproved, as fate shall decree.

"We feel that you as the coach of Texas Christian university—which has made the name of the horned frog famous throughout the nation—should have a peculiar interest in Eastland's horned frog and, in order that the frog may receive fair play, you are urged to be present when the cornerstone is opened. The presence of Rags Matthews, greatest of all horned frogs of the gridiron, is also desired.

"Please advise us whether you can attend this ceremony, which is to be viewed by a great throng. The date is not yet certain but the old courthouse is now being torn down so it won't be long now."

Rome reports that Italy is to have 60 "immortals"—but is silent as to how many of them Mussolini will be.

### Bulldogs Take Double Battle From Brownwood

The Ranger Bulldogs scored a double-barrel victory over the Brownwood High school cagers, downing them Friday night by the score of 26 to 21 and again marking up a win Saturday night, 24 to 21.

Both games were tough battles from the beginning and the victor at the outset of the games remained in doubt.

With the score 17 to 16 in Brownwood's favor in the first half of the first game, the Bulldogs launched a five-man attack in the second frame to win.

Hammett was high point man of the game with 14 points to his credit.

The second game of the two-game series was even harder fought than the first, being replete with numerous personal fouls. Ranger had seven personal fouls marked against them when the game ended. Brownwood was given 12 free

throws in the second game.

Starting lineup for Friday's game: Ranger: Hammett and Burns, forwards; Tully, center; Hinman and Trammel, guards.

Brownwood: Chambers and Ellis, forwards; C. Harris, center; Hicks and McQueen, guards.

Substitutions: Glenn for Tully, Ranger; Scott for McQueen, Brownwood.

Starting lineup for Saturday's game:

Ranger: Burns and Glenn, forwards; Hammett, center; Hinman and Trammel, guards.

Brownwood: Chambers and Hicks, forwards; C. Harris, center; Scott and McQueen, guards.

Substitutions: Ranger, Roberts for Burns, Seay for Roberts, Tully for Hammett, Mills for Hinman; Brownwood, Gilliam for Chambers, Ellis for Scott, E. Harris for McQueen.

### LARGE APPROPRIATION BILL PASSED SENATE, SATURDAY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The interior department appropriation bill carrying approximately \$272,000,000 was passed late today by the senate.

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Another 500 families to eat  
Jones Best Flour and feed  
Ranger Ho-Maid Dairy Feed  
(\$2.25) and Ranger Chief  
Laying Mash (3.00).  
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**BETTER THAN THE REST**  
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BANNER PRODUCTS GUARANTEED  
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**Washed and Greased**  
The proper equipment plus experienced men enables us to do just a little better work.  
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**MISSION GARAGE**  
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The merchant who sells you merchandise upon regularly arranged terms has the right to expect payment when due. Just as much so as you have a right to expect your pay on pay day.

How is the merchant to continue to give you service on merchandise if you do not pay your bills promptly? You couldn't continue to give service to your employer if he neglected your pay on pay day, could you?

If your bills are NOT PAID in due time—your credit IS STOPPED. Therefore pay your bills PROMPTLY. Keep your credit good and your name will be as good as your credit.

Members of this association are endeavoring to make Ranger a better business place, a better credit town and a better place in which to live.

To the few business and professional men who are not yet lined up with us we commend these brief lines of Kipling:

"It ain't the individual, nor the army as a whole, but the everlastin' teamwork of every bloomin' soul."

Only this kind of co-operation will accomplish in the fullest measure the better things for which are striving.

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### RANGER RETAIL MERCHANTS ASSN.

MRS. ALICE D. TRUE, Secretary

# ONLY TWO MORE DAYS

and our Ninth Annual January Clearance will have passed into history

## Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits at these low prices will not be offered again soon

**\$26** Values to \$40  
**\$36** Values to \$50  
**\$42** Values to \$65

Overcoats to \$55  
Every overcoat of values to \$55 has been put in this one group. **\$23**

GOOD SUITS  
**\$16.75** Several suits left in this group that will surprise you. They're real suits. ONLY TWO MORE DAYS

HATS  
Our entire hat department has been gone through and prices reduced. Best known makes all included.  
\$5.00 Hats, now ... \$3.65  
6.00 Hats, now ... 4.45  
8.00 Hats, now ... 6.85  
10.00 Hats, now ... 8.65  
12.00 Hats, now ... 9.25  
16.50 Hats, now ... 13.85  
20.00 Hats, now ... 14.95

SHIRTS  
Manhattan and other makes ... neckband ... collars to match ... collar attached ... whites not included.  
\$2.50 Shirts ..... \$1.85  
3.00 Shirts ..... 2.25  
3.50 Shirts ..... 2.65  
4.00 Shirts ..... 3.00  
4.50 Shirts ..... 3.35  
5.00 Shirts ..... 3.75  
56.50 Shirts ..... 4.85  
7.50 Shirts ..... 5.65  
10.00 Shirts ..... 7.85

This sale must close and we are giving two more days to late buyers.

Our spring merchandise is arriving and we want to put it on display.

If you are interested in getting a good suit or coat at a real saving to you it will pay you to get busy and act now.

ONLY TWO MORE DAYS

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# DEFINITE ANNOUNCEMENT FOR CONGRES MADE BY LEE

### Former President of West Texas Chamber Of Commerce Seeking Place Held By Thomas L. Blanton

R. Q. Lee of Cisco has definitely announced his candidacy for congress from the seventeenth district. This decision was reached by Mr. Lee this week after careful consideration and he is now preparing his platform and plans at an early date to announce his views.

Mr. Lee was reared on his father's farm in North Mississippi, coming to Texas with his father in 1886. After spending one year in school, he entered the employment of the W. H. Taylor Dry Goods company of Fort Worth and worked for this company four years, advancing from a roustabout clerk to a department manager and director of the company.

Having heard the call of the west, it was in July 1891 that he went to Caddo, Stephens county, twenty miles from a railroad and opened a small merchandise business. By hard work and rigid economy his business prospered from the beginning until he built up one of the largest inland mercantile businesses in Texas.

Having faith in the future of that section of West Texas, he invested his savings from his mercantile business in ranch land near the east line of Stephens county, stocking his pastures with a good grade of cattle.

**Moves to Cisco.**  
His ranch adventure prospered as had his mercantile business.

Mr. Lee served the Caddo section as school trustee, deacon in his church and was known county-wide as a wide awake, energetic community builder.

In 1913, Mr. Lee moved with his family to Cisco where he has since lived. He had not resided in Cisco

long until he was elected school trustee, a bank director and still a little later president of the Cisco Banking company and has served that institution as its president up to the present time.

When the oil boom came to Breckenridge in 1918, it found that county without a railroad. An effort was made to get one of the trunk line roads, operating in this section, to build a line to Breckenridge, but this did not seem to appeal to them.

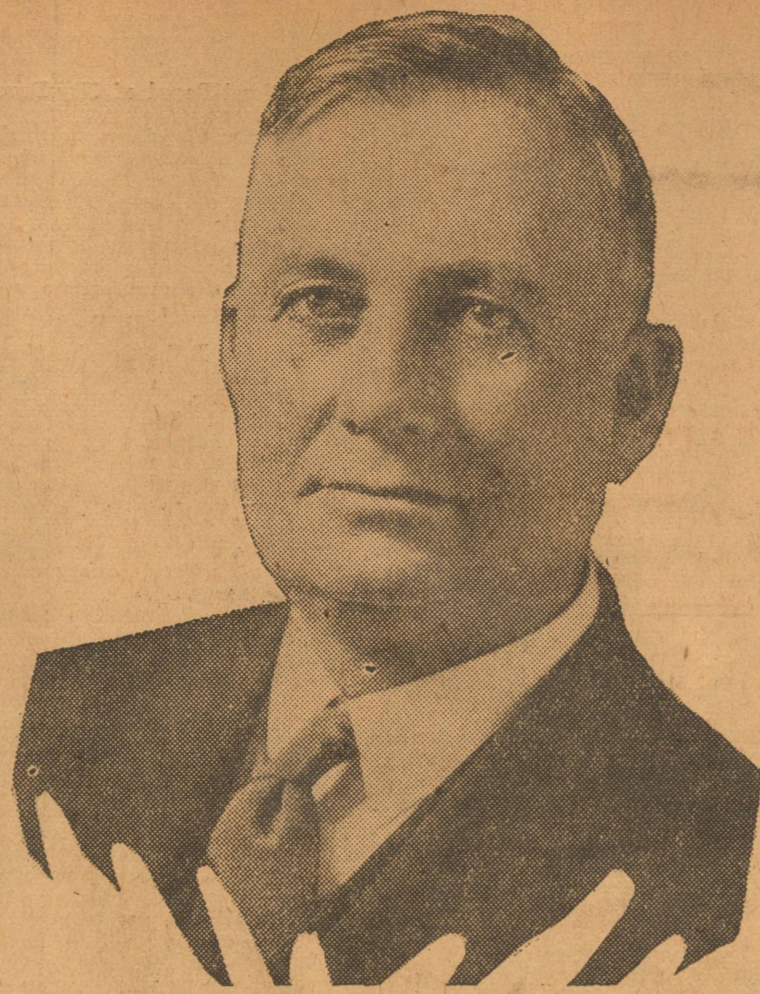
It was then that the business men of Cisco drafted Mr. Lee to organize a company and build a line from Cisco to Breckenridge. After some hesitation, Mr. Lee agreed to undertake the task and as a result he built one of the best short line railroads in the country.

He personally supervised the construction of this road and after its completion, operated it until the road was sold to the Texas & Pacific railway in March, 1927.

Before selling the Cisco & Northeastern to the Texas & Pacific, Mr. Lee realizing that Throckmorton had been trying for forty years to get a railroad, but for some reason had failed, then undertook to promote an extension of the Cisco & Northeastern from Breckenridge to Woodson and Throckmorton, a distance of forty miles.

**Builds to Throckmorton.**  
He at once took maps of that splendid section to Washington and presented them to the Interstate Commerce Commission and with but little hesitation on the part of that tribunal he was granted a permit to build the extension and in his sale of

## R. Q. Lee, Candidate for Congress



the Cisco & Northeastern to the Texas and Pacific, that road agreed to carry out this contract.

This new line has been under construction since August, 1927, and will be completed to Woodson by March 1st, and to Throckmorton by July 1st, 1928, in time to move the Throckmorton county grain crop this coming season.

Mr. Lee's friends think that one of the greatest works he has accomplished was his memorable diversification farming campaign in 1925 and 1926 while president of the West Texas chamber of commerce.

The good results of this effort are visible throughout West Texas today and the good he did can hardly be estimated. It should be said that he never presented an expense account to the West Texas chamber of commerce for any of his trips and that he paid his own traveling expenses during the campaign on many of them. He is now operating his model farm and demonstrating the practicability of the farming program advocated in his campaign.

Having spent the greater part of his life on the farm and in a country store, and having been a life-long student of the agricultural needs of the south, he feels a keen interest in agriculture.

His friends feel that there are few men in the country better fitted than he is to represent the seventeenth district in congress and that he can do a real constructive work, not only for West Texas, but for the entire south.

His decision to offer for congress

came only after he had been earnestly solicited by people from all over the district. His only desire to go to Washington is that he believes he can do some good work for the development of the country and he is beginning his campaign with the same earnestness which has characterized all his other activities.

### HOUSTON HOTEL MEN WON'T RAISE RATES

By United Press.

HOUSTON.—"Houston never has and never will raise hotel rates during a convention," said Howard Hudson, president of the Houston Hotel Men's association, in discussing plans to entertain the 1928 democratic convention.

When the delegates to the democratic meeting gather here in June, they will find the same hotel rates that the shoe drummer, and the jewelry salesman have paid all year.

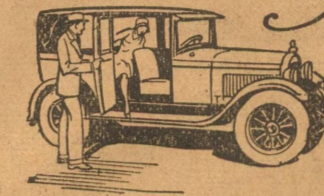
Soon after news had reached here of Houston's victory the hotel men began making plans.

It was arranged to house allied delegations together. Every effort was made to place delegates from one state at the same hostelry. While it appears reasonably certain that the flood of visitors can be cared for properly hotels certainly will be taxed to capacity.

The nation's problem is to keep the peace that comes to pass from passing.

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- 1927 Chevrolet Imperial Landau ..... \$825
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- 1927 Pontiac Sedan ..... \$725
- 1924 Big Six Studebaker ..... \$550
- 1926 Chevrolet Truck, cab and body ..... \$450
- Six 1923 to 1926 Ford tourings ..... \$42.50 up

Ten good used cars that will be bargains to those who buy this week. **THEY MUST GO!**

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at The Ranger Times

## Free Cooking School

This week at the Legion Hall. Attend the school daily and hear the many new records played on this marvelous machine.

Ask Mrs. Chitwood

what she thinks about music in the home—and about the Brunswick Panatrophe.

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# Hardware And Happiness

**"A Workman is only as good as his Tools."**

Many a family row that could have been avoided over a dull knife and the lack of a sharpener therefor.

Many a useless tear has been shed over a baking failure that a good stove would have turned into a success.

Many cut fingers are caused by the lack of a good can opener, and so on ad infinitum. Many thoughtful people avoid all that by having their kitchens properly equipped with the necessary hardware.

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# SISTERS OVER THE SKIN

Kipling's famous "Colonel's Lady and Judy O'Grady," who were "sisters under the skin," are sisters over the skin as well in these days when the latest and most authoritative fashion news is available to every woman in the advertising columns of her newspaper.

Today no woman's clothes need proclaim the thickness of her pocketbook. The advertisements which meet the eye of the woman accustomed to social secretaries and liveried chauffeurs, and guide her in her selection of a wardrobe—likewise greet and guide the young lady who earns her own living. And both may be thankful that advertising has forever banished the dowdy, frumpy "female."

Where will the waistline be? Bows at the cuffs, or not? "V" neck or square? How long—or how short? What materials does Paris favor? What colors are "being worn"? Those questions are answered for everyone—in the advertisements. And with the answers are coupled the names of manufacturers and merchants who make and sell materials, trimmings, accessories, on which you can rely. For those advertised names are advertised only because they are reliable. Otherwise you would probably never hear of them.

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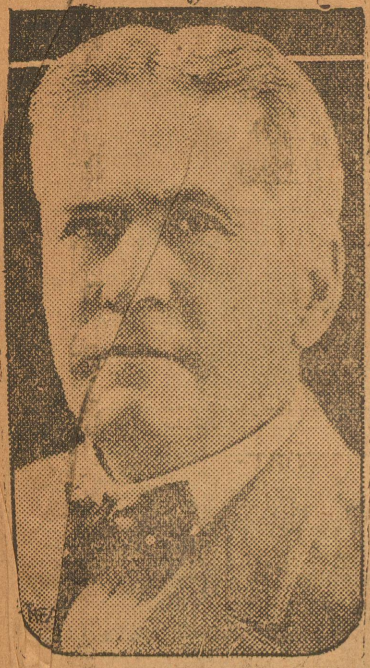
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"THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR CIRCULATION"

### Bets on Life



Los healthy enough, doesn't he? W. Watson, Salina, Kan., capitalist, as he doesn't bet. He has just completed a deal with an insurance company whereby he pays \$100,000 for income of \$1,500 a month for the rest of his life. Mr. Watson says he expects to live 10 years more, in which event he will get back twice what he paid in. He is 79, his father lived to be 90, his mother 83 and his grandparents into the 80's and 90's.

### Grid Teacher



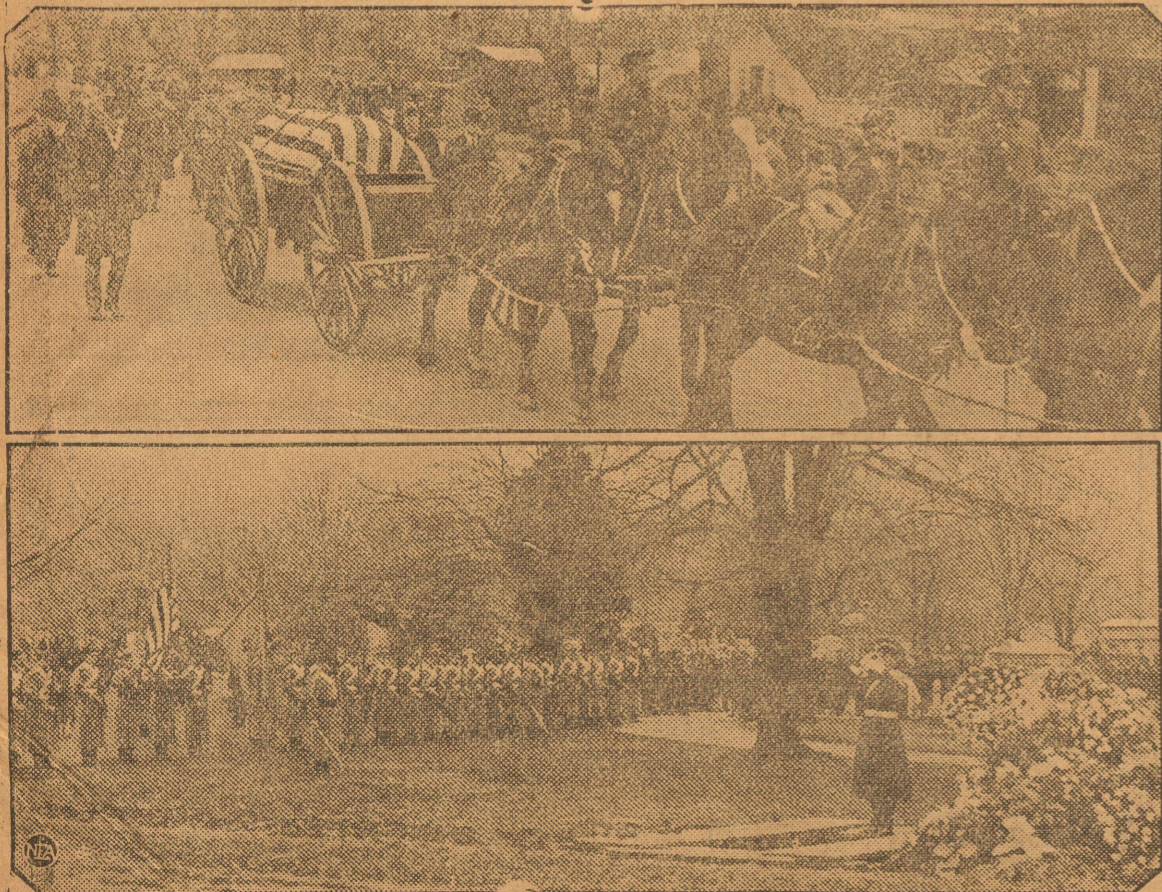
Here's Nicholas Tesauo, Washington and Jefferson graduate now studying medicine at the University of Naples, who is introducing football to that country. He recently ordered fifty complete grid outfits for Naples students from an American manufacturer.

### To Wed Spaniard



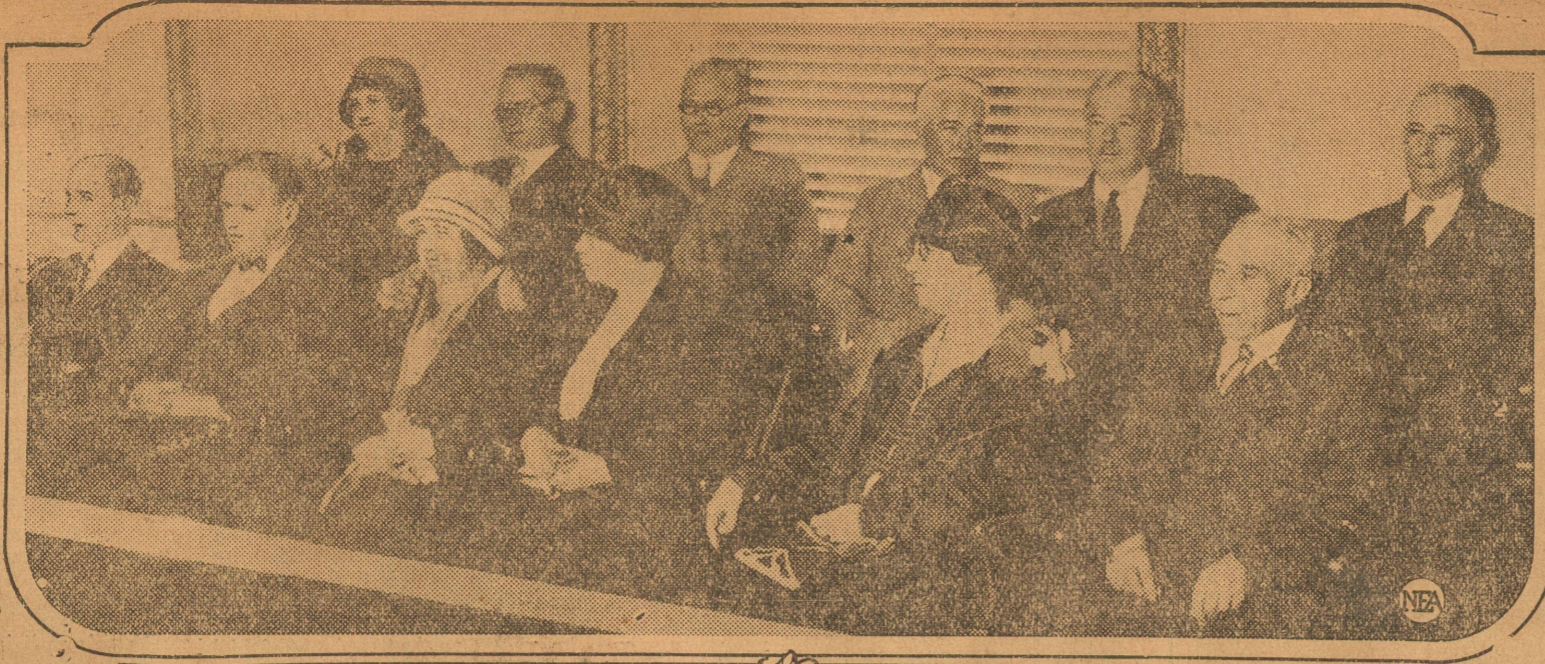
Pretty Pearl Smiddy, daughter of Dr. Timothy A. Smiddy, minister to the United States from the Irish Free State, is to marry Major Alfonso Reyes, of the Spanish army. The wedding will take place in February in Dublin. Miss Smiddy met Major Reyes in Washington in 1926.

### The Canal Builder Goes to His Rest



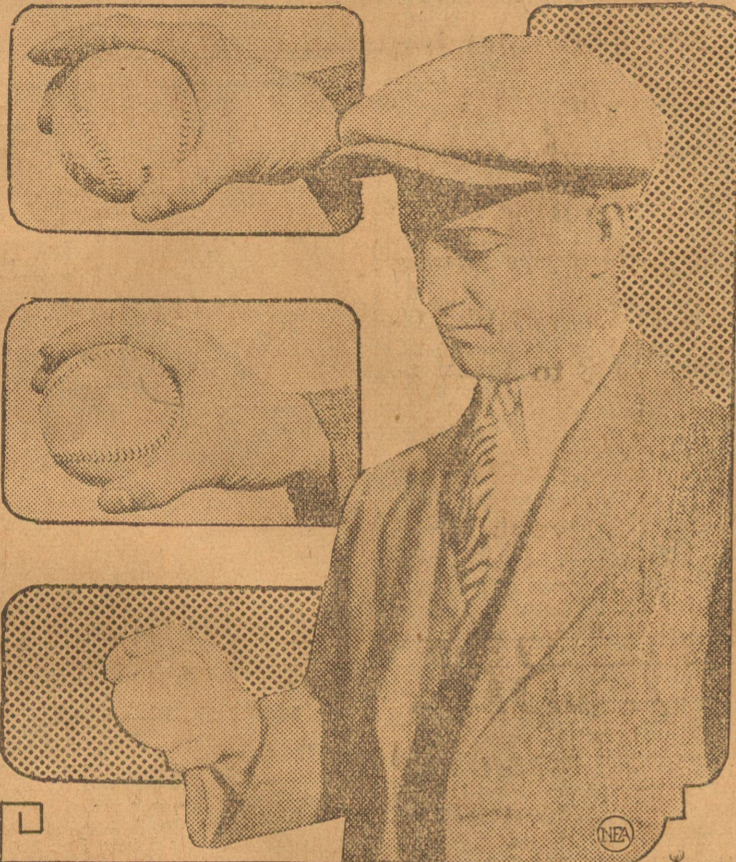
A simple military ceremony for a great soldier were the funeral services at the West Point Military Academy for General George W. Goethals, U. S. A., retired builder of the Panama Canal. Above, you see the flag-draped caisson drawing slowly near the burial ground; below, an army bugler sounding the warrior's farewell call over the open grave. Nearby lie Winfield Scott, George A. Custer and other distinguished generals.

### They'll Pass on Slayer's Sanity



Here is the jury in the trial of William Edward Hickman, Los Angeles murderer of Marian Parker. They are listening to evidence offered by defense counsel tending to show that Hickman is insane. The jury, left to right, front row: Arlo E. Rickett, Robert L. Bowman, Virginia L. Roess, Mrs. Emily Lindrum, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Bullis, Elias Kahn. Back row: Mrs. Sarah H. Roach, Harry H. Woods, Howard Atkinson, Howard Skewes, J. A. Ruggles, Edward Venables.

### Tavener Claims Finger Okay



If there is any doubt as to his ability to grip a baseball, these photographs of Jack Tavener should be convincing proof that his hand is okay now. The larger photograph shows the Detroit shortstop gripping the ball, while the top panel shows his finger before it was doctored into shape and the lower panel as it is now.

### Search Hickman Spectators



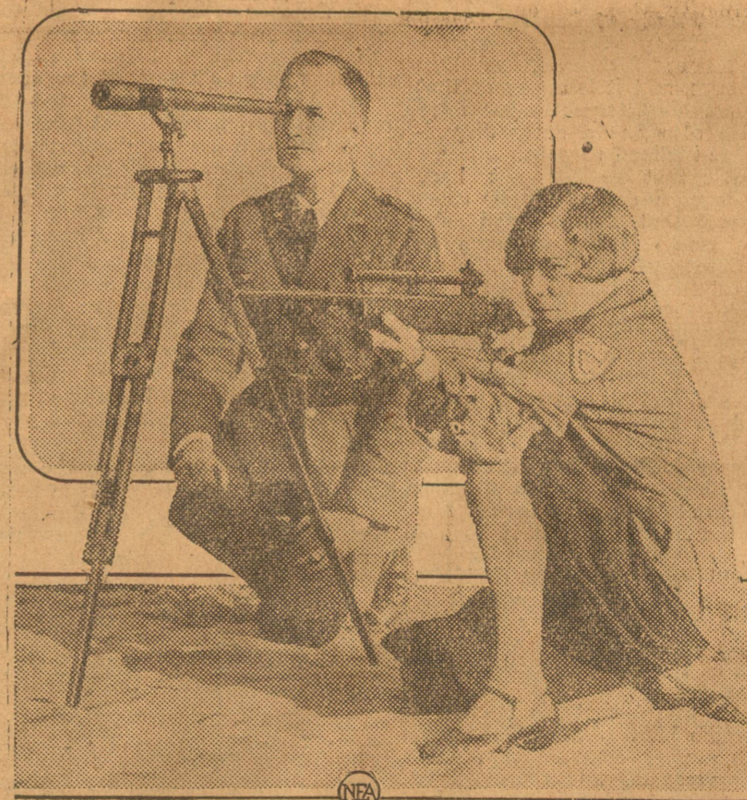
Just to be sure there is no unexpected commotion spectators at the trial of William Edward Hickman for the murder of Marian Parker at Los Angeles are searched carefully for weapons. The picture shows deputies examining two young women who wanted to get in and hear all about it.

### 80, He Travels by His Art



Tom Edwards, 80, blacksmith at Peoria, Ill., became restive the other day, and decided on a trip. He will go to New York, walking all the way and shoeing horses to make expenses.

### How's That One, Lieutenant?



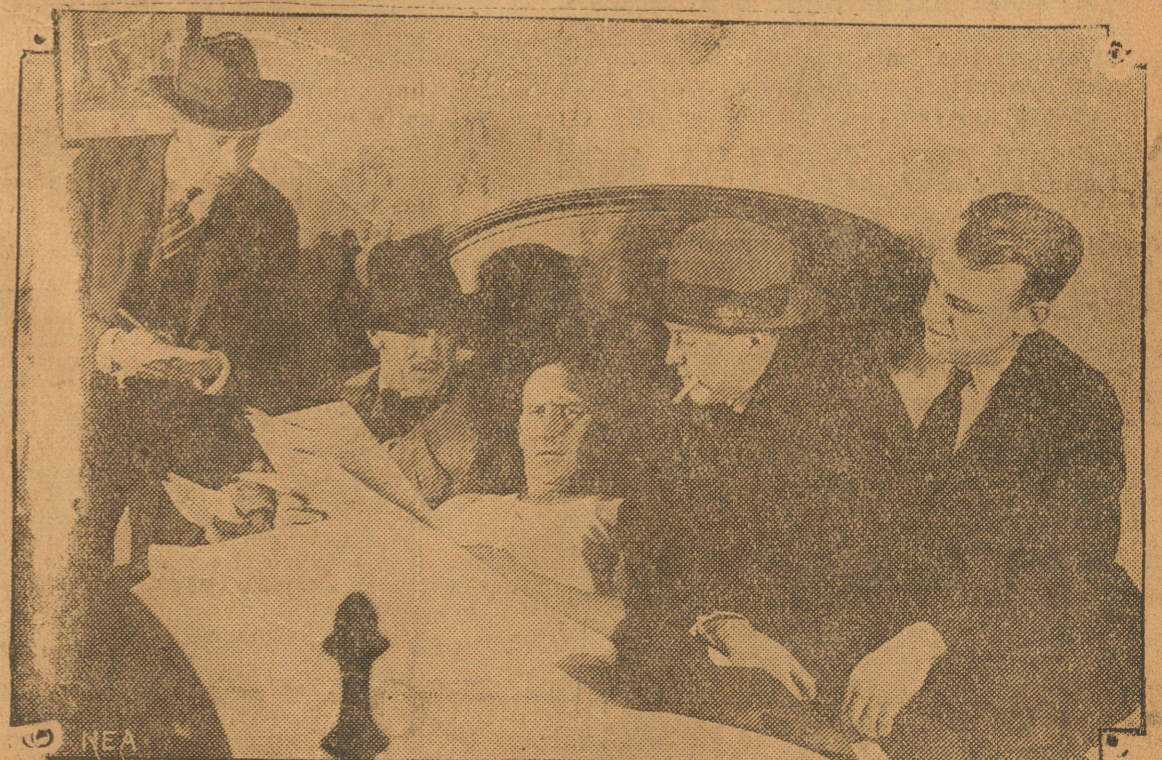
This isn't the army out for maneuvers. It is Miss Catherine Lulum of Washington, D. C., with the special-sighted rifle, banging away at the target while Lieutenant G. M. Nelson keeps score. Miss Ludlum is on the rifle team at Drexel Institute, Philadelphia.

### Lantern Magic



Magic lantern exhibitions started William Fox on his moving picture career in Brooklyn 25 years ago. Magic? Right! Through a recent deal involving hundreds of millions he increased his movie holdings from 40 to 340 theatres and plans to build 25 new ones at a cost of \$150,000,000.

### "Bossy" Gillis Receives New York Reporters



You see Mayor "Bossy" Gillis of Newburyport, Mass., in the center of this group. He is receiving the New York reporters, on the occasion of his first official visit to the big city. If the pose seems a bit unconventional—well, the photo was taken at 10 a. m., and "Bossy" is no early riser. Also, he had been up most of the night before "doing" Broadway.

### O! For the Life!



While fighting a fire in the main Parcel Post building in Cleveland Mike Patton took a minute off for a cup of steaming coffee. The picture indicates a cup or two of the steaming Java was not amiss. A zero wind was blowing, freezing the water almost as it left the hose.

### Banquet for Campus Smoke-eaters



Undergraduate volunteer firemen at Villanova college, Philadelphia, worked overtime while flames they were powerless to stem destroyed the main building, picture above, and damaged a nearby monastery and church. The loss, placed at \$2,000,000, would have been a half-million more but for the students' swift saving of valuable altar pieces, oil paintings and laboratory apparatus. They also carried two of their fellow campusites to safety from the infirmary.



**Failure of Sharkey**  
 Numerous reasons and some excuses have been given for the form flop that Jack Sharkey took in his recent fight with Tom Heenev. It was the second chance that Sharkey had been given to fight his way into championship money and he failed twice.

He was stopped last year by Jack Dempsey in the final number of Tex Rickard's elimination tournament and after a rest of six months his progress was stopped again when he could do no better than get a draw with Heenev.

The fact that he was out of the ring for six months and had grown rufous was the principal excuse offered for his poor showing. The body beating that he took from Dempsey and a feeling of caution for a weak left hand were given as other reasons.

It is true that a fighter can't remain idle for six months without

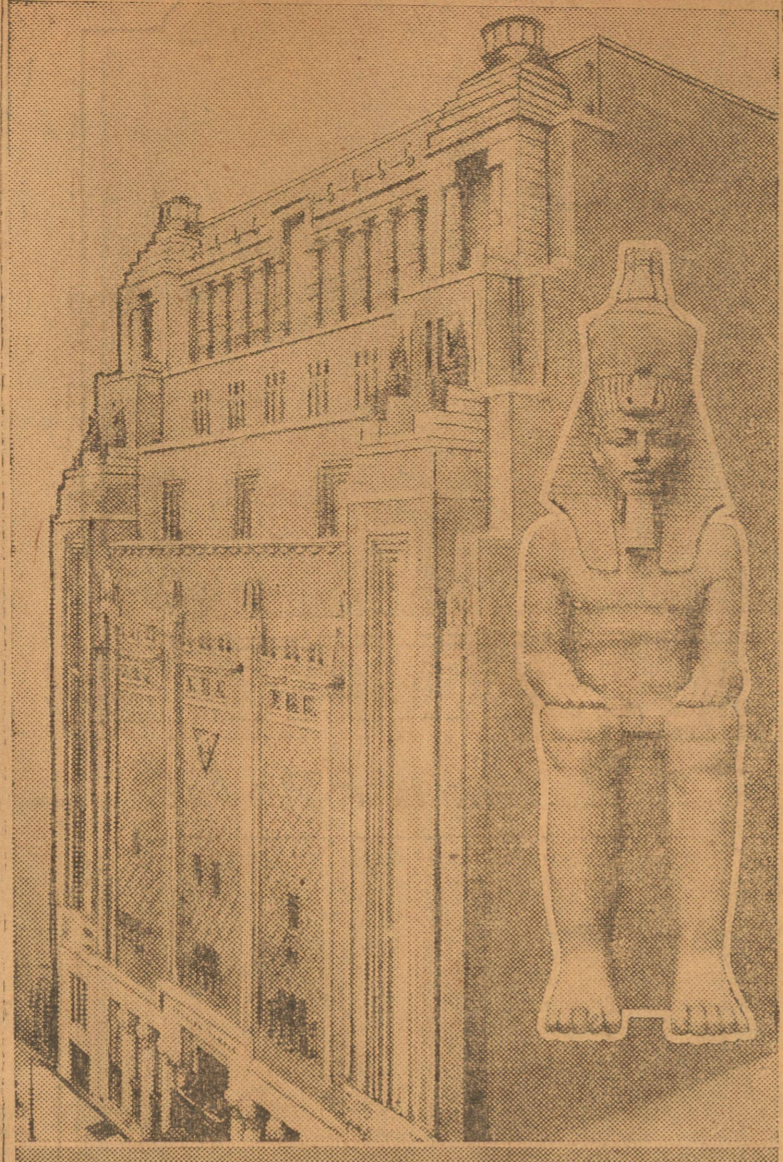
suffering a lapse of form. It is true that a body beating from a Dempsey will not improve a fighter and it is true also that a fighter involuntarily favors a hand that has been broken.

**No Ambition Left**  
 It may be that Sharkey got all the had fighting out of him in that Heenev bout and that he will come back and redeem himself enough to get into one of the two contests that Gene Tunney wants this summer.

But we doubt that Sharkey ever will get to the place that he looked destined for before he met Jack Dempsey.

In the first place Sharkey is not a smart fighter and he is too arrogant to be taught even if he were young enough to be taught. He has glaring faults like a habit of leading with his right hand and a vain tendency to get bored and allow his mind to wander other places when he is fighting. He showed himself the greenest of rookie fighters when he

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**Dedicated This Week By Pythians**



New Pythian Temple with inset showing giant Egyptian figure which watches from cornice

Inspiring figures and color ornaments, which add impressiveness to the ceremonies of fraternal societies, will soon be lending beauty to American streets as well, through a type of architecture rapidly gaining favor for lodges and club buildings, it is predicted in New York.

The Pythian Temple, which will be dedicated in New York this week and which is notable among recent examples of this trend, is brilliant with decorative and sym-

bolic color including a giant terra cotta reproduction of the red, blue and yellow seal of the supreme lodge. The gold terra cotta triangle in the center is almost as tall as the men who wear its smaller prototypes as lapel pins.

Huge Egyptian figures at the cornice are reminiscent of the period which first developed geometry, the favorite science of Pythagoras, to whom the Knights of Pythias trace much of their symbolism.

turned his head toward the referee to utter a squawk and exposed his chin to Dempsey.

That one act of leading with his chin convinced any number of smart boxing men that he never would do against a smart fighter and skilled critics found other minor traits of a non-thinking mechanic in his work. Secondly, and more important as far as his future is concerned, Sharkey obviously has become satisfied. He hasn't the spark of ambition without which no fighter can succeed to the championship.

**Has Plenty of Courage**  
 He has plenty of money, enough to buy all of Lithuania, as Dan Morgan says, and it is apparent that he has lost his interest in the business. He also has a surly disposition and is inclined to pout.

He feels that he has not been given a square deal by the sport writers and that Tex Rickard gave him the works last year when he shoved Dempsey in ahead of him after he had fought himself into a position of what he considered to be the undisputed challenger.

The sport writers have been very fair to him. Nothing more than what he said and did was printed about him and in fact most of his comment about Dempsey and Tunney were censored. His complaint against Rickard also is groundless because Rickard would not have forced him to take the Dempsey fight if he had refused.

After his success against Godfrey, Wills, McTigue and Maloney, it is quite likely that Sharkey felt he could take Dempsey and he would get two cuts of the big dough instead of one.

It is no secret that his managers can't handle him. Jimmy Johnston, who has a very convincing way of handling fighters, was recruited to get him ready for the Heenev fight, but Johnston couldn't make him mind with threats or prayers. No one could advise him before the Dempsey fight, during the fight or after the fight and it is not likely that he will change now.

But with all his faults, do not let any one tell you that Jack Sharkey isn't a heart or lack courage.

**Young Women At T. C. U. Devoted To Athletics**

FORT WORTH, Feb. 4.—Athletic activities for girls at Texas Christian University are on a par with most any university in the South. Five years ago there was little, if any interest taken in physical development of the co-eds.

Much of the credit for the present high standing of women's athletics at T. C. U. should go to Mrs. Helen Murphy, director of that work for the university for the past three years. Mrs. Murphy is one of the most capable leaders of young women in the South.

In her comparatively short period of service with T. C. U. Mrs. Murphy has developed a program of all-round sports for the Froettes as the girls' pep squad and general athletic body is called. She also has perfected the organization of the Women's Athletic Association, the membership of which is composed of girls who have won letters in various sports.

Mrs. Murphy's program for the T. C. U. girls includes basketball, volley ball, track, hiking, fencing, horsemanship, swimming, pageantry, folk dancing and many other activities. One of her outstanding accomplishments has been the enlargement and training of the girls' pep squad which has about 50 members.

**Aggie Baseball Men Will Start Practice Soon**

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 4.—Candidates for the 1925 Texas Aggie baseball team will get down to work in earnest the first of the new week following the opening of the training season Feb. 1 when Coach Bob Countryman had the first opportunity to give his squad the once-over. About fifty men reported for the first day's practice last Wednesday when suits and equipment were issued. Additional candidates are expected to report with the new week following their return from brief between-term visits to their homes.

The first few days of practice will be spent in limbering up exercises to get the players in condition for the grind ahead. Countryman meets pleased with the array of candidates available and although faced with the problem of building a team from new men largely, is optimistic over prospects.

Work is being rushed on the new Kyle Field diamond to get it in proper shape for the season's demands. "Punk" Baker, stellar Aggie third baseman of last season and a player on the roster of the Houston Texas league club this year, will assist Countryman in rounding the Aggie players into condition until time for him to report to the Houston team in March.

**Spring Football At A. & M. Starts Mar. 12**

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 4.—Spring football training at the A. & M. College of Texas will start March 12, Coach Dana X. Bible has announced. Indications are that a sizeable squad of men will be on hand for the workouts, seventy-five at least. "Chuck" Bassett, Aggie line coach, will assist Bible in the training which will be carried on for a period of six weeks.

Since, with the exception of those athletes who will be engaged with baseball and track activities, the spring call will bring together the veterans and the more promising freshman and battalion gridsters of last season, it will afford a rather definite indication of what may be expected of the 1925 Texas Aggie grid machine. With the record of the 1924 championship team to shoot at, the 1925 line-up will have a difficult goal ahead but the roster of men to draw from contains a promising array of athletes. Indications are that the Aggie coaches will find the building of a line the most serious problem, since this year's graduation will deplete in a telling way the great line of the 1924 team.

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**SPORTSMATTER**

BY FRANK GETTY  
 UNITED PRESS SPORTS EDITOR

The recent embarrassment of the Amateur Athletic Union over the question of whether Dr. Otto Peltzer of Germany should be permitted to compete in the United States led to vigorous condemnation of the governing body of amateur sport.

A Harrisburg, Pa., correspondent, who will be recalled as having straightened out the heavyweight situation last week, now comes to the rescue of the much-maligned A. A. U., with some excellent suggestions as to the conduct of amateur athletics (and other kinds) in this country.

Mr. Carupa writes: "Sir, I wrote you a letter a few days ago wishing you up on the boxing situation. As I did not see it, I suppose you were afraid to print it, but anyway, I will now set you right on the amateur situation.

"You do not seem to like the idea of the A. A. U. not letting this Dr. Peltzer run where he wants to just because he is a foreigner and a guest of this country. You complain he should run where he wants to run instead of where the A. A. U. wants him to so that all the clubs will be fixed up on the gates. Where do you get that stuff?

"Suppose a guy invited himself to your house for dinner and instead of eating the wienies and sauerkraut you offered him went back to the ice-box and pulled a leg off the Sunday chicken you had saved up?

"Where you birds are wrong is in confusing amateurism and sport. Sport is something it don't cost over a quarter to see.

"I am an amateur. Where do you think our club house came from? Sport? Now I'll tell one.

"The trouble with amateur athletics is there's too much amateurism about it. The guys in charge of it who are protecting it from the whiff of professionalism don't know their job. The money they are being paid to keep other guys from making money ought to be spent some other way.

"I have a solution that will fix up the situation. Put amateur athletics in charge of a bunch of guys that know something. Make Tex Rickard chairman of my Amateur and Professional Union of America with C. C. Pyle, Jack Kearns and Will H. Picken on the executive committee. Let them for three classes of athletes.

"1. Profession. Those who live

with their work and chew tobacco like baseball players.

"2. Amateurs. Those who have expense accounts and wear spats.

"3. Sportsmen. Those not good enough to draw a gate at 25 cents a shot.

"This would straighten everything out. You wouldn't need to pay my committee any salaries. The professionals would get salaries. The amateurs would continue to get expense accounts and there wouldn't be any trouble about it. The amateurs' clubs would get their cut. The sportsmen would get some noses and the joy of playing the game like they do now. Also the stigma of being a pro would be removed because under my plan a sportsman could graduate into an amateur when he began getting fan mail and like now an amateur could suit himself whether to become a professional.

"I hope you publish this as it is the low down on the entire situation.

"Yours respectfully,  
 (Signed) JOE CARUPA."

**GERMANY WANTS BABY FILM**

German psychologists have requested that the new film made in Vienna, Austria, for use in baby training be exhibited in Germany. The film analyzes a baby's complexes from birth

to two years. It shows the little one's reaction to toys, sounds and human beings, and gives illustrations of its progress in love, anger, control over the body and limbs. The picture was made at the Vienna Municipal Baby Home under the direction of Prof. Hildegarde Hetzer, of the Psychological Institute of Vienna University.

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# ITALO-GERMAN LINE WILL FLY TOURISTS OVER ALPS

## Another North Pole Flight By Nobile Will Be Dedicated To Scientific And Geographic Research

By THOMAS B. MORGAN  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
AVIATION SERIES NO. 5  
ROME—The spectacular and the constructively permanent in aviation are offered by Italy in its plans for advancement of aviation in 1928.

While General Umberto Nobile, whose name became known to aviation enthusiasts the world over because of his North Pole trip, plans a second trip to be dedicated to scientific and geographical research, the Italian government, collaborating with the government of Germany, plans inauguration of the first air line across the Alps and sets the date of its inauguration for early in April. Italians hail this new air line as a triumph for European aviation, representing as it does the surmounting of difficult obstacles which airmen throughout the world face whenever an attempt to cross high mountains is made. The thrice a week service will carry passengers and freight between Munich and Milan and the planes, flying at an average height of 2,000 meters, will be manned by crews half German and half Italian. The Italian government is providing the dirigible for Nobile's polar flight. It is a sister ship of the "Norge" and is at present undergoing alterations in the government hangars at Ciampino near here.

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The flight is to have a national character. It is to be financed by the city of Milan, a committee of prominent citizens, including the podesta or mayor, Commendatore Belloni and Alberto Pirelli, an industrialist being charged with the collection of the sum required. General Nobile's crew will consist of 16 or 17 Italians.

The geographical experts connected with the expedition believe that there is a good chance of discovering new land somewhere in the polar regions and this is one of the principal incentives of the forthcoming flight. The airship has not yet been named, but may be called the "Itala." It will follow a different route from that taken by the "Norge." The official departure will be from Milan, and probably will occur some time in April. The great airship then will fly over Switzerland and Germany to Spitzbergen by way of Poland and Russia.

The existing hangar and huts at Spitzbergen will be placed at the disposal of the expedition through arrangement between the Norwegian Aero club and the Italian government.

The airship will make a series of flights, beginning early in May using Spitzbergen as its base. After each flight which may last two or three days, the airship will return to the base with its reports. The pole itself probably will be passed on more than one occasion. The dirigible will carry wireless of the latest pattern and will continue its explorations during all the summer, returning to Milan some time in September.

The air line across the Alps will be in every way a partnership between Germany and Italy looking forward to the day when the airplane will compete with the railway train. Half of the pilots of the Munich-Milan line will be Germans and half will be Italians.

The Italian company Avio line of Milan will be responsible for the Italian material and personnel; the Luft Hansa of Berlin for the other half.

At first the service will be used for mail and freight only. In July, after three months trial, the regular passenger service will begin to operate.

After considerable discussion between the Italians and the Germans the route Milan-Val Lagarina-South Tyrol-Brenner-Munich was chosen instead of the one over the Engadine Alps. The Brenner route, though a little longer, has the compensation that the planes can fly at a lower altitude than across the Engadine. Had this route been fixed upon, the machines would have to rise to an altitude of 4,000 meters.

Civil aviation in Italy has made great steps during the last two years. The routes now in existence are from Rome to Vienna by way of

# Levine and the Columbia A-wing Again



Charles A. Levine and his historic New York to Germany monoplane, "Columbia," rebuilt after its crash in Italy last fall, have taken the air again preparatory to an attempted non-stop flight to Cuba. You see the "Columbia" above taking off from Mitchell Field, Long Island, on its first reconconditioning flight. Below (left to right) Levine, Mabel Doll, who is to make the Cuban hop as passenger, and Wilmer Stults, who is to be pilot.

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Warranty deed, W. B. Brown to J. D. Brown, lot 7, block 1, National highway S-D block 48, Daugherty's addition to Eastland \$25.

Deed, O. N. Justice to A. H. Ford, N 1-2 of lot 3, block 2, Burkett addition to Eastland \$3,000.

Release, W. H. Black et al. to J. D. Young, lots 2 and 4, block 23, Daugherty addition to Eastland, \$2,250.

Deed, Seth Bowles et al. to J. D. Henry, part of P. W. Jones pre-empt survey \$1200.

Release of vendor's lien, Powell Land and Lumber Co., to Ben Parker, lot 12, block 3, Newman addition to Cisco, \$900.

Deed, Farmers & Mechanics National Bank to Mrs. Emma C. Cudiff, part of lot 3, block B, Cisco, \$250.

Deed of trust, J. D. Shaw et ux. to W. E. Chunn, lot 7, S-D lot 3, block 89, Cisco, \$607.

Transfer of vendor's lien, W. E. Chunn to O. L. Wilkerson Lumber Co., lot 7, S-D lot 3, block 89, Cisco, \$607.

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## Nimrod News

J. N. Broyles, 70, who died at Cisco Sunday morning, was buried here Monday afternoon. Mr. Broyles was a former resident of Nimrod, having lived here about 35 years, but he had lived in Cisco the last five years. Besides a host of friends, he leaves a wife, 4 daughters and 5 sons to mourn his death.

Ernest Harrelson had the misfortune Wednesday morning of losing his sedan by fire.

Alton Westerman is at Brownwood this week working.

Mmes. Roy Allen, Joe Allen and Lillie Perdue were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Lou Allen.

Mrs. George Broun of Scranton is

visiting her mother, Mrs. A. E. Harrelson.  
Miss Wanda Munn was hostess Sunday to the girls of the senior Sunday school class. Those present were, Misses Elsie Sharp, Josie Hall, Flora Melton, Elsie McCorkle, Thelma, Ola, Grance, Kitty and Kathryn Perdue and Auta Lee Notgrass.

## ROBASON AND MAYNARD BUY LONGLEY BUS LINE

Frank Robason and "Curley" Maynard of Eastland have purchased the Longley Stage Line, which operates between Eastland and Dublin, and are now operating it. One car leaves Eastland at 9 o'clock a. m. each day and returns that afternoon at 2:10 o'clock.

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**0—LODGE NOTICES**  
SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION—Ranger Masonic temple, Sunday afternoons Thursday nights; all degrees.  
**ROYAL NEIGHBORS OF AMERICA**—A call meeting to be at the Ranger hall Monday evening, 7:30. All officers are urged to be present.

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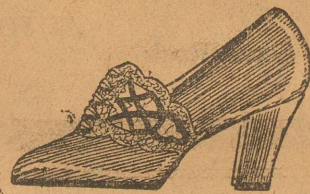
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### Pleasant Grove

PLEASANT GROVE, Feb. 2.—Our farmers have been taking advantage of the pretty weather by preparing their soil for cultivation. Last Sunday was the regular church day at Harmony Baptist church. The service and Sunday school were well attended. R. L. Hise and family of Crossroads visited in the W. R. King home Wednesday.

"Grandma" Lindsey, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robinson, of Eastland, has returned home. Pasquale Oglesby is visiting in Abilene this week. Misses Vera Davis and Janie Johnson were the Sunday guests of Misses Willa Mae and Minerva King. Miss Ruth Laughlin spent Sunday with Miss Aileen Craig. Miss Viola Threault was the Wednesday afternoon guest of Miss Flora Dodson of the Bedford community.

### 12,000 PIPES IN ORGAN FOR U. S. CATHEDRAL

By United Press. ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Thousands of electro magnets and hundreds of miles of wire are included in the first section of the massive organ—one of the largest in the world—built here for St. Patrick's cathedral, New York city.

The first section of the organ, shipped recently from St. Louis, required four freight cars. Other sections will follow.

The completed instrument will contain 12,000 pipes. It will have a special string section to give the effect of a large choir of violins, cellos and violas. Virtually every basic metal has gone into the construction of the instrument, as well as the hides of hundreds of calves and chamois.

Operating controls for the instrument are on a switchboard as large as the telephone switchboard for an average town. The organ was designed by Maestro Pietro Yoo, St. Patrick's organist, and Alfred G. Kilgen, one of the members of the firm of Kilen & Sons, Inc., St. Louis, organ builders.

The voters can't be lured to the polls by talking to them about the duties of citizenship, but there would be a tremendous outpouring if each one got a dollar for voting.

This is called the richest country in the world, but you would never know it when passing around a subscription paper for some good community cause.

### COUNTY COURT AT LAW SETS CRIMINAL CASES

The week beginning Monday, Feb. 6, has been set aside as criminal week in the Eastland county court-at-law. Approximately 40 cases appear on the docket for trial that week according to Assistant county Attorney Sterling C. Holloway.

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### TO MY FELLOW CITIZENS.

I take this method of announcing to you that I will not be a candidate for county judge of the commissioners' court. I thank all of you good people for the many expressions of confidence you have reposed in me and for the many solicitations you have given me to run, but in justice to myself and to my law firm, I have concluded that it is to our interest financially for me not to be a candidate for judge. However, as some of you know, I have had aspirations to serve a sentence in our state legislature and, although the pay is practically nothing, I can take off a few days from my work and go to Austin and, I believe, can do something for my county and state that will be beneficial to the people. The compensation for my time will be nothing as compared to the service I hope to render my people.

I do not intend to make a campaign of the county, but hope to make a few speeches in the different centers of the county, in which I shall tell you a few things on my mind and of a few reforms I think we need. If I know anything at all, it is some of the ills from which the people are suffering, and if I can cause to be written on our statute books the correction of a few such ills, I will feel amply compensated for my time.

With a heart full of gratitude, I beg to remain,  
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## Cooking Art Very Important In Home

### Mrs. Chitwood, Culinary Expert Will Impart Many Rare Cooking Secrets To Housewives At Week's Cooking School.

By MRS. IDA CHITWOOD.

Each year it is well to invest some time in a study for cultural improvement, every woman needs it. A basic art, underlying most other arts, is practical cookery. It is one of the most powerful forces in the world for giving pleasure—an art to be thought about, dreamed about, used and enjoyed.

To be a master of this art, study is necessary. One needs to feel the atmosphere of a place where cookery is understood as an art and to be with people who are enthusiastic about it. As part of your self-uplift and happiness, why not continue your study of this art these coming five days? A course of this cooking school is one of the best things you can have. Every woman who has to plan meals for herself or others needs occasional fresh inspiration for this important matter. Good cooks aren't born—they are made. Every woman can learn to be a good cook, through a cooking school of this type.

Governor's wives and daughters have been in my classes. The most gorgeous diamond rings glitter on hands whose owners never before knew the difference between a double boiler and a cake pan, and those hands become efficient and effective in turning out "the best things to eat one can imagine."

Every age has its cooking problems. Brilliant Cavarini, the French authority on good eating, declared: "The destiny of nations depends upon the manner in which they feed themselves." Knowledge of how to cook and what to cook is now a recognized science closely related both to happier life and to longer life. Every housewife has her own puzzling whys of cookery. My cooking schools have helped to solve so many of them for others and I am sure this one will help you with yours. Bring your "whys" and come to the cooking school to be held Feb. 6, at the Legion hall in Ranger.

Ude, one-time chef of Louis XVI, said: "Prominence in cookery never occurs under 30 years of age, and nothing but consummate experience can elevate one to the rank of chief professor. In connection with diligent and studious application, one must also possess no small charge of intellect."

What then, is to become of our families while the mothers are reaching the age of 30? The first years of housekeeping are the most important. The period when the digestive habits of young children are forming—then, if ever, the home should be provided with well prepared food.

Motive of School. When the prudent, thoughtful housewife takes from the oven a loaf of sour bread or a cake with a heavy streak through it, or when her pie runs over the top and the best parts of it left in the oven, she is most desirous of knowing why these things have occurred, and she sets herself to find out the cause, that she may avoid a repetition of such mistakes. Two hundred years ago, in the time of Ude, such individual housekeepers worked out the remedy for these and other culinary mishaps, only after many repetitions of the same bad results. After an expenditure of valuable time and thought, together with

a waste of foodstuffs the earnest worker discovers that certain results would surely follow and these discoveries are now the rightful inheritance of the housewife of today. To the housewife some knowledge of the whys and wherefores of processes in cookery—as in all other processes—means to be forearmed; and in putting her knowledge into practice she may avoid much mortification of spirit as well as pecuniary losses—and what is of greater value still—insurance of a more cheerful and contented family. Such then, is the motive for this cooking school. I will give you the reason why, for instance, meringue and souffles fall; why bread is sometimes sour, pastry soggy and cakes heavy; why it is best to use a knife for one process and a spoon for another.

Serving Important. Come to the cooking school and bring your "whys" along. All the above "whys" and many others will be answered and made plain, that she who comes may be the gainer thereby in money and time, health and comfort.

Nor is this all, for I must include something for the "whys" in serving. Our full duty to our friends and the guests whom we invite to share our meals is not done when we have simply set before them well prepared food. While one dish may constitute a meal, more often the meal is made up of several dishes, and the several dishes combined in a meal must be given particular attention. First of all, the dishes presented together to be eaten at one meal, should conform to physiological demands, and secondly, they should be chosen to produce harmony of color, texture and flavor. To know why certain vegetables, salads and sauces are served with steak and chops, is to know the joy of the discoverer. It was La Reyniere who truly said, "The kitchen is a country in itself made." In this school I will also give why certain dishes are chosen for dinner, others for luncheon and still others for Sunday night tea or supper.

If you miss a single lesson you will regret it.

These people all formerly lived here during the boom days and have returned believing that Ranger with its steady growth and excellent schools is a desirable town in which to live.

## Society and Club News

MISS JANET E. LAMB  
Phone 224

### LUNCHEON FOR MRS. J. M. WHITE

Mrs. B. V. Bollinger entertained Thursday with a lovely luncheon at her home on Young street, in honor of Mrs. J. M. White, who will leave soon for Midland.

At 1:30 the guests were assisted by the hostess in finding their places at a beautifully arranged table decorated with cut flowers and Valentines.

After a six course luncheon the guests spent the afternoon in visiting with Mrs. White, whom they all hate to lose.

Those present were the presidents of the Central Baptist church, Mmes. and past presidents of the W. M. U. A. C. Rice, R. E. Barker, O. S. Driskill, W. E. Mitchell, J. E. McKinney and Rev. and Mrs. Caraway.

### FORMER RESIDENTS RETURN TO RANGER

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Strong, also Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Stewart, parents of Mrs. Strong, who have been residing in Dublin have moved back to Ranger, and are occupying the Purser property on Ranger Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart are the parents of H. L. Stewart of the Mess Gin company, and T. D. Stewart with Camel and Ratcliff grocery company.

## Cyrena Van Gordon



American Mezzo-soprano of the Chicago Civic Grand Opera company who will appear in Wichita Falls on February 29 in "Aida." This will be her only appearance in north Texas.

## CALENDAR

**MONDAY**  
Christian Church Missionary meeting will be with Mrs. D. G. Hood, Strawn Road, at 2:30 p. m.

**TUESDAY**  
City Council luncheon, Acorn Acres, 12 p. m., honoring Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs and Mrs. L. E. Ledbetter.

**WEDNESDAY**  
New Era Club, leader, Mrs. W. J. McFarland.  
Rotary luncheon, 12:15 Gholson hotel.  
Elk's Dance, music by Will Bowers and his Nebraskans.  
Prayer meeting at all the churches.

**THURSDAY**  
Lions Club luncheon, 12:15 Gholson hotel.

**FRIDAY**  
Eastern Star Study Club, 7:30 p. m., Masonic Hall.

of the usual run of dances the entertainment committee has arranged a "tacky" dance, which will be only one of the features of the night.

Costumes will be worn by the dancers and prizes will be awarded for the most appropriate and tastiest costume.

Many novelties, including confetti, streamers, paper hats and noise makers have been ordered for the dance.

Music for the dance will be furnished by Will Bowers and his Nebraskans, one of the most popular dance orchestras and radio artists in the country.

The dance Wednesday night is the first of a series of novelty dances that will be given by the Elks.

### MRS. A. B. CONWAY AT BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Mrs. Pete Jensen honored Mrs. A. B. Conway with a bridge luncheon Friday afternoon at Acorn Acres.

The beautifully appointed tables were centered with red carnations, and red satin hearts, which were very appropriate for the occasion, were the favors for the guests. The Valentine motif was very completely carried out, the score pads and the tally cards had attractive valentines on them. Each gift was wrapped artistically in white and red crepe paper with large melone bows as ties, and on the melone were red hearts, cupids and arrows.

The guest of honor received a Pickard china sugar and creamer, which was gorgeous. High score prize, a lovely quilted pillow, was awarded Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, and low prize, a unique piece of china, was won by Mrs. L. H. Flewelling. Mrs. Conway was presented with the prizes.

Others who were present were Mmes. Louis Fleck, C. C. Craig, J. F. Gullaborn, Howard Gholson, Chas. Milliken, W. B. Conway, H. A. Logsdon, Walter Murray, C. D. Hartnett, Lillie Harrison, Lute Lawton, H. C. Anderson, O. N. Harkrider, E. L. McMillen, D. W. Johnson, J. F. Champion, Chas. Conley, Evelyn Brachaney, J. W. Price, Louis McFall, R. J. Norman, Clarence Thompson, Walter Cash, Jim McLaughlin of Fort Worth and Mrs. James.

POSTPONE MEETING OF THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB  
Mrs. Ed. Mahee will not entertain the Thursday bridge club this week and will announce the date of the meeting later.

### YOUNG MATRONS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS.

The Young Matrons Sunday school class of the Methodist church held their regular social meeting Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. T. Gray at the Prairie camp.

A business meeting was held and an assistant secretary appointed. A campaign will start for new members, there will be the red and blue captains, Mrs. Davis will have charge of the reds and Mrs. Richards will be in charge of the blues.

There was a musical program given by Mrs. George Tibbell. Those who attended this meeting were Mmes. Wade Harmon, G. C. Tidwell, J. T. Gray, M. E. Ice, J. K. Fenchouse, B. E. Rigby, A. H. Aitson, Bronson, Edwards, H. P. Earnest, E. H. Mills, Campbell, G. W. Shearer, Killingsworth, Rickard, Bailey, Nottingham, Hadley, Barker, Earl Bishop, Carl Bishop, Hartung, McWherter, Wade Swift, Parcell and Davis.

### MRS. HARRISON HONORS MRS. CONWAY AND MRS. McFALL.

A very pretty and unusual party was given by Mrs. Lillie Harrison Saturday night, at the Green Lantern Tea room in Cisco, honoring Mrs. A. B. Conway and Mrs. Louis McFall.

The party, with its varied forms of entertainment, began with dinner served at 7:30 p. m., followed by bridge from 8:30 to 10:30 p. m., after which time they entered in a convivial mood of dancing until A. M.

The hostess presented the guests of honor with beautiful guest prizes. Those who enjoyed this multifarious occasion were Messrs. and Mmes. Lute Lawton, Louis Fleck, Pete Jensen, Howard Gholson, Andy Rhodes, of Eastland, W. D. Conway, Roy Jameson, E. E. Crawford, A. B. Conway and Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Craig; Mrs. J. L. Barnett, T. G. McCorkle, O. H. Miller, Messrs. M. M. Miller of Los Angeles, W. Bowdin, Dick Lawton, Midge Adams, Mmes. Louis McFall, Virgie McManus and Miss Fay Davenport of Eastland.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENJOYS WEINER ROAST.

The intermediate Sunday school class of the First Baptist church enjoyed a weiner roast Thursday night. Those who attended were Misses Margaret Yonkers, Gladys Trantam, Virginia Judy, Christine Summers, Romah Jackson, Doris Murray, Johnnie Mae Hicks and Ruby Arthur; Messrs. Erwin Green and Joe Shanks.

The party was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hicks.

### BENEFIT BRIDGE TOURNAMENT.

The Junior New Era club will have a bridge tournament at the Gholson Hotel Friday night, Feb. 10 for the benefit of the clubhouse to be erected in the near future by the federation of women's clubs.

This club is the first to start the ball rolling in an effort to obtain a fund for the new clubhouse. Tickets, which will be 50 cents each, for the bridge tournament may be secured from any member of the Junior New Era club.

### JUNIOR NEW ERA CLUB PARTY FOR MRS. A. B. CONWAY.

Misses Gillian Buchanan and Hortense Ross were hostesses Friday night to the Junior New Era club, at the Buchanan home. A business meeting was held and the plans completed for the bridge tournament which the club will sponsor on Friday night, Feb. 10.

The remainder of the evening was given over to a social hour during which time Bunco was enjoyed. Miss Helen Howdeshell received high score prize, a kewpie doll.

The club mother, Mrs. A. B. Conway, was presented a gorgeous maderia table cloth, given to her by all the members of the club. The prize won by Miss Howdeshell was also presented to the honor guest.

Dainty refreshments were served to Misses Jennie Robinson, Helen Howdeshell, Margarite Navokovitch, Mittie Morris, Edith Fletcher, Lucille Buchanan, Christina Schmuick and Mrs. A. B. Conway.

### C. I. A. MUSIC FESTIVAL.

Powell Weaver, famous organist and composer of Kansas City, will appear in recital during the Southwestern Music Festival to be held April 29-May 1 at the College of Industrial Arts, on the organ which is

### at present being installed in the college auditorium.

The auditorium in which the organ is being placed has a seating capacity of 2500. Until the presence of the only accompaniment available for ensemble programs was furnished by piano, an instrument manifestly unsuitable for this purpose.

Plans for the music festival have been under way for several weeks and authorities are jubilant over the fact that the Fort Worth Symphony orchestra has been added to the list of artists who will be present at that time. The orchestra, which is composed of seventy pieces, will be the feature of the program to be given Friday night, April 29. A prominent southwestern soloist, who is to be selected later, will also be present at this time.

The college choral will give The Mermaid, by Vincent, in pantomime form, Saturday night, April 30. They will be accompanied by the college orchestra. Prominent Texas and Southwestern soloists will feature the program to be given at college assembly Saturday morning. The program will be designed to appeal especially to the musical interests of this section of the country.

Powell Weaver will be presented in recital Sunday afternoon, May 1. As an additional feature of the program the college choral will present Gallia by Gounoud.

The 1927 spring festival, opening with a Beethoven Centennial commemorative program, was the first event of this nature to be held at C. I. A. A special appropriation of \$1,000 was made by the board of regents for the purpose of promoting this year's festival and enlarging its scope. Willia M. E. Jones, president of the Texas music teachers' association and director of the C. I. A. music department, is in charge of arrangements for the southwestern festival.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. Garvin Chastain has gone to Oklahoma City for a few days to visit with her father, D. E. Emerson.

### STREET TO BE BALL ROOM

Entertaining guests together and using the street as the ball room is the plan being worked out by residents of one side of North Street, London. Under the shadow of Westminster the neighbors of the small and ancient street have become well acquainted, and as their on a large scale, they propose to cover the pavement with an awning and throw open their respective houses, which will be used as places for sitting out. Dinner will be served in each house so that guests will have the choice of at least a dozen meals.

### ASKS CHURCH REVIVAL OF CHORAL TRIUMPHS

By United Press.  
NEW YORK.—Hundreds of American churches are deliberately using hymnbooks in which the hymns are arranged to jazz rhythm, according to John Finley Williamson, director of the Dayton Westminster Choir.

"It is a fact that certain enterprising publishers with an idea of keeping up with modern times, have doctored up famous old hymns with jazz rhythms," he said today. "Pastors, believing that this kind of church music will bring more people to church are discarding the old hymn books in favor of these new editions."

"Jazz is perfectly all right in its place. But it seems foolish for churches to try to give their congregations some thing that a dance hall can give much better. The invasion of jazz into the churches came, I presume, as a revolt against the listlessness of congregations in dragging out the dreary hours. How much more appropriate it would be for churches to revive the neglected choral masterpieces of Handel, Palestrina and other great composers instead of creating a second rate imitation of dance music."

It is claimed the American home is breaking down. It is surely in danger of doing so if they dance the modern dances on the parlor floor.

There is a movement for revision of the calendar, but it won't be popular unless it makes pay day come oftener, and rent day not so often.

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With three new wells being completed and one being increased in production when drilled deeper, this week marks the best that oil operators have known so far this year. Activity in both the eastern and western portions of the county are moving fairly normal and next week is expected to bring in more producers in the areas in Eastland county.

Wells completed this week are the Mook-Texas U. Casey 2-B; the Independent Oil and Gas company Emma Snyder No. 1 and the Schimmel Petroleum Corporation J. H. Hamilton No. 1. The McLester Oil company Peter Thorp No. 5, increased its initial production when drilled to the Ranger sand.

The U. Casey 2-B of the Mook-Texas company was brought in with an initial production of 100 barrels of oil and 8,000,000 cubic feet of gas. The well is located just northeast of Staff and in the Sibley pool. The Casey 2-B is the thirteenth producer that the company has got in this area it being their fourth straight producer on the Casey farm, and it has nine on the Sibley. This pool is fast becoming one of the outstanding ones of the county, being rich in oil and maintaining a good gas output. Chestnut-Smith Corporation is taking the gas from the wells. The gas gauges two and a half gallons to the thousand cubic feet.

**Snyder Producer.**  
The producers belonging to the Independent Oil and Gas company and the Schimmel Petroleum corporation are both small. The Emma Snyder No.

al., are drilling at 3,140 on their A. L. Duffer No. 1.

The J. M. Collins No. 1 belonging to Ben Kewdell was declared dry and abandoned in the early part of the week. Goodwin et al., are drilling at 1,519 on their J. V. Parker No. 1. Eight inch casing was set at this depth.

The three gas wells being drilled by the Lone Star Gas company are going down rapidly. Their S. A. Anderson No. 1 is drilling at 1,180 their Anderson No. 2 is drilling at 250 feet and their Anderson No. 3 is drilling at 760 feet.

Ed V. Parsons is drilling two wells in the same sector. His W. A. Howard No. 1 is drilling at 1,505 feet and his Ora B. Jones is drilling at 1,530 feet.

The Rattlesnake Oil company got a dry hole on their Scott Marshall No. 1 and have abandoned the hole.

L. Teatsorth et al., have a rig up the Citizens Water Works No. 4 in proven territory. The Texas company has abandoned location on its L. A. Hightower No. 20. Urban and Clements are shut down at 900 feet for gas.

The western portion of the county is also getting its share of active drilling and next week should see producers in this section.

The rig on the Chestnut and Smith Corporation W. M. Kurkles No. 1 has been skidded 40 feet south as the well has had a fishing job for over a month at the 1,183 foot level. Gilman and Simmons are drilling at 3,920 and on their E. J. Ward No. 1. A good showing of gas was found between 3,740 and 3,743. Peter Hoffman is drilling at 2,050 on his M. Steward No. 1. The Independent Oil and Gas company has a fishing job at 3,350 on its Z. H. Been No. 1.

**Makes Location.**  
The McLester Oil company and States Oil corporation have topped the Caddo sand at 3,215 on their Peter Thorp 2-B in the same vicinity of the McLester producer. Location has also been made on their Peter Thorp No. 3-B.

The J. C. Dyer No. 2 of the Moody corporation will be completed as a small gas well. It was drilled to 3,889 feet and plugged back to 3,630. The McClelland No. 1 of the same company has a hole full of water at 900 feet and is setting 12 1-2 casing at 695.

C. M. Root has a rig up on his F. D. Stokes No. 1 and drilling will start in a few days. The A. P. Thorp No. 2 of the same company is underreaming at 3,470 and set six inch casing at 3,493.

Bob Murray et al., are drilling at 1,700 feet on their T. E. Castleberry No. 1. Phillips Petroleum company's C. Pence No. 1 is drilling at 3,650 and a showing of oil and gas was picked up at 2,285 to 2,290 and ten inch casing was set at 1,800 feet.

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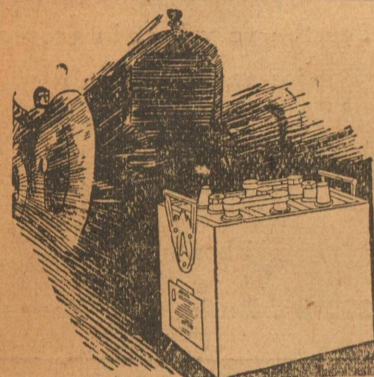
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# The Blazing Horizon

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BY ERNEST LYNN

CHAPTER XLVIII  
The Indian territory was cool after heavy rains and the afternoon sun fell pleasantly on the horse and rider that forded the Salt Fork of the Arkansas and turned their faces west.

The man wore the regalia of the cowboy—all hat, chaps, spurred boots and checkered shirt—and as he rode at an easy canter beneath the shade of the cottonwoods along the river's edge he spoke now and then in a confidential tone to his mount. "About fifteen miles to go, Cherokee. We'll be there before sundown without half tryin'."

As he rode along he thought of many things; the landscape had taken on a familiar aspect and here and there were stretches that were recognizable as scenes of earlier wanderings. "It begins to look like home, Cherokee. Is that what you're trying to tell me?"

His gaze took in the vista of green and rolling land and suddenly he was swept by a wistful regret that he would not behold that land many more times in its present virgin state. Two years, or three, or four, and a mighty avalanche of humanity would sweep across the Cherokee Strip, just as he had seen it sweep across Oklahoma in the fierce rush of men for homes that were free.

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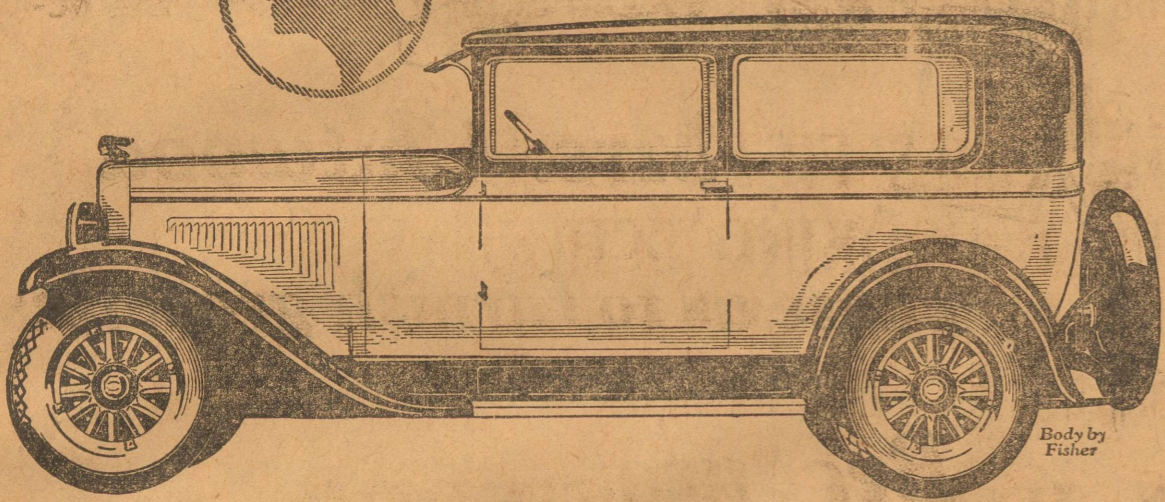
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The stallion flung up his head and lengthened his strides. "Impatient, now that we're almost there, aren't you?" said Tony Harrison. "Me, now, I feel just the opposite. The closer I come the more nervous I get. I'd sure be upset if Joe Craig decided he was through with me."

The sun slowly swung down toward the point where earth and sky were joined. From a glaring yellow sphere it had turned into a ball of orange and Tony Harrison faced it as he rode.

Presently he cut away from the Salt Fork and swung north up a gentle rise. The horse went up with never a slackening of his pace, but once at the top Tony checked him and faced around.

"I want to take a good look from here, partner. There won't be many more, I expect." He sighed. "Doggone it, I'm going to kick myself for coming back—it's doing things to me, Cherokee. I should've stayed in Guthrie."

He swept his hat from his head and let it dangle carelessly from his hand, after which he sat for several minutes in silent contemplation of the sunset. "Isn't that pretty, old timer?" he said presently. "I've seen the sunset many a time from this little hill—many a time. Quiet, Cherokee!" for the horse had lifted his head suddenly and snorted. "Quiet, I say! Now what the devil—"

There crept over him then the realization that he and Cherokee were not alone. Someone was near. Instinctively he felt who it was, and yet somehow he dared not turn around for fear that he should be wrong.

And then someone spoke. "Did you come all the way out here to see the sunset, Tony?"

Rita's voice! Rita! He felt a queer, throbbing sensation in his chest and slowly swung around in the saddle, his face as white as the blaze on Cherokee's forehead.

He saw her then, standing beside her horse, the bridle reins dangling in her hand. And he could not speak, but sat there and stared at her, the picture of stupefaction.

"I was behind those trees there when I saw you come riding up," she said sideways and inclined her head in the direction from which she had come. "So I just stayed where I was. Did I surprise you?" Her voice then was light, casual; but the pale-

ness of her cheeks gave the lie to her carefree manner and apparently she could not control the nerves trembling in the hand that held the bridal reins.

Tony Harrison found words at last but his emotions had slipped beyond lingual reach. "Why—why, Rita," he stammered, "I never thought—"

"To find me here," she finished for him. "And that's why you came. Of course, I know that." She swung her eyes away from him toward the vanishing sun.

He trembled. Was he mistaken or had there been bitterness in her voice? He strove for expression, foundered, gave up helplessly.

"Hadin' we better move on?" she asked coolly, after a long pause. "I guess so. Your father there?"

"Yes." "Craig?" "Yes." He hesitated awkwardly. "See here Rita, I've been right ashamed over that affair in Washington."

"Oh that!" She laughed queerly. "I forgave you long ago—I was rather glad it happened."

He stared in surprise. "Glad?" "It showed me a picture of someone's character."

Tony Harrison reddened and bit his lip. "At least," he said constrainedly, "I regretted it enough not to touch a drop since it happened."

"Oh, I didn't mean you, Tony," she said quickly. "I thought you did. Who was it then?"

Rita thrust her left foot into its stirrup and swung across the saddle. "His name," she said softly and after some hesitation, "was Forsythe."

He felt his heart leap wildly. "Look here; didn't you marry that man, Rita?"

The girl swung her head toward him in quick surprise. "You thought that?"

"Why not? You were planning to." He saw her shake her head slowly,

touched Cherokee and was beside her in one bound. "Rita!" he cried fervently. "Rita, have I been blind all this time?"

She raised her face to his and he saw that her eyes were swimming. "Both of us," she whispered huskily, "have been blind, Tony," and he bent over and kissed her.

"Girl," he murmured brokenly. "I said cruel things to you that night. I could shoot myself for it."

"I deserved it, Tony. I always loved you—for years and years—and I very nearly did a dreadful thing." She clung to him. "I'm so happy, dear; so happy."

He held her for a long time and then, as if by a common impulse, they straightened and turned in their saddles to watch the rim of the sun dip below the blazing horizon. Neither spoke, and when they swung their horses around to go the shadows had vanished from the earth.

"I have suffered, Tony," she told him as they rode toward the ranch house. "If I could have found you before you left that night I would have told you not to leave me."

He nodded somberly. "Your father," he said present—"has he for given me?"

"My father," she answered, "is considerably wiser than either of us. He will always be proud of you."

"Will he mind if I take you to Guthrie?"

"Is that where you live?"

He grinned. "I'm almost ashamed to admit it, but I'm a prosperous

business man. From the show business I sort of drifted into hardware—wait till Joe Craig hears about that; it'll kill him."

She laughed happily. Out of the darkness ahead a light twinkled and moved along and the sound of someone whistling drifted to their ears.

"That will be one of the boys in the corral," said Tony and puckered his lips and joined the whistler.

A man's voice hailed them. "That you Rita?"

"Yes, Joe; but I'm not alone." The light moved toward them. "Who's with you?"

"Someone you'll be glad to see." The lantern hung motionless and from Craig's quarter there was silence.

"See here, Rita," he called presently in a queer voice. "you're not telling me that it's—it's—"

Tony Harrison's answer interrupted him, jubilant and strong: "It's me, Joe. Here I come!"

He touched Cherokee with the spur and made straight for the light.

THE END.

Royalty contract, E. C. Lacy, et ux to M. Newman, part of Dan H. Yeiser survey 3300.

Release, deed of trust, Higgs Bros. & Co., to G. E. McDonald, N 1-2 of block 16, James Jett survey.

Warranty deed, Myrtle Levens et vir to Fred Fauth, lot 5, block B Lakeview Heights addition to Eastland 310.

Assignment, L. Teatsorth to Ruben Hatfield, part of section 5, E. T. Ry. Co. survey, 1550.

Release, abstract of judgment, M. Dallas to H. B. Shinholt, see abstract of judgment, records.

Warranty deed A. F. White et ux to A. C. Quinn, part of J. Salinas survey, 350.

Assignment, J. M. King to National Bond and Mortgage Corp., lot 7, block 34, Daugherty addition to Eastland, 1600.

Affidavit, Christy-Dolph Contracting company to assume name.

Assignment, J. W. Horn et ux, to Gulf Production Co., see deed records.

Deed of trust, H. H. Dick et ux, to T. W. Connellee, see pat. 235, vol. 17, 6635.25.

Assignment, P. B. Goodwin to T. Egar Johnson 1-24 interest in oil in part of M-S-D Wm. Van Norman sec.

Warranty deed, Harry P. Schaefer et ux, to E. J. Wende, et al., south part of SE 1-4 of section 65, block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey 3300.

Oil and gas lease, L. A. Hightower et al., to Panhandle Refining Co., lot 4, Brownson S-D, Wm. Van Norman survey, 31.

Warranty deed, J. W. Bishop et al to T. C. Weatherman, S-D of NE 1-4 section 13, block 3, E. T. R.R. Co. survey 3400.

## DRILLING REPORT

Pandem Oil Corporation, Mrs. Texanna Hutton No. 4, intention to drill; Brown county.

Roxana Petroleum Corporation, G. M. Gray No. 1, intention to drill; Coleman county.

Central Texas Refining Co., H. L. Alcorn No. 2; intention to drill; Brown county.

M. M. Rowan, J. A. Gwathmey, No. 1, intention to drill; Brown county.

Ditto Oil interests, J. L. Richardson No. 2, Brown county, intention to drill.

Archie Shaw, W. T. Burns No. 36, intention to drill; Coleman county.

The Canyon Oil and Gas Co., Mary Lee Long No. 1; plugging record; Callahan county, total depth 1421.

Mary Lee Long No. 5; plugging record; Callahan county, depth 1411.

R. F. Gilman & J. L. McMurray, Roy Hickman No. 2, intention to plug and pipe line certificate, Brown county.

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### WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer.

WASHINGTON.—If Congressman Everett Kent doesn't watch out, they'll stuff him and put him in the Smithsonian museum.

Kent is the only democratic congressman from Pennsylvania. He got into the house after a gory battle with a powerful machine and a big slush fund. He is so intelligent and aggressive that he has taken command of a fight which may give Boss Bill Vare of Pennsylvania his second bad licking here this session.

Defying the 35 other Pennsylvania representatives, Kent is out to unseat Hon. James M. Beck. Boss Vare, elected to the senate and doomed to be thrown out, gave Beck his old seat in the house last fall after Beck had lawyered for him even unto the point of writing a book to prove Vare's right to the senatorship.

The allegation against Beck is that he wasn't even a legal philadelphia and hence had no right to run in the special election arranged for him by Vare.

Kent, 39 years old, is a former machinist, newspaper reporter, school teacher and principal, coal dealer and lawyer. He served a term here once before, being elected in 1922.

With reference to his last election, Kent was asked:

"How did you, a democrat, ever get elected in Pennsylvania?"

"Simple," said he. "I went to the people with a doctrine of equal and exact justice to all and special privilege to none. Did the people get what I meant? You bet they did!"

"The game raised \$75,000 to beat me. Prohibition enforcement officials and other federal jobholders raised most of it by squeezing it out of the liquor dealers. The liquor dealers were called on to contribute. They had to pay, but they were so angry about it that they voted for me after supporting me on the quiet."

"The output of several breweries was diverted into my district in the last four days of the campaign. Anyone who wanted to distribute it to persuade the voters to vote against me could have a barrel free. But most of them took it and sold it for 15 cents a glass and then voted for me."

"I couldn't get a campaign card on railroad property. The railroad officials placarded their grounds with opposition placards and worked on their employes, but the workers came to

my meetings at night and all employes except the officials voted for Kent.

"In 1924, during the republican landslide, they counted me out in districts that were positively mine. This time I served notice that they hadn't better try it again, paid \$200 for watchers and won by 1,500 votes. I've got the great independent district of Pennsylvania, which has never been debauched."

"When I tell the railroad men, farmers, miners and factory workers there that the Pennsylvania tax system hits widows worst of all—especially widows forced out to make their own living scrubbing floors, dressmaking or in factories—while nine billion dollars of corporate wealth goes untaxed, they know what I mean because they've seen it work. My opponent had referred everybody who wanted anything in Washington to the county chairman at home and they didn't like that."

"I made 130 speeches and spoke wherever I could get a front porch, a church social or an abandoned hotel barroom."

Kent predicts that democracy will soon recover itself in Pennsylvania.

### Connelllee Hotel Be Complete In April Some Time

Construction work on the new Connellee hotel in Eastland is running a little ahead of schedule and barring unfavorable weather and other possible hindrances, should be completed sometime in April.

F. J. Brown, superintendent for the Bellows-Maclay construction company, who are building the hotel, together with his assistants, C. V. Reading and J. P. Cronquist, brick foreman, deserve much credit for the rapid progress made on the building.

Snow Frost, supervising architect for Wyatt C. Hedrick, architect, Fort Worth, has been on the job since the building was started.

The first concrete was poured on the job on October 19 and the second floor was poured on November 2. The 6th floor was poured on the second day of December.

All brick work is virtually completed and the wiring, plumbing, etc., has progressed along with the other work in such order that there has not been the slightest confusion or delay in any of the work from the very beginning to the present time.

Considering the enormity of the contract and the class of building, which requires the highest class work-

manship, those in charge of the work are to be commended for the rapid progress made.

### West Texas League To Meet In Abilene

ABILENE, Feb. 4.—Representatives of towns interested in forming a new West Texas baseball league will meet here Sunday to complete plans for its organization. Earl E. Snapp of Paris announced today.

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THE CART AND THE HORSE.

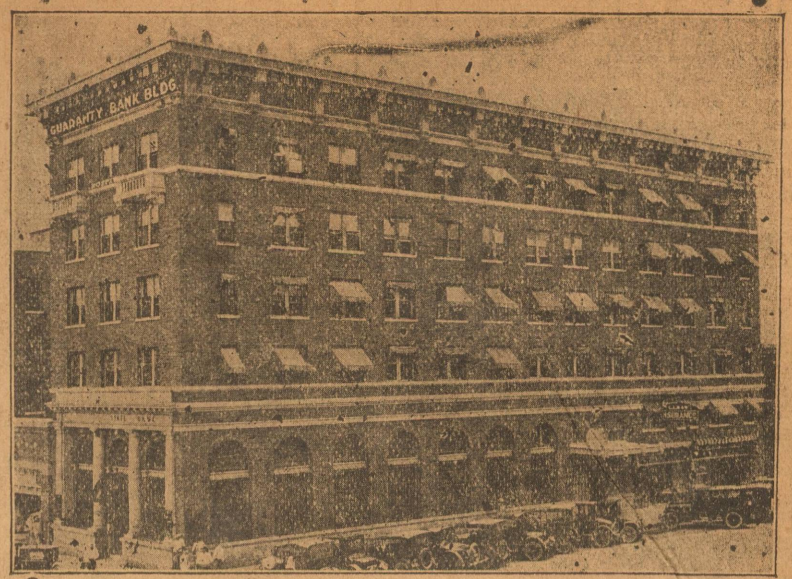
### Five Counties To Get Road Work Contract

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Approximately 40 miles of paving in five counties will be contracted by the state highway commission Feb. 20.

The work upon which bids will be opened at that time includes:

- Six miles of concrete paving in Wilbarger county from Oklaunion to Red river.
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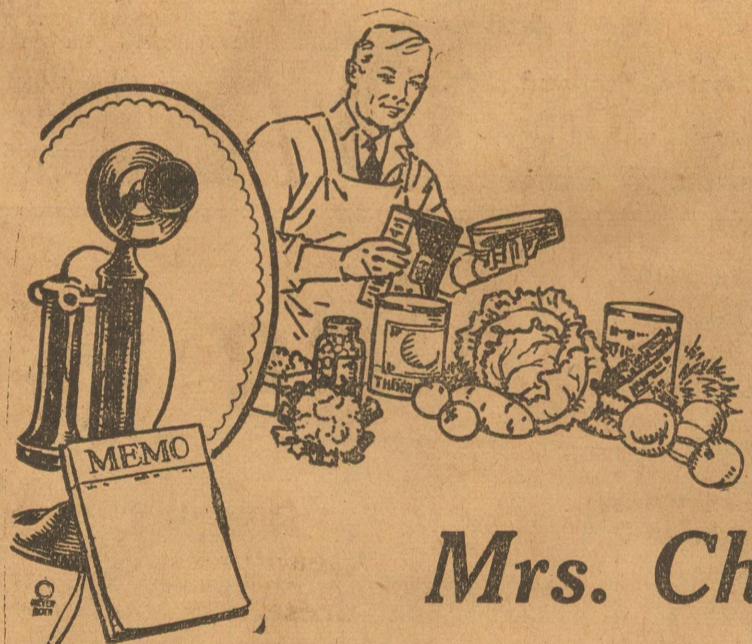
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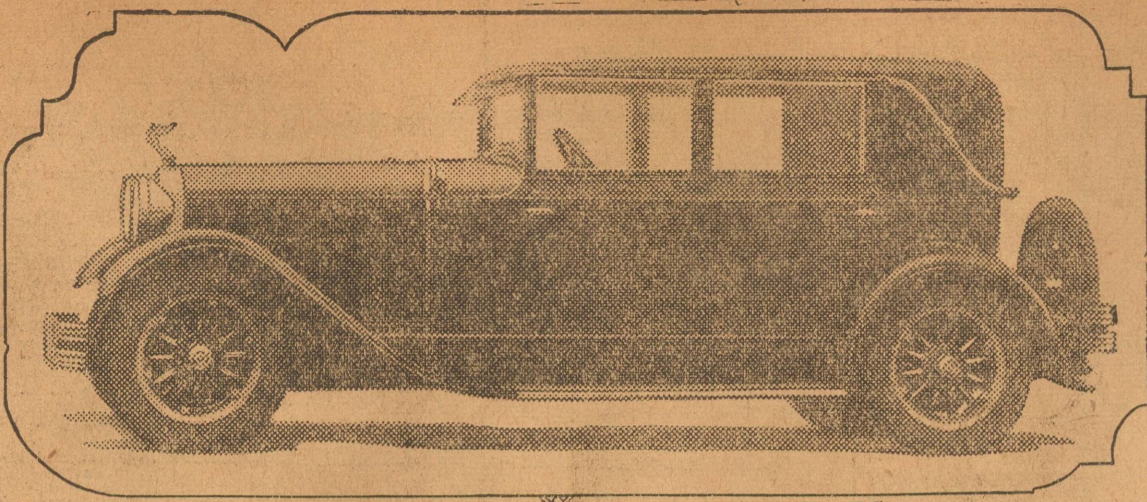
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### Oldest Newspaper In Hawaii Has Quit Business

By United Press.  
 HONOLULU, T. H.—Nupepa Kuokoa, the oldest general newspaper printed in Hawaii, having been founded in 1861, is no more. Announcement of its passing has been made by the Advertiser Publishing company which for many years printed Kuokoa in the Hawaiian language exclusively.  
 Lorrin A. Thurston, president of the Advertiser Publishing company, in announcing the passing of the Kuokoa declared that its circulation had dwindled so rapidly that it could be published only at a loss.  
 For many years the Kuokoa furnished to the Hawaiian people practically their only contact with the news of the islands and the world. With a few exceptions Kuokoa was the sole literary source of enjoyment for thousands of native Hawaiians.  
 According to Thurston the passing of the Kuokoa is not a sign of decadence but of progress. "It is not evidence of the slipping of the Hawaiians but of their most substantial advance," Thurston said.  
 "The reason for the decrease of circulation of the Kuokoa is the same as the reason for the decrease and

### De Luxe Models In 1928 Hudson Line



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With nicked steel window sash, narrow steel pillars and the laudau leather top material carried down to the body belt at the rear the Landau Sedan reflects both speed and roomy spaciousness. This is one of the Hudson de luxe models.

extinction of the once numerous newspapers in Hawaii published in Portuguese, which are no more. The newspapers published in Chinese, which in the days when Sun Yat-sen, the great liberator of China was a youth in Hawaii, were in their full tide of circulation and strength, are now in a desperate state," Thurston says.  
 "Several vigorous and prosperous Japanese newspapers are illustrating the same condition of paradoxical decline. They are meeting the situation by adding first a page, then two, then three and four pages of English daily to their issues and they have added English writers to their staffs.  
 "The reason is that the younger and coming generation in Hawaii of all nationalities is becoming an Eng-

lish reading and English speaking population," he added.  
 "Only a few of our citizens of Portuguese ancestry are immigrant. The bulk of them are either Hawaiian-born or came here so young that their memories and education are purely Hawaiian and therefore American. Practically the same is the case with the Chinese. There are a large number of Japanese immigrants in the territory and therefore there are a larger number to whom Japanese newspapers are a necessity. But the younger generation of citizens of Japanese ancestry have been born and developed under an American environment and are, without exception, receiving an English education.  
 "The Japanese language schools are being kept up by the immigrant Japanese who are not American citizens and who are not educated in English. But their progeny, the American citizens of Japanese ancestry, are irked by the Japanese language," according to Thurston whose family has been in Hawaii for four generations.  
 "Likewise the younger generation of American citizens of the Hawaiian race are of English education. The younger generation of Hawaiians, both of pure and mixed blood, get practically no information and little pleasure from reading Hawaiian. Many of them speak it haltingly and uncertainly."  
 Kuokoa has passed with the mule cars and the monarchy as Hawaii has progressed as an American territory.

### WOULD PAY NATIONAL DEBT

The Ministry of Education of Japan has received a check for the equivalent of \$14 from the head of a family in Formosa as the first installment on his share of the national debt. He wrote that he had read in the newspapers where Japan's foreign debt amounted to \$2,820,000,000, which was \$35.25 for every subject of the empire. He added that he and three members of his family were ready to pay their share, although it might take five years to do so. The Ministry of Education turned the money over to a women's organization promoting frugality.

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### Police In Paris Arrest 4,000 In One Big Cleanup

By United Press.  
 PARIS.—In the cleaning up campaign started by Prefect of Police Chiappe when the American Legion convention was about to open in Paris nearly 4,000 persons have been arrested and of these about 1,500 were either sent to jail or expelled from the country.  
 Minister of the Interior Albert Sarraut and the head of the police department, decided on the move when the communists and looters joined hands in August to stage a semi-revolution as protest against the condemnation of the Massachusetts anarchists Sacco and Vanzetti. It has been going on ever since and the city of Paris feels better for it.  
 Police arrive before midnight at places which least expect a visit and arrest every one in sight. Those who have "identity papers" are not further troubled. All the others spend the night, or at least several hours, in the station house. The United Press correspondent was sauntering along the Avenue de l'Opera the other night with a friend from Dayton, Ohio, when a squad of cyclist police surrounded them and intimated that the commissary would like to have a little talk with them.  
 The man in charge of the squad said that the real object of the operation was to learn exactly who the man from Ohio was. As it took two hours to clear up the situation which

would not have amounted to anything if the visitor had taken the precaution to get an "identity card" within two months of his arrival in France. In the first two weeks of the clean-up, 1,147 men and women were taken to the police stations. Of these 723 were criminals known to the police. In November, 1,061 foreigners were picked up in circumstances similar to that of the Dayton man and only 101 were immediately released on showing proof of their identity. There were 822 without legal papers and these are all subject to expulsion. The others included nine deserters from the army and half a dozen escaped convicts.  
 Sometimes the police raids are perilous in the extreme. This is especially the case when a raid is made on one of the thousand or more lodging houses in the "Apache" districts. Here the 20 policemen who make up the raiding party, under the orders of an inspector, literally take their lives in their hands when they batter down a door. If the man behind the door who has refused to open is an escaped convict who does not want to go back to a penal colony, he usually has a revolver in his hand and opens fire at once.  
 But more often than not the raids are amusing. The inspectors are never taken in by the Levantine and Balkan white slavers who declare they are highly respectable dealers in precious stones. They smile when men and women who have been picked up a dozen times repeat with a solemn air that they just happened to be in the opium or cocaine joint "by accident."  
 Dance halls, all-night bars, suspicious cabarets—and places where

the clientele is cosmopolitan, are subject to frequent visits. The police authorities at the end of December reported that the number of arrests was steadily diminishing.

The crooked line is among the notable features of Paris fashion for spring. Probably copied from the American tourists.

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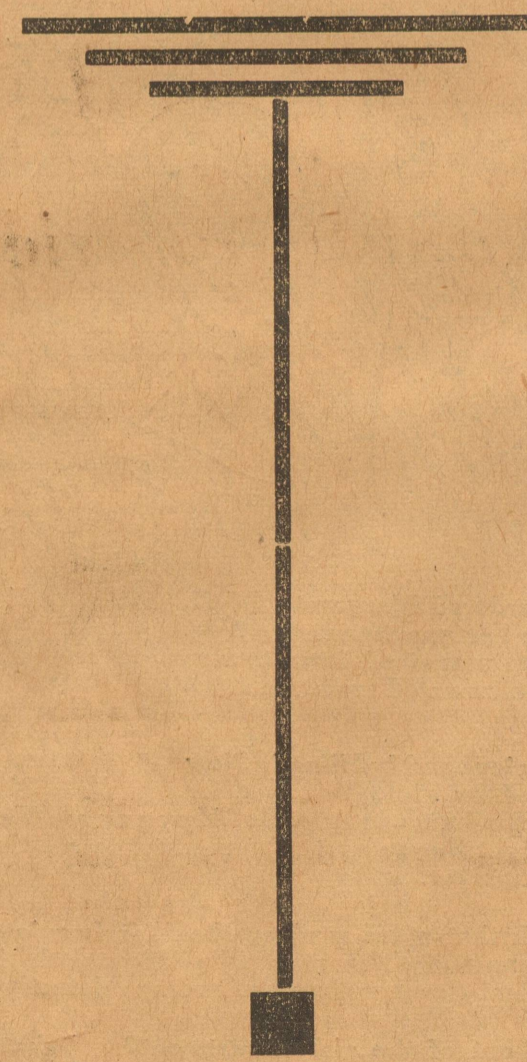
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### WOMAN'S CRY FROM GRAVE FAILS TO MAKE HUSBAND GIVE UP GIRL

By A. W. V. KING, United Press Staff Correspondent. SYDNEY, Australia.—The cry of a woman from the grave for her daughter, taken from her by the courts of Australia, comes in the will of Emelie Polini, the actress, who died at Chicago in 1927.

Emelie Polini established herself in the hearts of Australian theatre-goers, and the few months that her

original contracts called for grew into years in this country. She married Harold Ellis, an Australian, and temporarily retired from the stage to go with her husband to his farm. A daughter was born to the couple, but eventually husband and wife became estranged.

Emelie Polini was granted a divorce on the ground of incompatibility of temper, and the sympathy of

### Plans 18,000-Mile Flight



Captain Joseph F. Donnellan, former airmail pilot, plans an 18,000-mile flight in which he will touch most of the capitals of South American countries. He will attempt to show the practicability of a mail route across these lands. Donnellan is pictured above.

Australians with the aggrieved wife. But then followed a legal battle for possession of Patricia, and when the judge, after a lengthy hearing, held that he had no power under the law to direct that the child should remain with the mother and was forced to grant the father custody, the sympathy grew into agitation to return the daughter to her mother.

All means were tried and exhausted to secure the actress her child, but all failed. She left Australia. Friends who returned after seeing her abroad, remarked that she had broken. Then came news of her death in Chicago.

Recently all the old sorrow of her case was revived by the terms of Emelie Polini's will, of which probate was granted by the New South Wales court. In it she made a final effort to undo the order of the court.

In brief, she instructed her trustee to apply the whole of her estate, of which the New South Wales portion was worth more than \$25,000, in addition to property in the United States, to the benefit, education and bringing up of Patricia—provided the child was given into the custody of her sister, Mrs. Marie Nares, of London, wife of Owen Nares, an English actor. Patricia was to receive the benefit of the income of the estate until she was 24, when she would receive the principal. If her father decided to retain custody of Patricia, the girl was to receive merely \$5,000 on attaining the age of 24. To Harold Ellis fell the choice of seeing his daughter and the daughter of the woman he had once passionately loved, the daughter of a darling of

Australian theatre-goers, become heir-ess to a comfortable fortune or the legatee of a strictly limited sum.

That Emelie Polini's death did not end Ellis' bitter memories of his dead love was demonstrated by a curiously-rapid decision to leave the child to be brought up by his own parents in a Sydney suburb.

Emelie Polini's cry from the grave for her child had been in vain.

### BAND INSTRUMENT IS STOLEN AT HIGH SCHOOL

Carl Gray, Ranger high school student and member of the Ranger band reported to Chief of Police Jim Ingram Saturday that someone had stolen a trumpet from him sometime Friday.

Gray left the instrument in the high school building and when he returned for it he found it missing.

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### Snyder County, Penn. Has Youngest Sheriff

By United Press.

SUNBURY, Pa.—Snyder county, a little county at the foot of the Blue Ridge mountains, claims the youngest sheriff in Pennsylvania and probably in the entire United States.

Cyril F. Runkle, who has just passed the twenty-sixth milestone in his life, is the sheriff. He succeeded his father in office, after the elder Runkle had suffered a stroke and paralysis.

For three years prior to his election last fall as sheriff Runkle served as a deputy under his father, who had been incapacitated for active duty.

Residents here draw a striking contrast between this youth, who as yet has to worry little about shaving

and the hard, rough, men who once held the office.

Runkle, it is said, prefers justice with mercy. In spite of this law enforcement comes first with the youth at all times, and it is said that when stern measures are required Runkle, although he wears his revolver under his coat, rather than displayed in full view as formerly was the habit of sheriffs, can supply them.

Prior to undertaking the work of a law enforcement officer Runkle graduated from a business college at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and went to Pittsburgh where he was employed as an accountant. He then tried his fortunes in Winter Haven, Fla., returning to assume the post of deputy sheriff when his father was incapacitated.

He is a big husky boy, with a square, determined chin, but with a contagious grin.

### BRECKENRIDGE WILL HAVE FIRST MONDAY TRADE DAY

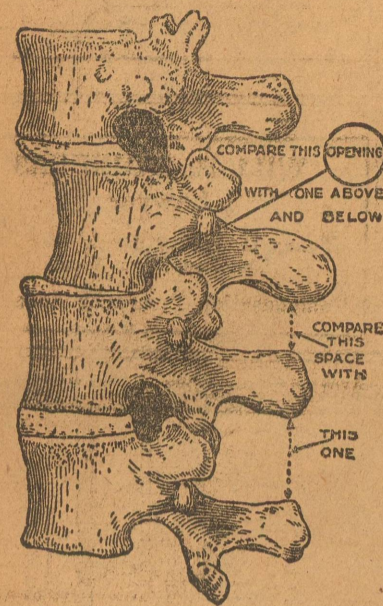
By United Press.

BRECKENRIDGE, Feb. 4.—A tract of land near the business center here has been secured for a market square and a special trades day has been designated as the first Monday of each month.

The square was obtained through the co-operation of farmers of the county and the Breckenridge chamber of commerce.

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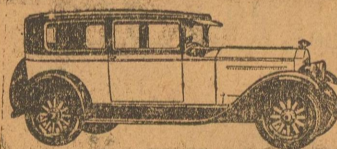
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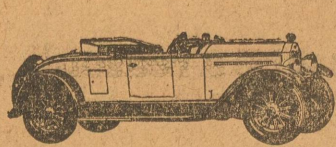
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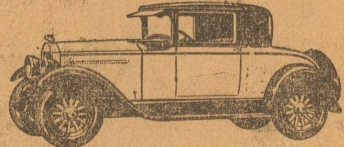
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On the night of Sept. 10 someone murdered Margret Odell, popularly known as the "Canary," in her apartment in West 71st street, New York. The case soon narrowed down to five suspects, of whom two were virtually eliminated from the start.

The murder, one of the most mysterious and baffling in New York police annals, finally was solved by Philo Vance, after the district attorney had thrown up his hands in despair. Here you see Vance looking over the suspects. From left to right they are: the man-about-town, the doctor, the manufacturer, the crook, the importer.

Which one did it? Do you think that after reading the first few installments of The "Canary" Murder Case you can name the man who strangled Margret Odell? If you can, you are a great deal cleverer than the average detective.

How did the murderer get in and out of the girl's apartment? What was the motive of the crime? How many people were in the apartment when the murder was committed? Why was the jewel case battered with a poker before being pried with a cold chisel? What did the finger prints on the table and door knob mean?

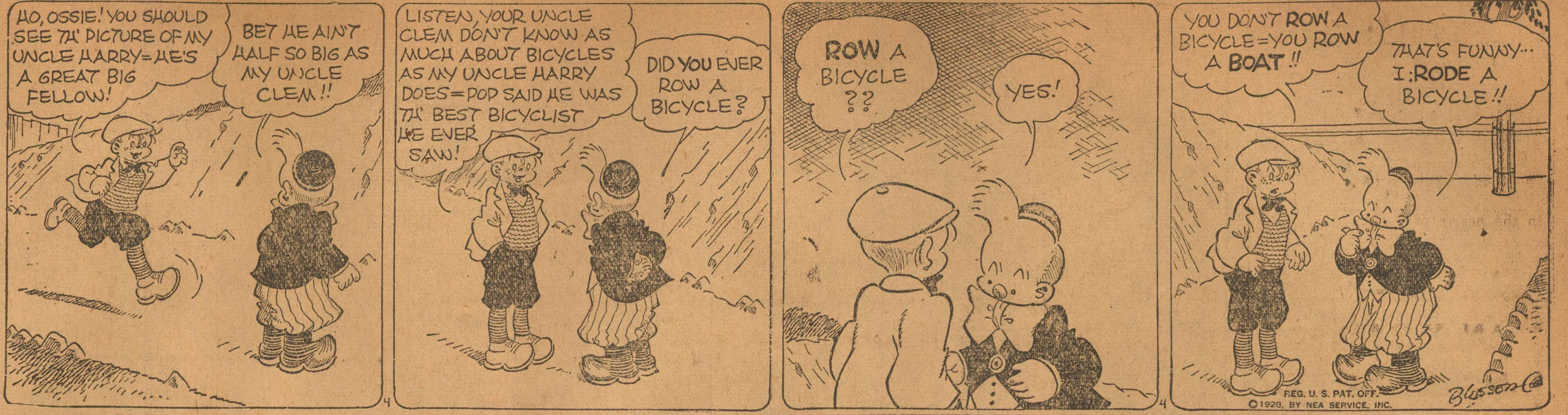
You will have to answer these questions before you can solve the "Canary" Murder Case. Be sure to read it, or you'll miss the biggest fiction treat in years. It begins Monday, February 6.

### Special Offer To Legionnaires Tuesday Night

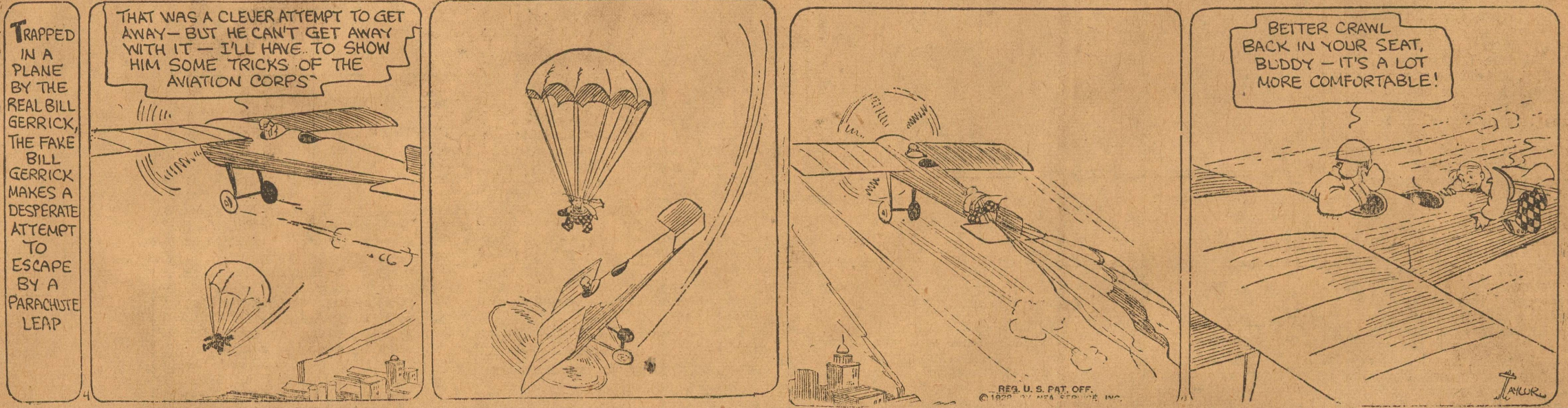
As a special inducement for members of the American Legion to see the "Two Arabian Knights" showing at the Liberty Tuesday and Wednesday, the management will admit any member of the American Legion free with one paid admission for a lady on Tuesday night.

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- For Tax Collector: A. M. (OTT) HEARN
- For County Superintendent: MISS BEULAH SPEER, H. A. REYNOLDS
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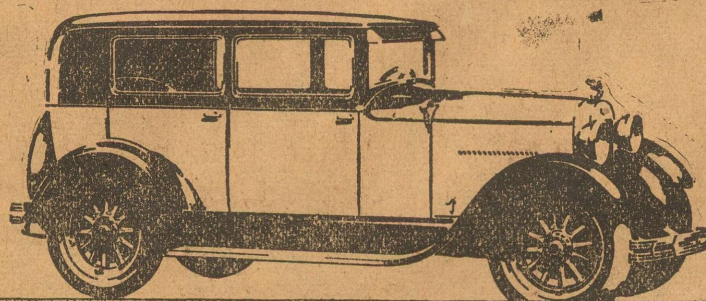
### REPORTS CHRYSLER CAR STOLEN FRIDAY NIGHT

The first stolen car of this year in Ranger was reported to the police force Friday night.

### Car thieves stole a 1926 model Chrysler 70 sedan belonging to Marvin K. Collie.

It was said at police headquarters that the car was parked in front of the Young school house when stolen.

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**North** To Breckenridge at 9:15 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m. "The Direct Route."

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### Grand Jury 91st District Court Makes Report

The 91st district court grand jury, in its final report made last Friday afternoon to Judge Geo. L. Davenport, took occasion to commend District Clerk W. B. Collie and his deputies, W. H. McDonald and Miss Dorothy Watson and the condition of the county jail; "Dug" Barton, jailer, on the sanitary condition of the county jail; District Attorney J. Frank Sparks and his assistant, Sterling C. Holloway for the splendid work of that department; Judge Geo. L. Davenport for the courtesies and assistance to the grand jury; and Miss Iva Moore and L. D. Hillyer, court reporters, for their assistance.

In connection with the Cisco bank robbery the grand jury especially commended Chief of Police G. E. (Bit) Bedford and Policeman Geo. Carmichael, who lost their lives in efforts to protect the bank, and the peace officers of a number of other counties and towns.

Following is their report in full:

To the Hon. George L. Davenport, judge of the 91st district court:

We, the grand jury for the December, 1927 term of your court, beg leave to make this as our final report:

We have been in actual session twelve days, and have carefully examined approximately 150 witnesses and returned thirty-five true bills of indictment, thirty-four being felonies. We have thoroughly examined every matter that has been called to our attention and have found bills in every case in which the evidence warranted such action.

We have inspected the county jail and find same in a sanitary condition, and we desire to hereby commend the jailer, Mr. Doug Barton, for the efficient manner in which he handles same under the unusual crowded conditions of the past two months.

We have received a report from Mr. W. B. Collie, district clerk, showing a final statement of his office. Mr. Collie deserves to be highly complimented upon the clerical and financial condition of his office. We find that during the past year something over five thousand dollars has been turned over to the county by the district clerk in excess of all salaries and expenses connected with his said office.

We particularly wish to commend and thank the sheriff and officers from the following counties and cities for their untiring efforts in apprehending and bringing to justice the perpetrators of the Cisco bank robbery, and the murders connected with the same: Stephens county, Young county, Shackelford county, Wichita county, Callahan county, Taylor county, Brown county, Comanche county, Palo Pinto county, Jack county, Jones county, Stonewall county, and Eastland county and the cities of Cisco, Ranger, Breckenridge, Graham, Spur and Eastland, and we particularly wish to commend those two good men, Chief of Police G. E. Bedford and policeman George Carmichael who gave their lives in line of duty in defense of property in Cisco.

We wish further to express our appreciation to Judge George L. Davenport for the courtesies and consideration shown us. We wish also to record a grateful acknowledgement of the efficient services rendered by Mr. L. D. Hillyer and Miss Iva Moore, court reporters, who were at all times cheerfully ready to lend us their assistance.

In conclusion we wish to thank Mr. J. Frank Sparks, county attorney, and his able assistant, Mr. Sterling Holloway, for their excellent support and assistance during our term.

Having completed our deliberations we ask this honorable court to discharge us from further service.

Respectfully submitted:  
E. E. FREYSCHLAG,  
Foreman.

### The Tiger of Franc—Today



This new picture of Georges Clemenceau shows the aging war-time premier in his study in the Rue Franklin, Paris. Clemenceau still is called "savior" by the French people.

### Praise For Work Of Editor And Teacher

NEW YORK.—Public men and newspaper editors united in praising the life work of Talcott Williams, upon the death of this veteran editor and first director of the School of Journalism at Columbia University in New York City.

"In the death of Talcott Williams," said Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, "American journalism has lost one of its outstanding figures of the generation just passing and Columbia University an officer and servant of commanding importance and ability."

"When by the beneficent of Joseph Pulitzer the School of Journal-

ism was organized at Columbia University some sixteen years ago. Dr. Williams, then editor of the Philadelphia Press, was the unanimous choice of the Administrative Board as its first director. He brought to the School of Journalism not only great ability, large experience and quite unrivaled knowledge in many fields, but also faith in the purposes of the school and absolute confidence in the practicability of the aims which led Mr. Pulitzer to make his notable benefaction."

The Evening Telegram commented as follows on the work of the Columbia University journalist:

"Of a surely a busy life was ended when Talcott Williams, veteran newspaper man of this city, went to his last rest.

### New Lower Prices Boost Demands For Chryslers

Greater public interest in Chrysler cars than ever before at this season of any year has followed the lowering of prices, effective January 10, for its new '52' and great new '62' according to reports received by J. W. Frazer, Chrysler sales manager.

In the '52' line three body styles, two of them closed cars, are now priced at \$670 at the factory. They are the coupe, two-door sedan and roadster.

Distributors and dealers throughout the country are reporting greater attendance at their showrooms and larger buying volume, with many orders being booked for future delivery, according to factory checkings. Among the largest cities to report definite sales increases are New York, Chicago, Detroit, Philadelphia, Boston, Cleveland, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Atlanta, Baltimore, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Seattle and Dallas. Smaller market centers from every part of the country have also felt the greater Chrysler buying.

Chicago reports a greater attendance at Chrysler salesrooms during the week following the announcement of lower prices than during any previous entire month of January. Both in New York and Detroit more retail orders for '52' and '62' cars were written during the week following the announcement of the savings than during all of January, 1927.

Mr. Frazer points out that greater public demand, which has resulted in Chrysler achieving, for 1928, third place among all motor car manufacturers in the sales records of the National Automobile chamber of commerce, has made these substantial savings in cost to the general public possible.

"Full of years and honors fits him, if a man not yet 79 can be described as old these days."

"Born in Turkey, where his father was a missionary, he returned here to be educated at Amherst, and on graduating in 1873 started as a space reporter on the World."

"The first job of the man who was later to achieve an envied place in his chosen profession and receive degrees from many universities was to interview Harry Hill on the career of John C. Heenan, 'the Benicia Boy,' of the pugilistic world."

### Hey! Hey! Hoover



That's the pre-convention slogan of Meier Steinbrink, Brooklyn attorney, who has been selected to manage the preliminary campaign for the Secretary of Commerce in New York's most populous borough.

### U. S. BEHIND ON CIDER VINEGAR OUTPUT

NEW YORK.—For the first time in five years the United States is faced with under-production in the cider vinegar industry, according to a statistical survey made by the American Cider Vinegar Manufacturers Association, in pursuance of bulletins issued by the United States Department of Agriculture. The bulletins report an extreme shortage in all apple products.

The association report states that barrelage figures of stocks on hand, including carry-overs, as submitted on Dec. 31 by practically all cider vinegar manufacturers east of the Mississippi River, showed a deficit of approximately 7,000,000 gallons compared to previous years. This indicates that there is actually on hand now less cider vinegar than the average consumption over a period of several years.

Bumper apple crops since 1923 resulted in general over-production in the cider vinegar industry. Regarding this over-production and the prospects of shortage for the coming year, the report says: "In 1924 over-production amounted to approximately 37 per cent, while in 1925 and 1926 it was approximately 33 per cent, which figures must be compared with the present deficit. If there is an average vegetable and pickle crop during the coming season, and conditions point to largely increased acreage, there unquestionably will be a strong seller's market on cider vinegar beginning with the coming season."

Reports from Pacific Coast cider vinegar manufacturers for last year's production, indicate approximately half the production of previous years.

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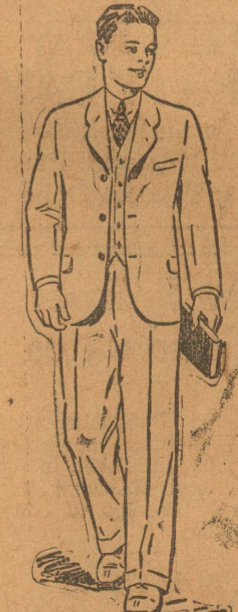
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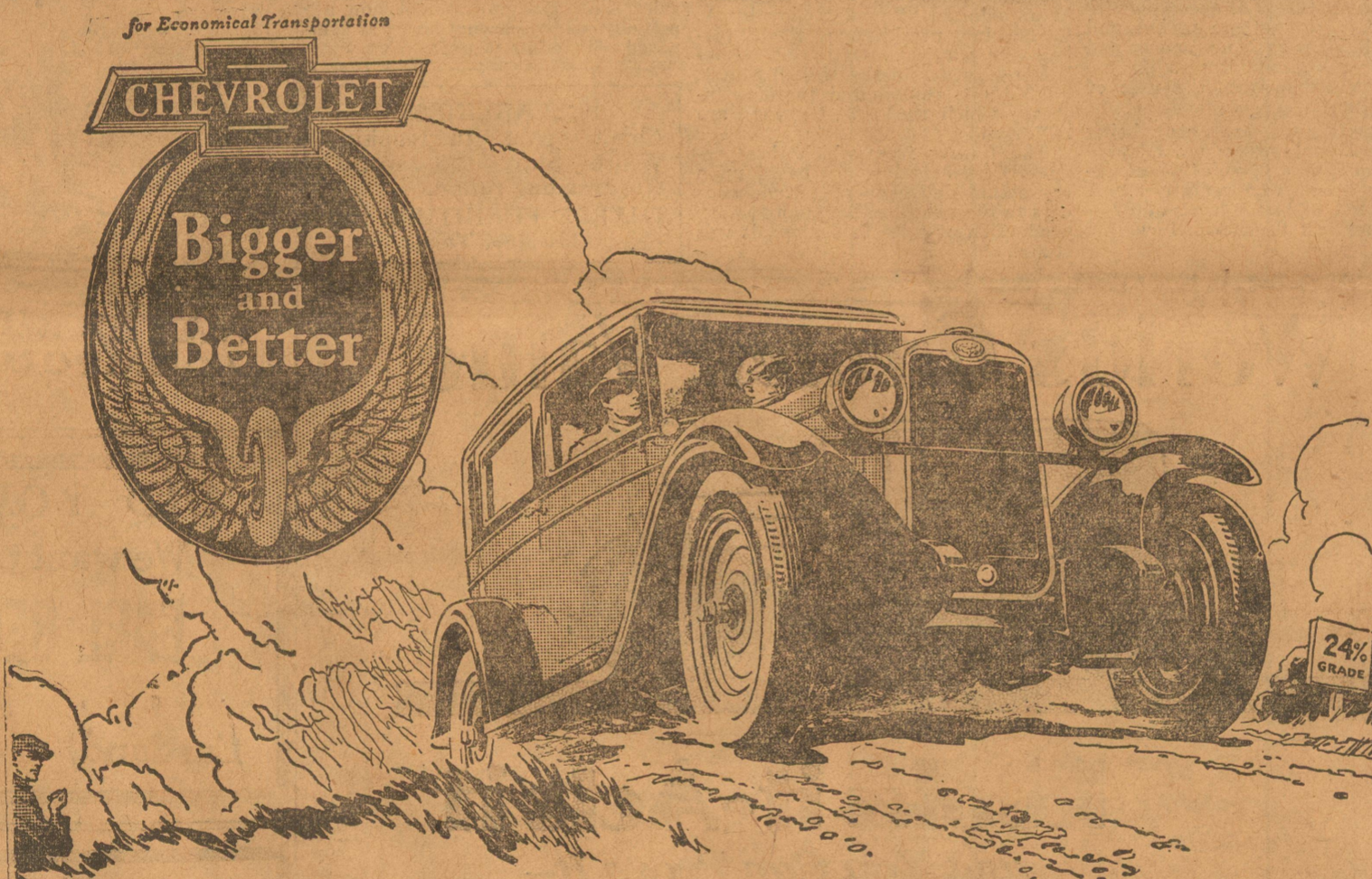
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