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REPUBLICANS SEEKING A WONDERFUL MAN

RANGER ASKED TO MAKE LABOR DAY A HOLIDAY

City Buys New Tractor for Street Work; to Enforce no Left-Hand Turn.

"Labor Day" will be a holiday in the city of Ranger, according to a proclamation to be issued by the mayor as authorized by the city commission at a meeting of the board. Labor Day will also be a day of entertainment planned by the different organizations of the town, the Elks, Lions club, Rotary club, American Legion and the country club, for the benefit of the high school football team. In accordance with the attitude displayed by the people of Ranger the commissioners decided to make it a holiday for Ranger.

An ordinance was also read and approved for the purchase of a new tractor by the city for work on the streets. The price of the tractor, which is of the "Best" type distributed by the Moline-George company of Dallas, is \$3,950 less \$500 allowed for the old tractor. The city plans to use the tractor for all available work, not only on the streets for grading purposes but for digging ditches for the new water mains that are to be laid in a short time.

The commission also directed the city secretary, Clarence Love, to draw up an ordinance to enforce the "no left hand turn" signs on Main street. A number of complaints by motorists, who observe the sign out of consideration for the other people, allege that more motorists are disobeying the sign every day and are thereby endangering the occupants of cars who are in the left hand turn to turn to the left. A number of accidents are said to have been narrowly averted.

Northwest Texas Press Association Meets This Week

Special.
VERNON, Tex., Aug. 28.—Members of the Northwest Texas Press Association will meet in convention in Wichita Falls tomorrow and Saturday. A splendid program is promised. Business sessions will be devoted to a discussion of live subjects and a new standard of entertainment for the visiting newspaper men is being arranged by the Wichita Falls people.

The convention will open at 10 o'clock Friday morning and it is the intention to conclude the sessions in time for those coming by train to get to their homes by Saturday afternoon.

On the program for the convention are: A. H. Luke, Grapeland, president of the Texas Press association; Henry Edwards of Troup, past president, and Sam P. Harben of Richardson, secretary. Harry Olmsted of Dallas, wholesale paper dealer and president of the State Fair, and Fred E. Johnson of Dallas, head of a fine arts printing establishment and a director of the Southwest Printing Trades school. And there will be others.

Everything points to the best convention ever staged by a district press association," said R. H. Nichols of Vernon, president of the association.

STATISTICS RELATING TO SCHOLASTICS IN THE SOUTH'S COTTON BELT

The latest available figures covering free schools in the state of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, North and South Carolina, for the years 1915 to 1920 are as follows:

There was an annual average of 6,075,458 children enrolled within the scholastic age during this period in the above mentioned states.

The annual average appropriation for public schools for the years 1915-1920 was \$127,411,000, or an average of \$20.96 for every child enrolled.

The cottonseed grown in the southern states mentioned for the years 1915-1920 sold for approximately \$27,500,000 annually, or an average of 45.73 for every child enrolled. This left \$24.77 per child to be applied to the purchase of other necessities.

WALTON SPEAKS IN DEFENSE OF HIS ADMINISTRATION

By United Press.
PERRY, Okla., Aug. 28.—The largest crowd that ever attended a political meeting here heard former Governor Jack Walton speak last night. The crowd numbered about 5,000. Walton devoted most of his speech to defending his administration while governor and made only a mild attack on the Klan.

CARL BARNES POST VOTES TO CELEBRATE NATIONAL DEFENSE DAY

The Carl Barnes post of the American Legion of Ranger has gone on record, by unanimous vote, as in favor of the observance of "national defense day" September 12. The question came up last night at a stated meeting held in the legion rooms in the Guaranty bank building. The post also voted favorably on two motions, one to hold a boxing bout here sometime next month and the other to give a show sometime in October. Plans will be perfected and announced later by the entertainment committee of the post.

The Carl Barnes post of the American Legion, at their regular meeting Wednesday night, took no definite action regarding a program for defense day, but passed a resolution expressing their willingness to cooperate with Mayor Hodges provided he wishes to have a definite program on that day, as the mayor of each city is supposed to have charge of defense day programs. The committee named to confer with Mayor Hodges includes Dr. C. C. Craig, A. N. Larson, and C. C. Patterson.

ALGEBRA GETS SHARP WHACK BY EDUCATOR

Excessive Emphasis Given It in Texas High Schools Criticized as Unwise.

Special.

FORT WORTH.—Algebra is receiving excessive emphasis in Texas high schools, which prevents a great many students from getting into courses in history and science, "which from every point of view will be more useful in later life, and are just as good for general mental training as algebra."

This is the principal challenge in the report on the high school curriculum in Texas, as made by Dr. George A. Works, director of the Texas school survey. He announced this at the conclusion of his study of the statistics gathered by Dr. C. H. Judd of the University of Chicago.

This is wrong, says Dr. Works, who insists that "if algebra cannot be eliminated as an absolute requirement of the high school it should be changed radically by combining it with geometry." He stated that the excessive emphasis on algebra is due to the influence of the University of Texas, since it insists on mathematics in its own curriculum.

"One is impressed," declared Dr. Works, "by the contrast with the meager registration in the natural sciences: biology, botany, physiology, chemistry, general science, geography, nature study, physics, physiology and hygiene, and zoology." The statistics submitted show that algebra has a registration far beyond any other high school subject, and, in fact, the aggregate registration in all sciences is less than the registration in algebra.

Conservative tendencies are seen by Dr. Works in the English courses, which emphasize the relatively formal phases: namely, composition and grammar, with comparatively less attention to American and English literature. There is more stress laid on Latin and Spanish than on literature in the English language.

Ancient and medieval history is stressed in the Texas high schools, with much less attention to modern and American history and to civics. This, too, should be reversed, according to the report.

Declaring that the problem of the curriculum needs the serious consideration of both lay and professional people of the state, Dr. Works believes that the division of high school supervision of the state department of education should open up a general consideration of the high school curriculum.

MEXICAN BANDITS RELEASE AMERICAN HELD FOR RANSOM

WASHINGTON.—R. C. Barrineau, American lumberman and representative of an American lumber firm in Mexico, has been released and is on his way to Durango after being held captive for ransom since Aug. 15 by Mexican bandits, according to advices to the state department.

Barrineau telegraphed to American officials at Tehuantepec that he was released by the bandits Aug. 23. The Mexican government had already sent out a detachment of troops to search for the captured American.

FORMER OKLAHOMA OFFICIAL DENIES CHARGES AGAINST HIM

ENID, Okla., Aug. 28.—Dr. M. M. McCord, Okarche physician, appeared voluntarily here last night and made bond in the sum of \$1,000 in each of two counts charging him with illegally selling property while superintendent of the home for feeble minded. McCord said last night he would be able to clear himself of the charges.

STORM RAGES FROM SOUTH TO FAR NORTH

Flyers Delayed in Hop to Labrador; Ocean Liners Battered by Waves.

By United Press.

ABOARD THE U. S. S. RICHMOND, Aug. 28.—A terrific storm which has lashed the Arctic waters into a fury along the line of the American flyers route to Labrador may further postpone the flight. It has been postponed at least until tomorrow because of the weather and may be deferred longer.

The gale swung north from the main coast Tuesday and hit here Wednesday afternoon. The Richmond is now anchored at Ickle harbor, three miles east of Indian Harbor.

By United Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Two great ocean liners battered by giant seas in a terrific storm which raged over the Atlantic Tuesday were in port here today while more than 50 of the passengers suffered from injuries when they were thrown about by the force of great waves, which all but engulfed the ships.

The Arabic of the White Star line, which radioed for ambulances to meet her at the dock was the most severely hit and 12 of her passengers were taken to hospitals at once when she docked. Twenty-four others were treated by surgeons and taken to their homes or hotels. The Homeric of the same line also was hard hit and seven of her passengers were injured.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The weather bureau expects the new tropical disturbance blowing off the Greater Antilles to waste itself in the unfrequented waters of the South Atlantic without being felt along the North Atlantic coast, it was declared today.

The new disturbance centered last night between Dominica and Antigua.

SALVATION ARMY CHANGES IN TEXAS IN SEPTEMBER

DALLAS, Aug. 28.—Lieut. Colonel Edwy White of Milwaukee has been appointed successor to Lieut. Colonel George Wood as commander of the southwestern division of the Salvation Army, and will be installed on September 3, it was announced at divisional headquarters today. Announcement was made also that effective Sept. 1, the southwestern division, which consists of the states of Texas and Louisiana and part of Arkansas, will be divided, and a new territory formed, to be known as the Gulf division.

The new division will be composed of the entire state of Louisiana and a strip of North Texas counties on the Gulf coast.

Houston, Texas, will be headquarters of the new division. Adj. Chas. Hepper, who now is in Detroit, Mich., has been appointed commander of the Gulf division and will be installed the first week in September.

MISSOURI RIVER CAUSING HEAVY LOSS TO FARMERS

KANSAS CITY.—The insatiable appetite of the Missouri river is causing heavy daily losses to Kansas farmers of Wyandotte county through engulfing of acres of prime corn lands along its course.

Large chunks of sandy soil bearing seven and eight-foot stalks of corn are disappearing daily into the swirling waters while farmers are forced to stand by helplessly and watch their possessions sink away.

Railroad lines are less than a quarter of a mile from the stretch where the stream is active and plans are under way to throw some detaining element in the way of the meandering current.

PENTACOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH TRIAL DEFERRED

POMEROY, Ohio, Aug. 28.—The case of 44 members of the Pentacostal Holiness church, charged with abetting the alleged immorality of the young people of the congregation was continued for two weeks when called for trial today.

The continuation was ordered at the request of L. C. Davis, county prosecutor. More than 2,000 persons were on hand for the hearing. The defendants marched into court behind Rev. Thomas Spear, their pastor, singing hymns and proclaiming their innocence.

Davis intimated he may reach an agreement with the Rev. Thomas Spear which will result in dismissal of the charges.

Crude Oil In Demand and Price May Advance

All pipe line companies operating in this section will follow the lead of the Texas company in taking all oil offered them, is the opinion of oil men in this section. For some time the pipe line companies here have been pro rating the runs of oil, but it is believed that this will be discontinued entirely and all oil being offered will be taken. Price advances in crude are looked for by many oil producers in the near future.

Operators believe this move will stimulate activities in the oil fields in this section, which was curtailed some because of the orders issued by the pipe line companies to run only a part of the oil.

New Vein Of Rich Potash Reached By Drill Near Midland

MIDLAND, Texas, Aug. 28.—Another rich vein of potash has been discovered in the well of the Texas Development company, drilling near this city. The discovery was made at a depth of 1,420 feet, and the new vein is declared to be richer than the recently discovered eight-foot vein struck at 900 feet and which analyzed 11.6 potash. To date the drill has gone into 15 feet of potash and to date four separate and distinct veins of potash have been struck in this well. The first was a 20-foot vein at 700 feet, assaying 5.4; the second a 10-foot vein at 900 feet, assaying 9.7, and now the 15-foot vein averaging 11.6 per cent potash. And it is pointed out by government potash men here that the veins are really much richer than the naked analysis shows, as all the samples analyzed with "drillings." Diamond drilling is said to be the only way to get a true sample of potash. Samples of this potash are to be sent to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which organization has agreed to exhibit the same in the various fairs they are to visit this year.

ALTHOUGH STRICKEN TWICE, ACTOR CARRIES ON

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Aug. 28.—The second great tragedy in Harry Bennett's life is settling over him like dust at sunset.

Bennett, an actor and artist and musician, is going blind. Nature for a second time has thrown a physical barrier in his way. Years ago, Bennett's voice was stricken in his appearance at the opening of the \$1,000,000 Keith theatre in Boston.

That eccentricity of fate was enough to crush an artist standing near the peak of his career. Not so with Bennett. Starting anew he centered his efforts at the piano and pipe organ and became a theatre photographer. He has been playing in Muskogee's leading theatres for some time.

Now, the keys of his instrument are becoming blurred. For him the music is setting.

But, Bennett is not giving up. His mind visions a traveling minstrel show. His wife, once known to circus celebrities as "Ollivette Martin," and famous for her ability in Roman race riding, will be the "eyes." Bennett has not forgotten the trick card performance he learned from a Hindu seer years ago. Blindfolded, he visions mystifying his audience by his dexterity with cards.

When Bennett embarks with his new venture, the closing chapters of an adventurous professional life covering a period of 45 years will begin.

RAILROAD STATION MASTER REPULSES TWO BANDITS

ORANGE, N. J.—Will Allen, railroad station master, had nearly completed counting \$2,000 in fares when two bandits entered and caused him to lose count. He threw a chair at them and they fled without the \$2,000.

MAN-EATING MOSQUITOS BITING PEOPLE OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO.—Residents of Chicago, which has been infested with hordes of man-eating mosquitoes during the last few days, will have to grin and fight 'em until frost, Dr. Herman Bunderson, city commissioner of health, indicates. Bunderson's office has been swamped with queries from outlying residence sections as to the best manner to eliminate the sleep and complexion destroyers.

MASTER MIND IN MAN HUNTS NOW SUSPECTED

William Fahy Rests In Jail In Quiescent Mood While His Wife Outwits Detectives.

By United Press.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—While William F. Fahy, veteran sleuth of the postoffice department, rested in the county jail on a charge of being the head of the gang which carried out the \$2,000,000 mail robbery at Rand-out, Ill., last June, apparently making no effort to obtain bail, operatives today renewed their efforts to discover the whereabouts of the loot.

Fahy and James Murray, Chicago underworld character also under arrest, are believed to have taken most of the money in the excitement that followed the accidental shooting of one member of the gang by another.

Operatives today planned to search further for the women in the case. Mrs. Fahy, wife of the detective, slipped into her home under the very eyes of the detectives and then left, taking with her a sheaf of documents. She has not been found since.

HOUSTON ALLIED CRAFTSMEN END DIFFERENCES

Row Between Carpenters and Sheet Metal Workers Leaves Open Door.

By United Press.

HOUSTON, Aug. 28.—Members of the 13 building crafts in Houston, who walked out Aug. 4, following a row between the carpenters and sheet metal workers over the hanging of metal doors in the Jefferson Davis city hospital, returned to work this morning.

Knowledge that they were losing Houston to open-shop labor and that \$100,000 weekly was being paid non-union men brought about termination of the disagreement between the two locals.

ROMANCE FINDS PLACE IN PARTY CONVENTION, CUPID BINDS CAPTIVES

By United Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—A romance growing out of the national democratic convention was revealed today in the marriage of Maxine Davis, well known Washington newspaper woman, to Frank W. Getty, special writer for the United Press.

Miss Davis was a special correspondent for the United News during the democratic convention and Getty served on the staff of the United Press. She will continue in newspaper work and make her home in New York.

BICYCLE PLEASURE JAUNT IS INTERRUPTED BY CRASH

DALLAS.—Kind-heartedness of Bobby Trample, 12, of Fort Worth, landed the youngster in an emergency hospital here with a flock of bruises after his bike came a cropper on the Dallas-Fort Worth pike.

His mother had given him three dollars to finance his trip to Dallas on the interurban. Bobby's brother could not go along, so Bobby split the money with him and decided to make the trip on his bicycle.

En route he had a collision with a boulder, and was brought here by a motorist. Hospital attaches financed his return trip to Fort Worth via jitney.

NEW YORK DANDIES READY TO APE PRINCE OF WALES

NEW YORK.—Fifth avenue is taking on an English complexion as far as clothes and styles are concerned—based largely upon ideas gathered from pictures of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, now safely aboard the liner Berengaria en route to the United States for a visit.

The Wales walking stick has already been taken over by the "dicks" of the avenue and catwalkers are all set to do a land office business as soon as they get a peep at the royal wardrobe, said to have been entirely overhauled for its American appearance.

WOMAN HURT BY WIRE DANGLING FROM AIRPLANE

POINT PLEASANT, N. J.—Mrs. Emily Roseboro sustained a broken leg when she was jerked from her feet in her back yard by a wire dangling from a passing airplane. She said the machine failed to stop following the accident.

Weather May Clear Friday, So Airmen May Fly Southward

By United Press.

ABOARD U. S. S. RICHMOND AT INDIAN HARBOR, Aug. 28.—Favorable weather forecasts along the route of the American flyers from Iqavut, Greenland, to Indian Harbor gave hopes to the American airmen they would be able to take off tomorrow for home shores.

CHARRED BODY FOUND TO HAVE CRACKED SKULL

Houston Police Believe Watchman Killed by Parties Who Set Fire to Factory.

By United Press.

HOUSTON, Aug. 28.—Police are continuing their investigations today on the theory of murder in the finding of the charred body of Herman Lentschke, watchman, in the ruins of the Texas Barrel works, destroyed by fire Tuesday night.

Examination of the skull of the watchman disclosed a crack. Police believe he was attacked before the fire started. His gun was found late Wednesday. All trace of bullets had been melted from the cartridges. Police said an arrest would be made today.

Miss Blanton Seeks Place As President Of the Texas C. I. A.

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Aug. 28.—Miss Annie Webb Blanton, former state superintendent of public instruction and at present associate professor of education at the University of Texas, has formally announced that she is an applicant for appointment to the presidency of the Texas College of Industrial Arts to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. F. M. Braley.

While State Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs is not an applicant, it is said by his friends that if the appointment is tendered to him he would accept it. In that event he would have to resign from the democratic ballot for reelection to the office of state superintendent and the democratic executive committee would have to put a candidate on the ticket.

A boom is elect Jud C. Adams of Dallas as chairman of the new state democratic executive committee has been launched by leaders of the Ferguson organization of Travis county, it was stated today.

TIMBERS LASHED TO RAILWAY TRACK WRECK FAST PASSENGER TRAIN

By United Press.

ATHENS, Ohio, Aug. 28.—Heavy timbers bound across the tracks caused the wreck of the New York Central fast passenger train yesterday in which two trainmen were killed, officials revealed today.

Railroad investigators seeking cause of the wreck today discovered the railroad ties had been wired to the tracks.

The courage of Harry Sargeant, engineer, prevented what might have been an even more disastrous wreck. The engine jumped the track, but Sargeant stayed at his post and applied the brakes as the locomotive bumped over the ties. He was killed when the locomotive turned over.

Peter Kline, fireman, leaped from his cab and was fatally injured. He died today.

DEATH CLAIMS TOLL WHEN AMMONIA TANK EXPLODES

By United Press.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 26.—Ten persons were seriously injured, one woman was reported buried in the debris and other were slightly hurt, when an ammonia tank under the sidewalk in front of a local grocery house exploded today. Several of the injured are expected to die.

GIFT OF WATERMELON.

AUSTIN.—A 75-pound watermelon cannot be refused, especially in this sort of weather. John M. Scott, commissioner of insurance, was the recipient of that amount of Texas fruit recently, a gift from the Knights of Pythias home at Weatherford, where he had been director for 15 years.

HARRY R. ROGERS OF SAN ANTONIO MAY BE CHOSEN

He Is Said to Meet Specifications for Republican Nominee for Governor

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Aug. 28.—Formal declaration of the republican nomination for governor and for state superintendent of public instruction were received today at the state department from T. P. Lee and Miss Elizabeth Baker, the former of Houston and the latter of Dallas.

Both declarations were in proper form and sworn to and were acknowledged and filed by Acting Secretary of State Henry Hutchings.

No name of a gubernatorial candidate came out of the two-day conference at Houston, but it is stated that the party will in all probability name a consistent dry, an active church member, a competent business man of impeccable honesty, a republican who will support the Coolidge and Dawes ticket.

Those are stiff specifications for a political body of the republican leaders say the man they choose must meet them and that they will have the man in due time. Who he is they do not say but well-defined rumors pick from a group of eight or 10 names, that of Harry H. Rogers of San Antonio, prominent lawyer, philanthropist and civic leader, at present district governor of the Rotary club and a trustee of Texas Christian university.

WACO, Aug. 28.—The republican party of Texas will select a gubernatorial candidate from its own ranks and studiously avoid unpleasantness with any other organization of the state, Charles E. Boynton, secretary of the executive committee, said today.

"The man we nominate for governor will be a straight-out republican and there will be no confusion with any other organization," Boynton declared. His statements were interpreted here to be a reply to a charge that efforts were on foot to ally the Klan vote on the republican side in the general election.

Ferguson Denies Reported Interview With Mrs. Ferguson

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Aug. 28.—A purported interview with Mrs. Ferguson in which she was quoted as saying that she would not permit anyone whom she knew to be a Klansman has been appointed post at the Texas capital is denied by former governor James E. Ferguson in a statement given an Austin newspaper which printed the interview.

"Mrs. Ferguson did not say she would not appoint a Klansman as you are trying to start trouble at the coming state convention at Austin, just when we were trying to get everything straightened," Ferguson is quoted as saying.

SWEETWATER PLANNING TO BUILD NEW CITY PARK

By United Press.

SWEETWATER, Texas.—The city park movement in West Texas received a further impetus in this city in the proposition to build a new city park for Sweetwater, now being considered by the city commission. The discussion followed the filing of a petition praying for the same and signed by a large group of south side residents.

The park is proposed to be located on the Trammel estate on the Highland addition to Sweetwater.

The development not only of tourist parks but of city parks throughout West Texas, is one of the features of civic development, according to the research department of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which has advocated this type of development for some several years past.

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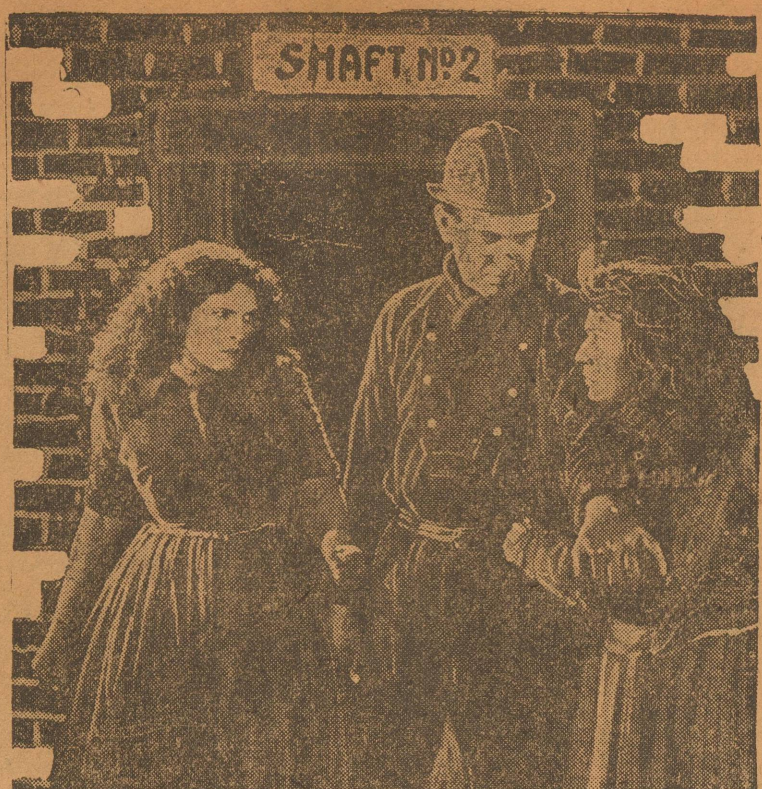
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MILITARISM STILL CONTROLS.

If Paris and Berlin ratify the agreement, there will be an attempt to put Dawes plan into operation. That it ever can really be put into operation, no European economist or financier seriously believes. But it forms a kind of bandage to cover deep wounds, and there are hopes that when the time comes for the bandage to be removed the wounds will be found practically healed.

Germany gets a loan—if the British and American bankers provide it—and a partial moratorium and evacuation of the French army from the Ruhr in 12 months time before she sets herself, some years hence, to the quite impossible task of expanding her foreign trade as to provide \$600,000,000 profits every year to commence to pay off reparations to France, England and Belgium.

If she could ever do this, she would, of course, become the most ruinous competitor and destroyer of trade of these unfortunate nations. Only she knows that the harder she works the more she will have to pay, for in addition to these millions she is to have more sucked out of her in proportion to the index finger of her prosperity. She remains, therefore, indefinitely a slave nation.

On the other hand, she is restored to the comity of Europe, her government representatives have been admitted on equal terms and have been permitted to attempt to bargain with the victorious allies. And in four or five years anything may turn up which may alter the situation in her favor and enable her to escape from her economic serfdom.

In any case this is the first of the conferences and pacts inspired by the new spirit of appeasement. As such it will count in world history. Meanwhile the world war seems to have destroyed one military nation only to build up another.

BANKS OUTSIDE RESERVE SYSTEM.

Of more than 21,000 state banks in this nation, only 1,595 have become affiliated with the federal reserve system. A questionnaire was recently sent to these state banks for the purpose of ascertaining the real reason for this condition. A total of 4,954 replied, 714 asked for interest on daily balances, 175 demanded that member banks should share in the profits above 6 per cent, 404 objected to the par collection system, 303 asserted that the system needs modification, 175 asserted that it was under political control, 94 believe it was making more profit than business could stand, 213 believed that the system can do nothing for the small banks that is not now done, 275 objected to the "red tape" and dictatorial methods, 67 objected to the expensive buildings and extravagance, 150 believed that membership means extra work and no returns, 130 asserted that it was a city banker's bank and not a country banker's bank, 404 registered complaints of a general nature, 13 stated that they had been members but had withdrawn, 174 objected to the 15-day paper not eligible, and 188 expressed satisfaction with the federal system.

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West Texas—Tonight and Friday, partly cloudy to unsettled, warmer tonight in southwest portion, warmer in north portion Friday.

THE HAPPIEST MAN.

"The happiest man in my acquaintance has more cause to be unhappy than any man in my acquaintance," says Ray Long in Hearst's International. "He is lame, and he can't be cured; he is in constant pain, and he can't be relieved; he carries excess weight, and he can't get thin. "Yet in the years I have known this man, I have never heard him groan at his fate. I have never known him to show irritation; I have never heard him knock a fellow worker or a fellow man. "Instead of letting his obesity worry him, he wrote a humorous book about the advantages of being fat. Instead of letting his lameness make a recluse of him, he has made himself so entertaining that at social gatherings you see the best-looking women clustered around him just for the joy of hearing him talk. Instead of giving way to his pain, he gets joy from work that makes him forget the pain. "The secret of his happiness lies in the fact that he loves to do things for others. I owe my first real magazine opportunity to him."

THE SECRET OF HIS HAPPINESS.

Money is so plentiful in New York that bankers look upon the payment of international debts to this country with real alarm. Too much money makes it "cheap." Just why money should be "cheap" is an economic mystery—because it is not supposed to be a commodity.

THE CENSUS BUREAU ANNOUNCES THAT

California led the list of states with the largest percentage of deaths due to auto accidents in 1922, with 26 for every 100,000 of population. New York was second with 16.7. Then came New Jersey, 16.4; Colorado, 16.3, and Illinois, Maryland and Rhode Island, each 15.

German Reichstag May Be Dissolved On London Pact

By United Press.
BERLIN, Aug. 28.—A wave of uncertainty ran through government circles today as the reichstag resumed its deliberations on the pact of London. Leaders were fearing lest the three major bills, those on banking, industrial and railroads, would not be able to command the necessary two-thirds vote required for passage on the third reading. Each of the bills revealed a majority yesterday, but failed to approach the two-thirds vote.

The government believes dissolution of the reichstag is unavoidable and a new election is inevitable with the pact of London as the sole issue.

BRYAN CHARGES WAR OFFICE WITH JINGOISM

By United Press.
LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 28.—The war department is trying to "force military mobilization test day, Sept. 12, over the head of President Coolidge, Governor Charles W. Bryan, democratic vice presidential nominee, charged today. "The war department is attempting to override the federal civil forces," Bryan said. "The war department is going over the president's head and militarizing the country."

EAGLE PASS PUTS STRONG BARS AGAINST MOSQUITOES

By United Press.
EAGLE PASS.—Eagle Pass is 100 per cent on the mosquito question, according to the report of J. M. Billingslea, United States public health service. The report showed all sanitary regulations complied with and no malaria-breeding mosquitoes in the community.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Noah Stewart and Miss Clara Williams, Ranger.
F. O. Mitchell and Mrs. Ida Belle Hayden, Breckenridge.
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C. D. Hartwell and Miss Vesnetia Roper, Cisco.

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PROPER MEALS SUGGESTED FOR THE PATIENTS

Calumet Domestic Science Expert Gives Advice Regarding Proper Diet.

Some of the difficulties of planning meals for a nervous patient are solved by Helen Harrington Downing of the Calumet domestic science department in the following article written as the result of her practical experience.

A request came recently to me for a diet for a person suffering from nervous exhaustion. It was rather a big order as I did not know the patient, or what the doctor had prescribed. I felt hardly in position to attempt to furnish a proper diet as only the attending physician is in position to suggest the foods for his patient.

Shortly after this the following simple, but very wholesome menu came to my attention. They are well chosen from a dietetic standpoint and if well prepared and daintily served will tempt any appetite.

Breakfast.
Stewed Pears
Corn Flakes and Cream or Rich Milk
Bran Muffins
Luncheon.
Broiled Lamb Chops
Fruit Salad
Buttermilk
Dinner

Baked Lake Trout, White Sauce
Baked Sweet Potatoes
Lettuce and Tomato Salad
Custard or Rice Pudding
Recipe for bran muffins:
Two tablespoons shortening, ¼ cup sugar, 1 egg, 1 cup milk, 1 cup bran, 1 cup flour, 1 level teaspoon baking powder, ¼ level teaspoon salt.

Mix shortening and sugar together thoroughly, then add the egg. Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt together twice. To first mixture add bran, then the milk, alternately with the sifted dry ingredients. Pour into greased muffin tins and bake in a moderate oven (350 degree F.) for 20 minutes. Raisins may be added to the muffins, if desired.

When one must assist in caring for one who has been suffering from nervous troubles, it is well to know that the diet is a prominent factor. Nervous diseases are usually accompanied by a lack of proper nutrition of the nervous system. A diet to overcome and assist in improving a condition like the above should be highly nutritious and at the same time such that it is easily digested.

It should be comprised largely of milk, eggs, broiled meats, fresh green vegetables, such as spinach or beans (canned if impossible to secure the fresh) lettuce and fruits. Fried foods, pastries and sweets should be avoided.

Stimulants such as coffee, tea, wine or beer, should not be allowed and neither should condiments be used.

Foods difficult of digestion, such as fresh cheese, pork or any fat meats, baked beans, or boiled cabbage should be entirely excluded from the diet.

The heavy meal of the day is considered by some best eaten at noon—others feel a nervous person should have the big meal at night as at that time one's mental and physical powers are most alert.

The doctor who knows his patient can best say—a dietitian may only suggest the diet.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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Steamship Mauretania Sets Record.



When the great British liner Mauretania broke the world's record from Cherbourg to New York in crossing the Atlantic in five days, three hours and twenty minutes she was commanded by Captain A. H. Rostron, who was master of the Carpathia when that liner rushed to the assistance of the Titanic when the latter struck a iceberg and sank with great loss of life in 1912. The former record for the Atlantic trip from Cherbourg was held by the Levizhan, American liner, and was five days, seven hours and twenty

WOMAN GETS SIGNATURES TO PETITION FOR DIVORCE

By United Press.
DALLAS.—A young woman hustled into the district clerk's office here and advised John Cullom that she wanted a divorce immediately. "Madam, you will have to make out a formal petition for divorce and file it with us," Cullom advised her.

The next day she returned with the following petition:
"We, the undersigned, respectfully request that you grant Mrs. Blank's divorce." Affixed to the petition were names of 42 persons.

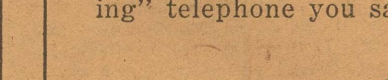
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Eastland Boosters Meet Tonight For Exchange Of Views

The Eastland Booster club meets tonight at 8 o'clock at the Elks' club on East Commerce street.

The largest attendance that has yet attended a meeting of the club is expected and an interesting time is anticipated.

Each and every citizen of Eastland is eligible for membership in the Booster club. There are no dues nor initiation fees. No collections are taken and financial problems are not discussed at any of the meetings. You are invited and urged to come to the meetings, whether you are a member or not.

EASTLAND PERSONALS.

Miss Lorena Latham is visiting relatives in Carbon.

Senator H. P. Brelsford, Major Harry Brelsford, Senator Joe Burkett, Judge Milburn McCarty, Hon. C. U. Connelley and T. A. Bandy will be among those from here who will attend the state democratic convention at Austin next week.

Dave Reese, farmer, from the Flatwoods community, was a business visitor in the city Thursday morning.

A petition addressed to the post-office department at Washington is being circulated in the interest of T. K. Maynard, who carries the United States mail from the Texas & Pacific depot to and from the postoffice. The purpose of the petition is to ask a raise in salary. The present salary is only \$85 per month.

T. L. Fagg of Campbell & Fagg has gone to St. Louis, Chicago, New York and other commercial centers where he will purchase fall and winter merchandise for his company's Eastland store.

J. B. Burkett, who underwent an operation for gallstone at the Eastland sanitarium Tuesday night, is reported today as doing nicely.

Manley Farrington, who is confined in the Eastland sanitarium from the effects of a mule kick on the back, is doing nicely and expects to soon be able to leave the sanitarium.

J. Frank Sparks, democratic nominee for florial representative from this district, was here today from Gorman. Mr. Sparks will attend the state democratic convention at Austin which convenes next week.

RANGER COUNTRY CLUB DANCE PROMISES TO BE DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

Plans for the dance to be held at the Ranger country club for the benefit of the high school football team are rapidly nearing completion and the dance promises to be the largest and most enjoyable given by any organization in Ranger.

Invitations to people in Ranger are being distributed by groups of girls who collect for them as they are delivered. Persons who are out of town or the girls are unable to locate will have their invitations mailed to them.

A special invitation has been extended by the entertainment committee to the Rotary, Lions, Elks and Country clubs of the following towns: Weatherford, Breckenridge, Strawn, Cisco, Eastland, and Thurber. No invitation is required for members to gain admittance, as membership cards will suffice for any who wish to come.

The dance at the Ranger Country club from 9 to 2 will wind up a day full of activities on the part of the various organizations of the town for the benefit of the Ranger high school football team.

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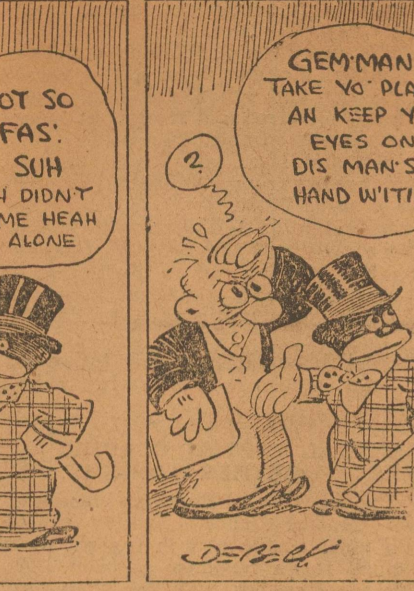
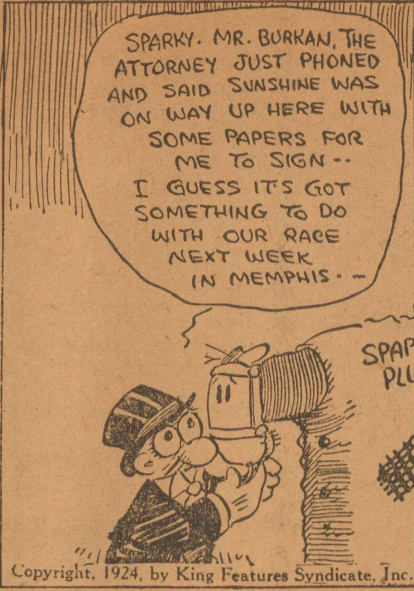
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Horace D. Taft, brother of Chief Justice Taft and head master of the Taft school in Connecticut, has initiated a movement to organize students in support of the prohibition law.

ITCHING ECZEMA IS WORST OF ALL

When you go to the theater or whenever you are near many people and begin to scratch that eczema or itching part of your body, people become uneasy while they are around you and usually show their resentment to the annoyance.

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"Bachelor" General Is Sued for Divorce.



Brigadier-General George Van Horn Mosley, U. S. A., commanding officer of Fort Sheridan, near Chicago, has been sued for divorce by Mrs. Alice C. Mosley, at Waukegan.

General Mosley was believed in the army to have been a bachelor, even his most intimate friends not knowing he had ever been married.

Baseball Results

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Split Season Standing of the Teams

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	45	12	.789
Dallas	30	22	.576
Beaumont	30	29	.508
Houston	26	28	.481
Wichita Falls	27	30	.474
San Antonio	26	31	.456
Shreveport	24	32	.429
Galveston	18	41	.305

Yesterday's Results.

Fort Worth 10, Shreveport 6.
Houston 3, Galveston 2.
San Antonio 6, Beaumont 3.
Wichita Falls 5, Dallas 4.

Today's Schedule.

Fort Worth at Wichita Falls.
Beaumont at Galveston.
San Antonio at Houston.
Dallas at Shreveport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	70	52	.574
Washington	71	54	.568
Detroit	67	56	.545
St. Louis	63	60	.512
Philadelphia	58	68	.460
Cleveland	57	67	.460
Boston	55	66	.454
Chicago	52	68	.441

Yesterday's Results.

Cleveland 1-4, New York 0-5.
Detroit 5-3, Boston 4-8.
Chicago 12-1, Philadelphia 9-9.
St. Louis 8, Washington 6.

Today's Schedule.

Chicago at Cleveland.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Only three games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	75	46	.620
Pittsburgh	70	50	.583
Brooklyn	69	54	.561
Chicago	65	55	.542
Cincinnati	60	52	.520
St. Louis	63	70	.431
Philadelphia	45	74	.378
Boston	44	77	.364

Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis 3, Chicago 0.
Philadelphia 7, Pittsburgh 6.
Only games scheduled.

Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.
Only two games scheduled.

Girl Found Slain Like Bobby Franks.



The body of Bernice Chalmus, daughter of a wealthy farmer of Ottawa, Ill., was found in a stream after she had disappeared from the home of her uncle, Sheriff E. J. Welter, August 10. Circumstances indicate the child was kidnaped and slain in much the same manner as Robert Franks, Chicago school boy.

GRAND JURY NAMED TO CONVENE SECOND WEEK IN SEPTEMBER.

Following is the personnel of the 88th district court's grand jury, which is to convene Monday, Sept. 8:

W. J. Armstrong, Cisco; L. D. Dunaway, Dothan; R. M. Davenport, Ranger; Tom Harrell, Eastland; J. E. Walker Jr., Gorman; I. C. Underwood, Gorman; Paul Butler, Cisco; Willis Barton, Eastland; W. N. Comp-ton, Nimrod; Wrather Gilbert, Carbon; T. O. Bray, Ranger; Will Koonce Rising Star; J. L. Thompson, Ranger; Arch Bent, Cisco; Frank Williams, Eastland; Charles Dyar, Ranger.

OLDEN TO PLAY TWO BALL GAMES WITH THURBER

Special.

THURBER, Aug. 28.—The fast Magnolias will play the Thurber baseball club here next Sunday and Monday.

Olden still retains the same fast team that was leading the Oil Belt association before its recently broke up. Thurber was also leader in that league and was making it hot for the Magnolias for first place.

Both of the clubs are still playing games each week and there are very few independent teams in Texas that can play the high class of baseball that they have been playing.

LENGLEN DROPS OUT OF CONTEST AT WIMBLEDON

French Woman Defaults to Helen Will Tennis Title She Long Held.

By HENRY L. PARRELL (United Press Sports Editor)

ARTICLE TWO

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—When the entries were being received for the British women's tennis championship matches at Wimbledon early last June, Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen, the French champion, announced from Paris that she would default the title she had held so many years and that she would devote the rest of her time to prepare for the Olympic matches.

"I cannot be in my best form for both tournaments, and in choosing between Wimbledon and Paris I must consider my France and do my best for her," she said.

It was somewhat of a surprise then when her entry for the singles and doubles was found in the mail at Wimbledon. It came after the entries had closed, but an exception was made and the entry was accepted.

Word came later that she did not feel well enough to compete in the singles. She was just over an attack of jaundice, she said, and she would play only in the doubles to test herself and get back on her game. The prospects for a battle between Miss Helen Will, the American champion; Miss McKane, the fine British player; and Mlle. Lenglen then seemed definitely gone.

The French girl and her mother came to Paris on the day the Wright man cup matches, between the British and American women's team, started. Mlle. Lenglen entered the stadium during the first game of the second set between Mrs. B. C. Covell and Miss Will and sat in the royal box with her attention apparently on the court.

After the young American champion had been beaten, the writer had a talk with the French star. In response to a request for her opinion on the game of the California girl, Mlle. Lenglen replied that she had not seen Miss Will play. "I arrived too late," she said.

"You are not going to play in the singles?" she was asked.

"Yes," she replied with a little emphasis, "I am going to play in the singles."

She said, during the course of the interview, that she never felt better, that she has recovered completely. "I am glad that I will be able to play," she said, "because I want to show these nice English people that they should not have believed those statements I was alleged to have made about them. I would also like to show the American people that they also misunderstood my motive when I resigned during my match at Forest Hills with Mrs. Mallory."

Remembering the freedom that Mlle. Lenglen exercised in expressing her opinion of Mrs. Mallory and recalling the details of that duel of cable statements between the two rivals, it was considered gracious, but rather unusual, that the French girl would not utter a word about the young American champion. The opinion was expressed at the time that Suzanne might not want to start anything that she couldn't stop without actually proving it on the courts.

Interest had been aroused tremendously in London by the prospects of a final round between the French girl and the young American. Crowds were pouring daily to the Wimbledon grounds and scalpers said they were getting a pound more for choice seats than they had ever been paid.

Then the crash came when Mlle. Lenglen announced after she had been given a great fight by Miss Elizabeth Ryan, the former California woman, that she had suffered a relapse and that she would not be able to play again. She said her doctor had ordered her to discontinue play unless she wanted to impair her health permanently.

Mrs. William A. Montgomery is reported to have said in an address at the annual meeting of the Rochester Community Home that in past years there were generally 25 to 30 unmarried mothers in the home while now, under prohibition, the number varies from five to eight.

Three Men Make Perfect Scores In Gun Club Shoot

One of the best shoots, from the point of number participating and the scores made, ever held by the Eastland Gun club, was the regular weekly shoot held yesterday afternoon. James Horton, Jim Amyx and Fairless tied for high score, making 25 each.

Following is the score:

E. A. Clayton	23
Jim Amyx	25
L. A. Hightower	24
Hart	20
Guy Sherrill	21
C. E. Satterwhite	20
Richardson	24
Barton	21
N. A. Moore	15
Couch	16
Fairless	25
Anderson	24
Cabaness	22
Dave Steele	23
James Richardson	11
James Horton	22
Walter Gray	16
Guy Parker	17
Mrs. Landon	20
Dr. Boone	19
Dr. C. Comer	23
Don Clayton	17
Steele	20
Ed Cox	15
Mrs. Beatty	14
James Horton	25

SCIENTISTS TRYING TO EASE TRACTION RAILWAY WORRIES

The Smithsonian Institution has come to the conclusion that the rush hours for street car service when it is impossible for every passenger to have a seat can be adjusted by cooperation among business houses, so as to relieve much of the congestion.

In the report soon to be published of a survey made in Pennsylvania by Samuel S. Weyer of the institution he discusses whether the strap hanger is an economic necessity, according to the Texas public service information bureau in part as follows:

"The solution of the strap-hanger problem, the institution believes, lies in the hands of industrial establishments and amusement places.

"The solution is not in getting more cars and hiring more men," the study continues, "but in educating the people to change their traveling habits. For instance by slightly changing the opening and closing hours of various working groups, and the opening and closing hours of different entertainment places, would immediately make a very marked difference in the unnecessary traffic demands during the rush hour."

Electric light is now ninety-five per cent cheaper than when the incandescent lamp was first placed on the market in 1880. Compared with the cost in 1914 electric light now costs just a trifle more than half as much, while the average cost of living is fifty per cent higher.

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TEXAS BABY CHICK MEETING IN CISCO BIG SUCCESS

County Agent R. H. Bush and George W. Briggs, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, attended the Texas Baby Chick association meeting held in Cisco, Tuesday and Wednesday. They report the meeting a very successful one.

Cisco royally entertained the visitors with a swim at Lake Cisco and a chicken barbecue at the Cisco dam, Mr. Briggs stated.

The meeting at Cisco was the first annual meeting of the association, it having been organized at Dallas about a year ago.

MEXICANS TO HAVE EQUAL DANCE HALL PRIVILEGES

By United Press.

HOUSTON.—In the future, Mexicans will have the same privileges as American citizens at the Luna park dance hall here, so long as they conduct themselves properly, according to an agreement reached by City Manager Claude Belk and officials of the amusement park.

Trouble arose when Jesus Prieto Laurens, brother of a former Mexican consul at Houston, charged that Deputy Constable Naquin had beaten him following an altercation at the dance hall. Laurens had entered the dance hall with a Mexican girl, and had refused to leave.

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The U. S. S. Maryland, an electrically propelled battleship, was awarded the coveted red "E" indicating the highest engineering honors for the navy's fiscal year closing June 30. Last year this honor went to the California, also electrically equipped. This competition among the battleships is a handicap affair. Each ship is rated, the newer ships being handicapped in favor of the older seafighters.

TO THE VOTERS OF EASTLAND COUNTY.

I sincerely appreciate the splendid vote given me in my race for the democratic nomination for sheriff last Saturday and shall do my very best to make you a good officer. I have nothing but the kindest feeling for those who did not vote for me. It was their privilege and their right. It shall be my purpose, if I am elected, to be the officer of all the people of the county and to treat them all alike.

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(Advertisement)

0—LODGES

Stated convention of Ranger Lodge No. 457, Knights of Pythias tonight at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome.

1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Small gold football, between town and Alice and Ray streets. Finder please return to L. C. Lonsdale, Ranger.

2—MALE HELP

WANTED—Middle aged man to solicit subscriptions for the Ranger Daily Times on commission basis. Good opportunity for man familiar with the farmers and cotton raisers in and around Ranger. Apply Business Manager, Ranger Daily Times.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER—Married man, 35 years old; completed a three-year special course in electrical engineering at State University of Arkansas; desires permanent position with reliable firm; now employed as operator in a small power plant in North Texas but desires to change to larger plant in order to obtain additional experience and larger responsibilities. Address Employment Service, U. S. Veterans Bureau, 1503 Pacific ave., Dallas, Texas.

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13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.

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FOR SALE—Three-room house and two lots; easy terms. A. J. Ratliff, phone 450, Ranger.

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16—AUTOMOBILES

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17—WANTED TO RENT

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18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Eastland county, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

Be it all persons interested in the welfare of Marshall Jordan, a non compos mentis, as J. N. Jordan has filed in the county court-at-law of Eastland county, an application for letters of guardianship upon the estate of said Marshall Jordan which said application will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the second Monday in September, A. D. 1924, the same being the 8th day of September, A. D. 1924, at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minor, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herin fail not, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Eastland, this 26th day of August, A. D. 1924.

ERNEST H. JONES,
Clerk, County Court-at-Law, Eastland County, Texas.

Aug. 28-Sept. 4.

Society

AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER

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COOK-BRAY MARRIAGE TOOK PLACE TUESDAY

The marriage of Miss Ruby Cook to Owen Bray, both of Ranger, took place in Weatherford Tuesday afternoon, August 26, at 2 o'clock, the pastor of the Baptist church of that city officiating. The bride, who formerly resided in Weatherford, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cook, who reside on their fruit farm on the Caddo road three miles out of Ranger. Mr. and Mrs. Bray motored to Galveston after their marriage and will be away about two weeks. On their return they will reside on Oddie street, opposite St.

Rita's church. Mr. Bray is connected with the Adams Grocery company.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles J. Moore left Wednesday for Dallas to visit her mother before leaving on Monday for Mt. Clemens, Michigan, for a two months visit with her brother and sister, Captain and Mrs. L. C. Hurd, stationed at Selfridge field, with whom she will leave Sept. 15, for an extensive motor trip. They will motor to Salem and Portland, Oregon, by way of Winnipeg, Canada, then to Seattle, Washington, and San Diego, California, visiting her father in Arizona before returning to Texas.

Mark Norton returned Wednesday night from Little Rock, Arkansas, and will remain at home for a few days.

Louis Alderman of Ardmore, Oklahoma, is visiting his brother, S. B. Alderson and family, this week at the Majestic hotel.

Miss Anne Alderson, who has been visiting relatives in Huntsville and Charleston, West Virginia, for the last two months, is expected home early next week. She will teach again

at Gainesville where school opens on the eighth.

Mrs. S. A. Padon arrived Wednesday night from Memphis, Tennessee, to make her home in Ranger with the family of her son, P. M. Padon. Mrs. Padon formerly resided at Longview, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Boon and baby returned Monday from a two weeks auto trip through Texas where they visited relatives and friends at Houston, Galveston and other cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Davis returned Wednesday from a delightful sojourn at Mineral Wells.

Miss Phyllis Williams, who is taking a course at the Brantley-Draughon Business college in Fort Worth, was a week-end visitor at home on Sunday. She will return to Ranger in October.

Miss Anne McEvers left today for a two weeks vacation in Baird, Texas.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CLASSES MEET TOGETHER TONIGHT

The Fidelis and Boethian classes of the Central Baptist Sunday school will meet at the church tonight at 8 o'clock for a business session. At this meeting the play for their fall entertainment will be selected. A full attendance is hoped for.

Mother Cannot Aid Her Slayer Son.



MRS. ALBERT H. LOEB.

Mrs. Albert H. Loeb, mother of "Angel Faced Dickie" Loeb, on trial before Judge Caverly, in Chicago, to determine what shall be his fate, with Nathan Leopold, Jr., for the murder of Robert Franks, pleaded to be allowed to go to the side of her son, but her physician refused to permit it, declaring it would prove fatal to her. She is a sufferer from heart disease.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM AT RISING STAR TO BE GIVEN SUNDAY NIGHT

The Associated Baptist Young People's union program to be given in the Rising Star church next Sunday night is announced as follows:

2-2-15—Devotional.

2-15-2-30—Count taken for banner and announcements.

2-30-3-00—B. Y. P. U. conference.

3-3-15—Playlet, Eastland.

3-15-3-25—Stewardship of personal influence, East Cisco.

3-25-3-30—Reading, Rising Star.

3-30-3-40—Stewardship of money, Ranger.

3-40-3-45—Male quartet, Rising Star.

3-45-3-50—Violin solo, Moran.

3-50-4-00—Stewardship of prayer, Cisco.

4-4-05—Reading with music, Eastland.

4-05-4-10—Quartet, East Cisco.

4-10-4-20—Stewardship of life, Breckenridge.

4-20-4-30—"Take My Life and Let It Be."

Would Have Non-Voters Fined \$100.



MRS. O. J. HAMMELL.

Mrs. O. J. Hammell, of Atlantic City, President of the Atlantic County League of Women Voters and prominent in New Jersey politics, urges a fine of \$100 upon every person who does not exercise his or her franchise right.

With the summery frock are carried little flowered taffeta handbags with the design of the flowers outlined in steel beads. These are gathered about the top with a narrow grosgraine ribbon.

ONE-TIME RESIDENT OF RANGER SOUGHT BY DAUGHTER

A daughter of W. M. Wood, one time a resident in Ranger, has written from her home in Paris, Texas, asking for information about her father. She said she had not seen him for several years. In her letter to Postmaster Dreinhof of Ranger, she describes her father as having a crippled right hand. She asks for information about him from any person knowing where he is.

SULPHUR SPRINGS.—Arrangements are being made by the Cotton Belt railroad to begin construction of a new passenger station in this city.

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HOW MUCH HOT WATER IS USED IN YOUR HOME?

How the people of a large city use hot water is shown in a study of conditions in New York city, says the Texas Public Service Information bureau. The things that have been found out there are no doubt approximately true of any large city.

Here are some of the items:

A Chinese restaurant kitchen, while scrupulously clean, uses only half as much hot water as an American kitchen of the same size.

Dish-washing machines use more water than dishpan and sink, but turn out cleaner dishes.

More hot water is used where there are servants than where are none.

Hotel baths are used twice as often by transient guests as by permanent guests.

Office employes wash regularly at lunch time, but not so regularly at the end of the day.

Scrub women do not use much hot water.

A bath takes on the average 15 gallons of hot water, and millions of gallons more are used on Saturday nights than any other night of the week.

The higher the rent, the greater the use of hot water in apartments.

To raise a gallon of water 100 degrees requires only two cubic feet of gas.

The most economical temperature at which to use hot water is between 145 and 150 degrees. On all intermittent water heating, gas is cheaper than coal.

LATEST PARAMOUNT PICTURE DUE FOR SHOWING SOON

Of more than ordinary interest is Manager A. C. Stalcup's announcement that "The Side Show of Life," based on the widely read novel "The Mountebank," opens next Sunday for a two days' run at the Connellee theatre.

William J. Locke's great story lends itself to ideal screen adaptation. If you will read this gloriously human tale you will readily agree that in picturizing it Paramount has performed a public service; for if ever a character deserved immortality it is the lovable clown Petit Patou, a part played to perfection by Ernest Torrence.

If readers of the story had been asked to vote upon the player best fitted to portray the title role their unanimous choice would probably have been this very man.

Along with Torrence is featured the beautiful and talented Anna Q. Nilsson who plays the feminine lead, and in the supporting cast we have Neil Hamilton, D. W. Griffith's newest discovery, Louise Lagrange, and others.

Saying it can be trusted, Big Business wants to be left alone in charge of America's progress and happiness. Are there any objections?

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