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SERUM ARRIVES TO TREAT KIDDIES BITTEN BY DOG

All Suspected Dogs in Strawn Road Section Killed; Owners React Differently.

Ranger's reaction to the hydrophobia menace resulting from the attack of a rabid puppy on eight persons and a number of dogs in the Strawn road section Saturday has been as prompt as it was varied. Six children ranging from 4 to 9 years of age took the first series of Pasteur treatments at the Terrell laboratories this morning under the direction of Dr. Shackelford, city health officer. A seventh is being treated by Dr. Lauderdale. Carl Cooper, garageman, who carried the dog to Austin alive for examination after he had been bitten twice, is remaining there for treatment. The local treatment was held up yesterday awaiting the arrival of the serum from Fort Worth, which was rushed here last night on the Sunshine Special.

Pistols Kept Busy.
Fifteen or 20 dogs suspected of having come in contact with the infected puppy or who were requested killed by their owners were shot by the police during the day. Calls were received at police headquarters all during the day from residents, asking for officers to shoot dogs. Other residents manifested an equal eagerness to save their pets from slaughter and dogs that had heretofore roamed at will over the neighborhood and city were tied hard and fast or penned up. In several instances women and children greeted callers at their homes with their dogs clasped tightly in their arms.

The city authorities stated that precautionary measures must continue to prevent a spread of rabies throughout the city and all owners are warned that their dogs must be kept up and not allowed to run the streets. It is also required that all dogs over three months old have city licenses, as provided for under the city ordinances.

CONSPIRACY TO SEIZE GOVERNMENT PROPERTY CHARGED TO RADICALS

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 23.—Fifteen alleged members of the Communist Party of America, under arrest today following a raid on a meeting in which they were participating in a woods near here yesterday, will be charged with conspiring against the government.

The raiders seized a large quantity of literature which they stated revealed plans for utilizing the coal and rail strike as a means of getting control of government property.

FARMERS ASK BLANTON TO DEBATE CALLAWAY

GORMAN, Aug. 23.—Seventy-one farmers of the Carbon and Gorman communities have addressed two communications to Congressman Thomas L. Blanton demanding that he defend his record in office in a joint debate with Oscar Callaway.

Forty farmers of the Carbon vicinity offer to defray Blanton's expenses if he will come to Eastland county and meet Callaway. The farmers of both communities have heretofore looked upon Blanton as their friend, the congressman is told, but he is advised that unless he is willing to defend his record, they will look upon him as an enemy. Blanton is reminded that in his race against Judge Smith he declared that a public official should be able to defend his record and that he has previously boasted that he would meet any of his opponents on the stump.

CRIPPLE CURED AS TRAIN BEARS DOWN

PARIS, Aug. 23.—A miracle for which Lourdes, in some quarters, is given credit, is reported from Macon. A pilgrim train bound for Lourdes was waiting in the station at Dijon and several pilgrims had crossed the tracks to the refreshment room when the whistle called them back. Among them was a paralyzed man who could only move with difficulty even with the aid of two crutches. As he was between the rails on his way back an express train was seen to be entering the station. A cry of horror went up from those who saw his dangerous position, but the man who had hobbled half way across with his crutches, now put them under his arm and ran for safety, escaping what seemed certain death.

GAS SHIPPED BY TRAINLOAD

The first solid train load of gasoline ever sent east by the Chestnut & Smith corporation left here Sunday for Philadelphia. The shipment was composed of 32 cars, containing about 215,000 gallons, and represented about four days' run of the company plants.

Heretofore the company has been shipping a number of cars daily but not enough to make up a complete train. The big shipment resulted from a delay of the daily shipments.

BONUS BATTLE NOW UNDERWAY IN THE SENATE

Passage in Week, Is Predicted; Harding's Attitude Remains Uncertain.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The soldiers' bonus bill, after reposing in a senate pigeon hole for nearly a year, was out on the senate floor today with every indication that it would be passed and sent to conference with the house within a week.

Whether President Harding will veto or sign the measure remained uncertain. Debate was scheduled to open with a strong defense of a bonus for the soldiers by Senator McCumber, chairman of the finance committee, and an attack on it by Senator Borah.

Borah, "anchorman" of the opposition, is confident that if the President vetoes the measure he will be sustained. The senator claims that at least 37 senators, or five more than is necessary to prevent overriding a veto, will vote against the measure.

Demand by Justice.
Passing of the soldiers' bonus resolution at this session of congress is demanded by every principle of financial justice and every principle of political honor, Chairman McCumber declared in opening his address on the amended house bill with a back-pay service provision in lieu of the original proposal for a cash bonus.

McCumber stated that the purpose of the measure was to equalize in the measure the pay of the men called to the colors with that received by those who stayed at home.

He stated that the government could meet every dollar this bill will call for without additional tax being levied and without in the slightest degree affecting the refunding of any short time obligations.

McCumber argued that the funds necessary for the financing of the bonus legislation could be obtained from the refunding of foreign debts.

Desperate Felons Howl for Peaches In New Jersey Pen

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 23.—Six hundred convicts, denied extra peaches for dessert during New Jersey's "peach week," howled and stormed in their cells early today, threatening to smash their way to freedom.

Extra deputies were rushed to the state prison after the inmates had shown their desperation by refusing to be cowed by drawn revolvers turned upon them by 110 officers and troopers at exercise late yesterday.

Shouts of the prisoners terrified persons in the vicinity of the prison and doors were double locked and windows barred last night in fear of a delivery that would set free a horde of infuriated convicts.

The trouble started when the men were given half of one peach apiece at the start of the week, in which everyone was urged to buy and eat as many peaches as possible.

SOUTHWESTERN MINE MEET ADJOURNS WITHOUT ACTION

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 23.—The conference of officials of the Southwestern Interstate Coal Operators' association and the mine union presidents of Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and Arkansas adjourned this morning until 2 o'clock this afternoon after a fruitless discussion.

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—F. P. Wood has resigned as liquidating agent for the Texas department of insurance and banking, effective Sept. 15, to become an officer of the Seaboard Bank & Trust company at Port Arthur. His successor has not yet been named.

Michael Collins, Irish Leader, Ambushed and Slain by Rebels

"Forgive Them," Last Words of Free State Chieftain as He Falls in Hot Fight.

By United Press.

DUBLIN, Aug. 23.—Fighting at the head of his staff officers against Irish rebels who ambushed his car on the road from Bandon to Macroom late yesterday, Michael Collins, Irish leader, fell mortally wounded at the moment of victory. As he lay dying in the dust, his smoking revolver still clutched in his hand, Collins raised his head and murmured, "Forgive them." These were his last words. As he died the rebels were beaten off.

For half an hour against overwhelming odds, the fiery leader of the free states and seven staff officers who were with him, fought off their assailants. At least three of the rebels were wounded. They were being slowly driven back and it seemed that Collins, hero of a hundred escapes, had once more come through when a rebel's bullet struck him and he fell, dying almost instantly.

The body of the slain leader was brought back to Dublin by water. The sorrow-stricken capital prepared to receive it with all honor.

BROTHER IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—"It's a sorry day for Ireland" said Patrick Collins, brother of Michael Collins in a choked voice when informed of the Irish leader's assassination. Patrick is a sergeant on the Chicago police force.

FIRST SERVICE OF REVIVAL IS HELD IN OPEN

Almost 500 persons last night heard Evangelist L. C. Garrison in his opening revival service here on East Main street. As the result of a delay in getting the large tent erected, the services were held in the open air, the grounds being well lighted for the occasion. Rev. Mr. Garrison preached on "How to Hold a Revival," bringing out as essentials for the success of such meetings as "evangelicality" and "holy enthusiasm."

He will speak tonight on "Hiding Behind the Staff," in which he will explain "what preachers hide behind and what sinners hide behind." Thursday night he will preach on "Backsliding," which he declares is responsible for the crime wave and the financial tightness. Sunday he will preach on "Lawlessness."

Starting tomorrow, services will be held at the tent each forenoon from 10 to 11 o'clock during the entire three weeks' stay of the evangelistic party here.

INVALID ASSAULTED ALONE IN APARTMENT

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 23.—Mrs. B. M. Campbell, wife of a Houston building contractor, here for her health, was assaulted last night while alone in her apartment. Police believe the attack was committed by a man who had escaped from some institution where he was a patient. Mrs. Campbell was choked and badly bruised about the body. She was bleeding from a dozen wounds when police arrived in response to her telephone message, sent as quick as she recovered sufficiently to reach the phone.

OTHER STEEL MILLS MEET WAGE INCREASE

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The Bethlehem and Lackawanna Steel corporations today announced a wage increase of 20 per cent in their common labor rate, together with an equitable adjustment in rates of other classes of employees, September 1. This announcement followed a similar action by the United States Steel corporation yesterday.

DALLAS COTTON BROKER IS FOUND DYING IN BACK YARD

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—Arthur B. Macculey, 36, well known cotton broker and exporter, was found in the back yard of his home early today in a dying condition. Physicians hurriedly called found Macculey dead and advised the holding of an inquest. He is survived by his wife and three children.

U. S. SEIZURE OF ROADS FORECAST

ROMANCE BORN OF HEROIC DEEDS ENDS WITH COLLINS' SLAYING

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LONGFORD, Ire., Aug. 23.—The most pitiful figure in sorrowing Ireland today, weeping, but with pride shining through her tears, was Kitty Kiernan, fiancée of murdered Michael Collins.

The assassins' bullets which cut short the brilliant free state leader's career as a soldier and statesman shattered the heart romance of his life, upon which he had turned his back "until the fight is won."

Girl Braves Dangers.
The girl, who hastened alone through long stretches of woods filled with British soldiers to warn Collins, then the "phantom rebel" of impending capture, was the one he had chosen for his bride. They decided they could not marry until "Mickey's work for Ireland was accomplished." With the signing of the peace treaty they were to wed, but the defection of DeValera and the Ulster border war caused three more postponements of their marriage.

The romance of the couple was on every Irish lip and in every Irish heart. Kitty, known throughout the country for her beauty, was everywhere with Collins during his campaigning days. She was a popular and familiar figure at the meetings of the Sinn Fein parliament and of the free state government, always in the front row of the ladies' gallery when "Mike had the floor."

Meeting Is Romantic.
They met under the most romantic circumstances during the fight with Great Britain. Collins, dodging here and there, appearing and re-appearing like the phantom they dubbed him, swore never to be taken alive. When touring Kitty's country as head of the republican army's military intelligence, Collins slept in a lonely cabin miles deep in the heart of the woods. British spies learned of his whereabouts and the "black and tans" prepared to attack him.

Kitty, who knew of Collins only as the mythical rebel hero, risked her life to penetrate the British cordon and warn him. They fled together and escaped just ahead of the troops. After the truce Michael returned to claim her as his promised bride.

MASS MEET TO ENLIGHTEN PEOPLE URGED BY 'BUY IN RANGER' BOOSTER

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 23.—Demosthenes lived in 384 B. C., or something like that, and spoke a language now reputed to be dead, but he is nevertheless a very live issue in the campaign for congress of Fred Shea.

The trouble arose when Shea accused Demosthenes of being a traitor to his country and called the ancient orator a "damn dirty Greek." The Spokane Greek colony, through its leaders, immediately demanded a retraction. Shea emphatically refused to retract and told the Greek citizens to study up on Greek history.

CITIZENS FIGHT BANDITS IN RAID ON KANSAS BANK

BONNER SPRINGS, Kan., Aug. 23.—Bandits and citizens fought a bullet battle here early today after Leroy Dameron, 38, marshal, lost his life in defending the Farmers State bank.

"Terrible Tommy" O'Connor, subject of a nationwide man hunt after he cheated the gallows in Chicago by escaping from jail on the day of his scheduled execution, was a member of the bandit gang, officials declared.

GIANT SEAPLANE COLLAPSES INTO OCEAN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The giant seaplane Sampo Corcoran collapsed and fell into the ocean between Cuba and Bermuda last night while attempting a flight from New York to the Brazilian exposition at Rio de Janeiro, and probably will be landed at Guantanamo, Cuba, Monday by the steamship Denver. All members of the crew were picked up by the Denver after the plane made a bad landing and was smashed.

FERGUSON WILL CLOSE CAMPAIGN IN FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, Aug. 23.—Former Governor James E. Ferguson will close his campaign in Fort Worth Friday night with a speech in Burk Burnett park. Arrangements are being made, it is stated, to care for 25,000 people and seats will be provided for 10,000.

War Secretary Makes Prediction as New York Agreement Appears Hopeless.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—In an extreme emergency the government will have to take over the railroads, Secretary of War Weeks declared today in commenting on the report that a settlement of the rail strike was not probable from the New York negotiations of rail executives and union leaders.

He emphasized that the federal government was determined to prevent a breakdown in transportation.

HARDING'S PLAN FOR COAL PROBE TO BE OPPOSED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—After first voting to give preference to the Bland coal investigation bill, providing for an investigating commission on which miners and operators would be represented, the house rules committee reversed itself today and reported out the Winslow administration bill, providing for a commission composed entirely of impartial representatives of the public. The commission also brought out an open rule, however, which would permit amendment of the Winslow measure to provide for representation of operators and miners.

By this action, the question of whether such representation would be granted, as opposed by the President, would be put squarely before the house.

HUMPHREYS ON WAY TO VIEW KOSSE WILDCAT

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—Colonel A. E. Humphreys, president of the Humphreys Oil company which brought in the latest gusher at Kosse, arrived in Dallas from Denver, Colo., today. He immediately called a meeting of the board of directors to discuss future development at the Kosse field.

Col. Humphreys was accompanied by a party of his business associates and will leave for Mexico and Kosse this afternoon.

The construction of a pipe line from the Kosse gusher that is now producing at the rate of between 12,000 and 15,000 barrels daily, is being planned and its location will probably be fixed while the Humphreys party is in the field.

MAYFIELD SPEAKING AT EASTLAND TONIGHT

EASTLAND, Aug. 23.—The Rev. J. W. Hunt of Abilene will speak here tonight in the interest of Earle Mayfield's candidacy in the senatorial run-off. The speaking will be on the courthouse lawn and will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. Delegations are expected here from all over the county.

CLAIMS ADMISSION FEES ARE RUINING ATHLETIC GAMES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Declaring that commercialism is ruining sport at the navy and army government schools, Representative Clarence MacGregor of New York, today introduced a bill which would prohibit any cadet at West Point or Annapolis from engaging in any athletic game where an admission fee is charged.

TEXTILE WORKERS WIN LONG WALKOUT

LAWRENCE, Mass., Aug. 23.—The end of the great textile strike here was forecast today when the Pacific mill, the largest here, announced that its workers would be taken back at the scale of wages in effect previous to the wage cut of 20 per cent. It was believed the strikers will accept the offer.

Irving Southworth, assistant chief of the mill, announced the old wage scale would go into effect Oct. 1, retroactive to Sept. 1.

WESTERN ROADS WANT PEACE AS OFFICIALS MEET

Bumper Crops and Resumption of Mining Make Rolling Stock Imperative.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Efforts of the Big Five brotherhoods, acting as mediators in the shopcraft strike, to succeed where others failed, is being put to the test at a meeting of 148 railroad executives, which started here this morning. They will vote whether to accept the brotherhood's peace proposal or decline and fight to the finish.

Heads of the western lines entered the conference full of optimism, as they have entered each of the preceding conferences.

Virtually and unreservedly these western leaders want the strike settled, expressing willingness to make any practical concessions which will relieve their roads of the growing shortage of rolling stock with a bumper crop nearly upon them and coal mining already resumed.

ACCEPTANCE DOUBTFUL

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Railroad executives, meeting here today to consider proposals for settlement of the shopmen's strike submitted last week by the "running trades" as mediators, adjourned at 12:15 this afternoon until 2:30, after a discussion lasting more than two hours. Although no statement was issued, it was understood that certain counter proposals were under discussion. This was taken to indicate that should the executives not accept the suggestions made by the brotherhood chiefs, the door to peace still would be left open.

"The situation looks mighty serious," Howard Elliott of the Northern Pacific said on leaving the meeting.

Roads Stand Firm

Rumors current during the recess were that the roads were standing firm on a refusal to restore seniority rights. Indications were that the committee which conferred last week with the brotherhood men would receive instructions of whatever nature the executives decided upon this afternoon and then would get in communication with the mediation committee, either late this afternoon or early tomorrow morning.

It is understood an informal vote was taken at the morning session and the roads were unanimously opposed to receding from their position on the seniority question; the western roads coming over to the position held by the eastern lines.

The committee which first met the brotherhood men is reported to be spending the recess drawing up resolutions to be presented to the entire body after lunch.

GUARD HEADS IN DENISON AREA CONFER WITH NEFF

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—Charles W. Nimox, commanding the state troops at Denison, and Major D. A. Simpson, also on duty at that place, arrived here this morning and went into conference with Governor Neff and Adjutant General Barton on the strike situation. Plans for handling the situation in the future are being considered, it is understood.

TROOPS NOT NEEDED AT SHAWNEE, OKLAHOMA

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 23.—Six units of the Oklahoma National Guard, mobilized here last Saturday for possible duty at Shawnee, when disorders were reported at the shops of the Rock Island, were today ordered demobilized by Colonel Markham after a conference with Governor Robertson. The soldiers have been instructed to hold themselves in readiness for instant mobilization should the occasion arise for their presence in Shawnee. Markham asserted that Robertson expressed himself as satisfied that United States Marshal McDonald and his force of approximately 100 deputies have the situation well in hand at Shawnee and that unless conditions get beyond the control of federal officers and authorities of that county, there is no necessity for sending troops.

MARK ALMOST VANISHES

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Because of the grave reparations outlook the German mark today declined to 6,200 to the pound sterling, or about 1,400 to the American dollar.

THE WEATHER.

West Texas—Tonight and Thursday, generally fair weather.

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NO ALARM NECESSARY.

Once on a time, in every Texas town, mad dog scares and horrible tales of death from hydrophobia were among the principal summertime diversions. The populace took the menace seriously, as perhaps it was, though it is probable that many a dog died sudden death because he gambled with too much ardor. However, persons were bitten by dogs, and forthwith there was a frantic rush for "mad stones," whose healing touch was reputed to be a certain cure for the poison.

Whatever the efficiency of the mad stone, it is certain that it was never great enough to allay the fear of hydrophobia, whereas in the last twenty years, the Pasteur treatment has done that thing. The bite of a mad dog is now regarded, not as a cause for alarm, but merely as a source of inconvenience and expense. It is unpleasant to be bitten by any sort of a dog, but if proper treatment is obtained promptly, there is no need to fear.

Ranger, then, should not be overly worried over the present mad dog scare. It is a regrettable incident, but measures now being taken probably will prevent its recurrence. Suspected dogs have been killed. All others have been ordered kept up, where they cannot be a menace even if they should develop rabies. That is as it should be, because there is no sense in encouraging a menace which is painful to contemplate, even if not dangerous.

At the same time, any person who may be bitten by an animal should take prompt steps to determine if that animal is infected and should apply to competent medical men for treatment.

If those things are done, there is no need for a mad dog scare.

The consuming public is always relied on for a complete surrender before the strike starts.—Washington Star.

Oh, well, even if Europe should smash, it probably wouldn't affect the price of golf balls.—Indianapolis Star.

Governor Small appears to be taking no interest in running down the Herrin criminals, possibly because he knows how unpleasant it is to be prosecuted and compelled to stand trial.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

England gives "Pussyfoot" Johnson a very cordial invitation to stay away. If we can stand England's lecturers it seems she should be able to endure our "Pussyfoot."—Nashville Tennessean.

PRITCHARD CHALLENGES ROSS TO PROVE CHARGES

Alleging that Tip S. Ross, his opponent in the county judge's race, is displaying certain checks over the county as representing funds misappropriated by the county treasurer, County Treasurer E. S. Pritchard has challenged Mr. Ross to joint debate any time and anywhere in the county. Pritchard, according to a signed communication received by the Times, offers to withdraw from the race if he cannot prove that the money was properly expended. Ross also is asked who gave him authority to take the cancelled checks from the files of the county auditor's office and carry them over the county. Pritchard's challenge to Ross follows:

"Eastland, Texas, Aug. 21, 1922.—Mr. T. S. Ross, Gorman, Texas:

"It comes to my knowledge that you are displaying certain checks to the voters of this county, and pretending to them that I appropriated the proceeds of the checks for my personal use.

"I challenge you to meet me on the stump at any place in Eastland county that you may select, and bring the purported checks with you. If I cannot show that the money was properly expended, I will withdraw from the race. Thousands of checks have been issued since I have been county treasurer, and if you will find one that I cannot explain, I will withdraw from the race. If you are honest, if you are fair, and if you are trying to conduct a clean campaign, you will either meet me in open discussion, or

discard such method of getting votes. You well know that I have made several calls on you since the first primary, and insisted that you meet me in open discussion in various parts of the county, but you have always declined to meet me. Name the place and date and I will meet you.

"I would also like to know who gave you authority to take the paid checks from the files of the auditor's office and carry them around over the county in your pocket, and why you have waited until the eleventh hour to spring this.

"E. S. PRITCHARD."

Women Organize Along Lines of Ku Klux Klan

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—A new national woman's organization to be known as the "American Women," the principles of which are fostering the "charitable and educational" interests of women was chartered here today.

Headquarters of the corporation are designated at Dallas.

Those eligible for membership in the body as specified in the articles of incorporation are "white, female, gentile, protestant, American-born citizens." The body is also pledged to restrict law enforcement and enjoyment of better citizenship.

BIG BOOZE SALES BRING CANADIAN DOLLAR TO PAR

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The Canadian dollar is virtually at par on the exchange market today, for the first time in several years. The rise in the value of Canadian money is attributed partly to the large sums spent in Canada for liquors by American bootleggers.

FORT WORTH POWER PLANT NOW LARGEST IN STATE

FORT WORTH, Aug. 23.—Fort Worth now has the largest power plant in Texas. With the completion of the new station of the Fort Worth Power & Light company this month, the plant is capable of developing 44,000 kilowatts which is nearly double the former capacity. The boiler installation is arranged to burn either oil, gas or coal as fuel. Construction on this new plant began Oct. 1, last year.

STRIKE COST IS STAGGERING.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The cost of the railroad strike is incalculable, but staggering.

The striking railway shomen have lost 45 working days since laying down their tools July 1. Approximately 400,000 men are out, according to union officials, and on a basis of an 8-hour day they have lost 128 million working hours. At 70 cents an hour this would have netted them \$89,600,000.

What the strike is costing railroads, through impaired equipment, loss of business and strike guards, is only a matter of conjecture.

The remainder is supposed to have been a chief article of food of the cliff cave dwellers.

UNMASKED BAND FLOGS WICHITA FALLS YOUTH

WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 23.—Telling a story of abduction from his home just before midnight Monday, and being taken to a lonesome spot on the Iowa Park road by an unmasked band of over a score, where he was stripped, severely beaten and then thrown into a creek, Otto Medlin, 21, of this city, was picked up and brought into Wichita Falls. Medlin had recently been fined the maximum on a vagrancy charge, and was out on a \$1,500 bond, which was procured by an attorney.

He admitted that the men who had flogged him had spoken to him about his offense, but was uncommunicative as to the conversation. They warned him, he said, "to tell all the other boys about it." He is in the care of a physician, who says that his injuries are not serious.

PENNSY COAL OPERATORS FIRM AGAINST CHECK-OFF

By Associated Press.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 23.—The scale committee of the Pennsylvania Coal Producers' association today ordered the 1920-22 scale posted at all mines owned and operated by its members but declined to yield to the demand of the United Mine Workers that the check-off provision of the scale be enforced. About 45,000 union miners are affected.

BOY SCOUTS WATCH LEADER TROUNCE TWO ARMED BANDITS

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 23.—How Troy Baucom, a 20-year-old Boy Scout master, used his fists to impress the principles of uprightness on two hold-up men, was related here by boys returning from the Scout camp near Morehead City.

The scouts said their troop, headed by Baucom, was returning from a hike when it was stopped by two men armed with revolvers. Baucom rushed on with such a shower of uppercuts as to disarm and disable him and then covered and disarmed the other with the captured weapon. He completed the lesson by thrashing the second offender and by lecturing both of them on the evils of attempting to rob little boys. After which he handed back the guns and told his new "pupils" to clear out. They did.

SPECK COMSTOCK SOLD TO ST. LOUIS CARDINALS

AMARILLO, Aug. 23.—W. C. Comstock, outfielder of the local club of the West Texas league, has been sold to the St. Louis National league club, to report at the end of the local league season.

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ON MOTOR TRIP. Dr. M. L. Holland and V. V. Cooper left this morning on an automobile trip to Mississippi. They will visit in Durant and Sturgis, Miss., and will be gone about 10 days.

In the United States there are registered 9,000,000 automobile pleasure cars.

AMERICANS INJURED IN EUROPEAN TRAIN WRECK

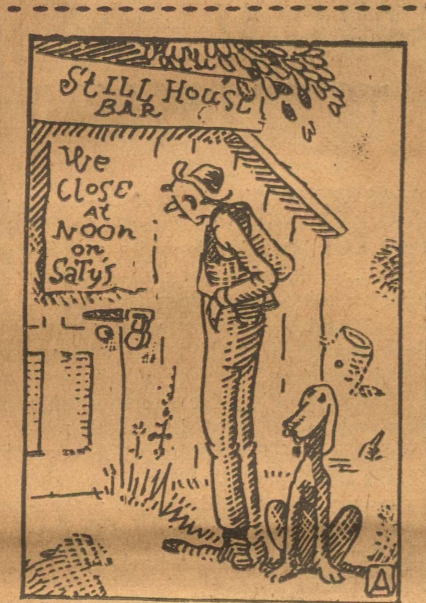
By United Press. BERLIN, Aug. 23.—Several Americans are reported among the 30 passengers injured in a train wreck in the mountains at Rosenheim, Bavaria.

Notice Dr. A. N. Harkrider has returned from vacation and resumed practice. Office Guaranty Bank Building PHONE 354

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DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS By GEORGE BINGHAM



Sim Flinders has a dog that follows him wherever he goes. The dog thinks Sim is a fine man.

Tobe Moseley says every town has three classes of people: One that dresses nice and has some money; another that hasn't any money and dresses well on a credit, in trying to keep up with the first class; and one that works hard all the time, and never has anything but a milk cow and a lot of children.

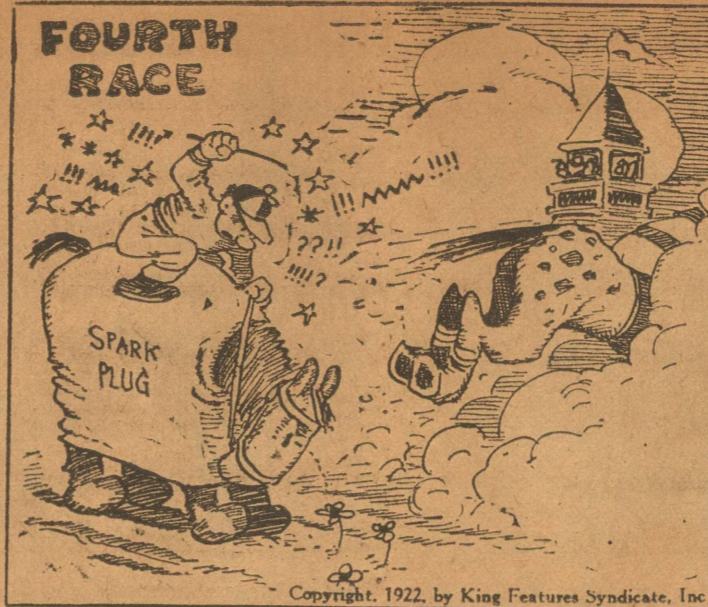
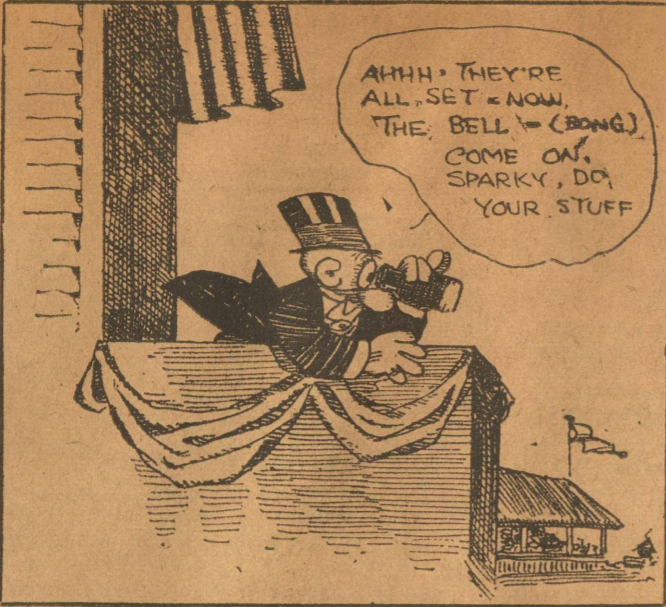
Slim Pickens says jay-birds look so much alike it is hard to tell whether they are the same ones or not.

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Four-Leaf Clovers Mean Nothing to Spark Plug



By Billy De Beck

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS in the DAILY TIMES

O—LODGES Stated convention of Ranger lodge No. 457 K. of P., Thursday, Aug. 24.

SPORTS

'NOTHER TWIN BILL DROPPED TO SAN ANGELO

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 23.—The Nitros dropped their second doubleheader in a row here yesterday, 7 to 3 and 10 to 7.

In the second game, eight errors behind Pyle, most of them grouped in the first two rounds, gave the Broncs a seven-run edge.

Despite their double loss, the Nitros probably put over a season's record by making five double plays in one day.

Table with columns for player names and statistics for the first game.

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Summary—Two-base hits, Butler, Ammons, White; sacrifice hits, Leedy, Ammons, Butler, White; double plays, Leedy to Conley.

HOW THEY STAND

Table showing standings for the West Texas League.

Yesterday's Results. San Angelo 7-10, Ranger 3-7, Stamford 2-5, Abilene 1-6.

Today's Schedule. Ranger at Stamford, Abilene at San Angelo.

TEXAS LEAGUE. Club—P. W. L. Pct.

Table showing standings for the Texas League.

Yesterday's Results. Fort Worth 7, Houston 0, Wichita Falls 6, Beaumont 3.

Today's Schedule. Fort Worth at Houston, Dallas at San Antonio.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Club—P. W. L. Pct.

Table showing standings for the American League.

Yesterday's Results. St. Louis 9, Boston 4, Washington 4-0, Chicago 2-3.

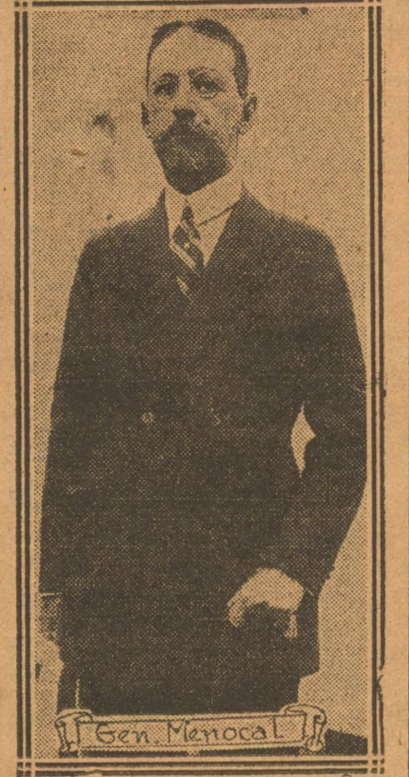
Today's Schedule. St. Louis at Boston, Chicago at Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Club—P. W. L. Pct.

Table showing standings for the National League.

APPROPRIATE SUGGESTION. Miss Heavyweight (to man she has collided with and floored)—Oh, you—you—I don't know what to call you.

CUBAN EX-PRESIDENT SAILS ABROAD



General Mario Menocal, ex-president of the Cuban republic, has sailed from New York for a protracted tour of Europe.

FLAPPERS HAVE NOTHING AT ALL ON 117-YEAR-OLD

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 23.—Maria Antonio Lujini Masima Verdugo Chavoya, who, according to records of the San Gabriel mission near here, was born in Los Angeles in 1805, is therefore 117 years old.

She wears her hair short because age has thinned it. She rolls her own—cigarettes. She married at the age of 15.

And she likes trips in airplanes, now.

TEN THOUSAND ATTEND TEXAS CAMP MEETING

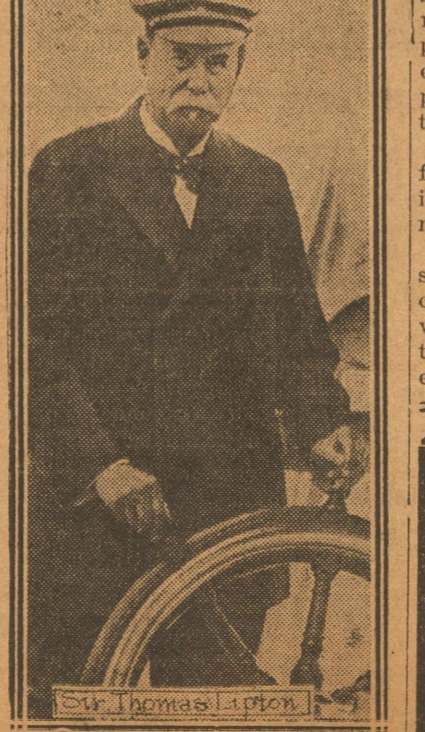
CHRISTOVAL, Texas, Aug. 23.—Ten thousand Baptists, camping together near this small town in Tom Green county on the banks of the South Concho, recently furnished the biggest outdoor religious gathering in the South.

In 1911, about 150 Baptists from San Angelo and nearby towns held a camp meeting in the shady grove at Christoval.

The grove today accommodates a tabernacle of seating capacity of 3,000, a B. Y. P. U. pavilion, three two-story camping buildings.

"Are you fond of indoor sports?" he asked, at 11:30.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON MAY CHALLENGE AGAIN



Sir Thomas Lipton, unsuccessful in four efforts to lift the America's cup with his Shamrock yachts, is said to be coming again with a new type vessel to lift the "bloomin' mug."

INTERNATIONAL UMPIRE IS U. S. JUSTICE DAY



Agreement between the United States and Germany to set up a bipartite commission to pass upon American war claims against Germany is believed to be well under way.

TOOK OVERALLS TO HIDE HIS NAKEDNESS, EX-RANGERITE SAYS

SWEETWATER, Aug. 23.—Sam Pugh, who gave his address as Ranger and his destination El Dorado, Kan., was arrested here by Sheriff Ed Bardwell on a charge of stealing a pair of overalls and a bar of soap from an Orient bunk car.

"Be more careful in the future, return the overalls and get out of town, and I shall excuse you this time," said the prosecutor.

COX QUILTS AS HEAD OF SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS

HOUSTON, Aug. 23.—S. E. J. Cox, nationally known as a spectacular oil promoter and organizer of two \$20,000,000 companies and one \$1,000,000 company, has resigned as president and trustee of the Cox Realization company.

HUMBLE WILL PLAY TEXACOS FOR TITLE

The Texaco Stars of Parks camp are facing another challenge for their title as oil field champs and beginning Sunday, will play a three-game series with the Humble team of Cisco.

NOVEL SCORE. RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 23.—Local baseball "bugs" are searching the records for something to equal the performance of the Norfolk and Richmond (Va.) league clubs in a 12 to 12 tie game.

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PROGRAM

LAME—Lester Cuneo in "The Ranger and the Law," comedy "Week End," with Tweedy.

ILLNESS MAY END TRIP OF ROUND-THE-WORLD FLYER

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Maj. Walter T. Blake, who left the Croydon Aerodrome on May 24 for a flight around the world, may be forced to abandon his trip on account of illness.

LAMB TODAY

Lester Cuneo Supported by all-star cast in "THE RANGER AND THE LAW"

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11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

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13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—One horse, wagon and harness. L. B. Compton, Phone 6.

16—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—1921 Ford roadster and touring cars, Dodge cars, Cadillac and trucks. White Tree Garage.

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18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

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Wanted—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk street. Phone 154.

19—FOR TRADE OR EXCHANGE WILL TRADE my house and furniture for car and small amount of money. Call at 305 N. Marston st.

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THEATRE PARTY FOR VISITOR.

Mrs. John Moyer entertained with a theatre party yesterday afternoon at the Liberty, in honor of Mrs. Lamberson of Oklahoma City, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. D. Lavery. After enjoying the matinee, in which Pearl White starred in "Any Wife," Mrs. Moyer took her guests to her home, where they were served refreshments of cantaloupe sundae and lemonade.

Her guests were: Meses. Lamberson, R. D. Lavery, Walter Cash, and Mary Florine Lavery.

RECREATION CLUB WITH MRS. DUFFER.

Mrs. A. L. Duffer was hostess to the Recreation club and other guests Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock. House decorations were cut flowers. Progressive forty-two was the diversion for the afternoon, followed by delicious refreshments of chicken salad, bread and butter sandwiches, olives and ice tea. Mrs. Duffer was assisted in entertaining and serving by Mrs. C. E. May.

Club members present were: Meses. Ray Newnam, W. H. Flewellen, Fred Wilson, Roger Fenlaw, Sanford Terrell, C. E. May, C. C. Chenoweth, C. D. Woods, Mills Davenport, Sneed, Harry Reed, Jones. Other guests were Meses. L. L. Neal, Davenport, C. W. McLaughlin, Miss Smith.

CIRCLE A HAS MORNING MEETING.

Circle A of the Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Copp this morning at her home on Smallwood avenue. There was a large attendance and a great amount of work was done on their quilt. Ways and means of raising funds were discussed while they worked. Mrs. Copp served chicken salad, bread and butter sandwiches, olives, devil's food cake and punch to those present.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. D. Woods, Aug. 30, in the morning.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Miss Marguerite Novakovich is spending the week with friends in Breckenridge.

Miss Anna McFall of Weatherford is visiting her brother, Lewis McFall.

Miss Mary B. Williams, niece of Mrs. R. D. Lavery, left yesterday for Wichita, Kan., where she will enter Mount Carmel college. Miss Williams will specialize on the violin.

Mrs. Stafford, who has been ill at the Ranger General hospital, is recovering and will return home today.

Pirtle Rainey of the Oil City pharmacy is recovering from an attack of acute indigestion.

Hamon Line Adds Flivver Speedster To Rolling Stock

Efforts are being made to have J. N. Hillis, general manager of the Hamon system, open a naming contest for an interesting hybrid that is now unofficially referred to in some quarters as a rail horse and in others as a sport model pullman, and which has been seen during the last week anchored in front of the general offices.

Close examination brought out that the last word in private cars was a cross between a flivver and a hand car. Wheels of the latter had been mounted on a brand new flivver minus the steering apparatus and turned loose on the track with satisfying results. Inquiry developed that the Ford would perform as well with car wheels as on wire ones and will under provocation make thirty miles an hour. Mr. Hillis explained that the new rolling stock is to be used in track inspection work.

BRECK STILL RAIDED.

BRECKENRIDGE, Aug. 23.—Camouflaged with green shrubbery a still in operation was found in a cave dug in the side of Cedar Creek bank. Sheriff L. D. Head, accompanied by his brother, J. W. Head of Fort Worth, made the raid. Sixteen gallons of triple run liquor, a 60-gallon cooler, 12 barrels of mash, and two men were taken.

BRITAIN STILL "OFF" MEXICO. LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Times declares there still are hindrances in the way of British recognition of Mexico. One of them, according to the paper, is that the British government desires to work hand in hand with the Washington government in the matter, but the chief reason is that the Mexican government is not prepared to recognize foreign loans entered into by the Huerta government and is endeavoring to exclude from settlement certain categories of claims of British subjects against Mexico, which Great Britain is trying to arrange.

A demountable rim locked with one nut instead of eight as at present, has been invented.

NEW BUILDING AT BULLOCK IS SCHOOL MODEL

The new building now under construction by the Bullock school district, just at the end of the paving on the Caddo road, is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for use before school opens on Sept. 15, trustees said yesterday. It is a two-room structure, substantially built of wood, with heavy concrete foundation, erected at a cost of \$3,500.

The design, drawn by E. M. Howard, one of the trustees, gives a convenient arrangement of library and cloakrooms at the front of the building, readily accessible to either room. The cloakrooms, along one side of each room, are equipped with double doors, so there will be no confusion in entering or leaving. Large windows occupy nearly all of the east side of both rooms.

Mr. Meadows, last year with the Oakley school, has been elected principal, and another teacher also has been retained. Provision has been made for a seven months and possibly a nine months school term, it is announced. The fall term will open on Sept. 15, with about 70 pupils enrolled.

Funds for erecting the new building were secured from a recently voted increase in the tax rate from 20 cents to 50 cents. E. M. Howard, J. S. Hatton and D. F. Coffman compose the board of trustees.

U. S. SKIPPER HELD FOR SAILOR'S MURDER

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The story of an alleged brutal murder of a pantryman on board the shipping board steamship President Van Buren on June 24, as recounted to the American consul in London by a group of college students who had worked their way over on the ship, led to the arraignment of Capt. George H. Miles of the United States naval reserve on a charge of murder on the high sea.

According to the complaint on which Captain Miles was arraigned, the following incidents of the death of the pantryman, H. G. Baxter, were uncovered through the investigation: Baxter was seized by a physical collapse and underwent an attack of dementia. He was subsequently placed in a straightjacket.

Later when Baxter was manacled and chained to a stanchion, in the hold of the vessel, the captain, it was alleged, kicked and beat Baxter to death. The next day he was buried at sea.

LOST BABY FOUND PLAYING IN WOODS WITH YOUNG BEARS

KANE, Pa., Aug. 23.—Four-year-old Donald Small was missed by his mother near here. She found him in the woods, tumbling about on the ground with two bear cubs, while the mother bear complacently ate apples under a tree. The child was laughing, and the cubs seemed to be enjoying his company.

The boy was trying to lead the young bears home as playmates. Mrs. Small called her husband and the bears disappeared. Donald cried bitterly at the loss of his companions.

ATLANTIC CITY GIRL SHOCKED LONDON



Staid London folk stopped and stared. Bobbies held up traffic. Piccadilly seethed with looks and conversation. And the cause of it all was Miss Margaret Campbell, of Atlantic City, N. J., who wore knickerbockers, horn-rimmed glasses and bobbed hair—all strange things to London. Miss Campbell was peevish. "I don't show any more of my legs than your English girls in short skirts!" she exclaimed, "and besides, I'm dressed to please myself alone."

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WANTS SHARE OF \$40,000,000 REAM ESTATE



Mrs. Frank M. Downer Jr., formerly Miss Leonora Ream, beautiful niece of the late Norman B. Ream, has entered suit in Chicago for a \$100,000 share of his \$40,000,000 estate. When his younger brother, John, found himself in financial difficulties Norman Ream took the two younger boys and Leonora to raise. She was placed in care of Mrs. Heddee, in Osceola. When she was 19, she lost a hand in an accident on the C. & B. Q. railroad, in which Ream was one of the principal stockholders. That suit was settled for \$2,500, with the understanding, she alleges, that Ream would take care of her for the rest of her life and provide for her in his will. Ream died two years after her marriage to Downer, and the provisions of the will were said to have been so disappointing that Downer left her.

AT THE HOTELS

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LYNCH SCORES K. O.

By Associated Press. SHREVEPORT, Aug. 23.—Joe Lynch, bantam champion, successfully defended his title here by knocking out Frankie Murray of Canada in the sixth round of a scheduled 15 round bout. In the fourth round Murray caught Lynch with a wild swing and sent him to the canvas for the count of five.

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TOP SAVES DRIVER WHEN CAR QUITS ROAD AND TURNS TURTLE

A. O. Steinweg narrowly escaped serious injury about noon yesterday when a Ford coupe he was driving became unmanageable and ran off the edge of a culvert on the Caddo road, a short distance on the other side of the Tee Pee camp. The car turned completely over. The top, however, saved the driver from injury.

EVANGELIST TURNS MAIL ROBBER, NOW ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 23.—The trial of Herbert Wilson, former evangelist of Oregon and Canada and alleged mail robber, for the murder of Herbert R. Cox, said to have been his companion in numerous crimes, opened in the superior court here today before Judge P. Sperry Wood. Cox was shot here a few months ago while he, Wilson and Eddie O'Brien, alleged mail robbers, now

held at Toledo, Ohio, were attempting to escape from the county jail. Cox's last words were "Herbert did it." Federal charges against Wilson have been held up, pending the result of the murder trial.

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