

## MIDNIGHT ASSAULT

### Labor Day Entertainment Program Pleases Thousands

#### MASONS' PICNIC COLORFUL AND JAZZY AFFAIR

Ball Game, Rodeo, Boxing and Dancing to Feature Day's Doings.

At 12 o'clock today the Masons' picnic, given by the local Shrine club to all Masons in this section, was in full swing. Perhaps 500 members of the order are in attendance and early in the day all formalities had worn away and everyone was apparently enjoying the occasion.

The affair started at 10 o'clock with a long parade in which those staging the rodeo joined. When Shamrock park was reached, M. H. Smith, in behalf of Mayor John M. Gholson, who could not be present, made an address of welcome, in which he let the visitors know that the city is in their hands. "Captain" Karl Yates spoke on "Free Masonry." He paid a tribute to the Moshah band of Fort Worth, which arrived during the night to furnish music for the occasion. The band is led by "Cap" Cecil Meadows.

**Scott Main Speaker.** The main speech of the day was delivered by J. E. Scott of Cleburne, who is a member of all Masonic bodies. He spoke along the lines of education for the children of the country and in a logical talk in which at times he arose to eloquence he defended Masonry and all it stands for and answered statements which have been clipped from various papers, seeking to undermine the things for which Masonry stands. Congressman Lanham, who also was scheduled to speak, was unable to be present.

During the afternoon the events planned for the occasion were staged amid much merriment. At 5 o'clock the free barbecue will be served at the park.

The Moshah band of twenty-nine pieces was met as it left the Pullman this morning and the members were guests of several Masons at breakfast.

**Vivid Uniforms.** At the park the bandmen are a patch of vivid color against the everyday attire of others in attendance. Their dress is of bright yellow, offset with bits of green.

In the parade were all the fire trucks, dressed in gay, bunting and flags of the country. Color was added by the cowgirls and cowboys who are appearing in the rodeo, garbed in their gayest attire, which included handkerchiefs of pure silk worn about their necks. Members of the police department, attired as though on dress parade, added another splash of color amid the assembled cars and vehicles.

**Day's Program.** Contests for the many prizes were scheduled to follow the speech-making. This afternoon, the baseball game between Fort Worth and Ranger Shriners was scheduled to begin at 2:30 and will be followed by the rodeo entertainment.

Tonight, the chief feature of the day's program will be the boxing exhibition at the Majestic theatre, with Bobby Green of San Antonio, and Jimmy Bibb of Fort Worth, as headliners.

#### LIBRARY BACKERS GIVE BENEFIT DANCE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The Library association will give a dance next Wednesday night at Shamrock park, proceeds to go to the library fund. Much preparation is being made to the affair and it is expected to be a social event of much prominence. Many of the leading club women of the city are assisting in the library work and they will sponsor the dance that is to be given.

#### LIGHTNING SETS FOUR HUNDRED FIRES AS STORM ENDS CHICAGO WARMTH

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Chicago's spell of hottest weather came to an end in a terrific thunder and wind storm, and autumn temperatures prevail today.

During the height of the storm, the fire department received 400 calls per hour from fires caused by lightning striking, wires down and other causes from the storm.

#### U. S. COMMANDER ON MINGO FRONT



Whatever the government does in West Virginia is largely the result of the recommendations of General H. H. Bandholtz. At the first suggestion that federal intervention might become necessary General Bandholtz was rushed to the scene of the disturbance and asked to report direct to President Harding. Shortly after General Bandholtz arrived the President issued an ultimatum to the miners.

#### RODEO RIDER THROWN; THREE RIBS BROKEN

Jeff Green Victim of Slipping Saddle; Boy Endangered.

The second day of the Rodeo—Sunday—saw an overflow crowd which thrilled to the bucking bronchos, steer riding and other attractions being offered. Last night the thrill-seekers had their inning when Jeff Green was slammed against the fence by Domino. He had three ribs broken. It was said the horse did not throw Green in the true sense of the word, but that his saddle was thrown on the neck of the horse and because of this he fell. The raw meat eaters also had a thrill yesterday afternoon when Jack Terry, a kid rider from Caddo, who was riding a wild steer, slipped beneath the animal's feet and was stepped upon by the plunging animal. Terry was only bruised. He is about 12 years old.

This afternoon the Rodeo and the Shriners baseball game will both be given at the park. The ball game will start at 2:30 and the Rodeo follows its finish.

#### RODEO RIDER KILLED.

AMARILLO, Texas, Sept. 5.—Vivian E. Witherspoon, 21 years old, of Silverton, Texas, here to take part in the rodeo program, part of the Labor day celebration, was almost instantly killed at 9 o'clock, when his horse reared and fell backward on him, crushing his body against the pavement, as Witherspoon was taking his place in a parade forming at a downtown corner. Hundreds of spectators saw the horse crush the youthful rider to death before the animal could be brought to its feet.

#### HOW THEY CELEBRATED

##### HOUSTON.

HOUSTON, Sept. 5.—Conventional Labor day picnics, athletic contests and speeches are scheduled at various parks here today. Surrounding towns will celebrate similarly. Rodeo and round-up features, including broncho-busting and steer roping exhibitions lent a frontier atmosphere at La Porte and Kelly.

##### DALLAS.

DALLAS, Sept. 5.—Labor turned out to celebrate its holiday early. A gigantic parade was staged during the morning, and the afternoon was taken up with athletic events and a picnic at Fair park. Hundreds of automobiles carried hunters and fishermen to the lakes and rivers in this vicinity.

#### DUNNAM DENIES SENDING WORD 'NO RAID NEEDED'

Twice Complained of Still to Stephens Official, His Answer to Head.

The assertion that he had never sent Sheriff Bandholtz or any other man, that there was no longer need to raid a still near the Eastland-Stephens county line, is made by County Attorney Dunnam in a letter to the Times. Instead, Mr. Dunnam says, he twice offered to furnish the Stephens county authorities with a map showing location of the still or to lead them to it in person, and it was after his second offer to do so that the raid was made.

Mr. Dunnam's letter follows: "In your paper of Wednesday, Aug. 31, I notice a statement asserting the denial of the Breckenridge official of his knowledge of the existence of a still in Stephens county, and their attempt to excuse themselves for permitting it to operate for thirty days after they had been advised of its existence.

"In order that the people may know the truth about the matter, and in order that the Law and Order league may be vindicated for what has been said by its members concerning the operation of the still, I desire to make the following statement.

"Thirty days before the raid was made by the Breckenridge authorities, I saw the sheriff's department of Stephens county and told them that I would go with them in person and show them the exact location of the still and that I would give them the name of the person who was then engaged in the operation of the still.

"On or about the 27th day of August, I wrote the county attorney of Stephens county, stating the facts to him as I had stated them to the sheriff's department, and again through the sheriff's department at Breckenridge, and told them I had in my possession positive evidence, including the map and plat of the premises where the thing was being operated, and that I would go with them in person and show him the location.

"It was after this last conversation we had that they made the raid, and they cannot excuse their conduct in the matter by stating that one R. B. Slumate told them that I had said there was no still there to be raided. In fact, I had never made any such statement to Mr. Slumate or to any other person, but I insisted to the sheriff's department of Stephens county that the still was there, that it should be raided and stopped from pouring its filthy product into his county and mine.

"W. V. DUNNAM."

#### PARENT-TEACHERS OF YOUNG SCHOOL TO HOLD IMPORTANT MEETING

The Parent-Teachers' association of Young school will hold a business meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the school building.

This will be the last meeting before school opens and it is considered important that all members of the association be present. Vital subjects will come up for discussion.

#### TO MOVE PEN!

AUSTIN, Sept. 5.—Governor Neff today allowed to become a law without his signature the bill calling for relocation of the state penitentiary within seventy-five miles of Austin. Also the senatorial and representative redistricting measure. He signed the bill providing for a penitentiary supervising board and named three members of the board.

Those appointed by the governor on the penitentiary supervisory board under the bill signed today are Dr. J. T. Harrington of Waco, Mrs. J. E. King of Hunt, and W. Dorsey Brown of Kaufman. This board is to visit the penitentiary four times a year in the interests of the prisoners living condition and general welfare and make a report to the governor quarterly.

#### Cop Who Bagged Four He Found His Trigger

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—When it comes to shooting, Little Joe Huszar, of Broadville, Ill., has lightning looking like a flash. One of the bandits threatened to kill Huszar, but he drew from the policeman's gun before the words were scarcely uttered and I saw two of the bandits wounded and I saw two others captured. "I used to be a Texas cowboy," Little Joe said, explaining his rate trigger eye.

#### MINE GUARD SYSTEM MENACE TO PEACE IN WEST VIRGINIA

Unless It Is Abolished, War Will Flare Again When Federal Troops Are Withdrawn, Is Correspondent's Verdict on Situation; Coal Fields Now Quiet.

By HAROLD D. JACOBS, United Press Correspondent. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 5.—A truce, not a permanent peace, exists in West Virginia's mine warfare. Federal troops have ended a fortnight's fighting between union miners and their friends on one side, and state constabulary and mine guard deputies on the other.

But the basic causes that were at the bottom of this and previous battles will remain after withdrawal of regulars, and it is only a question of time until another and probably more sanguinary outbreak will occur unless conditions are remedied.

**Bottom of Trouble.** The one thing that will insure permanent peace in West Virginia is abolition of the mine guard system. Right or wrong, this system is at the bottom of West Virginia's warfare. Those who want the trouble ended, hope that the congressional investigating committee soon to come here, will concentrate on the mine guard system, and make its work a success by solving it.

With the arrival of federal troops, miners today are hiding their guns and ammunition, to be ready for the next war. Another wave of wild rumors, and a case of actual brutality by a mine guard, and it will be on, unless the congressional committee does something about it.

Other miners are surrendering their arms, and returning from "the front" without interference, often on special trains.

#### QUET PREVAILS.

MADISON, W. Va., Sept. 5.—Quiet prevailed today over the Boone-Logan county areas.

Troops were in control of the situation, and anticipating nothing more than isolated sniping, if trouble comes at all.

Investigation into the start of the trouble, and the thousands of dollars worth of damage, will probably be made in the counties involved, it was said today.

It was expected the probe will show the miners were furnished funds from "interests outside West Virginia."

#### EASTLAND MEN HURT IN SMASH ON CADDO ROAD

Dr. Boone of Eastland and two male companions were badly bruised last night when a Chandler automobile in which they were riding overturned on the Caddo road, at the second turn going north. Though the car had to be lifted from the person of Boone, who was driving, neither he or his friends were seriously injured. They were brought to the Clinical hospital and later went to their homes in Eastland.

The car had the top broken, the windshield shattered and the fenders badly bent.

It is thought the wreck was caused by the machine swerving into the loose stones and soft dirt at the edge of the road as it made the bend. It is said to have been traveling at a fast rate of speed.

#### PAPERS AND MAYORS TARGETS OF PREACHER

"If other newspapers of the county do not look out they will be accused of being a part of the graft ring which is working in Eastland county," was one of the statements made last night by the Rev. Roy Langston of Eastland, who preached at the union services held on the vacant lot on Main street.

Mr. Langston, his auditors thought, was referring to the Ranger Times. He made several references to a "two-bit" reporter working on one of the county papers who had been in the employ of the Fleming & Stitzer Road Building company and who was paid to boost the company.

Many statements were made which were considered startling. He embodied in his text a comparison of Lot as mayor of Sodom and present day mayors.

#### LIQUOR SALE SEEN, BUT EVIDENCE ISN'T FOUND

Two ministers, it is said, last night lay on their stomachs on the roof of a local hotel and through the skylight saw a woman sell two men two drinks of what they thought to be liquor. They dashed out for a policeman, but when the officers searched the place they found nothing—not even a whisky glass, so they said. However, the police offered to arrest the woman but they candidly doubted if a conviction could be secured on the evidence as gathered by the two men on the roof.

#### GRAND JURY TOLD TO PROBE PUBLIC FUNDS

It was expected that the grand jury would be empaneled this morning, but Dr. Rushing of Desdemona offered a legal excuse and was excused by Judge Hill. This necessitated securing two other jurors from which to choose one to make the panel complete. To do this, Sheriff Nolley was instructed to bring two men from Cisco.

#### LIQUOR VIOLATIONS AND ARSON ALSO STRESSED IN JUDGE HILL'S CHARGE.

EASTLAND, Sept. 5.—The grand jury of the Eighty-eighth district court was empaneled this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, and was charged by Judge E. A. Hill to investigate violations of the Dean liquor law, arson, misapplication of public funds and other matters which are in the public mind at this time.

It was expected that the grand jury would be empaneled this morning, but Dr. Rushing of Desdemona offered a legal excuse and was excused by Judge Hill. This necessitated securing two other jurors from which to choose one to make the panel complete. To do this, Sheriff Nolley was instructed to bring two men from Cisco.

#### FOUR HELD FOR AGED OKLAHOMA MAN'S MURDER

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 5.—Four persons were held in jail today charged with the murder of Byron Violet, 79 years old, civil war veteran, authorities announced. Those charged with the crime were: Neal Burney, Al Boles, W. H. White and his wife, Charlotte White. All except Boles have been under arrest for several days, officials said. Boles was captured in Tulsa Sunday night after a four-day chase, Sheriff Dancy stated.

With the arrest of the four, authorities believe they have broken up one of the most daring criminal gangs operating in the state. Mr. and Mrs. White have signed written statements, which implicate Boles in the Oklahoma Natural Gas company robbery at Tulsa, Dec. 14, and with the Tulsa post-office robbery two years ago.

#### HARDING COULDN'T LAND.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 5.—President Harding was forced to give up his plan of visiting Atlantic City today.

Because of the heavy sea, the presidential party was unable to land here from the Mayflower. The yacht returned to Washington.

#### LABOR DAY FINDS WASHINGTON SEEKING TO END UNEMPLOYMENT

By JAMES G. COLBERT, United Press Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Settlement of labor troubles and ending of unemployment were the Labor day objectives of the administration.

While parading and pageants marked the celebration of Labor day, Washington was at work to put industry on a solid footing, and thus relieve the unemployment situation. They were encouraged by the announcement of the labor department that unemployment had decreased slightly during the last month. There are fewer strikes this Labor day than last, the labor department figures show.

The mine warfare in West Virginia has been halted and peace in that district will be sought by the senate committee soon to go there. Present trouble in the railroad and packing industries will be averted, officials here are confident.

Labor leaders urged their followers to stand fast in the face of the demoralizing influence of unemployment. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, called on organized labor for a supreme effort to increase the membership to 5,000,000, and demonstrate its strength and solidarity.

#### TWO MEN ELECTROCUTED.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 5.—George Downey, 50 years old, and Gilbert McMonigle, 19 years old, were electrocuted in the freezing room in the Sullivan Coal & Ice company plant at Wood River, Ill., near here, today.

It was believed an extension wire, became overcharged during last night's storm in the room where the men were working. A milkman found their bodies. McMonigle clasped the wire and Downey's body lay across him.

#### THREE KILLED WHEN GAS EXPLOSION WRECKS DETROIT BUILDING

DETROIT, Sept. 5.—Three were killed today when a three-story brick building on Mullett street was wrecked by a gas explosion. Windows for blocks around were shattered.

Five men were arrested, one of whom conducted a grocery store in the building. Police claim the building was blown up purposely in order to collect the insurance.

#### DENVER MOB WOULD LYNCH DRIVER WHO RAN OVER WOMAN

DENVER, Sept. 5.—A mob early today attempted to lynch Roy Ashman, 18, a soldier, at Fitzsimmons general hospital near here, when he attempted to escape in his automobile after he had run down and badly injured Mrs. H. R. DeGaller. Police rescued Ashman after more than a hundred shots were fired to stop his flight and the action of the mob.

#### KU KLUX PUTS BLAME ON COTTON

CORSICANA, Texas, Sept. 5.—The negroes in the Blooming Grove community were reported in the field this morning picking cotton for 50 cents a hundred, as the result of a notice signed "K. K. K.", which was posted in the negro section of the town, suggesting that the "colored people must pick cotton."

There had been a difference over the amount to be paid for picking. The negroes demanded 75 cents a hundred.

The notice is not believed to be an official communication of the Ku Klux Klan, as it did not bear the seal.

#### THREE KILLED WHEN GAS EXPLOSION WRECKS DETROIT BUILDING

DETROIT, Sept. 5.—Three were killed today when a three-story brick building on Mullett street was wrecked by a gas explosion. Windows for blocks around were shattered.

Five men were arrested, one of whom conducted a grocery store in the building. Police claim the building was blown up purposely in order to collect the insurance.

#### DENVER MOB WOULD LYNCH DRIVER WHO RAN OVER WOMAN

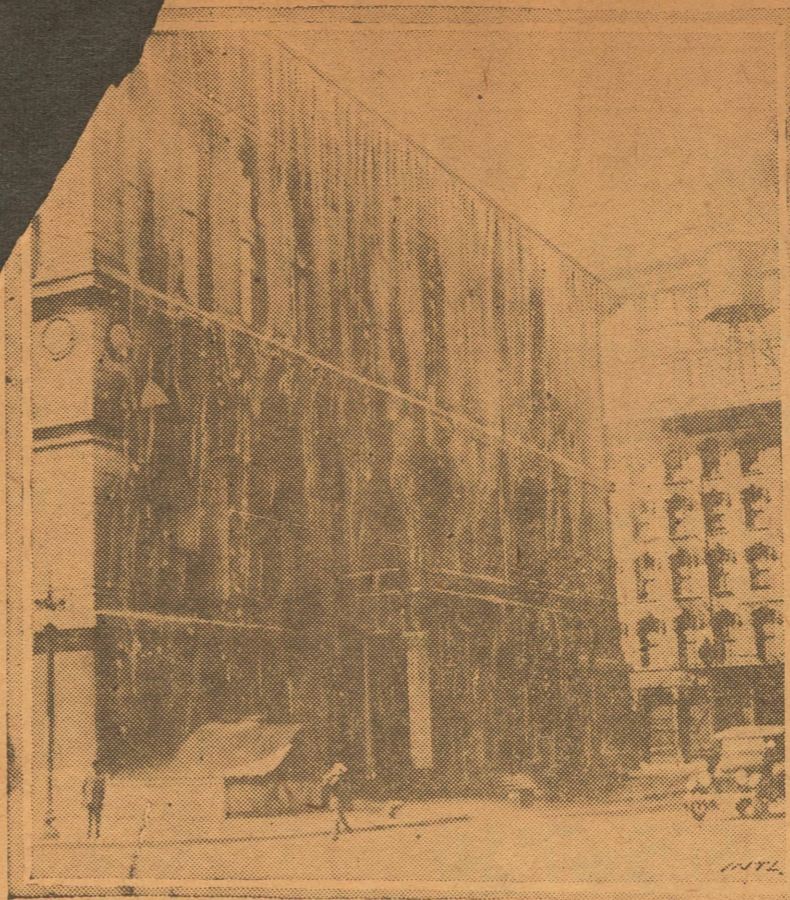
DENVER, Sept. 5.—A mob early today attempted to lynch Roy Ashman, 18, a soldier, at Fitzsimmons general hospital near here, when he attempted to escape in his automobile after he had run down and badly injured Mrs. H. R. DeGaller. Police rescued Ashman after more than a hundred shots were fired to stop his flight and the action of the mob.

#### TWO MEN ELECTROCUTED.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 5.—George Downey, 50 years old, and Gilbert McMonigle, 19 years old, were electrocuted in the freezing room in the Sullivan Coal & Ice company plant at Wood River, Ill., near here, today.

It was believed an extension wire, became overcharged during last night's storm in the room where the men were working. A milkman found their bodies. McMonigle clasped the wire and Downey's body lay across him.

PROTECTS BUILDINGS  
THREATENED BY NEARBY FLAMES



A veritable veil of water can be formed from the roof of the Chicago public library to the streets, serving as a protection in case of nearby fire. The water effectually screens the building from flames, heat and smoke, in case of fire in adjoining structures.

'THERE'LL ALWAYS BE FOOLISH  
STYLES,' SAYS WOMAN AT 86

Verdict Reached by Grandma  
After Passing From Hoop  
Skirt to Knee Length.

By International News Service  
CLEVELAND, Sept. 5.—"Lawsy, me. I suppose there'll always be fool styles. There always were. When I was a girl people laughed at the hoop skirts and made jokes about 'em, but we wore them just the same."

Thus Mrs. Mary J. Daugherty celebrated her eighty-sixth birthday at her home on Lexington avenue the other day, looked back across the years and voiced her views of what women wore in the days when she was a slip of a girl in Ashland county, Ohio, and what they wear—or fail to wear—today.

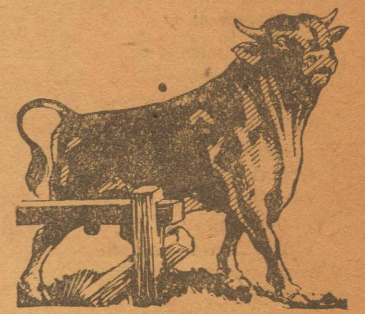
Mrs. Daugherty won a beauty contest in her youth and her face still exhibits traces of that beauty despite the burden of the years which, however, has touched her lightly. She still does a day's housework without becoming exhausted.

Her sense of humor, always keen, so friends say, has not left her and she looks upon the styles of today with a tolerant eye, although all do not meet her approval.

Modern Girl O. K.  
"The girl of today is all right," she said, "but she ought to be taught that no gentilewoman goes to the extremes. The girl who has good taste wears skirts that are neither too long nor too short. They may vary their headress to suit their faces, but they shouldn't make themselves conspicuous or ridiculous."

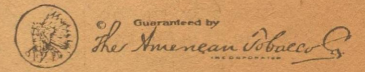
She doesn't like French heels, however, nor does the present fashion of dressing hair appeal to her.  
"I wonder how many of those stilt-heeled girls will be able to do a day's

work when they are eighty-six?" she queried.  
Sprightly and active, Mrs. Daugherty rejoices that she has been permitted to live to see so many changes. "I almost feel as if I had lived in two different planets when I compare the present day with my girlhood," she said.



GENUINE  
"BULL"  
DURHAM  
tobacco makes 50  
good cigarettes for  
10c

We want you to have the best paper for "BULL." So now you can receive with each package a book of 24 leaves of BULL— the very finest cigarette paper in the world.



THE WEATHER.

Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy and somewhat unsettled weather.

PAY IN MONEY OR IN  
LAND.

Martin W. Littleton is telling London club audiences that America ought to cancel half of the debt England owes us, so that England can cancel the debts owed her by the other allies. In this way, explains Mr. Littleton, England and the United States could shoulder the whole cost of the war.

NATIONAL GUARD  
HELPS QUELL FOREST  
FIRE IN MINNESOTA

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 5.—Forest fires, which threatened the villages of Solona and White Pine, just east of Mille Lacs, were believed under control today.

Two hundred national guardsmen from St. Paul were helping fight the flames.  
The forest fires west of Moose lake developed in a swamp and spread before a high wind Sunday, threatening to wipe out the lumber camps of White Pine. Flames were within a stone's throw of the McGrath lumber yards on the outskirts of the village. The fires were within a mile of Solona, and volunteer fighters were exhausted trying to keep pace with the flames.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS  
By GEORGE BINGHAM



Fletcher Henstep was over at the saw mill on Gander creek Thursday and was called on to help lift a large log. He took hold just like the others, and made a face and grunted, but he didn't lift much.

The Postmaster has got notice from a man to hold his mail until he gets here. The P. M. says some people seem to think all he has to do is wait on them.

Gander creek, following the recent heavy rains, looked like a real stream, and there was talk of having its picture made at that time so that it could get put on the map.

Women's Entry Into Political Work  
Downs Court Room Sawdust Boxes

By Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Woman's advent into public life is causing the gradual but sure extinction of the crock spittoon and the sawdust box in court rooms, according to the observation of Harriet Reid, first woman arbitrator of the Illinois industrial commission, whose duties takes her to many courthouses in the state.

"The spittoon—and its brother, the sawdust box," said Miss Reid, "are becoming almost as scarce as the buffalo. Even the boldest and baddest of men seem to have some hesitancy about exhibiting before women their fondness for the cud."

"My work as arbitrator takes me the round of courthouses and city halls, and I note a decided change for the better. Public buildings are much cleaner than they were ten years ago,

I attribute it to women's advent into public life.

"Women's clubs, interested in community service, are responsible generally for the women's rest rooms in courthouses. Women's influence is seen also in the better kept courthouse lawns and the settees scattered about."

"Frequency with which women visit city and county court buildings is also quite noticeable now. It is not unusual to come across women county officers, and at several of my hearings, women and girls from the various offices come in to listen to the compensation cases."

"I am often asked if I handle women's cases only. No; I handle all the cases in the particular vicinity to which I am sent, and the cases range from a pin scratch to a broken back, and from vaccination to seven year itch."

Veteran of Civil War  
Still Hale and Hearty



GEORGE D. SHAW, Springfield, Mass.

"To say that I feel twenty-five years younger, twenty-five years healthier and twenty-five years stronger expresses what Tanlac has done for me better than any other way I can put it," said George D. Shaw, veteran of the Civil War, who now lives at 321 Walnut street, Springfield, Mass.

"I am now seventy-eight years old and I don't hesitate to say I have never known a medicine to equal Tanlac. For fifteen years I was subjected to attacks of indigestion that were so bad at times I would have to lay up for a week or two. For a long time I lived on crackers and milk alone as nothing else agreed with me. When I started on Tanlac I weighed only one hundred and seventeen pounds and my days were thought to

be numbered. I've been so wonderfully built up, I now weigh one hundred and forty-three pounds and my stomach is as sound as a dollar. In fact, I believe I could eat the old army rations again without it hurting me in the least.

"I never miss a chance of saying a good word for Tanlac and I would like to urge the boys of the 'Sixties' who are not feeling right to give it a trial, for I am sure it would put them in line again just as it has me. For a man of my age to have no physical ailment, to be well and strong and enjoy life as he did twenty-five years ago, is certainly something to be thankful for and there is nothing too good I can say for Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Ranger by Phillips Bros., and in Eastland by Palace Drug Store.—Advertisement.

ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

WILL OPEN SEPT. 12  
GRAMMAR AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADES  
Conducted by  
THE SISTERS OF THE INCARNATE WORD  
—Can accommodate a limited number of girl boarders. Will also accept a limited number of non-Catholic students.  
Make application immediately to  
Rev. R. A. Gerken  
At Catholic Church

MR. AND MRS. KODAKER—

—If you cannot call, mail your films to us for first class work and 24-hour service. Eastman Kodaks and films always in stock.

RANGER STUDIO  
215 SOUTH RUSK ST. RANGER, TEXAS

Jack Gardner Dance

To be given at  
SUMMER GARDEN TONIGHT

—We are going to make this one of the most enjoyable dances that has been given at the Summer Garden for some time. Out-of-town visitors invited. Refreshments served.

Admission, \$2.00 per couple—Dancing from 9 p. m. till 2 a. m.

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CARS

The Oil Field Car  
BEST BY TEST  
RANGER GARAGE CO.  
DODGE DEALERS  
DODGE PARTS WHITE TRUCK PARTS

RAGS WANTED

—Will pay 10c a pound for clean Cotton Rags.

RANGER DAILY TIMES

# LITTLE THINGUMBOBS USED BY CHEMISTS TELL ALL ABOUT 'HOOCH'

## Pycnometer and Ebullionmeter Eavesdrop Character of Stillers' Output.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Secrets of the "hooch" maker who manufactures synthetic whiskey or gin are as open book to the government chemists who test the products of violators of the Volstead law.

Evidence seized from rum runners and bootleggers is brought to them for examination. How the chemical tests are conducted was disclosed today by R. A. Edson, chief chemist of the government laboratory in the federal building. The walls of his office are lined with shelves filled with bottles of every kind and description containing every kind of beverage forbidden by the Volstead act.

A fringe of stills seized in raids decorates the top of the shelves and there is a big pile of them in a corner. In the past year more than 8,000 samples of liquor, good, bad and indifferent have been tested here and the results produced later in the federal courts.

### Drinks Not Drunk!

The first thing to be done by the chemists when a sample of suspected liquor is brought in is to test it for alcohol. Usually the prohibition agents try to get at least half a pint of whiskey and a pint of wine for the chemist to work on. But occasionally an agent comes in with a small bottle of liquid which, he explains, is a drink of whiskey which he bought at a bar and had to spit it in his mouth until he could spit it out into a bottle without being observed by the barkeeper. And that is tested too.

When the sample is large enough the hydrometer is used to find the amount of alcohol present. The hydrometer is a thermometer-like instrument of glass with the specific gravities marked on it. It is floated in the sample and the markings read. Alcohol being lighter than water the hydrometer sinks further in a mixture of alcohol and water than in plain water. The amount of alcohol can thus be accurately determined by reading the markings.

Small samples of booze are tested by means of the pycnometer. A measured quantity of the suspected liquid is weighed and its weight compared with that of an equal quantity of water. By means of a few computations the amount of alcohol can easily be found. For rapid work on beer and wine with small percentages of alcohol the ebullionmeter is used. The evidence is heated and the boiling point learned. Water boils at 100 degrees Centigrade and alcohol at a much lower temperature. A mixture of alcohol and water boils at a lower temperature than water and thus the chemists can readily calculate the amount of alcohol.

After the test for alcohol has been completed in the case of whisky the color of the sample is tested. Whisky that has been held in bond for some time has a color of its own due to the inside of the whisky barrels being charred by the fire before the whisky is put in. The manufacturing bootlegger making an artificial whisky of grain alcohol and water uses caramel made of burnt sugar to color his product.

The Marsh reaction shows if the color of the whisky sample is genuine or artificial. A quantity of amylic alcohol slightly acidified with phosphoric acid is mixed with the liquid to be tested. Amylic alcohol being lighter than ethyl alcohol, as ordinary grain alcohol is called by the chemists, rises to the top of the mixture. If the whisky is genuine the color will mix with the amylic alcohol and rise to the top of the mixture. If the color is due to caramel it will stay in the bottom of the mixture.

### BRIGHT HUED UMBRELLAS MAKE RAIN LESS DISMAL

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Bright hued umbrellas are twice as much in demand as a year ago, manufacturers declare. They look expectantly for the day when street crowds in rainy weather will be just as vivid as those who sally forth with cheerful garb on fair days.

Rainy days in New York this summer have not presented such a dull picture on the streets as in the past, when the black umbrella was the only kind to be seen. The working girls, who must go into the business thoroughfares in any weather, have developed a penchant for umbrellas of purple, brown, orange and particularly blue, and others have taken up this cheerful challenge to the darker side of nature.

### WOMEN SMOKE MERELY TO PEEVE MOSQUITOS

EL PASO, Sept. 5.—Proprietors of cigar stores say they are selling more cigarettes here recently to women than ever before. "I asked several women if they smoked regularly, after I had shown them a number of different brands," said the proprietor of one store, "and they were indignant. They said they wanted the cigarettes to keep the mosquitoes away. Some of them said they had tried everything else and knowing that a strong pipe drives mosquitoes away they decided to smoke cigarettes."

### ed. The creosote is put in to imitate the peat-smoke flavor of the genuine article.

**Grape Juice Dangerous.** "The making of home-made grape juice is dangerous from the standpoint of the Volstead act unless precautions are taken to prevent fermentation and the consequent production of alcohol. The best way is to sterilize the grapes by pouring hot water over them or by boiling the juice. There is a wild yeast present on the grapes and floating in the air at grape picking time and it is the wild yeast that starts the fermentation."

The government chemists have even tested Chinese wine or ngkyap to determine for the government if it was suitable for human consumption. A large quantity of the wine consigned to Chinese merchants here was held up by the customs officials on the ground that it smelled so bad it was not fit for human consumption. The government's chemists found the wine was made from rice spirits and a decoction of herbs. They said it was all right for Chinese medicinal purposes so it was allowed to be brought in.

## POETIC GENIUS LANDS WORLD'S SOFTEST JOB

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Discovered—the world's softest job.

Robert Frost, New England poet, has it. All he has to do is to live in Ann Arbor, Mich., and let his artistic influence flow out over the campus and through the academic corridors of the University of Michigan.

For this he receives \$5,000 a year! And he doesn't have to instruct a single class in the art of making "blue" and "you" rhyme, with the correct number of feet to a line. According to an announcement by Dr. Marion Leroy Burton, president of the university, Mr. Frost was retained as the beginning of a plan to spread culture among the students through the medium of personal contact rather than by classroom instruction.

### "Students Will Benefit."

"The student body will benefit immeasurably merely by contact with a great and loving personality," said Dr. Burton. "We desire only that the artist shall be merely a human being. This time we have chosen a poet. He will come to live here in September and will remain for a year. Next time we may select a sculptor, a painter or a scholar. A gift of \$5,000 from former Governor Chase S. Osborn has made the poet's visit possible."

The new venture has created a sensation in academic circles here. Following are a few opinions expressed by Chicago educators: "The experiment represents an interesting return to the patronage system of artists which broke down about one hundred and fifty years ago. It will be a great thing for Michigan."

"I think it would do the institution more good if the poet would give instruction in the form of regular class work. Class work offers unparalleled opportunity for personal contact and influence with the students."—Prof. C. H. Judd, Chicago University. "It would be a great stroke of genius if universities would adopt this as a definite policy. Many men are hindered by classes. It's only a scholarship plan for professors instead of students."—Prof. C. F. Taueusch, of Northwestern University.

### NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Bright hued umbrellas are twice as much in demand as a year ago, manufacturers declare.

They look expectantly for the day when street crowds in rainy weather will be just as vivid as those who sally forth with cheerful garb on fair days. Rainy days in New York this summer have not presented such a dull picture on the streets as in the past, when the black umbrella was the only kind to be seen. The working girls, who must go into the business thoroughfares in any weather, have developed a penchant for umbrellas of purple, brown, orange and particularly blue, and others have taken up this cheerful challenge to the darker side of nature.

# In the World

## HOW THEY STAND

### WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Teams	Played	Won	Lost	Pct
Abilene	54	30	24	.556
Ballinger	54	29	25	.537
Sweetwater	55	28	27	.509
San Angelo	56	26	30	.464

**Sunday's Results.** Abilene 3, Sweetwater 1. Only game scheduled.

**Monday's Schedule.** Sweetwater at Abilene. Ballinger at San Angelo (two games).

### TEXAS LEAGUE.

Teams	Played	Won	Lost	Pct
Fort Worth	62	41	21	.661
Wichita Falls	60	39	21	.650
Houston	60	33	27	.550
Dallas	62	33	28	.541
Shreveport	57	24	32	.439
San Antonio	60	23	37	.383
Beaumont	60	23	37	.383
Galveston	67	20	47	.351

**Sunday's Results.** Fort Worth 8, Shreveport 1. Dallas 3-5, Wichita Falls 1-4. Galveston 3, Beaumont 1. San Antonio 5, Houston 2.

**Monday's Schedule.** (Two games.) Shreveport at Fort Worth. Wichita Falls at Dallas (2 games). Houston at San Antonio. Beaumont at Galveston.

### TEXAS-OKLAHOMA LEAGUE.

Teams	Played	Won	Lost	Pct
Ardmore	67	47	20	.701
Paris	66	44	22	.667
Mineral Wells	67	33	34	.493
Sherman	66	27	39	.409
Bonham	67	27	40	.403
Cleburne	67	22	45	.338

**Sunday's Results.** Mineral Wells 4, Paris 3. Ardmore 7, Sherman 6. Bonham 5, Cleburne 4.

**Monday's Schedule.** (Two games.) Paris at Mineral Wells. Sherman at Ardmore. Bonham at Cleburne.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Teams	Played	Won	Lost	Pct
New York	125	79	46	.632
Cleveland	128	79	49	.617
St. Louis	130	67	63	.515
Washington	131	65	66	.496
Boston	123	60	63	.488
Detroit	132	62	70	.470
Chicago	129	55	74	.426
Philadelphia	124	44	80	.355

**Sunday's Results.** Chicago 11, St. Louis 10. Cleveland 9, Detroit 5. New York-Washington, rain.

**Monday's Schedule.** (Two games.) St. Louis at Cleveland. Chicago at Detroit. Washington at Philadelphia. New York at Boston.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Teams	Played	Won	Lost	Pct
Pittsburg	129	79	50	.613
New York	131	79	52	.603
St. Louis	130	71	57	.550
Boston	129	70	59	.538
Brooklyn	130	67	63	.515
Cincinnati	130	58	72	.446
Chicago	129	50	79	.388
Philadelphia	130	44	86	.338

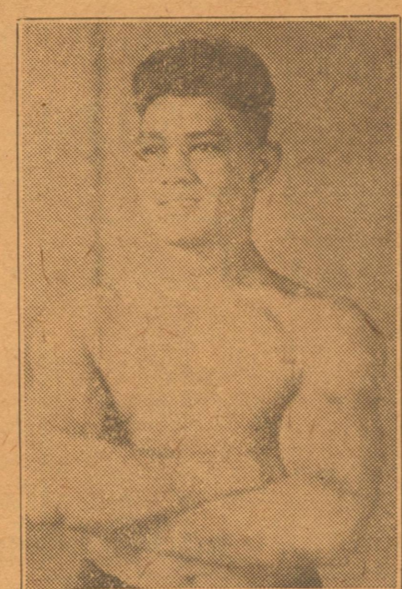
**Sunday's Results.** Pittsburg 2, Cincinnati 1 (twelve innings). Boston 6, New York 3. Brooklyn 10, Philadelphia 4. Chicago 2-2, St. Louis 0-4.

**Monday's Schedule.** (Two games.) Chicago at St. Louis. Cincinnati at Pittsburg. Boston at New York. Philadelphia at Brooklyn.

Miss Evelyn L. Tillman, recently appointed senior clerk in the office of the United States Steamboat Inspectors in Baltimore, is the first woman to be employed in the office.

## BOXING SHOW AT MAJESTIC TO BE CLASSY

Bob Green and Jimmy Bibb Contest Main Bout; Several Prelims.



BOBBY GREEN

The advance sale of tickets to the boxing exhibition to be staged tonight at the Majestic theatre between Jimmy Bibb of Fort Worth and Bobby Green of San Antonio shows evidence that Ranger folks are interested in the gentle art of fisticuffs. The squared circle will be on the stage. Green has been in training in Ranger for several days for the fight and Bibb arrived Sunday and began workouts. Both boys were in good condition on arrival and are only rubbing off the sore spots.

Bibb met Green about three weeks ago and it is said to have been a real fight, with the honors about even. The main bout of the evening will start at 8 o'clock, but before that time there will be several preliminaries which are expected to be good.

## PERSONALS

Dr. Clyde Craig left Saturday night for a vacation which he will spend in San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

Miss Mary B. Campbell left yesterday for a month's visit in Fort Worth. Mrs. M. H. Redwood and small daughter, Margaret, returned yesterday from a visit of several days with friends in Fort Worth.

## Times Want Ads Pay

## LOOK

Black silk scarfs, \$2.50 seller special at .....75c  
Linen collars, 10c each or 3 for .....25c  
Soft collars, 10c each, or 3 for .....25c  
Towels and handkerchiefs at very low prices.

WRIGHT FURNITURE CO. 207 Rusk Street

## SCHOOL DAYS SEPT. 12

—Now is the time to prepare the children for school and this is the place to save money on their clothing and shoes. —Ladies' Coat Suits, Dresses, Coats, Shoes and Underwear at special prices. Also a big line of men's shoes, hats, etc. All kinds of wool sweaters at reduced prices.

S. ROMICK 110 North Rusk Street

Fort Worth Texas league Shreveport ming Wichita header. The game to the good

Lefty George S game and a lot of enabled the Marines phenomenal record on both the shoulders double skirts. Dallas twin bill this year, and few. In the second game rines made only five hits the Spudders, but they gang in the fourth and fifth and assistance of a bobble of so, out one to the front.

Timely hits and Bill Whittake brilliant pitching gave the Panthers an easy victory over the Gassers.

Mutt Williams broke the season's strikeout record in beating Houston, 5 to 2. He whiffed fourteen men. This Mutt seems to be quite a pitcher, as the game also marked about the sixth straight win he has put over for tail-enders.

Galveston beat Beaumont in a pitchers' battle between Slim McGrew and Third Baseman Smith.

## NATIONAL.

Pittsburg put a little distance between themselves and the onrushing Giants by beating Cincinnati in a brilliant twelve-inning game, 2 to 1, while Boston stopped the Giants, 6 to 3.

Glazner and Luque hooked up in the game at Cincinnati, which was decided by a triple and an infield out. Boston pounded Nehf, whose pitching has featured the Giants' winning streak.

St. Louis broke even with Chicago, and the Boston victory puts third place again in jeopardy.

## AMERICAN.

Cleveland beat Detroit in the final game of the series and gained half a game on the Yanks, who were idle because of rain. The Indians are now a game and a half behind.

The Indians came from behind in the latter innings. They were on the short end of a 5 to 0 score when rain halted the game for nearly an hour, in the fifth inning. By scoring seven runs in the seventh inning, the White Sox nosed out the Browns, 11 to 10, in the only other game played.

The first woman's Republican club in New York was organized in 1895.

**P. & H. CAFE**  
Old Metcalf Stand  
103 Main St.  
—The place for Good Eats at popular prices

**ELECTRIC IRONS**  
THEY ARE THE BEST  
We have them at very reasonable prices  
West Texas Electric Co. Guaranty State Bank Bldg

**W**  
"An Ever"  
All over the use this goods for its benefits, as well as its pleasure.  
Keeps teeth clean, breath sweet, throat soothed.

**CALCUTTA**  
**PARIS**  
**CATALINA ISLAND**

**WRIGLEY'S DOUBLEMINT CHEWING GUM**  
**WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT CHEWING GUM**  
**WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT CHEWING GUM**

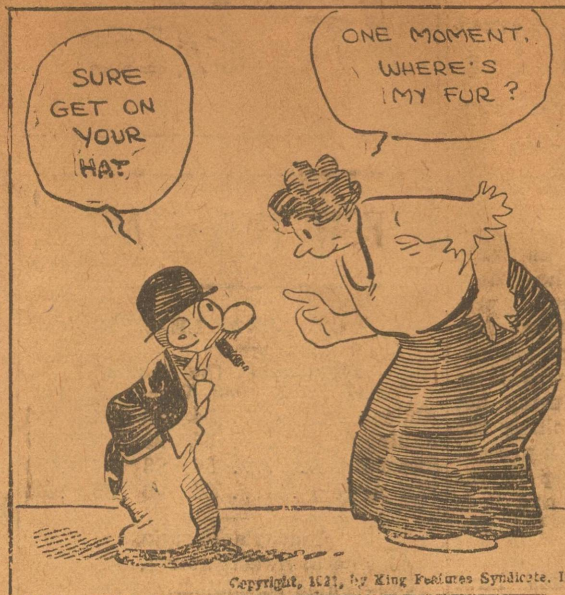
**Still 5c**  
**Sealed Tight — Kept Right**

**DON'T FORGET**  
—OUR—  
**BIG SALE STARTS TOMORROW, SEPT. 6**  
—The most wonderful bargains in Men's Clothing you have ever heard of in Ranger.  
**SIMPSON - ALEXANDER**  
CORNER MAIN AND MARSTON

**Ford**  
THE UNIVERSAL CAR  
Immediate Delivery any Model  
Cash or Terms—Terms as Low as \$35 per Month  
White, Wire or Phone  
Only Thoroughly Equipped Repair Shop in Ranger  
**LEVEILLE-MAHER MOTOR CO.**  
Authorized Ford and Fordson Dealers  
Phone 217 P. O. Box No. 4 Main and Hodges Sts.

ing as He Goes

—By Billy De Beck



FEUDIST QUILTS GUNPLAY SHANTY-BOAT'S NOTHING-TO-DO

STERSVILLE, W. Va., Sept. 5.—George Washington Hatfield, brother "Devil Anse" Hatfield, central figure in the Hatfield-McCoy feud, has deserted the gun-play, bad men and rough stuff of Pike county, Kentucky, and become a "shanty-boater" on the Ohio river. His shanty boat is moored not far from this city, at Mill Run, on the Ohio side of the river.

Hatfield is getting along in years. Mountain warfare is too strenuous a sport for a man seventy-six years old. Shanty boating is much more peaceful and a whole lot less dangerous than fighting from behind trees and rocks and occasionally out in the open.

So the other day the old feudist from Pike county, Kentucky, bade good-bye to his old Kentucky home—scenes of many joys and a lot of sorrows—and bundled a few belongings and his full-blooded squaw wife into a rickety old buggy and drove overland.

It is the first time any of the many Hatfields have forsaken the hills and taken to the water.

Like "Devil Anse," George Washington Hatfield has given up his fighting proclivities and "got religion" in his old age. But if anybody should start anything Hatfield would just as soon shoot to kill as not.

"I'm a law-abidin' citizen, religious, and don't aim to make any fuss, but when one of our blood is murdered the murderer must pay," he said. Hatfield still carries a "six gun." It's always ready for action.

Treasures Rifle and Violin. Hatfield lives for two things—his rifle and his violin. The rifle is an ancient type over one hundred years old and with it he is a good shot. He plays well on the violin those quaint, old-fashioned melodies and dance steps familiar to the back-woods counties. His wife accompanies him on the guitar.

Hatfield, like the rest of his clan, is a "hard-shell" Baptist and he daily entertains crowds of folks from the surrounding territory, telling their fortunes from the Bible.

During the civil war he fought in the Confederate army.

PROGRAM TEMPLE—Betty Compson in "At the End of the World," also Universal comedy. LIBERTY—Bryant Washburn in "A Full House," also Mutt and Jeff in "Not Wedded But a Wife," and "The Invisible Ray."

HEARS LIKE GOOD TIME SAME AS DO CHICKENS By Associated Press. DURHAM, N. H., Sept. 5.—The hen is a temperamental bird and must be kept entertained.

KU KLUXERS PARADE STREETS OF HEARNE; USE SPECIAL TRAIN By United Press. HEARNE, Texas, Sept. 5.—Three hundred robed and masked men, led by the fiery cross, and purporting to be members of the Ku Klux Klan, paraded here last night.

LIBERTY THEATRE TODAY Bryant Washburn in "A FULL HOUSE" also Mutt and Jeff in "Not Wedded But a Wife" also "The Invisible Ray"

MANHATTAN THEATRE LAST TIME TODAY A stirring story of two partners and a pretty girl

WILLIAM RUSSELL in SINGING RIVER Scenario by Jules G. Furthman Directed by Charles Giblin

FOR MORE ENERGY Build Up Your Blood When you are listless and have the don't care, it is because you lack some quality that would fill you with vim and drive.

Straw Hats Liked in Zero Land, But Naked Patagonians Spurn Clothes

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 5.—In a sheltered bay on the bleak shoreline of the Straits of Magellan members of a colony of naked Patagonians are wearing American straw hats with the temperature hovering below the freezing point, according to Captain K. A. Ahlin of the freighter West Nots.

It was when the steamer stopped recently in a bay on the north shore of the Straits of Magellan for favorable weather conditions that a colony of the naked Patagonians came to the ship in dugouts, Captain Ahlin stated. Despite the chill air and snow on the ground, he said, men, women and children hadn't a stitch of apparel on them, but didn't seem to mind the weather.

babies in the freezing atmosphere just as if they were comfortably clothed. Gifts of clothing were thrown to the natives, but these were spurned. All the visitors seemed to want was tobacco. Finally the captain and members of the crew dug up some straw hats and tossed them overboard. These were eagerly grabbed, and when the steamer left the natives headed back to shore garbed in straw hats.

Rely on Cuticura To Clear Away Skin Troubles Keep to cleanse. Ointment to soothe. Tablets to purify. See samples of Cuticura, Dept. 2, Malden, Mass.

A WEEK OF PHOTOPLAY ENTERTAINMENT DE LUXE TEMPLE 4th Annual Paramount WEEK

NOW PLAYING THE PREY OF THREE MEN WHO LOVED HER—a wandering writer, a sailor and a thief. The struggle of these three men to win her love is a melodramatic film sensation of underworld, wreck and regeneration.

BETTY COMPSON With Milton Sills, Casson Ferguson and Mitchell Lewis in "AT THE END OF THE WORLD" also Universal Comedy

BOY'S SCHOOL SUITS Half Price A higher-than usual standard of both quality and style has been set by the new season's suits for boys.

GINGHAM DRESSES For Pretty School Girls Big assortment of girls' gingham dresses in all kinds of pretty patterns for school wear.

HALF PRICE Joseph DRY GOODS CO School opens Sept. 12. Also Sunshine Comedy "SINGER MIDGETS SCANDAL"

Business Directory

- ACCOUNTANTS 417-419-421 Guaranty Bank Bldg. KARL E. JONES & CO. Audits Conducted Income Tax Reports... CHIROPRACTOR DR. L. ROBINSON Chiropractor 122 1/2 N. Austin, Metropolitan Rooms... DENTISTS A. N. HARKRIDER Dentist Guaranty State Bank Building... DOCTORS DR. L. C. G. BUCHANAN Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist... HOSPITALS RANGER GENERAL HOSPITAL Mrs. Alice L. Dailey, Supt. Open to all reputable physicians... OSTEOPATH DR. GERTRUDE STEVENS Osteopathic Physician Office 424 Guaranty Bank Bldg. Telephone 317... PAINT & WALL PAPER HUBER BROTHERS Paints, Wall Paper, Glass Free Delivery Telephone 413 530 W. Main St.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE FOR SALE—Two-room house, with sleeping porch, garage and cistern; furnished or unfurnished; or will trade for Ford. Dr. E. D. Hodges, 706 So. Hodges st., or 211 Hodges-Neal bldg.

16—AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE—New and second-hand Dodge and Buick parts less than half price. Texas Garage.

FOUND—FIRST CLASS GASOLINE for 18c a gallon. We handle: Pierce Oil Corporation Gasoline and Oils. Chaney Repair Shop, 309 Main St., Ranger Garage Bldg.

SPRINGS, gears, gas tanks, wheels, magnetos, carburetors, n'everything. Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk St., Ranger, Texas.

WHY put new parts in old cars? Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk St., Ranger, Texas.

USED CAR SALE—All makes; cash or terms. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., Phone 217, P. O. Box No. 4, Main and Hodges sts.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous CALL ON H. C. Fox at 127 So. Austin St., to sell all kinds of second-hand furniture.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture, New and Second-Hand Store, 201 N. Austin st. Phone 276.

21—LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE is hereby given that I have purchased the interest of C. E. Day in the firm of Day & Harwell and assume all contracts made by that firm. Walter Harwell.

Women climbers are particularly numerous this year in Switzerland.

Times Want Ads Pay