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SCHOOL BOARD NEEDS MONEY TO PAY TEACHERS

Income for Year Is Sufficient to Care for Needs, but Funds Now Exhausted.

School taxes are now due for this year and unless several thousand dollars is received within the next few days, it is going to be a problem to keep the schools running. C. A. Love, assessor and collector of the Ranger independent school district, declared this morning. Current expenses amounting to \$7,850 will have to be met in a week, it is explained, including the teachers' salaries, amounting to \$7,000 and the janitors' salaries, gas and water bills and other expenses, amounting to \$850.

It is estimated by the assessor and collector that a total of \$118,150 will be needed to run the schools during the coming year, including salaries for fifty-five teachers and current expenses, amounting to \$80,650 for nine months; \$10,500 due in interest on \$210,000 of school bonds; \$5,000 for the sinking fund and \$22,000 due the banks.

It is pointed out that of the outstanding school bonds on which interest is being paid, \$10,000 was carried over from prior to 1919, and \$200,000 were voted on March 1, 1920. The bond issue and the \$22,000 secured from the banks was used in constructing the Tiffin, Young and Cooper schools at a total cost of \$172,000, in the erection of temporary buildings at a cost of \$16,000; an expenditure of \$17,400 for equipment and sidewalks, \$7,500 for the tearage and furniture and in the payment of \$9,000 toward meeting deficiencies in the payroll. The high school bonds, voted by the district, have not yet been sold.

Toward raising the \$118,150 needed by the district, the sum of \$70,100 is now due in 1921 taxes under the 50-cent tax rate based on a total valuation of \$14,200,000. On a scholastic population of 2,646 in the district, \$35,721 will be forthcoming in state and county appropriations and \$3,700 is due in delinquent taxes.

Need Tax Payments. Although sufficient funds are in sight to run the district during the year, money must be forthcoming immediately in the form of taxes to meet the current expenses, it is explained. Officials state that Ranger has a splendid graded school system, conducted on the lowest school tax rate of any city in this part of the state and much lower than in many of the older cities.

EASTLAND BOY ON BICYCLE IS STRUCK BY AUTO

EASTLAND, Nov. 22.—Lloyd Hoskins, twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hoskins, is thought to have sustained internal injuries at noon today when knocked from his bicycle and run over by an automobile said to have been driven by Eugene Witt.

The accident occurred at the corner of South Seaman and Main street as Hoskins was riding home from school. The injured boy was hurried to a physician's office by bystanders and first aid administered. The extent of his injuries has not been learned.

EX-FIANCEE FAINTS UNDER BLUEBEARD'S FEROCIOUS GLANCE

VERSAILLES, Nov. 22.—Terrified by a ferocious glance from "bluebeard" Landru, Mlle. Fernidale Seglet fell fainting in a witness box at his trial today, on a charge of murdering ten of his 285 sweethearts. Mlle. Seglet was one of the fiancées who escaped after it is alleged "bluebeard" plotted her death.

TWELVE CHILDREN DIE IN GERMAN PLAYHOUSE FIRE

HAMBURG, Germany, Nov. 22.—Twelve children lost their lives in a fire which swept a playhouse here yesterday. Thirty others were badly burned and injured.

Young Dallas Girl Dies Mysteriously

Unconscious From Burns in Mouth and Throat After "Visiting Neighbors."

DALLAS, Nov. 22.—Authorities were investigating the mysterious death of pretty Auda Odell Snow, 17, at the city hospital early today. The girl was taken to the hospital Sunday night suffering from burns in the mouth and throat and bleeding internally, according to physicians. Although during one of her periods of consciousness the girl promised to tell the circumstances which led to her condition, she was unable to do so.

Auda, in periods of semi-consciousness, declared that she had been visiting neighbors for two days, and that she wished she could give a "certain party the same thing she got."

Two men are being sought in connection with the affair.

KENNEDY CASE NOW ON TRIAL AT LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 22.—Arthur C. Burch today went on trial for the alleged midnight murder of John Belton Kennedy, who was shot as he walked up the lonely steps of his Beverly Glen home with Madalynne Oberchain, a beautiful divorcee. "I am ready for trial," Burch declared shortly before he was to go into court. "I will face Judge Reeve with the consciousness that God is with me."

Burch chatted with his father, the Rev. William A. Burch, who has arrived here from Evanston, Ill., to assist his son in his fight for life. Reverend Burch declared he had "new evidence" in the case, which will be introduced. He will sit beside his son throughout the trial.

PROHIBITION DRIVES ON IN TWO WETTEST STATES

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Prohibition drives in two of the so-called "wet" states were started by Commissioner Haynes today.

Carl A. Gregory of Lovington, Ill., was appointed to head the field service in Illinois and make a drive to clean up the state.

Green Miller of Louisville, Ky., assistant to Special Agent Yellowley in New York, was assigned the difficult task of cleaning up New Jersey. Miller will be sent out from Newark today.

CITY MANAGER LANDER WILL LEAVE EASTLAND

EASTLAND, Nov. 22.—Walter Lander, city manager of Eastland, will tender his resignation immediately following the special city election to be held here Saturday to fill two vacancies in the city commission, he announced today.

The city manager stated that he planned to have his resignation become effective at the end of this month, in order that he might devote himself to his private interests near Yoakum.

AMERICAN IS KILLED IN BOMBAY RIOTING

BOMBAY, Nov. 22.—Bombay was quiet today after several days of rioting, in which thirty-six were killed. An American engineer, Francis W. Dougherty, was listed among the dead.

The Prince of Wales has made several changes in the schedule of his tour owing to the disturbances.

LIQUOR HIDDEN IN ALAMO. SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 22.—The Alamo was used as a booze cache Sunday night by a youth fleeing from officers. When arrested later by Capt. Charles Stevens, federal prohibition agent, the young man told of hiding the liquor behind a window in the Alamo. Investigation resulted in the finding of a bottle of tequila there.

The youth, who hailed from New Orleans, said he had never heard of the Alamo before and thought the place was only a park.

CABARET GIRL TELLS OF FATAL FRISCO 'PARTY'

Aged Night Watchman Says Fatty Offered to Buy Key to Miss Rappe's Room.

By M. D. TRACY, United Press Staff Correspondent. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 22.—The big guns of Fatty Arbuckle's "million-dollar legal battery" were ranged today upon Alice Blake, San Francisco cafe favorite.

Miss Blake, a young and pretty dancer, was called to testify concerning the liquor party in Arbuckle's rooms in the hotel St. Francis last Labor day, during which Virginia Rappe received fatal injuries. Miss Blake was one of the girls at the party. She faced Arbuckle and his attorneys today without a tremor.

The court room was packed with people, eager to hear from the lips of the cabaret girl what occurred during the alleged orgy—how Fatty gambled in a bath robe and a woman's hat, how one of the women danced in the pajamas of Lowell Sherman, movie actor, and how Arbuckle and Miss Rappe went into a bedroom alone, whence the woman was carried later to her deathbed.

Fatty Registers. Fatty looked a bit drawn when the court convened today. As proceedings got under way he became engrossed in the fights his attorneys were waging for his liberty. He registered movie emotion in rapid succession. Various expressions flitted across his face. They ranged from the familiar screen smile—the fatuous grin—to a lugubrious, mournful look, so sad that it would not be surprising to see big tears roll down his cheeks. Fatty, by the way is still fat, despite his worries.

Charges that Roscoe Arbuckle attempted to secure the keys to Miss Rappe's dressing room at Culver City, Cal., movie studio, were revived at today's session of Arbuckle's trial for alleged manslaughter, as a result of Miss Rappe's death.

Watchman Chief Witness. Oscar Norgaard, aged watchman at the studio, was the chief witness. He opened his testimony at a late session last night, after Miss Alice Blake had given brief evidence regarding the details of Arbuckle's fatal Labor day "party," which preceded Miss Rappe's death. His testimony was that Fatty, in August, 1919, offered him \$50 for a key to Miss Rappe's room at the Culver City studio.

Miss Blake was recalled to the stand today, while Miss Zey Prevost, who was the chief witness yesterday, has been released as a state witness, and summoned by the defense, to testify in Arbuckle's behalf.

Assurances from authorities of Madera county, Cal., have been received that prosecution of Mrs. Bambina Delmont, complaining witness against Arbuckle, will not be pressed in such a manner as to hamper the Arbuckle prosecution. A warrant for her arrest, charging bigamy, was issued several days ago at Madera, but has not been served.

COURT ASTONISHED WHEN DEMANDS JURY FOR "DRUNK" TRIAL

DALLAS, Nov. 22.—For the first time in the memory of veteran court officials, a man faced a jury on a charge of drunkenness here today. W. C. Hensley, Oak Cliff grocer, arrested Sunday night, sprung a surprise when he demanded a jury trial when his case was called today. Hensley made it two surprises when he elected to defend himself. It took the jury just ten minutes to return a verdict of "not guilty."

STEPHENVILLE YOUTH DIES AT DALLAS SCHOOL

DALLAS, Nov. 22.—Gordon Laney, 20, business college student, was found dead in his room here last night. Detectives who investigated the death, said they found a bottle which had contained acid on a table near the body. Laney's home was at Stephenville.

IN CHARLIE'S CLASS

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Slapstick pie throwing was testified to in court here today when Mrs. Rose Rocklin asked a divorce from her husband, Abraham Rocklin. She related one incident in court. "I had just finished baking and did not want to put the custard pie in the ice box, so I placed it on the window sill. Abe came home and saw the pie. He complained because it was on the window sill. When I couldn't move it, he picked it up and threw it at me. "He never missed me in his life when he threw a pie."

MEXICO LIFTS IMPORT TAX ON FARM ANIMALS

GALVESTON, Nov. 22.—The import tax on cattle, sheep and work horses sent from Texas to Mexico has been removed, and will cease to be effective immediately, according to word received by G. Meade Fierro, local Mexican consul. The tax was removed to encourage the importation of more animals into Mexico, Fierro said. This action will enable Texas cattlemen to take advantage of the better market conditions in Mexico, it is believed.

MEXICAN BANDITS HOLD FOUR AMERICANS CAPTIVE TWO HOURS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Four Americans, two of them women, were kidnapped and held captive for two hours last night by Mexican bandits in the state of Chihuahua, the American consul at Mexico City reported to the state department today.

The Americans are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Butts, Willard Benham, a mining engineer, and Miss Mary Long, daughter of a former American consul at Parral. The four were traveling along the Santa Eulalia road when the bandits took them prisoners. No explanation was given them on their release.

Shortly after the Americans had been released by the bandits, Oscar Trevino, Mexican mine owner, was captured by the bandits, and later released by them on the payment of \$5,000 ransom.

Reports from Lower California are that the revolt there, which has been in progress for the last two weeks, was virtually at an end.

MINE CAVE-IN WRECKS PA. PASSENGER TRAIN

SCRANTON, Pa., Nov. 22.—One woman was slightly injured and 50 persons had narrow escapes today when a two-car train on the Lackawanna & Wyoming Valley railroad partially swallowed in a mine cave at Inkerman near here.

The first car passed over the gulf under the tracks but the second sank several feet into the hole.

CONFERENCE TO PROBE CHINESE FINANCES

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—An investigation of Chinese finances was started today by the arms limitation conference. The east committee, at the Pan-American Union building, adopted a resolution offered by Senator Underwood and the American delegation, providing for the appointment of a sub committee to make a study of the customs of China.

BLIZZARD ON WAY

WICHITA FALLS, Nov. 22.—A blizzard is reported sweeping south through Oklahoma and is expected to reach here this afternoon. A railroad dispatcher reported that within two hours the temperature dropped to 14 degrees above zero at Forgan, Okla.

MISSOURI RECEIVER TO ADMINISTER REFINERY

Judge Wilson Rules That Kansas City Is Principal Place of Business.

Unless an appeal is taken in the next thirty days, the Texas receivers will be ousted from management of the Ranger Refining & Pipe Line company and the Missouri receivers installed, under a decision handed down yesterday by Federal Judge Wilson at Abilene, holding that jurisdiction in the matter of bankruptcy proceedings against the company lay in the United States court for the Eastern district of Missouri. The petitioners before the Texas court have thirty days to file an appeal, either in the United States circuit court of appeals or in the United States supreme court. Notice of such an appeal, however, must be given in the next few days.

The effect of a change of management could not be stated this morning by Marks & Flaherty, attorneys for the Missouri court creditors, the attorneys stating that the Missouri receivers might pursue the same plans of the Texas receivers and attempt to operate the property or might dispose of it at their discretion, or the discretion of the Missouri federal court.

If an appeal is not taken, W. D. Girard of Abilene, and W. H. Stewart of Fort Worth, whose attempts to operate the property have been hampered by court action, will be succeeded by W. D. Kuhn and Karl C. Crowley of Kansas City, as receivers. Under Judge Wilson's decision the principal place of business of the company is in Missouri and the jurisdiction in the bankruptcy proceedings lies in the federal court for the Eastern district of Missouri, all subsequent proceedings will be had in the latter court.

Started Last April. The creditors' litigation in the bankruptcy proceedings against the Ranger Refining & Pipe Line company started last April, when a group of Texas creditors filed an involuntary petition in bankruptcy against the company in the federal court of the Northern district of Texas at Abilene. Two days later another group of Texas creditors filed a similar petition in the Missouri federal court. The latter court thereupon appointed two receivers and a few days later the Texas federal court appointed two receivers.

The point of issue was a question of jurisdiction between the two courts, depending on where the principal place of business of the company was established. Since the petition was first filed in the Texas court, Judge Wilson had the right to take the initiative in determining the question. He referred it to William J. Berne, Fort Worth attorney, as a special master. After taking testimony in Kansas City, Ranger and Fort Worth, Special Master Berne decided last August that the principal place of business of the company was in Texas and that the Texas court had jurisdiction.

Argued in September. Exceptions were filed at Abilene by the petitioning creditors of the Missouri court and arguments and briefs presented before Judge Wilson on Sept. 10. News of Judge Wilson's decision was received here this morning by the attorneys.

In the litigation the petitioning creditors in the Missouri court were represented by the firms of Marks & Flaherty of Ranger, and Ringolsky & Friedman of Kansas City. The petitioners in the Texas court were represented by Etheridge, McCormick & Bromberg of Dallas, and Rawlings, Powell & Stewart of Fort Worth.

FRENCH HAIL BRIAND'S SPEECH WITH PLEASURE

PARIS, Nov. 22.—"France Speaks Through the Mouth of Briand," is the almost universal caption in Paris morning newspapers over the account of the premier's speech yesterday before the arms conference in Washington.

The caption embodies the sense of satisfaction with which the speech is hailed here and comprises almost the only comment, as the cabled text arrived here so late as to preclude extended discussion.

The only exception to the favorable tone is taken by the Communist organ L'Humanite, which used the heading, "Briand Defends French Militarism."

"Briand pleaded for France before the conference; he pleaded well and won his case," says the Figaro.

CREDITORS TO GET 10 PER CENT BY DECEMBER 20

Receiver's Certificates Will Be Necessary to Obtain Checks; \$140,000 to Be Released.

The comptroller of the currency has declared a 10 per cent dividend in favor of the creditors of the First National bank and checks will be received here from Washington by Dec. 20, E. B. Cushing, receiver, announced this morning. The schedule of proven claims against the bank will be forwarded to Washington in a few days and the checks sent here as soon as it is verified, Cushing stated. In this manner a total of \$140,000, realized so far on the bank's assets, will be split among the creditors. Checks will be turned over to claimants only on presentation of the receiver's certificates, issued to them when proof of claim was filed. In cases where receiver's certificates have been lost, duplicates can only be issued after considerable delay and expense to the creditor.

The receiver's announcement follows:

"The comptroller of the currency authorizes the announcement that a dividend of 10 per cent has been declared for the benefit of the creditors of the First National Bank of Ranger. The schedule of proven claims will be forwarded to Washington within a few days. When these are verified, a check, drawn on the treasurer of the United States, in favor of each claimant will be signed by the comptroller. These checks will be sent to the receiver for distribution. It is not known what time will be required for verification of schedule and signing of checks at Washington but it is hoped that the checks will be available for distribution by the 20th of December. As soon as these checks arrive in Ranger notice will be given through the Ranger Times. Creditors may rely on this and save themselves unnecessary trouble of making inquiry meantime.

Present Receiver's Certificate.

"When announcement is made that checks are ready for distribution, claimants will call for same at the bank. It will be necessary to present receiver's certificates before a check will be delivered as regulations require that the dividend be noted on reverse side thereof. A copy of this announcement was mailed to each holder of a proven claim of loss address we have and who does not reside in Eastland county, in order that they may send their receiver's certificates and receive their checks when ready. It should be borne in mind that these certificates are valuable and, if lost, duplicates intended for the protection of the creditors, which will cause them delay and expense. It is therefore recommended that the certificate be deposited by claimant in his local bank to be sent for collection through a bank at Ranger. This insures proper identification and safe carriage. At present the Peoples State bank is the only one doing business in Ranger. If creditors so desire, certificates may be sent by express (charges prepaid in both directions) or by registered United States mail. In the latter case twelve cents in postage stamps should be pinned (not glued) to the certificate to cover return postage and registration. By following these simple suggestions the expense and delay of unnecessary correspondence will be avoided.

"On account of time for claims having expired and to expedite the completion of schedules, the bank will not be open tomorrow."

EASTLAND INFANT IS CRUSHED UNDER CASING

EASTLAND, Nov. 22.—George, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Marsh of this city, was crushed to death Monday while playing in the back yard of the home when a joint of heavy oil well casing fell upon him. The casing in some way became dislodged from a stack of piping.

TIRES OF SCHOOL; SETS BUILDING AFIRE

AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—A mysterious fire, which did slight damage to the Woolbridge public school, was explained today by the confession of a student, 11 years old, who told the police that he was tired of going to school and set fire to the building. He was also miffed because the teacher kept him in after school.

METER IS TRAITOR

HOUSTON, Nov. 22.—A tell-tale gas bill of \$43 led to the capture of what officers say is the largest private distilling plant ever seized in Houston. A man arrested for possessing liquor gave the name of the person he had bought it from, but the second man refused to give his address. Officers then studied the gas company records for large bills from small houses and located the still.

BROTHER TAKES BRESLIN'S BODY TO NEBRASKA

The body of J. T. Breslin, aged 34, who was found dead in bed at the National Supply company rooms Saturday morning, was sent to his former home in New Castle, Neb., last night, by the Milford Undertaking company. The body was accompanied by J. F. Breslin, a brother, who arrived in Ranger yesterday afternoon. Funeral services and burial will be held in New Castle on Thursday.

J. T. Breslin was the youngest of ten children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Breslin, who came to this country early in life from Ireland. He is survived by his parents, five brothers, Mayor J. F. Breslin and C. E. Breslin of New Castle, W. R. Breslin of Ponca, Neb.; J. P. and A. G. Breslin of North Dakota, and by five sisters, Mrs. J. A. Edward of Sioux City, Iowa; Mrs. George Beck of Neb.; Mrs. H. S. Jackson of Colorado Springs and Mrs. Dan Delaney of South Sioux City, Neb.

Breslin had been a resident of Ranger for the last three years and at the time of his death was in charge of the local salesroom of the National Supply company. He was a member of the Elks and well known throughout the oil fields.

INJUNCTION PROHIBITS COAL MINER'S ARREST

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 22.—A writ prohibiting Logan county authorities from arresting Frank Keeney, president of District 17, United Mine Workers of America, and Fred Mooney, secretary, was granted by the state supreme court here today. The question of jurisdiction of the Logan county court was raised by the miners' officials, who claimed they could not be taken to Logan for trial while charges were pending against them at Charleston. They are accused of murder in connection with the miners' march last summer.

ANOTHER MYSTERIOUS DEATH IN MOVIE CIRCLES

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 22.—Authorities plan to investigate the death of Countess Du Cella, 45 years old, a film, actress, who was found dead in her apartment Sunday night. The investigation, it was stated, would be based upon empty phials said to have been found near the body. The countess was the wife of H. C. Bunting of Buffalo, N. Y.

DIDN'T LIKE CLOTHES.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 22.—The old "rah rah boy" clothes didn't suit the fiancée of William C. Swift. But his wife insisted that he should be "garbed as a jellybean." When he purchased clothes suitable to his years Mrs. Swift altered them so as to make him look ridiculous, he declared. So Mr. Swift has petitioned for a divorce.

HAD ANOTHER PAYDAY.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 22.—Fifteen hundred cotton screwmen remained away from the docks here today after having gone on strike yesterday, in protest of wage rates. Longshoremen were at the docks as usual, but it was believed they too would strike if asked to do the screwmen's work or if strike breakers are hired. Cotton loading was practically at a standstill with no immediate relief in sight.

BULLETS AGAIN SING THROUGH IRISH STREETS

By United Press
BELFAST, Nov. 22.—A virtual reign of terror gripped Belfast today as the Ulster government assumed the powers of home rule. Mobs attacked pedestrians, bullets whistled down half-deserted streets, and armored lorries laden with heavy machine guns scurried about the districts where gangsters were fighting revolver battles. Hidden on house tops and barricaded in doorways, snipers fired into the streets. In York street one man was killed and an old man died of shock while several were seriously injured. Belfast was never so lawless, a correspondent of the Evening News wired his paper in London.

JUDGES HAVE HARD JOB PICKING TURKEY WINNERS

Judges in the Boston store's turkey contest had a hard time yesterday in sifting out the best contributions. Never was there a store with such an excellent assortment of goods, such courteous clerks or such low prices, if the letters are to be believed. There were seventy-odd in both classes to be gone through and compared and several hours were spent at the task. Originality of argument and clean-cut presentation were the deciding factors in the letters chosen as prize winners. All letters were identified by number, and the judges were at no time aware of the identity of the persons submitting them. C. D. Woods, J. E. T. Peters and H. E. Bozeman, made the awards.

DENTIST ARRESTED FOR STEALING GOLD FROM PATRONS' TEETH

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Gold teeth are increasing in central Europe, the people evidently believing the mouth to be the safest place for what little gold they have left, but a young man who recently opened a cut-rate dental office in Temesvar, Hungary, has been arrested for extracting gold weighing more than a pound from his patients' teeth, says the Lancet, English medical journal. His method was to remove the gold, after telling the patient it was badly fitting, take a wax mold for the replacement work and then instruct his victim to return in two weeks. Before the fortnight was up he had disappeared.

CHICAGO SUSPECT KILLS SELF IN AMARILLO JAIL

By Associated Press
AMARILLO, Nov. 22.—Charles Henzle, aged about 40, held on a charge of burglary, committed suicide in the county jail last night by hanging himself with a cord from a window weight. Henzle has been in prison about a month, following the burglary of a local drug store. He was to have been tried this week. Officers say his home was in Chicago.

WACO WOMAN SHOT TO DEATH BY HUSBAND

GULFPÖRT, Miss., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Thomas Price, prominent society woman of Waco, Texas, is near death in a hospital here, after being shot five times by her husband as she stepped from a train last night. Price is being held without bail, pending the outcome of his wife's injuries. Jealousy is said to have caused the shooting.

ITALY DOES NOT FEAR EUROPEAN NEIGHBORS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Italy does not fear any of her European neighbors and her sole desire is to have the feelings aroused by the war subside and give way to the spirit of peace, an official spokesman for the Italian delegation today, following expressions to the same effect by Senator Schanzer in his speech of yesterday.

RED CATS IN LIBERIA.

Most of the cats in Liberia are of a bright red tint and they are very conspicuous in the moonlight.—Argonaut.

Many Admirers Purchase Firemen's Burro—Then Take Second Thought

The fire department burro changed hands several times, the "unwon" rodeo prizes finally found homes and some forty persons bid in a varied assortment of merchandise at the Retail Merchants' association auction last night—which all went toward increasing the Thanksgiving dinner fund. The corner of Main and Austin streets was blocked for some time while Raymond Teal in the role of auctioneer called upon the town to

CARROLL TAKES O'NEILL'S PLACE WITH HAMON LINE

F. L. Carroll, chief dispatcher of the Hamon line, has been named superintendent of the road succeeding J. J. O'Neill, whose resignation, submitted some time ago, was to be accepted as soon as possible. Mr. O'Neill has not announced his plans. Mr. Carroll has been with the Hamon line for many months, coming here from the Cotton Belt, and his promotion comes because of efficient service, General Manager McCarty announced last night. W. E. Livingston, formerly of the Frisco, will succeed Mr. Carroll as chief dispatcher, and Donald Koontz, who recently became chief clerk to the general manager, will move their families here at once.

STRUPPER IS PROMOTED.

J. F. Strupper, who from the beginning of its operation until the 15th of this month was general freight and passenger agent of the Hamon line, was agreeably surprised on returning to the Frisco at Fort Worth, he says in a letter to J. H. Fraser. Mr. Strupper on his return to his old line stepped in as assistant general freight agent, he says.

COULDN'T MAKE TEAM, SCHOOLBOY HANGS SELF

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—"Suicide while temporarily insane," was the verdict returned today by a coroner's jury in the death of Charles Willson, 18 years old, who was found hanging in his home by his mother. Willson, it is said, was despondent over his failure to become a member of the Englewood High school football team. Mental derangement also is blamed for the fact that he had attired himself in his sister's silk underwear and a waist before he killed himself.

BRIDGE REPAIRED

Repairs on the bridge between the Sinclair camp and the Caddo road were completed at noon, City Engineer M. H. Redwood announced today. The bridge had been out of repair for some time before its state was called to the attention of the city authorities. A gang of workmen were put on the job several days ago and the repairs were rushed to completion.

SINGLE MAN SHOT.

By Associated Press
AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—Mystery surrounds the shooting to death of Jack Maddox, 40 years old, single, whose body, pierced by two bullets from a high powered rifle, was found last night in the home of Jack Wheeler, 35 and married, near Oak Hill, nine miles west of Austin. Following the tragedy Wheeler with his wife was found at the home of his father. He was arrested and jailed and refused to make a statement.

ADVERTISING DEVICE ADOPTED

BALLINGER, Nov. 22.—The Young Men's Business league of Ballinger has adopted a unique community advertising device in the form of metal auto pennants bearing the name of Ballinger, to be attached to the license numbers of all automobiles owned in and near this city. The device is quite popular in the East, but has not been used previously in Texas cities.

WOULD DISARM PARKS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—A proposal to "disarm" parks in American cities by removing ornamental cannon was made to the American Civic association by J. Horace McFarland, its president, in his annual address. His suggestion was offered, however not as an aid to the Washington conference for limitation of armament, but on the ground that "out-worn or captured guns add nothing to the beauty of public places."

MAN FORCED TO LOOK ON WHILE FOUR BLOW A SAFE

MUNCIE, Ind., Nov. 22.—George Banning, merchant in the village of Oakville, ten miles south of here, today was compelled to stand with his hands above his head while four robbers with an acetylene torch burned the door of the vault in the Farmers' State bank. Three thousand dollars in Liberty Bonds and a small amount of cash were obtained.

KNEW HIM.

"I promised to make a call to-night," said her husband as he started off. "Very well, dear," said his wife. "But don't call unless you have the cards."—Boston Transcript.

NOTED OPERA SINGER AND WIDOW OF FINANCIER DIE

By Associated Press
COPENHAGEN, Nov. 22.—Christine Nilsson, the noted opera soprano, died here this morning.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 22.—Mrs. James J. Hill, widow of the president of the Northern Pacific, died at her home this morning following a long illness.

INDIANS CANNOT BRING SUIT FOR TEXAS LANDS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The supreme court Monday denied the application of the Texas Cherokee Indians for permission to file an original bill against the state of Texas to recover the value of one and a

half million acres of land in East Texas, and damages from the state of Texas, for being dispossessed from the property shortly after Texas won its independence from Mexico. Refusal of the court to grant the permission to file the suit was based upon the case of the Cherokee Nation against the state of Georgia, decided by the supreme court at its January term in 1831.

SHRINE CLUB SMOKER.

The Shrine Club smoker to be given by the Shrine Club, Wednesday evening, will honor the new members who took the degree in Fort Worth last week. A Mexican supper will be an additional feature of the evening. All Shriners are urged to be present and to bring another shriner. If the new Shriners don't come, the patrol will call for them.

UNIVERSITY WOMEN TALK DRESS REFORM

By Associated Press
CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—The Federation of University Women of the University of Chicago will meet today in an attempt to decide on a uniform costume to be worn by all women attending the university. The agitation for a single kind of dress for campus attire followed a complaint by freshman girls that some of the women of the university have been too ornate in their costumes.

KING'S RESIGNATION "IN."

AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—Receipt of the resignation of C. E. King, as superintendent of the state juvenile training school, was announced today by the board of control. While the board had already agreed to accept

the resignation, official action is not to be taken until Monday. According to Chairman F. B. Cowell, the selection of a successor will not be made for some time as the resignation is not effective until sixty days. Over twenty applications have been filed with the board.

TWO DAYS REQUIRED TO SIGN BOND ISSUE

By Associated Press
AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—Registration of an issue of a \$4,500,000 worth of bonds of the Wichita water improvement district No. 1, for furnishing the city of Wichita Falls is in progress at the comptroller's department, it being the largest bond issue ever presented to that department. There are 4,500 bonds and each must be signed with pen and ink by Comptroller Lon A. Smith. It will require two days to complete the signing of the bonds.

FOUR-YEAR-OLD BOY DIES IN BURNING BARN

McKINNEY, Texas, Nov. 22.—Four-year-old William Warren Botsford died last night from burns received when he was trapped in his father's barn, which was consumed by fire Sunday at Roland. B. H. Botsford, the father, finally rescued the youngster after Mrs. Botsford had been severely burned in a futile attempt to get her son to safety. The little fellow and his older brother were gathering eggs in the loft when they discovered the fire, and the latter jumped to the ground, William, however, fell into the burning crib below.

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TO USE BIBLE STORIES FOR MOVIE PLAYS

New Company Expects to Make Popularity of Bible More Universal.

By CHARLES E. HUGHES, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 22.—The popularity of the Bible as a literary masterpiece is expected to be greatly increased as a result of the production of Biblical photo plays by a company soon to be formed here.

Frederic Vroom, former Shakespearean player and for the last eight years a photo-play actor, with more than 800 appearances in presentations of the largest concerns to his credit, is to be director-general of the new enterprise.

"It is the expectation of the backers of the new project that the popularity of the Bible will become more universal through the depiction in films of some of the many great stories that it contains," said Mr. Vroom. "At first the Biblical subjects will be limited to two reels, but later longer films will be made.

"There are 175,000 churches of all denominations in the United States, and if only a comparatively small fraction of them exhibit films to their congregations it can be seen what a stupendous moral appeal can be made to the American public.

"It is the intention of the new company to make their subjects strictly undenominational, so that they can be shown in any church without objections from any member. No expense will be spared in making the films as attractive as possible. At the same time great care will be exercised in making the productions conform to the text of the Bible.

"It will be a strict rule of the company that everyone connected with it in any way must be a Christian of good character. This will apply also to the actors and every member of the producing staff.

"While the film subjects will be expected to appeal primarily to churches they will also be available for presentation in such of the higher class theatres as desire to portray them. An investigation has shown that many theatres will exhibit them.

"It is my impression that the Biblical films will do much to elevate the motion picture industry as a whole. When producers find that these historical narratives make a winning appeal to a large percentage of the public they will change the tone of the offerings they are now making."

Mr. Vroom won distinction with his appearances with Edwin Booth and Lawrence Barrett from 1886 to 1891. He became affiliated with the film industry about ten years ago as a director, but later became an actor. He has appeared with practically all of the leading film stars. At the present time he is engaged at the local Paramount studios.

BROTHERS MAY FIGHT FOR BOXING CROWN

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 22.—Brother against brother. That's what Columbus boxing fans believe will come to pass in the near future. The two fighting O'Dowds, Phil and Eddie, are both hot on the trail of Johnny Buff, who holds both the flyweight and bantamweight championship of the world. Phil O'Dowd is a bantamweight. Eddie is a flyweight.

Eddie boxed Buff recently and showed him enough boxing gloves to get the newspaper decision over the champion, although the judges ruled otherwise. Phil broke into the spotlight by facing Joe Lynch.

If Phil wins over the champion, he will cop only the bantamweight title, because he fights only at bantam weight—118 or 120 pounds.

Eddie is a legitimate flyweight, although he occasionally accepts a bantamweight match. If Eddie wins over Buff, he can claim both crowns, for he can fight at any weight Buff prescribes. No matter which O'Dowd boy fights Buff, if he wins, his brother will be the logical contender for the first match.

KENTUCKIAN BECOMES 'PAPA' TO LIFELONG PAL

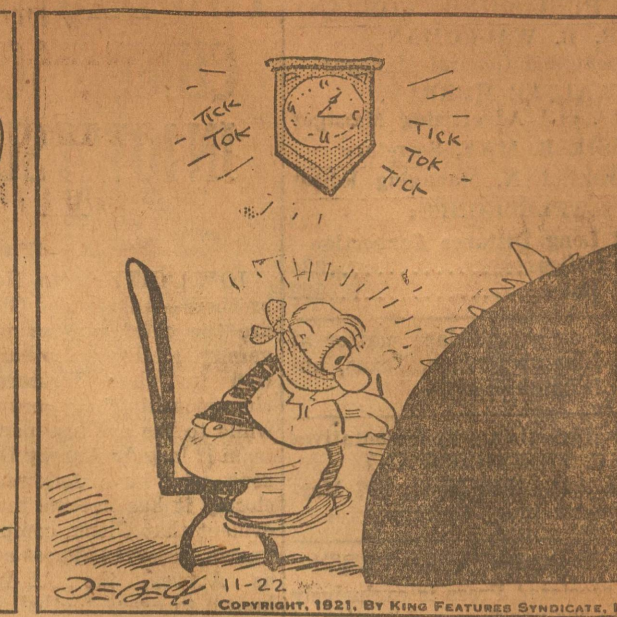
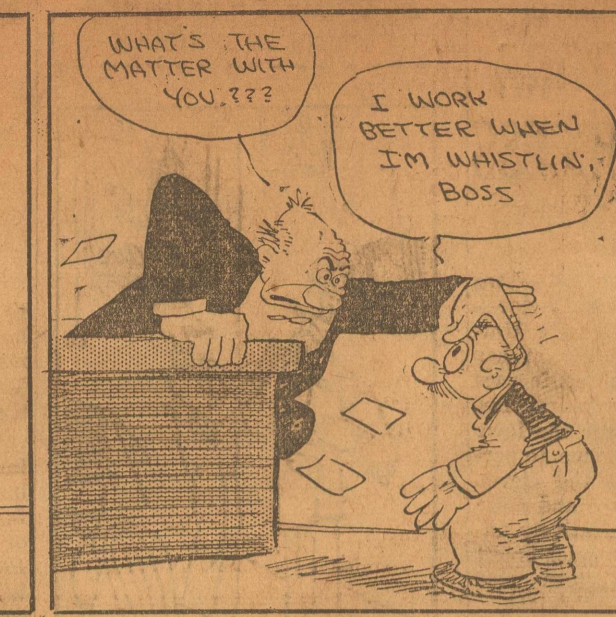
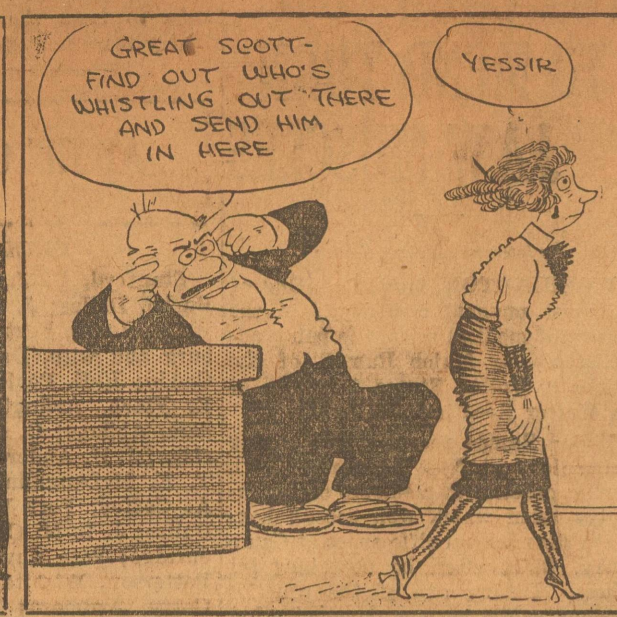
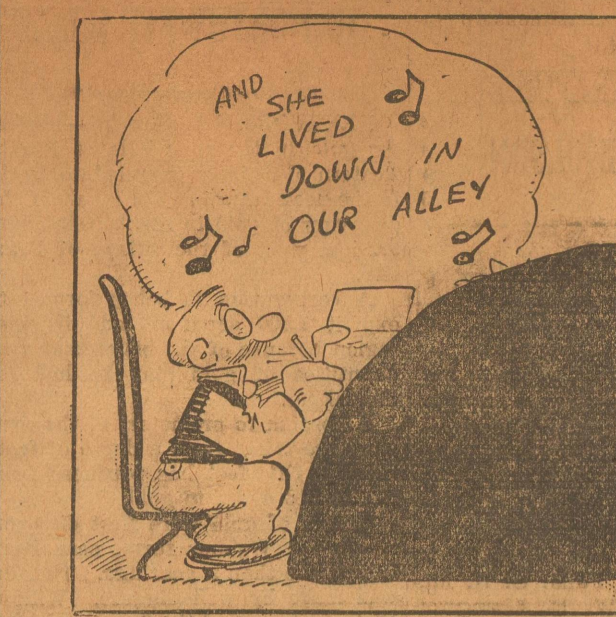
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 22.—By a simple marriage ceremony performed here today Otis Spurling, 22 years old, became the stepfather of his lifelong friend and chum, James Mason, who is one year his senior.

Mason, by the same ceremony, became a benedict, having married Miss Vernon Skaggs. All the parties live in Sheppardsville.

Spurling married Mrs. Ethel McDaniel, mother of Mason. It was Mrs. McDaniel's third marriage.

She gave her age as 35. According to these figures, she was 12 years old when Mason was born.

Trouble Was, the Boss Couldn't Work



—By Billy De Beck

WHEN PAPA COMES HOME DRUNK, MAMMA SHOULD TAKE HIS PICTURE

FLYER BEHEADS AGED SPANIARD AT BARCELONA

LONDON, Nov. 22.—How a British airman neatly beheaded a Spaniard and was excused by the local mayor because "he was an old man, anyway," is told by the London Evening News on the strength of information received at the Croydon air station.

This pilot was one of many British airmen who make a specialty of taking up Spaniards for joy rides in and around Madrid and Barcelona. Occasionally, however, the excitement is too much for the Spaniards and, in their enthusiasm, they crowd on to the aerodrome, running toward the spot where they think the machine will land.

On this occasion the pilot made three attempts to alight, but each time the crowd spread over the ground, making landing impossible.

Finally, determined to get down to earth somehow, he flew low over the crowd, scattering them beneath him, and managed to find sufficient space whereon to put down his plane.

Just as he was landing he felt a slight bump, and after his machine had come to a standstill turned round to find that the under-carriage had struck one of the spectators, taking off his head with mathematical exactitude.

The crowd immediately became hostile and the pilot ran hard to the house of the mayor of the district. Entering breathlessly he told his story, and was closely followed by some of the crowd who related their version of the affair.

After hearing all sides the mayor turned to the pilot and assured him that everything would be all right.

"He was an old man," said the mayor, "and would have died very soon, in any case."

BRITISHER THINKS AMERICA WILL STAY DRY AND PROSPER

BY CARL A. BEALS (United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Sir Arthur Newsholme, formerly member of the ministry of health, discussing prohibition in America on his return here after a two years' visit to the United States, hammered another nail into the lid of the "medicine chest."

"The American public," he said, "will endorse the action already taken, and will insist on its continuance and extension, and prohibition, in my view, will remain in operation as the law of the land."

Sir Arthur views the question from the standpoint of the persons made to suffer in consequence of other persons' drinking.

"Liberation of the many from unfair conditions rather than personal liberty, which might easily become license, is," he says, "the present social desideratum. The case for compulsion, and it is a good one, is that moral suasion acts slowly on minorities and meanwhile multitudes of innocent persons continue to suffer, and the community suffers in pocket and in efficiency."

LAW CAN'T TRY MAN WHO CARVED NAME ON WOMAN'S BREAST

PARIS, Ill., Nov. 22.—Glen Forsman, arrested some months ago on a charge of carving his initials on the breast of Mrs. Bessie Rogers Person, will not be tried on that charge.

Lawyers claim they cannot find a law to cover the act and say they will permit the quashing of that indictment. Forsman is out on \$15,000 bond on seven indictments charging kidnaping, adultery and others. The case will come up early in December.

NEVER ILL BEFORE, BROTHERS DROP DEAD

JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 22.—Albert and Andrew Young, brothers, 58 and 60 years old, respectively, had never been ill a day in their lives.

Monday, while feeding the chickens, Andrew fell dead of heart failure.

The shock was too much for Albert, who died five minutes later.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—"Mamma should take a picture of papa when he comes home drunk and hang it in a conspicuous place where he can see it when he wakes up with a parched tongue and a headache in the morning."

"This was the advice given by Magistrate Mortimer Brown after he had listened to six cases of husbands abusing their wives while intoxicated. "Young girls marry drunks to reform them, but you can't reform a rummy," the magistrate said. "Take a picture of him when he's drunk, and when he sees how rotten he looks maybe he will stop for a while."

RUTH DRAWING FINE CROWDS ON BROADWAY

By LEO T. HEATLEY, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Shades of Edwin Booth!

Babe Ruth, Sultan of Swat, is an actor.

Or rather—well, he has signed up with a vaudeville circuit to do a song and dance with Wellington Cross, a real actor, and Broadway got its first dose at the Palace theatre.

Cross, the actor in the act, says to the Babe: "Can you dance or sing?" and the Babe answers, "No." Then Cross says, "That's good; you surely belong in vaudeville." (See Joe Miller's Joke Book, p. 132.) And the audience laughed. Then Cross says, "Tell me, Babe, what made you think you could act?" And again the audience laughed. Showing how far Broadway is removed from Main street, Gopher Prairie.

The Babe was all rouged up, and he had a voice like Ringling's steam calliope in action. And graceful? Say!

Wears Yank Uniform.

The great swatter appears on the stage in an honest-to-goodness Yankee uniform, carrying bats, baseballs, golf clubs and a suit case under his arm. He accidentally drops a bat on Wellington Cross' toe. The comedy begins. There is a bulge in the Babe's paw that looks suspiciously like a chew, and he looks so frequently at the back drop curtain they are forced to conclude that he'd like to expectorate. But this isn't in the act.

Then, there are a lot of jokes, thick and fast. We won't give them away, but if you'll look up the files of Life and Judge and Punch for 1905 you'll get a good line on the vintage.

The Babe goes through the act of knocking a home run. His partner asks: "Is that all?" and the Babe adds, as an afterthought: "Well, ya gotta keep your eye on the ball." Then Cross comes back: "What was the matter with your eye the day Art Neff was pitching?"

By and by the two of them come down to the footlights and sit down. Cross proposes that they sing. Were you ever out in the Great Alone when the moon was awful clear? Did you ever hear a coyote cry when the night was dark and drear? Then you've a hunch what the singing was. The song is about "Little by Little and Bit by Bit." You watch the Babe while he's singing, and you just know he'd like to get his hands on the guy that wrote that song.

Babe a Mind Reader.

Then Babe becomes a mind reader, blindfolded. He sits on the stage and answers questions as his partner goes through the audience. Here's his stuff:

"See if you can strike this," shouts Cross, holding up an article. "A match," says Babe. "Don't let the band confuse you. What's this?" asks Wellington. "A band ring," says the Babe. "What am I tearing?" says Cross. "Paper," answers Babe. "Don't puff so hard. What is this?" "A cigar," answers the mind reader. "And what is it this gentleman has in his tie (now don't let this one stick you?)" asks Wellington. "A stick-pin," replies the great seer.

However, in the vocal league the Babe does not bat much higher than .006.

There were several trifling matters about Mr. Ruth's performance worthy of mention. He described a cer-

PROGRAM

TEMPLE—George Arliss in "Disraeli," also big comedy.

LIBERTY—Bryant Washburn in "The Amateur Devil," and Sennett comedy, "Among Those Present."

MAJESTIC—Antonio Moreno in "The Secret of the Hills," also comedy, "He Never Troubled Me."

tain lady as "dark complected." That was his own contribution to the advancement of the language. He wore a bandage about his left wrist, although he had not struck out once the day before and had not slid into a base for several weeks. He carried a golf bag on his shoulder when he first entered the stage from the Polo Grounds, probably having shot nine holes between games of a double header.

The Babe is drawing big crowds, and after he gets accustomed to his stuff he may have some fun out of it. And yet some people wonder why the movies are profitable.

PROVING AN ALIBI.

"When I get home evenings my wife is generally at the piano." "Is she musical?"

"No, but if the dinner isn't good she wants me to know that she didn't have anything to do with it."—Boston Transcript.

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LIQUOR FOR FOOT BATH GETS NEGRO ARRESTED

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 22.—A new use, in a medicinal sense, for alcohol has been brought to the notice of local law officers.

When information reached Magistrate W. G. Jarrett that several moonshine drinking parties recently had been held in the woods in Coal Hollow, on the outskirts of the city, he sent one of his deputies to investigate. The officer had not proceeded far up the hollow when he spied a negro with a suspicious bag on his back. Stopping the bearer and running his hand into the mouth of the bag, the officer drew out a half-gallon glass fruit jar filled with moonshine.

Asked what he was doing with the contraband goods, the negro replied that he was taking it to a "sick man" to wash his feet in. "He didn't explain the nature of the "sick man's" ailment. He is now serving \$100 worth of jail sentence.

FIRE ON STEAMSHIP LAID TO PLOT AGAINST PORTO RICO GOVERNOR

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Searching investigation was begun by federal authorities today of a mysterious fire discovered in the hold of the steamship Tanamo, immediately below the

stateroom of Governor E. Mont Reilly of Porto Rico, shortly after the lined sailed from San Juan.

Reilly refused to comment on the fire today but a member of his party expressed the belief, which he said was shared by the captain of the vessel, that it had been set as a result of a plot against the governor by sympathizers of the Nationalist party.

RUNNING A WATCH.

A youth was returning home from market by rail. In the same compartment was a farmer, who was reading a newspaper. The farmer noticed that the lad was always swaying from side to side. He asked him if he was in pain.

"No," replied the youth, "I've bought a watch, and if I dinna keep gaun like this it'll stop."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

WHO WANTS TO GET MARRIED?

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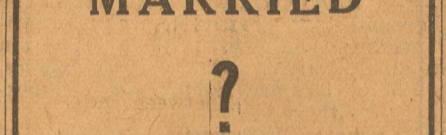
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SCRIP, OR PATIENCE?
 The Christmas card business will boom in Ranger unless Banking Commissioner Hall grants permission to issue scrip against the F. & M. deposits, it now appears. With but a month until the holidays, it is impossible to hope that the affairs of the bank can be in any way liquidated in time to be of any assistance to the buying public. However, there are persons who look upon Christmas as a sort of annual boogaboo and approach it with fear and trembling, because of the folderols they feel called on to buy for Mary Jane and Brother Sam. Such as these can well chortle that their money is all tied up and they can't spend it. They will get lots of Christmas out of the heaven-sent opportunity to send a card.

But to thousands of others, Christmas without Christmas giving is no holiday at all, and they will be unhappy unless arrangements are made under which they can do their regulation shopping. Presumably scrip is the logical method and will be approved. Otherwise, the wait must be endured.

However, there is hope for a quick adjustment. Those depositors of the Guaranty State bank who filed their proof of claim early were paid off in sixty days after the bank closed. F. & M. depositors who file their claims early have every chance of being paid off by Jan. 25, if the same quickness of time is observed by the state banking department. Possibly, in view of the greater percentage of the town's money tied up in the F. & M., such payments might be even more expedited.

By scrip or patience, we'll get by some way.

Another good thing that prohibition has done—it has improved the general run of commercial coffee. But we fear that as soon as the dregs find out what a good drink coffee is they will stop the sale of it.—Chicago News.

The Bentztown Bard says the breakfast word in Maryland is "Something like the message of a morning smile in May." Is the Maryland prohibition director overlooking something?—Houston Post.

Adding a word to the well-known motto of the circus, the arms conference at Washington might be advertised as the Greatest Show-Down on Earth.—Life.

The modern woman—the up-to-date snappy dresser, you know—must find it terribly difficult to walk across a bedroom in the old-fashioned night-gown.—Washington Post.

The disgrace of an irresponsible senator is the disgrace of the people who put him in the senate.—The Shoe Retailer.

What interests us in seeing football players at their work is what makes them do that way.—Dallas News.

What we need is a hen that will lay thirty-cent eggs.—Nashville Tennessean.

TWO BROTHERS CHIEF FACTORS IN IOWA SUCCESS

By Associated Press.
 IOWA CITY, Iowa, Nov. 22.—Two brothers—Aubrey and Glenn Devine—are the chief reasons why the University of Iowa football eleven has won its first Western conference championship in twenty years, for, while to the average person the Iowa team is largely Aubrey Devine, to persons who have followed the eleven closely it has become more and more evident that Glenn, comparatively unknown, deserves almost as much credit as Aubrey, the All-Western star known to every football enthusiast.

When the Old Gold of Iowa floated triumphantly from the goal posts after games with Notre Dame, Illinois, Purdue and Minnesota, it was Aubrey Devine who generally had done most of the ground gaining. It was Aubrey who hurled the successful forward passes with unerring accuracy and it was Aubrey whose magic toe booted the ball for points. Few realized that but for Glenn, Iowa might not have been victorious, for Glenn's steady and valiant playing was generally of the type that drew little attention but did much toward winning the game.

Glenn opens holes for Aubrey, he spills the opposing tacklers, he dumps interference for Aubrey to make tackles, and—best of all—if Aubrey happens to cut loose with a wild forward pass Glenn generally manages to snare it—sometimes with only one hand.

Thus the plugger—Glenn—has drawn little attention, and yet without him or someone like him, Aubrey—the star—might have much more difficulty than at present in making his great plays.

Aubrey without Glenn would be a real star—there is no doubt of that—but with Glenn he's one of the greatest in the country.

U. S. TO BRING EX-SOLDIERS BACK HOME FROM SIBERIA

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The senate today passed a resolution providing funds to bring back from Siberia discharged American soldiers, their wives and families who are destitute there.

Senator Wadsworth, Republican of New York, estimated about \$140,000 would be needed.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS
 By GEORGE BINGHAM



Slim Pickens, of this city, was at the Tickville dry goods store Tuesday looking at a new suit of clothes. The man who was trying to sell him the suit liked it fine and bragged on it.

Clab Hancock says he would not mind borrowing anything from anybody if it wasn't so much trouble to take it home.

Atlas Peck spent Tuesday at the moonshine still on Musket Ridge trying to dodge his chill.

TEXAS GETS WELL

BRECKENRIDGE, Nov. 22.—The Texas company's No. 8 J. S. Pierce, in section 2073, was given a 100-quart shot of nitro late Saturday afternoon which resulted in a 1,000-barrel producer. The well is situated seven miles southeast of Breckenridge. The Houston No. 2 of the Fidelity company of New Jersey, is erecting an offset rig to the producer.

OKLAHOMA OPERATORS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

TULSA, Nov. 22.—The following officers of the Midcontinent Oil and Gas association were re-elected at a meeting of the general executive committee: President, William N. Davis of Bartlesville, Ok.; first vice president, W. B. Pyron of Wichita Falls, Texas; second vice president, Charles T. Wilson of Tulsa, Ok.; and secretary and treasurer, Harry H. Smith of Tulsa, Okla.

WILL CHEW GUM TO MEND TORN JAW MUSCLES

By International News Service.
 WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—One of the most unusual treatments in the history of medical science is being administered to Major Ramee, of the Thirtieth United States infantry, at the Walter Reed hospital here.

Major Ramee recently was giving instructions at Fort Niagara, N. Y., in rifle practice to members of the infantry team which won second honors in the national rifle shoot at Camp Perry, Ohio, when he sustained his injury. During one of the practice sessions, while he was demonstrating how it should be done, his rifle "back-fired," tearing away part of the flesh of his cheek between the eyes and the mouth and leaving severe powder burns.

He was sent to the Walter Reed hospital here, maintained by the government for the benefit of veterans maimed while in government military service, and underwent hasty repairs, enabling him to leave the hospital in time to direct the picked infantry team in the national shoot in September.

Chews Gobs of Gum. Following the national contests, in which members of Major Ramee's team concede their defeat to be due to the accident their leader had suffered, Major Ramee returned to Walter Reed hospital for further treatment. It was found necessary to cut away a part of the flesh. When the wound healed the major's jaw muscles were drawn so taut that he could not open his mouth.

Confronted by this puzzling predicament, the surgeons who performed the operation solved the problem by resourcefully prescribing the unusual treatment that Major Ramee is now undergoing. It is simply chewing large masses of gum at intervals. He crams five packages (consisting of five sticks in each package) of chewing gum into his mouth at once, on the advice of his physicians, and chews vigorously every few hours. The idea, it was said at the hospital, is to make more elastic the drawn muscles, so that they will be restored to normal, enabling him to use his mouth unhampered.

Major Ramee's regular station is at Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash. It is hoped that the unusual treatment he

DRILLERS STRIKE GOLD IN NORTHWEST ILLINOIS

By International News Service.
 FREEPORT, Ill., Nov. 22.—Mining for gold in the rock hills of Northwestern Illinois is expected to begin in the near future as the result of the discovery of gold in Stephenson county, just west of the village of Pearl city.

A corporation is being formed to exploit 1,800 acres of land in that region because of the belief that vast quantities of gold may be had for the taking.

According to promoters of the company ore taken from a depth of from thirty to fifty feet has produced from \$11 to \$18 a ton in gold. Traces of gold were first discovered on the Weimer farm, near Pearl City, more than a year ago. The find was made by well diggers. William Weimer, owner of the farm, sought to interest men with money in the gold prospects but failed. His widow, however, was more successful, especially when, recently, the crop of ducks raised on the Weimer place were found to contain small bits of gold ore.

NEW LIQUOR REGULATIONS.

By United Press.
 WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—A sweeping revision of prohibition bureau regulations and forms governing the distribution of whiskey and other spirits for medicinal use is to be ordered by the treasury department.

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BARTFIELD SHADES RYAN.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 22—Soldier Bartfield of New York last night shaded Billy Ryan of Cincinnati in a fast ten-round bout here.

BRECK PLANS SPECIAL TRAIN TO GAME HERE

Two Hundred Rooters to Come Over for Turkey Day Battle.

Special to the Times.

BRECKENRIDGE, Nov. 22.—Jimmy Valentine, former agent of the Texas & Pacific railroad at Ranger, now commercial agent at the Hamon line with headquarters at Breckenridge, is arranging a special excursion of Breck Buckaroo fans to Ranger for the Thanksgiving day game. Interest in the match runs high here, the Breck backers are confident of winning, and more than 200 are expected to make the trip. Captain Avery, the most consistent plunger in the Buckaroo backfield, may shift to quarter for the game, which is regarded as the most important of the year—that is, the most desirable to win. The shift would send in Blackie Blackwood at half, and Spears, a feverish young end, at one of the flanks in place of Blackie.

STEPHENS LETS CROSS-COUNTY ROAD CONTRACT

BRECKENRIDGE, Nov. 22.—A contract has just been let for the construction of the Bankhead highway in Stephens county. The work will cost just a little under \$30,000 a mile, or nearly \$1,000,000 for the stretch of road.

That part of the highway in Stephens county runs from the perfect highway from Dallas to the Stephens county line in Palo Pinto county on the east and connects with the excellent roads in Shackelford county on the west. It is thirty miles from county line to county line, but a single mile of the highway will be paved by the city, as the highway runs over the main thoroughfare of the city of Breckenridge. A \$75,000 concrete viaduct in the city has been completed as part of the work included in the federal and state highway.

Work on the highway will begin next week. The contract was let to the Womack Construction company at a figure of \$521,901. Crushed rock is to be furnished by the county and is already available. The amount of stone is \$264,000. All other costs to the county will bring the figure up to \$862,291.

The bid calls for the work to be completed in 320 working days. About 132 teams and 175 men will begin work at once, and according to the commissioners' court, there will be only Stephens county men employed. Eight concerns submitted bids. The closest bid to the winning one was \$100,000 in excess of that of the Womack Construction company. There is already \$2,000,000 in a local bank here for highway work. Of that figure \$300,000 is from state and federal aid.

TIRED THIEF SNOOZES ON THE JOB, BUT GETS AWAY AMID BULLETS

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 22.—The laziest, most easily tired thief in the city yesterday paid a visit to the home of Henry B. Lancaster. He rather regretfully used force to open a pantry window to enter. Then, utterly frazzled down to a weary wreck, he fell asleep on a stairway landing.

There a maid saw him and screamed. Her employer raised a front window and fired at Ennuied Edward as he ambled away with lethargy and a stolen overcoat.

The Tired but Busy Burglar stopped to rest on the corner, then vanished as quickly as his none too quick legs could drag him. He had stolen a quart of whisky and fifteen cigars before knocking off for the day. Silverware bundled up to be carried off he left behind.

BRITAIN SUSPENDS NAVAL RECRUITING

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Britain's second step toward armament reduction was taken today in an order suspending the recruiting of ordinary

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seamen. The admiralty, however, provided for continuation of recruiting in certain special classes. The government gave no definite explanation of this step, merely stat-

ing that the order had been issued. The war office announced the total strength of the British army as 417,000 at the present time. This includes the Indian army and the

50,000 wounded war veterans who are being demobilized. Authorities in the sections affected by the order to suspend construction on four battleships, have appealed

to the government for means to alleviate the resulting unemployment. The speech of Premier Briand made before the Monday session in Washington, was generally approved

in the British press, although the Daily Express differed from the others in venturing the opinion that "we are sailing in dangerous waters of shoals and rocks."



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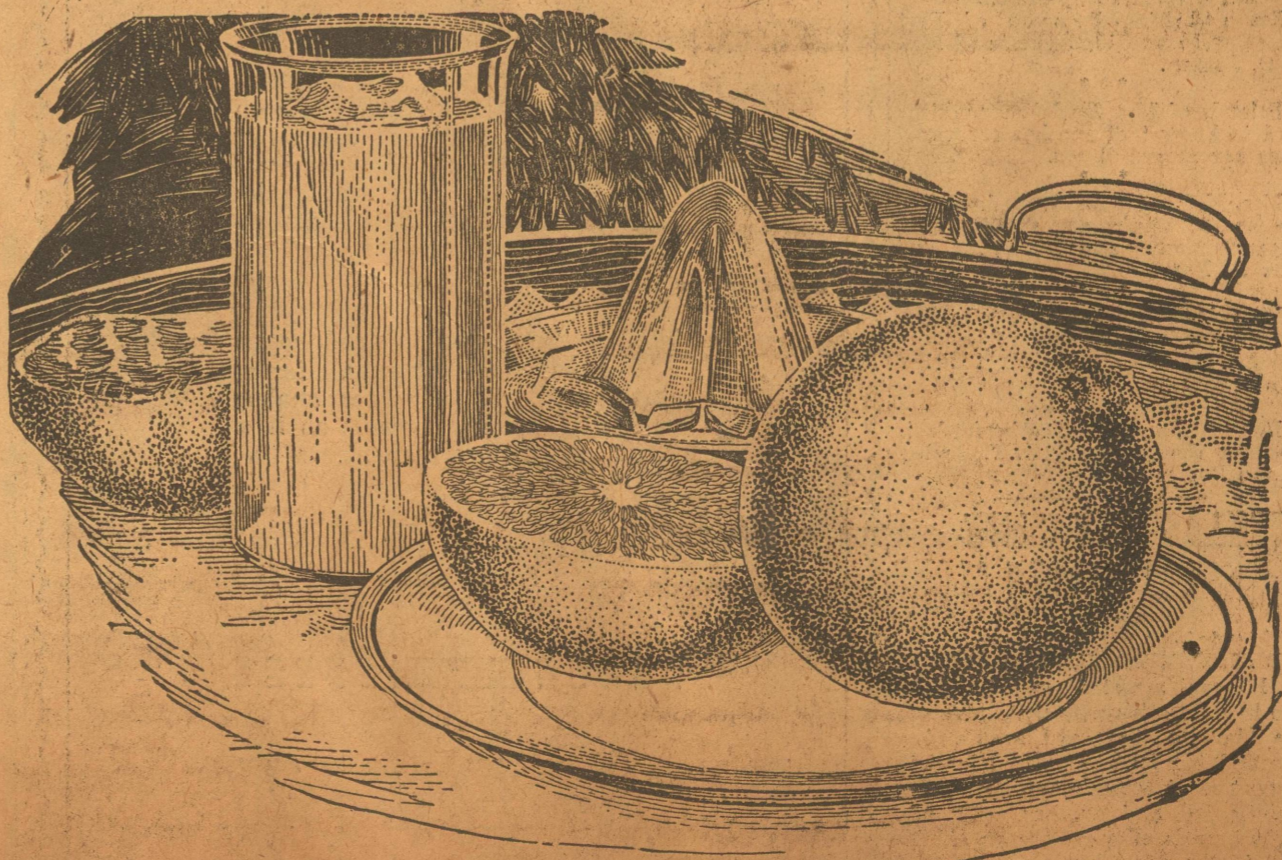
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LIMITATION OF POISONOUS GAS SOUGHT IN WARS

Danger of Unrestricted Use Explained by British Officer.

By MAJOR-GEN. SIR F. MAURICE.
LONDON, Nov. 22.—Major Lefebure's study of chemical warfare, in his book, "The Riddle of the Rhine," has presented to us in an authoritative form the dangers to which the unrestricted development of science directed to destruction will expose humanity.

Since the subject of the use of poison gas in warfare was mooted at this year's meeting of the British association there has been much discussion in the press, and I find that a number of scientists have declared that the use of poison gas is in their opinion not inhuman, or at least not more inhuman than the employment of explosive shell or other forms of destruction.

I desire to combat this view because, as I have stated previously, I believe that the possibility of limiting the use of poison in war depends largely upon the scientists. My opinion has now been endorsed by the Association of the League of Nations, which has adopted the report of its Third Commission on the reduction of armaments. That report contains the following passage:

"It has been stated that inventions have been made or perfected since the war whereby wholesale destruction of the civil population would be possible by the dropping of poison bombs and like from the air, nor is there any reason to suppose that the limits of invention in these fiendish devices have been reached. And if, as seems possible to the committee to be agreeable the employment of these weapons will be rendered impracticable if there were no secrecy about them, the possibility of obtaining complete publicity for scientific research in this domain is certainly worth exploring.

Appeal to Science.
"Accordingly the committee recommends that the temporary mixed commission should be asked to consider whether an appeal should not be addressed to all scientific men in the world, urging them to publish to the world the results of their discoveries in such matters, so that the knowledge of them, having become public property, their use as weapons of war by any single state may be rendered improbable."

Clearly, if any number of scientists do not consider the use of poison gas inhuman this proposal of the League of Nations will not be of much value. But there is no doubt that the use of gas by the Germans in the second battle of Ypres was regarded as a barbarity. So much was this the case that many distinguished soldiers were doubtful whether we ought to use gas in reply.

By The Hague declaration of 1889, which was signed by both Great Britain and Germany, "the signatories agree to abstain from the use of projectiles, the sole object of which is the diffusion of asphyxiating or deleterious gases." In The Hague convention of 1907, both England and Germany agreed not to use poison or poisoned weapons. Germany got round these agreements because the gasses used in the second battle of Ypres were strictly speaking, not poison, and they were discharged from cylinders, not from projectiles, but she was universally regarded as having evaded the spirit of her agreements and was condemned accordingly. There is no doubt, therefore, that the use of poison gas was held before and during the war, to be inhuman. Why should there be any change of opinion now?

The peculiar inhumanity in the use of poison gas, as compared with other weapons of war, is that its use may, as the report of the League of Nations says, "involve wholesale destruction of the civil population."

Airplane Peril.
Early in May, 1915, the Germans made their second gas attack at Ypres, employing a far greater volume of gas than in their first attack. I remember that early in the morning, when the second attack took place, I was riding just outside Haesebrouck when my horse suddenly refused to go a yard further, and soon after I felt my own eyes smarting.

When I got back to my office I received a telegram with the news of the gas attack and realized that I and my horse had felt the gas twenty-one miles from the place where it had been discharged. If that gas had been really poisonous the thousands of women and children in Haesebrouck that day might have been killed. A fleet of airplanes could now carry for several hundred miles as much gas as the Germans discharged on that occasion, and if the gas were really poisonous, and the breeze carried it for a distance of twenty-one miles from the place it was dropped, the destruction of the civil population would indeed be wholesale.

It is possible to argue that war can best be stopped by making it so inhuman that no one will dare to have recourse to it. Equally it is possible to argue that it is best to make war as inhuman as possible while it lasts in order that it may be as short as possible.

SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

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SYMPHONY CLUB GIVES EXCELLENT PROGRAM

The musical at the Baptist church last night, given by the Ranger Symphony club, sponsored by the Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist church for the benefit of the Buckner's Orphans home, was a success from start to finish. It was an appreciative audience that greeted each number, and the entertainers, appreciating the response given them by their audience, did their best—and it was a wonderful best. Last night's musical proves that Ranger has talent that any city would be proud of, talent in fact that has and would grace the concert stage. Each number was a bit of perfection in itself. Each entertainer an artist.

Rev. Mr. Johnson opened the program with a talk on the work of the Orphans home and paid a tribute to the memory of its wonderful founder, Dr. Buckner. Meses. Wakefield and Gorman as accompanists added much to the success of the evening. Mrs. F. A. Brown acted as master of ceremonies, announcing each number of the program.

For the first time Ranger people heard Mrs. Johnnie O'Connor sing, she rendering two selections "By the Water of Minnetanka" and "The Star" very beautifully. Mrs. R. C. McCoy's rendition of "The Wood Pigeon" and "The Owl" were given in her usual charming way—a way that has long since endeared her to the hearts of Ranger folk.

Mmes. McCov, Holmsley, Wakefield, Maddocks and Miss Smuck, appeared twice in a quintet, singing very beautifully "To a Wild Rose" and "The Moon Drops Low." Mrs. J. M. White's "Lullaby" and encore were very much appreciated, as were the numbers given by Mrs. Holmsley, "Where Blossoms Grow" and "The Dream." Miss Smuck's voice and numbers were very much enjoyed. Mrs. Terrell gave a reading which, typical of all Mrs. Terrell's readings, held her hearers' attention from beginning unto end. The two piano solos, "The Water Sprite," given by Mrs. Wakefield, and "Romance," by Mrs. Gorman, were very perfectly rendered. In this day of jazz, music like this is rare, and no doubt appeals more than it did a generation ago, when every girl was educated in the art of playing the piano. A very sweet number was the duet, rendered by Miss Armer and Mrs. Maddocks, "Whispering Hope."

THANKSGIVING PROGRAM.
The members of the Senior Epworth League of the Methodist church will give a Thanksgiving program at the church Wednesday evening. There will be no admission and everybody is invited to be present.

GUILD MEETING.
The St. Mary's Guild had a very pleasant meeting with Mrs. Vincent Wakefield Monday afternoon. Some very practical plans for the future of the church and Sunday school were discussed and two new officers were elected. Mrs. L. A. Vandervoort was elected vice president, to take the place of Mrs. Roy Smith, who is moving to Mexia. Mrs. E. E. Crawford was selected secretary, to succeed Mrs. H. L. Mobley, who is soon to leave for Kansas.

W. M. U. MEETING.
The Women's Missionary Union of the East Ranger Baptist church met yesterday afternoon. Instead of the usual study of the W. M. U. manual, the time was given to the interest of the "seventy-five million" campaign and other business.

A vote of thanks was given to all those who in any way contributed to the success of their bazaar and dinner held last week. "Lest you forget," those articles that were not sold are still for sale at the J. M. White store.

ELKS' BALL.
The Autumn ball to be given by the Elks Wednesday evening at the Summer Garden promises to be a very enjoyable event. Many out-of-town guests are expected.

All Elks, Masons and Shriners are invited.

PURELY PERSONAL.
Dr. and Mrs. Peterson of Fort Worth were week-end guests of Mrs. C. O. Jensen.

Friends of Mrs. Karl Jones will be glad to know that she has recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. M. Topper and little daughter, Eunice, of Ennis, are visiting Mrs. Topper's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. S. Romick.

Miss Marguerite Lowe, who has been quite ill, continues to improve and her friends are looking forward to a speedy recovery.

Bob Collier of Weatherford is spending the week with J. T. Booles, on the Booles lease.

OFFICERS JUST WON'T LET HANSEN ALONE

Special to the Times
BRECKENRIDGE, Nov. 22.—J. H. Hansen, arrested several months ago in connection with the capture of the "largest still" and acquitted a month later by a jury in Ninetieth district court, is again in the Stephens county jail and another still and eight barrels of mash are on exhibition in the court house yard.

Sheriff Head and Deputy Livingstone came upon Hansen at a farm house near Eolian. He was digging a pit for a boiler of the outfit, the officers said.

WORLD FAMOUS SURGEON MAY WORK MIRACLE IN CURING YOUNG ACTRESS

By United Press.
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Miss Mary Moore, young New York actress, who recently appeared with Lou Telleghan in "Don Juan," today was under the care of Dr. Adolf Lorenz, of Vienna, noted surgeon, who is fighting a desperate battle with death in her behalf.

Dr. Lorenz, who eighteen years ago, achieved fame by his curing Miss Lolita Armour of a dislocated hip, is in America to show his gratitude for American aid to starving Austrian children. He is treating the children of the poor to relieve them of lameness caused by what is commonly called "hip joint disease."

Miss Moore was injured when her automobile turned over a week ago. Her skull was fractured in two places, several vertebrae were dislocated, and one was broken. For a week she has been lying unconscious in a Broad street hospital. Her injuries were considered fatal.

Dr. Lorenz became interested in her case yesterday. At his suggestion, the girl's head and neck were incised in a plaster cast. Her skull has been trapped, and a blood clot removed. She has a fighting chance.

HORSE STEPS ON LIVE WIRE; THREE INJURED

COOLIDGE, Texas, Nov. 22.—A horse owned by B. W. Grooms and being driven by De Witt Grooms, stepped on a live wire here Monday, became frightened and ran away with the buggy, throwing Mr. Grooms and Mrs. B. W. Grooms and baby to the ground, and bruising Mr. Grooms up considerably. One of the baby's legs were broken and the child was otherwise bruised. Mrs. Grooms escaped with minor injuries.

PASTOR'S WIFE TAKES SICK HUSBAND'S PLACE IN PULPIT

By International News Service.
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 22.—The wife of a local clergyman occupied his pulpit while he was ill.

The Sunday congregations at Trinity Methodist Episcopal church plainly displayed surprise when the wife of their pastor, Rev. C. B. Ketcham, took his place in the pulpit.

Apparently at ease, and acting as though she had been accustomed to occupying the pulpit, Mrs. Ketcham directed the service. She did not preach, however. In place of the sermon, she gave a reading.

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First, You are greeted with courtesy and a smile. The clerks in all departments are never too tired or indifferent to show you their stock. You will find an up-to-date line in every department. The prices are reasonable. You are made to feel at home.
Whether you buy or not the "Thank You—Call Again," is just as cheerful as tho you had made a purchase.
Second, The management always has a pleasant greeting for all. If you can't find what you want, they will order for you.
Last, but not least—They are boosting for Ranger.
312 Guaranty Bank Bldg., Ranger, Texas. **MRS. M. O. BURT.**

Why Should You Trade at the Boston Store—because it's the store ideal of men and women who wish to dress well at a moderate cost. The Boston Store expresses for its owners that discrimination which appreciates desirability and elegance, blended with that judgment that does not neglect economy. You get from this firm quality, service and value received. They are an old established firm—an integral part of Ranger's business life. They have made themselves worthy of your trade and your confidence. Their merchandise is backed by the honor and integrity of the firm.
Room 323, Guaranty Bank Bldg., Ranger. **MRS. RENA CAMPBELL.**

CHILDREN'S DIVISION
WHY I SHOULD TRADE AT THE BOSTON STORE
There are so many reasons, I hardly know which to give first, but my best one is that I always get what I want there. If I want a spotted cap I get a spotted cap and not a black or brown one.
Another reason is, I don't have to carry my mother along to get things for me at the Boston Store, they wait on little boys as well as they do big ones. Age 11. Box 1493, Ranger, Texas. **HERMON POOL.**

WHY YOU SHOULD TRADE AT THE BOSTON STORE
I'll tell you why mother and I like to trade there.
At the Boston Store we feel much at home, for the clerks are always pleasant and nice. They are willing to answer questions pleasantly, which is often a help to one, besides making shopping a pleasant task, and where one is nicely treated, they generally like to return.
I often do mother's shopping there. If she sees something in the Boston Store's bargain list in the Ranger Daily Times, she cuts it out and sends me for it, feeling sure that she'll have no cause to be dissatisfied. Yours sincerely,
Age 12. **GLADYS RAPP.**

THANKS TO ALL
—There were many excellent letters received and we are very grateful to all who contributed to the success of the contest. May each of you be happy and enjoy Thanksgiving.

The Boston Store
A. Joseph
THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER
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