

**THE WEATHER**  
West Texas: Tonight and Wednesday cloudy, probably local rain in south and rain turning to snow in north. Colder tonight. Cold wave in north portion, temperature 18 to 10 in Panhandle.

# Ranger Times

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## LIQUOR RAIDS IN OMAHA NET 290 ARRESTS

### INSURGENT SESSION OF OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE IS CONVENED

#### SENATE IS IN INFORMAL SESSION ALSO

#### Majority Both Houses Are Reported At Capital

By United Press.  
OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 6.—Seeking to investigate the administration of governor Henry M. Johnston and convening in the face of a state supreme court opinion, holding its act void, the insurgent special session of the Oklahoma legislature convened at 12:10 p. m. today.

Predicted disorder failed to materialize. All desks were in place and the legislators found the door of their chambers open for assembly. A preliminary check revealed 79 house members in their seats. There are 104 members.

Simultaneously, 29 of the 40 senators were holding an informal session preparing to convene.

The Rev. H. A. Modgras, veteran house chaplain led in a long prayer asking guidance for the proposed investigation of the affairs of state. Modgras was chaplain during the impeachment session against former Governor Jack Walton.

A little more than four years ago the capitol of Oklahoma was infested by legislators, state officials and citizens from all parts of the state. The session at that time was "out to get Jack Walton" and everyone who could be away from his work was at the state house to see the show.

#### CHARGES FILED AFTER ROBBERY GAS STATION

#### Small Amount of Cash Taken From Cash Register, Shot Fired at Owner.

Three charges were filed in Justice of Peace J. N. McFatter's court, Ranger, this morning, against Lee Colder, south of Ranger, in connection with the robbery of a cash register at L. (Pat) Warner's Filling Station on the Ranger-Eastland highway last night.

Young Colder will face a charge of theft of \$9.80 which is charged he took, from L. Warner's cash register, a charge of having a pistol on his person and a third charge of shooting at L. Warner with intent to murder.

Colder was arrested by Chief Jim Ingram this morning and was being detained at the city police station pending bond arrangements.

Pat's filling station is at the junction of the Gorman-Eastland-Ranger road, about two miles south of Ranger.

According to Mr. Warner he had crossed the road to a cafe to get a cup of coffee about 8 o'clock last night, and was seated where he could watch his shop. While the coffee was being served he noticed a young man, whom he knew, pass the cafe, continue up to his place of business and enter it.

He then got up and walked to—  
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#### Pair Being Held For Murder Make No Release Move

By United Press.  
HOMER, La., Dec. 6.—Apparently without realization of their predicament, Mrs. Essie Jowers, mother of five children and Elisha Swift, confessed slayers of Rev. James Jowers, Mrs. Jowers' husband, were in jail here today awaiting justice to take its course.

No effort had been made by the couple to obtain legal aid or their release. Their case will be considered by a special session of the grand jury Monday and if they are indicted, will go on trial for murder the following Monday.

#### The Lilliendahls—Sad and Glad



A youngster saddened by his mother's predicament is Alfred Lilliendahl, 8. But his presence at her trial for murder at May's Landing, N. J., gladdens Mrs. Margaret Lilliendahl, accused, with Willis Beach of slaying her husband. Mother and boy were photoed thus in an anteroom of the court house.

#### COOLIDGE ASKS FARM AID, FLOOD RELIEF, BIGGER NAVY

#### Annual Message to Congress, Tremendous in Scope, Touches on Needs.

#### High Points in President's Message

Outlines farm relief plan based on a federal farm board, with revolving fund to loan money to co-operatives at low rates. Favors flood control by higher, stronger dikes and spillways, but insists flood states must bear part of cost. Advocates more cruisers, submarines and aircraft. Urges economy and insists on keeping tax cut low. Advocates turning merchant marine to private hands quickly. Favors good roads, with government aiding trunkline projects. Opposes any cut in protective tariff. Urges building up federal farm loan system. Suggests sale of Muscle Shoals nitrate plants. Suggests Boulder Dam project for flood control and irrigation. Recommends anti-lynching law. Says government will continue prohibition enforcement. Asks board of mediation and conciliation for coal disputes. Favors railroad consolidation legislation. Proposes scheme to prevent dumping of Indian oil lands.

By KENNETH CRAWFORD, United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Legislation for farm relief and flood control, and to increase United States naval strength was recommended today by President Coolidge in his message to the seventieth congress.

Creation of a federal board or commission, operating with a revolving fund financed at first by the government and probably later by private banks, to help with marketing and to encourage the co-operative movement was the plan set forth for farm relief.

Flood control legislation should be confined mainly to the lower Mississippi river, and part of any cost incurred should be borne by persons immediately benefitted, the message said. The national government, he made clear, could not stand the entire cost. Raising and strengthening dikes, and building spillways were favored.

The president advised a considerable building program for naval defense including aircraft, submarines and more cruisers. He said success or failure of any foreign armament conference does not affect this program.

Through the message, Mr. Coolidge stressed the need for continued governmental economy, reminding congress that the national debt is still about \$26,600,000,000, and that the country's obligation to war veterans and their dependents is large.

Conditions Better. "It is gratifying to report," said the message, "that for the fourth consecutive year the state of the union in general is good. We are at peace. The country as a whole has a prosperity never exceeded."

Mr. Coolidge noted a "marked improvement in the general condition of agriculture," but suggested that agriculture needs "permanency and stability."

"Government price fixing is known to the unsound and bound to result in disaster," he wrote. "A government subsidy would work out in the same way. . . . Putting the government directly into business is merely a combination of subsidy and price fixing aggravated by political pressure."

Cutting acreage in times of surplus is the surest way of dealing with the surplus problem, he suggested, and

#### SENATE FIGHT ON SMITH-VARE STARTS TODAY

#### First Poll Shows 60 to 34 Against Seating Them With Two Senators Ill.

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The senate stood almost two to one against admitting senators elect Vare, republican of Pennsylvania and Smith, republican of Illinois as the contest opened today over their campaign expenditures.

A poll showed the present lineup as 60 to 34, with two senators ill. Unless there is an unexpected change of sentiment resulting from the debate the next four or five days the two will have the senate doors barred to them because they spent large sums in their primary election campaigns—more than any senator is known to have spent before.

The poll showed 43 democrats, 16 republicans and one farmer labor senator aligned against the two applicants, with 29 republicans and four democrats in favor of admitting them, at least temporarily.

Republican leaders talked about seeking another agreement to delay the debate until tomorrow. They are worried about prospects that they may be unable to organize the senate, if Smith and Vare are not seated, and they would like a little time to work out a solution of their difficulties.

#### BIG BUDGET REQUEST OF PRESIDENT

#### Total Well Above Four Billion, Is Country's Greatest Peacetime Budget.

(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—President Coolidge today presented congress with America's greatest peacetime budget.

The president requested appropriations of \$4,258,937,765 for the fiscal year 1929, or about \$200,000,000 more than the budget for the current fiscal year.

He stressed the importance of a "balanced budget" and warned congress against cutting taxes beyond a safe margin. A tax reduction greater than \$225,000,000 might "jeopardize our financial stability," he said.

Increased appropriations were urged for national defense. An appropriation of \$363,167,020 was asked for the navy department and \$398,823,143 for the war department.

The president's message caused some speculation as to his intentions as to naval increase. He noted that "the estimates carry \$48,000,000 for increase of the navy" and stated that "navy craft under construction in 1929 will comprise two submarines and eight cruisers, of which two will be practically completed in 1929—the Pensacola and Salt Lake City."

He also noted that ample funds are provided for modernization of the battleships Oklahoma and Nevada and for the third increment of the five year air program and for the huge airship for which congress has already appropriated \$200,000.

But these figures did not account for an actual increase above funds already authorized, appropriated for, or building. Inasmuch as President Coolidge let it be known last week that he anticipated additional cruisers to be sponsored by congress, it was assumed a supplemental message will go to congress on that subject or that the president will permit congress to initiate a building program of its own.

The army program contemplates a regular army of 198,750 men with 12,000 officers; 30,000 trainees for the citizens military training camp; 15,725 trainees in the organized reserve; 125,000 cadets in the reserve officers training corps and a national guard of 168,000 men.

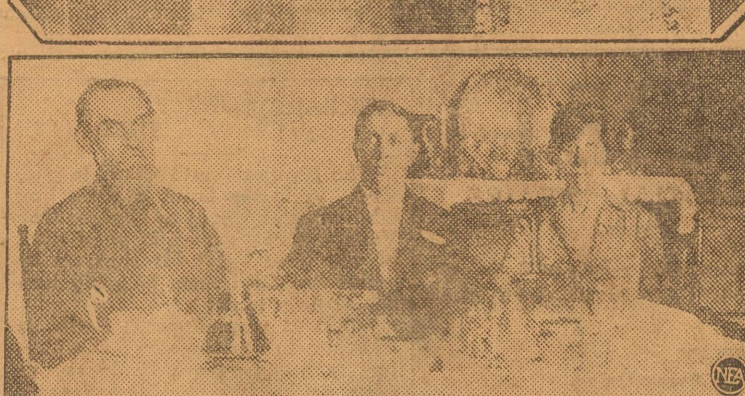
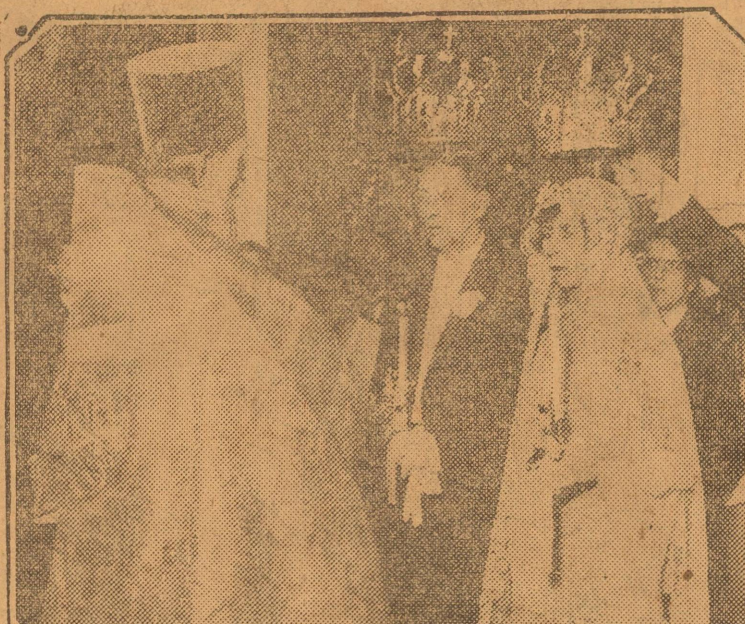
The president included an estimate for the army air corps for the second year increment in the five year building program calling for 1,200 airplanes at the end of 1923 and a \$2,000,000 increase over the 1923 appropriation for ammunition.

Congress was told the United States "has proceeded sufficiently far in our air service program to know the wisdom of the legislative policy with regard to this important and developing line of federal activity."

The budget included an estimate of \$1,108,000 for the promotion of the welfare and hygiene of maternity and infancy.

For the Federal building program  
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#### Kaiser Bill's New Brother-in-Law



Intimate views, these, of the recent marriage in the Schaumburg Palace at Bonn, of Princess Victoria, sister of the former German Kaiser; and Alexander Zoubkoff, a young Russian. Above, the ceremony; below, the wedding breakfast, with Propst Adamantow, the official clergyman, at the left.

#### RAIN EXPECTED

DALLAS, Dec. 6.—Colder temperatures were enroute to Texas with rain accompanying it. It was raining at Gainesville, Paris, Wichita Falls, Dallas and other points of North Texas at noon. Snow flurries were predicted for North Texas tonight and a minimum of 18 to 35 degrees was predicted.

#### COLD WAVE PREDICTED TOMORROW

With the announcement that the most severe cold wave of the season is sweeping down from the Rockies, with a temperature of 19 to 10 degrees above zero predicted for the Panhandle, Ranger citizens need not fear that the experience of last week-end will be repeated.

The gas company gives every assurance of plenty of gas even though the mercury hovers as low as it ever hovered in this part of the country.

W. L. Barrett, district manager of the Texas-Louisiana Power company, authorized the statement today that all the company's gas wells are in good order and that there is an ample supply of gas for all Ranger's needs. Mr. Barrett also stated that Ranger need not fear a gas shortage as the company feels that it is now in a position to give its patrons the best supply of gas they have ever had.

"In case of an unforeseen interruption," Mr. Barrett stated, "our connections and relations are such that we can have service on demand. We do not fear another shortage. Our wells are in good order and we have an adequate supply of gas. Ranger has the best backing for a supply of gas it has ever had."

Mr. Barrett and his associates have worked like Trojans since last week-end when the gas pressure began to slump off. They have answered countless hundreds of phone calls as well as office callers' complaints and yet today, Mr. Barrett thanked the people for their patience.

Several of the officers did not sleep for three nights as they were determined to use every effort to overcome the trouble responsible for the shortage in gas.

He expressed himself today as being very happy that the difficulty was overcome and thanked the press for the fair manner it had handled the matter.

#### STORY BANK ROBBERY TRIAL PROCEEDS

SHERMAN, Dec. 6.—Selection of the jury for the trial of Yancy Storey, charged with the robbery of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank at Krum a year ago, was ordered to proceed in district court here today after Judge Silas Haro averred a motion of the defense council for a continuance.

#### CLAIM MADE THAT 800 IN CITY GUILTY

#### Warrants Are Issued For 120 Other Persons

By United Press.  
OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 6.—Robert Samardick and his squad of prohibition officers rested from their labors today to take stock of what remained of the Omaha liquor situation.

When Samardick called his temporary halt, 290 of the 800 persons he said are engaged in the manufacture, sale and distribution of liquor in this city were under arrest. They were taken in 139 raids made since Friday night.

The federal men still had 120 warrants but Samardick planned to perfect the cases against those in custody before making any more raids. The squad is expected to resume its activities tonight or tomorrow. After taking into custody the 120 men on his list, Samardick plans to ask for warrants against 299 others.

Every section of the city yielded its quota of bootleggers and some of the most poisonous of the seized liquor came from the best residential sections. Only one case of violence occurred during the arrests of the nearly 800 men and women.

#### EASTLAND ELKS BUY NEW HOME, TO MOVE SOON

#### Club Acquires M. & M. Building Which Will Be Remodeled Into Modern Home.

Plans of the Eastland Elks club took concrete form Monday evening at the annual turkey feast held at the present club rooms, when it was definitely decided to purchase the old M. & M. building, at the corner of Rosswood and Commerce streets, as a permanent home for the lodge. The present building will be traded in on the new building but the cash consideration was not made public.

The future home of the Elks is located at the same place that the Elks lodge was during the boom and is considered one of the best lodge buildings in West Texas.

Tentative plans are to have the upstairs of the building converted into a huge ballroom and a ladies lounge room which will be accessible to wives and daughters of Elks at all hours.

The down stairs will be converted into a men's lounge room and smoker, pool and billiard rooms and a bowling alley.

The Elks will take over the building at once and will start moving fixtures to the new home within the next day or two. It is the plans of the committee to have the upstairs in shape for Christmas and New Years dances.

About 40 members of the lodge attended the turkey feast, of which Milburn McCarty was toastmaster. Speeches were made by Jack Lewis, Joe Weaver, Jack Williamson and Judge J. R. Stubblefield.

Seven turkeys were roasted for the occasion and there was an abundance of food of every variety. The purchasing of the Elks building brings to a close the plans of the club to repair the present building, which have been hanging fire for quite a time.

#### Senate Leaders In Guarded Step Toward Peace

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—A guard ed step toward peace with the independents was taken by senate republicans today.

The action consisted of adoption of a resolution authorizing Senator Curtis, republican floor leader, to confer with the independents, who have demanded assurances that their legislation program will be quickly considered at this session of congress.



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**THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT.**

Everywhere the Christmas spirit is beginning to assert itself, in business, in the home, the church and in our social relations.

Christmas time is supposed to be the one time in the year when we should lay aside selfishness in an effort to make someone else happy. But after all if we look into the matter deep enough we will find that just about everything we do has a selfish motive in it.

We buy toys for the children because it gladdens their hearts which in turn makes us happy. Purely a selfish motive in the end. We contribute to charitable institutions because we rejoice in bringing happiness and comfort to some child or some home that has been unfortunate.

All of which reminds us that right now there are numerous ways in which we can make ourselves just a little happier during the Christmas occasion. There are a number of drives on which have for their purpose the taking of Christmas into homes that otherwise might be neglected, or in some other way to bring joy, happiness and comfort to some one.

If we want to be selfish and make ourselves a little happier we can easily do so by contributing something to the Goodfollows fund, buy some Christmas seals, or contribute to others of the charitable drives for funds.

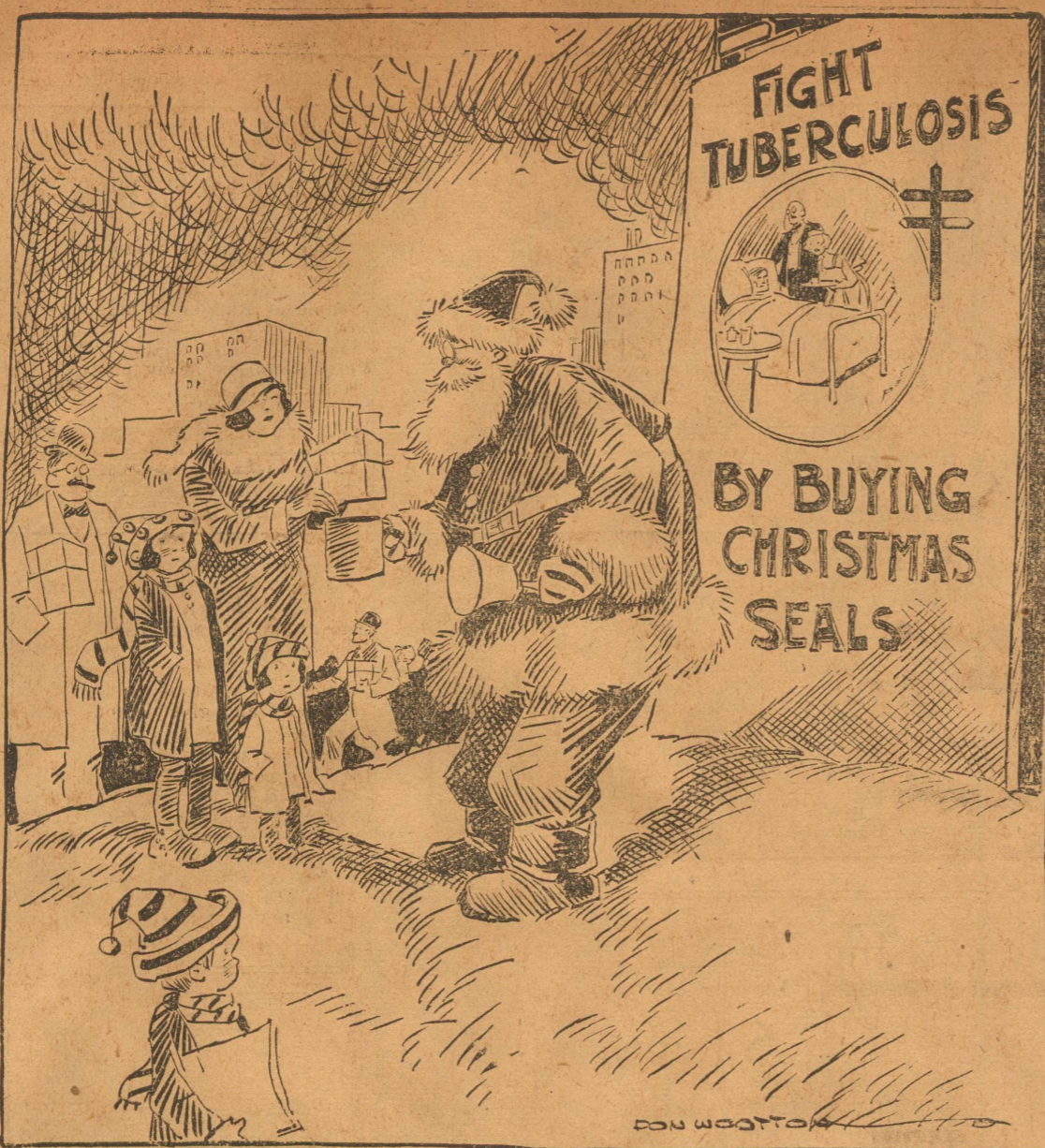
If you are one of those who think that romance has been taken completely out of business and government—if you think that the modern day has no interesting characters like those found in the pages of ancient history, you should take the time to read what Merle Thorpe has to say in the current issue of Nation's Business about Mussolini. Mussolini detests democracy as inefficient and wasteful. Democracy is the thing of all things that we American people love and cherish. But if you will learn just what Mussolini has done for Italy in the last five years you will marvel at the man and his works. But don't get the idea that Mussolini's tactics would be as efficient in a democratic country like America as they have been in Italy. The people of America have different ideals, different traditions and different temperaments.

It looks like some towns will take most any kind of a chance just to get a little publicity. We see where some enterprising scribe at Breckenridge has dug up a very interesting little story of a book that is some 200 200 or 300 years old. That is all right, but the story goes on to say that the book was printed in England and that it is in a fine state of preservation. It strikes us that Breckenridge is either very shy on information or else very courageous. It doesn't know of Big Bill Thompson's fight on English literature or it is trying to flaunt a red flag in the face of a mad bull.

Down in Mexico President Calles seems to be putting on quite a show for American Ambassador Morrow and Will Rogers, the American humorist. We read where yesterday the president left his special train and participated in a bull fight then took the lasso and undertook to show Will Rogers some new tricks with the rope. Well, our guess is that a little diversion like this will be good for a man in Calles' position.

**U. S. ARMY SMALLER**  
WASHINGTON—A slight decrease in the size of the United States army for the last fiscal year was shown in the annual report of Major General Lutz Wahl, made public recently. The aggregate figure was given as 133,268, compared with the 1926 strength of 133,443, and a 1913 figure of 92,035. The army nurse corps and West Point cadets bring the present strength to 134,861.  
An increase of 6,185 for the year was reported for the Officers' Reserve Corps, the present size being 110,014.

**Lest We Forget**



**SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS**

**TONIGHT**  
City commission meets at 8 o'clock.  
K. of C. Dance at Legion Hall at 9 o'clock.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Salvation Army Drive.  
Ad Libitum Club meets at 1:30 p. m. with Mrs. J. A. Shackelford.  
City Council P. T. A. and Child Study circles meet at 3:45 at the high school.  
Rotary Club luncheon at 12:15.  
Prayer meeting at all churches in the evening.

**STUNT NIGHT AT EASTLAND TONIGHT**  
Tonight is stunt night at Eastland. This entertaining evening is being put on by the various clubs of that city and will be held in the Wright building. Every club in the city will put on a stunt of some kind—and they are said to range from jiggs and Maggie to Roemo and Juliet.

A large number of Ranger club women are planning to go over for the event, as well as a number of the men. In fact, W. W. Housewright is one of the judges. The Lions and Rotary clubs will be included in the stunt list.

The entertainment will be held in the Wright building near the post-office.

**FRIENDS OF KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DANCE TONIGHT**  
The friends of the Knights of Columbus will entertain with a dance tonight at the American Legion Hall. This dance was scheduled to happen two weeks ago, but had to be postponed, however, it has lost none of its zest through that postponement and if predictions are accurate, it will go over big.

Music will be dispensed by Gus Coleman's original Rainbow Serenaders, who without a doubt are the most popular entertainers in the Oil Belt.

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The artificial or classical school of poets will be the subject of Wednesday's Delphian program. The club will meet at the Gholson at 2:30 o'clock.

The program will be arranged as follows:  
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Mrs. B. E. Rigby will be the leader for the afternoon.

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Mrs. Frank Champion and daughter, Mrs. Clarence Thompson, of Mexia, motored to Fort Worth yesterday.

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The affair was a happy sequel to a bear hunt made by Mr. Jensen recently, in which he brought home "the bacon" in the form of three bears. This meat has been in cold storage since that time and formed the pièce de résistance of the dinner menu last night. If there were any present who doubted that bear meat is good, their doubts were dispelled after the first mouthful, for it was superlatively delicious and an added flavor was given to the unusual meat by wild rice, served with it, and the number of other delightful dishes that comprised the three-course menu.

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**IT'S EARLY START IN EITHER CASE**

The Ranger Santa Claus is puzzled. A letter from a little boy who claims he goes to Hodges Oak Park, states that he is good most of the time but adds that all he wants for Christmas is a big bottle of hair tonic.

What is worrying old Santa is whether the youngster is suffering with premature baldness or whether he has acquired a taste for hair tonic as a beverage and wants it for Christmas cheer?

boré a bright and shining Christmas tree, all a-glitter with Christmas with Christmas ornaments, and these were cunningly entwined by the reds and greens of Christmas. Nut cups filled with pecan meats and red and green candies were also in red and green and dainty place cards suggested Christmas scenes.

These same gay colors were carried out in the bridge table appointments, tallies and score pads—all hinting that Christmas is just around the corner.

In bridge the high score favors a lion lunch set and a fountain pen went to Mrs. John D. Gholson and Dr. C. C. Craig. The low score trophies were carried home by Mrs. Lillie Harrison and Mr. John D. Gholson, and were bridge score pads. Those who enjoyed the aftermath of the bear hunt were Messrs. and Mrs. John M. Gholson, John D. Gholson, C. C. Craig, Frank Champion, B. H. Murphy, H. C. Anderson, W. R. Bowden; Mrs. Lillie Harrison, Louis Fleck and Rena B. Campbell; Messrs. L. P. Lawton, A. B. Conway, J. L. Thompson, J. R. McLaughlin and the host and hostess.

**MISSIONARY SOCIETY HAS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.**  
The Missionary society of the First Christian church enjoyed a fine Christmas program yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Adams on the Caddo road. Mrs. R. F. Holloway was the leader. Mrs. W. W. Housewright made a talk on the City of Bethlehem.

After the program refreshments were served.

**FIRST BAPTIST W. M. U. TO HOLD CHRISTMAS BAZAAR.**  
The First Baptist church Woman's Missionary union met yesterday afternoon as usual and quilted and tacked comforts. While they worked they finished plans for their bazaar to be held at the Paramount hotel on Friday and Saturday of this week and for a bake sale to be held Saturday in connection with the bazaar.

Mrs. W. S. Jamson and Ross Hodges were appointed to be in charge of the two-day event. They are very anxious to have each contributor to the events send in their articles at once.

**WORK AT SINGAPORE BASE**  
By United Press.  
SYDNEY.—According to Sir William Sowden, prominent Australian newspaper proprietor, who recently returned from a visit to Singapore, Britain is making excellent progress with the construction of her naval base there.

Thousands of men, Sowden declares, are employed, and expenditures on a lavish scale is being made for motor roads and railroads. Seventy tanks for liquid oil fuel, each holding 15,000 tons, have been completed, and ten more are to be built. These huge tanks are readily accessible to vessels requiring refuelling.

It isn't always the biggest ear that thunks the loudest. The same holds true for people.

The trouble with most uplifters is that they're so depressing.

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201 Main St. Ranger

**J. C. SMITH**  
Popular Price Store  
RANGER

**Christmas Seal Sale In Eastland Will Start Soon**

A concentrated drive to sell Eastland's quota of Christmas Seals will begin in the next few days, according to Mrs. Earle Johnson, general chairman of the sale, which is being sponsored by the Civic League. The proceeds of the sale go to the Texas Public Health association, with headquarters at Austin and are used to fight tuberculosis in Texas. A small percent of the money goes to the National association.

Two tag days will be held and it is expected that the quota of \$300 will be raised with ease before Christmas. The high school glee club and the different troops of Eastland Boy Scouts will assist in selling the seals.

A prize will be awarded the room in the two ward schools that sells the most seals. A first aid kit will be the award. A cash prize will also be given the student in the school who writes the best essay on the dangers of tuberculosis and the best methods to fight it.

The sale of the Christmas seals is an annual occasion and every town in Texas is given a certain quota to raise and some club usually takes over the business of raising the money. The Civic League is sponsoring the sale this year in Eastland.

Some ten stations have been secured in the business district and there will be someone in charge of the stations within the next few days.

Although the seals have been on sale for quite a little while, there has been no concentrated drive to raise the quota and very little of the \$300 has been raised as yet. Those in charge of the sale feel assured that the money will be raised with very little trouble.

The Civic League has enlisted the aid of the different Eastland pastors in order to help raise Eastland's quota.

**JOHNSON ADVOCATES HIGHWAY BOND ISSUE**  
AUSTIN, Dec. 6.—The policy of requiring county aid on highways must be discontinued if a connected system is to be realized, Highway Commissioner Cone Johnson, suggested today in a plan which he says will solve Texas highway problems. He advocates a state bonding issue to build highways.

**ELEVEN CITIES SEEKING REPUBLICAN CONVENTION**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Each of 11 cities were given a half hour today to state why it should be chosen for the 1928 republican national convention.

Among the cities seeking the convention are: San Antonio, Chicago, Seattle, Minneapolis, Philadelphia, Detroit, Cleveland, San Francisco, Kansas City and Omaha.

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**POULTRY ASSOCIATION MEETING ON TONIGHT**

The executive board of the Bankhead Poultry Producers' association meets tonight at the Eastland chamber of commerce to transact business connected with the association. An announcement that the board was to meet Monday night was erroneous.

A mother-in-law is only a relative trouble, after all.

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**GREAT BRITAIN MOVES TOWARD SELF GOVERNMENT FOR INDIA**

By J. W. T. MASON  
(Written for United Press)  
NEW YORK.—Preliminary steps are being taken by Great Britain to create a new reform administration for India as an advance toward self-government, superseding the present Montague-Chelmsford reforms which automatically end in 1929.

The House of Commons will have the final say about the degree of autonomy to be offered India. A committee to investigate sentiment in India and report on an appropriate basis for home rule will shortly begin its inquiries.

If the various racial and religious antagonisms among the native of India can settle their differences among themselves and agree on a common form of administration, the settlement of the problem will be easy. In that event, India will soon become a self-administering commonwealth within the British Empire, like Canada and Australia. But, there is no expectation at present that the prejudices against each other which exist among the Hindus and Moslems in India can be easily overcome, while the native princes, who govern various Indian states with a large measure of autocratic power, are suspicious of any radical change in their status.

The most important political problem in India centers about the ques-

tion of majority and minority representation in the local and central governments, especially as it affects Moslems and Hindus. The former are pugnacious, but poor and the recent tendency has been for more timid but more intellectual Hindus to acquire the principal offices open to natives. The Hindus desire what is called a "joint electorate," voting being by individuals for rival candidates without regard for racial differences. The Moslems largely wish a continuation of the system which prevails in some parts of the country of "separate electorates" whereby certain constituencies are set apart for Moslems and other constituencies for other racial representatives.

The Hindus say it is absurd for India to hope to become united into a single commonwealth joined together by common aims and ideals if "separatism" prevails. The Moslems assert that there can be no united India except on a basis of equal development of the various parts of Indian society. Of there are no "separate electorates," the Moslems fear the Hindus will dominate and the Moslems will not be able to obtain their rights but will be held down and made into a servile part of the community, a constant source of unrest and potential civil strife.

The caste system still prevails in India, and under Hindu domination, fears are expressed by the non-Hindu part of the population, that the two top castes, the Brahman and Kshatriya will constitute a parliamentary aristocracy, able to obtain favors for themselves at the expense of the mass of the people. Any effort to destroy

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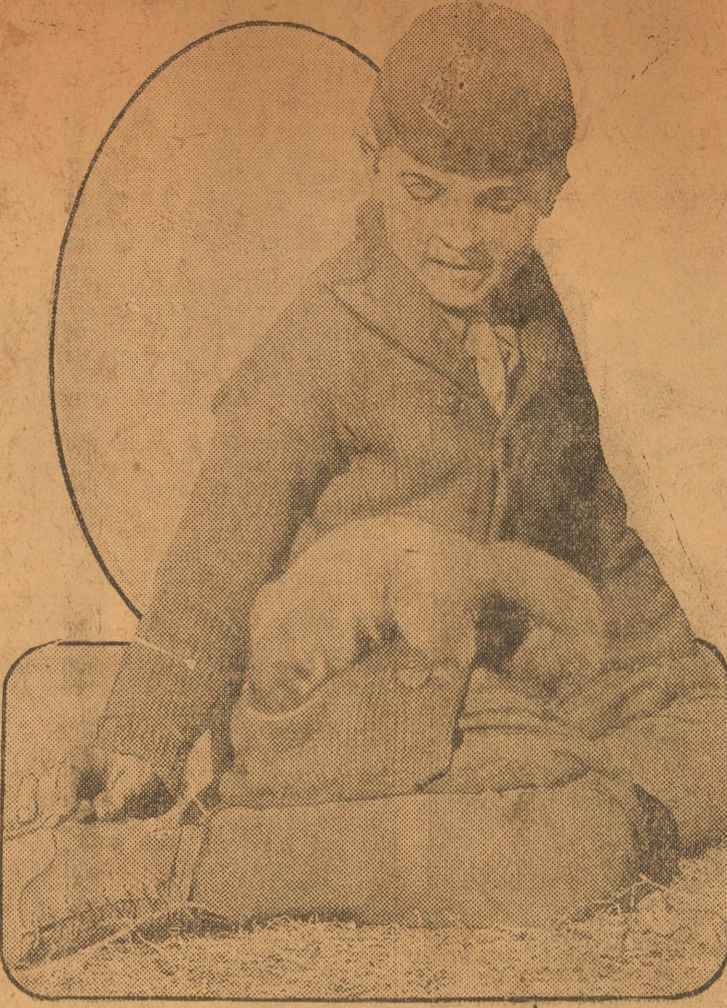
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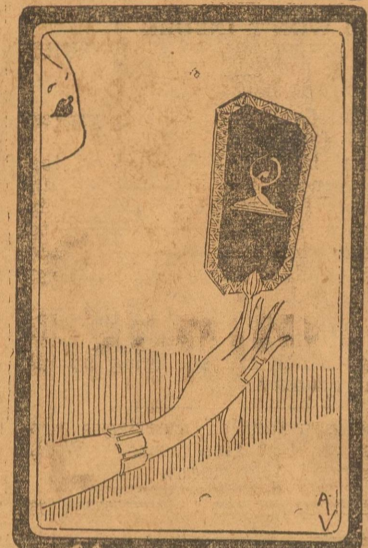


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th caste system, by legislative enactment, as a single reform measure, would have no chance of success. It is too closely associated with religious beliefs and with the normal life of India, having a tradition thousands of years old.

The hereditary native princes are in a state of anxiety concerning the effect on themselves if the Nationalist Hindus come into power with full legislative authority to work their will. These rulers believe a condition resembling bolshevism would be the consequence. They state that India has not developed competence as yet to govern itself and that princely administration is a necessity, under the protection of Great Britain.

These are some of the problems the British commission must examine before determining what measure of legislative autonomy India is competent to operate. The idea of "separate electorates" eventually must be abolished, but at the same time, Hinduism cannot be allowed to suppress the other racial elements in India's life.

The native princes cannot continue forever to play the part of earthly demigods, taxing their people and strutting about the earth in jeweled garments. The caste system must gradually give way to a spirit of democracy. But, the Indians have not demonstrated any capacity to undertake these reforms themselves. They talk about them in vague terms but do not advance concrete proposals.

Great Britain will have to take the responsibility of pressing for reform on the part of the Indians, then selves, before full self-government is

**\$5000 Each for Dead Bandits**



W. M. Massie, president of the Texas Bankers' Association, is offering \$5000 each for bank bandits—dead. Massie, a Fort Worth banker, is authorized by the 1000 members of the association to draw on them for \$5 each every time a bank bandit is killed. There is no reward offered for the capture of live bandits.

granted. How to do so, with any prospect of success is, indeed, the most important matter with which the British commission must deal.

**Salvation Army Drive Is Started Early Tuesday**

The Salvation Army campaign for funds for the work in Ranger opened this morning with six teams working. The business section has been restricted and a thorough canvass is being made in order that all may have the opportunity to make a contribution to this great cause. The appeal committee desires it to be

known that contributions to the army's budget do not necessarily have to be cash. Pledges, payable monthly or quarterly will be very acceptable. The records of past years show that while the majority subscribed and paid the full amount at once, a considerable number paid monthly or quarterly.

I. L. Portwood arrived at noon yesterday to assist the local workers during the few days of the actual solicitation. Mr. Portwood is a member of the American Legion, served sixteen months in France, was attached to the 90th division Texas and Oklahoma.

The campaign committee is determined to finish the drive in record time and asks the cooperation of the people of Ranger in helping to raise the quota of \$2,900 needed, by giving as liberally as they possibly can. The Salvation Army makes only the one appeal for its maintenance budget each year.

**Eastland County Boy Scouts Will Go to Rising Star**

A big time is planned for the Ranger, Eastland and Cisco Boy Scouts when they meet in a pow wow at Rising Star Friday night where they will give a parade on the streets of that city and give demonstrations of scout work.

Ranger scouts will leave the chamber of commerce offices at Ranger at 5 o'clock the Eastland scouts will leave the Eastland chamber of commerce rooms at 5:30; and the Cisco scouts will leave the chamber of commerce offices in that city at 6 o'clock Friday evening for Rising Star, arriving in that city about 7 o'clock for the pow wow, Guy N.

Quirl, scout executive, stated this morning.

The Boy Scout movement in Eastland county is gaining momentum. There are 12 troops and a total registered membership of 215 in the county. And it is hoped to increase this number materially when organizations have been completed at Carbon and Rising Star.

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**SPORTSMATTER**  
BY FRANK GETTY  
UNITED PRESS SPORTS EDITOR



**When Coaches Get Together.**  
Four of the country's most successful football coaches got together recently and among other subjects discussed was:

"The greatest player I ever coached." When I tell you that the coaches were Knute Rockne, Tad and Howard Jones and "Pop" Warner, and you stop to consider the mighty men in moleskin who have played under these football emperors, you will appreciate what it means to have such first hand judgment on such a subject.

First of all, Tad Jones' choice may surprise you, although it didn't surprise me. The Yale coach named Bruce Caldwell.

"Just about as great a back as I ever saw or heard of," said Tad, referring to the youngster who was rendered ineligible just before the major games of his last season.

Kicker, passer, ball carrier, blocker and tackler, Caldwell could do just about everything in as clean cut fashion, with more drive and energy and accuracy, than any back of the year.

If I were selecting an all-American eleven based on my own opinion, Bruce Caldwell would be first choice.

Well, after Tad Jones had surprised everyone by naming Caldwell, it was generally expected that "Pop" Warner would name Jim Thorpe, the mighty Indian.

But "Pop" had no, that Ernie Nevers, now a professional, was a more valuable football player than Thorpe.

"If Thorpe had possessed Nevers' temperament, he might have been the greater, but Jim was lazy. He wasn't trying all the time. Ernie was, and Ernie could do just about anything with a football when he tried." Warner said he rated Nevers as the greatest back of all time, certainly the superior of Drury, this year's Pacific Coast star.

Drury, naturally, was Howard Jones' choice. The Southern California captain did not set the stands on fire with his performance in the Notre Dame game. He kicked well, alternating with Jess Hibbs who is real All-America, passed and started like a streak of lightning from punt formation. But he did not seem at home on the slippery field, he fumbled a couple of times, and he missed the kick which would have meant at least a tie for the Trojans.

Knute Rockne agreed that the late

**Wild Cat Is Pet**



Little Rose Rutledge of Brownsville, Tex., is shown with the 30-pound Mexican wild cat that she keeps for a pet. Who said Texas wasn't wild?

George Gipp was his greatest gridiron production. Of all the stars turned out by the master astronomer of Notre Dame, Gipp shone most brightly.

They would make quite a backfield—these four, Morley Drury at quarterback, Caldwell and Gipp-half-backs and Nevers fullback. I do not think Drury quite belongs in that company.

The Trojan captain and his teammates were somewhat over-rated this year, in my opinion. Notre Dame took their measure at Soldier Field, outplaying them in every department.

**THE MOST VALUABLE PLAYER AWARD**

It was harder this year than ever before for the baseball writers committee to decide upon the most valuable player in the National League.

The award finally went to Paul Waner, fleet right fielder of Pittsburgh Pirates, 1927 champions. Few will dispute the choice of the youngster from Harts, Oklahoma, as the most valuable to his team of all season's stars, although Frankie Frisch of the Cardinals, Rogers Hornsby of the Giants and Charley Root of the Cubs were not far behind.

The balloting was closer this year than on any previous occasion, Waner receiving 72 votes, Frisch, 66, Hornsby, 54, Root, 46, and others, including Travis Jackson and Grover Cleveland Alexander, considerable support.

Last year, for instance, Bob O'Farrell, who won the most valuable player award, received 79 votes, while Hughie Critz, second choice, was far behind with 40, and Ray Kremer, of Pittsburgh, the third man, was the recipient of but 32 votes.

Paul Waner was the most important cog in the machine which finally rattled into first place at the very finish of an exciting National League race. With his brother, Lloyd, he solved the outfield problem after the defection of "Kiki" Cuyler.

This was Waner's second full year in the majors, as he was purchased from San Francisco along with Hal Rhyne in 1925. For the two seasons he has hit well over .300, and his fielding has been of the aggressive, "try-for-everything" type.

A ball player's ball player who can hit in a pinch or a world series as well right through the long playing season, P. Waner joins a select company which includes O'Farrell, Hornsby and Dazzy Vance, the Brooklyn pitcher.

The award, announced recently, carries with it a present of \$1,000 in gold from the National League.

**LLOYDS WON'T INSURE GREYHOUND IN FUTURE**

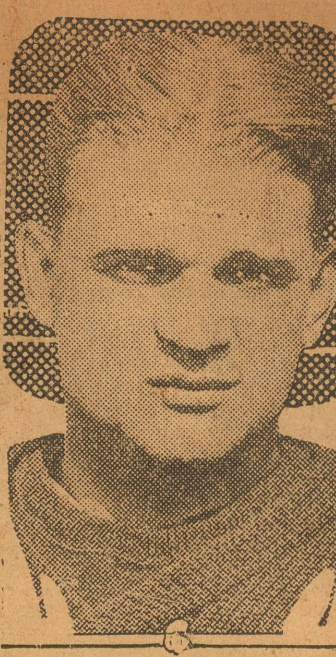
By United Press.  
LONDON.—The dogs have proven too much for Lloyds.

Choice by the "players" of too many winners has resulted in an edict from Lloyds—famous for their acceptance of almost all risks—to the effect that no further insurance on greyhounds or greyhound meetings will be issued.

This is a severe blow to the promoters of these very popular racing meetings which are springing up all over the country.

These new-fangled marriages are supposed to last five years. Well, that's some improvement.

**Kipke to Coach**



Harry Kipke, famous Michigan grid star of a few years ago, who has been an assistant coach at his alma mater since graduation, will next year have charge of football at Michigan State College. He has signed a three year contract.

**URGE \$2,000,000 HOME FOR CLEVELAND TEAM**

By United Press.  
CLEVELAND, O.—The Cleveland Indians will have a new home very much similar to the ankee stadium in New York if plans now contemplated are effected.

Site of the proposed stadium would be on the shore of Lake Erie within five minutes walking distance of the heart of the city. It would be built by the city with a bond issue subject to the approval of the voters, and paid for by a yearly rental from owners of the ball club.

Alva Bradley, president of the Indians, who with three millionaire associates recently purchased the team from Mrs. James C. Dunn, has approved the plan. The stadium would have a seating capacity of some 80,000 and would cost approximately \$2,000,000.

For the present however, the Cleveland team will continue to make Dunn field its home. Two years would be necessary to float the bond issues and build a stadium.

**Schedule of Frog Basketball Team Shows 12 Games**

FORT WORTH, Dec. 6.—The T. C. U. Horned Frog basketball team is scheduled to play 12 games in the southwest conference this season, five in Fort Worth and seven on foreign fields.

They open the season with a trip to Fayetteville, Ark., Jan. 6 and 7, where they meet the Arkansas Razorbacks in two games. The Arkansas quintet won undisputed claim to the conference championship the past two years and have practically the same team back this year that won the title for them the past season.

The remaining ten games are scheduled as follows: Jan. 11, S. M. U. in Dallas; Jan. 14, Baylor in Fort Worth; Jan. 21, A. & M. at College Station; Feb. 13, Rice at Houston; Feb. 20, Texas in Fort Worth; Feb. 24, Rice in Fort Worth; Feb. 27, Baylor at Waco and Feb. 28, Texas at Austin.

The Frogs began their practice

last week with the largest squad ever to report to Coach Bell trying out for the varsity five. Twenty men are working out daily. They will continue to work every afternoon through this month with the exception of six days required by the conference as Christmas holidays for athletes.

**RANGER MASONS ATTEND GRAND LODGE AT WACO**

District Grand Deputy C. E. May and Ernest Glazner, both of Ranger, are attending the Grand Lodge meeting at Waco. They are the representatives from the Ranger Masonic lodge.

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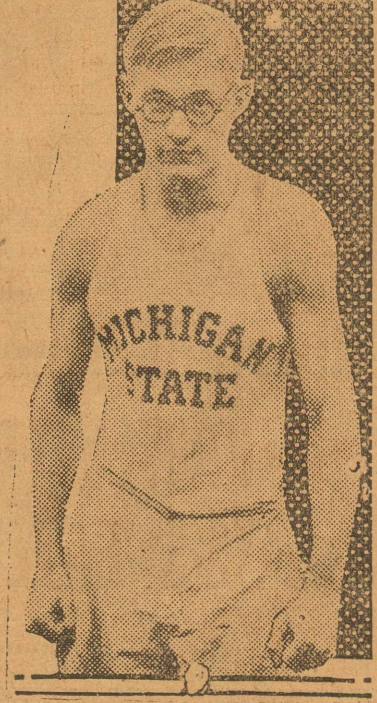
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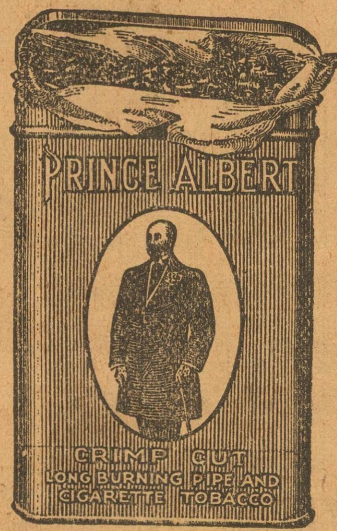
Loren Brown of Michigan State college, weighing only 110 pounds, is the outstanding harrier in the middle west. He has led his team to victory over Marquette, Notre Dame, and University of Michigan. Against Michigan he set a new mark of 25 minutes, 31 seconds for five mile course.

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### Big Bill Seen As United States Political Type

LONDON—"Big Bill" Thompson's private war on England and the political success of his method of attack strikes the British press as a cross between a strip of comics and an unbelievable nightmare.

The persistence of Big Bill's attacks prompted a section of the press to take a semi-serious view of the affair and moved the Evening Standard to comment editorially:

"Perhaps the most serious complaint that America could make against us would be that we do not take enough interest in her and her affairs and life in general.

"But if we are ignorant of America we must remember that they are ignorant of us, and that ignorance is a fertile soil in which not only misunderstandings but also fantastic legends can flourish freely. . . . The remedy for this lies in knowing one another better."

The Daily Telegraph finds difficulty in seeing the connection between Thompson's threat "to punch King George on the nose" and the matters of local Chicago politics, but admitting that the threat had much to do with Thompson's political success, says:

"This attack and the sudden alleged discovery that British propaganda was rife in the schools, is typical of the simple-minded directness of 'Big Bill' as well as his astonishing political astuteness.

"But how do people swallow such guff? I am asked. The answer is that it rings true to the vast majority of the peasant immigrants who constitute such a large section of Chicago's voters. As for 'Big Bill' himself I find him hard to describe. The man is so amazingly naive that he actually believes that his threats have sent King George into hiding behind double guards within one of his palaces.

"But so far as really harboring any animosity against the king, that is to say any animosity for which he could give a reason, it is probable that if he were shown a picture of the British monarch he would not recognize it. Besides, 'Big Bill' is not a reasoning person. He is simply a shouter of statements. That is why he is such an impossible antagonist. He is proof against both ridicule and argument. In the words of his adoring wife, 'You can't beat my big boy.' And of such are politicians in America."

Lively music makes people feel more active because the heart tends to keep time to any strong rhythm, and a rapid circulation stimulates activity, according to an answered question in this week's issue of Liberty.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most sincere thanks for the loving and helpful kindness shown to us during the illness and death of our little son, Reuben.—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mitchell and Olga and Elton.

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### War in Kentucky



The war in Kentucky over horse racing is not over. Attorney General Frank B. Daugherty (above) has filed suit to dissolve the Kentucky Jockey Club and forfeit its charter. The club, capitalized at \$4,000,000, a powerful influence in state politics, is violating state and national laws through operation of the pari-mutuel betting system at its tracks at Louisville, Lexington, Latonia and Chicago, Ill. The suit is an echo of the recent election when Judge Flem V. Sampson, friend of racing, was elected governor.

### BULLDOG TEAM IS PRESENTED ITS SWEATERS

Garland Hinman, Unanimous Choice on All District Tackle Named Captain

There have been thrilling moments, dramatic moments and sad moments in the various ups and downs of the Ranger Bulldog football team this year, and all these were combined at the high school Monday afternoon when the team was assembled and presented their lettered sweaters by Coach Cherry.

After the presentation of the letters, the lettermen had a meeting and elected Garland Hinman to be their chosen leader and captain for football for 1928.

Coach Blair Cherry, in a low voice and a husky one from having had his tonsils removed recently, made a very impressive talk to the team and followed it with a few remarks about each individual as he gave the sweaters out to them, telling each man about his good points and giving an indication of what would be expected of him in another year.

Garland Hinman received a sweater with three stripes and a star, signifying three years and captain, and David Whitehall received one with three stripes around the sleeve, too. Seth Hubbard and Byron Reeves each received two stripes, while the bal-

ance of the boys received one stripe. The 16 boys who made their first letter were Orville Tackett, Ray Trammell, Elton Mitchell, "Desdemona" Hammett, Turkey Hinman, Gene Nourse, Truman Bohannan, Charlie Hamilton, Ernest Whitehall, Randall Blackmon, James McLaughlin, T. L. Bumpers, Claire Seay, Tully, Horton and Love.

The two "managers" of the team, Saundito Gregg, received sweaters, too, with an "M" interwoven in the "R" in recognition of their work with the boys and taking care of the equipment. Alfred Glenn will receive a sweater in recognition of his being out there all the time, even though ineligible, and for coaching the rookie squad.

Fifteen of these letter men will be back for football next year, while David Whitehall, Byron Reeves, Seth Hubbard, Orville Tackett, and Ray Trammell have worn the Bulldogs' Maroon and White on the football field their last time.

The call for basketball practice was issued for 7:15 tonight and all men were requested to come out for it.

### BILLY EVANS' SPORT TALK

The Notre Dame-Southern California game was certainly the melting pot for sport celebrities from all walks of life. I was kept busy greeting many old-time friends from the ring, diamond and gridiron.

Among those present with sideline privileges were Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig, who, when not barnstorming or playing vaudeville engagements, his home runs for the New York Yankees.

The irresponsible Babe, who has more color than a couple of paint shops, broke into the limelight with a bang as usual at the proper spot in the play. Incidentally, he showed that he had profited by the football instructions he received last fall.

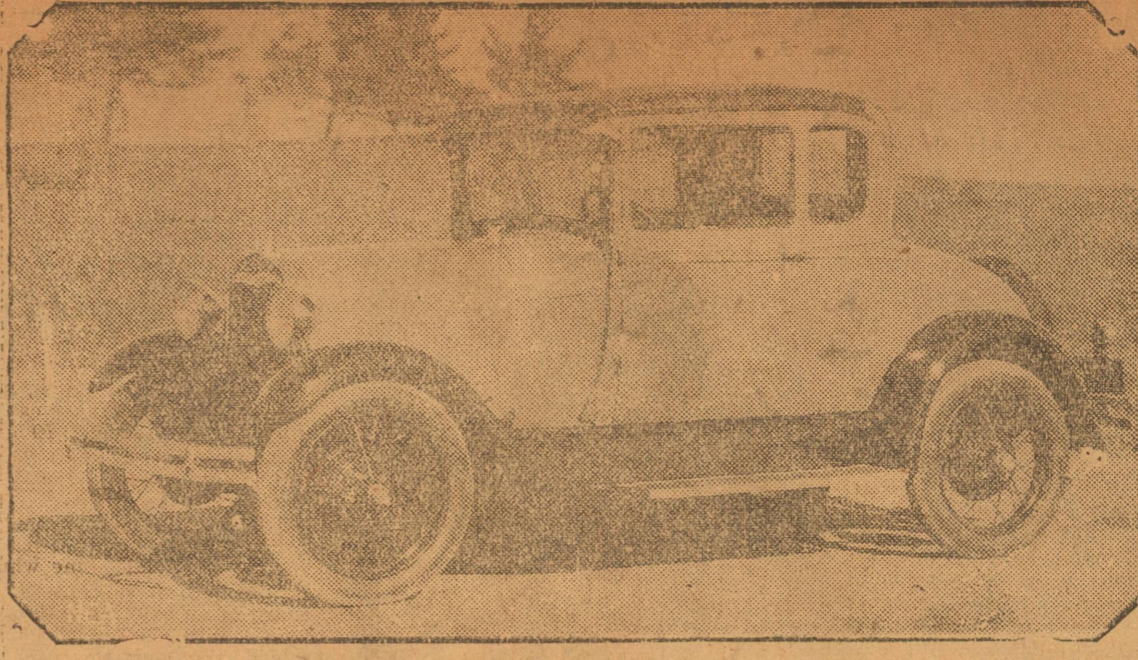
What do you mean, football instructions? you are no doubt asking. Let me explain. As good publicity for the barnstorming tour which, by the way, was a great success, netting each player about \$10,000, Ruth and Gehrig, at various college stops on the way to the coast, and while there, donned football suits and worked out.

Dr. Spears showed them how at Minnesota, Pop Warner explained the game when they dropped in at Stanford, while Howard Jones, at Southern California, taught the pair a few tricks when they made Los Angeles.

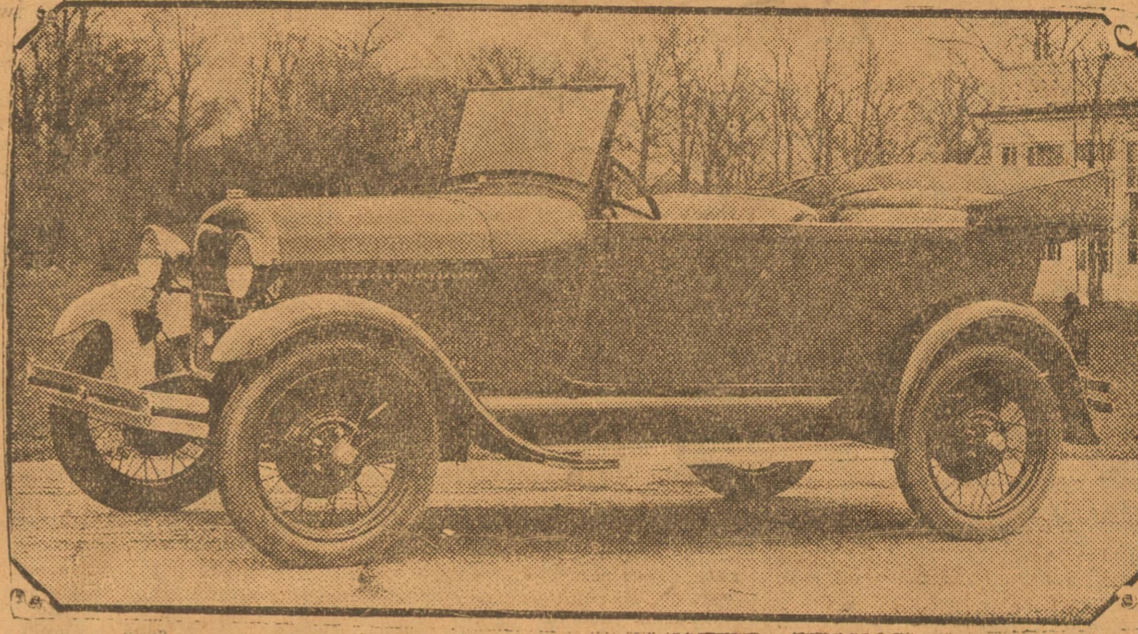
Ruth Gets Big Hand. At one stage of the game when one of Drury's long punts went out of bounds, a big husky chap was seen to arise from his sideline seat and catch the pigskin in the most approved manner, following it up with an accurate left-hand forward pass for about 40 feet.

Just as the crowd had decided he was some football star of other days, since his physique made it apparent he was an athlete, the announcer surprised the 110,000 by the statement that Babe Ruth, to show his versatility, had just grabbed a long punt from Drury, out of bounds, and sent

### Lizzie In a New Dress



This official picture shows the new Ford coupe. Study this picture and then compare it with the old model coupe and see how the lines have changed.



In this official picture, just released by the Ford Motor Company, is shown the new Ford touring car.

the ball back into play with a snappy forward pass to one of the officials. The Babe got his usual big hand when the crowd was wise to who he was, and he bowed his acknowledgment in the usual graceful Ruthian manner.

Ruth is very frank to say that he has no desire to take up football as a business. The game is too rough, thinks Babe. He would much prefer slugging the ball than getting slugged.

On Keeping Down Weight. Prone to take on weight quickly when the daily baseball grind is over, Ruth has packed on about 20 pounds since the closing of the season. However, he isn't worrying about that—says that's an annual fall pastime.

Gehrig, on the other hand, who also puts on weight quickly, is just

four ounces heavier than when the season opened. The Babe's weight has been increased because he has thrown caution to the wind as to his groceries since the season closed, while Gehrig sticks closely to a diet.

Ruth thinks 60 home runs will stand for some time as a major league record. Says he was more surprised than anyone else at breaking his mark of 59. Gives much credit to Gehrig, because he said the pitchers feared Lou more than him and thus pitched to him rather than pass him.

While admitting Gehrig is his greatest rival for swat honors, Ruth says no one is going to take the home run prestige away from him as long as he remains in the game. "The Yankees are a cinch to win

the pennant for at least two years more," is the way Ruth sizes up the pennant race in the American league.

### Strawn Thanks Ranger For Its Hi School Band

Preston Witherspoon of Strawn has sent the following letter of appreciation of Ranger's part in the recent Strawn-Farmersville game: "Strawn wants to take this opportunity to thank the Ranger high school band and the support of the people of Ranger and its high school band at our game last week. "The Greyhounds appreciate such

loyalty and we feel that if our neighboring towns do not cooperate we cannot be at our best. Some of our West Texas friends have been so kind as to go to Farmersville and coach and help them—study our men and our plays to help them win—but not so Ranger. We thank you and promise we will always help you. "Farmersville is a good town and beat us fair and square. "Strawn high school is not large enough to support a high school band and we thank you for helping us on this occasion. Witherspoon is a Strawn Greyhound.

### Scout Meeting At Carbon Develops Much Interest

The meeting in the interest of Boy Scout work held Monday night at Carbon was well attended and those present manifested much interest in the movement, according to Guy N. Quirl of Eastland, county scout executive. At this meeting J. T. Singleton, superintendent of the Carbon school, was named chairman of the troop committee and he will name three other members of the committee, these in turn to select a scoutmaster. Upon the permanent organization of the troop committee, Mr. Singleton will become a member of the county executive committee, representing Carbon. Another meeting will be held in Carbon next Thursday night at which time it is expected that the organization will be perfected.

Calles is taking Ambassador Morrow on a six-day automobile tour of Mexico. That is, we mean the trip is scheduled for six days.

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# President's Message

(Continued from page one.)  
more money to the farmer, who is already fairly well financed, but to lend money temporarily to experimental marketing associations which will no doubt ultimately be financed by the regularly established banks, as were the temporary operations of the war finance corporation.

**Flood Control.**  
Proposals that the federal government bear the entire cost of Mississippi river flood control were rejected at length in the president's message.

"Under the present law the land adjacent to the dikes has paid one-third of the cost of their construction," the message said. "This has been a most extraordinary concession from the plan adopted in relation to irrigation, where the rule has been that the land benefitted should bear the entire expense," the message explained.

"It is true, of course, that the troublesome waters do not originate on the land to be reclaimed, but it is also true that such waters have a right of way through that section of the country and the land there is charged with that easement. It is the land of this region that is to be benefited.

"Because of the expenses incurred and charges already held against this land, it appears that some revision will have to be made concerning the proportion of cost which it should bear. But it is extremely important that it should pay enough so that those requesting improvement will be charged with some responsibility for their cost.

"If the sources directly chargeable cannot meet the demand, the government should not fail to provide generous relief. This, however, does not mean restoration. The government is not an insurer of its citizens against the hazard of the elements."

**Issues Warning.**  
He also warned against tax reduction of more than \$225,000,000, the maximum recommended by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon. The surplus, his message declared, should be applied to debt reduction rather than tax reduction except in effecting a better balanced system of taxation.

"The secretary of the treasury has recommended a measure which would give us a better balanced system of taxation and without oppression produce sufficient revenue," the message declared. "It has my complete support. Any surplus can be applied to debt reduction and debt reduction is tax reduction."

The merchant marine should be given more attention as an auxiliary of the navy, the president said. He

# Will Troubadour-Land Lose Great Wine Industry?

### High Wine Prices Drive French to Drink Water but Famous Vineyards Flourish After Centuries.

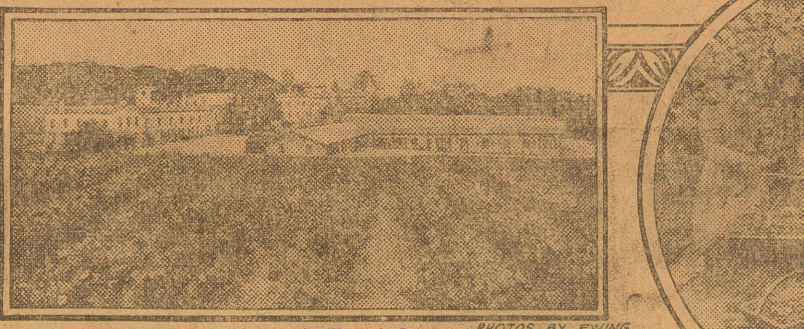
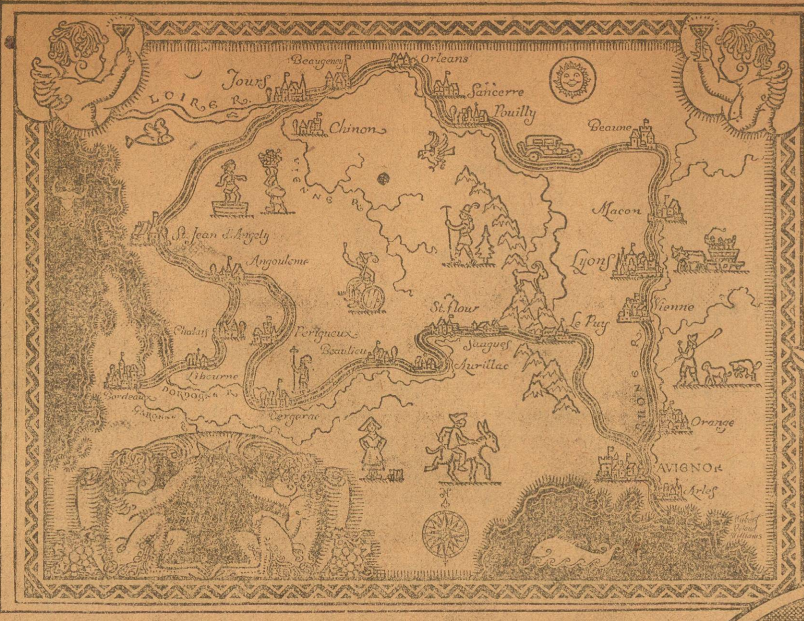
LEGIIONNAIRES and others returning from Paris report that the Frenchmen are not as gay as they used to be because they are being forced to drink water—and the less said about French water the better. Prices of wine have been climbing so high that the "drink of the gods" has become too expensive for ordinary mortals. What will become of France's greatest industry, ask the wine makers?  
Those returning from the sunny south of France, the land of the famous vineyards and of the troubadours, report dark clouds. For hundreds of years the people of the country have lived on the vineyards and their world-famous wines. The wine industry, like others, is suffering from high costs, and prices have gone up—and now the industry is suffering from a "buyer's strike."

### The Tourist Crop

However, the tourist crop seems to be making up for the wine. The country is very little changed from what it was eight hundred years ago, when Guilhem IX, first troubadour of tradition, wandered from tower to tower improvising his amorous "airventes." The resurrected ghost of Guilhem would find little changed the Castle of Chiron, grey sentinel of the River Vienne, or the Castle of Loudain, with its massive walls, moat and drawbridge. Wandering through the familiar vineyards of Provence, Burgundy or Languedoc, he would still hear the songs and laughter of the vineyard workers whose families have lived there for centuries.

The vineyards of Hermitage Hill, most renowned in the history of wine, still lie on the east bank of the Rhone near Orange. There in the bright sunshine happy vendangeurs—women in gayly colored sun-bonnets and dresses, men in red shirts, and dark, laughing girls—busily pick the grapes and carry them in hods to carts nearby. Only now the grapevines grow in three tiers upon the hill—the top to give body to the wine, the middle "bouquet," and the bottom fineness.

Making a tour of the old cities, the troubadour would recognize the old Gregorian chants issuing forth from time-honored cathedrals and see again on their west fronts the



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Above: A whimsical map of troubadour-land. Below: Views of famous Rothschild vineyards, wineries and harvesters at work.

old stained glass windows—symbols of the sun. At Avignon he might marvel at the fortress-palace of the Popes, where at the time of the Great Schism three grey-headed churchmen vied with each other for the Papal throne. The palace has been restored and is now a barrack.

Recently the well-known English woman novelist, G. B. Stern, went on a "wine tour" in this very district—to taste all the varieties of famous wine she could find. This unique trip, in her car called "Plot-sam," is described in her book, "Bouquet." In the Bordeaux vineyard region she and her fellow wine tourists visited the famous Rothschild cellar, whose cobweb covered walls are lined with over 100,000 bottles of every notable claret of every year, as far back as 1780. They explored also the Chateau Mar, aux, which has the largest wine vault in existence. Strange reports they bring of wine tastes—one had a famous "gun-flint" flavor, another wine reminds one of "wet iron," or "nice chewed

grass," and she found a bottle of 1906 Pouilly-sur-Loire, the taste of which makes one feel "as though one were in love for the first time."

One source of income is still open to the wine grower. If America is dry at least it continues to buy the grape's chief by-product—cream of tartar crystals, which goes into American baking powder. From the vineyards of the Department of Herault, famous throughout France for their product, the grapes are brought in cart loads to Montpellier, where they are transformed into wine and cream of tartar crystals.

### Crystals from Grapes

Montpellier was founded in 737 and here Petrarch studied law and theology from 1318 to 1322. Here the traveler may visit the factory where cream of tartar is made and join a party of tourists who are going on a sight-seeing trip through the building, led by a neatly dressed young man explaining in dramatic French.

Above: A romantic old castle with vineyards in foreground, Carcassonne. Below: The fortress-palace of the Popes at Avignon.

color and go through a rigorous process of refinement which includes many washings in boiling water and recrystallizations. After the last one, they are ground into a very fine, white powder.

How many American housewives who use cream of tartar baking powder in their kitchens realize that the important ingredient in this powder comes from the same grapes from which famous French wines are made?

Traveling on westward from Montpellier, the tourist finds himself nearing the famous Bordeaux vineyard region. Here he may visit the troglodyte church of the eleventh century at Saint-Emilion—a vast cave-like place of worship hewn out of a rock. The giant vases with flame shooting from their necks stand upon its famous rough carved altar above which Saint Michael and the dragon are sculptured in rock. The French of troubadour land have always mixed their religion with their wine—they made their living from the vineyards and thanked the "bon Dieu" when their vines flourished. And what will happen now when economics has descended on troubadour-land, only the "bon Dieu" knows.

recommended, however, that the government's ships be transferred as quickly as possible to private ownership.

The president said he could see no need for tariff reductions. Commenting on the suggestion that a lowering of the tariff might benefit the farmer, he said everything the farmer uses is already on the free list while nearly everything he sells is protected.

Muscle Shoals should be sold by the government and the proceeds applied to some service for agriculture, preferably to fertilizer production research, the message said, pointing out that hydro-electric nitrate plants are of little value since more economical methods of production have been discovered.

Construction of a dam at Boulder Canyon, Colorado, was recommended by the president as a flood control and irrigation measure. The Colum-

bia river basin project can be considered at some future time, he said, after it has been thoroughly studied. Stabilization of Great Lakes water levels and the opening of a shipway through the St. Lawrence river were also called to the attention of congress.

**National Defense.**  
Discussing inland waterways and experimental federal barge lines, the message said, "the problems of transportation over inland waterways should be taken up by private enterprise so that the public will have the advantage of competition in service."

As to national defense problems, the message said "we have provided a moderate military force in a form adapted solely to defense." The five-year program is in keeping with this idea, said the message. Mr. Coolidge also recommended good housing for the army.

Pointing to the necessity of pro-

coming industry," the president said. He advocated furtherance of air mail service to Mexico, Central and South America.

He favored national participation in building trunkline roads.

**Favors Cuba.**  
He favored more concessions to Cuba in the parcel posts convention, whereby her tobacco could come in more readily.

After making recommendations as to Philippine expenditures, the message said extension of the policy of self-government will be hastened by the Filipino demonstration "of their desire their ability to carry out cordially and efficiently the provisions of the organic law."

Prohibition was dismissed with a paragraph. The federal authorities propose to discharge their obligation for enforcement to the full extent of their ability," said the concluding paragraph.

The president recommended an anti-lynching law, and counseled improvement of facilities for care of the Indians.

He reiterated earlier suggestions for appointment of a board of mediation and conciliation to deal with coal disputes.

He suggested that the government give the secretary of interior authority to withhold from the market Indian oil lands in time of oil over-production, and told congress oil conservation plans would be submitted later.

He advocated a railroad consolidation measure, delay in which, he said, "is holding back the progress of our country."

Furtherance of veterans aid and education were also advised.

Touching on foreign relations, the president again emphasized America's pacific intents and said, of international war outlawry proposals that "the heart of the nation is more important than treaties."

**CRITICS BOYCOTT PLAYHOUSE IN ROME**  
By United Press.

ROME—A boycott of the Quirino Theatre has been declared here by the Rome dramatic critics, in consequence of a violent scene that took place in the lobby of the theatre on a first night.

The dramatic critic of the "Popolo di Roma" a fascist daily, had some days previously severely criticized a new production put on by the management of the Quirino.



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Testing a long coast line and considerable trade routes as well as the Panama canal, Mr. Coolidge wrote that "we need a very substantial sea armament."

"The country, he continued, needs aircraft development which is being provided under the five-year program."

"It needs," he continued, "submarines as soon as the department decides upon the best type of construction. It needs airplane carriers and a material addition to its force of cruisers. We can plan for the future and begin a moderate building program."

The message noted that Japan had co-operated at the recent Geneva arms parity but that we had been unable to reach an agreement with Britain. However, Mr. Coolidge pointed out that this failure of Geneva was not influencing the cruiser program, and that this country, even under a Geneva agreement, would have had to increase its cruiser strength.

He emphasized anew his insistence that the American military establishment "holds no threat of aggrandizement."

The message, a document tremendous in scope, touched on many other phases of national needs. Congress' past policy on development of commercial aviation is "producing sound development of this

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EASTLAND PEOPLE WILL HEAR HEALTH LECTURE  
Dr. Chas. R. Campbell, medical research editor of Holland's magazine will deliver a stereopticon lecture on sanitary conditions and prevention of disease, particularly malaria, at the Eastland club house Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The lecture, which is being sponsored jointly by the Eastland Civic League and the three parent-teacher associations, will be free and open to the public. The Civic League has announced the postponement of their regular meeting Wednesday until Friday afternoon on account of the lecture, according to Mrs. Eric Johnson.

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## Commission Will Receive Bids For New Water Pump

Bidding on high and low centrifugal pump is expected to be brisk tonight at the meeting of the Ranger city commission.

At noon today representatives from four different pump manufacturing firms were in Ranger. Wm. Pearce and Son of Dallas, Allis Chalmers of Dallas, Fairbanks company and Smith and Whitney of Dallas were all represented here.

It looks as though it will be a far different story from last Tuesday night when only one bidder was present, H. B. Bickers of the Smith-Whitney company. At that time the commission was in a trading humor, but in bids the matter was deferred until tonight, with the result that at least four will present their bids.

The opening of the bids is a sequel to the plans that are being made for improving the water service in Ranger, especially as pertains to the installation of a second complete unit.

Mayor Thurman who was absent at the last meeting will preside over the meeting tonight.

## DRILLING REPORT

Gilman & McMurray, Roy Hickman No. 1, intention to drill, Brown county, depth 1300 feet.

J. B. Blanchard & C. G. Porter, Mrs. S. C. Kesler No. 1; intention to drill, Brown county, depth 1350 feet.

H. A. Calk, Byrds Store No. 1, intention to plug, plugging record and well record, Brown county.

The Texas company, J. T. Davis No. 1, 2nd hole, Callahan county.

Cisco Oil company, R. D. Williams, No. 6A, Callahan county.

Mrs. R. D. Williams No. 53 plugging record, Callahan county, depth 295 feet.

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**METHODIST PASTOR WILL FILL HIS PULPIT SUNDAY**  
Rev. George W. Shearer, pastor of the First Methodist church, Ranger, will be home tomorrow from a recent stay in a Fort Worth hospital. The pastor will be in his pulpit as usual Sunday.

The board of stewards met last night at the church and worked on the year's budget. According to J. M. Edwards, it was a very enthusiastic meeting and largely attended.

**NOTICE**  
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LOST—A Holstein cow, black and white spotted. Phone A. D. McKeehan, Ranger cafe, Ranger.

**2—HELP WANTED—MALE**  
NOTICE—Wanted man or woman with car to solicit subscriptions over Eastland county for Ranger Times and Eastland Telegram. Good money. Call at once. Ranger Times.

**4—SITUATIONS WANTED**  
WANTED—Position by experienced waitress, Apply 510 West Valley, Eastland.

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**7—SPECIAL NOTICES**  
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**Here Is Good Way To Do Away With Family Quarrel**

BY RANDALL GOULD (United Press Staff Correspondent)  
MANILA.—The men who married a dumb wife is more than a fiction title in the Philippines. It accurately describes a matrimonial situation which seems curiously prevalent in these tropic isles.

Of course the wives in question are not actually dumb. But to all intents and purposes they might as well be. They are dumb by force of circumstances, as it were. For their husbands can't speak their language, nor can they speak the tongue of their lords and masters.

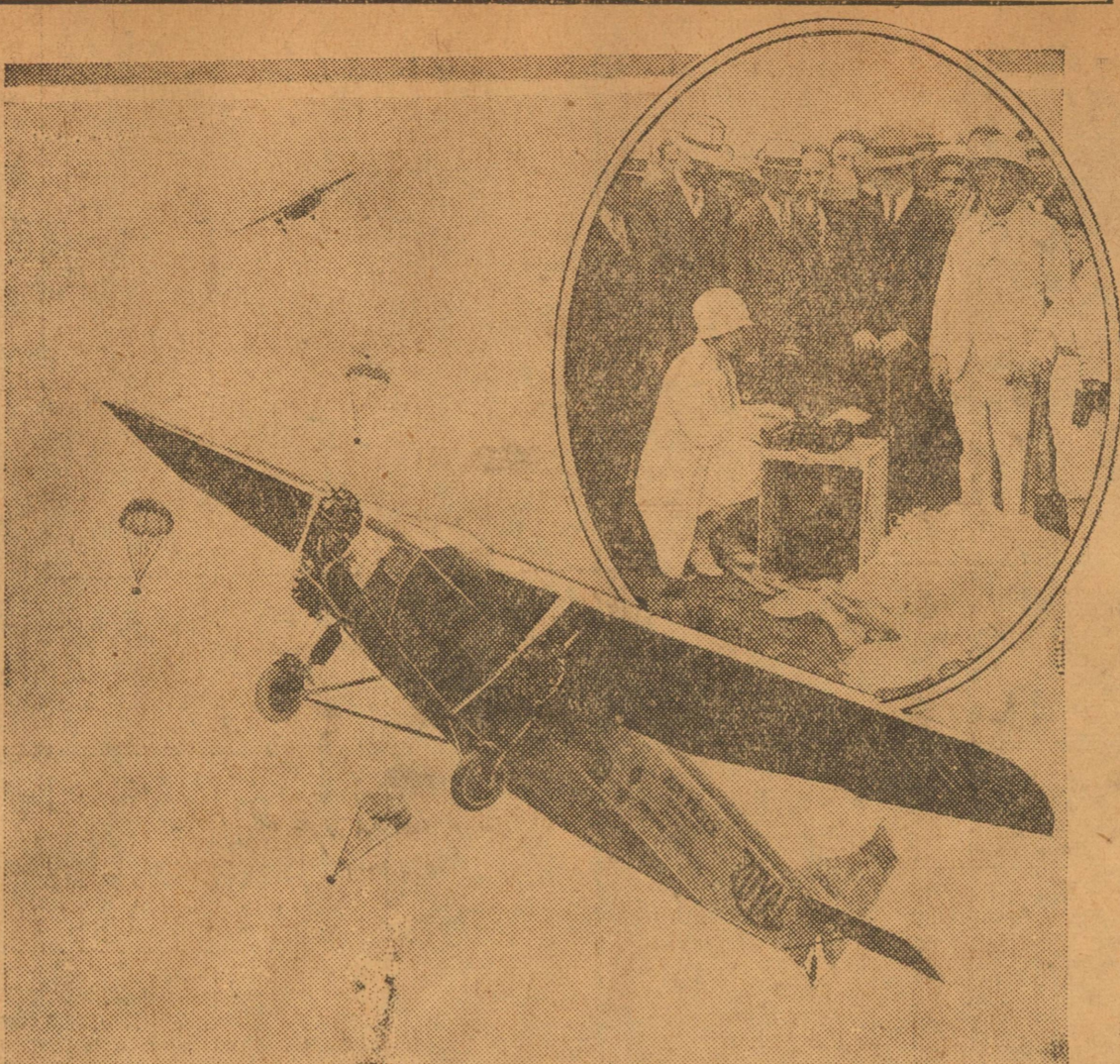
Throughout the far East it is common for white foreigners to marry women of the country in which they settle. Nowhere save in the Philippines, however, does a practically complete lack of verbal contact seem at all prevalent. Perhaps it is the enervating climate, which is not conducive to the mental exertion required in learning a new language. In any case, examples of this strange mating are not hard to find.

In one case the wife is a pure-blood Filipino woman who speaks both Spanish and the Tagalog dialect, but no English. The husband speaks English only. They have two children who do quite well in all three languages and now serve as family interpreters.

Another odd case was found in the union of a Japanese woman and an American. Neither speaks the other's language, though in Japan such unions ordinarily result in each picking up a smattering of the other's speech at once. The situation seemed so extraordinary that an interpreter was obtained in order to query the wife in detail. She said: "You see, my husband works at night and he stays home and sleeps in the day-time. I work during the day and sleep at night. We hardly see each other and don't find it at all inconvenient not to be able to talk. When we want to converse we can always find somebody hardy to interpret."

Observers of these speechless matings point out that they have certain striking advantages over the ordinary sort. There is no chance for a quarrel, because neither can start it. Intellectual friction isn't likely to develop where there is no exchange of views. Neither can be bored with the other's conversation. Ill-feeling is avoided by the absence of temptation to "have the last word," for

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where there isn't any first word there can't very well be a last one.

On the other hand, the wife has to go out and tell the neighbors when she detects several pesos missing from the weekly pay envelope. There is no chance to settle the matter within the family circle. Also, if the husband feels that the food isn't appearing fast enough or in sufficient quantity, he is handicapped in making his ideas known.

**They'll Legislate—If in jail**

Even if they have to meet in Jail, Oklahoma's insurgent legislators will investigate the administration of Governor Henry S. Johnston. The governor has applied for an injunction against them, and should this be granted any session would be in contempt of court. The "big four" of the anti-Johnston forces are pictured above. At the top, left, is Representative Robert C. Graham; right, representative E. P. Hill, slated to become speaker of the special session, left, below Representative Tom Johnson; right, Representative H. T. Knight.

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**CONSTABLE'S SALE**  
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued by Honorable J. N. McFatter, justice of the peace of precinct No. 2, Eastland county, Texas, in a certain cause in his court, wherein Mrs. Sadie Novakovich a feme sole, is plaintiff, and John Dalakis is defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 10th day of November, 1927, in favor of said plaintiff, Mrs. Sadie Novakovich, a feme sole, and against said defendant, John Dalakis, for the sum of \$137.50, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from date of said judgment, together with all costs of suit, amounting to \$9.53. I have levied upon, and will, on the second Saturday in December, 1927, it being the 10th day of said month at the office of Honorable J. N. McFatter, justice of the peace of precinct No. 2, Eastland county, Texas, in the City of Ranger, Texas, within the legal hours as provided by law, that is, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., proceed to sell for cash, to the highest bidder, all of the right, title and interest of John Dalakis, in and to the following described personal property levied upon by myself as the property of John Dalakis, to-wit:

Two tables, stove, cafe fixtures, linoleum floor covering, 1 large gas heater, long lunch counters, 8 large cafe oak tables, 24 best oak dining chairs, 12 or 14 counter stools, cafe dishes and glasses, cafe cooking utensils, water cooler, large gas range, 2 large electric fans, 1 large ice box, fixtures for light globes, 1 large electric light globe, large electric signs and ceiling fans, and all other articles belonging to the said John Dalakis now in the possession of Mrs. Sadie Novakovich.

The above sale will be made by me to satisfy said above described judgment for \$137.50, plus interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from November 10th, 1927, together with all costs of said suit, including all costs of levying upon said property and making sale thereof, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

C. C. HAMILTON,  
Constable, precinct No. 2, Eastland County, Texas.

**Filling Station**  
Robbed; Owner Is Target of Bandit

Fat's Filling Station on the Ranger-Eastland highway, at the junction of the Gorman road with the highway, was the scene of a cash registry robbery last night about 8 o'clock.

The proprietor of the filling station L. (Fat) Warner thought it was a joke until a pistol shot from the fleeing youth, made him realize that it was a joke, it had gone too far.

About \$10 was taken from the register inside of the station, but the bandit dropped 15 cents in his hurry to get away.

According to Mr. Warner, he had crossed the road to a cafe to get a cup of coffee but he was seated where he could watch his shop, which he left open with a light burning on

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The friend who shot the man whose food looked to him like a rabbit should go hunting with a policeman and get some big game.

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**WASHINGTON LETTER**

By RODNEY DUTCHER.  
WASHINGTON.—Congressman A. Platt Andrew of Gloucester, Mass., cares not who leads the forthcoming struggles over flood relief, farm relief and tax relief, so long as he can lead the war on the children's bureau, which functions under the department of labor. It appears that his efforts may be accompanied by a war cry of "Battleships or Babies" for Andrew wants to eliminate the appropriation for the children's bureau and spend that sum and much more for new cruisers.

Friends of the babies have no objection to cruisers, but they point out that the appropriation to the bureau, if diverted, would hardly buy more than a couple of smoke stacks.

Congressman Andrew said this: "The bureau, which was started in 1913 with an appropriation of less than \$22,000, has gradually increased its demands until during the present year the appropriation amounts to nearly \$1,500,000."

If Andrew doesn't know it already, he probably will soon be advised that his figures are misleading. The fact is that only \$294,000 was appropriated for the children's bureau itself for 1927. It was also given \$50,000 for expenses in administering the Sheppard-Towner maternity act and congress appropriated \$350,000 to be distributed among the states as provided in the Sheppard-Towner act, but the 1913 organic act creating the children's bureau is altogether different from the maternity and infancy act of 1921 providing for federal aid for maternity and infant hygiene work to states contributing an equal amount.

Somehow, whenever any statesman undertakes to attack the system of bureaucracy so firmly saddled upon us, he starts—and generally stops—with the children's bureau. He speaks of the importance of "abolishing useless government bureaus," with never a message about the various commissions and soft jobs around town populated by lame ducks and other retired servants of the people—or the party.

The work of the children's bureau itself—disregarding the maternity and infancy act of which nearly every state has been glad to accept the benefit—is part of the great scientific research system of the government. The law provides that the bureau shall investigate and report on all matters pertaining to the welfare of children and child life among all classes and shall especially investigate questions as to infant mortality, birth rate, orphanage, juvenile courts, desertions, dangerous occupations, accidents and diseases of children, employment and legislation affecting children.

In 1912 the national research council surveyed 553 projects undertaken by the government and estimated the total federal cost at about \$14,700,000. These were carried on under 23 bureaus. Something like

360 were purely research projects devoted to "the acquisition of new knowledge by the method of systematic scientific investigation."

These research projects covered subjects ranging from diseases of trees, tobacco, cabbages and sugar beets and scabies and other diseases of sheep, cattle and horses, all the way to means for increasing the durability of fish nets in the water and standardization of methods testing chemical reagents. Extensions of government research work are being made constantly under the various government departments.

**AUSTIN.**—County judges of eight counties and the mayors of 15 Texas cities have been notified of their right to be heard before the motor division of the state railroad commission on the application of the Union bus company of San Antonio for a permit to operate between Junction and Davis Mountain Filling Station.

All bus operators now running lines on the route also have been notified. Bexar, Kerr, Kendall, Kimble, Sutton, Crockett, Pecos and Reeves are the counties affected. The following cities also are interested, San Antonio, Leon Springs, Comfort, Boerne, Kerrville, Ingram, Mountain Home, Segovia, Junction, Koozeville, Sonora, Ozona, Sheffield, Balmorhea and Fort Stockton.

The hearing will be held at Fredericksburg, Dec. 9. There will be hearings on the same day on applications for permits for line between Fredericksburg and Kerrville, and Austin, Kerrville and San Antonio.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
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**CHARGES FILED AFTER ROBBERY OF GAS STATION**

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wards the filling station and just as he reached the gasoline pump, the young man came out of the station. Mr. Warner called to him and asked him what he wanted at the same time commanding a big bull dog that was with him, to be quiet. The intruder did not answer, but walked around the station and then crossed to the Gorman road and broke into a run, with Mr. Warner after him.

Mr. Warner stated that he thought it was a joke that was being played on him and did not realize that he had been robbed, but just about that time, a pistol shot warned him that it was no joke. He returned to the shop, checked up his cash and found that about \$10 was missing. The youth had dropped 15 cents in his hurry to get out of the station.

The police were notified and the arrest of the young man was made this morning.

**OTHER ROBBERIES ARE REPORTED IN RANGER**

It was far from dull in other parts of Ranger. A locked in thief obtained between \$20 and \$25 at Simmons Filling Station at the corner of Walnut and North Austin streets, and walked out undetected.

Chief Ingram, in speaking about the matter this morning said that the robber was locked in when the station closed for the night and was hidden in a small bath room in the building. Examination of this room confirmed suspicions as to that fact. The door was found locked this morning and all windows locked and barred.

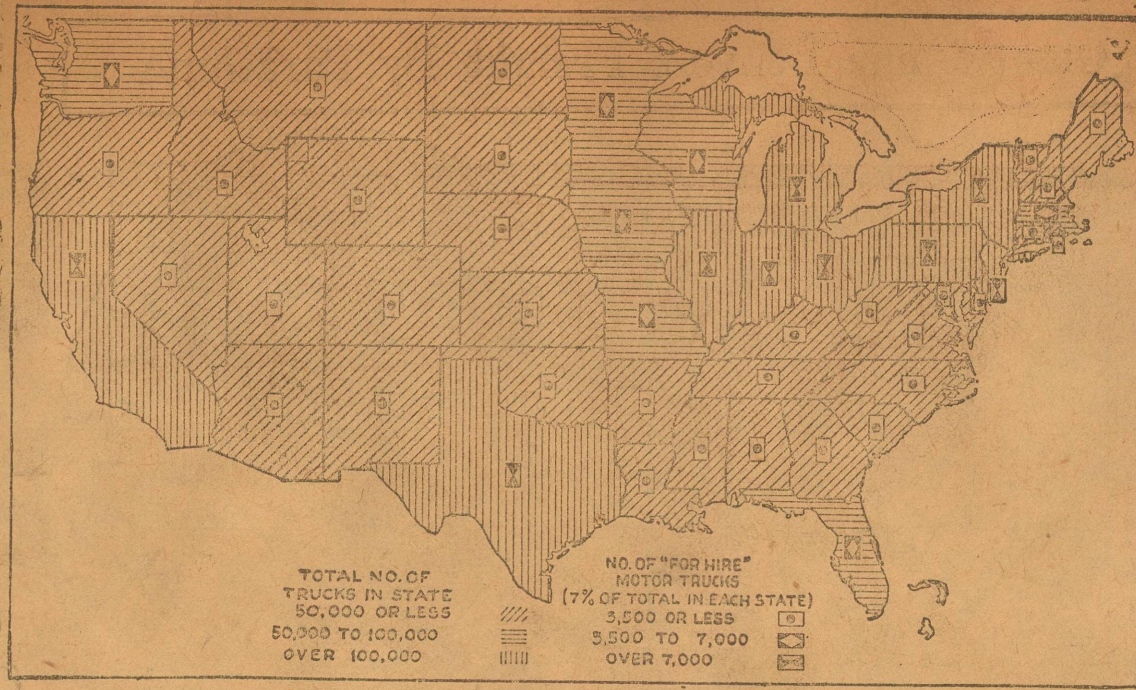
No arrests have been made in the case.

A man and a car are being held by the police in connection with a theft of gasoline from one of Chestnut and Smith's plants. Several days ago a complaint that gasoline was being stolen from some of the drips was made and the police were asked to send a man out there to watch out for the thief or thieves.

Last night their watch was rewarded when they caught one man and a car. A second man escaped but left his car. Charges in connection with the affair were expected to be filed today.

During the night the police caught a man wanted in Mineral Wells on two charges in connection

**"For Hire" Trucks Only 7% of Total**



Of the 2,764,000 trucks in the United States, only 193,000, or 7%, are "For Hire" motor trucks. The above chart shows the approximate number of trucks in each state. The small symbols represent the approximate number of "For Hire" trucks (7% of the total) in each state. These figures are from a survey of the truck situation by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

with an alleged car of booze taken from him in that city several days ago. He was taken back to Mineral Wells this morning.

**Rebecca Rogers Trial Drags In Selecting Jury**

By United Press.  
LAGRANGE, Texas, Dec. 6.—The entire morning session of the trial of Rebecca Rogers, charged with robbing the bank at Buda a year ago, failed to add a juror to the three selected last night.

"We'll not get through this year," Judge M. C. Jeffrey declared at the noon recess. "The tactics being employed will disqualify 99 per cent of the jurors in this or any other county."

During the questioning of jurors two were found who had never heard of the case. Another declared that bank robbing was a man's job and "if she's taking up a man's job she ought to be punished just the same as a man."

Senator Jim Reed says you can't make men good by law. Maybe not, senator, but that's one way of making them more interesting.

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**Such a Politician!**



William Hoover, socialist city treasurer-elect of Reading, Pa., has announced that he'll accept only \$6,000 less than the 1926 appropriation while he is in office. Although the job's budget for monetary federal relief for farmers.

**PRESIDENT REQUESTS BIG BUDGET**

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\$13,000,000 was requested to supplement the \$8,131,000 pending in the second deficiency bill.

Operating of the veterans' bureau in 1929 will cost the government \$560,000,000, an increase of \$31,600,000.

The president asked for an appropriation of \$142,753,229 for the agriculture department in 1929, or \$591,000 less than the 1928 appropriation. No provision was made in the budget for monetary federal relief for farmers.

River and harbor work was estimated at \$68,176,200, including \$10,000,000 for Mississippi river and \$400,000 for Sacramento river flood control; and \$275,000 for maintenance and operation of dam number 2, Muscle Shoals, Ala.

For the first time in history the budget asked money for retiring government employees. Mr. Coolidge asked congress to appropriate \$19,950,000 for civil service retirement and \$213,000 for foreign service retirement.

An appropriation of \$135,000,000 for refunding taxes illegally collected also was asked.

The president commented briefly on the new size of paper money to be produced by the treasury and the rapid retirement of outstanding second Liberty loan bonds, lessening the interest charge.

For prohibition enforcement work the president requested \$691,264 less than the amount received for law enforcement this year. The dry appropriation will be about \$12,500,000.

A more adequate navy; waterway and harbor development; development of a privately operated merchant marine; replacement of capital ships; divorcement of government from business of all sorts; economic independence for agriculture; industry and business generally; encouragement of industry and finance; extension of the policy of limiting armaments.

Economic development and not economic reform will give the greatest good to the greatest number of people, Mr. Coolidge asserted.

"In the immediate past, certain elements of agriculture have apparently been behind the benefits of prosperity that others have enjoyed," he said. "That unfortunate condition has been gradually disappearing, until just at present agriculture as a whole is better circumstanced than some sections of industry."

Government operation of the merchant marine has been helpful but far lacking of complete success, the president said.

The burglar who stole a typewriter must have been reading some of the reporters' stories about the "winter crime wave."

**Senator Curtis Of Kansas Once Was Tribal Hero**

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—One night 52 years ago in a roadside camp of a band of Kaw Indians outside of Topeka, Kan., there was great rejoicing that 15-year-old Charlie Curtis had returned to his people.

Curtis, now republican floor leader of the senate and aspirant for the republican presidential nomination, was then the boy hero of the tribe. He had saved his people from the hated Cheyennes by a hazardous 60-mile walk through enemy territory to Topeka for help when he was but 10 years old. For five years he had been a jockey on the little half mile Kansas tracks and gained the fame which was due to a successful rider in that pioneer region.

But at 15 he had grown too heavy to ride. His band had come through town in their wanderings and he had seen his old friend, his comforter, his Indian grandmother Julie Poppin, who had raised him. He was glad to be among his own people. He was going back to the life of a reservation Indian.

After the celebration that night, however, Julie Poppin came over to where he was sleeping and awakened him. There under the stars she talked to her grandson in native Kaw. She told him that his future lay with his father's people; that he was then at the turning point of his life; that if he rejoined the tribe he could hope only to be a blanket Indian.

Julie Poppin persuaded the lad to mount one of the best Indian ponies and speed back to Topeka, to the

white man's land—to an education, to a United States senatorship, to the republican leadership of the upper house of congress and possibly to the presidency of the United States.

Curtis is one-fourth Indian. Julie Poppin married a Frenchman and their daughter was the wife of an English trader named Curtis. The lad lived with the Kaw tribe until he was 10. At that time the Kaws were besieged by their ancient enemies, the Cheyennes, and someone was required to go to Topeka, 60 miles away, for assistance. It was young Charlie Curtis who volunteered. The journey had to be made afoot because all the horses of the Kaws had been stolen by the Cheyennes. Curtis made the trip and sent the relief which saved his tribe.

He liked Topeka and remained there. His natural fondness for horses induced him to become a jockey but when he went back to the white man's country at the age of 15, he decided to turn to new efforts. His savings as a jockey enabled him to go to school for a year. Then he bought an old hack and made a deal with the owner of a livery stable whereby the stable would furnish the horses and feed, he would contribute the hack and drive it, and the profits would be divided. In this manner he obtained his schooling.

By the dim light of the hack's lamps at night he studied law from books which he borrowed from a friend who was an attorney. As a graduate of this livery university he passed the bar exams and entered a Topeka law firm.

From that point his career became less romantic. He distinguished himself in a criminal case and in 1884 was elected to his first public office as county attorney. A few years later he was elected to congress and in 1907 to the senate.

**TRUCK CASING FOUND BY RANGER POLICEMAN**

A nice new truck casing belonging to somebody is being held at the Ranger police station. It was found off Clay street by the Ranger police and can be had by the one properly identifying it, Chief Ingram stated today.

**OIL BELT AUTO DEALERS WILL MEET IN EASTLAND**

Members of the Oil Belt Automobile Dealers association, which includes those of Baird, Cisco, Rising Star, Breckenridge, Caddo, Eastland, Ranger, Gorman and others, will hold their regular monthly meeting in Eastland Thursday night at the Texas Hotel where a banquet will be served.

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# POINCARÉ MAY TURN LIBERAL, WRITER SAYS

### Considers That Step in Hopes of Blocking Socialists in Next Election.

By J. W. T. MASON.  
(Written for the United Press.)  
NEW YORK.—Indications are developing in France pointing to Premier Poincaré, hitherto the spokesman of capitalism and conservatism, abandoning his "right" position and seeking his future political fortunes as a member of the radicals of the "left."

Next spring there will be a general election in France and disquietude is apparent among the financiers and bourgeoisie alike. For if M. Poincaré fails to return to power, they fear the alternative will be an extreme socialist government, inclining to communism and possible confiscation.

To save France from such an outcome, influence is being exerted on Poincaré to abate his own conservatism and change to a liberal. If he were to do so, there is no expectation that at the same time he will abandon his foreign policy of trying to keep Germany down. His liberalism will be exclusively confined to domestic policies while he will retain his conservatism in international affairs. This mixed attitude is regarded by French politicians as being a certain vote getter if Poincaré is able to ride two horses at once.

There is a real fear in France of communistic activities unless social reform is made a practical government policy. At the same time, the solid French shopkeepers do not like to support the socialists, who have created an impression that their program for amelioration of France's hard economic conditions might lead to an attack on the middle class as has been the case in Russia.

The alternative to a Poincaré radical government after the coming elections is a socialist administration. But, the socialists are handicapped by the fear among voters of extreme measures. The suggestion has been made to the socialist leaders that they ought to abandon all forms of extremism in their platforms and move toward more practical realizations in political method. As a matter of fact, the vast majority of French socialists are not in favor of violence nor do they desire to engage in any revolutionary changes of industrial ownership. But, obeying the ruthless spirit of logic in the French character, they pretend to favor immediate entrance by the government into commerce and industry in accordance with the communistic program.

The curious situation, therefore, has arisen in French politics that while the conservatives of Premier Poincaré, may turn more liberal, the socialists may turn more conservative. Such an outcome would isolate both classes of political extremists, the "diehard" financiers and the reactionaries at one end and the violent bolshevist communists at the other end. A middle course would then be assured for France whether a Poincaré bloc or a purely socialist government were to come into power. Such an outcome would have a quieting effect on France domestically, for the time being; and as the predominant political interests of the French voters are domestic, France would be given a breathing time to continue her post-war recovery.

But, sooner or later, France must face the reality of the international European situation. The only outstanding political leader in France now trying to do so is Foreign Minister Briand, who desires a policy of moderation toward Germany and conciliation with Russia. He has been consistently over-riden, however, by Poincaré, and his prestige has fallen during the present year because French popular opinion wants the "status quo" internationally to become permanent. No such permanence, however, is possible. There are too many "Alsace-Lorraines" left by the Versailles treaty, and especially, the severance of Germany into two parts by the Polish Danzig corridor can no more remain permanent than if Mexico were to have been awarded a strip of territory passing through the United States from the Rio Grande to Canada. Great Britain has refused to guarantee present European boundaries. That they will be changed eventually is regarded as certain in most of the European capitals. Even Paris must believe it sooner or later, for if peaceful negotiations carry no relief, war will become inevitable. This, however, is an issue postponed for the time being in France. Domestic problems are more pressing, for France is poor, with a rich man's ambitions.

# Employees Are Important At Joseph's Store

(Continued from page one)  
for the firm each day and helping to maintain its ideals of service.

Miss Helen Heinen is bookkeeper-cashier with a service of six months to her credit. It is she who keeps the records straight, who handles change, and who constantly murmurs "Thank You" as patrons come and go from the cashier's desk. She may take the cold cash, but she does it so courteously that one does not mind parting with the elusive dollars.

This completes the roster of the firm's employees. These are the men and women who have made anniversaries such as will be celebrated this week, possible. These are the employees who will save the crowds that will surge through the portals of the big department store on anniversary bargains, and who will when the sale is over be among the warmest wishers for a "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year" for each and every patron of the store of which they are so necessary a part.

# Cosmetics Are Popular With Russian Women

By United Press.  
BERLIN.—War, revolution, civil strife and the rebuilding of Russia, have not lessened the desire of the Russian woman to appear physically attractive. Since my last visit to Moscow two years ago, women have improved their dress, taken to the lipstick and the powder puff, tidied their appearance and introduced a splash of color in their garments.

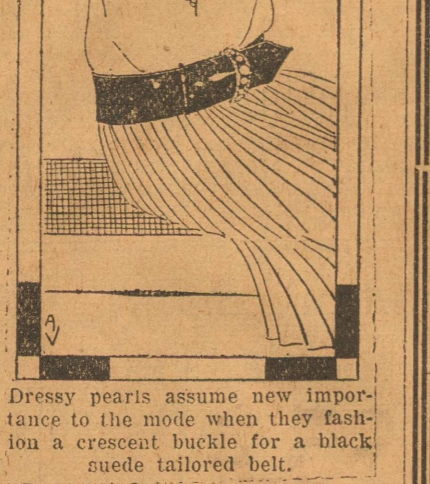
I asked girls and women there how they spent their money. Most of them answered that cosmetics come first in their little budgets, after the bare necessities of food, rent and clothing are attended to.

The director of one of the biggest cosmetic concerns, Gregy Podvitz even asserted, in a United Press interview that many poor women will buy toilet soap, facial cream or perfume before purchasing bread.

"Our factory known as the "Teje" is producing over three times more cosmetics than before the war, when it was privately owned," Podvitz said. "According to my observations, hosts of Russian women spend their money on cosmetics before buying things for the home. Our factory is turning out twenty-five times more facial cream than in 1921, and our production of soap dental apertures and perfumes has grown proportionately. Now the women's demand for cosmetics has been stimulated artificially because we do no advertising."

I spoke to a woman who exchanged a lip-stick for five pounds of ham in the Crimea at a time when that country was ravaged by famine; a starving woman survived by distributing pinches of French facial powder in exchange for a three months' supply of wheat flour.

In Russia, where popular fashions, as they come and go in New York and Paris and Vienna are unknown, the knick-knacks of a woman's dressing table have become necessities.



Dressy pearls assume new importance to the mode when they fashion a crescent buckle for a black suede tailored belt.

### WILL MARK GRAVE OF ARIZONA'S FIRST ARABIAN QUARTZSITE, ARIZ.

The resting place of "Hi Jolly," picturesque Arabian, who drove camels and hunted for gold on the Arizona desert in the early 50's, is about to be immortalized by the Quartzsite Women's club.

"Hi Jolly," whose real cognomen was beyond linguistic abilities of Arizona settlers of 1850, brought the first herd of camels into the desert here to be used by the army for transportation.

His camel driving days ended when the rocky desert formation proved beyond the endurance of the camels. He then turned to prospecting.

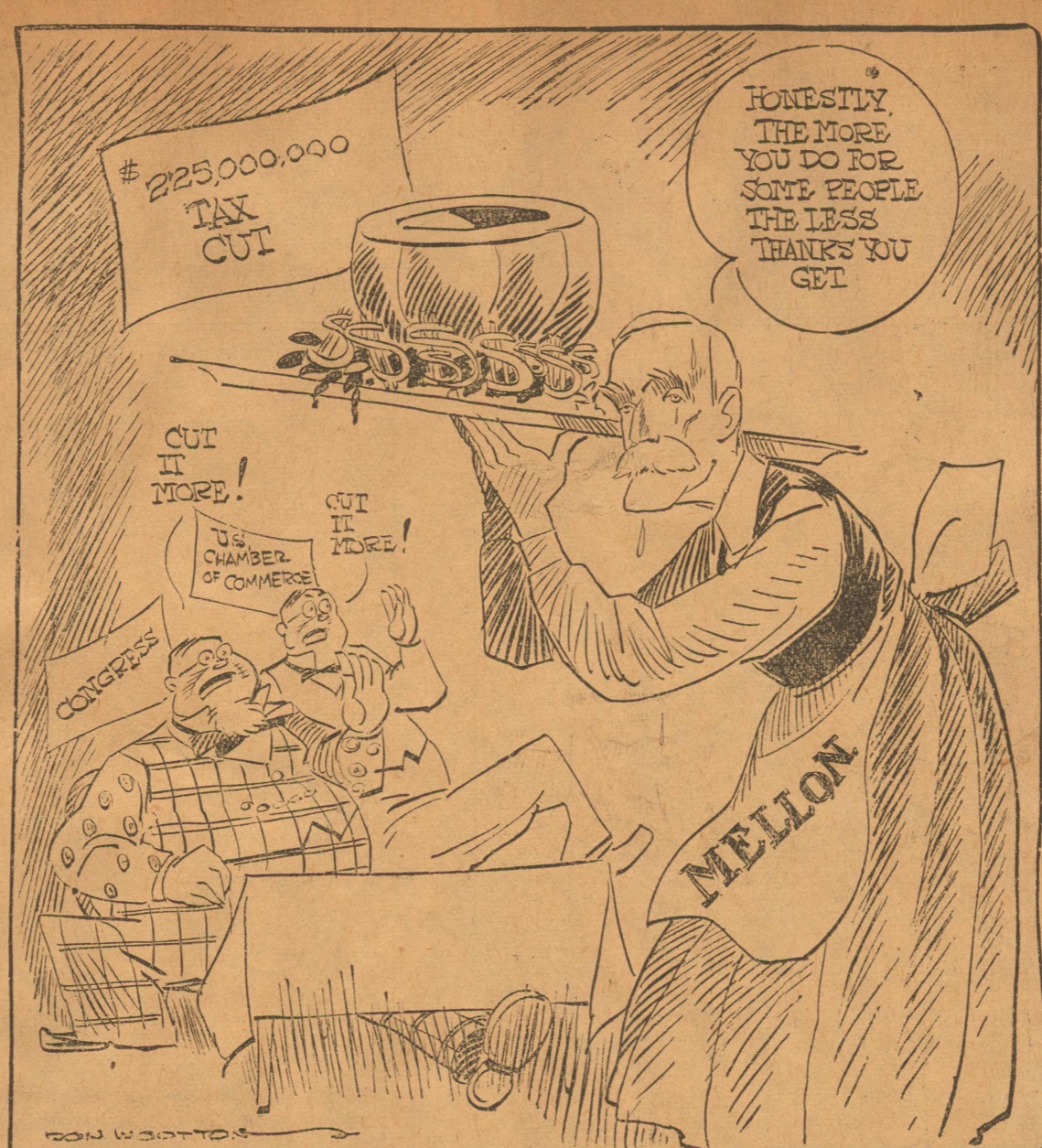
Although this ended the camel freighting, it was not the end of the camels. As they ranged wild over the desert they frightened Indians and stampeded herds of cattle. Finally they went the way of the buffalo as they were hunted and killed.

The Quartzsite Women's club plans to obtain title to the lonely graveyard located in the desert wastes and have the school children erect a monument over the grave of Arizona's first Arabian resident.

The German athletic board refuses to let Dr. Otto Peltzer run in this country. The Germans must have gained the impression that everybody over here was refusing to run, from the republican politicians.

Investigation has shown that the average man's ability to learn is best at the age of 20, and thereafter declines very slowly, according to an answered question in this week's issue of Liberty.

# It's a Hard Life



# T. C. U. Ex-Students Ask Co-operation In Finding Members

Special Correspondence.  
FORT WORTH, Dec. 6.—The home-coming day, Nov. 24, promoted by the Alumni and Ex-Students association of Texas Christian university, Fort Worth, was in the language of the president, Mr. M. E. Daniel of Breckenridge, Texas, a howling success. More than 4,000 ex-stu-

dents were present. It is the wish of that organization that another such home-coming shall be enjoyed next year with the remaining 6,000 exes present.

The addresses of many of the ex-students and present names of former co-eds are unknown to the alumni association and an effort is being made by that organization to establish a complete and correct list of its membership.

Ex-students and alumni who have changed their addresses and women members who have since changed their names by marriage are asked to mail this information to the acting

secretary of the Alumni Association, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts or present names of alumni and ex-students who may have moved since they left school is asked to notify the association.

Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce in President Coolidge's cabinet, once held a high office in the Chinese government, having been the first director general of mines when China created a department of mines in 1899, according to an answered question in this week's issue of Liberty.

# Tomorrow In The World of Fashion

By LUCILE BUCHANAN  
(Written for United Press)  
NEW YORK.—Now that the winter mode is actually here, one thing is certain. Daytime clothes are going one way and evening clothes are going another. In fact, this is the chance of a life time to be two different persons, one type for day and one for artificial light. It's a wonderful idea. Try it.

For daytime you will insist upon having your clothes nearly all of the sports variety. You will carefully select your simple costume of tweed and crepe or of heavy knitted fabrics such as Chanel and O'Rossen use, in harmonies of beige and brown, or in kasha cloth in beige and black, or in all black relieved by beige fur and beige shoes and stockings.

You will find it more satisfactory in the end to be extremely conventional about those daytime clothes, choosing rather the tried and approved, rather than the newly launched latest Paris novelty. This novelty business is a risk that few can afford to take, and is one of the greatest existing pitfalls in the way of smart dressing.

When all the shops say with one voice that a piebald baby calf "beret" will be exactly what you will want to wear with your new Paquin coat, take no notice of them. Wear a little black felt hat, very much like the old cloche you were brought up under, see to it that it fits perfectly, that the line from the top of the crown to the back of the neck is unapproachable, and put a beautifully

made gold pin on it to match your beautifully made gold jewelry. You will like it better in the end.

Always let the other woman experiment with the baby lamb muff with the bunch of pansies on it. If the experiment turns out well, you can always serenely follow; if she merely gives her public a laugh, you can enjoy that too.

While we are at it, aren't those life sized teddy bear looking dogs with zippers up their backs that grown women are seen carrying around for bags, incredible? I saw three in New York yesterday. This is the sort of thing that makes fashion reporting the gay business it is.

It is the evening mode that allows you to express your personality. The Paris couturiers have returned to their old imaginative way of making elegant and beautiful costumes of beautiful fabrics. The little chiffon rag of a dance frock is still good, to be sure, but a great deal of new beauty and elegance of line and fabric are now being introduced.

The Louise-boulogner silhouette with its masses of fabric looped up at the back or on one or both hips is extraordinarily effective on the right person. This is a dangerous silhouette, however, and should be approached with awe. Very few women can afford to have fabric going off at a tangent anywhere on their anatomy. If you have slim lines and the right profile, this is a big winter for you.

Other new evening silhouettes are of the semi-bouffant type that employs soft fabrics, such as extremely fine velvet, or taffeta, or tulle, or satin. This gown is usually longer at the back and sides than in the front and is by no means the wide bouffant skirt of several seasons ago.

The Vionnet silhouette, achieved by adroitly joined diamonds and squares of fabric sewn together is really the silhouette for the tall statuesque woman. This type of gown, in gold and silver metal, cloth alternately, is one of the most exquisite examples of the new beauty for evening.

DALLAS.—The statewide water rights committee, which has held several meetings in recent months, is scheduled to meet here tomorrow to conclude its report on the water rights controversy.

The committee's scheduled meeting at San Antonio Oct. 31 was postponed at the request of J. A. Kemp, Wichita Falls, chairman, who ordered it to resume here Dec. 1. The committee hopes to prepare a report that will be agreeable and acceptable to the power interests, rice growers and agriculturists of west Texas, all of whom are interested in the disposition of water rights on Texas streams.

# Crystals



A plain gown is no longer plain with a scintillating string of flat amethyst or sapphire crystals set in silver.

# MILLIONS TO NEW YORK WORKERS BY DEC. 25

NEW YORK.—More than \$50,000,000 will be given to New York workers as Christmas bonuses during the next month.

Estimates of the Christmas gifts of "Big Business" to those who make its success possible last year centered on the fifty million dollar figure. Indications of the prosperity in Wall Street and business conditions generally seemed to show that even more money would be given away this year than last.

The gifts will range from the gold pieces of some concerns to the probable gift of a full year's salary. Last year the First National Bank of which George F. Baker is chairman, gave its employees a year's pay.

Although most firms do not discuss their intentions of giving Christmas bonuses, it was understood the bulk was from 5 to 20 percent of the year's wages.

Estimates of the amount of money in the national Christmas club varied from one half to a quarter of a billion dollars.

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### Lawyer Wins Fame Defending Paris Revolutionists

By JOHN O'BRIEN,  
United Press Staff Correspondent.

PARIS.—Defender of revolutionists but not of revolution. Maitre Henry Torres, grandson of a Jewish millionaire peanut dealer of Salonicia, is rapidly taking the foremost place at the Paris bar.

He was counsel for Germaine Berton, the "Red Virgin," who killed one of the editors of the royalist paper L'Action Francaise, and won an acquittal. He recently defended the Russian Jew, Samuel Schwarzbard, avowed slayer of General Petlura, Hetman of the Ukraine, and got him off.

M. Torres has a stentorian voice and a perfect acquaintance with all the tricks of judicial procedure in France. When he rises at the opening of a trial and declaims: "I present myself as the defender of So-and-So, the man sitting behind me," he says it in such a tone that you get the impression the "man sitting behind" could not by any possible chance be guilty "as charged in the indictment." His appeals won over the jury in both cases referred to although both defendants not only accepted full responsibility for the murders but boasted of them.

It was in the trial of Senator Charles Humbert, who has just died, on a charge of intelligence with the enemy in 1918 that Torres got into the limelight as first assistant to M. Moro-Giafferi, the fiery Corsican orator. Torres not only ably handled his part of the case but became engaged to Humbert's daughter and married her.

The lawyer is an ardent follower of the races. One trial judge in a long case noticed that every day just before 3 o'clock in the afternoon, M. Torres caused an "incident" which forced a suspension of the hearing. Following the lawyer as he left the courtroom, the judge saw him descend rapidly to the buffet in the basement and there look at the results of the first three races. As he is a good picker the lawyer almost always went back to resume his flow of forensic eloquence with a light heart. On one such occasion, the day of the Grand Prix of 1924, he was \$18,000 the richer when he left the buffet.

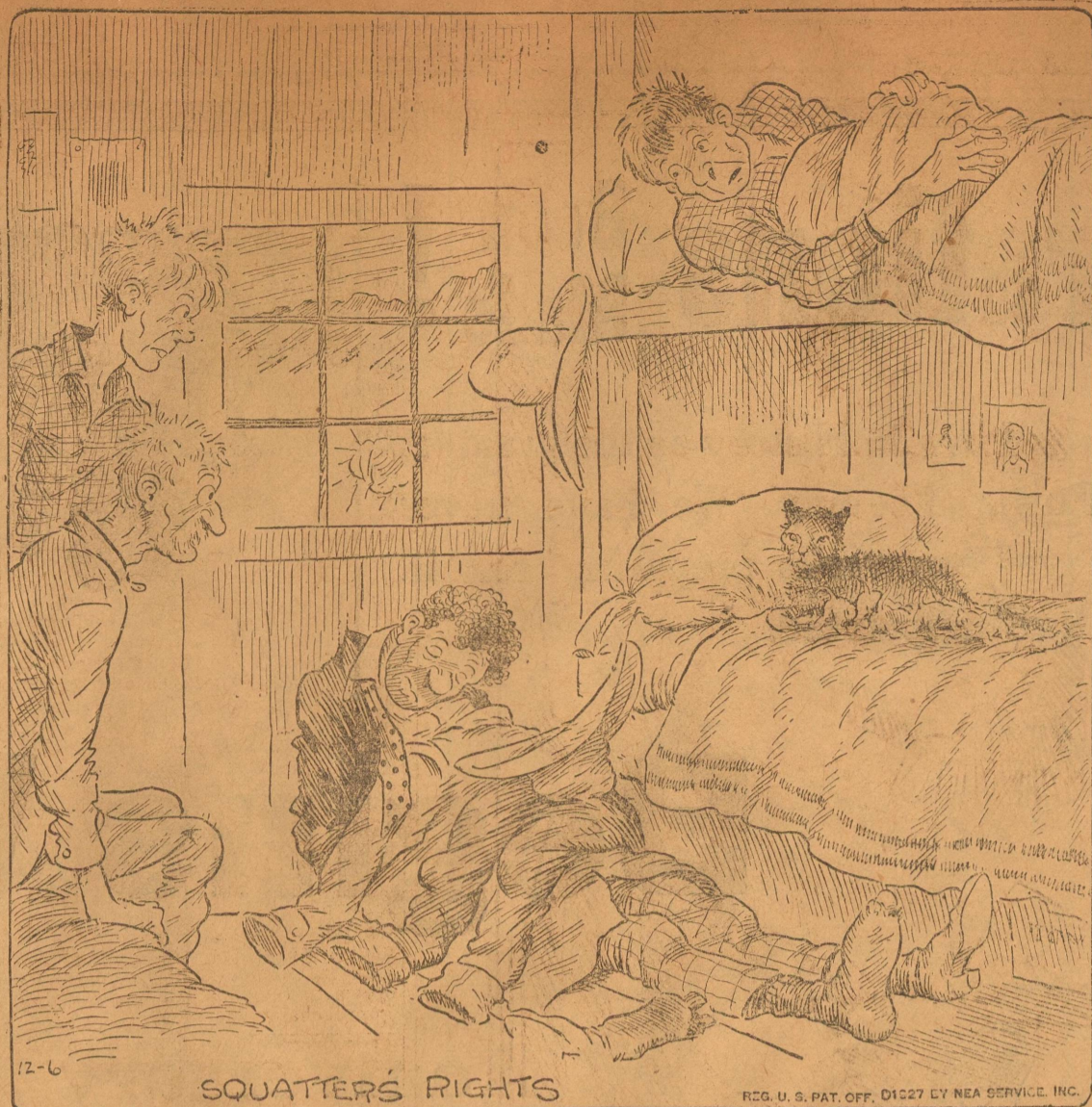
Torres is also a great platform orator and a spellbinder in an election campaign. He has no political ambitions, however.

Johnny Kilpatrick, one of the great est of Yale ends of all time, told me recently of how the Blue teams of the past used to loaf throughout the week nursing their injuries and then go in and play like demons on Saturdays.

It was from something of this sort that the popular expression: "Yale cripples" arose.

The Eli warriors always were pretending to be worse off than they actually were, so asto escape practice.

### OUT OUR WAY



### Champion User Of Chrysler Is Virginia Man

Richmond, Virginia, lays claim to having the champion Chrysler owners in the respective classes of users and buyers.

The outstanding user at Richmond is Clarence Nickleberry, operator of a gasoline station a few miles from the city limits. He purchased one of the early Chrysler 6 models, a phaeton. Nickleberry likes to ride, and fast at that.

Satisfied with the speed and economy of his car he has been reluctant to make a change until such a time as it will no longer serve him faithfully.

To date he has operated the "King," as the car is affectionately called by all who are familiar with it, more than 119,000 miles. And this has been done at service costs far under what is ordinarily spent for repairs.

The "King" is still a smooth running, easy handling car, free from vibration and noise and Mr. Nickle-

berry thinks it will be good for thousands of miles more before it will need overhauling.

In decided contrast to Nickleberry is N. W. Royal. He also operates a gasoline station and on the same road. Mr. Royal freely admits he is "Chrysler Crazy."

Within the past two years this young man has owned ten Chryslers and has two more on order at the present time. His cars have been owned in the following order: 70 roadster; 70 coach; 58 roadster; 70 roadster; 70 coach; 50 roadster; 70 roadster; 50 coach; 70 landau sedan; 52 sedan. The cars on order are a 72 roadster and a 52 coupe. For the coupe he has designed a special delivery body to use as a commercial car between his gas station and tourist camp and his two downtown confectionery stores. Each of the cars, Royal claims, has been used from 10,000 to 70,000 miles and all were traded in as soon as valves needed grinding or the tires started to show some wear.

"I'm Chrysler crazy, I guess," says Royal, "and I like 'em new."

### TELLS OF AIRPLANES' EFFECTS ON ANIMALS

BERLIN.—Willi Polte, German air pilot, has just published his observations on the behavior of animals towards airplanes.

"Poultry," he writes, "runs frantically in all directions at the approach of an airplane; chickens often lower their heads and dash blindly into a fence, where they stand trembling until the plane has passed. Upon the approach of a low-flying plane, cows will lower their heads and face the machine, standing defiantly until the airplane is nearly upon them, and then flee in a panic. Dogs usually engage in a race with the airplane, the sprint often ending with a canine somersault in a ditch. Birds-of-prey bother little about an approaching airplane and show the same confidence and contempt which they display towards weaker animals.

Nights are likely to be cold in the desert because the dry air of the desert lets ground heat escape much faster than does moist air, according to an answered question in this week's issue of Liberty.



### CHAPTER 58

"I think I'll run over to the drug store and get something to settle your stomach, Mulligan," Miller said.

"Never mind," I insisted. "I'll be easin' up perty quick and I'm afraid a dose of something would upset me all the more." I was serious, for it was hard to guess just what sort of a dose he would bring me, after the disappointing episode at the station. I wondered if it served to make them suspicious of me.

But Miller insisted on getting the dose and he went out after it.

Davis was taking a bath, and I took advantage of their absence from the room to take my gun from its holster and slip it under the pillow. In this way, I would be ready to lie down at any time, and the gun would be where my hand could rest on it. Miller soon returned with a small dark bottle. He said the directions were on the outside and that it was to be taken with water.

"I'll sure take a dose of it when Davis gets out of the bathroom," I replied and I thanked him.

Some way, his kindness seemed sincere, and it sent a sick thrill through me. I studied his clean-cut, upstanding figure and his interesting face and wondered what peculiar combination of breeding or circumstance had brought him to the moral lowlands he had reached.

"The druggist said this would quiet your nerves and make you sleep," and he handed me a dose of the medicine he had fixed in a glass. I wondered if the druggist had set a time limit on my nap. Davis emerged from the bath and I took the glass

"Yeah, a little, I reckon. That medicine must be takin' effect. I'm mighty sleepy."

"Well, I hope you'll be much better in the morning when I come back."

And he left the room. I was sorry for that, for I wanted both of them together when the Rangers came.

He unlocked the door and Davis followed him into the hall for a brief whispered session. Davis locked the door when he came back in, but he left the key in the lock, a thing they had never done before. Then my remaining companion went to bed.

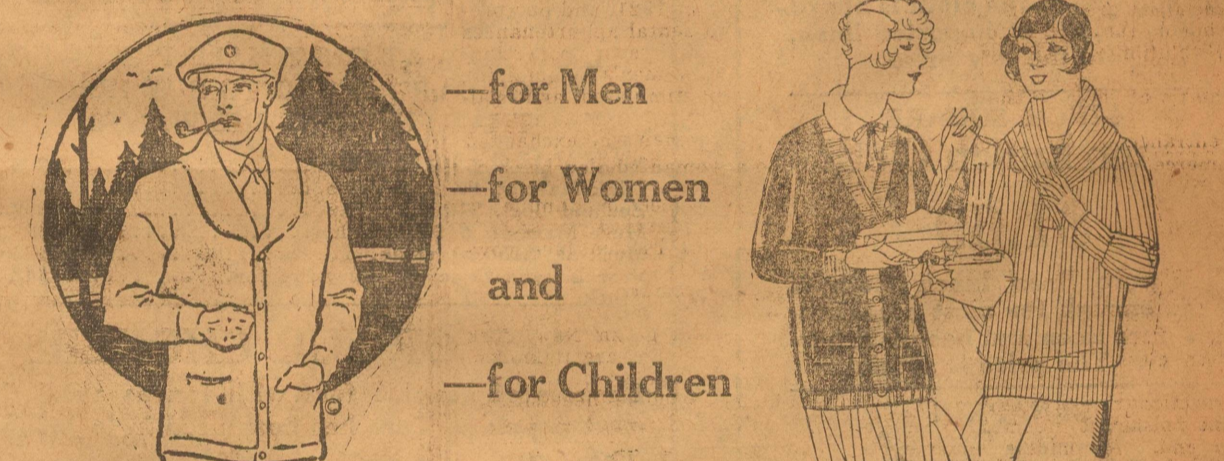
While Miller was solicitous of my welfare, Davis was totally indifferent and had soon fell into a restless, nervous catnap. The sight of that well-nourished stall-fed son-of-a-bazard crawling into a soft bed, and dropping off to sleep almost drove me mad. I didn't dare sleep, even for one little minute. I kept repeating that over and over. Not even for one little minute—not even for—then I almost fell off my chair and Davis stirred, muttering sleepily. I went back to the bathroom and alternated the hot and cold application to my burning eyes. This time my fagged senses would not revive, and I toppled drowsily over the basin. I grew afraid. I must not let sleep take hold of me. I had to be awake and ready for business at six o'clock. . . . Six o'clock. . . . That was a long time. . . . Was it six? I wasn't sure.

I staggered weakly and held to the bowl. Then I remembered how, in the long night watches on the range, when cattle had been stampeding night after night and everyone had been up for unceasing hours, we used to take a big chew of tobacco and rub the juice into our eyes. The burning would drive us almost crazy, but we needn't worry about sleeping. We could still hang onto our horses and watch the herd.

A cigarette stub lay on the basin. I took it, crumbled the tobacco between my fingers and, tilting my head back, I dropped the flakes into my eyes. Water gushed from both eyes and tiny daggers flashed in and out, piercing my eyeballs with wicked thrusts.

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### TO INSURE STYLE AND QUALITY JOSEPH FEATURES HERCULES KNIT GOODS



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Our Seventh Anniversary Sale makes possible the low price on this Hercules Sweater. In colors of mode, or white and combinations of mode—scarlet, cardinal—pearl and navy—white. The quality is about the average found in this price class.

While this is not an all-wool sweater it looks and wears like one. It's a stylish, good looking sweater and may be had in cardinal, pearl and mode or mode and scarlet combined. Plenty of Hercules Sweaters for boys in coat or slip-over styles.

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One lot of Comforts, in all pretty shades of cretonne, fancy sateen borders, made of cotton and wool filling, guaranteed to be clean, size 68x76, priced at

**\$4.25**

# Great Preparations Been Made!

This our Seventh Anniversary Sale, will go down in History as the greatest merchadising event ever conducted in Eastland county. We have never attempted anything like it before. We have been weeks preparing for it. Come expecting great things—you'll not be disappointed.



### Anniversary Coat Sale

Fur is lavishly used as trimming, especially for collars and cuffs and sometimes for the jacket borders.

ALL SIZES TO FIT EVERY TYPE OF WOMAN  
 Values to \$22.50 \$14.85 Values to \$69.50 \$49.50  
 Values to \$39.00 \$26.50 Values to \$78.50 \$57.50  
 Values to \$49.50 \$36.50 Values to \$89.50 \$62.50  
 Values to \$59.50 \$42.50 Values to \$98.50 \$69.50

### LADIES' FUR COATS

ALL GO NOW AT ONLY HALF PRICE—NOW YOU CAN AFFORD TO BUY HER THAT FUR COAT SHE WANTS

Russian Mink, \$139.50 value . . . . . \$69.75  
 Mink Marmot, \$225.00 value . . . . . \$112.50  
 Zealand Seal, \$195.00 value . . . . . \$97.50  
 Mink Marmot, \$195.00 value . . . . . \$97.50  
 Muskrat, \$150.00 value . . . . . \$75.00  
 French Lynx Cape, \$97.50 value for . . . . . \$48.75

### SALE OF FUR CHOKERS

Chokers of genuine furs with fox as usual the most popular. Care has been used in fashioning these furs.

\$25.00 Red Fox . . . \$16.85 \$55.50 Brown Fox . . . \$39.50  
 \$22.50 Near Fox . . . \$14.95 \$59.50 Brown Fox . . . \$44.50  
 \$45.00 Stone Marten . \$32.50 \$49.50 Brown Fox . . . \$37.50



### SALE OF

## MILLINERY

### LADIES' AND MISSES'

Our spacious Millinery Department is fairly jammed with smart Fall Hats. Chic creations with a diversity of brims—turn-ups, turn-downs and cap styles.

Many Felts in solid colors and unieue trimmings or in smart combinations. Delightful Velvets combined with felt. Close-fitting hats, medium-sized hats, and hats that are large.

Group No. 1 includes values up to \$3.50 . . . . . **\$1.95**

Group No. 2 includes values up to \$4.95 . . . . . **\$2.95**

Group No. 3 includes values up to \$7.65 . . . . . **\$4.95**

ALL OTHER LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS ARE REDUCED FROM

**15 to 35 per cent**

# Begins Wednesday

## Anniversary DRESS SALE 1-2 Price



During this Anniversary Sale we will put our Silk and Wool Dresses on sale at just half the former price. Modes for Sport, Street and Evening wear—about 350 to pick from—sizes 14 to 52.

Every one of these dresses will absolutely be sold—we will not have them left on our hands and while the selection now is large, an early call will insure you getting your choice. They cannot last long at this price.

\$12.50 DRESSES <b>\$6.25</b>	\$39.50 DRESSES <b>\$19.75</b>	\$15.00 DRESSES <b>\$7.50</b>	\$47.50 DRESSES <b>\$23.75</b>
\$19.50 DRESSES <b>\$9.75</b>	\$45.00 DRESSES <b>\$22.50</b>	\$25.00 DRESSES <b>\$12.50</b>	\$59.50 DRESSES <b>\$29.75</b>
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\$32.50 DRESSES <b>\$16.25</b>	\$65.00 DRESSES <b>\$32.50</b>	\$42.50 DRESSES <b>\$21.50</b>	\$79.50 DRESSES <b>\$39.75</b>

<p><b>Astounding Shoe Values</b>  <b>\$3.95</b></p> <p>Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords, high and box heels, patent leather, colored kid calf. Most of them are incomplete sizes but most any size in the lot. Values up to \$7.50 go in this group</p> <p><b>Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords, \$2.95</b></p> <p>Values up to \$6.95 go in this lot. They are quality shoes with style in every pair.</p>	<p><b>At \$1.95</b></p> <p>One lot of Children's Red Goose and other brands, high Shoes, Pumps and Oxfords, in black and colored kid and calf; values up to \$3.50</p> <p><b>At \$2.48</b></p> <p>One lot Children's Red Goose School Shoes, Pumps and Oxfords, in black and tan, calf and kid leather, values up to \$3.95.</p> <p><b>Daniel Green Bedroom Slippers \$3.95</b></p> <p>One lot Ladies' Satin House Slippers with gilt braid and fancy side trimming, in good range of colors, for . . . . . 98c          One lot Ladies' Felt House Slippers with leather sole and rubber heel, good assortment of colors, for . . . . . \$1.25</p>	<p><b>Lovely Styled Footwear</b>  <b>\$5.95</b></p> <p>Here you will find a beautiful assortment of fashion's very latest. Creations in footwear that look like \$8.00 and \$10.00 shoes and well they should, for many are regular \$9.50 values.</p> <p><b>Decidedly New Shoe Styles</b>  <b>\$4.95</b></p> <p>There are Pumps, Ties and Oxfords with high and box heels, in patents, satins and kids. Former values to \$8.95.</p>
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# Joseph Dry Goods

208-10 Main Street

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# Celebrating 7th Anniversary!

Another year has passed and now comes our seventh birthday. The past seven years have dealt kindly with us. Our customers have been loyal. We appreciate your business and as a mark of our appreciation we are opening our Seventh Anniversary Sale with prices that will mean a saving of many dollars to our customers.

## esday, Dec. 7

### Buy These Suits Now! KIRSHBAUM All Wool Suits



Now then, you men who are always well dressed—read and heed. You know what you get here, as this house always stands pat on quality. The smart styles that predominate in these groups, invite comparison. You know that when you pay \$35.00 for a Suit at this Sale you are getting a regular \$42.50 value and there is no extra charge for the extra trousers. Look at these prices. Note the savings. Then come to the sale of sales.



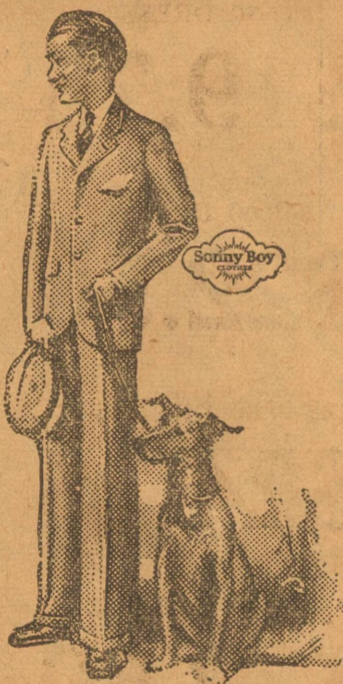
<b>\$19.50</b> Regular \$25.00 value	<b>\$24.50</b> Regular \$29.50 value	<b>\$29.50</b> Regular \$35.00 value
<b>\$32.50</b> Regular \$39.50 value	<b>\$35.00</b> Regular \$42.50 value	<b>\$37.50</b> Regular \$45.00 value

### BOYS' NEW FALL SUITS

Three and Four-Piece Values to \$14.50 on Sale at

## \$8.95

This group includes many of our all-wool Sonny Boy Suits. Tailored to the season's best styles. Neat, pleasing patterns. Taped seams to withstand the strain of hard wear. Some of these suits have two pairs of golf nickers—others one long and one short, with and without vest.



Other Suits Réduce 15 to 25 Percent

### GORDON HOSE

Sheer Chiffon—Regular \$2.50 Value

## \$1.95

There's exquisite beauty in these Sheer Chiffon Hose, full-fashioned and silk from top to toe. Offered in all the new fall colors. Plenty of sizes.

### LADIES' HOSE

Regular \$1.75 value for \$1.38

Gordon and Allen-A in sheer and service weight chiffons. They are full-fashioned and have short lise hems. In all the most wanted colors.

### HOSE SPECIAL

Values to \$1.95 at 98c pair

One lot of Ladies' Chiffon and Thread Silk Hose that are full-fashioned and silk from top to toe. Well known brands. Dark shades only.

### Stacy-Adams SHOES



Men, stop and think what this price means to you. Nothing we could say would add to their quality. They are the finest made. Buy Shoes and Oxfords in kid, calf and kangaroo leathers. Every style in the store goes at this low price—

## \$9.95

### MEN'S SHOES AND OXFORDS

Values to \$7.50  
Men who will not buy cheap shoes can select from this group with entire satisfaction for they sell regular for as much as \$7.50. Black and tan Oxfords and brown high shoes. This is just another instance of the dominating values offered by this store.

## \$4.95

### Men's Shirts

A second assortment that includes Genuine English Broadcloth Shirts and that that been selling up to \$2.50 for only \$1.68

### CHILDREN'S DRESSES



Thirty-three and one-third per cent discount on all Children's Dresses during this Anniversary Sale. It's the best price we have yet made. Everything from pretty Gingham for school to smart Silks and Wools for dress.

\$4.95 value for . . . \$3.38	\$11.50 value for . . . \$7.95
\$5.50 value for . . . \$3.95	\$12.50 value for . . . \$8.48
\$6.50 value for . . . \$4.38	\$16.50 value for . . . \$11.95
\$7.50 value for . . . \$4.95	\$19.50 value for . . . \$12.95
\$9.85 value for . . . \$6.95	\$22.50 value for . . . \$14.95

### CHILDREN'S COATS

Children will appreciate Coats for Christmas. Styled just like grown-ups. Bolivias, Suede and Sport Plaids, with or without fur trimming.

\$4.95 value for . . . \$3.95	\$12.50 value for . . . \$9.50
\$5.50 value for . . . \$4.25	\$15.00 value for . . . \$11.95
\$6.95 value for . . . \$4.95	\$17.50 value for . . . \$13.95
\$7.50 value for . . . \$5.95	\$19.50 value for . . . \$14.95
\$8.50 value for . . . \$6.45	\$27.50 value for . . . \$19.95
\$9.95 value for . . . \$7.95	\$29.50 value for . . . \$22.50
\$10.50 value for . . . \$8.45	\$35.00 value for . . . \$24.85

### SPORT DRESSES

WOOL JERSEY OR SILK AND WOOL  
Stylishly made of all-wool Jersey or Silk and Wool one and two-piece models; pretty sport colors and solid shades; sizes 14 to 44 . . . . . \$3.95



### Sale of Silk

### UNDERWEAR

Rayon Undergarments  
Teds, Step-ins, Bloomers

## \$1.89

A super-fine Rayon is used in styling this lot of Silk Lingerie. Tailored or extremely fussy. Gorgeous lace medallions, edgings and appliques. Double-faced ribbon straps or self material straps. In all the beautiful pastel shades—and some are combinations of two shades.

### GORDON UNDERWEAR IN THE GLOVE SILK

Princess Slips and Bloomers in good assortment of colors

Bloomers, \$3.50 values	\$2.48
Princess Slips, \$4.50 values	\$3.48
Silk Teds, exceptional values	\$1.95

at . . . . .  
Never have such lovely Silk Teds been offered at such a low price. All the soft pastel shades are to be had.

ALL OTHER SILK LINGERIE REDUCED  
15 TO 35 PER CENT

### COTTON GOODS

36-inch Genuine  
**HOPE DOMESTIC**  
Special during this sale at only

## 11c

17x36 Fancy  
**TURKISH TOWELS**  
Good heavy quality, special this sale

## 15c

One assortment of 32-inch Dress Gingham in good range of fall patterns; 25c value for

## 16c

One assortment of 36-inch Mercerized Pongee Prints in several lovely patterns; 35c value for

## 25c

32-inch Peter Pan and other brand Prints and solid colors; for this sale at

## 39c

One Assortment 24-Inch  
**DRESS GINGHAM**  
Good range of patterns; during this sale, special

## 8c

36-inch Unbleached  
**MUSLIN**  
Good medium weight, special for this sale

## 8c

One Assortment  
**OUTING**  
36-inch wide, in plain colors, stripes and checks; for this sale special

## 14c

22x44  
**TURKISH TOWELS**  
Extra heavy, single thread, regular 35c value

## 22c

Three Pounds Unbleached  
**COTTON BATS**  
Regular 75c value

## 49c

**Boys' Unions**  
Ribbed Unions, winter weight, sizes 20 to 34; special for this sale

## 69c

**Boys' Overalls**  
Blue Overalls, good heavy weight, suspenders or high back; Sizes 5 to 16; special this sale

## 89c

**Boys' Coveralls**  
A good weight Coverall in sizes 3 to 8; special at

## 89c

**Lee Unionalls**  
Boys' Unionalls, Lee brand, in khaki or pin stripes; 2 to 7's; regular \$1.50 value

## \$1.18

**Men's Overalls**  
Men's blue Overalls, good heavy grade, suspenders or high back; sizes 32 to 42; for this sale special at only

## 98c

**Men's Unions**  
Men's Ribbed Union Suits, good medium winter weight, spring needle; sizes 36 to 46; for this sale special at

## \$1.28

**Silk Stripe Unions**  
Men's fine ribbed Union Suits; good weight, silk stripes; values up to \$1.95 for

## \$1.38

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### United States Group Omits Any Plea For League

By FOSTER EATON, United Press Staff Correspondent. ST. LOUIS.—An incident which reflected the temper of the League of Nations advocates in this country at the present time, occurred at the recent International Goodwill congress here.

One of the highest hopes of virtually every delegate was and is ultimate organic membership of the United States in the league. They admitted it frankly.

When the usual set of resolutions was read for approval, however, the clause referring to the league called merely for establishing co-operation with its activities "upon a definitely recognized basis."

"It is understood," the clause read, "that this recommendation relates only to our co-operation in the activities of the league and does not raise the question of organic membership in the league itself."

A youthful Episcopal rector, an avowed league advocate, rose to his feet near the front of the hall.

"If I may be permitted to suggest," he began, "I believe it would not be out of place in this clause to include specific reference to the hope we all have, that ultimately the United States will enter the league. I believe we would miss an opportunity not to do so."

He argued the point for about two minutes and sat down.

Sitting in a strategic position in the first row was a matronly, white-haired woman, who during the youthful rector's argument had been shaking her head in opposition to his suggestion.

"Mr. President," she said as soon as the rector sat down, "I am most emphatically opposed to any such action by the congress at this time. I believe we are as one in desiring American membership in the league, but if I gauge the temper of this congress, it is meant to suggest a course of practical idealism attainable at the present time."

The chairman of the resolutions committee was recognized, and explained briefly that his committee sought only to suggest "a practical course, one that was not controversial, one that would not delay attainment of some advance in the near future."

Unanimous adoption was voted for the entire resolution in the form submitted by the committee. It included an appeal to outlaw war "as an instrument of national policy."

The species of eagle included in the national emblem of the United States is known as the white-headed or bald eagle, according to an answered question in this week's issue of Liberty.

Scientists say that life, even with the aid of oxygen, would be impossible above 45,000 feet because of the low atmospheric pressures, according to an answered question in this week's issue of Liberty.

### Introducing Mrsd Elsie Knapp Forbell



Smiling at you from the right is Mrs. Elsie Knapp Forbell, of Newark, N. J., and below is Mrs. Elsie Knapp Forbell of Douglaston, Long Island. Doubles? Rawther! Through a friend of Mrs. Elsie "Newark" Forbell, who chanced to make the acquaintance of Mrs. Elsie "Douglaston" Forbell, the two met recently in New York and were given an opportunity to see themselves as others see them. For they found their appearances, tastes and interests so very similar that, 'tis said, some confusion arose between them as to exactly which was which.

### Chief Justice Taft Sees Need For Law Regard

WASHINGTON.—Reform of the United States legal system to forestall contempt for law and to provide swift and certain justice for wrong doers was urged upon the National Crime commission in session here, by Chief Justice William Howard Taft of the United States supreme court.

"We are an easy going people," he said. "We allow abuses to creep in until they become so objectionable that we rouse ourselves and then work radical reforms. I hope such a time is at hand now."

"Our system of criminal prosecution suffers because we have not through the states an adequate police force who can apprehend criminals and bring them to justice. We need more policemen in most cities and more constables in the rural regions of the states. We need legislation to secure prompt information or indictment and prompt trials. We need legislation to reduce men to delay a review and final disposition of the cases. We need legislation that shall render impossible new trials except for real injustice in a trial. We need legislation to enlarge the power of judges to guide the trial and to help the jury."

"There will have to be further examination of the methods by which jurors are selected. The method of selection ought not to be such that counsel for the defendants by exclusion of worthy citizens from the panel may obtain jurors of weak intelligence, of little experience and

subject to emotions easily aroused." Those were some of the short-comings of United States criminal procedure as seen by the highest legal officer of the country.

What the chief justice did not remark was that there has been recruited in the United States a vast armed army of law breakers. Their arms are pistols, rifles, shotguns and machine guns. It probably would not be an exaggeration to say that this lawless and largely unorganized band of armed men numbers tens of thousands. It generally is recognized in the United States that there are two means of fighting the army of the underworld. Police officers and volunteer vigilantes may shoot it out with marauders on occasion or the system of dealing with criminals in the American courts must be revised sharply toward the end of speed and severity of dispensing justice.

A beginning has been made in several states, notably New York. There has been enacted laws increasing penalties for second and third offenders and making the imposition of a life sentence obligatory upon the commission of a fourth felony.

Since these laws became operative more than a year ago, the quarterly report of the New York city police commissioner showed that 13 per cent fewer stores were robbed in the second quarter of 1927 than in the corresponding period the year before. Robberies of cigar stores were reduced 14 per cent, and jewelers and bond messengers, 100 per cent.

It is the purpose of the National Crime commission which met here to urge similar legislation and other legislative safeguards upon the various states.

Mays Landing, N. J., makes the newspapers pay for extra facilities at the Liljendahl murder trial. And all that wonderful publicity, too!

### Underworld Of Eastern Europe Holds Own Court

BERLIN.—Recent incidents have revealed the existence of courts of honor among the denizens of the underworld in Eastern Europe.

Wayfarers in Warsaw discovered the wounded body of the notorious apache, Leon Mothya, who later confided to the police that his injuries were inflicted after sentence had been pronounced upon him by a special court of fellow criminals. Mothya was treasurer of a fund, collected by his friends, to support their families during periods when they were serving jail terms. Mothya had been accused of absconding with the fund, "arrested" by his colleagues and tried before an underworld court. He was sentenced to corporal punishment and the sentence was carried out to the point at which Mothya lost consciousness.

In Russia, too, an amazing instance of this sort was discovered among a group of homeless children, of whom thousands still haunt the cities and steal rides next to the wheels of Russian trains. These waifs, who are organized in their own urchins' union, formally approached the manager of the Moscow freight yards and requested permission to use empty freight cars as impromptu sleeping accommodations and places where they could seek refuge from the bitter Russian winter. At first, permission was refused, but on previous occasions, the urchins had stolen goods from the freight vans in which they had slept. The manager finally yielded to their entreaties, after the children had promised, on behalf of their union, that no thefts would be committed in the freight yards.

One of waifs violated this pledge, stole a box of merchandise from a freight car, was "arrested" by his brother-urchins, tried and sentenced to death. The "court" announced that the manner of execution would be kept secret.

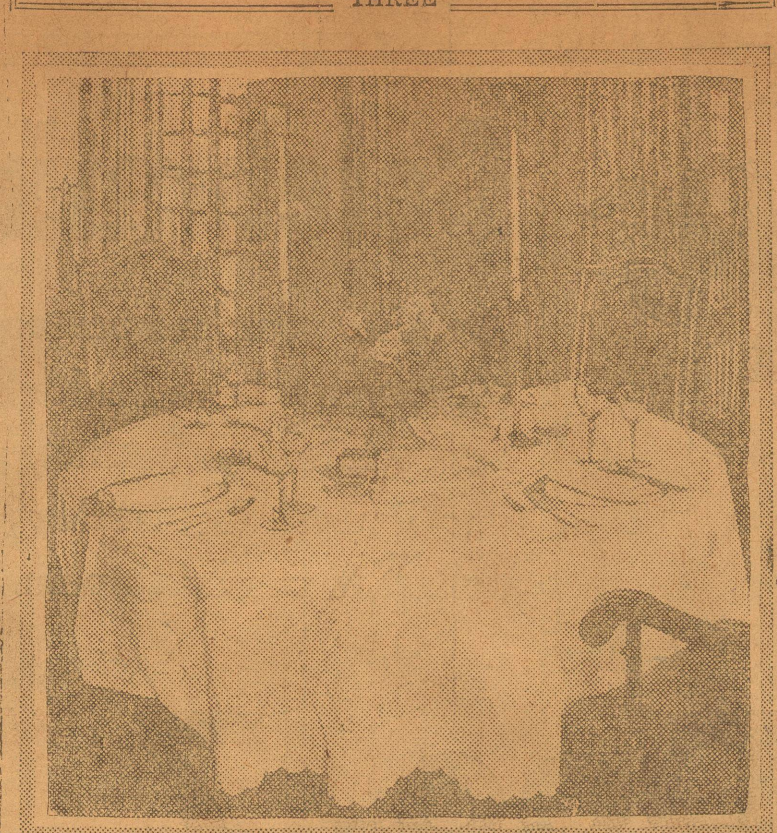
Several days later, the body of the condemned boy was found, mutilated by a train, on the tracks near the freight yards. Other urchins, who had been assigned to carry out the sentence, had pushed him under the wheels of a moving train.

The police, both in Warsaw and Moscow, are undertaking measures to assure that the administration of the law shall not be wielded by members of the underworld and that punishment of crime shall be left in the hands of constituted authority.

Approximately one-sixth of the earth's surface is included in the Soviet Union, according to an answered question in this week's issue of Liberty.

Silver turns black when exposed long to the air because the air contains a small amount of sulphur gases, which combine with the metal to form sulphide of silver, according to an answered question in this week's issue of Liberty.

### We Dine At Home



Repose and Beauty are Gastronomic Aids, We are Told

THE easy grace of a circular table is further enhanced by the luxurious drapes of a linen damask cloth. The circular design in the center of the cloth is in ideal conformity with the rest of the table plan. The tall candlesticks and glassware aid greatly in modifying the roundness of the table and give it a quiet dignity. This delicately carried out setting appeared in the house of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hopkinson of Fifth Avenue, New York City.

EIGHT PERSONS DEAD IN ROOMING HOUSE FIRE

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., Dec. 6.—Eight persons, three of them children, were burned to death here today when fire destroyed a rooming house.

The distinction between a contagious and an infectious disease is that the former is communicated by contact only, whereas the latter may be conveyed by germs, through air, water, food, etc., according to an answered question in this week's Liberty.

### Public Records

Instruments Filed.

Transfer of vendor's lien, J. A. Thompson to Roy A. Speed, Mirror Lake property, Ranger heights addition to Ranger 1.

Warranty deed, Annie Bucy Haley et vir to E. F. Bucy, NE 1-4 of section 28, SW 1-4 of Sec. 28, BBB & C RR Co. sur. 5683.

Warranty deed, D. W. Burleson et al to J. W. Floors, lot 8 of the Davis & Garner subdivision, Cisco, Tex., of lot 2, block 92, 1560.

Transfer of deed of trust, Bommer Loan and investment company to Republic Insurance Co., NW 1-4 of survey 46, Lavaca Co. school land, 5600.

Paving contract, J. H. Caton to West Texas Construction Co.

Warranty deed, Estelle Davenport to A. N. Newell, part of W. C. Gholson tr. 3300.

Release, Mrs. Allayne Gholson Kulp et al to A. N. Newell part of W. C. Gholson sur. 3150.

Affidavit, Mrs. H. J. Patterson to public, lot 10, block 4, Chastain and addition to Eastland.

Warranty deed, L. W. Lovelace to Mrs. Maggie Ruth Welch, lot 13, subdivision Harvey Kendrick survey, 5500.

Warranty deed, Jack Williamson to J. M. Sherill, part of block B-3, Eastland 31.

B-S, Gus Karontain to Gust Petros 1-2 interest in Hamburger King 3425.

Right of way, W. F. Reagan et ux to Texas Elec. Service Co. section 24, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, 335.

SPEED MAD AUTOISTS MADE TO HAUL COAL

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Kansas City has found an outlet for motorists who have a mania for speed and husbands who beat their wives.

Out at the municipal farm, James J. O'Rourke, the superintendent, has established a coal line where speeders and wife beaters who are sentenced to the workhouse go to the railroad yards a half a mile away and haul coal back to the farm in wheelbarrows.

There are no stop signs on the whole route and guards who accompany the prisoners urge them to use all the speed they wish in trundling the coal laden wheelbarrows around.

## CO-ED DRESSES

Adapt the Genius of Paris to the Irresistible Spirit of Youth

The magic touch of Lanvin—the simplicity of Chanel—the piquant sophistication of Patou—all these and many more characteristics of the Paris world of fashion are reflected in the new Winter Co-Ed Modes.

Smart, practical dresses for school, college and sports wear—lovely, graceful modes for afternoon—and adorable creations of chiffon and velvet, georgette and velvet, satin and other favored materials for dinner and dance occasions.

**THE VALUES ARE INCOMPARABLE**

Co-Ed dresses are America's foremost values—prices are distinctly moderate—you may pay as little as \$15.00 and none are priced higher than \$39.50 and a worth-while concession in price will be made during our Seventh Anniversary Sale.

A complete Winter collection now awaits your choice—to see them is to want them!

**Co-Ed Dresses Are Sold In Ranger Exclusively By—**

# JOSEPH DRY GOODS COMPANY

Ranger's Foremost Department Store

208-10 Main Street Ranger, Texas

a feature of our

## Seventh Anniversary

# RO-MO HATS

Styled on Fifth Avenue

## \$4.35

In no other Hat can we offer as becoming styles, nor such quality, at any ways near the price, as the RO-MO. It fills a long-felt demand for a good-looking hat—that will wear—at a popular price of ..... **\$5.00**

The RO-MO Hat is offered in either snap or roll brims. Harmonizing or contrasting bands that are either wide or narrow. Colors that have been approved by the best dressed men. Styles for the young fellow, the college man or business man.

RO-MO Hats are featured in the best shops everywhere at \$5.00. We consider them the greatest value in any hat to retail at that price. It is only through the co-operation of the makers that we can feature them on this occasion at a lesser price.

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### SPEAKER COMPARES MANCHURIA TO UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By United Press.  
SHANGHAI.—Speaking before the American Women's Club, George Cressy, of the department of archeology of Shanghai College, declared that the industrial center of new China is Manchuria and the culture of the South is akin to India and Malay. The subject of Cressy's address was "The Geography of China."

Passing rapidly from political geography, which aspect he, however, noted by describing Outer Mongolia as now virtually a Protectorate of Soviet Russia, he proceeded by means of views admirably arranged on silver-lined parchment, to a disquisition on China's modern natural and cultural divisions.

South China he declared, was green everywhere were paddy-fields, an abundant rainfall, canals, paddy-wheels and the water-buffalo. The people were brown, clever, radical and revolutionary; their culture, in effect, with its elaborateness and loveliness of architectural feeling, akin to Indian and Malayan culture. Prosperity abounded in the South with ten months of rainfall there were three crops yearly. In the North there was one. The Northerner was yellow, his hut was of mud on the brown dust-blown plains, instead of the house boats, the water-civilization of the South.

His crops were dry—the soy bean, millet, and kaoliang, and as in Nebraska and Arkansas, if rainfall dropped, there was shortage—in this case, famine.

In neither the Taiping, the 1911, nor the present revolution, had the rice-eaters from the South, without accretions from the North, penetrated farther than the northernmost border of South China—the province of Honan, North China was the China of history.

But of late there had come an outlet for this hard-working Temperate Zone, population, which afforded them new hope. Last year into Manchuria there were one million migrants from the provinces of Shantung and Chihli—not only farmers, but artisans from cities like Tsingtao and Chefoo. They were going into a new land which more nearly resembled, in climate, natural resources and formation, the United States than any other area in the world. In eastern Kirin were mountains like the Appalachians, then a country like Ohio and the central Eastern States, then plains such as make up our Middle West finally in southern Heilungchuan and Fengtien, a range like the Rockies. This region had been so inadequately mapped that once in traveling in Mongolia he had hunted for a city; listed on every map; to find finally that the city had been razed in the days of Kublai Khan.

But this was being changed, he said. Last year so many railway lines were built in Manchuria that at present the

milage exceeded that of all China. And here the speaker interpolated on the screen a picture like some scene in the middle west. Here were cattle in the foreground, the brown-green prairie at dusk, and past the farmstead, cutting the dusk, the lights of a train and the smoke in a plume.

"Here is Manchuria," Cressy concluded, "one might witness an experiment which would clarify largely the vexed problem of the relative importance of climate and race, and their relation to each other. If climate were a preponderant factor it was impossible to believe that Manchuria should not develop into a region like the United States."

### DEMANDS FOR MAPS SWAMP CONGRESSMAN

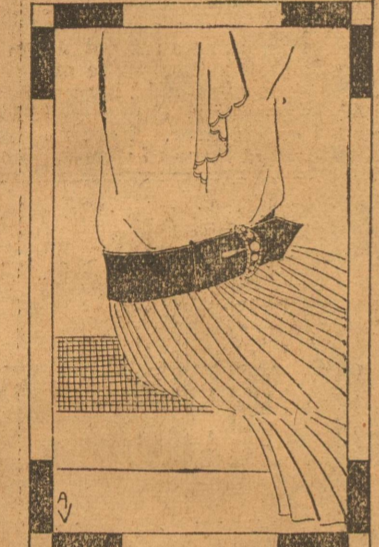
By United Press.  
WASHINGTON.—Leslie J. Steele, successor to William D. Uphaw as congressman from the fifth Georgia district, began to have trouble before arriving here.

Steele's secretary, a young man just out of law school, and new to the House office building, started his work in the time-honored fashion by sending certain supplies to a consultant.

The only difficulty was that the article sent out was one of 12 maps that are the yearly quota of each Congressman. For each map in addition to the 12, the congressman pays \$2.

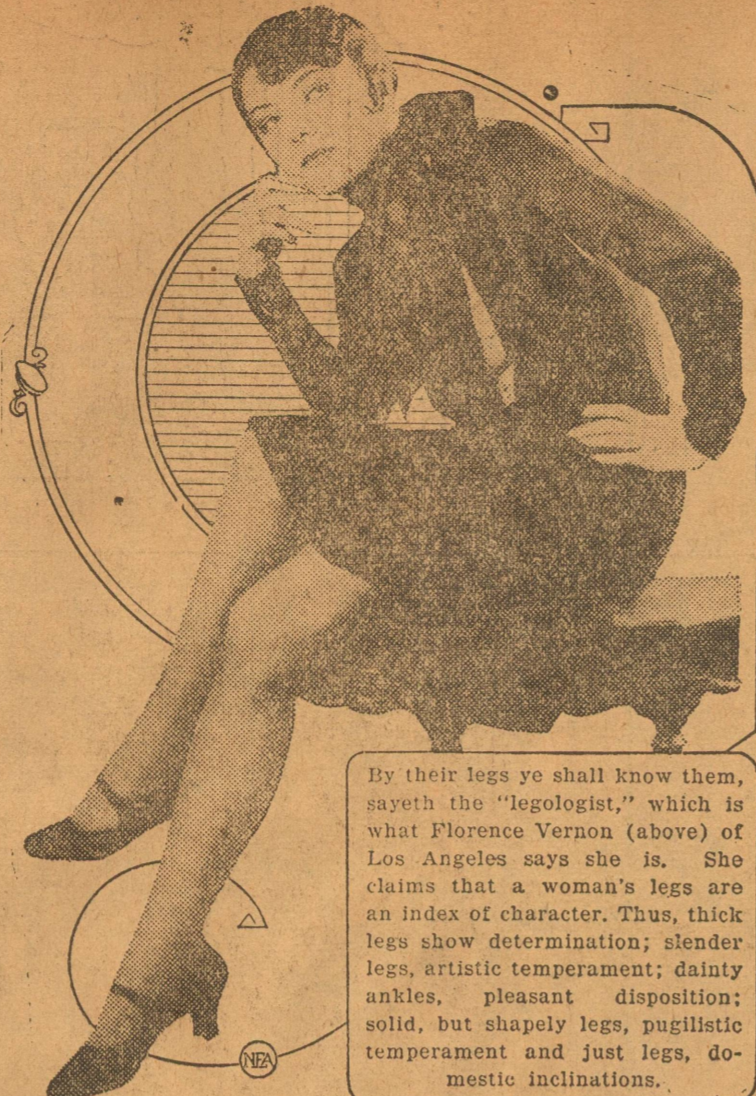
Ten days later Steele's office had 26 requests for the maps.

### Tailored Pearls



Dressy pearls assume new importance to the mode when they fashion a crescent buckle for a black suede tailored belt.

### Finds Legs Character Index



By their legs ye shall know them, saveth the "legologist," which is what Florence Vernon (above) of Los Angeles says she is. She claims that a woman's legs are an index of character. Thus, thick legs show determination; slender legs, artistic temperament; dainty ankles, pleasant disposition; solid, but shapely legs, pugilistic temperament and just legs, domestic inclinations.

### Booster Class To Aid Inter Church Musical Program

Last Sunday morning Eastland Methodist Booster class appointed the following committees to assist in the musical program to be rendered by the inter-church orchestra under the auspices of the booster class.

Program and tickets: Miss Syble Truly, Miss Sallie Hatten and Bruce Butler.

House committee: Thos. J. Haley, B. M. Collier, Frank Crowell, Joe Stephens and Ed Wilman.

Ushers: Neil A. Moore, W. B. Collier, Walter Jarrett, Guy Parker, Frank Sparks and Mr. Loventhall.

The program will be given in the old L. B. Wright building west of the post office on Monday evening, December 12th, beginning at 8 o'clock. The orchestra will play a concert of standard music. Miss Mary Sue Rumph will render a musical reading

entitled "The Appealing Power of Music." She will be assisted by the orchestra. Miss Wilma Baird and Mr. B. M. Collier as soloists and Mrs. T. J. Haley, Mrs. Lester Foster and Mrs. Chas. C. Robey in the chorus. This program promises to be a musical treat.

### DOUGLAS GOING WITH SAN ANGELO STANDARD

Neal A. Douglas, jr., newspaper man whose home has been in Eastland for the past year or more but who has been employed on newspapers outside of the city, has accepted a position on the San Angelo Standard. He was in Eastland today and stated that he was moving his mother and sister from Eastland to San Angelo and they would make that city their future home.

Coaches are finding out that they cannot punish these immature boys too severely all week and expect them to be at their best on Saturday. "A sound man will tackle hard; a sore one can't," said Art Sampson.

### THOUSANDS WOULD JOIN SEARCH FOR PIRATE GOLD NEAR PANAMA

By EARL H. LEIF  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
SAN FRANCISCO.—That romance and a dash of adventure is not dead in the American people is once more attested to by the thousands of letters being received daily by Luis Morgan, fifth grandson of Sir Henry Morgan, 17th century buccaner.

Morgan today is preparing for a year's expedition to the coast of Darien, Panama, to search for pirate loot consisting of 8,000 pieces of eight, many sacks of Spanish doubloons and a horde of gold stolen from the cathedral in Panama City during the sacking of that town in 1761. The treasure was buried in a swamp in a bayon 30 miles from Panama City on the Chame Bay by seven of Sir Henry's slaves who were afterwards shot on the theory that "dead men tell no tales."

The little 42 foot ketch rigged yacht "Saxon" will carry a crew of five, four of whom already have been named. In addition to Morgan, the crew will consist of his wife, Mrs. Mabel Morgan, Captain Arvid Pearson, an intrepid navigator, Charles Paulter, engineer, and one other.

When it became known that the fifth member of the party had not yet been decided upon, the letters started pouring in on Morgan. Letters came from old romancers, debonnaire young adventurers ready for any escapade, and from persons who know of other buried treasure and who offer to furnish this information to Morgan if he will take them along.

One letter came from a 17-year-old girl in Sharon, Pa., who volunteered for the treasure hunt in the capacity of cook. "I was going to take her along until Mrs. Morgan heard of it," Morgan said jocularly.

Another letter was received from A. Williams, who was hired by the British government to find the English ship Laurentis, which was sunk during the war with \$30,000,000 in her hold. Williams located the ship with a "diving rod" which he offers to use in the Morgan hunt.

The grizzled old seafarer is staking his money and basing his hopes on an old parchment chart handed down from generation to generation in the Morgan family. Ten years ago his father, Franklin Pearce Morgan, who is now a practicing attorney in Victoria, Texas, found the chart in an old trunk which had been sent from the plantation near Birmingham, Ala., where the Morgans lived after they came from Wales.

He gave it to his son whose quick imagination immediately was fired. Work began at once. It took three years to build a boat, only to find that it was not seaworthy. Undaunted, Louis Morgan started on another boat, the Saxon, having learned a good many things about building boats by his first errors. Now, after seven years of continual industry and hard work, the boat is nearing completion and the expedition will be ready to start the first part of January.

The Saxon—as dainty a little craft as will be seen on any stretch of water—will carry 1,200 square feet of leg mutton sails and will have an auxiliary 48-horsepower motor to be used for going in and out of port.

Tired waterfront reporters drop down in the little cabin of the Saxon on many afternoons where a pot of hot coffee is always brewing. Over the coffee and cigarettes they talk with Morgan of the days when the bad, bold pirates were in their heyday, when they ranged and roamed the wide sea lanes in search of plunder; little saucy ships defying every whim of the elements and attacking larger and better armed men of war and merchantmen.

The doughty old sea rover is, undoubtedly, a dreamer. Yet there is a streak of persistency and practicability in him that can only be admired. His weather-beaten face lights up gleefully when he talks of pirates and buccaners of hidden treasures and sacked cities.

Even the timbers of the cabin which he is building have had their

### Her Essay Wins

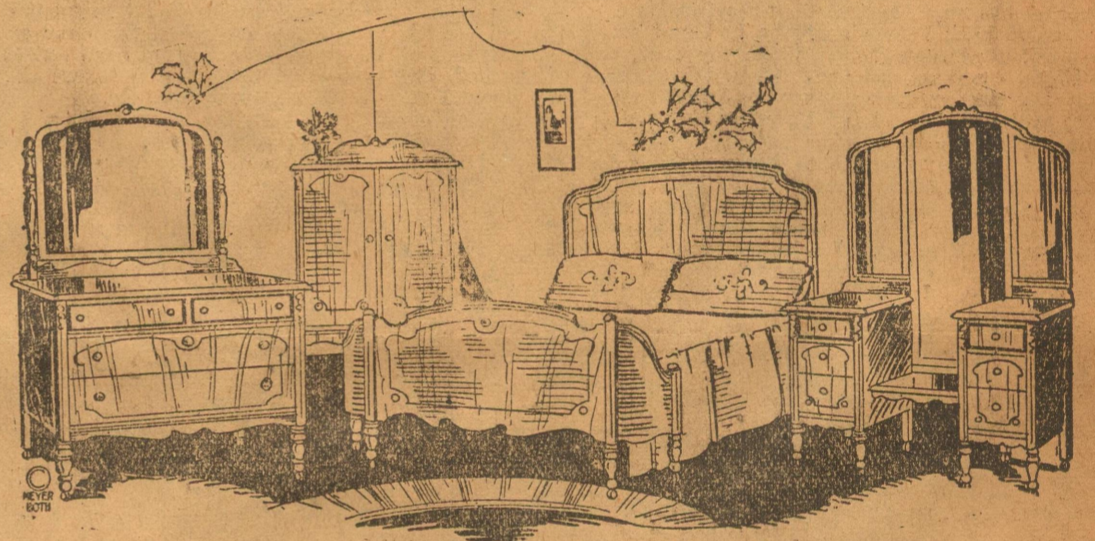


When thirteen-year-old Bethel Pugh of Pueblo, Colo., heard about the national essay contest on safety conducted by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, she took pen in hand. Her essay won and she was given a trip to Washington. More than 400,000 entered the contest.

romance. They sailed around the horn in 1849 on ships in search of California gold and now they are once again on a ship seeking gold.

TYLER.—Looking toward the future growth of Tyler, a group of local officials and business men are making a study of the work of the Dallas city planning commission.

The group has made one trip to Dallas to study the plan and inspect the work already accomplished. A second trip of inspection and study will be made later.



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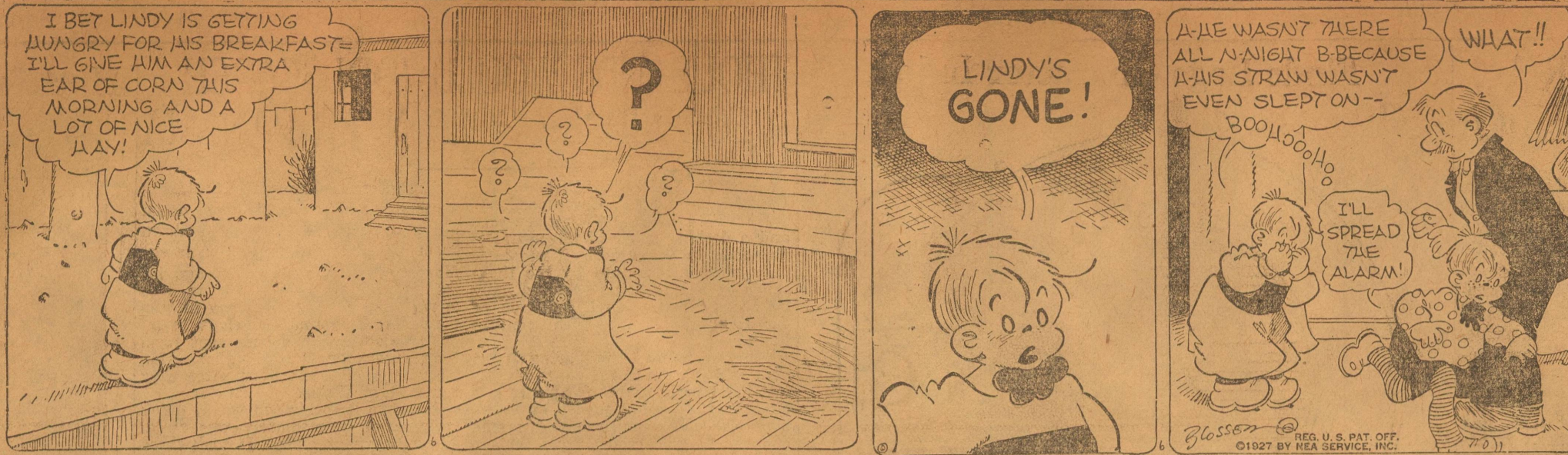
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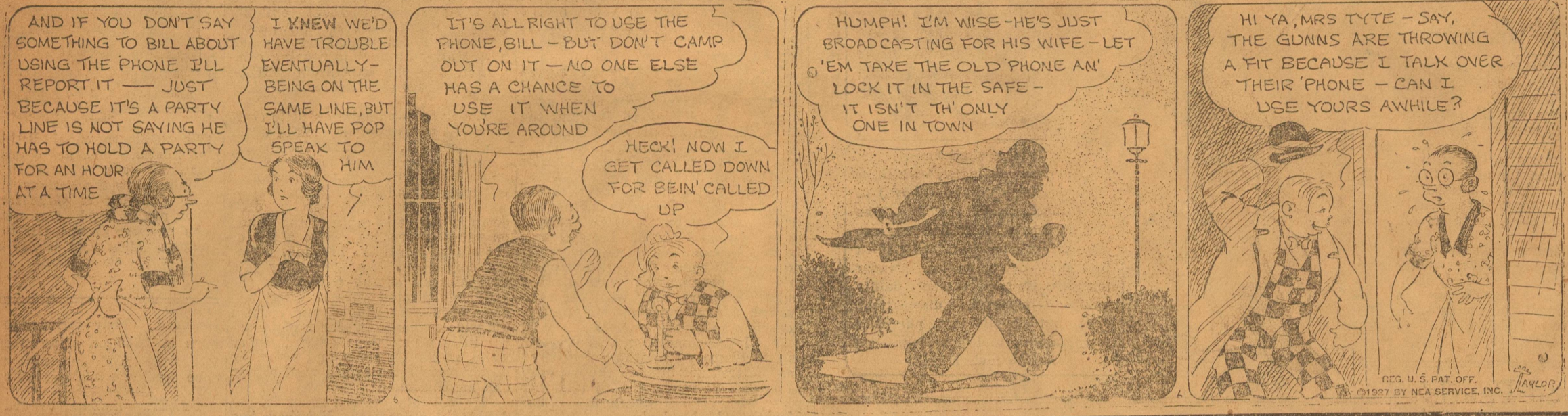
EXTRA TAGS PONY 'LINDY' HAS MYSTERIOUSLY DISAPPEARED!! CAN IT BE THAT SOMEONE HAS STOLEN LINDY?

Forest Fires Do Heavy Damage In California

By United Press. LOS ANGELES, Dec. 5.—One forest fire raged uncontrolled in southern California today after fire fighters had brought under control another blaze which caused estimated damage of more than \$2,000,000. About 1,000 men battled the flames in the San Bernardino region, which threatened thousands of acres of forest land and many homes. Shortly before midnight 1,500 volunteers and drafted men conquered a blaze in Tuna and Tujunga canyons after it had burned over 8,000 acres and destroyed more than 100 houses. The fire still was burning after the 30-hour battle but seemed to be under control. The San Bernardino blaze had burned over more than 5,000 acres of valuable timber land. Scores of mountain cabins were destroyed but no lives were lost reports indicated. The fires were said to have been caused by sparks from a rubbish burner in the forest. Two deaths resulted from automobile accidents when the drivers of machines were blinded by dust. POINT ISABEL.—The last of the "regadoras" has made its final trip into Point Isabel. These picturesque water carriers—a boy mounted on a slow moving burro hauling a barrel of water mounted on an axle and two wheels—made their final trip this week. Additional trips were unnecessary because water is now flowing through the pipes of the new water-works. For more than 100 years the thirsty inhabitants of Point Isabel had depended on these plodding burros and indifferent Mexican boys to furnish the local water supply.

Mom'n Pop

By Taylor



NORFLEET

I was awake! I looked at my watch. It was four o'clock. My eyes ached and burned so severely that I felt it safe to lie down for a little while. Tim dragged like a herd of sick cows. There's nothing in the world slower than that. Would the Rangers come? What would I do if they didn't? I'd never manage to hold out another day. Besides, my friends would rush me away to Ferris on the next day-train. Would Miller come back before six? Would six o'clock never come? At five o'clock, I got up and paced the floor. My tired nerves were about to snap and I wondered if I would ever last out that remaining hour. I was glad that my eyes kept hurting. That would keep me awake. The pain was terrible. Five thirty. I'd better begin to set the stage for the Rangers. Beneath Davis' bed, near his head, was a heavy traveling bag. I had seen several guns in it and they always kept it within reach. Davis was throwing himself about nervously and one hand was always extended toward that bag. Habit is a wonder-

ful thing. I wondered how many years he'd sleep with that artillery at his head and his hand extended toward it. Davis' bed was in a direct line with the door to the hall, and I was afraid that he might get a shot at anyone who might try to enter. I must figure out some way to get that bag out of reach. Near the bag stood a rocking chair. I fussed about the room for a few minutes. It was gradually getting lighter, and I could see my way about the room without stumbling over the furniture. I tiptoed over near the bed and softly pushed the bag with my foot, endeavoring to shove it beneath the side of the bed. Davis stirred and opened one eye. I ramed a foot against the rocking chair and leaned into the air on one foot, yelping that I had stubbed my toe. Then I grabbed the rocker and slammed it down squarely over the bag, so that Davis would have to lift it away before he could get to his arsenal. Davis turned over the other way and murmured, sleepily: "Well, you have waked me up for sure now, Mulligan." He continued grumbling, then settled down and tried to go back to sleep.

I looked at my watch. It was a quarter to six. The excitement of the impending event and my activity for the past few moments had served to entirely awaken me, and I found that I did not feel half so badly as I might have. It was no longer necessary for me to feign sickness and I was relieved at being able to drop that burden. I completed dressing by putting on my shoes, and seeing that Davis showed no sign of getting up, I walked over to the door. "I wonder if it rained last night. Seemed kinder like I heard it comin' down." I unlocked the door and opened it, sticking my head out to look through the window across the hall. Davis sat up quickly. I closed the door and twisted the key over and back. It sounded like one turn, but it was two and the door was unlocked. Davis lay down again drowsing. I looked at my watch. One minute to six! The little ticks sounded like tin hammers. I moved over to the foot of Davis' bed. The footboard covered my body from the waist down so I drew my hand and held it out of sight below the end of the bed. "I didn't sleep well last night," Davis said drowsily. "At home I

sleep on down mattresses, with down comforts over me and my head on the down pillows. I certainly wasn't built for anything but comfort." I wondered if they'd have down beds where he was going. RAP! RAP—Rap! Rap! Two times heavy, twice light. Davis started up quickly and his hand crashed against the back of the rocking chair. He had reached for his gun. He let out a curse and held his skinned knuckles. "Lay your head back on that pillow before I blow it off!" I snapped at him and he dropped back in amazement. "Come in," I called. The door opened. First came the muzzles of two guns, then Kenneth Robinson and a Ranger stepped in quickly. They closed the door softly. We soon had my handcuffs on Davis and we locked him in the bathroom. "If you hear the signal rap on the door and let out a yell I'll puncture this door for you, too!" I threatened and he seemed only too anxious to keep quiet. Robinson's wife had sent two delicious chicken sandwiches to me, and I lost no time devouring them. I'm afraid I forgot whatever "table etiquette" I may have ever had, but not

ever tasted so good to me. I can concentrate for a moment on the events of that morning and I invariably taste those chicken sandwiches. It seems that taste has a permanent place in my memory. I recited, briefly, my experience with the two men and we sat quietly waiting for Miller's return. The officers sat beside my bed and I lay up on it. At seven-thirty, the signal raps sounded on the door. I got up quickly and opened it, gun in hand.

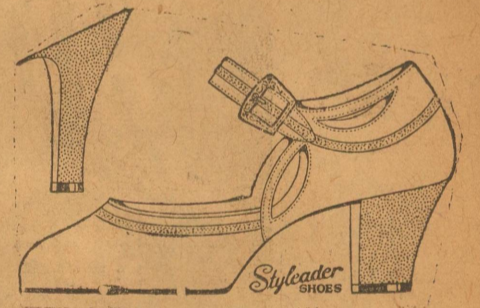
AUSTIN.—Tets of the state motor bus law on habeas corpus proceedings before the court of criminal appeals has been set for Dec. 14. The test case is brought on behalf of Ignacio Sepulveda of Webb county.

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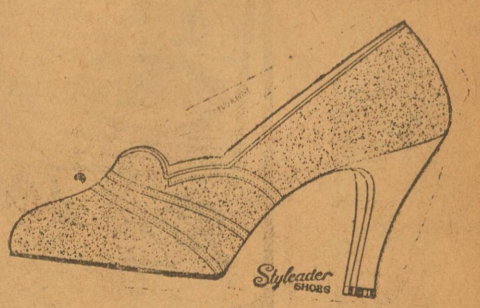
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