

R. L. HENRY MAY LEAVE GOV'S RACE

DALLAS, Feb. 17.—Former Senator Joseph W. Bailey, whose candidacy for governor was announced Sunday, will include in his platform, according to information from his friends, the advocacy of reduction in governmental expenses, accomplished in part through eliminating many "useless public offices."

SENATE FIGHTS THRU DAY ON PEACE TREATY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Debate on the Versailles treaty is expected to occupy practically all of today's session in the senate. Private negotiations for a compromise will be discontinued until the debate has run its course and the atmosphere cleared.

Franklin K. Lane to Oil Industry in Leaving Cabinet

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 17.—Franklin K. Lane, retiring secretary of the interior, will become an executive of the Pan-American Petroleum & Transport company and the Mexican Petroleum company, when he relinquishes his official position, E. L. Dohney, president of these companies, announced today.

COLONEL CRAWFORD DIES TUESDAY, DALLAS

DALLAS, Feb. 17.—Colonel William L. Crawford, 81 years old, prominent Texas attorney, died here today. During the civil war, he was lieutenant-colonel of the Nineteenth Texas Infantry. Colonel Crawford was a member of the Texas Constitutional convention in 1875. He got his early law training in the office of David Culbertson, father of Senator Culbertson.

HIS TWELFTH ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE UNSUCCESSFUL

International News Service. SAN FRANCISCO.—C. E. Sparks, of Roseburg, Ore., still lives today, but police declare it is not his fault. He failed in the twelfth attempt to commit suicide. The last time he was discovered lying on a bed with his throat cut and with a razor in his hand. He was removed to the Central Emergency hospital and his life saved.

O. D. DARBY BURNED IN GAS MAIN FIRE

O. D. Darby, an employee of the Humble Oil & Refining company, at Camp No. 2, was severely burned Monday in an accident near the camp, when a gas main caught fire.

"I understand you served on a submarine during the war?" asked the man with his foot on the brass rail. "Yes, I did," replied the man in sailor clothes. "Do you like the work as well as on a cruiser?"

GEN. WOOD AND LOWDEN LEAD IN MICHIGAN

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 17.—How many potential presidential nominees will seek the endorsement of Michigan's delegation to the national convention remains a matter of speculation. The complete list will not be known until noon March 1, when the time for filing nomination petitions expires, although the preference primary does not take place until April 5.

Party managers are making every effort to get the greatest number of candidates on the primary ballot, holding that a true expression of Michigan's sentiment cannot be obtained unless a large field is placed before the voters for choice.

Foremost among the republicans who will be on the primary ballot are Major General Leonard Wood and Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, who have already appeared several times in the state. Senator Hiram Johnson of California has also indicated his intention of filing nomination petitions.

As only 100 signatures are required to nominating petitions to a place on the primary ballot, it is expected a number of petitions will be held up, until nearly the last minute.

Earl of Reading Declines British Post, Washington

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Premier Lloyd George has offered the ambassadorship at Washington to the Earl of Reading, former ambassador to the United States, says the Pall Mall Gazette today. He has declined the appointment.

JOSEPH CALLIAUX ON TRIAL IN PARIS

PARIS, Feb. 17.—Joseph Calliaux, former premier of France, will have on trial today before the senate, sitting as a high court, charged with conspiracy against his country. The accused man entered the chamber accompanied by three police officers.

WAR RESTRICTIONS ON RADIO REMOVED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—All war time restrictions on international radio communication in the United States will be removed Feb. 29 under an executive order signed today by President Wilson.

MINISTER ON SNOWSHOES FILLS THREE PULPITS

International News Service. WINSTED, Conn.—The Rev. Harry Dodd of West Hartland, who as a rule preaches in three churches every Sunday, the Congregational and the Methodist in Colebrook River, is traveling across country on snowshoes to keep his appointments. The roads are blocked with drifts.

CANADIAN SNOW GESE CAUGHT IN OKLAHOMA

MALESTER, Okla.—Two Canadian snow geese, measuring seven feet in length, were brought down a few days ago by County Commissioner Charles Hess and Joseph Barba a few miles northwest of here.

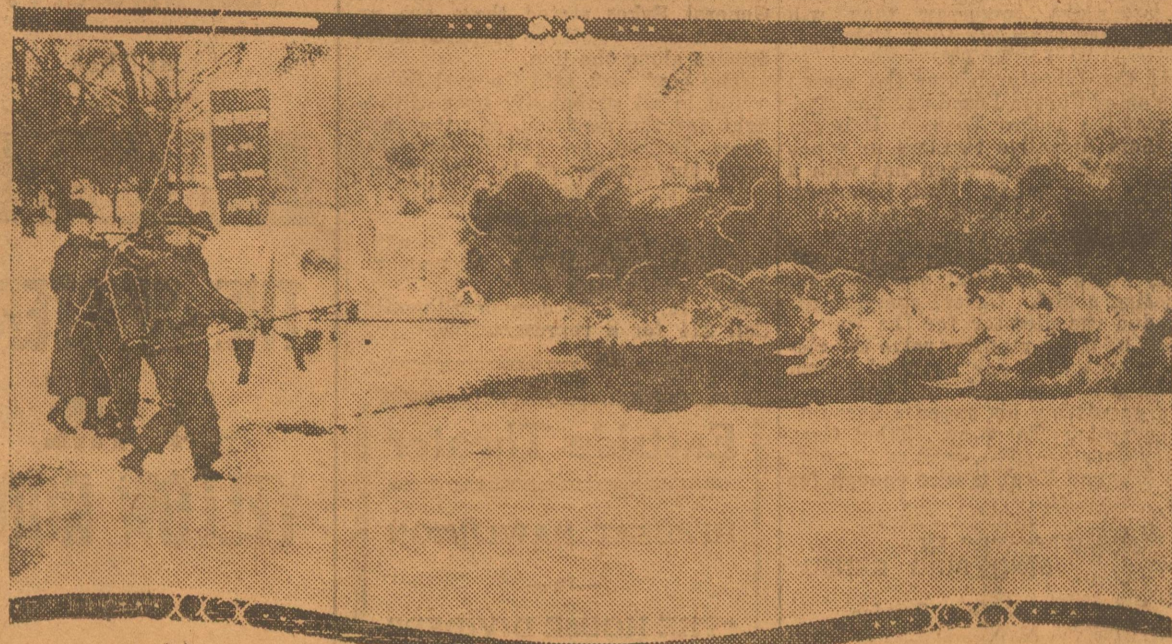
STORK BUSY IN SPAIN

WASHINGTON.—The stork must be busy in Spain. Carlton Bailey, Consul-General at Barcelona, Spain, reports there is a good market in Spain for safety pins, especially steel pins with metal clasps.

"STORK" LEFT TRIPLETS TWICE IN 15 MONTHS

ALBANY, Ala.—Six children—two sets of triplets—within fifteen months, is the birth record in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Posey Livingstone, of Albany.

FLAME THROWERS, DESIGNED FOR FOE, MELT HUGE SNOW-DRIFTS



A squad of flame throwers in action on New York street. Flame throwers similar to those turned loose against the foe in the war, were brought into play recently to help free New York streets of the towering snow-drifts left by the storm. Pedestrians who watched the soldiers handling the death-dealing devices got some idea of their effectiveness against man by the way in which they lowered high drifts in a few seconds.

ENTIRE CITY INTOXICATED HALF A WEEK

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Almost the entire male population of La Grania, near Perrol, Spain, was in a state of helpless intoxication for three days recently, and the fishing industry and all other work was at a complete standstill, according to a Madrid dispatch.

During the stormy weather, a number of cases of spirits were washed overboard from incoming vessels. These were picked up by fishermen, tradesmen and mechanics, who assembled in a building near the place of salvage and consumed dozens of bottles of brandy, rum and other spirits.

The very next six hours, after which time the whole crowd was found lying in huddled heaps about the floor in unconscious conditions. A detachment of marines was dispatched to the building and in the presence of the captain of the port the people were conveyed like coal into six large cars and conveyed, insensible, to the naval hospital.

Gas Conservation Has Co-operation of Texas Company

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—Gas conservation, as planned by the Railroad commission, is to have the full co-operation of the Texas company, it was assured after a conference here today by H. T. Crain, head of the gas division of the Texas company, and Major George C. Butts, chief of the oil & gas department of the commission.

Mr. Crain said that the demands of the war had made large inroads upon the Texas company's field forces and that moves made to co-operate with the commission had had the handicap of insufficient forces of skilled men.

GERMANY MAY TRY MEN ALLIES ACCUSE

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Germany has been informed that she may try men accused by the allies, while Holland may intern William of Hohenzollern and satisfy the allied powers. Notes to this effect have been sent to Berlin and The Hague by the supreme council.

JUDGE SENDS OUT S. O. S. CALL IN DRESS DISPUTE

CHICAGO.—All the leading dressmakers in town may be called to help Judge John R. Caverly give a decision in the case of Miss Anna R. Peterson against Miss Frances Fellger. Miss Peterson, a dressmaker, charges Miss Fellger owes her \$18.56 for a dress. Miss Fellger says the price is exorbitant, and the two wrangled it out before the bench for fifteen minutes.

The judge's mind finally became such a maelstrom of permanent bastings, temporary bastings, blousy taffetas, tail sleeves and beaded trimmings that he threw up both hands in despair.

"Help!" he called. "Mr. Clerk, issue summonses for Lucile and every other big dressmaker in town to serve as expert witnesses in this case. I gotta get help, that's all!"

ENOUGH GAS FOR RANGER IS IN SIGHT

Plenty of gas pressure is being supplied now and unless severe weather, with resultant heavy demand, returns before March 5, the gas company will be able to meet all Ranger's needs, according to H. B. Houghton, president of the Sammie Oil corporation, who returned Tuesday morning from a trip of inspection of other city systems.

"All our 1-1/4, 2 and 3-inch line in the city has been replaced by 4-inch," Mr. Houghton stated, "and we now have a crew of 105 men at work laying the 6-inch city belt line. With fair weather, we will complete the 8-1/4-inch to the Barker gassers of the Rickard Texas company in two weeks, and supply Ranger with all the gas it can use for five years."

TURKEY NOW SURE OF CONSTANTINOPLE

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Great Britain has instructed Admiral Doroebek at Constantinople to announce there that the allies had decided not to deprive Turkey of Constantinople.

"I dunno, ma'am," replied the dealer. "But whatever it was this 'ere parrot could repeat it right over after him."—Kansas City Star.

GALLOP RELIEF FUND.

The quick generosity of the Electrical Workers' Union No. 905, of which Mr. Gallop was a member, gave impetus to the relief fund started for the widow of the unfortunate fire victim, whose child was killed in the fire at their home Sunday. Mr. Gallop died at the Ranger hospital Tuesday morning. His wife suffered burns, and the loss of every belonging she had, in the fire.

The electrical workers, in a meeting Monday night, appropriated \$300 from their funds to help the unfortunate widow.

The committee appointed to further the work consists of O. H. Wagner, Ben Blair, O. G. Abernathy and William Peterson.

"The \$300 subscribed by his fellow workers, together with the money raised from other sources Monday, will be placed in the F. & M. bank under the name of the Gallop Relief Fund. Further contributions may be added at the bank."

Texas Department State Highways Reports for 1919

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—The gross income of the State Highway department during 1919 was \$4,065,024, according to the annual report of the department just completed.

The balance with the state treasurer on January 1, 1919, was \$910,782. On January 1, 1920, the balance was \$1,329,972.

The gross income for 1919 was received from the following sources: The balance at the first of the year was \$910,782.

Gross collections of license fee by tax collectors was \$2,747,198. One-half of this, less commissions and refunds was deposited with county treasurers. The other half, less deductions, was remitted to the highway department.

Counties returned \$37,800 as part of the expenses incurred in receiving and distributing trucks and equipment allotted by the war department.

Salaries totaled \$108,010. This included commissioners per diem, salary of highway engineer and all office and field assistants, including salaries of resident engineers which amounted to \$6,638 and which will be refunded by counties.

Traveling expenses were \$17,839, of which \$2,260 was expense of resident engineers and will be refunded by the counties.

Supplies, including stationary, office equipment and engineering supplies \$14,841; printing \$30,901; number plates \$39,299; seals and chauffeur badges \$14,321 and \$437; sundry supplies and expenses \$16,830 and \$797.

Items deducted by tax collectors, including commissions and expenses of collection, \$18,102.

Advanced to T. R. Spence, superintendent of federal equipment division, \$6,000.

Cotton Plant Well Strikes Shallow Sand

Sinclair Oil & Gas company has a new shallow sand in the D. G. Fambrough No. 1, in the Cotton Plant pool. It was met at 1,815 feet and now the well is shut down for orders, showing a quarter million feet of gas and ten barrels of oil, natural, from a sand which runs from 1,815 to 1,820 feet. This is coming through the 10-inch casing, which was set at 1,660 feet.

OVER MILLION HOMES NEEDED; RENTALS LEAP

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—House shortage throughout the country has become so acute that between one million and two million homes are needed to take care of the population, according to speakers at the National Conference on Concrete Housing Construction, which opened a three-day session here today.

The conference was called especially to deal with the shortage of homes which has increased rentals by leaps and bounds. Speakers declared that almost everywhere the newcomer was unable to find a home for his family and that as a result, industrial concerns in many cities are laying out sub-divisions and building homes for their employees, but that only the universal assumption of activities with concentration on home building will bring about a solution.

The conference is participated in by contractors, architects, manufacturers, building associations, town planners, fire direction engineers and public officials from all parts of the country. More than a score of national organizations are co-operating in the conference, including the American Concrete Institute, the Building Officials committee and the Associated General Contractors of America.

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League of Women Voters Plans Good Citizenship Battle

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—The League of Women Voters, successor to the American Woman Suffrage association, began mobilizing today for a better citizenship campaign, which would include legislation designed to protect women in industry, eradicate sex lines in wage scales lead to the establishment of a woman's bureau in the department of labor and the doubling of school teachers' salaries.

PENNSY CRUDE JUMPS AGAIN NOW AT \$5.65

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 17.—Fifteen cents a barrel was added today to the price of Pennsylvania crude oil, bringing the price to \$5.65, an advance of sixty-five cents within the last three months.

THE DANGER. Visitor: According to this newspaper, the war cost—

Movie Magnate: S-h-h! Visitor: What's the matter? Movie Magnate: I don't want the star to hear any amount like that.—Film Fun.

DANCING KINGS GET LARGER SALARIES THAN WARRIORS

International News Service. PARIS, Feb. 16.—Harry Pilcer, Duke and other Paris dancing kings earn more money than Marshal Foch or any of the great warriors of France, laments Henry Bordeaux, of the French Academy, in an article in Le Monde Illustré upon the birth of an infant.

"Oh, if your father had only been a dancing professor," writes Bordeaux, addressing the infant. "That is a profession that is quite the thing nowadays. To teach young men or girls to raise their feet and swing their hips is something that brings a salary worthy of a marshal of France. But what dancing professor today would content himself with the salary of a marshal? Alas, our marshals only learned how to take steps along the Marne, the Meuse and the Rhine, so that the enemy would not profit from their lessons."

WIDOW LEFT PENNILESS AND ALONE

R. M. Gallop, who was burned in a fire caused by a gas explosion Saturday night, died at the Ranger General Hospital about 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, as a result of his injuries. He is the second victim of the accident. Ralph Gallop, his infant son, was burned to death in the building.

Gallop was burned about the face and body, and it was stated yesterday that he had little chance of recovery. The body is being held at the parlor of the Milford Undertaking company, as funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Mrs. Gallop, who was slightly burned in the fire, was removed from the hospital to a local hotel Sunday. Her injuries are not regarded as serious.

Funeral arrangements are being made by the members of the Electrical Workers' union, of which Mr. Gallop was a member. The union lists but twenty members, but has subscribed \$300. Liberal aid has been given by neighbors, police officers and others solicited. The widow is penniless.

FREE BUREAU FOR LEGIONERS OPENING SOON

A free employment bureau, information and advertising bureau, will be opened at once by the Carl Barnes Post, No. 69, of the American Legion. The headquarters of the bureau will be on Austin street, between the Lone Star theater and Pine street. A tent is now being erected for the purpose. Secretary W. T. Cunningham will be in charge.

The purpose of the bureau is to aid ex-soldiers, sailors and marines to secure suitable employment, and to complete and give out information concerning Ranger, and the opportunities here. All persons who are in a position to aid ex-service men by giving them employment are requested to notify the American Legion, 214 Pine street.

Ranger is one of the few places in the country to establish a bureau of this kind, financed and run by the American Legion. The co-operation of employers and business men generally is needed to make it a success.

SCHOOL BONDS ELECTION HELD FEBRUARY 27

A school bond election to determine the issuance of school bonds to the amount of \$200,000 for this district will be held in the directors' rooms of the F. and M. bank on Feb. 27.

At an election held last fall no votes were cast against the bond issue, but owing to muddy weather and other conditions, the vote for the bonds was very light. Failure to vote argued a passive indifference to the bond issue, in the view of purchaser, and for that reason another election has been called, and every effort will be made to get a large vote at the polls.

Ex-service men, who have lived in the state a year and in the precinct six months are entitled to vote in the election in case they are taxpayers.

HOLLAND AGREES TO GUARD KAISER WELL

THE HAGUE, Feb. 17.—Holland will answer the second note sent by the entente with regard to the status of former Emperor William, by reiteration of the original position refusing to surrender him, but acquiescing to the request to guard him closely, was declared here today.

### At the Leading Amusement Houses TODAY

**LIBERTY**—"THE MYSTERY OF THE YELLOW ROOM."

**LONE STAR**—Billy Burke in "WANTED, A HUSBAND."

**OPERA HOUSE**—H. B. Warner in "FUGITIVE FROM MATRIMONY."

**HIPPODROME**—Bert Smith's "RAGTIME WONDERS" in a DEPARTMENT STORE."

**LAMB**—Robert Warwick in "THE ACCIDENTAL HONEYMOON."

#### LAMB.

Much that happens to one in real life happens through accident and accidents are what bring about the big events in "The Accidental Honeymoon," which will be seen at the Lamb theater today.

If an accident had not crippled the automobile in which a pretty girl was escaping from an uncongenial marriage, Robert Forrester, an artist, would have succeeded in carrying out his design on suicide. As it is, he goes to help the girl and falls so deeply in love with her that he thinks no more of suicide.

Everything imaginable comes up to prevent the young couple from marrying, and, as a matter of fact, both have to feign accidents and land in an infirmary before they are able to frame up a happy ending. It is a picture which abounds in romantic incidents, adventure and good, wholesome comedy.

#### LONE STAR.

A modern shower bath complete in every detail had to be constructed at the Paramount-Artercraft motion picture studio in New York for Billie Burke. Not that the pretty star insists upon performing her ablutions during working hours. A scene in her latest picture, "Wanted—A Husband," requires her to shiver and dance under an ice-cold shower-bath, and Miss Burke is an ardent advo-

cate of realism. Moreover, she insisted that the water be really cold, and grimaces she makes on the screen are heartfelt.

It is all in the interest of beauty. Miss Burke has the role of a slovenly little wallpaper designer, living in a bohemian apartment in New York. She is indifferent to her appearance and is altogether impossible as far as men are concerned until the engagements of her two girl companions to male charmers and their gibes arouse her to action. She not only feigns a fiancé of her own, but goes through a course of training that so beautifies her that the improvised sweetheart is quite willing to become a real one.

James L. Crane is the leading man. Gypsy O'Brien and Kid Bread, the expugnant, are also in the cast. The picture, a Paramount-Artercraft, is described as a light, romantic comedy.

#### OPERA HOUSE.

Because the new theater now under construction at University City was not completed in time for the filming of "Under Suspicion," a new crook-comedy drama to be shown tomorrow at the Opera House, a metropolitan playhouse had to be leased for a night, suspending a popular stage production and turning away a box office crowd.

When Director William C. Dowlan learned that there was a theater scene coming he tried his wickedest to prevail on somebody to speed up work on the theater, but to no avail, so like all other resourceful men he did the next best thing. He hired a big theater in Los Angeles and charged it up to his boss, Carl Laemmle, president of the Big U.

"Under Suspicion" features Ora Carew, who was also the leading player in "Loot," another spectacular crook drama to be shown tomorrow. In Miss Carew's support in "Under Suspicion" are Forrest Stanley and Charles Clary.

The picture concerns a small town girl, who came into some money, goes to a large city and attempts to reform a well-known society man whom she suspects as a crook. Some amusing complications resulting are promised in the production.

#### HIPPODROME.

Bert Smith's Ragtime Wonders present their second offering of the week a rearing comedy entitled "Grief in a Department Store." The act abounds with clever situations topped with side splitting climaxes and is interspersed with sparkling musical hits. Arlene Melom and Helen Curtis' ren-

dition of "Slowland Easy," "Worried Blues" and their double version of "Everybody Shimmies Now" are real hits. Lew Palmer and Miss Belle Brown contribute a real comedy juggling and eccentric dance routine. Miss Olga Yardly, the Alaskan song bird, in a pretty pianologue. Miss Myrtle Scott, the sensational girl violinist, will again entertain the music lovers. Summing it all up it is the classiest musical show of the season and is packing the big Hippodrome to capacity. As Manager Olive predicted last night, tomorrow they will laugh when they buy their tickets.

At the Liberty theater the screen version of Gaston Leroux's "The Mystery of the Yellow Room." It is one of those detective thrillers in which the French delight when not with a war on their hands. Emil Chautard, the director, has built up very skillfully the melodrama around the apparently without means of exit from which a criminal escapes after shooting a girl. Unconsciously compliment are due the director for the way in which he has a reporter solve the riddle, except that, for the final touch, he should have had the newspaper man presenting his expense account for covering the story. Ethel Grey Terry does effective work as the girl and Edmund Elton is wise enough for any journalist.

#### 29 "UNEMPLOYED" IN SING SING CENSUS

International News Service. OSS'NING, N. Y.—Daniel J. Hick, clerk at Sing Sing prison, has begun the enumeration of the prison population for the federal census. The twenty-nine inmates of the death house are being listed as "unemployed." The remainder of the prisoners are classified by their particular line of work in the prison.

There are about 1,150 prisoners and each will be interviewed personally to get the necessary data. Sing Sing and McDonough have been found. Clerk Hick does not expect to encounter the chief source of trouble met by other enumerators—"Not at home."

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#### BRITAIN PREPARED TO RULE AIR AS WELL AS SEA

International News Service. LONDON—Five great British air routes were described by Maj. Gen. Sir Frederick Sykes, controller general of civil aviation, in an address to members of the Royal Geographical society. Egypt was described as a key to these imperial airways, the first five of which are: (1) Egypt to India; (2) Cairo to the Cape; (3) India to Australia; (4) England to Egypt; (5) England to Canada. Regarding the Cairo to the Cape route, General Sykes stated there are no fewer than forty-three prepared aerodromes along the line. The next war, said General Sykes, would in all probability open with a fight for the mastery of the air. Great Britain, he added, must become the carrier of the world not only on the sea, but in the air.

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—in—  
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### Too Much Loving Cause of Divorce Suit in California

International News Service.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—How much should you love your wife?  
This is the absorbing question brought up here by the divorce action of Mrs. Leigh M. Stewart, who sues her husband, Commander Stewart, because he loved her too much.

The divorce courts are cluttered with actions because "love was done." Today there comes the reverse—the never and absorbing question for a judge to determine: Just how much should a man love his wife?

A modern cave man was Commander Stewart, according to his wife. A cave man with gentle human kindness, but over-powering in his love.

"This is the picture Mrs. Stewart paints of her husband:  
"His love for me was so overpowering, so terrible in its intensity that it killed my own love for him. As I look back over the period of five years of our married life, something tells me that if he had loved me less I would have loved him more."  
"A dreamland of exquisite wonder. That is where he swept me when first I met him."  
"He was primitive—instantly jealous, and not satisfied unless he had me in his arms, kissing me. He never seemed to be able to caress me enough."  
"Then we married. It is easily imagined how he won me by this love. But later, incessant as it became, it tired me. I was never free from the awfulness of his love."  
"Life became hateful. I am a dreamer—and my husband is a gross materialist. Love to him meant holding me in his arms, kissing me. To me love means the soaring aloft of two united souls, not an everlasting succession of caresses and kisses."  
"Can you imagine sitting at a breakfast table with a man who wouldn't permit you to eat because of the time it took from kissing? At luncheon he would have thought up a new love poem, the kind he always returned with from a sea voyage and I would have to listen to it. Then at dinner it was more kissing—kisses, kisses, kisses."  
"Not so very long ago I tired so utterly of his kisses that I asked him to leave me alone for a moment. He flew into a rage and choked me. I thought that he was going to kill me, and I came nearer at that moment to loving him than in any of the long years of our married life."  
"His caresses were so tiring that brutality was welcome."  
Mrs. Stewart has promised to introduce into the trial a number of love poems written by Commander Stewart while at sea—poems filled with love's passion, which she says will prove to any court that too much love can be as bad as too much neglect.

**AMERICAN AUTO TRUCKS OUSTING BULL IN BOMBAY**  
(International News Service.)  
WASHINGTON—They're going to "can the bull" in Bombay!  
Not only that, but American auto trucks are to be used as a means of doing this.  
Not only that, but American auto trucks are to be used as a means of doing this.  
The Bombay Improvement trust, at the request of its chief engineer, has decided to purchase a large number of one-ton trucks, stating that nearly all his works were being held up on account of the great difficulty in obtaining bullock carts, and when it was possible to obtain them, the price charged was so exorbitant that the cost of conveyance was double the price of the material carried.  
He said the trucks would replace the bullock carts and would be at least 50 per cent cheaper.  
So if you happen to be in Bombay and hear a taxicab individual muttering to himself "moo-ley-poo-ley" you will know that this is "Oh, Hell!" in his native tongue, due to the fact that he is out of a job as chief nurse to a number of Hindoo babies who have no carts to pull.

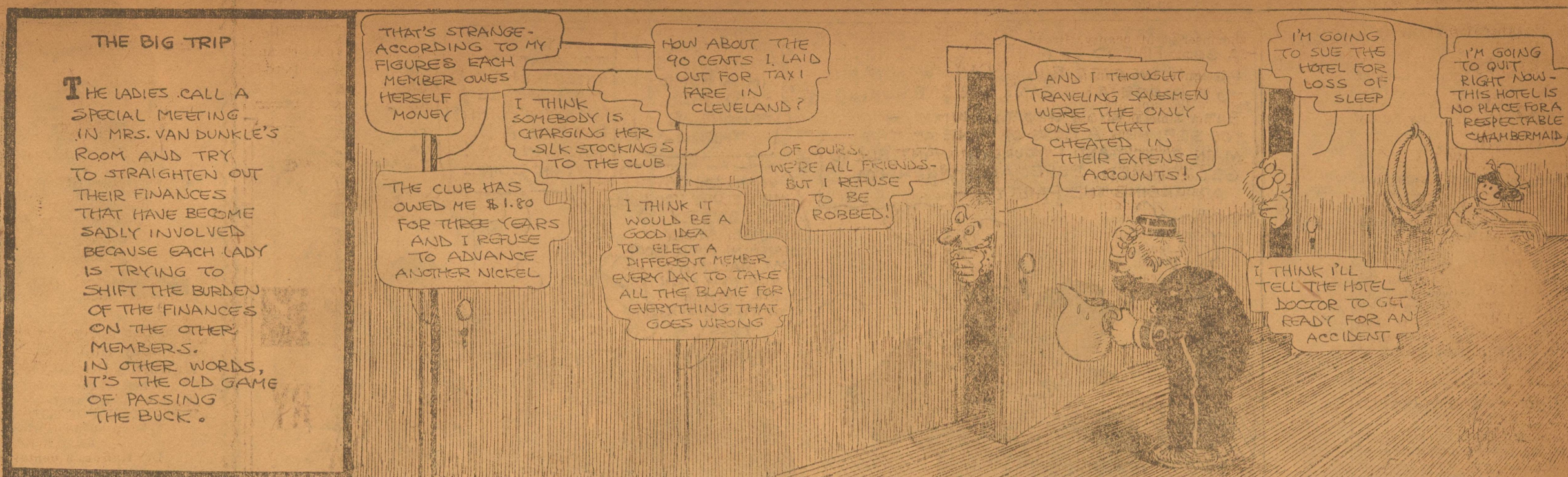
**FLOATING EXPOSITION OF JAPANESE GOODS PLANNED**  
International News Service.  
WASHINGTON—Japan is preparing world markets with a new enterprise. Announcement was made today of a plan for floating a 10,000-ton steamer modeling it into a veritable floating exposition of Japanese goods and sending it around the world. At each foreign port leading local lights will be invited aboard for further cultivation. As in many other things it was pointed out that this is but an adaptation of borrowed ideas; for example, American brains have been used to demonstrate advanced agricultural methods in rural communities and for many similar purposes for years.

**MONKEY GIVES LIFE TO SAVE BABY FROM KIDNAPER**  
International News Service.  
CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—Day and night guard duty to prevent another monkey from stealing its offspring has resulted in the death of Willie Capucin, a famous ring-tailed monkey at the Cincinnati Zoological gardens.  
"The kidnaper" was a sister-in-law who tried constantly to take the baby away from its mother, and the father was himself out protecting them. Pneumonia developed. The would-be kidnaper was transferred to another cage, but it was too late.

**WOULD CLOSE CHURCHES OF ENGLAND FOR SIX MONTHS**  
(International News Service.)  
LONDON—The Rev. W. F. H. Morris, vicar of All Saints' church, Southport, thinks that "it might not be a bad thing for England if the churches were to close down for six months."  
"This country," he said, "has been brought up in the lap of ecclesiastical luxury and is gospel-burdened. There are few towns in this country that are not over-churches. Religion is so easily to be obtained that we do not appreciate it. It is too cheap."

### RUBE GOLDBERG'S BOOBS—The Weekly Meeting of the Tuesday Ladies' Club

By R. L. GOLDBERG



### AGAIN WE'RE REMINDED OF "GOOD OLD DAYS"

By Associated Press  
AMARILLO, Feb. 17.—A storekeeper's ledger dating back to 1840 is in the possession of H. M. Osborne, of Amarillo, showing the prices that obtained in Vicksburg, Miss., at that time.  
Osborne does not presume anyone would be interested in knowing it, but an entry shows that five quarts of whiskey were sold at that time for 79 cents—and the purchaser was given credit on the deal, too.  
"Ordinary" leather shoes were sold for \$1.25 a pair.

Tell them you saw their ad in the Daily Times—it will help them as well as your newspaper.

### WORKINGMEN DEMAND EXPENSIVE JEWELRY

International News Service.  
CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—No more does the rounded horseshoe nail with the head filed in the shape of a heart grace the finger of the American workingman. Instead, the hand that carries the full dinner pail now sparkles with diamonds, rubies, emeralds and other precious stones. Samuel Kingsbacher, a Pittsburg jeweler, told members of the American Jewelry Manufacturers and Importers' association at their convention here.  
"We cannot make jewelry too good or too expensive for the working classes," he declared.

Have you the habit of reading the "Want Ads" daily? The very article you need may be for sale.

### Steiner Pipe Lines Effect Merger With Producers Pipe Co.

The Steiner Oil corporation, which has been a consistent buyer of oil in the Ranger field, has merged its pipe line and loading rack interests with the Producers Pipe Line company of New York City.  
According to announcement, the Steiner interests have acquired half of the stock of the enlarged United Producers Pipe Line company and R. L. Steiner, president of the company,

will take the management of the pipe line company.  
Brisk trading in the Steiner securities is expected as a result of the merger.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 17.—The Cincinnati infirmary bids fair to become a manless institution, for the old men are becoming imbued with "young ideas" and are stepping forth into well paid jobs. "The industrial world and the old men have awakened to the truth that they can and should combine successfully to the well-being of both," one employer said. "It's a new idea that is working out."  
Many of the women of the infirmary likewise have departed and found employment. In all, the infirmary has

lost more than twenty men and women in the past few months.

To keep in touch with opportunity, read the Daily Times Wants.

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**I. Am. Neat**  
is suing the Best Tailors for \$5,000 damages. He alleges that the Best Tailors made him a suit of clothes last October, and since he has been wearing said suit, he has had no rest. Everyone wants to know where he got a suit that fits and looks so well.

He further alleges that he cannot walk the streets, not only of Ranger but Fort Worth, St. Louis and other eastern cities, without the ladies flirting with him and trying to make dates.  
He alleges that when he enters a hotel all the guests ask questions in regard to said suit. That his wife is jealous, with the ladies constantly flirting and trying to make dates. His wife threatens to quit him.  
He prays for \$5,000 damages for being embarrassed, bothered and pursued by women, and annoyance and jealousy of his wife.

The Best Tailors are located in the Lamb Theater Building on Main street.

FOR SALE BY KELLY REALTY ASSOCIATION, Rooms 9-10, Terrell Bldg.  
FOR SALE—Firs class cafe, clearing \$2,000 per month. A bargain for quick sale.  
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### ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO SUPPLY ENORMOUS DEMAND FOR TANLAC

Although Huge Laboratories Turn Out 36,000 Bottles Daily Thousands of Dealers Cannot Be Supplied.  
40 CARLOADS SOLD IN JANUARY ALONE  
After Shipping 338,400 Bottles of Celebrated Medicine in One Month Factory Is Still 380,000 Behind With Orders.

field of medicine as the more noteworthy. It is the biggest thing of its kind in the world and nothing like it has ever happened in the drug trade before.  
"Think of one retail firm selling one-third of a million bottles of any one medicine right over the counter direct to consumers in only two years' time! It seems incredible, but such is the record made by the Owl Drug Company, through their retail stores on the Pacific coast.  
"Think of one retail firm in a single city of 200,000 population, selling approximately eighty-eight thousand bottles, an average of over two bottles for every family, in only four years' time! Such is the record of the Jacobs' Pharmacy Company, of Atlanta.  
"Think of one retail firm giving a single order for an entire car load, twenty-three thousand and forty bottles, and agreeing to pay cash for the goods promptly on arrival. Such an order has been received from the Lewis K. Liggett Company, of Winnipeg, Canada.  
Another big Canadian retail firm, G. Tambllyn, Limited, Toronto, Canada, recently gave their order for one hundred gross, amounting to \$10,800. Orders from retailers for from fifty to seventy-five gross are not uncommon, and practically all of the leading retail firms buy Tanlac in from ten to twenty-five gross lots to supply the normal demand.  
When this magnificent new laboratory at Dayton, Ohio, and Walkerville, Canada, with a combined floor space of seventy thousand square feet and a combined capacity of thirty-six thousand bottles were completed, it was thought that the production would be sufficient to supply the demand for years to come. It is now apparent, however, that additional facilities must be provided if the supply is to keep pace with the demand. And this is true in spite of the fact that there are now on the market from fifty to one hundred preparations claiming similar therapeutic value.  
Tanalac has now been on the market for five years. It has stood the acid test of time. It is known and honored in every city, town, village, and hamlet on the American Continent from Key West, Florida, to the North-western wilds of Canada, where even the Indians and Fur Traders have learned of its wonderful powers as a medicine.

Its enormous and ever-increasing popularity is the one great outstanding proof of its wonderful merit. No medicine, no matter how extensively advertised, could sell and continue to sell and establish new world's records year after year, if it did not produce actual and positive results.  
Tanalac is recognized as the most beneficial roots and herbs known to the scientific world. The formula conforms with all national and state pure food and health laws of both the United States and Canada, and although Tanlac's claims for superiority are abundantly supported by leading authorities, it is the people themselves who have made Tanlac what it is. Millions upon millions have used it and have told other millions what it has done for them.  
That is why Tanlac has become the real sensation of the drug trade all over America.  
Tanalac is sold in Ranger by Phillips Bros. Drug Co.—Adv.

Of the orders received during January it was possible to ship only eight hundred and thirty-eight thousand bottles, and thousands of dealers scattered throughout the United States and Canada have been unable to obtain the medicine for weeks.  
"Phenomenal and Bewildering" is the way one of the big drug jobbers of the country describes the marvelous demand for Tanlac.  
"We know that the day of miracles has passed, and we all now that there are no unfathomable mysteries in the drug business, but this Tanlac production cracks of both," writes another leading wholesale druggist, whose firm has sold over 34 car loads, or an average of nearly one car load per month since they began handling Tanlac a few years ago. Thousands of similar letters and telegrams have been received, but for lack of space they can only be referred to briefly.  
Most proprietary medicines are sold by the dozen or by the gross; a few are bought by the trade in quantities of from ten to twenty gross; a very few are sold by the car load, and then extensive territories. The fact that these that scores of jobbers in this country and Canada have a demand sufficient to justify them in ordering not one carload, but from two to three car loads of Tanlac at a time makes Tanlac's pre-eminence in the

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One Block from New Hamon & Kell R. R. Depot  
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OFFICE ON ADDITION

**A Dainty Dish for Special Occasions**  
Cook 1/2 cup Minute Tapioca in 2 cups boiling water until tapioca is clear. Add 1 1/2 cups DEL MONTE Grated Pineapple and the juice of 1/2 lemon. Serve hot or cold.

**SPECIALS TOMORROW**  
No. 1 flat can De Monte Grated Pineapple ..... 21  
Minute Tapioca, special for tomorrow ..... 14  
Lemons, special for tomorrow, per dozen ..... 30

With this you should also serve a cup of Folger's Golden Gate Coffee—delicious and satisfying. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

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### WASTE OIL.

One of the greatest fire hazards existing in this city at present is waste oil. Every creek in town is covered with an accumulation of oil. Recently a small boy built a dam which would catch the oil and allow the water to run on its way, and in a few minutes time a small pond of oil, several inches deep, had backed up behind the dam.

In many places creeks run under buildings and when they are coated with oil they present a constant fire hazard.

Aside from the problem of collecting the oil, which is now going into Hagaman lake and polluting the source of the city's water, steps should be taken to prevent its accumulation in creeks and drains, as a matter of safety to the property in the city.

### UNIVERSAL TRAINING.

Confusion of ideas and deliberate misrepresentation continue to form a smoke screen behind which the enemies of universal military training make their attacks upon that rational method of providing for the national defense. They call it "militaristic." Yet it is the one reasonable substitute for a large standing army, since, in the light of the lessons of the great war, unpreparedness for the national defense would be both idiotic and criminal. Military training would give every able-bodied young man a practical knowledge of a soldier's duties, thus equipping him to fight efficiently for his liberties and his American ideals against any menacing encroachment.

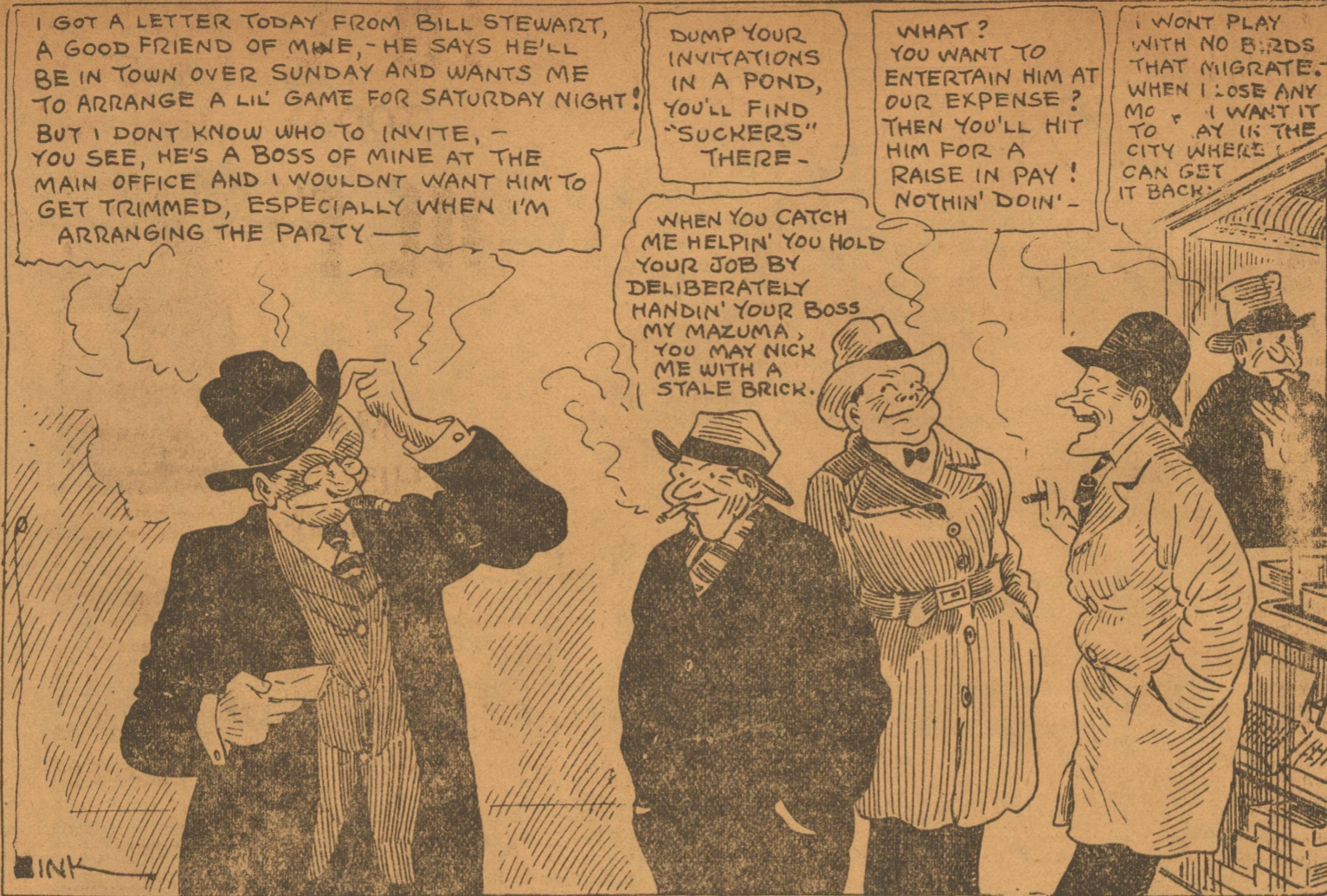
The foes of preparedness cry out against the expense of universal military training. Representative Kahn, an experienced and able congressman and chairman of the house committee on military affairs, presents figures and estimates justifying his belief that the annual expense would be in the neighborhood of \$181,000,000, whereas the saving to the country by reason of the very material reduction thus made possible in the size of the standing army would amount to several times that much.

Opponents of this wise policy of preparedness make a hullabaloo about the loss to industry that would come from taking youths of nineteen away from their homes four or six months in order that they might receive military training. Such talk is absurd. Training given in the manner contemplated would make young men physically stronger and of wider knowledge. It would make them better citizens and more skillful workers. The required period of instruction would be a profitable period to them as individuals and profitable to the country.

Preparedness for war on the part of a peace-loving people is insurance against war. This great truth no American can afford to overlook.

So far as it is not based upon lack of understanding, opposition to universal training is mainly the product of undemocratic sentiments such as those in the south, where there is an element that does not wish young negroes to learn the lessons of American manhood and self-respect that are a part of the training for military service. Certainly the wholesome discipline, the enlightenment and the instruction in keeping physically sound, together with the other benefits that go with these, powerfully urge the adoption of universal military training for the sake of the young manhood of America and for the sake of the nation.

## "THAT LITTLE GAME" --- The Boss Visits



### FRENCH RASSLER'S FIRST MATCH WILL BE WITH FINANCES



Salvador Chevalier.

Salvador Chevalier, French champion wrestler and winner of the international tourney at Paris, arrived in New York the other day. Chevalier, while on the ocean liner, was parted from some of the \$200 he brought along to pay his entrance fee into Canada and consequently wants to pick up some kind of a match in the near future that will net him the necessary shekels.

### MARY'S COW HAS GIVEN BIRTH TO 21 CALVES

International News Service.  
GOSHEN, N. Y.—Miss Mary Griffith, who has a farm near here, claims ownership of a most remarkable cow. The cow is twenty-three years old and has given birth to twenty-one calves. During its long life, the cow has never been dry and is now giving nine and a half quarts of milk daily.

### MOTHERS OF TEXAS, PREPARE

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, and when a woman passes through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances. Many women in Texas would testify just as do the following:

HOUSTON, TEXAS.—"When I was a young girl I suffered from irregularity and pain. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription relieved me of all pain and regulated me so that I was completely restored to health. Since I married, whenever I have needed a special tonic I have taken 'Favorite Prescription' and have been amply repaid for the comfort and strength it has given me."—MRS. M. FREEMAN, 414 Marie Street.

WACO, TEXAS.—"It is a pleasure to me to recommend a medicine that has been of such great benefit to me as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was while raising my family. I have taken this 'Prescription' as a tonic during expectancy and I know it helped me in every way. It is an ideal medicine for the mother to be."—MRS. BEULAH OWENS, 313 North 4th Street.

GALVESTON, TEXAS.—"When I was quite a young girl I had a terribly nervous spell. My stomach was affected so that I craved food all the time, and I could not sleep at night. My doctor advised me to take Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription (sold by druggists), and before half the bottle had been taken I lost all the abnormal appetite and was able to rest well at night. I have had such a condition since that I can honestly say that the 'Favorite Prescription' cured me of my nervous ailment."—MRS. ELLEN LISW... 19th Street.

### Hodges Central Addition Active

Hodges Central addition is seeing good action with the opening of the weather and the fast progress being made on the tracks of the Wichita

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"Your husband does not love you—why should you love him?"

What did this lonely, unhappy, neglected wife do? Did she rebuke him for his daring—or did she acknowledge that it was true. Or did she find a way to win back her husband's love? Most of all, what did the husband do when he and the other man were at last alone?

See "BLIND HUSBANDS" and you won't be able to take your eyes for one second from the screen while you watch this tremendous human drama unfold in the midst of the most wonderful outdoor settings. Now playing. Don't miss it.

Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad, which skirts the addition.  
One of the recent buyers was an Eastland resident, who purchased a lot as an investment. A bank building is proposed for one of the business corners in Central and an apartment house project is under way.

**PERSONALS**  
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Gentlemen:  
I purchased through your Mr. Montgomery one of your Diebold Filing Safes No. 2039, equipped with lock boxes, which was used as a safety deposit box for my guests. On the night of April 6th, my Hotel was destroyed by fire that burned two city blocks, my place being located in the heart of the burnt district. My hotel was a two-story frame building containing fifty rooms on the second floor and numerous offices and stores on the first floor. The heat was so intense that the dial on the safe was melted off and it was necessary to force the outer door open, which was done on the morning of the 9th, and I am glad to say that the contents of the safe were in perfect condition and the papers were not even scorched. I shall need another safe as soon as I am located and will want one similar to this.  
Yours truly,  
MRS. MABEL WILSON, Proprietress.

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If it did not, Ranger's leading merchants would not spend the money they do. When the leaders, who have grown to their present standing by constantly making such an expenditure, heartily endorse our columns, why isn't it good business for the small firm to adopt such a policy.

Profit by others' experience.

### ADVERTISE

## Three Per Cent

of your 1919 gross sales spent in advertising will increase your 1920 business 30 per cent.

We Can Prove It

Let Us Send a Representative.

THE RANGER DAILY TIMES

# COMPLAINTS REGISTERED AGAINST RANGER'S PHONE SYSTEM; POLICE SAY SERVICE HAMPERS THEIR WORK

"What is wrong with our local 'phone system?"

The police department claims that at least twenty-five percent of the crimes committed at night could be stopped and the robbers and high-jackers arrested if the police could be notified. In several instances, it is stated, men have been robbed and after finally reaching a 'phone were unable to get in touch with headquarters; that this was due either to the incompetency of the 'phone employees or the inadequate 'phone system itself.

Chief Parrish stated that one of the excuses used by the manager of the local station was to the effect that the Ranger office did not have enough switchboard room. Why does the telephone company not install more boards when it is a known fact that at the present time there are over three hundred applicants waiting for 'phones, he asks.

It is true that the local 'phone system secured a franchise from the city in the latter part of 1919, agreeing to install 800 'phones in Ranger; these 'phones to be in by January 1, 1920. They have not been installed.

Referring to the complaint registered by the police department; a robbery amounting to over \$2,000 was committed in Cisco three nights ago and the men implicated passed through Ranger on a train later on.

The Cisco authorities tried in every way to waken the Ranger operator and get in touch with the police department, but were unable to do so until the next morning, the officers state. Two detectives from the local force were immediately dispatched on the trail and arrested the robbers in Fort Worth. Had the police received the proper service at the hands of the local telephone system, they say these men would have been arrested as they passed through Ranger and the risk of allowing them to proceed to Fort Worth and also the expense attached to the chase would have been saved.

Several prominent men of this city have stated that the service rendered by the Southwestern Telephone company branch here is the poorest that it has ever been their misfortune to be forced to use.

One of the leading business women of this city stated that she was in a position to know the nature of the service rendered in Ranger by the local telephone system. She said: "I tried to get long distance at Weatherford last week and as I could not seem to get them at first, my curiosity was aroused and I determined to see how long it would take the local office before I could get my call through. I kept at it, and finally after four days of unsuccessful effort had the pleasure of talking to my party over the 'phone. Whenever I have business of importance to be transacted after 11 o'clock, I am forced to send an employe down to the office to awaken the girl on watch in order that I may get my call in. If you desire other proof as to the incompetent management and inadequate service rendered by the Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph company of this city, I can furnish you with enough specific cases to fill a small volume."

Miss Georgia McClellan, night operator for the Southwestern Telephone company, was on duty at the time of the fire which destroyed the Gallop home, early Sunday morning. In a statement to the Times she denied that she was asleep at the time a member of the police force called the fire department to notify them of the fire.

She stated that a fire alarm had already gone to the station, through the telephone office, ten minutes before the police station called her on the 'phone, and that a member of the police force rang the 'phone for thirty minutes without stopping or giving her time to answer; she said that he used insulting and abusive language in talking to her when she did get an opportunity to answer his call. She was crying as she told of the incident.

She alleged that he later came to the 'phone office and asked to see the manager, and on being told that the manager was out, he again used

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harsh and abusive language in talking to her.

When asked for an answer to the charges of inadequate service, Manager McClurkin of the Ranger exchange said that the questions would have to be taken up by higher officials.

Little has been done to remedy service since Ranger started to grow and the new exchange promised for the first of the year has been advanced no further than the location of a site.

### Gholson Addition to Be Transformed

Gholson addition, located east of Young addition and Hodges Central tract, and recently purchased by M. H. Smith of this city, will be transformed into one of the most attractive residence sections in this locality. Mr. Smith stated today.

An expert landscape gardener will be employed to plant the east part of the addition, which is covered with a fine growth of trees. Winding roads and attractive small parks will be laid off, all rubbish removed, and the tract placed in fine shape. A hard surfaced road will be laid from town to the addition following the route of the road now used by the owners of Young addition, and running from there into Gholson addition.

Mr. Smith is organizing a \$100,000 building and loan association to aid purchasers of homes. He expects the organization completed in a few days.

He will give his personal attention to the sale of the subdivision, and will employ a number of salesmen.

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What did this lonely, unhappy, neglected wife do? Did she rebuke him for his daring—or did she acknowledge that it was true. Or did she find a way to win back her husband's love? Most of all, what did the husband do when he and the other man were at last alone?

See "BLIND HUSBANDS" and you won't be able to take your eyes for one second from the screen while you watch this tremendous human drama unfold in the midst of the most wonderful outdoor settings. Now playing. Don't miss it.

## QUARTET FROM 37TH INFANTRY RECRUIT HERE

Four members of the Thirty-seventh Infantry, which has been stationed on the border, with headquarters at Laredo, for some time past, are in this city on recruiting duty. They are Sergeant Krause, Sergeant Hennessey, Corporal Peeves and Private Treise.

The primary purpose of the summoned representatives of Uncle Sam's army is to gather recruits for their own organization, while they will accept applications for any other unit of the service except for Siberian or European replacements.

The men are stopping at the Commercial hotel. They will be here until Thursday, and then separate. Sergeant Hennessey and Private Treise going to Gorman and Albany and Sergeant Krause and Corporal Peeves returning to Abilene.

They came here from Cisco and Eastland, where they were successful in securing a number of recruits.

Sergeant Krause has been on duty in the Big Bend country for the last twelve years and knows every hill and stream there. Other members of the party have had long experience in the regular army.

The Thirty-seventh Infantry did border duty during the war. It is a detached organization at this time.

Landlords and tenants meet through the Daily-Times Want Ads.

## E. R. Chatfield to Enter Wholesale Produce Business

E. R. Chatfield, who runs a florist shop on Austin street, between Pine and Main, is putting in a wholesale and retail fruit and produce house in this city. Mr. Chatfield will be manager of a company organized to carry on the business. The organization will be perfected Tuesday, Mr. Chatfield stated.

A warehouse on the Texas & Pacific railroad track has already been secured for the new business, and a site for an uptown store has also been contracted for.

Mr. Chatfield will continue to run his florist shop. He is an experienced man in the fruit and produce business, having followed this line of business in Washington and Oregon for a number of years.

## Medical Society Meets at 8:15 p. m.

The regular meeting of the Ranger Medical Society will be held Tuesday evening at the Baptist tabernacle in the rear of the new Baptist church. The assembly will be called to order at 8:15 p. m. and it is requested that all physicians in Ranger be present.

One of the questions to be decided will be the plans for the new hospital. This hospital is planned to be built on Ranger Heights, overlooking Mirror lake, to contain all modern appliances and to comfortably house one hundred patients.

Lots 50x140—\$195.00 and Up HODGES CENTRAL ADDITION OFFICE ON ADDITION

FIRST AID A well-balanced medicine chest competent to render first aid to the less serious and most common ills is a real economy. We'll be glad to aid you in equipping your medicine chest with the most essential home remedies. Texas Drug Company

TIRES We Have Quite a Few 32x3 1-2 and 33x4 Republic, Goodyear, Firestone and United States Tires that were taken off new cars which were equipped with cords, and while they last, offer them at AN ATTRACTIVE DISCOUNT OILBELT MOTOR CO. INC. J. T. GULLAHORN, Mgr. Austin and Cherry Streets

Efficiency Is the Keynote to Success A Course in the SOUTHERN BUSINESS INSTITUTE Spells SUCCESS We teach the latest and most up-to-date Methods of Shorthand, Typewriting, Bookkeeping.

WIN OR LOSE NO. 2 TODAY—TOO LATE TOMORROW OIL FLOWING OVER DERRICK MAY HAPPEN AT ANY TIME READ THIS: Among the best Oil Men of Ranger, several have passed the most optimistic opinions about the BLACK LIME at 3100 feet in the COMANCHE OIL ASSOCIATION STURKI WELL NO. 1, 3 1-2 miles east of HASSE, on the Frisco Railway, or 14 miles southwest of Dublin, in Comanche County, on the LEON RIVER. DESDEMONA is on or near the Leon River. THEY ALL SAY OIL MEN who know say that it is but a question of drilling in the Sturki No. 1 to know how much oil it will make. The DESDEMONA pool is the closest production, the nearest well about eighteen miles distant. The question is—how thick or deep is the OIL PAY SAND below the BLACK LIME? 173 acres at \$40; total \$6,920 137 acres at \$18; total \$2,466 Rentals, expenses, etc. \$ 614 \$10,000 to be Raised Tonight To buy and own these leases. Half the money has been raised and paid in to BRYANT & COMPANY Anybody With \$25 to About \$5,000 Can Buy an Interest The ORGANIZATION will be a mutual SYNDICATE, controlled by two-thirds monetary vote, or on the basis of \$1 as a vote, 6,675 votes will control the syndicate should the leases prove up to our expectations. Mr. L. H. Flewelling, Attorney, office P. & Q. Realty Building, has been retained as attorney and trustee, temporarily, to see that this organization is as herein proposed. An election, calling all persons who are financially interested, will be held shortly after February 21st, 1920, to elect a President, or chairman, secretary and treasurer. It is a simple partnership affair with 66 2-3 per cent money control. If you are not willing to abide by this, don't get in. NEW OIL TOWN TO BE BUILT AT ONCE On the Frisco Railway between Proctor and Hasse. Already a siding has been put in. The townsite surveys are to begin right away. WITH TWO PROBABLE OIL SANDS, a shallow and a deep sand, there may be a SECOND DESDEMONA; Who Knows? Hotel accommodations at HASSE—two upstairs rooms, four big nice feather double beds—will not be able to handle the crowd. ADVICE: SHOULD THE STURKI WELL NO. 1 come in as big as expected, when you go, take your blankets, bed, tents and "eatings." Don't Go Until We Tell You unless you want a vacation to look over the field. It may be a few days, it may be thirty days—a fishing job may make it longer—the townsite must be laid out and pure, fresh water run to it. Be ready. THE LAST CHANCE TODAY EVERY DOLLAR SPECULATED in buying and owning these leases, 310 acres, may be, if a 1,000 to 10,000-barrel well comes in—and it is not improbable, not impossible—we cannot see the workings of nature below the surface—at an estimate of value of \$3,000 an acre for a 1,000-barrel well, each dollar may be worth \$75 to \$80— \$100 Speculated May Be Worth \$7,500 to \$80,000 Who Knows? WIN OR LOSE, nothing more, "nothing ventured, nothing gained." You can soon make back at work \$100 to \$1,000, so speculated, if lost—but a fortune may be made in this Mutual Syndicate, over night. AVOID ANY RUSH—COME QUICK, EARLY NOT A DOLLAR will be taken as an interest in this mutual syndicate, WIN OR LOSE NO. 2, after 9 P. M. Tonight---It Closes Then All information given freely upon request. Maps, samples of Black Lime, acid test made if requested. We are playing the game fair and square. We just haven't enough money to buy and own all the above lease acreage. It offers you an opportunity to share in it. NOTE—All persons having bought an interest in this syndicate, WIN OR LOSE NO. 2, prior to today, are requested if possible to call at our office before 9 p. m. tonight. Office Open 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Today Only Regular Office Hours After Today, 9 to 5 BRYANT & COMPANY Suite 208 P. & Q. Realty Building CORNER MAIN AND AUSTIN STREETS OPPOSITE McCLESKEY HOTEL

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**LODGES**  
**CALLING MEETING** of Ranger Lodge No. 738 to tonight at 7:30 p. m. at C. E. Decker's. Visitors welcome.  
**W. W. HARRISON, W. M.**  
**F. E. LANGSTON, Secy.**

**1—LOST AND FOUND**  
**STRAYED**—Pair big bay horses, one with white feet, both with star on forehead; 1800 pounds each. Lost Feb. 8 from place near Beckenridge. \$50 reward for return. Walter D. Smith, 1336 addition, Ranger.

**2—HELP WANTED (Female)**  
**HEALTHFUL EMPLOYMENT** at good pay. Wanted man and woman, boys and girls. Western Union telegraph. Apply 228 East.

**3—HELP WANTED (Male)**  
**WANTED**—First class meat cutter. Call after 9 a. m., 527 Pine St.

**SITUATIONS WANTED**  
**MARGARET E. TOBIN**, public stenographer, 2nd floor McCleskey Hotel.

**WANTED**—Handwritten copy of country from Phoenix, Arizona, in English, French, Spanish, German, Italian and Russian. \$100 reward. One day, with copy and a half for overtime and postage. Send to: S. J. Galt, 1000 Pennsylvania, Dallas, Texas.

**WANTED**—Foot dishes, waste place in camp. Write to: Red Cross, Box 16, Metropolitan Hotel.

**POSITION WANTED**—A research worker, definite, private, business. For information, address: P. O. Box 642, Ranger, Texas.

**WANTED**—Position in office. P. O. address: Box 642, Ranger, Texas.

**BUSINESS CHANCES**  
**FOR RENT**—Spice for acetylene welder. Also for vulcanizer. Caddo Road Garage, 521 Marston St.

**FOR SALE**—Small, comfortable, 4 room bungalow, at a bargain. Address: H. C. M., Box 1029, Ranger.

**DRESSMAKING**—Get your dress before you have the new fall or dress made. Address: 403 South, 403 Hodges St., Box 108, Mrs. E. W. Nelson.

**SPECIAL NOTICES**  
**STORAGE**—We are equipped to give you the best service and best rate for anything you wish to store. If you see us first, you won't go farther. Oak Park Apartment Bldg., 712-1-2 Pine St.

**BEDS FOR RENT** at 50¢ per night. No. 209 Hart St.

**STANDING FOR SERVICE**, two jersey bulls, one Holstein and one Jersey, located on the C. S. Davis farm, Strawn road, Calves guaranteed. L. M. Gandy.

**TO ALL COMPANIES** and contractors wishing Mexican labor. Call or write Mexican Hotel, 401 So. Oak St. All labor furnished free. Mexican Hotel.

**I BUILD** four rooms and bath, \$1,500 up. R. F. Guy, 695 S. Marston St.

**8—ROOMS FOR RENT**  
 NICE NEW rooms and apartments, all modern. No. 411 Chetty St.

**FOR RENT**—Good furnished apartment, water and gas free, \$12.50 to \$15 per week. Unique rooms, 421 Mesquite St.

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping or front bedroom, walking distance, 605 Spring Road.

**ROOMS FOR RENT**—Free bath, electric lights and gas. Robinson's Bath House, 204 N. Marston.

**FOR RENT**—2 rooms, furnished or unfurnished, 647 N. Marston.

**ROOMS FOR RENT**  
**FOR RENT**—Two large rooms furnished for light housekeeping; gas, water, etc. One large furnished room. Also tent space to rent. 452 Pine St.

**FOR RENT**—Nicely furnished single and double rooms; also housekeeping apartments, very reasonable. El Paso Hotel.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished housekeeping rooms, close in. Apply Mrs. T. E. Allen, 115 Hodges St.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished for housekeeping, one room, 10x16, \$40 per month. Good neighborhood. Apply Mary Atkinson, green house, No. 6 Commercial addition, 2 blocks north Ranger Steam Laundry.

**FOR RENT**—New furnished housekeeping apartment on Pine St., back of Methodist church.

**FOR RENT**—Two nice 2-room houses, close in. M. B. Levenson, 105 N. Aoshin St.

**FOR RENT**—2-room house north of town, at \$20 per month. Phone 39.

**FOR SALE**—New Zealand red rabbits, choice stock. Tent 600, N. Marston.

**FOR SALE**—Four army tents, parafined, good as new; \$40 each. One 18x24 wall tent and good double toilet. Chief of Police Parish.

**A BIG lot** of second hand lumber and red iron for sale, cheap, if taken at once. Apply Room 1, Oak Park Apartments, 712-1-2 W. Pine St.

**FOR SALE**—Tents and cots, cheap. No. 209 Hart St.

**FOR SALE**—Shack two rooms completely furnished; everything new last October; one block from postoffice. Must be sold this week. See J. E. Dicker, 109 Main St., or address box 652.

**LARGE STOCK** galv. iron 8, 10 and 12 feet lengths; also large stock cement. Stonewall Jackson Lumber Company.

**U. S. ARMY SURPLUS GOODS.**  
 Tapes, all sizes, dog tags, tarpaulins, tent flies, wagon covers, Army shirts at \$2.50.  
 Cold mattresses, pillows, Blankets, O. B. comforts, Raincoats, ponchos, slickers, Army clothing, O. D. overcoats, \$10 to \$12.50; coats, breeches, shirts, wool and cotton; underwear, shirts and drawers; socks, wool and cotton.

**Considerable** stock of water proofing for tents, wagon covers, auto tops, etc. Almost everything in army goods at ANDERSON BROS. ARMY STORE, 211 South Austin St., opposite Georgia Hotel, 1-1-2 blocks south of McCleskey Ranger.

**19—FOR SALE (Real Estate)**  
**SOME REAL BARGAINS.**  
 One eight-room house, located on the Strawn road, what is known as the "Big Davis place." Lot one hundred by two hundred, east front, frame building, two-story, six rooms down stairs and two rooms up stairs. Have eight rooms, bath and sink, large stack chimney, two fireplaces with mirror mantle boards, water all connected with bath and sink. Have a nice two-story barn; three stalls and poultry house; have one underground cistern of one hundred and fifty barrels and one cistern of sixty barrels on elevated platform. Have every room plumbed for gas light and heat. There is a free gas right with this place. Have a nice frame garage twelve by eighteen, nice garden spot. All of the place is fenced with cedar posts and paling fence; lot and garden spot fenced with five-foot red paling and the yard is fenced with one inch square, all painted. Have a concrete walk, cost five hundred dollars; cement foundation to building and cement walks. Now, if some one wants a real home, I can sell this place for six thousand five hundred dollars. This place belongs to me and I can make the following terms: Two thousand five hundred cash, and four years on the balance, one thousand with interest of 8 per cent each year.  
**ED. BIGBEE,**  
 Second door N. of F. & M. Bank, Ranger, Texas.

**FOR SALE**—Two corner lots on Lamar St., one block west of new Hamon & Kell depot. Best buy in Ranger at this time. See Roush Realty Co., corner Oak and Lamar Sts.

**DON'T LET** your property stand vacant. We have clients for both dwellings and business properties. Ervin Realty Company, Bank of Ranger.

**FOR QUICK results**, list your property with Ervin Realty Company, Bank of Ranger.

**OIL, GAS, MINERAL**  
**OIL MEN:**  
 Secure our Form 88 (Producers) Oil and Gas Lease, Form 89 Assignment of Oil and Gas Lease. Either form 50¢ each; \$2.50 per 100; can be assigned. Complete stock legal blanks on hand.  
**THE CARGILL COMPANY,**  
 409-411 Fannin St., Houston.

**LATEST geological map** of Texas, showing every drilling well, location and name. Send one dollar bill. Standard Map Co., 200 Lamar St., Ranger, Texas.

**SOUTHWESTERN ARKANSAS IS GETTING BIG PLAY.**  
 Well down 1200 feet in Sevier county, Arkansas. Geologists predict production at about 2,000 feet. Through an early selection, I am able to offer a few ten-acre leases within 11-2 miles of this well at \$10 per acre. This is a quick action 50 to 1 shot. A small investment now may make you a snaz sum. Inquire at Room 11, Old Fetterly 712-1-2 Park St.

**15—AUTOMOBILES**  
**FOR SALE**—Light Ford truck with express body, two extra springs in rear. Thoroughly overhauled. Running parts guaranteed. Hurry up! \$300. Young Rooms, N. Marston St., between Marston and Cherry.

**USED CARS FOR SALE.**  
 1917 Ford Touring, good tires, good mechanical condition, \$175.  
 1918 Ford Roadster, first class condition, \$175.  
 Overland Ninety Roadster, all good tires, \$125.

**1918 Maxwell Touring, \$300.**  
**CADDO ROAD GARAGE,**  
 521 Marston.

**FOR SALE**—New Ford roadster. Inquire John Coupe, Georgia Hotel or Postoffice garage.

**FOR SALE**—Ford delivery car; good motor and tires. Apply 647 N. Marston, Box 1264.

**FOR SALE**—10-1-2-ton Kissell truck. Good mechanical condition. Apply Castellaw's, Main St., two doors east F. & M. bank.

**FOR SALE**—5-passenger sport model Chrysler, only 2,000 miles on pike road. Apply Castellaw's, Main St., two doors east F. & M. bank.

**18—WANTED—MISC.**  
**WANTED**—Immediately, second hand typewriter-desk. Public Stenographer, McCleskey Hotel.

**WANTED TO BUY**—Used sewing machine, worth the money. Phone 80.

**HIGHEST cash prices** paid for second-hand furniture and stoves. Wright Furniture Co.

**WANTED**—A second hand cash register. Address H. K. K., care Times.

**WANTED**—Second hand furniture. Barker's Furniture Store, next door to Western Union.

**19—HOUSES FOR SALE.**  
**FOR SALE**—Furnished shack. Apply 318 Pine St.

**WE CAN SELL** your Rooming House, if priced right. Ervin Realty Company, Bank of Ranger.

**SMALL HOUSE** for sale. A bargain. W. F. Peoples, 219 N. Oak St.

**A BARGAIN**—Property for sale, with furnished house and garage. Enquire, 706 7th St.

**FOR SALE**—Three-room house 12x12 rooms, and furniture. Also garage, room for 3 cars; new \$150 Columbia Grafanola and \$36 worth of records. At a bargain. Ray St. Hodges addition, 1 block west Humble Oil Ref. Co. A. D. Locke.

**FOR SALE**—Hotel Bldg. of 50 furnished rooms. Attractive lease; cleaning over 100 percent; price \$30,000, cash. Box 546, Ranger, Texas.

**FOR SALE**—Bungalow just completed; 4 rooms and bath; fine location, Hodges Central addition; priced very reasonably at \$2,250. Inquire H. Post, Long Lumber Co. office.

**LEGAL NOTICES**  
**NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION.**  
 Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Directors' Room of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank in the Town of Ranger within the Ranger Independent School District on the 27th day of February, 1920, to determine whether the bonds of said district shall be issued to the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) payable serially as follows: Fifty Thousand Dollars on the 1st day of March, 1930, and Five Thousand Dollars on the 1st day of March each and every year thereafter, to and including the year 1960, and bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, payable annually, for the purpose of constructing and equipping public free school buildings of brick material and of purchasing sites therefor within said district, and if there shall be annually levied and collected on all taxable property in said district for the current year and annually thereafter while said bonds or any of them are outstanding, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

**M. K. Collie** is hereby appointed manager of said election, which shall be held as nearly as may be possible in conformity with the general election laws of this State.

**No person** shall vote at said election unless he is a qualified voter under the Constitution and laws of this State and a taxpayer in the said Ranger Independent School District.

**Those in favor** of the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax shall write or print on their ballots "For the Bonds and the Tax," and those against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax shall write or print on their ballots "Against the Bonds and the Tax."

**Public notice** of said election shall be given by publishing notices thereof signed by the President and attested by the Secretary of the Board in the Ranger Daily Times in accordance with the requirements of R. S. 1917, said paper being in the Ranger Independent School District, and by posting notices thereof signed by the President and attested by the Secretary of the board in three public places in said Ranger Independent School District at least thirty days before the date of the election.

**Said election** was ordered by the Board of Trustees of said Ranger Independent School District by order passed on the 24th day of January, 1920, and this notice is issued pursuant to said order.

**Dated this 24th day** of January, 1920.  
**JNO. M. GHOLSON, President.**  
**M. H. HAGMAN, Secretary.**  
 Ranger Independent School District.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION.**  
 The State of Texas, County of Eastland:  
 To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Eastland County, Greeting:  
**YOU** are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in

**Broken Water Line Floods Marston St.**  
 A bursted water main near the intersection of Marston and Main streets flooded the corner and part of Main street Tuesday. Plumbers were put to work on the break.  
 The U. S. mail was blocked from the post office Tuesday. Marston street was fenced off from Main, on account of the break in the water lines. Rusk street and Austin were fenced off for street repairs and the mail truck driver found that to get to the post office he would have to go north almost to the Mid-Kansas camp.  
 The problem was solved by securing permission from a property owner to go through private property and approach the post office from the rear, by way of Main street.

**Coming FRIDAY AND SATURDAY at the LAMB THEATRE**



**BLIND HUSBANDS**  
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**LEGAL NOTICES**  
 The County of Eastland four (4) weeks previous to the return day hereof, that you summons W. R. Martin, whose residence is unknown, to and appear before the honorable District Court at the next regular term thereof to be holden in the county of Eastland at the courthouse thereof in Eastland on the first Monday in March, same being the 1st day of March, 1920, File No. 6063, then and there to answer the petition of Deak Martin, filed in said court on the 2nd day of February, 1920 and against the said W. R. Martin, and alleging in substance as follows: to-wit:

**That on or about** the 1st day of September, 1915, the said defendant fraudulently seduced plaintiff under a promise of marriage, and that by reason thereof plaintiff became a mother on May 9, 1916, and said defendant fearing criminal prosecution left and joined the navy without marrying plaintiff, and was later discharged from the navy and returned and was again threatened with criminal prosecution, and he married plaintiff at Port Worth, Texas, on July 7, 1919, and by reason of defendant's cruel treatment their living together was rendered insupportable and the defendant left plaintiff, and his present address is unknown to plaintiff.

**Wherefore**, plaintiff prays judgment of the court dissolving said marriage, for cost of suit, and general relief.

**Herein fail not**, but have you then and there before this court this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

**Given under my hand and seal** of office in Eastland County, Texas, this 2nd day of February, 1920.  
 (Seal) **J. A. RUSSELL,**  
 District Clerk, Eastland County, Texas.

**By PEARL PASCHALL, Depy.**

**Suppose Your Property Burns Tonight?**  
 Better See Me for  
**Fire Insurance**  
 And Other Insurance, TODAY  
**Ralph W. Loomis**  
 P. O. Box 135 Ranger  
 Room 1, Poe Building

**BUREAU ASKS WOOD ALCOHOL SALE STOPPED**

**CHICAGO, Feb. 17.**—Warning of the danger of using internally or externally any preparation of which wood alcohol is a part is made by the bureau of research laboratories of Chicago in a current bulletin.

"We advocate the elimination of public sale of wood alcohol," says the bulletin, "and the strict regulation in industries where its use is desired."

"Wood alcohol has been sold promiscuously in the past and the general public has never learned just what the difference is between wood alcohol, grain alcohol and denatured alcohol."

"Grain alcohol," says the bulletin, "is made from fermentable material, corn, wheat and starch by distillation, and denatured alcohol is grain alcohol treated with some product which makes it impossible to use it for beverage purposes."

The ordinary denatured alcohol sold today is denatured with wood alcohol, which is very poisonous and dangerous.

"Wood alcohol is made from wood waste which is placed into distilling apparatus and a process called dry distillation is used which gives, in addition to the wood alcohol, several by-products and charcoal."

"Several preparations having wood alcohol in them have come to our

laboratories for examination. It is possible that the manufacturers have been innocent of knowledge of the deadly effect of wood alcohol in preparations for internal and external use. Wood alcohol applied to the skin or scalp is absorbed by the tissues and has produced blindness, paralysis and insanity. The most dangerous preparations we have come in contact with are toilet articles used in barber shops. We warn our clients, that they may warn their friends against hidden dangers lurking in the use of toilet articles that have been produced with denatured alcohol that has been denatured with the treacherous demon, wood alcohol."

The bulletin also advises its readers to permit no barber to administer any toilet preparation unless he guarantees that the alcohol used is pure grain alcohol, with no trace of the deadly wood alcohol.

Something to Hold Him. There were fond of each other and had been engaged; but they had quarreled and were too proud to make up. He called afterward at her house—to see her father on business. She was at the door.

"Ah—Miss Blank, I believe?" said he. "Is your father in?"

"No, sir," she replied, "father is not at present. Do you wish to see him personally?"

"Yes," was the bluff response of the visitor, who felt that his former sweetheart was yielding. "I wanted to see him on very particular business"—and he turned away haughtily.

"I beg your pardon," she called after him as he reached the last step, "but who shall I say called?"—Hous-ton Post.

**DRINK ELECTROZONE WATER**  
 Pure—Delicious  
 Phone 157  
**RANGER DISTILLED WATER CO., Inc.**

**CRAWFORD & DANIELS, Room 1, Commercial Hotel.**  
 Four-room house in Ranger Heights. Price \$2,500; \$1,000 cash; terms to suit. New house.  
 Nineteen-room rooming house complete, close in, bargain if sold at once.  
 One store building with grocery and meat market; price \$1,250. Can take any part of goods at invoice, but not necessary to sell any part of grocery stock.  
 One lot in Oak Park addition, \$500 cash will handle.  
 One 5-room modern house, furnished. Cash terms.  
 One new 4-room house, Hodges addition, never been occupied; \$1,800, one-half cash.  
 Four tents, furnished, for sale.  
 Three cold drink stands.  
 One 6-room apartment and all furniture, on Main street, quick sale \$4,500.  
 One 3-room house, good barn, good harness house, also good chicken yard; \$650; \$200 cash, balance \$50 month.  
 One 10-room rooming house. Bargain if taken at once.  
 One 22-room hotel for sale.  
 One 2-room house, furnished; close in; \$800 cash, balance \$40 month.  
 One 4-room house, Young addition; new; \$500 cash, balance \$75 month. Would consider good car on deal.  
 34 acres land 2 1/2 miles southeast of Ranger. If taken at once, \$100 per acre. Oil wells all around; 60 acres in cultivation; good house and barn. Some Louisiana leases.  
**LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH US IF YOU WANT IT SOLD.**

**FOR HARDWARE GO TO DAVENPORT HDW. CO., NEWNHAM BLDG., CHERRY & AUSTIN STS.**

Phone 187.  
 121 S. AUSTIN ST.  
**CRAVEN REALTY CO. SPECIALS.**

**BUSINESS PROPERTY**  
 25x140 on Walnut St., one block from Main St., best bargain in city, ideal for furniture, grocery, auto or any like business, \$7,500. Terms \$1,500 cash, balance \$300 per month.

25x85 adjoining Lone Star theater on Austin St., across from McCleskey; no better location in city, \$16,000; good terms. A two-story brick on this lot will bring \$1,200 per month.

25x140 on Main St., with two-story brick, best business district, immediate possession, good terms, \$40,000. Income \$1,000 per month.

TRACKAGE—Anywhere you want it, any size tract.

**RESIDENCE PROPERTY**—5-room house in Hodges' Oak Park, 4 blocks due west of P. O., nice breakfast room, built-in features, 3 large closets, bath, sink in kitchen, gas, electric lights, French doors, nice garage. Best neighborhood in town and closest to new home, never been lived in; \$5,750, \$1,500 cash, balance monthly.

\$350 cash, \$50 per month, buys nice little bungalow. Price \$1,600 for house and lot, good neighborhood, close in.

California Bungalow—5 large rooms, never been lived in, choice neighborhood, on west side out of the mud and dust, fine location for your children. This is a real bargain; owner having reduced the price to \$4,250 for quick sale, and LOOK AT THE TERMS, \$500 down and \$100 per month. This will go quickly on these terms.

**ROOMING HOUSE**—In the heart of the business district, 14 rooms furnished, a money maker, but price will move it quick, \$5,000; \$2,500 cash.

**FOR EXCHANGE FOR ROYALTY OR RANGER BUSINESS PROPERTY**—640 acres near Plainview, no better land in Texas, all level, fine wheat and alfalfa land.

1,750 acres near Plainview, the garden spot of Texas, shallow everlasting water.

4,600 acres near Plainview, as good as the best, see us for particulars.

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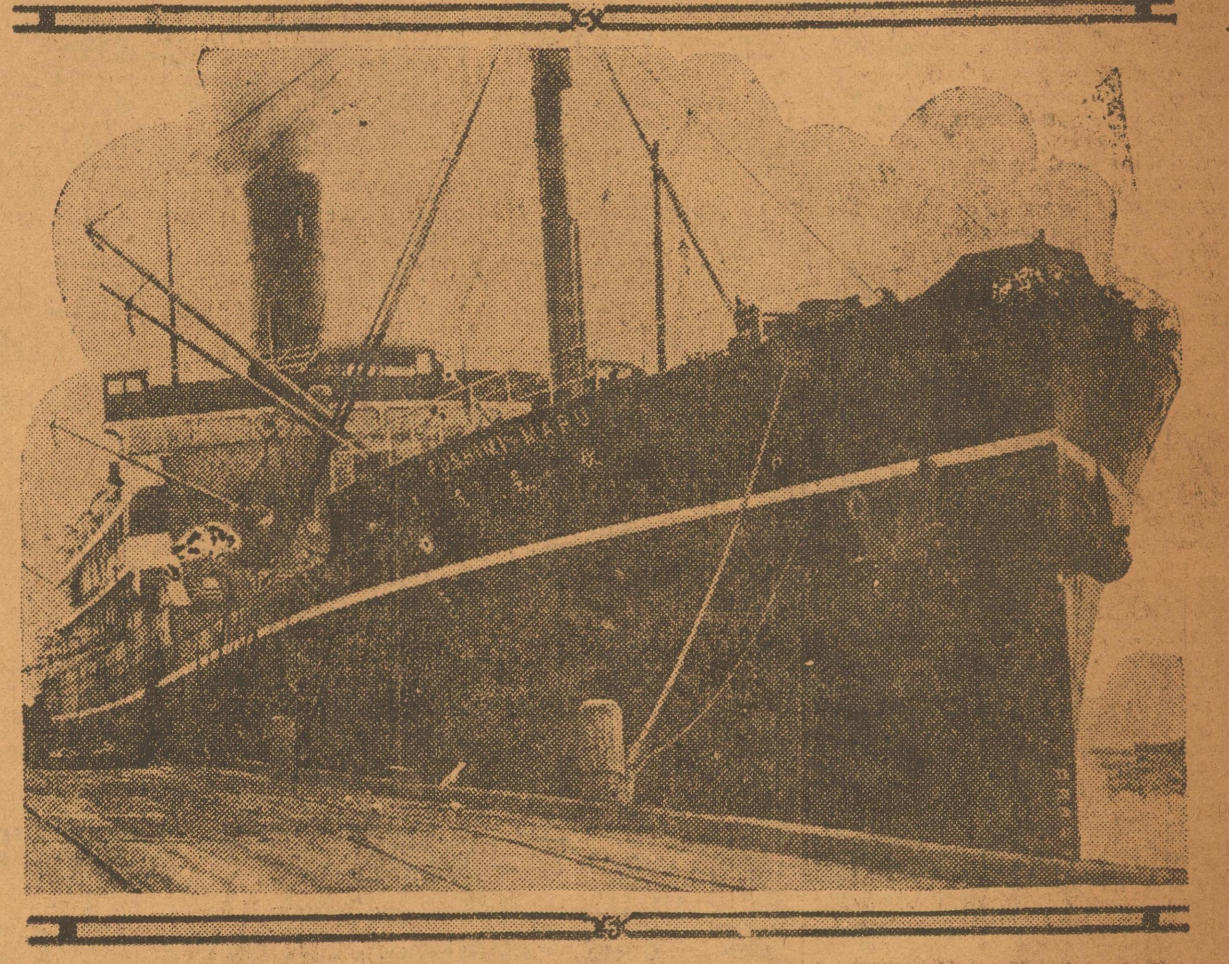
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## JAPANESE VESSEL BRINGS RECORD CARGO OF SILK TO U. S.



The Fushimi Maru unloading its cargo at Seattle wharf. Bringing what is said to be the richest cargo of silk ever shipped to the U. S., the Jap liner Fushimi Maru recently arrived at Seattle and began discharging her cargo. The cargo consists of 5,705 bales of raw silk valued at \$11,500,000. The silk will be shipped to silk plants in the U. S. for finishing.

## British Syndicate Plans Commercial Air Route Service

International News Service. LONDON, Feb. 17.—A group of steamship owners, airship building companies, business, engineering and transport service firms, or combining to buy or lease all airships which the government is not intending to retain. Their chief objects are: 1. To start a commercial air service to Scandinavia, Holland and Spain. 2. To run a weekly trans-Atlantic air passage. 3. To begin an air service in the British Isles on shorter coastal routes.

Originally the question came before the interested parties at an Air Ministry conference, over which General Seeley presided and at which Sir Trevor Dawson and Sir Allen Anderson were present. The government's disposal airships include those of the R-34 type, and also the R-38. This is the latest and though no larger in carrying capacity than the R-34, it contains a number of ideas not previously put into airship construction. There are also a number of semi-rigids. North Sea and coastal types used during the war period.

Since the business conference the R-38 has been sold to America for half a million. It is not yet decided officially which two airships the government will retain. Presumably these will be two

of the largest type. That will leave about half a dozen of the big rigids for the first two schemes outlined above, and all the smaller fry would be of value to the third scheme. Liverpool to Belfast and Dundee to Scandinavia might be put on the shorter service routes. Armstrong, Whitworths, Beardsmores, Vickers, Shortts and Marconis are understood to be largely interested in the undertaking and something like a million and a half has been promised by about ten firms in the transportation business.

Other firms coming in include important enterprises on the other side of the Atlantic. Experimental trade trips will be made first. Although the R-90 is complete in framework construction, she is awaiting engines. Either this vessel or one of the R-34 type has been associated with the London-Paris route.

NINETEEN PASTIMERS ANSWER FIRST CALL T. C. U. FORT WORTH, Feb. 17.—Nineteen candidates responded to the first call for members of Texas Christian university's baseball squad, and more than thirty aspirants will be in the field before the first string men are chosen.

Some of the old timers already after berths are Rutherford, Gans, Duff, McDaniel, Stovall, Ogan, Fowler, Bailey, Beard, Abernathy, Douglass, Haire, Prinzing, Bomar, Donahue, McKown, Harris and Pouts.

The modern child is one who doesn't believe a thing is so unless he has seen it in the movies.—St. Augustine Record.

"Well, the men don't need as much time as they used to to go out between acts before prohibition went into effect."—Detroit Free Press.

## WHITE MOIRE SUIT FOR SPORTS WEAR



Moire silk is taking its place among the accepted novelty silks for sports costumes. Here white moire makes a nobby little suit for the southern sojourn or the northern summer. The skirt is straight and plain and the coat is tailored on the Norfolk style with tucks at the waist instead of the usual pleats. Large patch pockets and a narrow belt complete the effect.

## BARBED FENCE 12,000 YDS. LONG ON BOUNDARY

By Associated Press. CALEXICO, Cal., Feb. 17.—What is said to be the longest boundary fence in the world has just been completed here. It is 12,000 yards long and separates Calexico from Mexicali, Lower California, Mexico. It is believed that it will materially reduce the work of immigration officials of both Mexico and the United States. The fence is composed of wooden posts painted red and staunch barbed wire.

## GALVESTON PORT OF CALL FOR JAPANESE VESSELS

By Associated Press. GALVESTON, Feb. 17.—The arrival of the freighter Aden Maru presages the establishment of Galveston as a regular port of call for Japanese vessels, according to an announcement here. Recently the Kinkasan Maru loaded a cargo of cotton from this port and the Aden Maru is now lifting a similar shipment. Soya bean oil, copra and other commodities of the Orient probably will be products discharged here in exchange for cotton and general merchandise cargoes.

## Coming FRIDAY and SATURDAY at the LAMB THEATRE



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ALONE with the tempter on the summit of a mighty Alpine peak, she listened to his pleadings:

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### THEATERS AID MAKING KNOWN ANZAC'S TALK

Five leading motion picture theatres of Ranger are lending their cooperation to the lecture committee of the American Legion, in using slides calling their patrons' attention to Sergeant-Major A. J. David's talk, "The Fighting Anzacs," at the Baptist tabernacle at 8 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 19. Proceeds go to the American Legion.

Between the feature and the comedy and the reel of news pictures, motion picture fans are reminded that an interesting story of one of the "fightin'est" outfits of the Allied forces will be told Thursday night. These slides are appearing at the Lone Star, the Liberty, Lambs, the Hippodrome and the Queen.

Tickets are on sale at the McCleskey cafe, where Al Hastings found many buyers Monday, at the Postoffice confectionery and other places in the city.

### Healdton Company Purchases Block, Starts Operations

The Healdton Oil & Gas company has purchased a block of land about four miles northeast of Ranger, has erected a derrick and will start drilling operations within the next few days, according to a statement given out by M. H. Nichols, general manager of operations in this district. This is one of several new companies who are starting work in the Ranger district.

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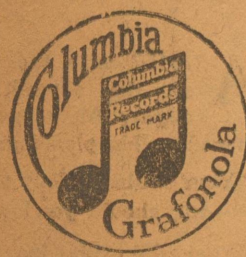
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### Cairo, Mosques, Harems, Pyramids SPHYNX, DANCING GIRLS N' EVERYTHING In Convalescence at Heliopolis

His career on Gallipoli, where the fighting Anzacs received their name, their war baptism and fought themselves into world fame, was cut short by a rifle bullet wound in the head, and Sergeant-Major A. J. David of the Australian Imperial Forces, through the dressing station and base hospitals, found his way to bigger adventures.

As a member of the Fifteenth Battalion of the First Australian Corps, he served five months of the nine months' siege taking his place with the rest of the Anzacs in the front line when the "Run-me-lads" of the Light Infantry, immature boys from the naval training stations, "got their wind up" and suffered an attack of nerves when really nothing was happening in the Gallipoli lines.

But when the zing of an enemy bullet sang the last line of his fighting on the peninsula, Sergeant-Major David found there were no reconspenses for even a head wound.

He was sent to Heliopolis, at the general hospital there.

Heliopolis is a suburb of Cairo and the Heliopolis hotel, which the British commandeer for a hospital, was designed and completed shortly before the war to rival the casino at Monte Carlo. It is built entirely of marble and its fittings are second to none of the gorgeous hotels of Europe. Of course, the little refinements that American traveling salesmen demand, as running ice water, concealed plumbing and shower and tub baths, were not provided, but remember, it is in Egypt, land of the Pharaohs.

Base camp, light duties during convalescence, mosques, pyramids, the Nile, the Sphinx, Cairo, in all, it is possible that under similar circumstances, a soldier might sing the Australian version of "I don't wanta get well."

But David was an Anzac.

He welcomed the return to duty, even though it carried assignment to the Suez canal, in the Arabian desert—"hot as hell the year 'round and sleep under four blankets at night."

He tells of the moments of lighter pastime in the four years of war, in his lecture, "The Fighting Anzacs," at 8 p. m. Thursday, February 19, at the Baptist tabernacle. The lecture is under the auspices of the American Legion.

### Sunny Weather Stimulates Trade and Oil Traffic

Traffic on the roads into this city is heavier now than for weeks past, and a resumption of heavy hauling, particularly in oil well supplies, is noticeable. Monday afternoon a traffic jam backed vehicles up for three blocks east of the depot and two or three blocks west of the depot.

Oil well supply houses report heavy business this week, and hardware stores are doing a brisk trade.

### American Legion Dance, Friday, Is Assured Success

The third American Legion dance will be held at the Summer Garden Friday night. All ex-service men are invited to attend, and the general public is also invited.

Good music will be furnished, and, judging from the success of the two previous dances given by the Legion, a good time is assured all who attend. Special program will be provided and refreshments will be served without charge.

That which is not worth advertising is not worth buying.



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### HODGES CENTRAL ADDITION

OFFICE ON ADDITION

### Alleged Holdups Caught, Ft. Worth, by Ranger Force

The two highwaymen who made the \$2,000 haul at Cisco a few nights ago were arrested by Detectives McGee and Edmondson of the local force in Fort Worth yesterday. Their cages will be set within the next ten days.

### Merchants Holding Clearance Sales

Drygoods merchants are daily receiving shipments of early spring models in suits and dresses. A number of stores are holding clearance sales to dispose of mid-winter goods, and these sales are well attended, many persons buying with an eye to possible advances next year.

Turn to the classified page. There is opportunity for you.

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