

West Texas—Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy; warmer in Panhandle Wednesday.

RANGERS VOTERS FLOCK TO THE POLLS

ALLEGED OIL FRAUDS BRING BIG ROUND UP

Half-Billion Dollars and More Claimed to Be Involved in Swindles.

By United Press.
FORT WORTH, April 3.—The round-up of alleged fraudulent oil stock promoters who are charged with fleecing people of the United States out of millions of dollars was continued by the federal government today with increasing insistence. Arrests are being made on warrants issued by the United States commissioner. Federal agents who made 16 arrests yesterday were continuing to serve them this morning and more than a dozen arrests were expected today.

Frederick A. Cook, of Arctic exploration fame, was among those sought by authorities. Eight promotion enterprises, each doing business on a million dollar scale, were named in the complaints which authorities claim is but the beginning of the government drive. The men arrested are released on bonds ranging between \$5,000 and \$25,000. Bernard M. Hatfield, trustee of the Texas-Mexia Drilling syndicate, was unable to make bond Monday, and was placed in jail Monday night.

Inspectors at Fort Worth alone claim to have uncovered swindles involving more than \$130,000,000. The victims are numbered far up in the thousands. The total will, it is estimated, total more than a half-billion dollars, and when the cases go through the courts many tragic instances revealing the loss of life savings are expected.

S. E. J. Cox, formerly of Houston, nationally known oil promoter, is implicated because of his alleged connection with the Petroleum Producers association. This company, headed by "Dr." Frederick A. Cook, was one of the first to be investigated by the federal agents. Five members of the organization, including Cook, are named in the complaint filed yesterday. It is estimated that the eight organizations already cited in complaints have upwards of 75,000 direct stockholders, and that some of them already own stock in promotion enterprises taken over by some of the accused companies involving at least half-million "zuckers."

GOVERNOR MUST ACT TODAY ON PENDING MEASURES

AUSTIN, April 3.—Tonight marks the close of the 20-day period in which the governor can act upon measures passed by the recent session of the legislature. A number of important bills have yet to be acted upon. If not passed upon by the governor they become laws without his signature.

The Pope textbook bill, which was passed to annul the contract made between a publishing house and a state educational committee, lays on his desk. He is expected to veto it.

NEW AIRPLANE CHASSIS ASSURES SAFE LANDING

LONDON, April 3.—An airplane undercarriage that is practically "uncrushable" is the remarkable product of a British inventor. The new landing chassis looks to the uninitiated like any ordinary two-wheeled undercarriage, but it is fitted with an ingenious system of pneumatic cylinders which prevent accidents even when the machine is being landed by an inexperienced pilot.

In a recent test of the new undercarriage Herbert Hiker, holder of the non-stop flight record to Turin, demonstrated that it would withstand shocks which would smash the ordinary chassis. He flew the machine at full speed into the ground from a height of 20 feet at an angle that would have turned an ordinary airplane over on its nose. The undercarriage absorbed the shock without even bouncing.

LATE COTTON WILL GIVE BOLL WEEVIL A CHANCE

By United Press.
DALLAS, April 3.—The Texas cotton crop has suffered heavy damage by the failure of spring to arrive at the usual time, John T. Orr, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association, said today. Late spring will retard cotton to the extent that there will be little if any early cotton, he said.

The late cotton will be maturing at the right time for boll weevil to do serious damage, Orr asserted.

Stand Long in Line in Order To Get Chance to Cast Ballot



M. R. NEWNHAM
Presiding Judge of Election.

Bullet That Hits Randel Intended For Another Man

Special to the Times.

ABILENE, April 3.—That Joe C. Randel, well known lawyer and former district attorney of Jones and other counties, was shot unintentionally with a 45-caliber revolver in the hands of T. B. Smith, 16 years old, is the substance of a sworn statement which officers working on the case claim to have obtained. The full contents of the statement were not made known.

The whereabouts of the boy are kept secret, it being said that he is in safe keeping pending the action of the grand jury, which is investigating the case at Anson. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Smith, living on the Hamlin-Aspermont road.

Randel was riding on the right side of the back seat, according to witnesses, and when the first shot was fired it pierced a tire. It is said that he leaned forward to look at a rear tire and that another shot rang out, the bullet striking Judge Randel near the car and passing out the back of his head.

"I thought the one that turned my dad into the grand jury was in the car," Smith is alleged to have said when told of the death of Judge Randel. It is also authoritatively stated that Smith declared he did not know Judge Randel was in the car and that the former district attorney has always been his friend. It is also stated that the youth broke down when notified of the death of the attorney.

A number of witnesses have been subpoenaed to appear at the Wednesday session of the grand jury in Anson. The jury adjourned Monday night to meet again Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

MITCHELL INDICTED FOR MURDERS OTHERS HAVE CONFESSED TO

By Associated Press.

WACO, April 3.—Grand jury indictments have been returned against Roy Mitchell, the negro convicted on five charges of murder and five times sentenced to death, of having killed Mr. and Mrs. Barker and a 13-year-old boy named Turek in February of last year.

Two negroes, Johnson and Young, were arrested, indicted and convicted of the triple murder on their written confession, Johnson being sentenced to die and Young being given a death sentence. The cases were affirmed by the court of criminal appeals and a rehearing denied.

OUTLAW WOUNDED IN ATTEMPTED HOLD-UP DIES

By Associated Press.

COFFEYVILLE, Kan., April 3.—Albert Connors, a noted Kansas and Oklahoma outlaw, died in jail here this morning from bullet wounds received when he and a pal, Mack Weaver, attempted to hold up and rob Robert Speer, a former service man, Weaver, who hailed from Big Heart, Okla., died the next day. Connors' wife and children were at his bedside here when he died.

MORE THAN TWELVE HUNDRED VOTES RECORDED AT NOON HOUR

Counting Begins About 1 o'Clock and Is Being Pushed Rapidly as Possible; No Disorder at Any Time of Day.

At 1:09 p. m. M. R. Newnham, presiding judge, told a Times reporter that 1,204 ballots had been issued. The polls had then been opened slightly more than five hours. These figures mean that an average of 240 votes per hour had been cast, or four a minute.

At 1:10 p. m. three election officials began counting the votes. Unless the rush becomes too great for the three other election officials to handle, these men will keep at the work of tabulating the votes until the work is completed. No figures indicating how the election is going were given out.

MEN AND WOMEN STAND IN LINE AT VOTING BOX

Array of Citizens Exercising Franchise Reminder of Buying of World Series Tickets.

Overcast skies greeted Ranger folks when they awoke this morning. The weather report from Dallas said Tuesday would be unsettled. Leaders of both sides were hoping for sunshine in order to get out an early vote.

Voting was delayed a few minutes after the polls were opened at 8 o'clock this morning until the judges and clerks could get squared away for the long line of voters standing outside waiting their turn.

The long line of voters extended from the middle of the vacant room in the center of the Marston building to Austin street and around the corner. This was at 8 o'clock. Among those in line was Mayor John M. Gholson. Women voters were there in about a three to one ratio. Oil field workers were conspicuous in their corduroy coats and pants and overalls.

Several hundred feet away workers for the Citizens' Committee were busy themselves with details in the room formerly occupied by J. R. McElroy, music dealer, in the Bobo building. A large banner was flung across the street with the phrase "Citizens' Committee" and the phone number painted at one end.

The big guns in the municipal fight for offices were fired last night when the final rally for the Greater Ranger Ticket was held in the Liberty theatre and the Citizens' Committee held a rally in the Lamb theatre. Citizens and candidates spoke at both meetings. The Lamb theatre, with a seating capacity of 600, was full and some standing. The Liberty auditorium with a combined seating capacity of 1,070 held a capacity audience. Men stood in the aisles and in the foyer.

ARMY AIRPLANES IN WASHINGTON AFTER MAKING LONG TRIP

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Six army airplanes arrived here today, concluding a circuit of 6,000 miles that extended from San Antonio, Texas, to Porto Rico and then to Washington. According to the war department it was one of the most successful long-distance flights in the history of aviation.

WOMAN AGED 91 YEARS IS BURNED TO DEATH

By Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, April 3.—Mrs. Elizabeth Nicholson, 91, was burned to death and her three aged sisters were severely burned in trying to rescue her when fire damaged their home here today.

The three sisters made heroic efforts to lead the victim from the home. The origin of the fire is not known.

FEDERAL DRAG STRIKES DALLAS OIL PROMOTERS

Great State Petroleum Co. of Texas and Ten Officers Indicted.

By United Press.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The Great State Petroleum Company, Inc., of Texas, Alexander C. Parker of Dallas, Texas, named as its president and general manager, and other officials are under federal indictment here on charges of using the mail to defraud. It is alleged that the company misrepresented the value of stock offered for sale, and that many shares were sold to investors through these alleged misrepresentations.

The individuals named in the indictment were Albert E. Shahan, Albert C. Rick, Harry A. Hurt, Wilmer F. Sims, Charles L. Chattelle, Alexander C. Parker, Fred G. Jones, F. Barker, John S. Aldehoff and William G. Osgoodby. Most of these are said to live in Dallas, Texas.

The indictment charges that representations made in letters, circulars and post cards "were false and intended to defraud investors in the stock of the oil company, which defendants well knew were not worth the price they were asking for it."

The indictment further charges that to expedite the stock-selling campaign the defendants represented to investors that application was about to be made to have the stock company listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

According to the complaint, it was claimed that the oil company had gross assets valued at \$7,500,000 and the total earnings amounted to \$1,806,750. These assets were described as leased oil lands aggregating more than 20,000 acres and a 50-mile pipeline. The corporation operates 35 oil wells, having a daily output of 6,000 barrels of crude oil, the complaint said. The corporation was organized as a consolidation of a number of active producing oil companies in Texas and it was alleged that circulars intended to defraud investors were circulated.

HEAD OF COMPANY PASTOR OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH IN DALLAS

DALLAS, April 3.—The Rev. Alex C. Parker, indicted in New York as head of the Great State Petroleum company of Texas, is the exalted cyclops of the Ku Klux Klan in this realm and well known throughout the state. He is pastor of the Rosemont Christian church of this city.

Parker is in New York, according to information obtained at his residence. It was believed he had gone there in connection with the federal investigation of the company's activities. F. Barker and Harry A. Hurt, also indicted, are in New York, local connections said.

John S. Aldehoff, one of those indicted, said he withdrew from the company in the fall of 1919 and was absolutely innocent of any wrong in connection with operations of the Great State Petroleum Company, Inc., of Texas. Others named in the indictment could not be located here.

RANGER TIMES WILL ISSUE EXTRA TO ANNOUNCE RESULTS OF THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION

The Ranger Daily Times will issue an extra tonight as soon as the result of the municipal election is made known to advise the people of Ranger who have been elected.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon election officers were unable to forecast when the count would be completed, but it was thought that the figures might be ready by 8 o'clock, or soon thereafter.

Watch for the extra of the Ranger Daily Times and get the result of the election right from the polls.

Legislature To Meet In Special Session April 16

Special to the Times.

AUSTIN, April 3.—Governor Neff has called a special session of the thirty-eighth legislature to meet April 16. The governor said his proclamation would be issued in the next two days.

The scope of the legislation upon which action will be asked by the governor has not been indicated by him, but it is expected that his law enforcement program, certain tax measures and appropriation bills will get attention before the close of the 30-day period allowed the extraordinary session.

STORM IN GULF TAKES TOLL OF SMALL SHIPS

Two Survivors of Eutopia Rescued; Fishing Boat Is Missing.

By United Press.

KEY WEST, Fla., April 3.—The steamer Eutopia has gone down in the Florida trade course off here, according to a radiogram from the steamship W. H. Libby received here. Two survivors of the sunken ship were picked up by the Libby, being taken from the forecastle deck of the sunken steamer, according to the report. A tug has gone out from here to meet the Libby and bring the survivors to port.

By United Press.

PENSACOLA, Fla., April 3.—Three airplanes and a motor fishing boat, Marie, are believed to have been lost in the storm that has been raging off the coast here. Capt. Pino Nebo and four others were aboard the fishing smack when he left port four days ago. The coast guard cutter Tallahassee returned to port after searching for the vessel without result and reported the Marie had probably gone down.

FIRE SWEEPS BLOCK IN BUSINESS SECTION OF CROSS PLAINS

Special to the Times.

CROSS PLAINS, April 3.—Loss placed at between \$30,000 and \$35,000 resulted from a fire which swept over a block of the business section here Monday. Two restaurants, the L. & S. cafe and the Texas cafe; the Majestic theatre and the Reeder barber shop were completely destroyed and partial damage was sustained by the Cross Plains Drug Co., E. H. & A. Davis Clothing store and the Fashion Shop. The latter three houses were partially protected by insurance.

TEXAS BOYS AT KEMPER PROVE GOOD RIFLE SHOTS

By Associated Press.

BOONVILLE, Mo., April 3.—Three members of the rifle team of Kemper Military academy here, which won third place in the recent Seventh Corps Area junior reserve officers training unit match, are from Texas. They are Cadet O. N. Goode, of South Bend, Texas; Cadet J. E. McNeill, Spur, Texas; and Cadet J. E. McLean, Fort Worth.

The Kemper team won the distinction of being one of the five junior R. O. T. C. teams to represent the Seventh Corps area in the national meet to be staged soon. The team competed with 16 other teams from seven central states.

EXECUTION OF VICAR GENERAL IS CARRIED OUT

Appeals of Nations for Life of Catholic Prelate Go Unheeded.

By United Press.

MOSCOW, April 3.—Vicar General Butchkavith, the Roman Catholic prelate, found guilty of treason to the soviet, was executed today. Appeals from Catholic organizations throughout the world and from many of the leading nations, including the United States and Belgium, and an urgent appeal from Poland; in which it was indicated that the execution of the Catholic prelates would be regarded as an unfriendly act, did not restrain the soviet from carrying out the sentence of death that had been imposed.

The vicar general, together with Archbishop Zepliak and other Catholic clergy, was sentenced to death after a trial which ended last week with conviction of a charge of opposing the soviet's decree separating church and state, with communicating secretly with Poland while the soviet was at war with that country, and with trying to provoke the government to close the churches so they could win the sympathy of the outside world and possibly secure Polish intervention.

In announcing that the death sentence had been carried into effect, the information was given out by the soviet that the vicar general was executed last Saturday by a firing squad. No other details regarding the execution have been obtained.

BANDITS OBTAIN MANY NEGOTIABLE BONDS IN RAID ON MAIL WAGON

By Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, April 3.—Postoffice inspectors announced today that a partial check of the registered mail records showed that the bandits who held up and robbed a government mail wagon yesterday obtained negotiable bonds valued at \$51,255. It is possible, according to the inspectors, the robbers obtained negotiable paper running into six figures.

HUGE WAVE THREATENS CHILDREN PLAYING ON BEACH AT BIARRITZ

By United Press.

BIARRITZ, France, April 3.—Seven children playing on the sand at Biarritz were swallowed up by a huge wave that inundated the beach on which they were playing early today. They were being dragged to sea when an American and an Englishman, who were walking along the beach, rushed to the rescue and succeeded in carrying all seven to safety.

The wave is believed to have been part of a gigantic wave which had originated in mid-ocean and which was reported a few hours previously by radio.

WANT ALL EGGS STAMPED WITH COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

LONDON, April 3.—Every egg sold in England will be stamped with the country of origin, if the plans of various housewives' organizations to put such a bill through parliament are successful.

Much interest has been aroused in London recently by the declaration of the National Poultry council that only about 10 per cent of the eggs sold as new laid eggs come from the provinces of England. It has been shown that huge quantities of eggs are shipped into England every year from Holland, China and Egypt, are mixed with other eggs, and sold as native eggs. Because the foreign eggs are of a better color and larger than English eggs, it is said the retailers are able to sell them more readily than English eggs.

POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION MEETING

By Associated Press.

DALLAS, April 3.—The fourth annual convention of the Southwestern Political Science association opened here Monday at the Southern Methodist University. The convention will continue Tuesday and Wednesday. Delegates from the principal colleges of Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Arkansas and New Mexico were expected to attend the convention.

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BIBLE THOUGHT.

A NATION'S GREATNESS:—Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people.—Proverbs 14:34.

APRIL HOLIDAYS.

The following calendar of bank and public holidays which will be celebrated in April in the states and countries and on the dates enumerated below is furnished by the Guaranty Trust company of New York:

Monday, April 2.—Abyssinia, Algeria, Austria, Barbados, Basutoland, Bechuanaland, Belgium, Belgian Congo, British Guiana, Dominion of Canada, Cayman Islands, Ceylon, China, Caracao, Cyprus, Czecho-Slovakia, Denmark, Dutch East Indies, Dutch Guiana, Egypt (Esthonia), Federated Malay States, Finland, France, French Guiana, French Indo-China, French West Indies, Gambia, Germany, Gibraltar, Gold Coast, Hong-Kong, Hungary, Iceland, India, Irish Free State, Italy, Jamaica, Japan (Foreign Merchants), Jugo-Slavia, Latvia, Leeward Islands, Lithuania, Madagascar, Mauritius, Monaco, Morocco, Netherlands, New South Wales, New Zealand, Norway, Nyasaland, Siam (Bangkok), Sierra Leone, Somaliland, South Australia, South West Africa, Spain (half holiday), Straits Settlements, Swaziland, Sweden, Switzerland, Tasmania, Togoland, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunis, Turkey, Turks and Caicos Islands, Uganda Protectorate, Union of South Africa, United Kingdom, Victoria, Virgin Islands, Western Australia, Windward Islands, Yukon Territory (Easter Monday). In the United States: Michigan (general election).

Tuesday, April 3.—Ceylon, Dutch East Indies, Esthonia, Latvia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Victoria (Easter Tuesday), Japan (Jimmu-Tenno-sai). In the United States: Wisconsin (municipal and judicial elections).

Wednesday, April 4.—Newfoundland (half day).

Thursday, April 5.—Siberia and Turkey (Holy Thursday O. S.).

Friday, April 6.—Abyssinia, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Egypt, Greece, Jugo-Slavia, Siberia, Siam (Bangkok), and Turkey (Good Friday O. S.). In the United States: Arizona (in Apache, Coconino, Mohave, Navajo and Yavapai counties; Arbor Day).

Saturday, April 7.—Brazil (states of Parana and Rio Grande do Norte; commemorating notable event in state or municipal history), Palestine (Passover; Seventh Day), Bulgaria, Siberia and Turkey (Holy Saturday O. S.) and Greece (Independence Day, O. S.).

Sunday, April 8.—Belgium, Belgian Congo (birthday of the king), Bulgaria, Rumania, Siberia (Easter O. S.).

Monday, April 9.—Abyssinia, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Egypt, Greece, Jugo-Slavia, Rumania, Siberia, Turkey (Easter Monday O. S.), Brail (state of Rio de Janeiro; commemorating notable event in state or municipal history), Fernando Po, Finland, Hungary, Lithuania, Poland, Spain (half day) and Sweden (Annunciation).

Tuesday, April 10.—Abyssinia, Siberia (Easter Tuesday O. S.).

Wednesday, April 11.—Costa Rica (Battle of Rivas), Hungary (anniversary of the sanction of the 1848 law of independence), and Newfoundland (half day).

Thursday, April 12.—In the United States: North Carolina (Halifax independence resolutions).

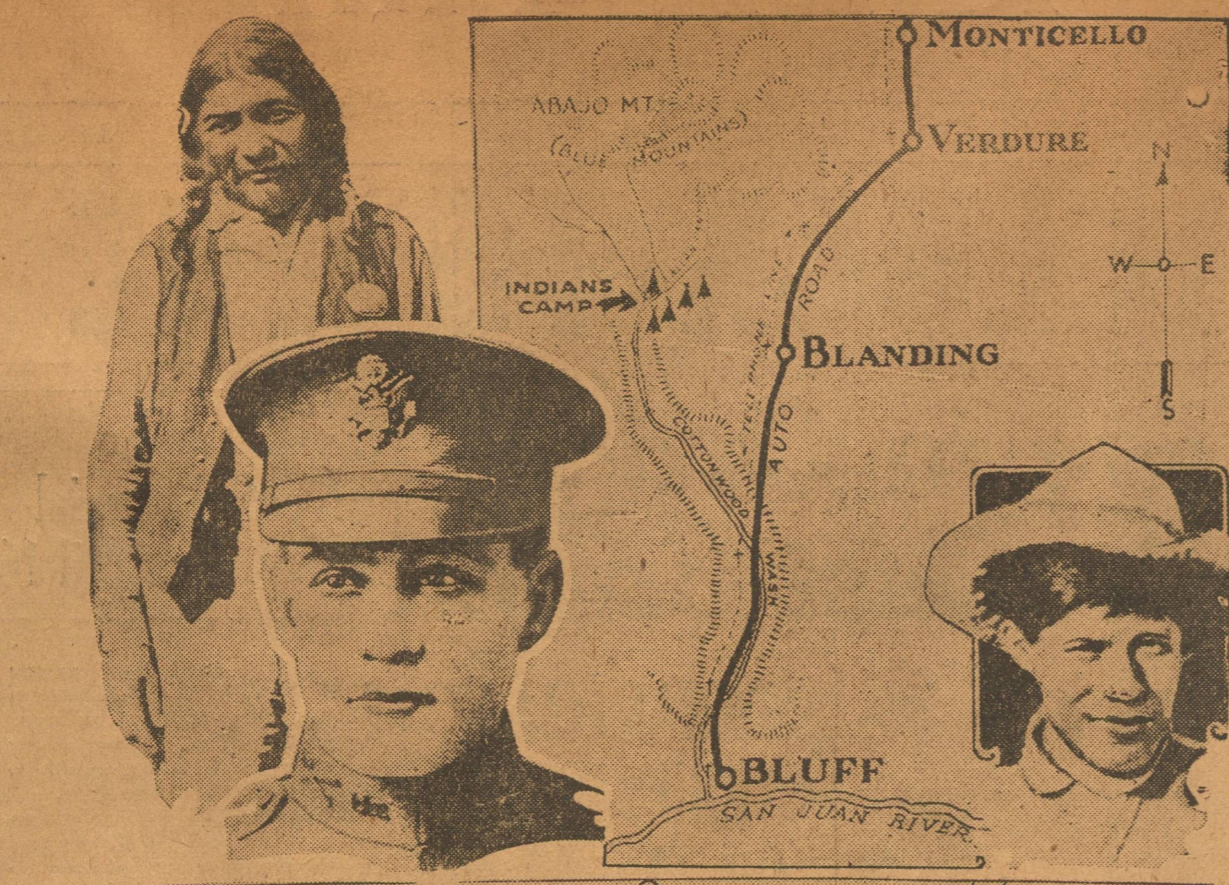
Friday, April 13.—India (Calcutta; Chaitra Sankranti), Liberia (Fast and Prayer day). In the United States: Utah (Arbor Day).

Tuesday, April 17.—Bulgaria (bank holiday), Federated Malay states, Heja, Mesopotamia (Ramadan, First Day).

Wednesday, April 18.—Dutch East Indies (bank holiday), Hejaz, and Mesopotamia (Ramadan Day).

Thursday, April 19.—Dutch East Indies (birthday of the Prince Consort), Iceland (first day of summer), Uruguay (landing of Uruguayan patriots), and Venezuela (first movement for independence). In the United States: Maine and Massachusetts (Patriots Day).

Boy Marshal Wiping Out Renegade Band.



Old Posey & J. Ray Ward. — Where Putes attacked Joe Bishop's boy.

A posse commanded by J. Ray Ward, young marshal of Blanding, Utah, is rounding up and wiping out the band of renegade Pute Indians, under Old Posey, who attacked the town when two of the number were arrested. One of the arrested youths, both of whom escaped, was Joe Bishop's boy, later killed by the posse.

WHERE THERE IS A WILL, WAY WILL BE FOUND

Novel Ways Adopted by College Students to Help Pay Tuition Charges.

CHICAGO, April 3.—The old occupations followed by students at mid-western universities to pay their way through school range all the way from serving as state legislators to sleeping in undertaking establishments to save room rent.

The state legislator is Everett A. Addington, of Indiana University, member of the house of representatives. He is blind, and to add to his income from the state, he tunes pianos. His home is at Farmland, Ind. The boys who have solved their room rent problem by working in undertaking establishments in return for quarters attend the University of Nebraska.

Ordinary occupations, trades and avocations followed by thousands of students to help pay expenses are too numerous to enumerate. Indiana University alone reports 65 trades and employments. Some of the occupations are unusual.

At Kansas State Agricultural college a young man does housework and watches children while parents are absent. This institution has a detective whose occupation has been tracking cigarette bootleggers for the mayor of his town. Another boy there sells salad dressing, while a pair of boys hang out this sign: "Dancing Lessons and Ford Repairs."

A University of Nebraska boy took a contract to paint a house, and employed student help to finish the job. Honor stands, where sweets are sold without attendants, are not uncommon. A boy at Nebraska, operating such stands, reported his net profits averaged 65 cents daily.

Try Our Pastry and Coffee

"The Best in Town"

Echols Cafe

Just Across Street From Gholson Hotel

At Washington university, St. Louis, a student firm issues free blotter pads, making money out of the advertising thereon. The giving of blood for transfusion is a regular occupation of the University of Minnesota students. Marquette university reports one grave digger, and an athlete who makes money as a dance hall bouncer.

Indiana University, in addition to Mr. Addington, has two other blind students paying their way, a girl who crochets, and a boy who sells sandwiches.

At Purdue about 75 per cent of the men are helping pay their own way while many young women also work. Among the Purdue workers is a young night engineer, whose only hours of sleep are from 4:00 p. m. to 9:30 p. m., yet he has a prospect of winning highest honors for four years of scholarship.

At Ohio university students earn money for tuition in various ways. Some are official bearers of bodies at funerals, some teach Hebrew on the side, and one leases a house and sublets the rooms.

The Missouri legislature has under consideration a bill to appropriate \$35,000 yearly for the employment of student labor.

FOUR TICKETS IN DALLAS MUNICIPAL ELECTION

DALLAS, April 3.—Four tickets, Citizens, Democratic, Independent and Labor were in the race today for mayor and city commissioners.

Speakers for the Citizens ticket asserted the Democratic ticket is controlled by the Klan. Dallas property holders are voting on bond issues totalling \$8,000,000.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, OF RANGER DAILY TIMES, PUBLISHED AT RANGER, TEXAS, FOR APRIL 1, 1923.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland—ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Walter Murray, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Ranger Daily Times, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of April, 1923. (seal) MRS. GEO. B. TRUE, Notary Public.

(My commission expires June 1, 1923.)

CRIMINAL LABEL CHARGES AGAINST STUDENTS DISMISSED

By Associated Press

AUSTIN, Charges of criminal libel filed here last week in the county district court against Jacob and Dave Lutzer, former students of the University of Texas as the result of the publication of the "Blunderbuss," a scandal sheet, have been dismissed at the request of President Vinson of the University.

Dismissal of the charges followed an agreement that the publication would be suppressed and no more copies circulated.

"Go slow" does not apply to the pedestrian in crossing the street.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

Medium Brown Hair looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo.—Adv.

Advertisement for 111 4 more cigarettes, 24 for 15¢.

Advertisement for C. H. DUNLAP OPTOMETRIST, 306 Main St.

Advertisement for HEAVY HAULING MOVING STORAGE PACKING AND CRATING.

Advertisement for Ranger Transfer & Storage Co., PHONE 117.

Advertisement for Mrs. Tucker's Shortening.

Advertisement for TEXAS DRUGGIST REGAINS HEALTH.

Advertisement for PARTS—PARTS—PARTS.

Advertisement for RADIATOR REPAIRING AND RECORING.

Advertisement for EDISON Phonographs and Records.

Advertisement for Wallpaper, Paint.

Advertisement for RE-CREATED FENDERS.

Advertisement for POSTOFFICE GARAGE.

Advertisement for It has been called to my attention that certain over-zealous persons on both sides of the present political controversy, who live outside the City Limits of Ranger, are intending to vote in the election.

Advertisement for W. J. BARNES County Attorney.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS

By GEORGE BINGHAM



Atlas Peck has a hole in his shoe soles and now walks on his heels while going across a muddy place in the road.

Sim Flinders and family have moved again, and are now ensconced in the house on the Hog Ford lane, and their pet gander has taken up his place standing in one foot on the sunny side of the stable.

Cricket Hicks sent his henderchief to the laundry some time ago, and received the news today to the effect that it had become lost. Of course it don't make so much difference to the laundry, but as it is the only one Cricket has it cripples him socially for the time being.

GERALDINE FARRAR VIOLATED AGREEMENT, SAYS TELLEGEN

By United Press

NEW YORK, April 3.—Lou Tellegen, matinee idol, and husband of Geraldine Farrar, today broke his long silence and charged his wife with violating an agreement made between them in conducting a suit for divorce in New York. Tellegen said the agreement drawn up stated that neither would name co-respondents in their complaints.

Head Stuffed By Catarrh or Cold?

If your nostrils are clogged your throat distressed, or your head is stuffed by nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic, germ destroying cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing inflamed, swollen membranes and you get instant relief.

How good it feels. Your nostrils are open. Your head is clear. No more hawking, snuffling, dryness or struggling for breath. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from any druggist. Colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up. Relief is sure.—(Advertisement.)

Red Pepper Heat Ends Rheumatism

Red Pepper Rub takes the "ouch" from sore, stiff, aching joints. It can't hurt you, and it certainly stops that old rheumatism torture at once.

When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone. Ask any good druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.—(Advertisement.)



Would You Be Beautiful?

Beauty has been the quest of all ages. Thousands of lovely women attribute their beauty to the use of Nadine Face Powder. The cheeks have just a tint of color—the skin can only be equalled by the soft texture of a rose petal.

Nadine will keep the roses in your cheeks. It will adhere and protect the skin from the sun, wind and dust. It contains no white lead or other ingredient to harm the skin or the eyes. It's the same pure powder, popular for so many years—only the box and fragrance have been improved.

Money refunded if you are not pleased. At your toilet counter 50c. Miniature box sample by mail 4c.

Tints, White, Flesh, Pink, Brunette.

National Toilet Co., Paris, Tenn.



SPORTS

THURBER WINS TWO GAMES BY GOOD TWIRLING

Defeats First Baptists of Fort Worth and Breckenridge Nine.

THURBER, April 3.—White's home run and the excellent twirling of King were largely responsible for Thurber's 10 to 2 win here Saturday over the First Baptist church team of Fort Worth.

Thurber defeated Breckenridge on the latter's grounds Monday 9 to 3, in a game featured by the heavy hitting of the visitors, who gathered 12 hits, four of which were home runs.

King, Adkins, White and Knight for Thurber hit for the circuit, as well as Rogers for Breckenridge. Hudspeth, although wild, was extremely effective and Breckenridge secured only three hits off his delivery.

Scoreboard for Thurber vs. Breckenridge. Columns: BAPTISTS, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Clarke, Bradford, Bertram, Williams, Roach, Hemphill, Willett, Shine, Turner.

TOTALS . . . 33 2 4 24 8 4

Scoreboard for Thurber vs. First Baptists of Fort Worth. Columns: THURBER, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Dalmasso, Currin, Adkins, White, Knight, Paulawsky, Hudspeth, Gibson, King, Halcomb.

TOTALS . . . 35 10 9 27 10 3

Scoreboard for Thurber vs. Breckenridge. Columns: THURBER, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Dalmasso, Currin, Adkins, White, Knight, King, Gibson, Hudspeth.

TOTALS . . . 28 9 12 27 12 6

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THURBER VS. BRECKENRIDGE

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TOTALS . . . 28 9 12 27 12 6

Scoreboard for Thurber vs. Breckenridge. Columns: BRECK, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Tabor, Williams, Robinson, Gober, Seiser, Belcher, Jewett, King, Barron, Smith, Freeman, Rogers.

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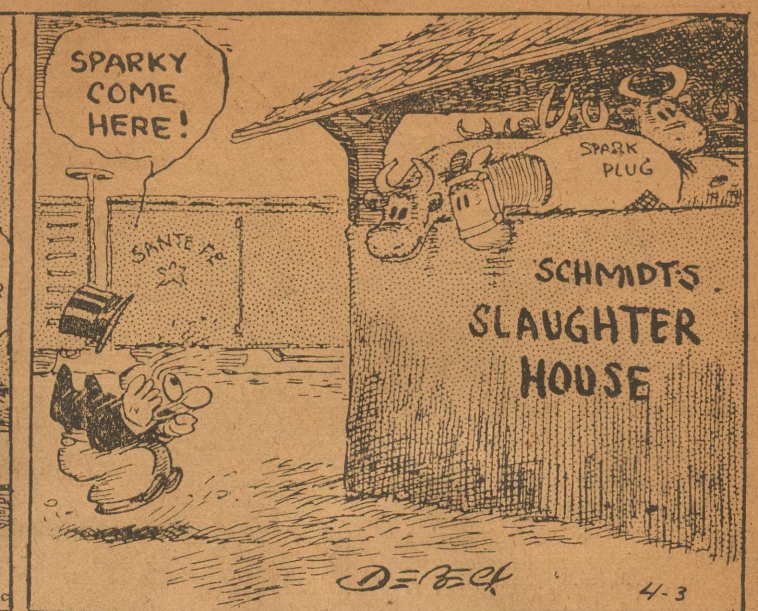
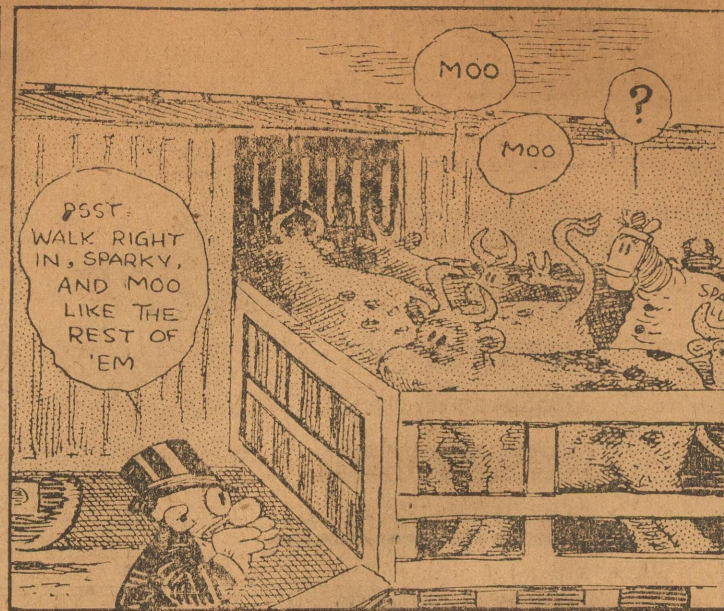
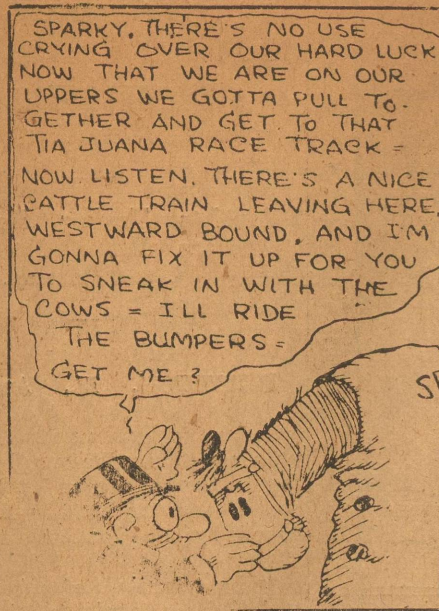
HOUSTON.—A campaign among Jews in Texas for \$50,000 to provide funds to send 200 pioneers to Palestine to assist in restoring the Holy Land has been instituted, according to L. A. Freed, of Houston, state chairman.

DALLAS.—Dr. C. C. Seliman, formerly pastor of the First Methodist church of Dallas, today assumed his duties as president of Southern Methodist university, to which place he was elected recently by the board of regents.

Dr. H. A. Boaz, who resigned last June on being elevated to the bishopric.

BARNEY GOOGLE—There's No "Mistake" About Where Sparky's Headed

—By Billy De Beck



HOW IMPORTANT IN PRODUCING A TEAM IS COACH?

Supreme Test for Percy Haughton Who Goes to Columbia University.

By HENRY L. FARRELL, United Press Sports Editor. NEW YORK, April 3.—There never may be an accurate and final way of deciding whether a coach makes the players and the team or the players make the coach.

What results Percy Haughton accomplishes in producing a football team at Columbia ought to go a long way in shedding some light on it. Haughton is, by reputation at least, the foremost football coach and authority in the country and he is taking over football at an institution where, as far as material and spirit are concerned, football hardly exists.

Being in such a large city, Columbia has no chance to develop the college spirit that exists at an isolated university like Princeton, Cornell or Dartmouth, where nothing exists but the universities and their dependencies.

NEW CAPTAIN NAMED FOR FOR LEVIATHAN



When the reconditioned Leviathan (formerly the Vaterland) takes the sea in June she will be commanded by Captain Herbert Hartley now master of the liner Mongolia.

BAYLOR GIRLS TO DEBATE WITH LOUISIANA COLLEGE

By Associated Press. BELTON, April 3.—What is said will be the first interstate debate ever entered by a Texas woman's college, will take place here April 16 when a team representing Baylor college will meet a team of young women from Louisiana college of Pineville, La.

The debate between Baylor college and Louisiana college is one of the new features of the debating program worked out for the present year by the faculty officials of the Belton school.

SHOWING AT THE LAMB TODAY



BARBARA LA MARR, JOHN SAINPOLIS AND MARTHA MATTOX IN "THE HERO," A PREFERRED PICTURE.

RANGER TO SEND TRACK TEAM TO DISTRICT MEET

High School Has Good Athletes to Compete in Various Events.

Preparations are being made to send a winning team to the district track meet which will be held at Comanche the thirteenth and fourteenth of this month.

COLLEGE BOYS' PRANK MAY ELECT HIM MAYOR

T. I. "Tub" Wyatt, sophomore at the Kansas City university, may be the next mayor of Kansas City as the result of a prank of college boys.

CHANCE FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT TO EARN COLLEGE COURSE

A fine opportunity is offered to the high school students of this country by H. S. Firestone. Mr. Firestone offers a four-year course at any college or university in the United States with tuition, room and board, special fees, and incidental expenses defrayed by his company to the student who writes the best essay on the subject "The Influence of Highway Transportation Upon the Religious Life of My Community."

HOUSTON.—Houston has gained 1200 telephones during the last six months, a new telephone directory to be issued next month will show.

LUFKIN.—The Lufkin Chair and Handle factory, which burned to the ground recently, will be rebuilt and its capital stock doubled, announced K. Morgan, president of the corporation.

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MOVIES

LIBERTY—Miriam Cooper in "Kindred of the Dust."

LAMB—"Hero," also Educational comedy and Fox News.

OLDEST LIVING ELK HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

GRND JUNCTION, Colo., April 3.—A. B. ("Uncle Billy") Hildreth, oldest living member of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks in the world and perhaps the oldest Civil war veteran, celebrated his 100th birthday here today.

"Uncle Billy" was given a birthday celebration by the local Elks lodge and the local G. A. R. post which was attended by hundreds of his friends and relatives.

"Uncle Billy" doesn't advocate the use of tobacco as an aid to longevity, but he has chewed for 60 years and has smoked from a dozen to 20 cigars a day until recently, when he cut the number in half.

The aged veteran, who rode from Denver to Santa Fe on a pony in 1859 through country, thickly settled by hostile Indians, went through many of the fiercest battles of the Civil and Indian wars and suffered only one wound, a slight bayonet cut on the wrist. He was two miles from the scene of the Custer massacre when it took place and with General Howard helped stem the tide of Ne-phehas Indians down through Yellowstone park.

"Uncle Billy" is hale and hearty for his age, but makes no predictions as to how many more birthdays he'll celebrate.

TEXAS DELEGATES TO AMERICAN LIBRARY MEETING

AUSTIN, April 3.—Eighteen representatives from Texas to the forty-fifth annual conference of the American Library association have been named by Governor Neff. In addition to these, a number of other librarians who are members will go to the convention, according to Miss Elizabeth West, state librarian.

Texas also will have a number of representatives on the program.

The official delegates are: T. H. Franklin, San Antonio; Mrs. John Davenport, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Wendell Spence, J. S. Aldehoff and Alex Sanger, Dallas; Miss Georgia McMeans, Palestine; Mrs. Olga Kohlberg and Major R. F. Burgess, El Paso; Dr. Clinton Lockhart, Fort Worth; George W. Dayton, Gainesville; J. W. Terry, Galveston; Miss Katie Daffan, Houston; J. C. Pyle, Sherman; Mrs. O. F. Walton, Terrell; Mrs. H. H. Pennington, Stamford; F. R. Newman, Greenville; Mrs. B. B. McClanahan, Arlington; Mrs. F. E. Goodman, Waco.

WANTED—Lady to do general housework for family of two. See Mrs. Lacy, Ranger State Bank.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

MEBANE and Rowden planting seed, \$1.85 per bushel, at Ballard & Co., 423 Melvin st.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—3-room furnished house. Inquire Bordeau Bros. Planning Mill.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Bungalow; all conveniences. Black, Sivalls & Bryson, 904 Blackwell road, phone 65.

LET US rent your property. We have callers every day for 4 and 5-room houses. C. E. Maddocks & Co. FURNISHED house, garage and garden. \$15 per month. Apply 623 N. Marston.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—To buy old newspapers and glazed magazines in bundles. Ranger Iron & Metal Co., Hunt and Railroad ave., phone 330.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture, small or large lots, highest cash price. Box 1163.

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A large crowd attended the Easter program at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

G. C. Cooper is spending a few days with his mother in Gorman.

Mrs. J. C. Mitchell and little son of Cisco are spending a few days with her parents in Olden.

Mrs. M. V. Simmon and children of Gorman have been in Olden the past weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cayce.

Rev. Mr. Sherril filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday.

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Society

AND ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor
Telephone 224.
WEDNESDAY EVENTS.

Wednesday Bridge club meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. H. Burden.
Royal Neighbors Needle club meets with Mrs. Jack Blackwell, Cooper addition.
Ad Libitum club meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. H. A. Logsdon.
Presbyterian Brotherhood dinner at 7 o'clock, Chamber of Commerce building.
"Pop" Endicott's music theory class 7 o'clock at DeGroof building.

PRESBYTERIAN DINNER SERVED BY BROTHERHOOD.

Members of the Presbyterian brotherhood and friends of the church will meet Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock in the old Chamber of Commerce building where the brotherhood will entertain at dinner. A reorganization of the association will take place and new officers will be elected. There will be no collection taken at this meeting and all former members or new members of the brotherhood are urged to be present.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS DANCE AT TEE PEE CLUB

Fully one hundred couples attended the Yama-Yama dance at the Tee Pee club house Monday night at which Messrs. and Meses. G. B. Watson, J. H. Benton, J. H. Moyer, J. W. Ward and R. J. Fleckenstein were hosts and hostesses. Elaborate decorations of orange and black fringed crepe paper were used in profusion, Japanese lanterns covered the lights and a large balloon hung in the center of the dance hall was opened to release many smaller balloons which floated through the room.

The music by a local orchestra was inspiring to the dancers and many bright and original as well as comic costumes were seen. Many unmasked before midnight as the weather was so warm that masks were uncomfortable. Refreshments were served at midnight, and the dancing resumed immediately afterward and kept up until the wee small hours of the morning. Favors of feathers, and long paper strappers were distributed to everyone and the general aspect of a carnival and merry making was in evidence throughout the dance.

ST. MARY'S GUILD TO MEET EACH WEEK

St. Mary's Guild of the Episcopal church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Burden. It was decided to meet each Monday at the church for sewing and business meeting with the exception of the first Monday in each month when a social meeting will be held at the home of some member, with several members as hostesses. So much progress has been made recently in church improvement that the members are encouraged to do more, and hope soon to have regular services established. Luncheon will be served at the Elks club Friday of this week. Cordial appreciation was expressed for all assistance given by members and friends for recent improvement and the Easter services.

Those at the Monday meeting were Meses. George Taggart, Earl Taylor, L. R. Speed, Gifford Clegg, E. E. Crawford, S. A. White, J. B. Haden, H. A. Logsdon, C. G. Norton, Karl Jones, W. H. Burden, R. H. Kendrick, D. T. Crawford, and Miss Dorothy Taggart.

COOPER SCHOOL T. P. A. MEETS THURSDAY

A meeting of the Cooper School Parent-Teacher association will be held Thursday afternoon at the school. There will be a business meeting and election of officers and a large attendance is desired.

CHEERFUL WORKERS TO HAVE BAKE SALE

The cheerful workers of the Christian church will have a bake sale on Saturday at the Phillips drug store.

PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR NEXT TIFFIN LUNCH

Group No. 1 Tiffin school is asked to furnish for next Thursday's lunch sale. The names of this group are: Meses. W. W. Hearne, F. B. Sanders, A. W. Lester, B. J. Lyons, C. S. Bennett, C. Miller, Manning and Hunter.

Mrs. Cleveland, who is in charge of the lunch sales during the absence of Mrs. Hearne, wishes it understood that if any prefer they may send 25 cents instead of furnishing sandwiches or candy every three weeks. The money donated will be used to buy fresh meats and breads for hot sandwiches.

YOUNG MATRONS MEET SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

On account of the bridge tournament to be held Friday afternoon at the Gholson hotel for the Child Welfare club, the Young Matrons' Bridge club will not meet until Saturday afternoon when they will be entertained by Mrs. Garvin Chastain.

BENTON.—Damages to the grain crops in this section probably will not be as serious as was first anticipated following the recent severe freeze, according to P. B. Dumble, superintendent of the state experiment farm here. Reports from a majority of the farmers say that not more than 10 per cent of the grain was killed. The fact that grain had a good start and was well rooted, and the dry condition of the soil, probably saved it, Dumble said. Fruit and sweet clover were damaged and the loss will be 50 per cent or more, it is said.

HERE'S WOMAN WHO ACCUSES WILLIAM S. HART



Mrs. Elizabeth MacCauley

Miss Elizabeth MacCauley, of Brookline, Mass., is the woman who now charges that William S. (Bill) Hart, two-gunner of the movies, is the father of her child. Miss MacCauley is the daughter of a banker, who was formerly a prominent lawyer. Her sister, Martha, was formerly Dean of the Women of St. Louis University. Her brother, Major Samuel W. MacCauley, is a prominent Chicago engineer. Miss MacCauley is a woman of culture and is a teacher in a fashionable school. Hart denies her charges in their entirety.

CAPTAIN'S MESS BOY SPENDS MILLION MARKS FOR ONE DAY OF PLEASURE—SUCH A GOOD TIME!

By D. M. TRACY,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Most every boy and girl in America at some time has sat down out behind the barn or in the tradesmen's entrance to the apartment house or somewhere and said:

"Wish I had a million dollars—I'd go to the show and buy candy and—"

Well, everyone knows how it goes. And over in Germany boys and girls aren't much different down deep in their hearts, than they are in America, perhaps.

With this exception—Reinhardt Schmidt, aged 14, of Hamburg, Germany, captain's mess boy on the German steamer Hans Hensoth, has had his wish come true. When he was back in Germany he did his wishing—only, of course, he wished for marks instead of dollars. Then he came to San Francisco, and out stepped a fairy or something and all of a sudden Reinhardt found himself in the midst of riches.

A newspaper reporter found Reinhardt interesting. He told his editor. And as a result a girl reporter was assigned to give Reinhardt one memorable day.

The lad was running around the decks of the big freighter which had been his home for months, when the mate stopped him and told him that for the day he was to have shore leave and be the guest of the fairy-lady, who awaited at the gang-plank. Bewildered but anxious for just one taste of real fun, he eagerly accepted. And the day started. Reinhardt was to do as he pleased. And the lady would foot the bill.

It started with candy at the ferry building. Then a ride through the city in a luxurious sedan—the likes of which Reinhardt had never seen.

Then to a store for a pair of good, American shoes to replace the wooden ones he wore. Then lunch at the city's most fashionable hotel—the first fruit he had tasted for eight months was served him in a fruit cocktail; ox-tail soup, chicken pie, apple pie with ice cream, and quantities of milk.

Drank Bottles of Milk. "I drink no alcohol," he announced in German. "But milk, at home it is so expensive." He reveled in bottles of it.

Then a trip to the top of the tallest building in the city and, next, out to the beach to the roller-coaster, the merry-go-round and all the other wonders.

Reinhardt was gaining his pose and he hardly could wait for each successive thrill.

"Powder River-letter huck," he shouted in his funny English as he mounted a pony on the merry-go-round and waved his cap, cowboy fashion.

No satisfactory explanation could be secured as to where he picked up the phrase, but it was good evidence that somewhere back in the days of the war, he had met someone who knew something of the Ninety-first division which crushed through the Argonne forest with that battle-cry.

A bystander passed \$5 into his hand.

"Ach I'll send that to my mother," he confided to his fairy-godmother, in German.

Evening came, and dinner and then a visit to a vaudeville show. Late at night Reinhardt was re-

turned to his shipmates aboard the steamer.

"Ach, very fine," he exclaimed for the hundredth time as he sat on a coil of rope and sailors gathered around him to hear the story of how the fairy fulfilled his dreams.

Out came a pencil and a piece of paper. For a moment he figured, while the lady looked on.

In marks, his figures showed he had spent that day 1,003,000.

MOHLER INDICTED FOR MURDER OF RANCHMAN

By Associated Press

CANADIAN, Texas, April 3.—An indictment charging William Mohler with murder in connection with the killing of Noah Samples, aged cattleman, was returned by a special grand jury, impaneled by District Judge Ewing to investigate the killing. April 16 was set as the probable date for the trial. Judge Ewing announced that a special venire of 100 men is now being drawn for the jury. Mohler has not yet employed counsel.

Samples was found buried in a dug-out in Hemphill county, March 13. Mohler, a former employe of the cattleman, who was the last known man to have seen the cattleman, in a statement accused another man of the crime but later he is said to have taken full responsibility for the crime upon himself.

WORLD WAR BRINGS BACK MINERAL JET

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The mineral jet industry, almost extinct since the advent of the black onyx, has been awakened to some extent by the great demand for mourning jewelry since the close of the war, it was shown by a statement issued by the bureau of mines.

A large portion of the jet used throughout the world has been obtained, in the past, from England, France, Spain and Germany. Discovery of jet deposits in Wayne county, Colorado, are likely to bring American to the fore, however, if some other use for the mineral is found, the bureau statement continued.

VETERAN OF 80 FORCED BY COURT TO PAY ALIMONY

By United Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 3.—"Uncle" Dow Davis, 80, member of General Lee's staff, and four times married, has taken the spotlight after many years of tranquility on his farm near here.

"Uncle" Dow faced jail for refusing to pay alimony to his fourth wife. Mrs. Davis left her husband recently, alleging "barbarous" treatment.

This Davis sternly denied. Davis was ordered to pay temporary alimony pending outcome of the divorce suit now before the courts. He refused saying he would go to jail first. He was not sent to jail, but his 40-acre farm and homeplace was sold by the court and the money used for alimony.

COLLEGE STATION.—Glenn A. Holowell, of Albany, senior electrical engineering student, has been elected valedictorian of the 1923 class at A. & M. college. Holowell stands highest among the students of his class, according to officials.

MAKE BRITISH ISLES DRY SAYS BILL IN HOUSE

Member of Parliament Proposes Prohibition for the United Kingdom.

LONDON, April 3.—Introduced into the house of commons by Edwin Scymgeour, the only member elected on a prohibition platform, there has been issued the text of a bill to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of alcoholic liquors for beverage purposes.

The bill starts with the preamble: "Whereas the inherent evils arising from the production, importation and sale of alcoholic liquors as beverages are intolerable:

"And whereas the traffic in those liquors is opposed to the best interests of the nation:

"And whereas all legislative and other efforts satisfactorily to regulate this traffic have failed" and then proposes that it shall be enacted:

"1. From and after the fifth day of April immediately succeeding the passing of this act it shall not be lawful to grant any new license for the manufacture or sale of alcoholic or other excisable liquors for beverage purposes; all then existing licenses shall absolutely cease and determine on the said fifth day (if April, and it shall not be lawful to renew any of the said licenses (either wholly or in part) on any condition whatsoever.

"2. From and after the said fifth day of April it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to manufacture, import, or sell or be concerned in the manufacture, importation, or sale of alcoholic liquors with the exception provided for in clause three hereof."

The third clause provides that the manufacture, importation or sale of intoxicating liquor solely for scientific or industrial purposes is not to be interfered with, but alcohol for medicinal purposes shall be supplied only in bottles labeled "Poison" by qualified medical practitioners or registered chemists. Chemists shall only supply on the receipt of a medical certificate stating the maximum quantity to be supplied.

The penalties provided are a fine of not less than £25 or not exceeding £100 for the first offense, or in default imprisonment of not less than one month and not exceeding six months; upon a second conviction imprisonment with hard labor for not less than three months and not exceeding 12 months, without the option of a fine; and upon a third or subsequent conviction penal servitude for not less than one year and not exceeding five years. In addition all goods, plant and utensils connected with each offense shall be confiscated.

The bill is to apply to the whole of the United Kingdom and is backed among others by Robert Jones, David Grenfell, Captain Hay, John Williams and Thomas Henderson.

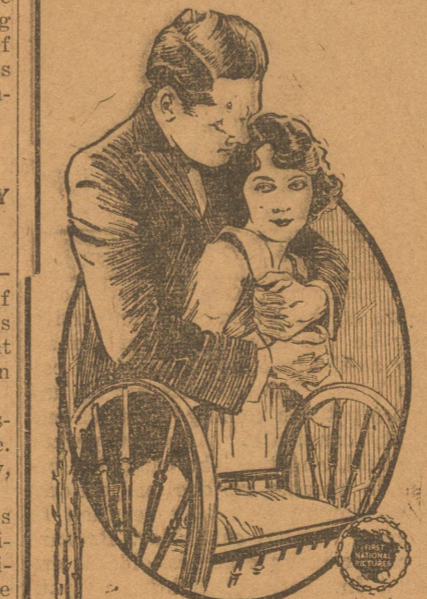
AMARILLO.—A regular hen's egg was found inside a shell larger than duck egg recently at Clayton, New Mexico. The egg, which has been off exhibition here, had two shells. The larger shell measured approximately 7 by 9 inches. Inside this shell was found the regular sized egg.

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MERCHANT BROODS OVER DEATH UNTIL IT APPEALS TO HIM

By Associated Press

HOUSTON, Texas, April 3.—Joe A. Jones, a leading merchant of Richmond, Fort Bend county, shot and killed himself there early this morning, according to information received by friends here. A coroner's verdict of self-inflicted death is reported.

Jones was a brother-in-law of T. A. Wessendorf, a Richmond banker who shot and killed himself 10 days ago. Jones, who was in the grocery business, was on his way to work and stopped at the cemetery where Wessendorf was buried. Friends said he had been brooding over the death of Wessendorf. He was unmarried.

TEN-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS MOTHER OF LIVING BOY

By United Press

SAN ANTONIO, April 3.—Mary Cavender, a 10-year-old girl, is lying on a cot in the San Antonio mission home, the mother of a seven and one-half-pound baby boy. The child was born March 2 and weighed four and one-half pounds at that time.

The police are holding a man, a member of a family in Hidalgo county, two took Mary into their home several years ago when her mother had died and her father had disappeared. He is being held on a statutory charge.

What sort of weather did the people expect from March, anyway?—Chicago News.

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MORE GASOLINE FROM CRUDE IS CHEMIST'S VIEW

Scientists Trying New Processes Which Promise Good Results.

By Associated Press.

EVANSTON, Ill., April 3.—It is not probable that some hitherto unknown substance will be discovered as a substitute for gasoline, according to the opinion of W. Lee Lewis, famed inventor and professor of chemistry at Northwestern university.

"The attention of scientific men and of the industries is being directed rather toward extracting more gasoline from crude petroleum and utilization of low grade sources such as the oil bearing shales and sandstones," said Professor Lewis. "Rapid progress is being made along the first line, that is, in the development of so-called 'cracking processes' which increase the yield of gasoline from crude petroleum. I think there is a great promise in the so-called aluminum chloride process. If one distills 10 gallons of kerosene with aluminum chloride he obtains some six or seven gallons of gasoline. The difficulty is at present to recover the aluminum chloride so it may be used over again. Chemists will solve that problem soon, however.

"Oil bearing shales are already being utilized for gasoline and if the price goes up will become an important industrial source.

"As for the prediction of dollar gasoline recently made in congress, don't scrap your automobile yet. When a congressman gets scientific he's like Polyphemus in love. When the price passes 40 or 50 cents per gallon,

alcohol, which can be made for 25 cents a gallon, can be used. The eighteenth amendment didn't cover automobiles.

"These are the lines of progress: Better yields from present petroleum sources, utilization of low grade sources such as shales, better carburetors and less wasteful engines, and, finally, if it comes to cases, a switching to known combustibles such as alcohol. I can't conceive of any miraculous solution outside of the above lines."

TEMPLE.—Temple will celebrate its 42nd anniversary on June 29 under elaborate plans being made by the local chamber of commerce. The plans include an extensive celebration and home-coming affair. This will be the first time during the past 27 years that an anniversary celebration has been held.

BRAZORIA.—Mrs. Lucy Campbell recently named postmistress of Brazoria, took up her duties on April 1.

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For Street Commissioner:	
Raymond Teal	1153
E. H. Mills	857
For Finance Commissioner:	
F. A. Brown	1148
J. M. White	869
For Sanitary Commissioner:	
Colonel Brashier	1156
T. B. Russell	857

Mayor-Elect of City of Ranger



Mayor R. H. Hodges Greater Ranger Candidate Who Carries Election.

R. H. Hodges, more familiarly known as "Bob" to his friends and acquaintances, was born in Falls county near Lott in 1885. He lived with his parents near Lott for six years. The Hodges family moved to Ranger in 1891.

His father, W. R. Hodges, occupied the only house on Main street which still stands at 400 West Main street. He says it is "still our homestead." His mother, Mrs. W. R. Hodges, and his sister, Mrs. L. L. Neal, occupy the home now, Dr. Hodges with his family leaving some time since to take up a new residence at 939 East Main street.

"Bob" Hodges was educated at A. & M. college at College Station and to fulfill his desire of being a veterinarian, he went to Kansas City, where he registered at the Kansas City Veterinary college and graduated in 1910. He practiced one year in Abilene and from there he went to Waco, where he continued his professional work for eight years.

It was while in Waco that he made the acquaintance of Miss Opie Brinstow, then of San Antonio. This acquaintance ripened into love, and they were married Christmas day, 1918.

At this time Ranger was in the throes of her greatest oil production history. The elder Hodges had held large land interests in the proven fields of the Ranger territory. The management of the Hodges estate required the services of a young and energetic man. Dr. Hodges was sent for and after his honeymoon he and his wife came to Ranger to make their home. He immediately plunged into the affairs of his father's estate and has since devoted the greater part of his time to its management. He gave up his veterinary practice entirely.

While in Waco Dr. Hodges was president of the "Working Boys"

INSTALLATION OF NEW OFFICERS ON APRIL 16

The Greater Ranger ticket carried the day in the municipal election today. An unusually large vote was cast, nearly 2,100 votes, larger even than the most sanguine had anticipated. When the 1,800-mark was passed the Citizens' Committee virtually threw up their hands. They could account for votes to a certain number; beyond that they felt the election had passed beyond their control.

It was a straight ticket victory. There was little ticket splitting. The voters were for the Greater Ranger ticket or for the Citizens' Committee ticket. The final returns show all winning candidates close together.

Dr. C. O. Terrell led the ticket with Dr. Hodges a close second. The leader on the Citizens' Committee ticket was J. M. White for finance commissioner, with Russell and Roush tying for second honors.

The total vote cast was 2082.

INSTALLATION PROGRAM

Ranger's new mayor and the chosen four commissioners will be installed in all probability Monday, April 16. The vote must be tabulated officially by the city commission, and the next meeting, which also will be the last meeting of this body, will be on Tuesday, April 10.

The charter provides that the new officials are to be installed the first Monday following the meeting of the commission to certify the results as tabulated by the judges and clerks of the election.

The city secretary is empowered to swear the new officials in. The ceremony, according to the charter, must take place at 10 o'clock in the morning.

The oath of office was taken by the present mayor, John M. Gholson, and four commissioners, at the city offices on April 18, two years ago, when M. H. Hagaman, Ranger's first mayor under the commission form of government, retired from office. George Hemmingson, city secretary, who will swear in the new officials, April 16, also participated in a similar capacity in 1921. About 25 persons saw the ceremony.

Mr. Hagaman reviewed his administration briefly and wished his successor Mr. Gholson good luck. The incoming mayor and four commissioners spoke briefly of their intentions of how they would serve their office.

"club," a social and recreative organization for the newsboys and street waifs of Waco. Between 300 and 400 boys learned to know "Mr. Hodges."

He served for five years as a volunteer fireman of Baylor Engine House No. 4 at Waco before and during the World war. The city of Waco secured for Dr. Hodges and other volunteers, an exemption from active war service. He joined in 1913 and continued with the company until he left in 1918.

The Hodges have three children: Bob Jr., 3; Richard, 2; Ross, 1.

CITIZENS COMMITTEE CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR POLLS LARGE VOTE



MAJOR H. S. COLE

Born in New York City, H. S. Cole left the metropolis at the age of 14 years with his parents to make his home in Atlanta, Ga. He made his home there 27 years, or until he entered the first officers' training camp at Fort McPherson. Previous to entering the army he was president of the Cole Book and Art corporation of Atlanta.

He married Miss Katrina Brantley of Atlanta. The Coles have four children: Howard, Jr., 23; Barton, 22; Dormayne, 20; Brantley, 12. All are living in Ranger.

Mr. Cole entered the training camp in the spring of 1917. He graduated as a captain and was assigned to the 82nd division and afterwards promoted to be a major with the 328th Infantry. He went overseas in August, 1918. He entered the Army Staff college at Langres, France and later was given an assignment to staff duty with the Ninth corps.

Major Cole arrived in Philadelphia

ELECTION DAY TENSE FROM EARLY TO LATE, BUT PASSES WITHOUT ANY UNTOWARD EVENT

It was Ranger's day of excitement. From early in the morning when the line of voters began to form around 8 o'clock until 7 o'clock in the evening, when citizens began to gather around the Marston building in increasing numbers, men were keyed up to the point of enthusiasm.

"What is the ballot number now," the election workers and interested persons would ask of the voters as they left the polls after casting their vote.

As the day wore on and the number of ballots began to approach the 2,000 mark, men who had been making predictions on the total number of votes that would be cast, expressed genuine surprise that more than 1,800 or 1,900 votes would be dropped into the ballot boxes.

The conservative prediction was anywhere between 1,800 and 1,900. A few went as high as 2,000 in making guesses, but they were rare. A canvass of the street in the 300 block of Main street was made early in the

afternoon for predictions. This was at a time when 1,500 votes were known to have been registered. Few if any would venture to put the total at more than 1,900.

The voting lines began to thin after 1 o'clock. Nearly 1,200 votes had been cast at that time. In the middle of the afternoon in place of the long lane of voters, idlers and electioneers took up the sidewalk space.

Persons known to be qualified to vote were allowed to leave the line ahead of those whose qualifications had to be looked up and enter the polling place to vote his or her ticket. In the early morning hours, some voters who timed their wait in line said they had waited as long as one hour and 10 minutes, and still others one hour and one-half.

The certified lists of poll tax payers, which arrived here at 10 o'clock Monday night, were closely watched by supervisors all day Tuesday, that properly qualified voters would vote.

in June 1919, and immediately upon being mustered out came to Ranger to make his home. He entered the motion picture business and has since been engaged in it, having at one time been interested in the Lone Star, the Lamb and the Liberty theatres.

Major Cole has taken an active part in civic and fraternal affairs.

He was president of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce following the R. H. Hodges administration of six months in 1920. He was also president of the Rotary club in 1920. He is a past master of the Blue Lodge Masons, a Shriner and a Scottish Rite 32nd degree Mason.

RAYMOND TEAL



Candidate for Street Commissioner on Greater Ranger Ticket Who Is Re-elected Member of the Ranger Commission.

WICHITA FALLS, April 3.—The largest number of poll taxes ever paid in this city is reported by county Tax Collector Guy Raley. Persons paying poll taxes totalled 7,954, Raley reports.

Platform City Administration Must Stand On

Following are the principles or platform of the Greater Ranger party on which Mayor Hodges was elected:

- For impartial law enforcement.
- For Ranger's welfare.
- For Ranger progress.
- For Ranger peace.
- For Ranger harmony.
- For Ranger, a clean city.

POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION MEETING

DALLAS, April 3.—The fourth annual convention of the Southwestern Political Science association opened here Monday at the Southern Methodist University. The convention will continue Tuesday and Wednesday. Delegates from the principal colleges of Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Arkansas and New Mexico were expected to attend the convention.

SPORTS

THURBER WINS TWO GAMES BY GOOD TWIRLING

Defeats First Baptists of Fort Worth and Breckenridge Nine.

THURBER, April 3.—White's home run and the excellent twirling of King were largely responsible for Thurber's 10 to 2 win here Saturday over the First Baptist church team of Fort Worth.

Thurber defeated Breckenridge on the latter's grounds Monday 9 to 3, in a game featured by the heavy hitting of the visitors, who gathered 12 hits, four of which were home runs.

King, Adkins, White and Knight for Thurber hit for the circuit, as well as Rogers for Breckenridge. Hudspeth, although wild, was extremely effective and Breckenridge secured only three hits off his delivery.

Table with columns: BAPTISTS, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Clarke, Bradford, Bertram, Williams, Roach, Hemphill, Willett, Shine, Turner.

Table with columns: THURBER, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Dalmasso, Currin, Adkins, White, Knight, Paulawsky, Hudspeth, Gibson, King, Halcomb.

Table with columns: R, H, A, E. Rows: Baptists, Thurber.

Summary: Sacrifice hits Shine and King; two base hits Williams and White; home runs White; stolen bases, Willett, Dalmasso and Currin; struck out by Thurber 3; by King 12; base on balls off Thurber 6; off King 1; wild pitches Turner 1, King 1; hits off pitcher, Turner 9, King 4. Passed balls, Willett 1; Left on bases, Baptists 6, Thurber 8; first on errors, Baptists 2; Thurber 3; Time of game, 1 hour 50 minutes. Umpires, Naugle and Box.

Table with columns: THURBER VS. BRECKENRIDGE, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Thurber, Dalmasso, Currin, Adkins, White, Knight, King, McKinnon, Gibson, Hudspeth.

Table with columns: BRECKENRIDGE, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Tabor, Williams, Robinson, Gober, Seiser, Belcher, Jewett, King, Barron, Smith, Freeman, Rogers.

Table with columns: R, H, A, E. Rows: Thurber, Breck.

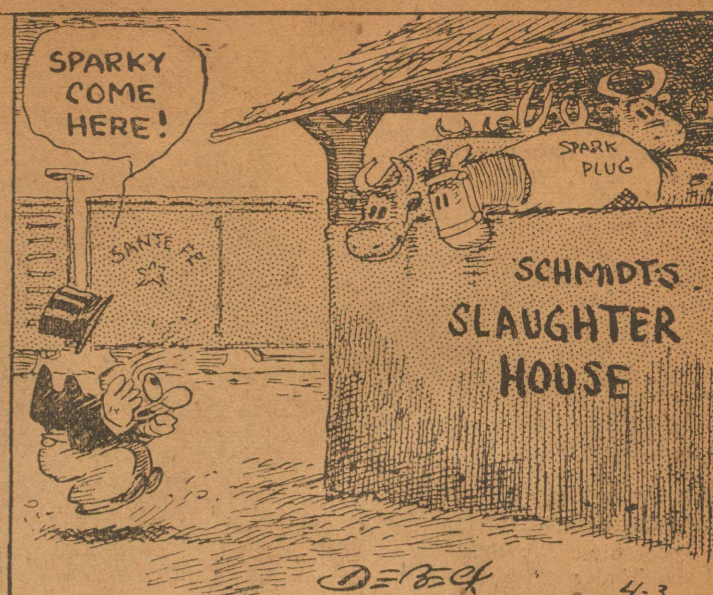
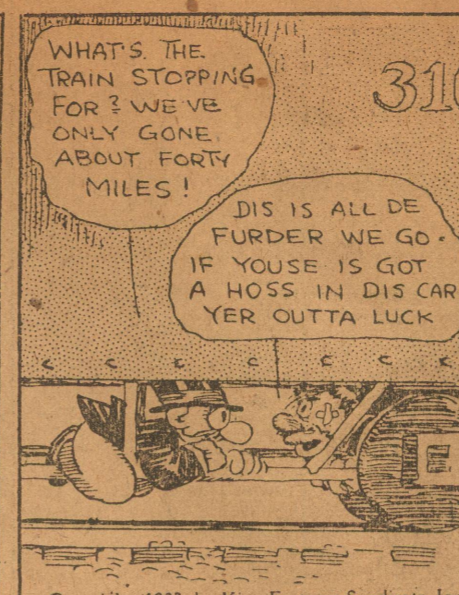
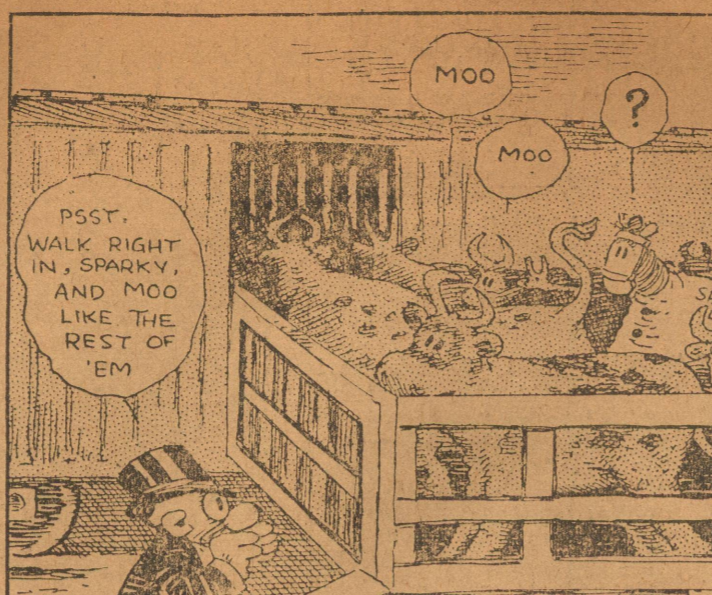
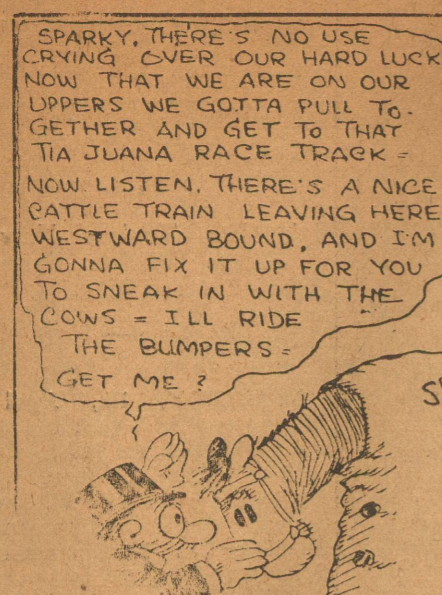
Summary: Sacrifice hits, Currin 2; Two base hits Dalmasso, Knight 2; Jewett; Three base hits Seiser; home runs King, Adkins, White, Rogers, Knight; stolen bases, King, Tabor; hits off pitcher, Hudspeth 3, Freeman 9, Rogers 3; struck out by Hudspeth 5, Freeman 6; bases on balls off Hudspeth 4, Freeman 1; wild pitches Hudspeth 1; left on bases, Thurber 6, Breckenridge 8; first on errors, Thurber 2, Breckenridge 6; time of game 2 hours and 20 minutes; umpires Robins and Naugle.

HOUSTON.—A campaign among Jews in Texas for \$50,000 to provide funds to send 200 pioneers to Palestine to assist in restoring the Holy Land has been instituted, according to L. A. Freed, of Houston, state chairman. About \$250 each is required to move and establish these pioneers in Palestine. Mr. Freed said.

DALLAS.—Dr. C. C. Selicman, formerly pastor of the First Methodist church of Dallas, today assumed his duties as president of Southern Methodist university, to which place he was elected recently by the board of regents. Dr. Selicman succeeded Dr. H. A. Boaz, who resigned last June on being elevated to the bishopric.

BARNEY GOOGLE—There's No "Mistake" About Where Sparky's Headed

—By Billy De Beck



HOW IMPORTANT IN PRODUCING A TEAM IS COACH?

Supreme Test for Percy Haughton Who Goes to Columbia University.

By HENRY L. FARRELL, United Press Sports Editor. NEW YORK, April 3.—There never may be an accurate and final way of deciding whether a coach makes the players and the team or the players make the coach. There are many examples and a number of opinions to support each side of the argument.

What results Percy Haughton accomplishes in producing a football team at Columbia ought to go a long way in shedding some light on it. Haughton is, by reputation at least, the foremost football coach and authority in the country and he is taking over football at an institution where, as far as material and spirit are concerned, football hardly exists. Out of an enrollment of 8,100, Columbia has little more than 1,500 to pick from, when the ineligible in the post-graduate courses, the students in the women's departments and the athletes who have served their three years at other institutions are eliminated.

Being in such a large city, Columbia has no chance to develop the college spirit that exists at an isolated university like Princeton, Cornell or Dartmouth, where nothing exists but the universities and their dependencies.

Haughton has nothing to start with, and the prospects of very little to finish with. If he puts Columbia on the football map like he elevated Harvard several years ago, it will be substantial proof that the coach has a major role to play in the development of football teams, if he isn't the whole show.

NEW CAPTAIN NAMED FOR LEVIATHAN



When the reconitioned Leviathan (formerly the Vaterland) takes the sea in June she will be commanded by Captain Herbert Hartley now master of the liner Mongolia. Captain Hartley gained fame in 1917 when he took the liner St. Louis, armed, through the submarine zone, in defiance of the German orders for American liners to keep away from European waters.

BAYLOR GIRLS TO DEBATE WITH LOUISIANA COLLEGE

BELTON, April 3.—What is said will be the first interstate debate ever entered by a Texas woman's college, will take place here April 16 when a team representing Baylor college will meet a team of young women from Louisiana college of Pineville, La. The debate between Baylor college and Louisiana college is one of the new features of the debating program worked out for the present year by the faculty officials of the Belton school. Keen interest is being taken here by the young women students in the study of debating.

SHOWING AT THE LAMB TODAY



BARBARA LA MARR, JOHN SAINPOLIS AND MARTHA MATTOX IN "THE HERO," A PREFERRED PICTURE.

RANGER TO SEND TRACK TEAM TO DISTRICT MEET

High School Has Good Athletes to Compete in Various Events.

By J. E. T. GHOLSTON.

Preparations are being made to send a winning team to the district track meet which will be held at Comanche the thirteenth and fourteenth of this month. Below is a list of the different events and the Ranger boys who will participate in them: 100-yard dash, Dooley Cohen, Bob Heasley. 220-yard dash, Cecil Alworth, Dooley Cohen. 440-yard dash, Troy Grubbs, Lafayette Dupree. 880-yard run, Kenneth Campbell. Mile run, Troy Grubbs and Campbell. Mile relay, Grubbs, Alworth, Heasley and Cohen. Shot put, Charles White. Discus throw, Charles White. High and broad jump, Grubbs and Heasley. 220-yard low hurdles, White. About \$70 is needed for transportation and accommodations while at Comanche. Two cars are asked for by Coach Keahey to carry the boys to Comanche. If the cars are furnished the expenses will not be so great. The program at Comanche is: Friday, April 13, 2 p. m.—Registration of contestants; preliminaries in debate; preliminaries in track, Class A and Class B; preliminaries in tennis. Saturday, April 14, 9:30 a. m.—Rural school seniors declamations; field events, Class A and Class B; music memory contest; finals in tennis. Saturday, April 14, 1 p. m.—Finals in track class A and Class B; medals will be awarded to winners of first, second and third places.

CHANCE FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT TO EARN COLLEGE COURSE

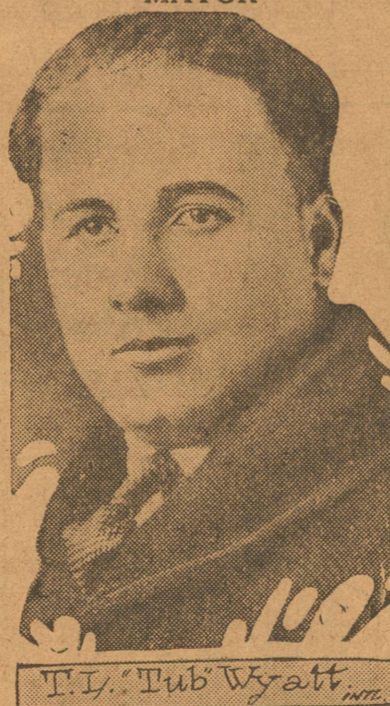
A fine opportunity is offered to the high school students of this country by H. S. Firestone. Mr. Firestone offers a four-year course at any college or university in the United States with tuition, room and board, special fees, and incidental expenses defrayed by his company to the student who writes the best essay on the subject "The Influence of Highway Transportation Upon the Religious Life of My Community."

This offer is the equivalent of approximately \$4,000 or \$1,000 annually. Other prizes in the form of medals, sums of money, and loving cups are also offered by different states. These contests are held each year and are open only to high school students. The rules and regulations are given in a bulletin posted on the bulletin board at the high school.

AT THE HOTELS

GHOLSON. F. G. Blake, Houston; B. A. Ward, Dallas; E. B. Ward, Dallas; W. H. Melton, Brownwood; I. Stewart, Brownwood; A. R. McLennan, Breckenridge; H. N. Conley and wife, Abilene; W. C. Hart, Weatherford; J. H. Monk, Dallas; T. T. Hamblen, Fort Worth; V. T. Parrott, Fort Worth; J. E. Hodges, Cisco; S. M. Evans, Hillsboro; J. E. Riddle, Cisco; Keller Fouts, J. J. Eddman, Dallas; N. L. King, Dallas; W. E. Spencer, Dallas; B. F. Ellis, New York city; G. A. Bode, Chicago; L. M. Melton, Chicago; C. D. Hendricks, St. Louis; N. S. Longabough, Fort Worth; J. W. Chadwick, Kansas City; R. L. Griffith, Breckenridge; Y. C. McDaniel, Abilene; O. B. Smart, Kansas City; W. N. Baker, Abilene; D. D. Harley, Tulsa; L. B. Willis, Fort Worth; J. B. Canfeld, Wichita Falls; J. B. Black, Tulsa; S. Eddington, Tulsa; C. W. King, Tulsa; A. S. Rips, Tulsa; J. M. Ellis, Tulsa; E. B. Sayles, Fort Worth; H. Mosko and wife, Cleveland, Ohio; C. M. McDonald, Breckenridge; R. A. Traver, Frankl; L. F. Hampton, Cisco.

COLLEGE BOYS' PRANK MAY ELECT HIM MAYOR



T. Lambert ("Tub") Wyatt, sophomore at the Kansas City university, may be the next mayor of Kansas City as the result of a prank of college boys. The students got up and filed a petition naming Wyatt as mayoralty candidate. A street parade was held, and the joke campaign began when many voters took occasion to approve Wyatt's candidacy. Because there are many other candidates engaged in factional fighting, Wyatt may secure the nomination. He is 24 years old and captain of the football team.

HOUSTON.—Houston has gained 1200 telephones during the last six months, a new telephone directory to be issued next month will show. The directory will show a listing of 36,157 telephones as compared with 34,957, in the old directory, according to officials. Houston ranks fourth among southern cities in the number of telephones in use, it is stated.

MOVIES

LIBERTY—Miriam Cooper in "Kindred of the Dust." LAMB—"Hero," also Educational comedy and Fox News.

OLDEST LIVING ELK HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

By United Press

GRND JUNCTION, Colo., April 3.—A. B. ("Uncle Billy") Hildreth, oldest living member of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks in the world and perhaps the oldest living war veteran, celebrated his 100th birthday here today.

"Uncle Billy" was given a birthday celebration by the local Elks lodge and the local G. A. R. post which was attended by hundreds of his friends and relatives. "Uncle Billy" doesn't advocate the use of tobacco as an aid to longevity, but he has chewed for 60 years and has smoked from a dozen to 20 cigars a day until recently, when he cut the number in half.

The aged veteran, who rode from Denver to Santa Fe on a pony in 1859 through country, thickly settled by hostile Indians, went through many of the fiercest battles of the Civil and Indian wars and suffered only one wound, a slight bayonet cut on the wrist. He was two miles from the scene of the Custer massacre when it took place and with General Howard helped stem the tide of Yellow-pinkas Indians down through Yellowstone park.

"Uncle Billy" is hale and hearty for his age, but makes no predictions as to how many more birthdays he'll celebrate.

TEXAS DELEGATES TO AMERICAN LIBRARY MEETING

By Associated Press

AUSTIN, April 3.—Eighteen representatives from Texas to the forty-fifth annual conference of the American Library association have been named by Governor Neff. In addition to these, a number of other librarians who are members will go to the convention, according to Miss Elizabeth West, state librarian.

Texas also will have a number of representatives on the program. The official delegates are: T. H. Franklin, San Antonio; Mrs. John Davenport, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Wendell Spence, J. S. Aldehoff and Alex Sanger, Dallas; Miss Georgia McMeans, Palestine; Mrs. Olga Kohlberg and Major R. F. Burgess, El Paso; Dr. Clinton Lockhart, Fort Worth; George W. Dayton, Gainesville; J. W. Terry, Galveston; Miss Katie Daffan, Houston; J. C. Pyle, Sherman; Mrs. O. F. Walton, Terrell; Mrs. H. H. Pennington, Stamford; F. R. Newman, Greenville; Mrs. B. B. McClanahan, Arlington; Mrs. F. E. Goodman, Waco.

LUFKIN.—The Lufkin Chair and Handle factory, which burned to the ground recently, will be rebuilt and its capital stock doubled, announced K. Morgan, president of the corporation. The factory will be built back on the same site and machinery installed. One hundred and forty-five dozen chairs were destroyed in the fire it was stated.

OLDEN

OLDEN, Texas, April 3.—The young people enjoyed a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Horner Saturday night. A large crowd enjoyed the games and being together. Among those present were: Misses Berdie Mitchell, Ione and Gerlie Mae Lamb, Stella and Mary Weatherall, Flora and Lola Brauscum, Azalee and Bessie Bockman, Elizabeth Bruce, Faye Leclair, Katy Pledger, Trauin Bullard, Merle Howell and Velma Snider. Messrs. George Walters, Robert Atkins, Glen Hartman, Hubert Russell, Roy Horner, Horine Mitchell, Rube Shaw, Dawson Mitchell, Marion Kelley, Oliver Moon, Thompson Pickens, Dassel Slay and Irwin Peel.

PERSONALS. A large crowd attended the Easter program at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

G. C. Cooper is spending a few days with his mother in Gorman.

Mrs. J. C. Mitchell and little son of Cisco are spending a few days with her parents in Olden.

Mrs. M. V. Simmon and children of Gorman have been in Olden the past weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cayce.

Rev. Mr. Sherrill filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday.

B. F. Cayce, who has been sick for the past two months, is able to be back at his work in the postoffice.

EL PASO.—Ten city schools have been organized in a league for a series of indoor basketball games for girls. The girls' team which is declared champion will be presented with a wooden shield by Miss Mabel Keeney, supervisor of physical education in the city schools.

AMARILLO'S MUNICIPAL BUILDING IS DEDICATED

By Associated Press

AMARILLO, Texas, April 3.—The new municipal building and auditorium, dedicated here today to the local post of the American Legion and to former service men, was proclaimed as the most useful memorial that Amarillo could dedicate to world war veterans by Mrs. S. E. Hudson, of Austin, state president of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Scheduled on the program in addition to Mrs. Hudson was General John J. Pershing, commander of the American forces in France; Alvin Owsley, of Texas, national commander of the American Legion, and John C. Townes, state legion commander. A pageant, "The Doughboy," was another feature of the dedication ceremonies.

AMARILLO.—The annual Pan-handle Press association's meeting will be held here April 20-21, it is announced. An elaborate program, including a visit to the West Texas State Normal at Canyon and a trip through the Amarillo oil fields has been arranged, it was said.

BELTON.—The annual carnival of the Belton high school will be staged April 13. Representatives from the majority of the schools of Bell county are expected to take part in the affair. Contests for the carnival have just been arranged.

HATCHING EGGS—Now is the time to arrange for starting with Pure Bred S. C. White Leghorns. We can furnish a limited number of choice Hatching Eggs. OAK RIDGE POULTRY FARM Dan Dudley, Jr., Manager Echols Cafe now serving our eggs

Times Want Ads

- 1—LODGES. Shrine, attention! Special meeting of all members of Ancient Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine, Elks club rooms, Wednesday evening, April 4, 8 p. m. for the purpose of reorganizing the Ranger Shrine club. 1—LOST AND FOUND. LOST—On Main street, string of La Tosca pearls; the finder please return them to Mrs. E. W. Millsap, Cad-do, Texas, and receive reward. LOST—Fox terrier dog, white and tan plain leather collar. Answers "Booster"; \$10 reward. W. E. Tyler, Rising Star. LOST—Saturday, between Ranger and Breckenridge, by Frankell road, one carrier, demountable rim with Star tire, 30x3 1/2, with license number 169-196 and tail light. Reward. Call 404, Ranger. \$25.00 REWARD—For information that will lead to arrest and conviction of party stealing 30x3 1/2 Kenyon Duro Cord Tire No. 205087, stolen from Ford tool car in front of Southland hotel Sunday night, March 25. Hub City Garage. MEBANE and Rowden planting seed, \$1.85 per bushel, at Ballard & Co., 423 Melvin st. 3—FEMALE HELP. WANTED—Lady to do general housework for family of two. See Mrs. Lacy, Ranger State Bank. 7—SPECIAL NOTICES. MEBANE and Rowden planting seed, \$1.85 per bushel, at Ballard & Co., 423 Melvin st. 8—ROOMS FOR RENT. FOR RENT—3-room furnished house. Inquire Bordeau Bros. Planning Mill. 9—HOUSES FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Bungalow; all conveniences. Black, Sivals & Bryson, 904 Blackwell road, phone 65. LET US rent your property. We have callers every day for 4 and 5-room houses. C. E. Maddocks & Co. FURNISHED house, garage and garden; \$15 per month. Apply 623 N. Marston. 18—WANTED—Miscellaneous. WANTED—To buy old newspapers and glazed magazines in bundles. Ranger Iron & Metal Co., Hunt and Railroad ave., phone 380. WANTED—Second-hand furniture, small or large lots, highest cash price. Box 1163. WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Ruski st. Phone 154.

Society

AND ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor
Telephone 224.

WEDNESDAY EVENTS.
Wednesday Bridge club meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. H. Burden.

Royal Neighbors Needle club meets with Mrs. Jack Blackwell, Cooper addition.

Ad Libitum club meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. H. A. Logsdon.

Presbyterian Brotherhood dinner at 7 o'clock, Chamber of Commerce building.

"Pop" Endicott's music theory class 7 o'clock at DeGross building.

PRESBYTERIAN DINNER SERVED BY BROTHERHOOD.
Members of the Presbyterian brotherhood and friends of the church will meet Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock in the old Chamber of Commerce building where the brotherhood will entertain at dinner. A reorganization of the association will take place and new officers will be elected. There will be no collection taken at this meeting and all former members or new members of the brotherhood are urged to be present.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS DANCE AT TEE PEE CLUB
Fully one hundred couples attended the Yama-Yama dance at the Tee Pee club house Monday night at which Messrs. and Mmes. G. B. Watson, J. H. Benton, J. H. Moyer, J. W. Ward and R. J. Fleckenstein were hosts and hostesses. Elaborate decorations or orange and black fringed crepe paper were used in profusion, Japanese lanterns covered the lights and a large balloon hung in the center of the dance hall was opened to release many smaller balloons which floated through the room.

The music by a local orchestra was inspiring to the dancers and many bright and original as well as comic costumes were seen. Many unmasked before midnight as the weather was so warm that masks were uncomfortable. Refreshments were served at midnight, and the dancing resumed immediately afterward and kept up until the wee small hours of the morning. Favours of feathers, and long paper streamers were distributed to everyone and the general aspect of a carnival and merry making was in evidence throughout the dance.

ST. MARY'S GUILD TO MEET EACH WEEK
St. Mary's Guild of the Episcopal church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Burden. It was decided to meet each Monday at the church for sewing and business meeting with the exception of the first Monday in each month when a social meeting will be held at the home of some member, with several members as hostesses. "So much progress has been made recently in church improvement that the members are encouraged to do more and hope soon to have regular services established. Luncheon will be served at the Elks club Friday of this week. Cordial appreciation was expressed for all assistance given by members and friends for recent improvement and the Easter services.

Those at the Monday meeting were Mmes. George Taggart, Earl Taylor, L. R. Speed, Gifford Clegg, E. E. Crawford, S. A. White, J. B. Haden, H. A. Logsdon, C. G. Norton, Karl Jones, W. H. Burden, R. H. Kendrick, D. T. Crawford, and Miss Dorothy Taggart.

COOPER SCHOOL T. P. A. MEETS THURSDAY
A meeting of the Cooper School Parent-Teacher association will be held Thursday afternoon at the school. There will be a business meeting and election of officers and a large attendance is desired.

CHEERFUL WORKERS TO HAVE BAKE SALE
The Cheerful workers of the Christian church will have a bake sale on Saturday at the Phillips drug store.

PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR NEXT TIFFIN LUNCH
Group No. 1 Tiffin school is asked to furnish for next Thursday's lunch sale. The names of this group are: Mmes. W. W. Hearne, F. B. Sanders, A. W. Lester, B. J. Lyons, C. S. Bennett, C. Miller, Manning and Hunter.

Mrs. Cleveland, who is in charge of the lunch sales during the absence of Mrs. Hearne, wishes it understood that if any prefer they may send 25 cents instead of furnishing sandwiches or candy every three weeks. The money donated will be used to buy fresh meats and breads for hot sandwiches.

YOUNG MATRONS MEET SATURDAY AFTERNOON.
On account of the bridge tournament to be held Friday afternoon at the Gholson hotel for the Child Welfare club, the Young Matrons' Bridge club will not meet until Saturday afternoon when they will be entertained by Mrs. Garvin Chastain.

DENTON.—Damages to the grain crops in this section probably will not be as serious as was first anticipated following the recent severe freeze, according to P. B. Dumble, superintendent of the state experiment farm here. Reports from a majority of the farmers say that not more than 10 per cent of the grain was killed. The fact that grain had a good start and was well rooted, and the dry condition of the soil, probably saved it, Dumble said. Fruit and sweet clover were damaged and the loss will be 50 per cent or more, it is said.

HERE'S WOMAN WHO ACCUSES WILLIAM S. HART



Miss Elizabeth MacCauley, of Brookline, Mass., is the woman who now charges that William S. (Bill) Hart, two-gunned of the movies, is the father of her child. Miss MacCauley is the daughter of a banker, who was formerly a prominent lawyer. Her sister, Martha, was formerly Dean of the Women of St. Louis University. Her brother, Major Samuel W. MacCauley, is a prominent Chicago engineer. Miss MacCauley is a woman of culture and is a teacher in a fashionable school. Hart denies her charges in their entirety.

CAPTAIN'S MESS BOY SPENDS MILLION MARKS FOR ONE DAY OF PLEASURE—SUCH A GOOD TIME!

By D. M. TRACY,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Most every boy and girl in America at some time has sat down out behind the barn or in the tradesmen's entrance to the apartment house or somewhere and said:

"Wish I had a million dollars—I'd go to the show and buy candy and—"

Well, everyone knows how it goes. And over in Germany boys and girls aren't much different down deep in their hearts, than they are in America, perhaps.

With this exception—
Reinhardt Schmidt, aged 14, of Hamburg, Germany, captain's mess boy on the German steamer Hans Hensoth, has had his wish come true. When he was back in Germany he did his wishing—only, of course, he wished for marks instead of dollars.

Then he came to San Francisco, and out stepped a fairy or something and all of a sudden Reinhardt found himself in the midst of riches. A newspaper reporter found Reinhardt interesting. He told his editor. And as a result a girl reporter was assigned to give Reinhardt one memorable day.

The lad was running around the decks of the big freighter which had his home for months, when the mate stopped him and told him that for the day he was to have shore leave and be the guest of the fairy-lady, who awaited at the gang-plank. Bewildered but anxious for just one taste of real fun, he eagerly accepted. And the day started. Reinhardt was to do as he pleased. And the lady would foot the bill.

It started with candy at the ferry building. Then a ride through the city in a luxurious sedan—the likes of which Reinhardt had never seen.

Then to a store for a pair of good, American shoes to replace the wooden ones he wore. Then lunch at the city's most fashionable hotel—the first fruit he had tasted for eight months was served him in a fruit cocktail; ox-tail soup, chicken pie, apple pie with ice cream, and quantities of milk.

Drank Bottles of Milk.
"I drink no alcohol," he announced in German. "But milk, at home it is so expensive." He revelled in bottles of it.

Then a trip to the top of the tallest building in the city and, next, out to the beach to the roller-coaster, the merry-go-round and all the other wonders.

turned to his shipmates aboard the steamer.

"Ach, very fine," he exclaimed for the hundredth time as he sat on a coil of rope and sailors gathered around him to hear the story of how the fairy fulfilled his dreams.

Out came a pencil and a piece of paper. For a moment he figured, while the lady looked on.

In marks, his figures showed he had spent that day 1,008,000.

MOHLER INDICTED FOR MURDER OF RANCHMAN

By Associated Press.

CANADIAN, Texas, April 3.—An indictment charging William Mohler with murder in connection with the killing of Noah Samples, aged cattleman, was returned by a special grand jury, impaneled by District Judge Ewing to investigate the killing. April 16 was set as the probable date for the trial. Judge Ewing announced that a special venire of 100 men is now being drawn for the jury. Mohler has not yet employed counsel.

WORLD WAR BRINGS BACK MINERAL JET

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The mineral jet industry, almost extinct since the advent of the black onyx, has been awakened to some extent by the great demand for mourning jewelry since the close of the war, it was shown by a statement issued by the bureau of mines.

A large portion of the jet used throughout the world has been obtained, in the past, from England, France, Spain and Germany. Discovery of jet deposits in Wayne county, Colorado, are likely to bring American to the fore, however, if some other use for the mineral is found, the bureau statement continued.

VETERAN OF 80 FORCED BY COURT TO PAY ALIMONY

By United Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 3.—"Uncle" Dow Davis, 80, member of General Lee's staff, and four times married, has taken the spotlight after many years of tranquility on his farm near here.

"Uncle" Dow faced jail for refusing to pay alimony to his fourth wife. Mrs. Davis left her husband recently, alleging "barbarous" treatment.

This Davis sternly denied. Davis was ordered to pay temporary alimony pending outcome of the divorce suit now before the courts. He refused saying he would go to jail first. He was not sent to jail, but his 40-acre farm and homeplace was sold by the court and the money used for alimony.

MAKE BRITISH ISLES DRY SAYS BILL IN HOUSE

Member of Parliament Proposes Prohibition for the United Kingdom.

LONDON, April 3.—Introduced into the house of commons by Edwin Scymgeour, the only member elected on a prohibition platform, there has been issued the text of a bill to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of alcoholic liquors for beverage purposes.

The bill starts with the preamble: "Whereas the inherent evils arising from the production, importation and sale of alcoholic liquors as beverages are intolerable:

"And whereas the traffic in those liquors is opposed to the best interests of the nation:

"And whereas all legislative and other efforts satisfactorily to regulate this traffic have failed:" and then proposes that it shall be enacted.

"1. From and after the fifth day of April immediately succeeding the passing of this act it shall not be lawful to grant any new license for the manufacture or sale of alcoholic or other excisable liquors for beverage purposes; all then existing licenses shall absolutely cease and determine on the said fifth day of April, and it shall not be lawful to renew any of the said licenses (either wholly or in part) on any condition whatsoever.

"2. From and after the said fifth day of April it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to manufacture, import, or sell or be concerned in the manufacture, importation, or sale of alcoholic liquors with the exception provided for in clause three hereof."

The third clause provides that the manufacturing liquor solely for scientific or industrial purposes is not to be interfered with, but alcohol for medicinal purposes shall be supplied only in bottles labeled "Poison" by qualified medical practitioners or registered chemists. Chemists shall only supply on the receipt of a medical certificate stating the maximum quantity to be supplied.

The penalties provided are a fine of not less than £25 or not exceeding £100 for the first offense, or in default imprisonment of not less than one month and not exceeding six months; upon a second conviction imprisonment with hard labor for not less than three months and not exceeding 12 months, without the option of a fine; and upon a third or subsequent conviction penal servitude for not less than one year and not exceeding five years. In addition all goods, plant and utensils connected with each offense shall be confiscated.

The bill is to apply to the whole of the United Kingdom and is backed among others by Robert Jones, David Grenfell, Captain Hay, John Williams and Thomas Henderson.

AMARILLO.—A regular hen's egg was found inside a shell larger than duck egg recently at Clayton, New Mexico. The egg, which has been on exhibition here, had two shells. The larger shell measured approximately 7 by 9 inches. Inside this shell was found the regular sized egg.

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MERCHANT BROODS OVER DEATH UNTIL IT APPEALS TO HIM

By Associated Press.

HOUSTON, Texas, April 3.—Joe A. Jones, a leading merchant of Richmond, Fort Bend county, shot and killed himself ten days ago, according to information received by friends here. A coroner's verdict of self-inflicted death is reported.

Jones was a brother-in-law of T. A. Wessendorf, a Richmond banker who shot and killed himself 10 days ago. Jones, who was in the grocery business, was on his way to work and stopped at the cemetery where Wessendorf was buried. Friends said he had been brooding over the death of Wessendorf. He was unmarried.

TEN-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS MOTHER OF LIVING BOY

By United Press.

SAN ANTONIO, April 3.—Mary Cavender, a 10-year-old girl, is lying on a cot in the San Antonio mission home, the mother of a seven and one-half-pound baby boy. The child was born March 2 and weighed four and one-half pounds at that time.

The police are holding a man, a member of a family in Hidalgo county, two took Mary into their home several years ago when her mother had died and her father had disappeared. He is being held on a statutory charge.

What sort of weather did the people expect from March, anyway?—Chicago News.

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MORE GASOLINE FROM CRUDE IS CHEMIST'S VIEW

Scientists Trying New Processes Which Promise Good Results.

By Associated Press.

EVANSTON, Ill., April 3.—It is not probable that some hitherto unknown substance will be discovered as a substitute for gasoline, according to the opinion of W. Lee Lewis, famed inventor and professor of chemistry at Northwestern university.

"The attention of scientific men and of the industries is being directed rather toward extracting more gasoline from crude petroleum and utilization of low grade sources such as the oil bearing shales and sandstones," said Professor Lewis. "Rapid progress is being made along the first line, that is, in the development of co-called 'cracking processes' which increase the yield of gasoline from crude petroleum. I think there is a great promise in the so-called aluminum chloride process. If one distills 10 gallons of kerosene with aluminum chloride he obtains some six or seven gallons of gasoline. The difficulty is at present to recover the aluminum chloride so it may be used over again. Chemists will solve that problem soon, however.

"Oil bearing shales are already being utilized for gasoline and if the price goes up will become an important industrial source.

"As for the prediction of dollar gasoline recently made in congress, don't scrap your automobile yet. When a congressman gets scientific he's like Polyhemus in love. When the price passes 40 or 50 cents per gallon,

alcohol, which can be made for 25 cents a gallon, can be used. The eighteenth amendment didn't cover automobiles.

"These are the lines of progress: Better yields from present petroleum sources, utilization of low grade sources such as shales, better carburetors and less wasteful engines, and, finally, if it comes to cases, a switching to known combustibles such as alcohol. I can't conceive of any miraculous solution outside of the above lines."

TEMPLE.—Temple will celebrate its 42nd anniversary on June 29 under elaborate plans being made by the local chamber of commerce. The plans include an extensive celebration and home-coming affair. This will be the first time during the past 27 years that an anniversary celebration has been held.

BRAZORIA.—Mrs. Lucy Campbell recently named postmistress of Brazoria, took up her duties on April 1.

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