

AMERICANS TO BE SACRIFICED TO CHINESE

EXTRA VOTE OFFER IN DAILY TIMES CONTEST

Fifty to One Hundred Thousand Extra Votes for Good Work This Week.

Candidates who wish their names added to the list of those already working in the Ranger Daily Times contest should enter them now in order to take advantage of the big offer which the Times is making on Monday. Watch the paper to get that big extra vote. This will be the largest and most liberal offer that the Times will make during the entire campaign, and should be a big inducement to those who have hesitated to enter because they felt they would be too late to win in the race.

The offer to start on Monday will entitle anyone to 50,000 extra votes who brings in as much as \$30 in new or old subscriptions. If the candidate brings in \$60 worth of subscriptions, an additional 50,000 votes will be given. That is, for each and every \$30 worth of votes brought into the Times office before six o'clock on Saturday night, May 26, the contest manager will give 50,000 extra votes.

This offer is made over and above the regular schedule listed in the back of the subscription book which all candidates are given when they enlist. Candidates securing these new subscriptions do not have to hold them until Saturday. They can be brought in at any time and the count will be registered and award of extra votes made at the end of the week.

Such a liberal offer as this will doubtless encourage many who have wanted to enter but have hesitated to do so. It is wonderful how fast these votes count up, especially when friends remember to clip the daily coupon votes from their paper and give to the chosen candidates.

The campaign manager has been kept busy answering questions, supplying candidates with material and taking care of their lists. This is going to be one of the most exciting races ever put on in Ranger and announcement of candidates in this issue will cause a bigger scramble than ever for those two handsome prizes, the Ford coupe and the diamond ring.

This extra vote offer will prove a popular thing and will spur the candidates up to greater efforts and results. To become a candidate all that is necessary is to clip the nomination blank from the page advertisement concerning the campaign which will be found in this issue, fill in carefully with the information requested, and send or bring to the campaign manager at the Ranger Daily Times office, where all assistance will be given each and every candidate in getting a good start.

SOUTHERN BAPTISTS REPORT ON AID GIVEN TO AGED MINISTERS

By Associated Press

KANSAS CITY, May 19.—Although the relief and annuity board of the Southern Baptist convention is only five weeks old, the combined assets of the two departments of its work are now in excess of \$1,500,000, according to the annual report presented to the Southern Baptist convention here today by Dr. William Lunsford of Dallas, Texas, corresponding secretary. A part of this increase is due to the rapid advance in the value of certain oil securities given to the board by John D. Rockefeller Sr.

Over 900 aged ministers and their dependent ones have been aided by the board during the last year, the report shows. Secretary Lunsford recommended to the convention that plans be projected at once to provide for a fixed income of \$100,000 a year to be applied to relief work, in addition to the regular annual receipts from the various states of the convention. Other recommendations provide that as soon as the \$75,000,000 campaign has been completed in December, 1924, the convention shall give itself to the task of providing \$2,500,000 additional resources for the board, in accordance with the original purpose of providing the board with \$5,000,000. When this is done it will enable the board to use the interest from at least \$2,000,000 to be applied to relief each year.

In addition to this work, the board is fostering an annuity fund in which ministers can carry old-age insurance at a very low rate by reason of the denomination assuming the bulk of the cost of such insurance.

American Railway Express to Have Its Own Building Here

The American Railway Express company through its local agent, C. E. Shields, is asking for bids for its new building. The structure is to adjoin the station of the Texas & Pacific railway on the south, is to be 60 feet in length and the same width as the Texas & Pacific railway station and built of the same material and in the same manner with tile roof. It is to be like a companion to the Texas & Pacific station.

Mr. Shields has asked that all bids be in within 10 days. Within a short time thereafter the builder will be named and work will be started.

This Ranger continues right on growing.

SAUNDERS SAYS HE WILL FIGHT HIS OPPONENTS

Charges Financial Forces Are Seeking to Gain Control of Piggly Giggly.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 19.—Clarence Saunders, head of Piggly Wiggly, threw down the gauntlet tonight to the financial forces he charges are seeking to ruin him and gain control of his chain grocery system. Faced with court action by creditors who hold \$4,500,000 of Piggly Wiggly shares which he put up as collateral for money he borrowed to fight Wall Street recently, the Tennessee grocery magnate made a desperate effort to stave off financial disaster.

"The fight is on. I have fought with my back to the wall before," said Saunders in reply to the first attack by his creditors, with the filing of a suit to collect \$50,000 on a note given by Saunders in March to a bank in New Orleans. Declaring he will contest the legality of the note and challenge the financial crew which has sought to defame him, Saunders will fight having to give up control of Piggly Wiggly, July 1, if he fails in his plans.

"I shall liquidate my obligations according to my own methods," he said. "I am ready for any move my creditors may make to gain control of Piggly Wiggly stock. I do not intend to relinquish control or resign as president, but will continue to run Piggly Wiggly as I see fit."

Once Proud Navy Dispatch Boat Is Made Rum Runner

Special to the Times.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Once proudly floating the American flag during a world-wide cruise of the United States navy and with a brilliant World War service abroad, the former navy dispatch boat Yankton has been revealed as the rum runner Yankton until British registry.

As a result of her capture federal warrants were issued for eight men, alleged heads of a nation-wide rum ring, on charges of conspiring to violate the Volstead act and defraud the government of customs duties.

The warrants were issued for Jacob A. Kirch, of New York; Nathan Scherlin and Abraham Scherlin, of Chicago, alleged "master minds" of the syndicate; Charles W. Johnson, of Philadelphia, said to be a member of the brewing firm of Johnson & Co., of Uniontown, Pa.; Harry L. Marks, of New York; Edward Flanagan, of Washington and Chicago; Charles T. Cox, Brooklyn tugboat captain, and Alfred Ernest Corns, of Uniontown, Pa.

U. S. AND MEXICO JOIN HANDS AT EL PASO

EL PASO, May 19.—Mexico and the United States joined hands today in celebration of El Paso's fiftieth anniversary. Today was Mexico day. Thousands of visitors from all over West Texas, Arizona, New Mexico and Mexican cities were here.

A great parade, starting in Juarez, marched across the International bridge and was met and welcomed by Mayor Dudley. He and Consul General Enrique Ruiz met and exchanged felicitations and what each conceived the rapidly approaching of the southern republic.

ZEB CAPTURES FAMOUS DERBY IN GREAT RACE

Harry Sinclair's Colt Proves Fast; Martineale Second, Vigil Third.

By United Press

CHURCHILL DOWNS, LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 19.—Zeb, owned by Harry S. Sinclair, won the Kentucky derby here this afternoon from a field of 21 starters. Martineale was second and Vigil third. The time for the mile and quarter was 2 minutes and 52.5 seconds. Jockey E. Sande was up on the winner.

The 21 starters came out very near to the scheduled post time and paraded in front of the stand where 75,000 spectators had gathered. They were lined up at the post in five minutes and it took another five to get them off. Zeb started in the lead and continued in the lead to the end. At the half Zeb still led, followed by Martineale, with Vigil third. Zeb held the lead at the three-quarters with Martineale still on his heels. Martineale took the lead at the mile, with Zeb second. They went into the stretch with Martineale in the lead, but Zeb overtook him. Zeb paid \$40.40 to \$2 for a straight ticket.

Nassau, owned by Frederick Johnson, took fourth place.

Hugo Stinnes Is Not One to Make Display of Wealth

By Associated Press

BERLIN, May 19.—Hugo Stinnes and his family form a hard problem for the keepers of fashionable hotels at Weisbaden, Baden-Baden and other celebrated watering places in the Rhineland who have been accustomed to entertaining the Hohenzollerns and other royalties and also American millionaires who make reservations long in advance and send representatives ahead of them to prepare for their comfort. Stinnes and his family show up unexpectedly and unannounced. Their clothing is so unpretentious that the hotel subordinates, not knowing them, are likely to accord them scant courtesy. The members of the Stinnes family seldom travel in their own motor cars. Usually they arrive in town by train and take the first taxi-cab in sight to the hotel where they desire to stop.

Consequently Germany's most discussed citizen and his family are apt to make applications for rooms to a hotel clerk who has not the slightest idea as to who is dealing with and who has no opportunity to stage a reception in keeping with the importance of the visitors. There are never any servants or outriders to herald the arrival in town of Germany's commercial king. He doesn't desire any display. He only wants quiet and comfortable accommodations. The hotel men, however, find it hard to change their traditions and let the famous pass without special attention.

MITCHELL COUNTY FARMERS ASKED TO AID STRICKEN

ABILENE, May 19.—The death toll in Mitchell county as a result of the tornado that struck there early this week today was brought to 24 by the death of Henry Graham, 21, a farmer who resided four miles south of Westbrook.

Farmers in Mitchell county who were not affected by the storm are being asked to give two or three days to replanting the fields of those farmers whose crops were destroyed by the cyclone.

MANAGER OF LITTLE ROCK TEAM WANTED AT ATLANTA

ATLANTA, Ga., May 19.—Manager Elberfeld of the Little Rock team in the Southern league, today was sought for arrest on a warrant sworn out following an occurrence on May 10, when Little Rock was playing in Atlanta. Carrying concealed weapons is charged in the complaint.

BAPTISTS TO MEET NEXT YEAR IN ATLANTA, GA.

KANSAS CITY, May 19.—The Southern Baptist convention today selected Atlanta, Ga., as the place for the convention to meet next year. Plans were announced for the building of a \$2,000,000 hospital in New Orleans.

SAN ANTONIO WOMAN PASSES CENTURY MARK BY TWELVE YEARS

By Associated Press.

SAN ANTONIO, May 19.—Juanita Flores Casanova, 112 years of age, believed to be the oldest woman in Southwest Texas, died at the family home here Friday. For several months she was bed-ridden as a result of a fall in which her leg was broken and her head injured. The funeral took place today.

Mrs. Casanova came of a long-lived race, according to her relatives. Her father and mother lived to extreme old age and one sister lived to be 100 years old.

IMPROVEMENT OF RANGER STREETS WILL BE PUSHED

City Engineer Begins With Alleys, Urging Co-operative Work.

Good streets and alleys in every part of Ranger is an ambition of City Engineer H. R. Seward, and although he has been in Ranger only a few weeks he is already making headway.

In response to his suggestion, A. G. Jury and Joe Raborn got up a purse from property owners shutting on the alley between Main and Pine streets and extending between Austin and Rusk for the improvement of the alley. They paid for the gravel and for having it hauled to the alley; the city of Ranger paid for grading work and had the gravel spread and rolled.

In consequence, this alley in the business section of Ranger is a model that might well serve as an example for many streets. It is clean and level and in keeping with the attractive business houses that have rear entrances on it and in harmony with the Rotary park which it skirts on one side.

City Engineer Seward expects to get similar work done on other alleys and also on many of the streets. If the property owners will put down the necessary curbs and have the gravel hauled to the streets on which it is to be placed, the city will have the streets properly graded and the gravel spread and rolled. By a little co-operative work among the property owners Ranger will soon be provided with more good streets and better streets that will be found in any other city of West Texas.

On To San Angelo Will Be Slogan Early This Week

"On to San Angelo," will be the slogan of the Ranger contingent of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce leaving here Monday for San Angelo to attend the annual meeting of the organization. A majority of the Ranger party, however, will not go until Tuesday.

Most of the Ranger delegation has planned to drive through in automobiles. The roads to San Angelo are reported in fairly good condition for the greater part of the distance.

Miss Mabel Woods, "Lady Ranger," will leave for San Angelo, Monday, accompanied by her special party, to represent Ranger in the pageant and royal ball that are planned as two of the big features of the convention.

TAX ON AMUSEMENTS FINDS FAVOR WITH HOUSE COMMITTEE

AUSTIN, May 19.—The Baldwin bill proposing an occupation tax on moving picture and other amusement houses was reported by the house committee on revenue and taxation today. It proposes a graduated tax ranging from \$5 to \$15 annually, according to the size of the house.

Three other measures by Baldwin seeking to tax traveling shows and carnivals were considered but not acted upon, and were set for hearing next Tuesday as was the Coffee bill proposing a 5-cent tax on oil production. Another bill is proposed to levy a tax on soft drink dealers.

Neither the house or the senate was in session this afternoon and the house only a short time this morning.

BALDWIN OR CURZON MAY SUCCEED LAW

Premier Law's Condition Said To Make Resignation Soon Imperative.

By United Press

LONDON, May 19.—Stanley Baldwin or Lord Curzon may succeed to the premiership of the British empire. Baldwin is chancellor of the empire and held reins while Law went on his vacation. Curzon is considered the most logical selection.

While this turmoil over possible candidates is on, Premier Law with a throat affliction that prevents his speaking above a whisper is in seclusion. His friends say he cannot continue to hold the office and that his resignation must come soon, probably within a few days.

BONAR LAW'S CONDITION REGARDED VERY SERIOUS

By Associated Press

DONDON, May 19.—Great secrecy is being maintained regarding Prime Minister Bonar Law's condition which is giving friends great concern. The premier, who recently left on an announced voyage of one month for his health, looked tired and worn out when he reached London this afternoon from Paris and was compelled to rest because of his exhausted condition when he reached his apartments.

It was remarked that the premier was so fatigued when he alighted from his train that he failed to respond to the cheers of the crowd that had gathered to greet him.

Special Venire Ordered for Trial Of J. L. Starkey

Special to the Times.

EASTLAND, May 19.—The trial of L. J. Starkey on indictment charging him with killing "Pet" Brown has been set for Wednesday, June 27, and a special venire of 200 men has been ordered.

Starkey who, following a hearing before the justice of the peace immediately after the killing, was released on \$5,000 bond, was rearrested when the indictment was returned and his bond fixed at \$7,500. He gave a new bond with the following bondsmen: D. S. Rumph, J. J. Ray, E. A. Merritt, W. E. Bradshaw, W. T. Rutherford, J. J. Livingston, S. D. Bean and P. P. Barber.

Birkett, Orr & McCarty of Eastland have been retained to assist in the prosecution.

State Income Tax Bill Having Easy Passage in House

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, May 19.—The Dinkle income tax bill won its first victory when it was reported favorably by the house revenue committee today. It will be taken up for consideration Monday morning.

An effort will be made to take the bill to final passage next week, it was said. It is believed that the bill will meet with success in the senate, as it is the same bill virtually that was passed by the senate in the last session.

State ad valorem tax is made a deduction and also the intangible tax under the provision of the income tax bill.

Up to \$5,000, 2 per cent; up to \$15,000, 3 per cent; up to \$25,000, 4 per cent; up to \$50,000, 5 per cent; up to \$100,000, 8 per cent; up to \$200,000, 10 per cent; over \$200,000, 12 per cent.

Exemptions are made for single persons up to \$1,000 and for married persons up to \$2,500.

HENRY SACKETT REPORTED IN SERIOUS CONDITION

By Associated Press

COLEMAN, May 19.—Late today the condition of Henry Sackett, state legislator, who was stricken with paralysis at his home near here, was reported unchanged. He is conscious only part of the time.

Relatives have been called to his bedside.

Fort Worth Trade Excursionists to Come Here Monday

The Fort Worth business men who have planned a trade excursion into West Texas beginning Monday morning are due to arrive in Ranger at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening, according to a message received Saturday by Secretary B. F. Bennett of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce. They will stay in Ranger two hours.

Business houses in Ranger have been asked to remain open Monday evening until 9:30 o'clock so the business men from Fort Worth may have an opportunity to visit them in their mercantile establishments.

CORONER FINDS STUDENTS NOT TO BE BLAMED

Death of College Man Due to Narrow Road, Not Hazing, He Says.

By United Press

CHICAGO, May 19.—The death of Louis Aubers, a Western university student killed in an automobile accident as an alleged sequel to a hazing incident, was held to be unavoidable by a coroner's jury late today.

An automobile loaded with students collided with another car, according to police reports at the time. Aubers was killed and several students hurt. Some time after the accident Roscoe Conklin Fitch, a student being quizzed in the Leighton Mount mystery, told John Barbara, assistant state attorney, that one of the automobiles colliding was wilfully driven into the other car. The coroner's jury acquitted the students of all blame and recommended that the road be widened to avoid future accidents.

James Lehy, 18, driver of the car bearing Aubers, described the dead student as "my pal Louis."

A reward of \$10,000 to anyone who will produce Mount alive within 30 days was offered by Samuel Harrison, formerly of Evanston. He made the offer as a challenge to those who are claiming that Mount is still alive.

Northwestern university had previously posted a \$10,000 reward for a solution of the mystery.

Chinese Soldiers Accused of Selling Powder to Bandits

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The situation among government troops in pursuit of the bandits in China would be ludicrous if it were not so serious, according to reports that have been received here. It is claimed the soldiers have not been paid for the last 18 months and that they are replenishing their pockets by selling ammunition to the bandits.

Foreign representatives in Pekin will make the strongest possible representations to the government to obtain the release of prisoners held by the bandits. In an effort to placate the bandits, the Pekin officials are said to have agreed to the demand that the leaders of the bandits be given army commissions and to have agreed to the withdrawal of the government troops gradually as one after another of the prisoners is released.

BAPTISTS SAY DANCING IS INCREASING EVIL

KANSAS CITY, May 19.—A report at the Southern Baptist general convention here today said in part: "The ever present and ever insistent dance evil continues. The latest form of nauseating excess which divests of modesty and womanhood is the disgusting exhibitions popularly known as marathon dances. These exhibitions serve to throw a new light on an evil which is increasing. Our pastors ought everywhere to speak in no uncertain terms of such evil."

COLLEGE STATION, May 19.—The University of Texas tennis team today captured the Southwest conference without even entering the finals. Teams were in the contest from Rice, Baylor and A. & M. College, but all were eliminated before the finals.

BANDITS GIVE NOTICE WILL KILL CAPTIVES

Fifteen Foreigners Likely to Be Sacrificed to Official Negligence in Pekin.

By Associated Press

PEKIN, May 19.—Fifteen foreigners, 6 of them Americans, some of them ill and all weary and footsore, poorly fed and worse clad are looking death in the face tonight in the Paotzuku hills of Shantung Province as they approach the end of the second week they have been held captive by the bandits.

If the Chinese and foreign governments are unable to satisfy the demands by Tuesday and fulfill the terms for release of the prisoners two of the Americans and two of the Britishers have but little more than 48 hours to live. They will be shot as a warning that the marauders mean to force compliance with their demands under the terms of their ultimatum.

"We are alive, but unless Pekin, London and Washington realize that the bandits are ready to sacrifice their own lives in their fight for reinstatement in the Chinese army, immune from punishment, we are doomed," is the message contained in a note from one of them.

By United Press.

PEKIN, May 19.—Exasperated by the failure of the Chinese government to secure release of the foreigners held captive by Shantung bandits, the foreign diplomatic corps served today a notice that the Chinese government will be held responsible for the safety of the prisoners. This was contained in a note to the authorities.

Firing is still going on in the vicinity of the bandits' stronghold. Another meeting of the diplomatic corps will be held Sunday.

In the meantime Chinese officials declared they were ready to treat with the bandits and held that the latter are constantly changing their minds. "The government stands ready to treat with the bandits, even to accepting them in the army," said the note. They point out, however, that the bandits are constantly changing the conditions.

Ranger Will Have Hearty Welcome for Fort Worth Party

Merchants of Ranger have been asked by B. F. Bennett, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, to keep their stores open Monday evening until 9:30 o'clock, so they may be "at home" when the Fort Worth trade missionaries, out of Fort Worth on a trade trip through West Texas, visit this city.

The party from Fort Worth having changed its schedule, is now announced to arrive here at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening. They will have had their dinner before getting in, so the two hours they spend in Ranger will be occupied with meeting their old friends and meeting new ones.

Because of the short stay in Ranger no set program has been arranged, but everything will be done to make the visitors feel at home. Many of them have not been in Ranger since the early days of the oil boom and they will have a surprise when they see Ranger as the city is today.

FOUR PERSONS HURT IN HEAD-ON COLLISION WEST OF EASTLAND

EASTLAND, May 19.—In a head-on collision between two automobiles one-half mile west of the Eastland-Isco pike four persons were severely injured, one seriously, at 9:30 o'clock last night.

Harry Scott and Mrs. Scott, driving with Harvey Stooene, in a Chandler, were severely hurt, all three being in a hospital here.

W. H. Zindell, driving in a Ford car, was seriously hurt, and is also in a hospital here.

Zindell was attempting to pass a large car when returning from Cisco to this city, when he met the Stooene car head-on. His car was thrown into the ditch and badly damaged. The Chandler car also was laid up. All four of the injured persons were brought here by R. E. Sikes, who passed just after the accident.

WHAT HAPPENED IN MINERAL WELLS WHEN THE RANGERS WENT TO THE ROTARY MEETING THERE.

(From Mineral Wells Index.)

The Ranger Rotarians, to the number of 12, visited Mineral Wells and put on the program at the meeting of the local club on Friday. After a song by the Mineral Wells club, to the president of the Ranger club—"Old Gus Coleman Ain't What He Was 48 Years Ago," the Ranger visitors were welcomed by Manager Leeman of the Chamber of Commerce.

As fellow Rotarians from Mineral Wells' sister city, the speaker said, the Ranger visitors were thrice welcome; but even though not Rotarians and if from a far country, they would be welcome, anyway, for Mineral Wells is a city of welcome, and the books, "Ten Years Younger" (the name of the books that were placed favors) was not an idle phrase, but if the people of Ranger would come over and follow the instructions set forth in the book, they would find that it was verily true.

As a matter of important business, transacted before the Ranger program began, Allen Guinn, the president, was chosen delegate to the international convention in St. Louis, the meeting to be held in June, and John Chamberlin was chosen alternate.

Gus Coleman ("Gloomy Gus") took the chair and things began to happen. He called on Raymond Teal to talk on Mineral Wells, saying that Raymond was a great reader and had delved deep into the history of this place.

Raymond told how a New Hampshire wagon traveler had stopped here in the old days and his crazy daughter drank from the well he bored and got over her craziness. He also said that he was an hereditary booster for Mineral Wells, for his great grandfather had come through here in an ox wagon and drank this water freely for his kidneys and then went on to California, reaching there two years later, and that he died at the age of 103, but his kidneys which had gotten so well from mineral water, lived on for eight years after he died, and then folks had to take sticks and beat them to death.

Rotarians Coleman, Clegg and Gullahorn sang, after much preparation behind a huge music rest, a touching little set of verses about Dr. Eastland and Reece Harris and people's general ailments, and Pat Williams, who "charged you a quarter to lend you a dime," and Henry Russell and Will Wright, and several of the other home boys. The song sounded very well, even though, as they said, the bass had been lost on the way over, spoiling the quartette. But the informa-

tion about the Mineral Wells Rotarians was all wrong.

Karl E. Jones, secretary of the Retail Merchants' association, made a most excellent classification talk, and proved, in the course of it, that "He profits most who serves best."

Tulane Smith of Mineral Wells Kiwanis club, with Mrs. N. H. Moore, accompanist, sang a very much appreciated song, the company joining him on the refrain. One verse will show the hearty boosting character of the words of the song entitled "Mineral Wells," to the tune of "Baby Mine":

By the mountains proudly towering
Mineral Wells—Mineral Wells,
O'er the valleys brightly flowing,
Mineral Wells—Mineral Wells;
Comes the message on the breeze,
Health and comfort, pleasure, ease,
Healing Waters, joy and peace—
Mineral Wells—Mineral Wells.
Healing waters, joy and peace—
Mineral Wells—Mineral Wells.

The Ranger Rotarians, over for the occasion, were: Wm. G. Clegg, C. E. May, B. F. Bennett, E. Crawford, C. W. Harliss, Rev. W. H. Johnson, J. T. Gullahorn, Gus Coleman, Karl E. Jones, Raymond Teal and E. R. Maher.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIANS MEET NEXT YEAR IN AUSTIN

FAIRFIELD, Ul., May 19.—The general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian church chose Austin, Texas, as the next meeting place.

A resolution was adopted opposing any theory of life or creation not in harmony with the Bible.

McKINNEY.—John S. McKinney, chief of the local fire department, claims the distinction of being a member of the department for 29 years. The fire chief has been chief of police and fire marshal in addition to his other duties for several years. He has served with the fire department all but seven years since its establishment. McKinney is former president of the Texas State Volunteer Firemen's association.

HUNTSVILLE.—Huntsville engaged in a clean-up campaign this week, sponsored by the city officials. The members of the local American Legion post and the Boy Scouts of America assisted in the campaign.

Many sounds escape the human ear, scientists say, and that's something else for which to be thankful.—Indianapolis News.

Increase Revenues, Cut Appropriations Urges Davidson

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, May 19.—Reduction of appropriations made by the legislature of approximately \$6,000,000 and enactment of an income tax law were proposed by Lieutenant Governor Davidson as a means of meeting a state deficiency of \$10,000,000 in the next two years, in a statement issued tonight.

The following reductions in appropriations were proposed:

- General educational bill, \$2,000,000.
- Rural aid, \$1,000,000.
- Emergency school aid, \$2,000,000.
- Reclamation and flood control \$400,000.
- Departmental appropriations \$600,000.

The latter could be accomplished, he said, by cutting down the expenses of several of the departments.

Davidson estimated that the income tax would bring \$3,000,000 annually.

QUITMAN.—W. W. Fitzwater, national president of the Farm Labor union, addressed more than 500 Wood county farmers here recently. He also spoke at Peach, this county. Officials of the organization report more than 3,000 members in this county.

NEW CASES FILED IN DISTRICT COURT

EASTLAND, May 19.—The following new suits were filed Saturday in the district court.

Larn T. Connelley et al. vs. Magnolia Petroleum company, for an accounting and damages.

In Re: Liquidation of Farmers State Bank & Trust company, Gorman, application to sell property.

R. A. King vs. Viola M. King, divorce.

C. W. Alworth et al. vs. Sinclair Oil & Gas company, for debt and damage.

J. W. Williams et al. vs. Southwest National bank, of Dallas.

J. J. Magee vs. J. L. Chapman, commissioner of insurance and banking et al.

J. H. Edwards vs. W. H. Brewster et al., debt.

T. J. Gilbreath vs. States Oil corporation.

W. R. Jarvis et al. vs. E. H. Mills, Mrs. C. E. Maddocks and H. S. Cole, suit for injunction restraining attendance of trustees from board meetings, etc.

Weiss Bros. vs. J. L. Chapman, commissioner of insurance and banking et al.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Paul Whitney of Groesbeck is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. McNew.

Albert Joseph sailed May 15 for

America after spending several months in Assyria.

John Hassan is back from a business trip to Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott McCleskey left Saturday night to visit relatives in Weatherford.

Eugene Baker of the Boston store went to Weatherford Saturday night to attend the graduation of his daughter from the high school.

Mrs. Claude Tully is spending a week in weatherford with her sister, Mrs. McCleskey.

\$798,849 IS AMOUNT ASKED IN SUIT AGAINST MAGNOLIA

EASTLAND, May 19.—E. T. Connelley and sister, Mrs. Dixie Williamson et vir., have filed suit in the Ninety-first district court against the Magnolia Petroleum company in which they seek to recover \$798,849.18 alleged to be due them for royalties.

The plaintiffs allege that they are the owners of a part of the royalty in 524 acres of land in the John York survey between Eastland and Ranger, and known as the Tom Connelley place; that defendants have made \$2,073,600 out of gasoline from oil wells on the farm.

In the alternative that the lease attempted to provide any royalty on gasoline it was inadequate and they are entitled to a one-fourth royalty, their portion of the proceeds amounting to \$195,462.29.

In the second alternative they claim

that gasoline is a part of the oil and at the time of the sales was worth the sum of 16 cents per gallon and that the total production was 12,000 gallons of gasoline per day for 1,080 days, and plaintiffs allege they are entitled to one-eighth of the oil and they pray for their pro rata part of the oil produced amounting to \$97,731.15.

In the third alternative they claim that the lease provides for oil and gas and one-eighth royalty of net profits on all other minerals and that gasoline would be included in other minerals and that therefore they are entitled to their one-eighth less the expense of manufacturing and marketing, which amounts to the sum of \$90,000.

The plaintiffs also sue for the rental value of the gasoline plant site, which amounts to \$8,000.

Burkett, Orr & McCarty of this city represent the plaintiffs.

This cause of action has never been tested in the higher courts of the state and will cause considerable interest in the trial.

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SPORTS

BASEBALL SCORES

NATIONAL LEAGUE. New York 1, Cincinnati 0. New York, May 19.—McQuillan headed off Rixey in one of the most brilliant pitching duels of the season and won the game for New York from Cincinnati, 1 to 0.

R. H. E. New York 1 8 0 Cincinnati 0 3 0 McQuillan and Snyder; Rixey and Hargraves.

Philadelphia 11, Chicago 4. PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—Philadelphia won the final game of the series with Chicago today by a batting rally in the sixth inning that netted five runs and broke a deadlock.

R. H. E. Philadelphia 11 15 0 Chicago 4 11 2 Ring and Henline; Osborne, Russell, Kaufman and Hartnett.

Brooklyn 6, St. Louis 5. BROOKLYN, May 19.—Brooklyn won the third and last game of the series with St. Louis today, 6 to 5. A rally in the ninth inning netted the Dodgers two runs and a double and two singles proved the decided factors.

R. H. E. Brooklyn 6 1 3 St. Louis 5 10 1 Reuther and Taylor; Teasser, North and Ainsmith.

Pittsburgh 5, Boston 0. BOSTON, May 19.—Pittsburgh gave Glazner excellent support today while Boston used four pitchers and made five errors.

R. H. E. Boston 0 7 5 Pittsburgh 5 9 0 McNamara, Watson, Marquard, Denton and O'Neill; Glazner and Schmidt.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit 4, Boston 0. DETROIT, May 19.—Holloway held Boston to 4 scattered singles and Detroit won from Boston today 4 to 0.

R. H. E. Detroit 4 8 2 Boston 0 4 2 Holloway and Bassler, Piercy, O'Doul and Devorner.

Philadelphia 5, Cleveland 2. CLEVELAND, May 19.—Philadelphia made it four straight from Cleveland today, winning 5 to 2 in ten innings.

R. H. E. Cleveland 2 6 3 Philadelphia 5 9 2 Mecedier Myatt, Romell and Perkins.

Washington 6, Chicago 4. CHICAGO, May 19.—A great pitchers' battle was fought today and in the ninth inning was delivered a blow that netted 2 runs and gave Washington the game.

R. H. E. Washington 6 9 2 Chicago 4 8 1 Robertson, Mack and Schalk; Johnson and Ruel.

New York 6, St. Louis 5. ST. LOUIS, May 19.—St. Louis lost the fourth straight to New York today in a game featured by 5 home runs, the score being 6 to 5 in ten innings. Ruth, Miessel and Mc-

Manus made home runs in the first inning, Ward tied the score in the ninth with a home run and in the tenth Williams made the deciding run.

R. H. E. New York 6 11 1 St. Louis 5 11 1 Pruett and Leverett; Mays, Hoyt and Bengoyne.

San Antonio 11, Houston 1. SAN ANTONIO, May 19.—Fred Johnson turned in his first win for the local club today after returning from the New York Giants, by downing Houston 11 to 1.

R. H. E. San Antonio 11 11 0 Houston 1 6 3 Johnson and Coleman; Pertica and Beck.

Dallas 8, Shreveport 3. DALLAS, May 19.—Burns weakened in the eighth today after pitching a great game and Dallas defeated Shreveport 8 to 3. Bach's home run with two on base was a deciding factor. Five double plays featured the game.

R. H. E. Dallas 8 10 1 Shreveport 3 10 3 Mitchell and Lingle, Burns and Champlin.

Beaumont-Galveston, rain.

Quimet Promises To Try Again for British Golf Title

By Associated Press. LONDON, May 19.—Francis Ouimet intends to make another try for the British amateur golf title as soon as he can. He decided to do so while changing from knickers into "slacks" a few moments after he had been eliminated by Roger Wethered in the Deal semi-finals.

"I am going to come back over here and get that trophy," the blithe Bostonian told the friends who congratulated him upon his hard and all but successful struggle.

The night before his last day on the championship course—the day he amazed the gallery with his brilliant triumph over Cyril Tolley only to go down a few hours later before Roger Wethered—Ouimet felt rather certain that he would get into the finals.

"I'm going to take that big boy over the jumps tomorrow," he said, referring to Tolley. And sure enough he did. But, again using his own words, Ouimet took the edge off his game in his dazzling display of perfect golf against Tolley, so that upon his return to the cold and windy links in the afternoon he was no longer able to master every club in his bag and every situation on the field.

It is true, of course, that Wethered played under the same conditions, but the British star has been living with English weather all his life, and any American tourist knows how long it takes to become acclimated to the chill that is Britain's.

NUGENT TO PITCH FOR C. & S. IN GAME TODAY

The Chestnut & Smith nine will play the Texas Stars at the Parks camp Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Ranger fans will have an opportunity to see young Nugent in action again. He is developing speed and has splendid control. Several new men have been added to the team and all are expected to make a good showing.

The Chestnut & Smith nine will play the Magnolia team at the Ranger municipal park, formerly known as Nitro park next Sunday afternoon.

COYOTES DETERMINED TO DEFEAT MAGNOLIA TODAY

The Coyotes of the Prairie Oil & Gas company will play the Magnolia nine at the Ranger municipal ball park, formerly known as Nitro park, at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. A good game is promised.

The game between these two teams last Sunday went to 10 innings before it was won by the Magnolias with a score of 5 to 4. The Coyotes are on tiptoe to win the game today.

THURBER WINS FIRST GAME FROM EASTLAND

EASTLAND, May 19.—Thurber won the first of two scheduled games with Eastland today by a score of 7 to 1. Eastland used three pitchers, but was unable to keep the Thurber nine from hitting the ball and making runs.

The second of the series will be played this Sunday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

Francisco Navarro and Miss Josefina Gollard, Eastland. F. C. Tye and Miss Cecie Sission, Okra. T. A. White and Miss Arl Campbell, Gorman. Floyd D. Hicks and Mrs. Beulah K. Davis, Ranger.

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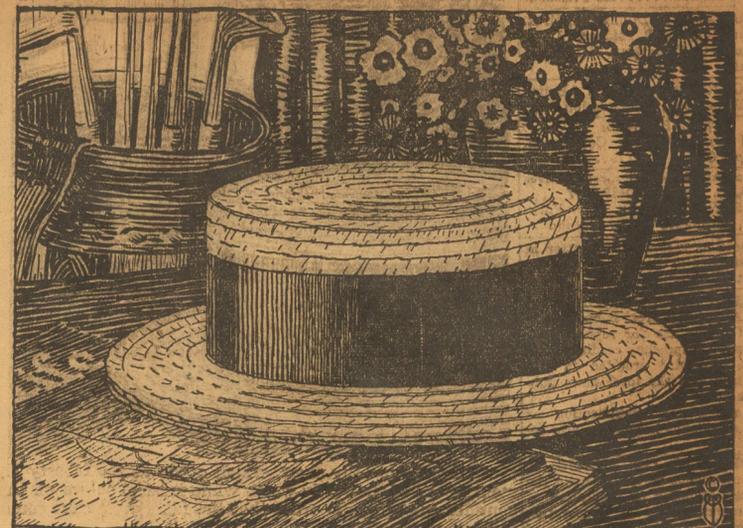
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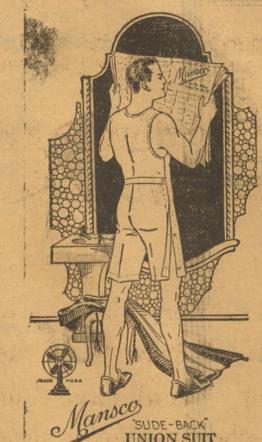
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DELUSION OF FLEXIBLE TARIFF RATES.

President Harding is most reluctant to make use of the flexible provisions of the Fordney-McCumber tariff act. Before he will exercise the power expressly conferred on him by congress to proclaim the reduction of any rate, he says, there must be "very pronounced reasons for it," and "only on the most striking evidence of the necessity for such a change in rates" would he be justified in modification either way.

This reads like good, old-fashioned stand-pat doctrine. The Fordney-McCumber rates are sacred. There must be no tariff tinkering. Let well enough alone, as Mark Hanna preached.

But if the flexible provisions of the 1922 tariff act are not to be employed to prevent the pyramiding of prices, what are they for? On their face they were intended to work both ways—for the protection of American producers or American consumers—but in practice, it seems, as a matter of White House policy, care is to be taken that they will not work at all. If the price of sugar, wholesale and retail, in which the tariff commission says is included the tariff rate, goes kiting under the control of speculators and profiteers, nothing is to be done toward lowering the tariff. If it is jumped 90 per cent in less than three months, no relief for consumers need be expected from the President through the reduction of the tariff covering the period of the emergency. Let them look out for themselves as best they can. The President is sole judge of what are "very pronounced reasons" and "the most striking evidence of the necessity" for any change in rates. The law in its application is what he makes of it.

So, after all, the boasted flexibility of the 1922 tariff, in spite of all that has been made of it, ceases to mean anything. Prices may soar sky-high and nothing happens. Flexibility is a dead letter; it does not exist.—New York World.

Debs will run for the presidency again, the dispatches announce, as if everybody didn't know it. When the announcement of Debs' death comes we'll know that Debs will not be a candidate for president at the next election.—Houston Post.

Senator Brookhart says that what Judge Gary is for he is against. Judge Gary may not be right sometimes, but it does not follow that the Iowa senator ever will be.—Pittsburgh Gazette Times.

However, it is not likely that the president will be greatly pestered by the friends of those who would like to succeed Chief Justice Taft as soon as those Socialists succeed in having him impeached.—Indianapolis Star.

New York can now add considerably to its attractions by advertising itself as only 27 hours from San Diego.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

We feared in 1917 that the Germans would come across. Now France is vainly trying to make them do it.—New York Tribune.

If China fails to obtain the release of those prisoners, America may declare a boycott on mah jong.—Indianapolis Star.

At any rate, dollar gasoline would tend to stop the race to the crossing. Cleveland Times-Commercial.

COMING TO THE LIBERTY TOMORROW



Marguerite Lilly show, which opens at the Liberty Theatre Monday for a week's engagement, is one of the really worth while musical shows on the road and was only secured after considerable effort, in order that the Liberty Theatre could offer a real show to the people to close the vaudeville season.

CHURCHES

METHODIST.

Elm near Marston.—Rev. L. A. Webb, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Baccalaureate sermon at 11 a. m. Junior Epworth league meets at 4 o'clock. Belle Bennett society will have charge of evening services at 8 o'clock. Senior Epworth league meets at 7 o'clock.

Junior Epworth league program includes: Subject, "Do Not Envy or Covet," leader, Shirley Shook. Piano duet, Norma and Howard Hinton.

Song, "More Love to Thee, O, Christ." Lord's Prayer. Ten Commandments from memory, whole league.

Bible readings. Exodus 20:17, Wilborn June McFarland.

Luke 12:15 to 34, Mary Louise Standard.

The story of a covetous thing, Helen Coalsen. Song, "Things That Make Me an Envious Heart." Story, Mrs. Cox.

FIRST BAPTIST.

Walnut near Marston.—Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. No morning service, as all will attend baccalaureate sermon at Methodist church. Sunbeams meet at 3 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. meets at 7 o'clock. Evening service at 8 o'clock, subject of sermon, "The Faith of Salvation."

CENTRAL BAPTIST.

Services at usual hours at Liberty theatre.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Marston, corner of Walnut.—Rev. A. N. Stubblebine, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m. No morning service as members will attend Methodist church. Junior Christian Endeavor meets at 4 o'clock. Senior Christian Endeavor meets at 7:15 p. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. subject of sermon, "The Kind of a God I Would Expect My God to Be."

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CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Rusk and Mesquite Streets.—N. W. Alphin, minister. Bible school, 10 a. m.; communion service, 10:45 a. m. No preaching service on account of the special high school services at the Methodist church. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.

EPISCOPAL.

Opposite Young School.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning prayer at 11 a. m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

Blackwell Road.—Rev. R. A. Gerken, pastor. Masses at 8 and 10 o'clock in the morning. Evening service at 8 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY.

421 West Pine Street.—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Services Sunday at 11 a. m. and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Reading room open Tuesday from 2 to 5 p. m.

SALVATION ARMY.

Sunday school, 3 p. m. Y. P. L. meets at 6 p. m. Preaching at 8 p. m. by Ensign W. T. George.

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

ARRESTS ON INDICTMENTS.

EASTLAND, May 19.—Indictments returned by grand jury, where arrests have been made: Henry Dunson, swindling. Adam Theis, theft. Jack Grace, theft. Carl Christian, theft. Marshall Jackson, theft. C. C. Redwine, transporting liquor. L. J. Starkey, murder.

In following your instructions relating particularly to rape, arson, theft, murder, the sale of and transporting intoxicating liquors, weights and measures, and all other violations of the law that might be brought to our attention. We have diligently gone into these matters and our investigations resulted in the above mentioned indictments. Evidence before us shows that offi-

Grand Jury Makes Report to Court On Special Work

SUGGESTS OFFICERS TOO FREE IN USING FIREARMS AND URGES DRY VIGILANCE.

Special to the Times.

EASTLAND, May 19.—The special grand jury in the Ninety-first district made its report late Friday afternoon to Judge George L. Davenport and adjourned.

The grand jury suggested that officers were too free in displaying and using firearms, and also urged diligence in preventing the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor. The report of the grand jury follows: To the Honorable District Judge, George L. Davenport, of the Ninety-first District court, Eastland County, Texas:

We, the grand jury, having been in regular session for five days, after careful and thorough investigation into the lawlessness in Eastland county, Texas, as per instructions given to the honorable court; Have examined 115 witnesses and returned the following indictments: Fifteen felonies and six misdemeanors.

In following your instructions relating particularly to rape, arson, theft, murder, the sale of and transporting intoxicating liquors, weights and measures, and all other violations of the law that might be brought to our attention. We have diligently gone into these matters and our investigations resulted in the above mentioned indictments. Evidence before us shows that offi-

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cers have been unduly displaying and unwisely using the privilege accorded them in the use of firearms and recommend that more caution be used in this respect.

We recommend that the citizenship of the county co-operate with the officers in making a more diligent investigation regarding the transporting, sale or making of intoxicating liquors.

Also that more diligence be used by men in charge of pipe and oil field supplies in protecting their property by mark, which will enable them to identify any stolen articles.

We desire to thank all officers who have rendered us their assistance in our investigations.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) J. F. DREINHOFER, Foreman.

More Dog Licenses Issued in Ranger Than Ever Before

There may be fewer dogs in Ranger today than a year or two ago, but more licenses have been obtained for dogs from the city secretary since April 1 than ever before.

Within the last six or seven weeks 215 dog licenses have been sold in Ranger, according to City Secretary Ringold. Approximately 200 dogs have been given free rides to the dog pound within that time, but many of them have been ransomed and licenses bought for them. Probably about 124 have been hurried to the dogs' happy hunting ground.

IT WILL OPEN JUNE FIRST

TIMES WANT ADS BRING RESULTS.

1—LOST AND FOUND

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LOST—On Main street or Texas & Pacific depot, 2 o'clock Friday morning, platinum orange blossom band ring, set with eight diamonds in plush box. Finder notify Leon Riddle, Bender Hotel, Laredo, Texas, and receive reward.

LOST—Black handbag, containing some papers, comb, brush and other small items. Reward. Return to Bernardo Hotel.

LOST—Since the 29th of April, sorrel ball-face mare, about 15 hands, no brand, 4 years old, small sore on right jaw. Phone or write Henry Roberts, Olden, Texas, and receive reward.

2—MALE HELP

MEN over 18 willing to travel. Make secret investigations. Reports. Salary and expenses. Experience unnecessary. Write J. Ganor, Former Govt. Detective, St. Louis.

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EXPERIENCED stenographer desires temporary or permanent position. P. O. Box 94, Ranger.

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7—SPECIAL NOTICES

ALL PERSONS are hereby notified that the undersigned has a suit now pending foreclosing contractors lien, on mall casings, material, tanks, machinery and other equipment on the Bradford farm, located near Frankell, Texas. Lease being held by The Texas Northern Pet. Syndicate, J. H. Fraser, Trustee. Until the final adjudication of this case, any person purchasing or removing any material from the above lease will do so at their own peril and be held personally responsible to me. A. R. McLennan, Contractor.

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13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

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MRS. FORD HOSTESS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. C. T. Ford entertained the ladies of the Royal Neighbors Needle club and the Woodman's Circle on Wednesday afternoon. A pleasant social hour was enjoyed and ice cream and cake served to Meses. H. L. Price, H. A. Yerton, Jack Blackwell, Ray Newton, Sam Gaut, Henderson, L. W. Read, E. F. Rust, John F. Carville, D. Henry, V. V. Cooper, Oscar Hanson, McClung of Quanah, C. Buler, E. L. Hodges, H. W. Donley, F. B. Elliott, Alice Ingram, C. Marlow, V. Holway, G. Bumpus, S. P. Carville and J. A. Bronson.

MESSES. OCHILTREE AND MARTIN JOINT HOSTESSES

The mezzanine floor of the Gholson was at its loveliest Thursday afternoon when Meses. C. N. Ochiltree and J. A. Martin entertained at Bridge. It sparkled with its myriad of spring flowers, spring clothes, spring hats—in fact the whole scene was as colorful as a setting by Bakst and pungent with the perfume of honeysuckles and roses, for these two honey flowers played an important part in the floral decorations, vying with the wild flowers in beauty. A color scheme of lavender, pink and yellow prevailed. Lights were swathed in these soft shades, and refreshments carried out the same color motif, as did the mirth provoking favors, all day sucker dolls, with gum drop feet and hands. There were thirteen tables at Bridge—the lucky ones for the afternoon were Mrs. R. D. Lavery who received the high score prize, a cut glass bowl; Mrs. C. C. Craig, who received the second prize, a cut glass nappy; Mrs. Dabney, of Eastland, who was awarded the consolation prize, a set of tea coasters; and Mrs. R. B. Campbell, who won the cut prize, a French salad pitcher. After the game, refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, potato chips, angel food cake, iced in lavender, brick ice cream in three shades predominating in the color motif, and ice tea were served. Mrs. Ochiltree wore a black gown, with sweet pea corsage, and Mrs. Martin black crepe, with a corsage of pink rosebuds. Since this is the first large party for several weeks, it was quite a dress affair and many lovely gowns were noted among the guests—and since everybody was glad of the occasion, it was a very happy affair.

Among the out-of-town guests were Meses. L. J. Marks and R. B. Craft of Fort Worth, Mrs. J. E. Noel and Miss Hazelle Dore of Abilene, Mrs. M. M. Harvey of Cross Plains, Miss Jewell Jones of Eastland. The personnel of the Ranger guests was as follows: Meses. R. D. Lavery, J. W. Cash, S. W. Bobo, Chas. Bobo, McDonald, J. B. Stackable, A. G. Jury, R. B. Campbell, R. J. Bates Jr., Frank Rarey, J. C. McElroy, Bailey Scott, John Moyer, Lorraine Mitchell, Harvey Benton, G. B. Watson, J. L. Thompson, R. D. Bäckle, R. L. Hodges, W. D. Conway, Forest Clark, Wm. Lowe, Saunders Gregg, F. E. Langston, Frank Reames, R. M. Schmuck, Ira Nourse, E. E. Crawford, C. C. Craig, Gus Coleman, L. L. Rector, W. J. McFarland, J. F. Flickestein, Leo Parr, W. L. McGinley, Fred Yonker, J. B. Haden, Walter Burden, W. C. Palmer, J. M. Shaw, J. C. Smith, Wm. Myers, Harry Reed, and Miss Douschka Bobo.

MRS. M'ILLEN HOSTESS TO XXTH CENTURY CLUB

Members of the Twentieth Century club were entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. L. McMillen. Quantities of roses were used in decoration and a two-course luncheon was served. High score prize, a piece of dainty pink silk lingerie, went to Mrs. John Thurman, and second prize, a box of stationery, to Mrs. Gilson. Members and friends present were: Meses. J. A. Martin, Saunders Gregg, Frank Rarey, John Thurman, Gilson, J. F. Champion, Leo Parr, W. H. Burden, A. E. Ernst, W. R. Lowe, F. J. Reames, and E. J. Wiss. Mrs. Martin will entertain the club on Friday.

DELPHIAN RECEPTION TO BE NEXT SATURDAY

The Ranger Delphians will entertain Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock at Gholson hotel with a reception for members of the Delphian societies of Eastland, Cisco, Breckenridge and Ranger. The general chairman of the event is Mrs. A. N. Harkrider who will be assisted by Meses. C. S. Bronstad and W. J. McFarland and the following committees: Invitation committee, Meses. G. H. Bohning, C. D. Woods, and Harry Pearson; refreshment committee, Meses. J. B. Haden, T. J. Holmsley and Roy Jameson; decoration committee, Meses. J. W. Gholson, A. G. Jury and H. A. Logsdon; entertainment committee, Meses. J. H. Moyer, W. C. Palmer and T. B. Scott. This is the first entertainment given by the Delphians and a large attendance is expected.

MRS. GULLAHORN HOSTESS TO YOUNG MATRONS' BRIDGE

Friday afternoon was enjoyed by members of the Young Matrons' Bridge club at the home of Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn. High score, a dainty piece of lingerie, was won by Mrs. Conley,

and low score, a set of auction scores by Mrs. John Shannon. Those present were: Meses. E. E. Crawford, F. T. Frahaney, L. A. Vandervoort, C. C. Craig, G. D. Chastain, L. L. Rector, Karl Jones, C. A. Conley, Ed Maher, M. K. Collie, H. J. Mendenhall, John Shannon. Mrs. Karl Jones will be the next hostess.

SYMPHONY CLUB ANNUAL LUNCHEON ON TUESDAY

The annual luncheon and closing event for the year of the Symphony club will be held Tuesday at 1 o'clock at the Methodist church. All members expecting to attend are requested to make their reservations with Mrs. C. C. Craig before 9 o'clock Monday morning.

CALLING MEETING OF 1920 CLUB WEDNESDAY

A special meeting of the 1920 club has been called for Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the league rooms of the Methodist church. Important business is to be transacted and all members are urged to attend.

NEW ERA CLUB ANNUAL LUNCHEON ON WEDNESDAY

The annual luncheon of the New Era club will take place Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock in the Methodist league rooms. Reservations must be made with Mrs. O. L. Phillips before 9 o'clock Monday morning. A business meeting of the club will be held immediately after the luncheon.

SYMPHONY CHORAL CLUB MEETS MONDAY MORNING

The Symphony Choral club will rehearse Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the Methodist church. All members are urged to attend as this will be the last meeting before the luncheon.

MRS. BRASHER GIVES AFTERNOON PARTY

Friday afternoon Mrs. H. T. Brasher entertained with a farewell party as she leaves soon to make her home in Dallas. The pretty Brasher home was decorated in cut flowers. Victrola music was enjoyed. After several games of "42" refreshment plates of sandwiches, potato chips, cake and punch were served. Favors were beautiful white and red rose buds. Those present were Meses. C. P. Spaulding, F. P. Mashier, S. L. Thorpe and the hostess.

BELLE BENNETT SOCIETY ENJOYS CISCO MEETING

The ladies of the Belle Bennett society met at the Methodist church last Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock and motored over to Cisco to attend the first quarterly conference. It was a most interesting as well as helpful meeting, as all points pertaining to missionary work were discussed and explained. Songs and special readings were some of the interesting features. Rev. L. A. Webb gave a wonderful talk on "What the Missionary Society Has Done for My Church."

A delicious luncheon was served at noon. All nearby cities were well represented and the afternoon was spent in a general discussion in regard to the work of each missionary society.

The Belle Bennett society was very proud to learn that it was the largest represented society present, as it is merely in its infancy, being barely a trifle over a month old.

Ranger is to hold the next conference. Those attending the conference were Meses. C. C. Kickard, Roy Leonard, W. J. McFarland, J. F. Killingsworth, Rarry Reid, Walter Harwell, D. C. Klinger, J. F. Tennyson, J. F. Kelly, James Webb, W. V. Bailey, Ira Jones, Carroll S. Clark and Rev. L. A. Webb.

BELLE BENNETT SOCIETY TO HAVE EVENING SERVICE

The Belle Bennett Missionary society of the Methodist church will have charge of the Sunday evening service at 7:45 o'clock at the Methodist church. A special missionary program has been arranged, which everyone is invited to attend.

MR. AND MRS. WOODS ENTERTAIN SENIORS

One of the most novel and enjoyable parties of the season was given Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Woods when they entertained the senior class of the Ranger High school. Wild flowers in profusion decorated the rooms, while the class colors of blue and white were in evidence, and also used in the refreshments of brick ice cream and cake.

The party was a burlesque auto trip, and the guests were kept busy from the start fixing "blow-outs," "jacking up the car," and "repairing the engine." There were three groups for the trip, and prizes were awarded, all of them "take-off" prizes, for the group which finished the trip first. The first prize was awarded to the group led by Tom Alworth. A story with planks for the name of a favorite automobile, was part of the game, Gordon Gullahorn winning for the boys and Edna Clark for the girls.

It was also the birthday of Mr.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY.

Symphony Choral club meets at 10 o'clock in the morning at Methodist church.
Presbyterian Auxiliary meets at 3 o'clock at club rooms.
First Baptist W. M. U. meets at 3 o'clock at church.
Central Baptist W. M. U. meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. S. B. Plummer.
Methodist W. M. S. meets at 3 o'clock at church.
St. Mary's Episcopal guild meets at 3 o'clock at home of Mrs. Gus Coleman.
Eastern Star meets at 7 o'clock at Masonic hall.
High school graduation at 8 o'clock in auditorium.

TUESDAY.

Symphony club luncheon 1 o'clock at Methodist church.
Belle Bennett society meets at 3 o'clock at Methodist church.
Called meeting of Progressive Rebekahs 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall.

WEDNESDAY.

Rotary club luncheon at 12:15, Gholson hotel.
New Era club luncheon at 1:30 o'clock at Methodist church.
Called meeting of 1920 club at 3:30 o'clock at Methodist church.

THURSDAY.

Lions club luncheon, 12:15 o'clock at Gholson hotel.
Amor club meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Lawrence Gunn.
Thursday Bridge meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. F. T. Brahaney.
Pastime club meets at 8 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. Lytton Taylor.

FRIDAY.

Columbia Study club meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. H. A. Coomer.
Twentieth Century club meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. A. Martin.

SATURDAY.

Delphian reception from 3 to 5 o'clock at Gholson hotel.

Woods, and a special cake with the usual tumbled, dime and button, was presented and frosted in white. Much merriment accompanied the cutting of the cake, the dime being found by Elizabeth Long, the tumbled by Arthur Cohn, and the button by Edna Clark.

At the close of the evening Mr. Woods was presented with a handsome gold-link watch chain, heavily chased, and a pair of black enamel cuff buttons with gold rims and Shrine emblem, as a tribute of the high esteem of his pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods were assisted in entertaining by Meses. Marian Maxwell and Clara Rush, and Mr. A. D. McFatter. Those present were: Arthur Cohen, Gordon Gullahorn, Charles White, Cecil Alworth, Tom Alworth, Cyril Black, Bill Craig,

Brook Hazard, Robert Heasley and Terrell Williams.

Misses Eleanor Alworth, Ruby Barker, Jewell Calloway, Edna Clark, Thelma Cornell, Azaline Coc, Minnie Ruth Langston, Elizabeth Long, Jacqueline Lowther, Blanch Niver, Margaret Novakovich, Esther Yonkers, Ruth Reeves, Oreta Smith, and Willie Howard.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. R. B. Campbell left Saturday for Weatherford to attend the baccalaureate sermon of the Weatherford High school from which her son, Robert, is graduating.

Mrs. R. D. Craft of Fort Worth, who has been a visitor in Ranger the past week, returned to her home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Read are leaving soon for Olney, Texas, where they may locate.

Mrs. J. W. Fagg, who has been ill for several weeks, and is now at the Baptist Sanitarium in Dallas, is much improved and expects to return home on the 28th.

Mrs. J. B. Haden's little son, Jimmie, who has been very ill with ap-

pendicitis was a little better on Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Terrell, accompanied by Dr. Terrell's mother, Mrs. C. E. Terrell, will leave Sunday night for New York City. Dr. Terrell and his mother will remain several months, but Mrs. C. O. Terrell expects to return in about a month.

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Everything is now in readiness for the big marathon dancing exhibition which starts at the Summer Garden Monday at 10 o'clock a. m.

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According to Mr. Cardens one of the most common questions he is asked is "how do you stay awake so long?" and "don't you get awfully tired?"

According to J. B. Corrie, who is in charge of the dance, nearly \$1,000 in cash prizes are offered the dancers in the exhibition here. An additional prize is offered the dancer from Eastland county who dances the longest period. The dancer from this county who stays on the floor the longest receives this prize.

Gus Coleman's orchestra will furnish the music and the public is invited to dance each evening. The exhibition will be open to the public from 8 a. m. to 12 p. m.

The judges for the contest are: C. F. Underwood of the Ranger Times, Harry B. Bolton of Dallas, Gus Coleman, J. B. Corrie and Dr. Clyde C. Craig.

The contestants will be under the constant care of local physicians and nurses.

COUNTY COURT FILINGS.

Suit filed in the county court-at-law Saturday:
W. H. Williams vs. Geo. F. McCamey, debt.
O. F. Gilman, vs. C. J. Thomas et al., debt.
Meyer & Kiser vs. O. P. Ainsworth, foreclosure.

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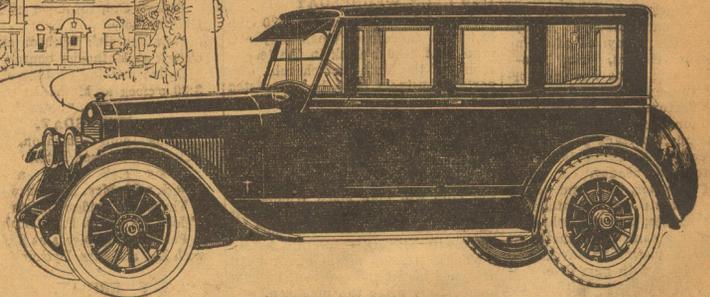
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ESSAYS SUBMITTED IN HOME GARDENS CONTEST FOR AWARDS OFFERED BY THE 1920 CLUB

Plans for the 1920 club awards in the home gardens contests are about completed and R. H. Bush, county agricultural agent, will be in the city on Friday, May 29, to visit the gardens in company with Mrs. M. H. Hagaman and Dr. Hodges who will be judges, with Mr. Bush, of the gardens. Awards will be made that afternoon, the place of award to be announced later.

Essays on their gardens were written by the children of all the schools, the best ones selected being the following:

Report of My Garden.

(By Roger Shook of High School, 305 South Hodges Street.)

I selected a piece of ground about 25 feet wide and 100 feet long. This is divided into four plots, the first three being 20x25, and the last 40x25.

In the first division are English peas and bush beans and in a bed on the south end are planted black-eyed peas. There are six rows of English peas and have been gathered from once. There are three rows of beans that are blooming now. The peas were planted yesterday so they have not come up.

In the second division there are tomatoes and cabbage and in a bed on the south end of the plot is okra. There are about 25 tomato plants and they are doing well. There are about 50 cabbage plants, most of which are doing well. The okra was planted about two weeks ago and is about two inches high now, and is growing fine.

In the third division is planted squash and cucumbers and in a bed on the south end of this plot contains four rows of lettuce, which will soon be ready to begin eating. The squash are about a week old and are beginning to bush out. It is planted in hills about two feet apart, and in rows about two feet apart. The cucumbers are about the same age and are beginning to run, and it is planted the same way the squash is planted.

On the south side and east end of the fourth division is planted three rows of pop corn which is nearly two feet high now. The rest of the fourth division contains eight rows of black-eyed peas. These peas have been up about 10 days and are nearly three inches high. This is all I have planted.

My Garden.

(By Frank Behning of Young School, Wilson and Terrell Streets.)

I have a garden about 30 feet square. It was planted rather early and most of it was killed by frost, so had to be replanted. It is bordered on two sides by flowers.

My first row consists of radishes, of which I have already used some for three bunches. Then I have the beets, which are doing fine. Then I have a row of English peas which were beaten by the wind, but are coming on just fine. Then the Valtine beans.

My row of onions is large enough, although I have not used any yet. The spinach I have planted is almost large enough to be eaten. Then a row of creases back beans.

I have planted three rows of corn, but some did not come up. So I had to replant some cucumbers, watermelons, and honey melons between the corn. I have a row of lettuce and have used quite a bit of it.

I have two rows of potatoes which are doing fine except for being beaten by the wind, making the tops bruised.

I have one row of carrots and parsnips, and pepper so that I don't know whether it will grow or not, but it is coming up.

In the last rows are the Kentucky wonder beans which are planted to run on the fence and are just starting to get runners.

The flowers which I have planted consist of bachelor buttons, larkspurs, phlox and stock. The bachelor buttons are about two inches high.

In My Garden.

(By Roy Jones of Central School, 506 Mesquite Street.)

The good rains of early spring have put the soil in excellent condition for working.

After deciding I would enter the garden contest I decided on the size of my grounds and planted my hot bed with McGee and Aeme tomato seed. Then I began to spade up one plot of ground containing 30x30 square feet. Then I spaded up my second plot, 19x30. I often raked this to smooth it down. This also broke the clods.

I then planted my first plot in rows 30 feet long and two and one-half feet apart as follows: Two and one-half rows of onion sets with radishes mixed, one row lettuce, one row beets, one row stringless green pod beans.

I bought three dozen ever-bearing strawberry plants and these I put in my second plot. They are all in bloom now and I am expecting to have strawberries soon.

I spaded up my third plot, which is 20x25 feet and set it out with McGee tomato plants from my hot bed.

I had sold several hundred tomato plants at 50 cents per 100 and still have about 100 plants for sale. I have radishes, onions and lettuce to eat and will replace the radishes with more seed as I pull them out. I will also plant more beans as I use my lettuce and beets out, so as to have fresh green beans all summer.

My Vegetable Garden.

(By Lillian Mills, Tiffin.)

I live at Tiffin. My garden is 150

by 200 feet. The soil is rich, mellow and loose. I planted two and one-half gallons of onions, which are now ready for the table. I have, besides onions, lettuce, radishes, mustard, squash, beans, English peas, beets (two kinds), black-eyed peas, okra, cucumber, pepper, cantaloupe, muskmelon, watermelon, and sweet corn. About 150 tomato plants.

I have four rows of field corn and with this is planted pole beans. By planting the beans with the corn saves the garden space, also the work of erecting a frame for the beans to climb on as the pole bean is a wonderful climber.

Before planting, the ground was plowed deep and harrowed well. Then several rains seeped through. I did not enrich the soil in any way, only in each hill of the squash and cucumbers I put a generous shovelful of well-rotted manure.

So far my garden looks well. I spend at least one and one-half hours after school on it. I have no means of watering my garden. I depend on nature.

MOST AUTO ACCIDENTS OCCUR ON GOOD ROADS AND IN GOOD WEATHER

BOSTON, May 19.—More auto accidents occur on good roads and in good weather than on bad roads or in bad weather because drivers are less careful, says the Massachusetts highway commissioner.

"The combined causes of snow and ice, mud and wet pavements," he reports, "only counted for 119 fatal accidents, 397 taking place on dry pavements."

Massachusetts' effort to solve the problem of accidents, points out the writer, has been made through such analysis and in taking steps to eliminate causes. For this reason a state law has been passed fixing the right of way on the highway. Drivers who come into a main street from an intersecting one must, for instance, yield the way to cars approaching from the right. They have the right

LAMB TODAY



Thomas Meighan in the Paramount Picture 'The Neer Do Well.'

of way of those approaching from the left.

Users of liquor are a danger against which the Bay state is fighting. Mr. Goodwin states: "The question of whether or not we should have had the Volstead act as a law of the land has nothing to do with the fact that no man who has a single drink of what passes for liquor nowadays has any right to drive an automobile upon the public highways. In 1919 we revoked and suspended 2,100 licenses in the state, 550 of them for intoxication. In 1922 we suspended 8,300 and 2,460 were persons who were operating under the influence of liquor."

The Massachusetts authority concludes with a plea that every state analyze its highway accidents so the public may know the major causes.

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Young chickens, cooked tender and flavored just right. All the good vegetables and delicacies that go with a real good "Wade's Quality" Sunday Dinner.

DINE HERE TODAY—BOTH AT NOON AND NIGHT

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In a vast series of electric ovens, especially designed and built by Dodge Brothers' engineers for this process, three distinct coats of black enamel are successively baked on the steel at an intensely high temperature.

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Even in sections of the Southwest where alkali in the soil is especially destructive to body finishes, Dodge Brothers enamel retains its beautiful luster after years of wear.

The price of the Touring Car is \$1010 delivered.

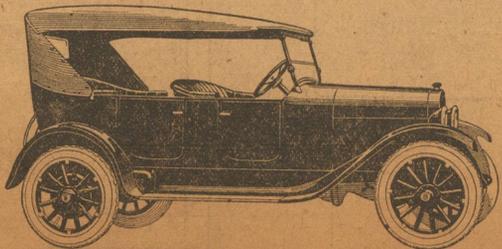
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Newest of Gowns

Expressing the essence of true elegance, the season's most notable collection of women's dresses is ready tomorrow.

The sleeve that is a mere band dropped from an unusual yoke, the sleeve that ripples gracefully from an upper half of lace, narrow panels in pleats or lace, beads and silks in rich embroideries, the Parisian drape, the pleated godet—these are the characteristics of dresses created by artist-designers in deference to a discriminating demand.

Emphasizing rich Silks, Chiffons and Laces. Topaz, Caramel tones and Grey the leading colors, with a smart profusion of Prints.

Uncommonly Winsome— Summer's Printed Frocks

These Printed Frocks are enticing. A flavor of sports clings in their straight lines. And no one denies the worth of their fabrics: Roshanara, flat crepe, Canton and Crepe de Chine. Plaited drapes serve to enhance as do waistlines that are slightly raised in front. For a Frock that you will grow fonder of as the season wears on, choose a Printed one from these at

—\$19.75 to \$37.50

SPOTLESSLY FRESH

Tub Blouses

Ready to wear with your sweater or suit are tubable overblouses and tuck-ins in charming taste. Some have bateau necklines, drawn-work in color, hand embroidery, frills and tucks. Many are all white; others are combined with color in material or decoration.

For trim, crisp Blouses one needs but make her selections from this collection.



It's Time to Dive In

Bathing Suits

\$5.50 to \$12.50

It's good—summer's first dip. It's good to feel the cool water surging around you. But of course a little old last year's Suit won't do. Only a bright, trim-fitting new one is in keeping with the occasion. Suits of wool Jersey in new styles are especially priced at \$5.50 to \$12.50.

Summer Hats, Exquisite With Flower Trims

Heaps of buds high in back, clusters of tiny roses at the sides, immense dahlias or daisies perched on top—these are the ways of posies with Hats. More lovely Chapeaux there never were, with contours, besides, so graceful. Good straws in black and rich bright shades make it quite certain you will be one to enjoy a flowery Hat this season.

Tub Frocks That Enrich a Summer Wardrobe

Frocks of linen that is supple and cool; Frocks of voile and organdie, sheer and crisp; Ginghams and of Ratives. There is a charm that makes itself felt at picnic and afternoon party alike. Quantities of lace frills and jabots, cordings, plaits, aprons, embroidery and sunshine colors make them truly delightful adjuncts to a wardrobe of summer things.

Summer Brins Hose in an Abundance of Types and Colorings

First of all, when choosing Hose this season, consider color. There is a vast variety; a few notable ones, beige, chow, nude, castor and mouse grey. Your selections here will include tones that harmonize with and weights appropriate to sports, tailors and formal wear, respectively. Your every choice will prove a satisfaction. For, here, dependable quality goes hand in hand with fashion rightness.

Dainty and Decorative—These Handkerchiefs

Never does the supply of Handkerchiefs seem large enough, either to supply milady's needs or her whims for novelties. Fine linen ones, when white, are handsomely monogrammed; when colored, are sometimes coquettishly round and net edged. Very brazen batik ones peeping from tiny pockets lend a bit of dash. Be sure you are properly Handkerchieved before the beginning of your vacation.

A GOOD SPORTS OUTFIT Smart Skirts, Sweaters and Hats FOR EVERY NEED

Tennis, golf, invigorating hikes and motoring—spirited play that beckons each Summertime! How briskly confident the participant who knows she is well dressed! That smartness in her apparel and the comfort she feels in its wearing make her happy state of mind. Of such a rightness—Sweaters, Skirts and Hats are chosen here. Whether mild or intense your urge to Sports, your taste for good Sportswear is the same. Satisfy it here.

SWEATERS

A Sportswoman must own several Sweaters. New and unusual weaves make these interesting. A jacquette, golf type, or a slip-on, ever invested with new allures in color, pattern and fancy stitch.—\$3.50 to \$12.50.

SKIRTS

The best of fit, the best of fabric, the best of style in good looking new Sports Skirts. They may be circular, they may be wrap-around, or plaited. Perfect Skirts for sports—\$5.50 to \$18.50.

SPORT HATS

Eagerly they lend themselves to sports ensembles—little Hats of cock natures. Quills, ribbon trims, raffia ornaments, and leather oddities give them their airs. In Milan, felt or silk, they are priced as low as \$3.50.



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The House of Values

The Land of Manana

Being a Travel Story Reviewing Conditions in the Republic of Mexico

BY LYSTON S. BLACK

Cecil Rhodes, the famous empire builder, once said, "Mexico is the treasure house from which will come the gold, silver, copper and precious stones that will build the empire of tomorrow, and will make the future cities of the world, veritable Jerusalems." He has spoken with the voice of a prophet.

Mexico is sometimes called the Land of Manana because the Mexican has the reputation of preferring to do tomorrow what might be done today. But in a commercial sense, it is indeed the land of tomorrow. For the far-reaching light of recognition will gradually dispel the depressing darkness of more than a decade of revolution, dissension and political strife.

Old Order Changing.

Already "the old order changeth yielding place to new and God fulfilleth Himself in many ways." The country is slowly but surely wresting itself from the throes of revolution and arising from the depths of attendant despondency. Villa, in a way, is an example of this gradual transformation. He has beaten his swords into plowshares. With huge harvesters and excellent equipment he is developing a ranch in a manner that would arouse the admiration of any American.

But complete stability and commercial advancement cannot come until after recognition is accorded. Recognition by the great powers will be the morning star leading to the dawn of a day the like of which the world has never seen. Anticipation of this inevitable commercial, industrial, agricultural revival and trade expansion recently prompted a party of representative Americans to tour Mexico.

Starting out to see misunderstood Mexico these men endeavored to become as intimate as possible with every manner of man, to study him and his affairs in his natural habitat; to meet President Obregon and the various governors in their gilded palaces and on the other hand to hob-nob with the lowest peon in his lowly hut. For to do business successfully with the Mexican a knowledge of his peculiar psychology and characteristic customs is of tantamount importance. The writer presents the highlights and conclusions of this intensely interesting and instructive journey into our neighboring wonderland.

Rambling Rebels.

Little progress was made during the first night on Mexican soil; rambling rebels had set fire to a railroad bridge. Indeed rumbles from rebel rampages in different parts of the republic are often heard; and at intervals soldiers in full battle equipment mysteriously entrain.

Dinky little pueblos lay at intervals along the National railway; the town of Villadama at one time boasted 4,000 people. While a dozen peons, with possibly two or three families represented, often cram themselves into a single, windowless room, yet certainly that many do not now exist in the huddling group of adobe buildings. The ever-changing, nerve-racking experiences incident to the decade of appalling political strife caused souls to migrate cityward.

There's Always a Manana.

For strange enough the peon is meek, peace-loving, considerate—not naturally a bad bandit as he is oft-times pictured. True he is emotional, easily swayed, distrustful of strangers, but he is inherently quiet, inoffensive and steadfast to friends—a farm friend and a bitter enemy. A strain of cruelty might exist—may flash up like powder in a man when ignited—but he is generally gentle, passive, courteous, friendly. No matter how lowly the peon, he is proud. One mistake traveling Americans make is to assume the "holier-than-thou" attitude. No surer way can be found to cause resentment.

Generally speaking, this is true with a representative of the upper class. And he is shrewd almost to the point of cunningness. Fastidious, deliberate and easy-going, he is slow to do business with a stranger. But his heart yearns for friendship, the business can then be incidental. Nor can he be "rushed" into a proposition—there's always a manana. He becomes suspicious if anyone tries to force him to do anything. "The world wasn't made in a day"—that's his philosophy. And, singularly, the magic spell of this spirit often grips the hearts and souls of American in Mexico—so overwhelms them that they would not be happy in their native country.

Two Old Towns.

Being a mining, smelting, railroad and brewing center, Monterey, the first city visited, contains about 80,000 people and is normally prosperous. Adobe, stone and concrete buildings mark the city as an old one. Being near mid-day the siesta period, the large doors in lieu of show windows, were closed and the narrow streets and sidewalks decidedly deserted. Monterey is typically Mexican—to the center-of-town, and all. A cantina, or saloon, stood on one corner, a large, Villa "trade-marked" hotel on another and a lofty Catholic church on a third; the inevitable plaza occupied the block in the center.

The Sierra Madre, or the mother range mountains, hover over Monterey and Saltillo—as a mother would

her offspring. Gradually the road climbs, southward from Monterey, and as the altitude increases so does a cool, invigorating breeze supplant the hot, sultry atmosphere. In fact the climate of Mexico City rivals in pleasantness that of Los Angeles or any city in the world.

The important personages who met us at pretty Saltillo heartily addressed us from the top of an express truck. One speaker, a professor in one of the several colleges and a graduate of a Massachusetts normal school, eloquently pointed out the natural relationship of the two countries.

Talks were in the respective tongues but ably translated, sentence by sentence, by a brilliant Mexican named Aguilar. For a long time he was a high officer in the Mexican army—being on the general staff. A good looking, cultured, brilliant and affable man, Aguilar is. On several occasions, by his quick wit and tact, he prevented or assuaged hard feelings.

One Successful Course.

"Learn our customs and do business with us."

An interesting picture of Mexican life presented itself at the depot in San Luis Potasi. Sombreroed men, with their beloved tight-fitting trousers, and mantilla manteled women selling laces and drawn-work; vividly garbed peddlers of every article imaginable; ragamuffin shine boys of all sizes; underfed cargadores with ropes and straps begging to carry baggage and pathetic muchachitas and muchachitos muttering and crying, "Centavos, centavos," literally swarmed around the station. A company of nondescript soldiers, loaded down with filled cartridge belts, and carrying loaded rifles lazily boarded a train. And as a fitting artistic contrast to this active scene, in a distant otherwise deserted doorway stood, statue-like, a dark-skinned, sandaled, heavily sombreroed, hombre—a bright, rug-like serape enshrouding the body, the loose end flung snugly over the left shoulder—a still, silent, sombre study.

The mayor and the president of the Chamber of Commerce officiated in the royal welcome to the visitors. A part of the interesting and overwhelming entertainment was a call on the governor. The governor's very attitude radiated cordiality and hospitality. In a conversational tone and in English, he said, "Despite malicious propaganda to the contrary, my people are naturally friendly toward the people of the United States of the North. It is true that we have been fooled by some unscrupulous adventurers; but that does not condemn your great people as a whole by any means. If you will but learn our customs and do business with us we will all be greatly benefited."

Not a detail was overlooked at the sumptuous banquet, furnished by the city. Music of many kinds resounded through the hall. A six-piece orchestra alternated with one of those famous red-coated bands. And along with this music sounded a medley caused by the clinking of glasses and the popping of corks from the bottles of champagne.

A Mexican doctor spoke, a graduate from the University of Virginia. So enthusiastically friendly was he that he often caught himself lapsing into Spanish, from his otherwise perfect English—so anxious was he to express his feeling of regard and love.

"Great Internal Problems." Another highly intelligent Mexican.

ican, Senor Alvarez, insisted that the United States could help his people in many ways, and that the service would be mutual. "We are a country abounding in undeveloped wealth," he earnestly declared, "but we need your initiative, industry, capital, brains. You will be richly rewarded."

"We, as a nation, are crippled and need you as a big brother to lean on. You must know the facts, we face great internal problems. Most of our people are poverty-stricken. And I am ashamed to say that 85 per cent of them can neither read nor write; about forty per cent are pure-blood Indians, two millions of whom cannot understand our own language. If you will but recognize our wise and patient president, it will greatly help us in our evolution."

Indeed evidence pointing to the truth of his statements stood out on every side. Dr. J. H. McLean of Fort Worth, Texas was amazed at what he saw at one of the hospitals there. The hospital and surgical equipment was old, of crude design and limited quantity. A number of the interned patients were dying with the plague. But the leading men of the country are alive to the true situation and Dr. Dines Martinez is already planning a fine hospital in Mexico City. He intends to devote the whole of next year in touring the United States—gaining ideas and purchasing equipment for his institution.

Next morning green, well cultivated fields with an occasional mule-driven plow, and other evidences of civilization, not only informed us that we were approaching the largest old city in the Western Hemisphere but, by contrast, impressed upon our minds more thoroughly the nature of the country that we had already traversed.

Plowing With Crooked Stick.

Along the greater part of this road the natives use primitive methods of cultivation. For plowing a crooked stick is attached to a yoke of oxen. Sometimes cultivation is not considered necessary, the corn being planted by dropping it in a hole made by a stick carried in one hand. Sometimes la mauger, or the woman, does the plowing, but more often el hombre, with either his wife or one of the children accompanying him. Not only are plowmen usually accompanied, but burro drivers like to go by twos—and in the cities, jitney drivers habitually ride that way.

Doing without adequate water supply, all but the southern part of Nuevo Leon is of little value agriculturally. Because of the scarcity of grass, and bushes that cattle like, it is only a fair cattle country. But mining is an important industry—silver, lead and iron abound in the hills and low mountains. And these ores are found further south, as well as are gold and copper.

Beginning in the vicinity of Monterey and extending south of Saltillo, and then at intervals from San Luis Potasi are many small fields; with corn predominating. Large grain and cattle ranches—haciendas—and scattering fruit orchards, cover the landscape.

Drink Plants.

An important agricultural product, found pretty well all over the country, is the plant from which the well-known mescal and tequila are made. A strong drink is mescal—the most popular strong drink of the Mexican

—a good rebel drink, having a sharp sort of peppery taste. Tequila, more refined and fermented, is even stronger; but being more expensive, it is drunk less. Even the Maguay plant (a species of the century plant) is made another equally important drink, the milk-like, insipid, universally popular Mexican drink—pulque. Being weaker, it can be drunk more plentifully than tequila or mescal. As "dago-red" is the low class Italian, so is pulque to the peon. In fact natives often exist for months on an exclusive diet of tortillas (thin unsalted cakes of mashed corn), frejoles and pulque.

The second travel story in this series will appear in the Ranger Daily Times next Sunday.

SEVERAL SERIOUSLY HURT WHEN CARS ARE DERAILED

By United Press

CHICAGO, May 18.—Twenty-five persons were injured, five seriously, when three cars of a Rock Island suburban train were derailed here today. The third car from the end of the train struck a defective frog and overturned, rolling down a high embankment. The two cars that followed were derailed.

PADUCAH.—A movement for the establishment of a tourist park and fair grounds has been started here. The plot to be purchased covers 30 acres, five acres of which will be used as tourist park. More than \$3,500 already has been raised to purchase the land.

BROWNWOOD.—More than 200 babies between the ages of six months and one year were entered in the better baby show here recently. The show was directed by Miss Florence Jones, Brown county Red Cross worker. The affair was a feature of a pure food show.

IT WILL OPEN JUNE FIRST

To Gas Users

Service is of prime necessity to every Natural Gas company. The consumers demand it. The company must give it or eventually go out of business. Natural gas service must be given 24 hours a day and 365 days a year. The same equipment necessary to provide for the peak loads of winter are in use during the summer. It costs money to provide this service and the consuming public should realize this fact.

Gas without service is worthless. When paying gas bills the consumer should take into consideration the service rendered as well as the gas used.

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In all Sizes and Colors

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Used Car Sale

We have some unusual bargains in second hand Cars of every make which we are going to put on sale this week.

Fords from \$15.00 Up

Other models at your own price.

Come Get Yours



Notice to Water Consumers

For the benefit of those who wish to water their yards and gardens, a rate of 50c per thousand gallons will be made for water used on yards and gardens from May 1st to Nov. 1st, inclusive.

This rate will only apply to water used in excess of each consumer's average use of water for the four months preceding this cut.

This special rate applies to domestic consumers only.

Ranger Water Works



HIS VERY LATEST IN 4 REELS

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50,000 EXTRA VOTES on \$30 Clubs of Subscriptions Until May 25th Greatest Voting Opportunity of Campaign

THE WAY TO WIN MADE EASY! In order to give every candidate entered in this campaign a flying start, and to encourage those who enter this week, the Ranger Daily Times makes known the extraordinary terms of the 50,000 EXTRA VOTE OFFER.

To encourage new starters and to give every candidate now in the campaign the opportunity to get a flying start, it has been decided to give 50,000 extra votes for every \$30 worth of new or renewal subscriptions turned in on or before May 25th, 6 p. m. These votes are in addition to the regular votes allowed on subscriptions as shown on the cover of the subscription books, which are ready for candidates. It is not necessary to hold your subscriptions until you get \$30 worth in order to get the extra votes. Turn in your subscriptions as soon as you get them and the extra votes due will be computed at the end of the offer.

THE 50,000 EXTRA VOTE OFFER is the biggest special voting opportunity of the entire campaign. New subscriptions and renewal subscriptions are worth more during the 50,000 period than they ever will be later.

Enter the campaign today and share in the liberal offer of the Ranger Daily Times.

FIRST PRIZE



Ford Coupe, fully equipped with double Hassler Shock Absorbers, large locked steering wheel, motorometer, sunshade and spare tire. Value \$800.

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FIRST NOMINATIONS IN FORD Coupe--Diamond Ring Campaign

Alert young women in Ranger are realizing to a greater extent each day the tremendous possibilities this campaign holds for individual initiative and ambition. Five weeks of spare-time effort among friends and acquaintances, pleasantly engaged in securing new and renewal subscriptions to The Ranger Daily Times—and a splendid Ford Coupe or Diamond Ring as a reward. The sub-

scriptions bring VOTES—votes win prizes. It doesn't cost one cent now or later to enter—to compete—to win.

Look over the list below! It is YOUR name there? If not, the logical thing to do is to put it there immediately! The race is just beginning; don't be a laggard in making use of YOUR big chance.

The nominations listed below include all received at the campaign office up to 9 o'clock Saturday morning. The vote standing opposite the names in no case represents more than the Nomination Votes, the Extra Votes in the First Subscription Coupon, the Regular Votes on one year Daily and Sunday subscription and such Free Coupons as were tabulated up to 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mrs. B. M. Davis, Winona Apartments	2,000
Mrs. Geo. B. True, Retail Merchants Assn.	2,000
Mrs. E. A. Wheeler, 315 Pine Street	2,000
Miss Julia Owens	2,000
Mrs. H. B. Swayzee, 216 Pine Street	16,000
Miss Mary Massa, Peoples State Bank	105,500
Mrs. Paul Lacy, Ranger State Bank	122,500

SECOND PRIZE



Diamond ring purchased and on display at W. E. Davis. Value \$300.00.

SEND IN YOUR NAME TODAY.

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How Subscriptions Count in Votes

The following scale shows the subscription rates, and the number of votes given on each subscription according to the amount paid. Note particularly the tremendous vote value of longer subscriptions.

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		VOTES	
		New	Old
Three Months	\$ 2.00	2,000	1,000
Six Months	\$ 4.00	5,000	2,500
One Year	\$ 7.50	15,000	7,500
Two Years	\$15.00	40,000	20,000
Three Years	\$22.50	65,000	32,500
Four Years	\$30.00	100,000	50,000
Five Years	\$37.50	150,000	75,000

NOW IS THE TIME TO ENTER AND WIN

Votes cannot be purchased and they cannot be transferred. Once they are issued to the credit of a contestant, they must stay issued. This rule is imperative. There are just two ways to obtain votes, one by clipping the free coupons which appear in each issue of the Daily Times, the other is by securing new and renewal subscription payments to this newspaper. This coupon must be deposited in the ballot box in the campaign office before the expiration date printed on them. All subscriptions must be paid before votes will be issued for them.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Any man or woman over 16 years of age, excepting employees, members of employees' immediate family, carrier or agent of The Times Publishing company may become a candidate in this campaign.

No candidate will be permitted to transfer votes to another candidate after receiving them. Subscriptions cannot be transferred. No subscription money refunded after being received.

The campaign manager reserves the right to reject objectionable nominations. Any questions or controversies that may arise are to be settled by the campaign manager, and his decision will be final and conclusive.

Subscriptions must be paid in cash before credits are issued. No subscriptions for a period of more than five years nor less than three months will be counted.

A new subscriber is one who was not taking The Ranger Daily Times either by mail or carrier, on May 6th, when the campaign was announced. Credits to be issued subject to verification by The Ranger Daily Times.

Prizes to be delivered to the winners in Ranger as soon as the winners are announced by the official judges. In case of a tie for any of the prizes, the candidate tying will receive duplicate prizes or their equivalent.

The campaign officially opens Monday, May 14th, and closes Saturday, July 2nd, at 6 p. m.

No agreements, either written or verbal, made by solicitors or candidates other than those published in the Ranger Daily Times will be recognized.

In accepting entrance all candidates abide by the conditions named.

The Ranger Daily Times reserves the right to place additional prizes on the list and to correct any typographical errors that may appear in any of its announcements.

SPECIAL NOMINATION PRIZE

In the Ranger Daily Times Ford Coupe--Diamond Ring Campaign

The Ranger Daily Times will give to the person nominating the winner of the Ford Coupe, one \$25.00 merchandise order good for that amount in merchandise at any of Ranger's merchants.

Here is your chance to win—nominate yourself or your friends whom you think will win—nominate as many as you see fit, using the nomination entry blank as shown in this advertisement.

Think over the names of your friends whom you would like to see win a Ford Coupe—send them to the Campaign Manager, the Ranger Daily Times.

The winner will thank you and in turn you will receive a \$25.00 gift for your thoughtfulness.

GET BUSY TODAY

You're not limited to any particular territory to obtain your subscriptions and votes. The world is your field. Whether you live 75 miles away from the campaign office your opportunity to win one of these prizes is the same. Your chance is equal. Your hustling ability will determine. Jump in today and put your own town on the map in big red letters by winning one of these prizes. Not luck—not chance—earnest effort alone will win. Test your salesmanship ability. Remember those who start NOW will have the advantage. Be an early bird! This is a short campaign—July 2nd is only a very short distance ahead. Your hustling ability will place you in the winning list.

JUST A LITTLE EFFORT AND YOU CAN DRIVE AWAY IN YOUR OWN CAR!

THIS BLANK

And one subscription to the Ranger Daily Times will start you off with more than 12,000 votes. See one of your friends about this subscription today. Let this blank be your stepping stone to success.

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GOOD FOR
10,000 EXTRA VOTES

This coupon accompanied by the Nomination Blank and your first subscription will start you in the race with more than 12,000 votes, only one of these coupons will be credited to each candidate.

Name of Subscriber
Address of Subscriber
Candidate's Name

Address Amt. Enc. \$ Old or New
Return this coupon to the Campaign Manager with your first subscription and you will receive 10,000 extra votes in addition to regular votes as shown in the regular schedule.



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An appropriation has been set aside to pay cash commissions to contestants who do not win prizes. Every active worker who fails to win one of the regular prizes will receive 10 per cent of the amount in new subscriptions he or she has turned in, providing, of course, he or she remains active until the end and make a cash report each week of one or more new subscriptions from the time he or she enters the campaign.

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