

THE WEATHER

West Texas tonight partly cloudy and warmer; Tuesday partly cloudy, warmer except in south-west portion.

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SENTENCE SERMON. O Heaven! were man but constant, he were perfect; that one error fills him with faults.—Shakespeare.

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DISMEMBERMENT OF GERMANY GOES ON

Twenty-Two Charges Against Walton In Bill of Impeachment Now Pending

Rhineland Sets Up Republic for Occupied Zone

RANGERC. OF C. MEMBERS WILL EAT TOMORROW

Breakfast Will Be Served in McCleskey at 7:30; Ladies on the Program.

Chamber of Commerce members and the ladies of their families will breakfast in the McCleskey hotel tomorrow morning at 7:30 o'clock.

Promptly at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning the breakfast will be served. Fried chicken? Perhaps. Fruit? Probably.

Tomorrow has been designated "Ladies' Day" and the ladies will have a prominent place on the program.

Mrs. M. H. Hagaman will speak of the work of the Twentieth Century club; Mrs. John Thurman will tell what the Child Welfare organization is accomplishing; Miss Nixon, the community nurse, will reveal some of the things she has learned in her examinations of the children in the Ranger schools.

All members of the Chamber of Commerce are urged to attend and to bring the ladies. If possible to notify Secretary Bennett or the McCleskey hotel this afternoon or tonight it might be well to do so and thereby insure an adequate supply of chicken tomorrow.

But whether able to forecast attendance ahead of the breakfast hour or not, Secretary Bennett wishes all who can to attend.

IT IS SAFER TO FLY OVER THAN WALK THROUGH LONDON

LONDON.—According to officials of the London "Safety First Council," it is less safe to walk the streets of London than to travel by rail or by air.

During the past year 684 people were killed and 26,322 injured in London's streets. During the same time the toll on the whole of England's railways was only 728 killed and 19,462 injured.

Long periods of flying occur without a single passenger being killed. Of the fatal accidents in London, 505 were caused by motor cars, motor-vans, etc., and 63 by motor-buses.

FRUIT STEAMER WRECKED BUT PASSENGERS SAVED

BOSTON, Oct. 22.—All passengers on the United Fruit company's steamer San Gill, which has been pounding on a reef in the Caribbean sea, have been transferred to the San Blas, according to radio information received at the headquarters of the fruit company here.

The San Blas was en route from Limon to Boston and reached the side of the San Gill a few hours after the first S O S message was sent out. According to officials of the company there were no casualties.

DEFENDANT TESTIFIES FOR GOVERNMENT AT TRIAL

FORT WORTH, Oct. 22.—First of the several defendants in the trial of Dr. Frederick Cook and associates to testify for the government took the witness stand in the federal court today. J. E. Burmeister, treasurer of the E. M. S. Oil & Refining company, testified relative to a merger involving the E. M. S. stock. He held of agreeing to send out letters to his stockholders urging them to exchange their stock for stock in another company. He said that Dr. Cook loaned him \$4,000, of which he still owed \$3,000.

WELK TO BE TRIED

DALLAS, Oct. 22.—Selection of a jury began today in the case of Sidney Welk, charged with the murder of Willis Champion, night jailer at the county jail here. Champion was shot when C. E. Gaines, postal bandit attempted to escape. Other officers killed Gaines and subdued Welk.

Stinnes Planning To Compete Against Standard Oil Company

DUESSELDORF, Oct. 22.—The Stinnes group of industrialists, says an article in the Dueseldorf Nachrichten, has organized a company with a capital of 100,000,000 gold marks to compete with the Standard Oil company. It is said this company has purchased a large fleet of tank steamers in Argentina and also acquired large holdings of oil lands in Argentina, Persia and Texas.

PROGRESSIVES OF WEST PLAN TO USE CLUB

Bloc of Republicans to Hold Balance of Power in New Congress.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Republican progressives of the west, who will hold the balance of power in the new congress, are mapping out a program as to legislation and organization of the house and senate, and preparing to enforce their demands by every available means.

Because of the rather unusual situation this will develop and the further fact that a national political campaign is in the offing, leaders of the dominant parties look for little constructive legislation at the session which opens the first week in December. It is forecast that adjournment will be taken late in May for the national political conventions and much of the time before that date will be occupied with the framing and passing of the annual appropriation bill.

Enactment of a soldiers' bonus bill is freely predicted, but leaders in congress are not inclined to commit themselves. Efforts will be made to put through some form of railroad legislation, but taxation and tariff revision are looked upon only as remote possibilities.

GOVERNOR NEFF EXPECTED BACK IN TEXAS TOMORROW

AUSTIN, Oct. 22.—Governor Neff who has been absent from the state since last Monday, will return tomorrow night. He has been attending the governors' conference at West Baden and Washington.

Acting Governor Davidson's term will close when Neff crosses the state line at Denison. Neff today advised his offices that he will stay in Indianapolis for the reception to David Lloyd George.

FORMER DRY OFFICERS HELD ON INDICTMENTS

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Gaston Means, a former agent of the department of justice, has been indicted with Elmer Jarnecke, described as his secretary, in four indictments, charged with conspiracy to violate the country's dry laws, and using the mails to defraud.

Means' indictment became known when the seal was broken on the four indictments and handed down to Judge Knox. He was released on \$15,000 bail. Jarnecke has not been arraigned.

SUPREME COURT HOLDS CONVICTION WILL STAND

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The supreme court today held that persons charged with violation of the national prohibition act before coming to trial in the federal court need not always be taken before a grand jury for indictment. John Brede appealed to the supreme court on the ground that he had not been brought to trial on information first presented by the district attorney to a grand jury. He had been sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and serve 60 days in jail.

REDUCED GRAIN RATES HEARING TO BE RESUMED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Presentation of new evidence and arguments on behalf of proponents in the Western states for reduced rates on grain and grain products will be heard in Kansas City, Nov. 14, according to an order issued today by the Interstate Commerce commission.

KENTUCKY'S MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN



Miss Mary Moore just smiled her way into first prize in the Blue Grass Beauty contest, in Lexington, where fast horses and pretty women have made Kentucky famous.

Texas Not Lacking In Candidates For Office of Governor

FORT WORTH, Oct. 22.—Seven Texans have announced their definite intentions of entering the race for the governorship of Texas at the primaries next July. Seven others have been mentioned as likely candidates and their entrance will depend upon interesting developments of the next several months.

Here is the list of certain candidates: Joe Burkett of Eastland county, former district judge and present member of the state senate.

Lynch Davidson, of Houston, millionaire lumberman, former lieutenant governor.

Thomas D. Barton, of Amarillo, who saw active service in France, and present adjutant general.

Thomas W. Davidson, of Marshall, lawyer, and at present lieutenant governor.

W. E. Pope of Nueces county, member of the legislature, author of the Pope textbook measure.

V. A. Collins, of Dallas, former member of the legislature, member of the legislature.

Probable candidates are: W. A. Hangar, of Fort Worth; R. E. Thomson of El Paso; H. L. Cooper, of Darwin; H. M. Thomas of Dallas; E. R. Cockrell of Fort Worth, mayor for two terms; Oscar Holcomb of Houston, mayor, and Alvin Owsley, of Denton, retiring national commander of the American Legion.

COTTON BEGINNING TO COME IN MORE SLOWLY

Beginning next week, the Moss gin does not expect to run every day of the week and accordingly farmers are being urged to get all of their cotton in this week. However, if enough cotton is brought in next week to keep the gin going daily, a new schedule of operation will not be put into effect.

No cotton was brought in today, although the gin company buyer, Pat Nolan, said he would pay 29.35 a pound for good cotton. A total of 631 bales had been ginned Saturday at the close of business.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES TO MEET TUESDAY MORNING

A meeting of the Ranger Independent school district trustees scheduled for this morning was postponed until 9 o'clock Tuesday morning by V. V. Cooper, president of the board. Several of the members and E. O. McNew, superintendent of schools, gathered at the office of the board in the Marston building and waited until 10:30 o'clock for Cooper and then dispersed.

Cooper said he tried to get the members by telephone to notify them the meeting would be Tuesday but was unsuccessful. He said he was forced to postpone the meeting date.

ALLEGED LIQUOR RING IN FALLS COUNTY INVADED

MARLIN, Oct. 22.—C. O. Moore, sheriff of Falls county; Wesley Hunnicutt, former deputy sheriff, and Ben Britt, well known farmer, were arrested last night by Texas rangers, charged with the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors. The rangers took charge of the Marlin jail and found quantities of whisky there.

The arrests were made by C. H. Plott, former sheriff of this county, and Rex Lewis. Plott said he was sent here three months ago by Governor Neff, following the complaints of citizens. He said upwards of 20 arrests may be made. Some of the cases may be referred to the grand jury before arrests are made.

Moore, Hunnicutt and Britt are held in jail.

West Texas Favors Turning Orient To Southern Pacific

FORT WORTH, Oct. 22.—A party of delegates, assembled by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to go to Washington for a conference with interstate commerce officials in an endeavor to get that body to turn the Orient railroad over to the Southern Pacific left here this afternoon for St. Louis and Washington.

For nearly six weeks representatives of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce have been going up and down the line of the Orient getting letters from prominent citizens endorsing the proposal of the Southern Pacific to take over the Orient.

SENATE TO SUSPEND WALTON IF HOUSE VOTES TO IMPEACH

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 22.—A majority of the senate caucused today and agreed that if impeachment charges are filed against Governor Walton, they will pass a resolution suspending him from office during his trial.

This sets at rest conflicting rumors that the governor would be automatically suspended by the filing of impeachment charges, which are expected to be filed this afternoon by a committee of investigation.

The investigating committee continued its hearing up to the hour set for convening and it is believed that supplementary charges are being filed.

Before noon the gallery began to fill up with persons intent on hearing the charges against Governor Walton.

EXECUTIVE OF OKLAHOMA FACES SEVERE CRITICS

House Committee Alleges Incompetency and Willful Unlawful Offenses.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 22.—Twenty-two impeachment charges against Governor Walton with recommendation for their approval were placed before the house of the Oklahoma legislature today by the special house investigating committee.

In the report submitted the committee declares Governor Walton guilty of wilful neglect of duty, incompetency, corruption in the discharge of his official duties, and offenses involving moral turpitude.

Governor Walton is charged in the bill of impeachment with the following offenses and delinquencies: Appointment of Charles H. Bascom to the office of judge of the second judicial district of Oklahoma during his term of office as a member of the house of the Oklahoma legislature, to which he had been elected.

Diversion of Funds. Diversion of funds from the state treasury under the guise of placing his chauffeur on the payroll of the department of health.

Prevention of the organization and meeting of a legally constituted grand jury by martial law.

Use of the executive influence and power to acquire property. Under this charge is embraced purchase of a \$48,000 home from E. W. Marland, Oklahoma oil millionaire involving a transfer of notes which put Governor Walton under great obligations to Marland and interfered with the voluntary exercise of his judgment as ex-officio chairman and member of the state board of equalization.

Flagrant use of the veto power to acquire money for private use.

Suspension of the writ of habeas corpus by unwarranted martial law.

Interference With Election. Unlawful efforts to prevent a special election Oct. 2 when six questions were submitted to the people of Oklahoma.

Appointment and employment of many persons carried on the state payroll, when no statutory authority existed for them.

Refusal to permit the execution of law imposing the death sentence for crimes committed within the state.

Unlawful issuance of \$10,000 certificates of indebtedness.

Unlawful interference with the freedom of the press.

Appointment of special officers to investigate law violations in addition to and supplanting peace officers.

Abuse of the pardon and parole power by the issuance of executive clemency for the purpose of allowing and permitting friends and political supporters to make light of the law.

Corruption of individuals obtaining money in return for executive favors.

General charges of incompetency. Another report is to be submitted to the house by W. E. Sisney, chairman of the investigating committee, embracing other charges.

BAVARIA AND SAXONY ON VERGE OF BREAKING AWAY FROM GERMANY

LONDON, Oct. 22.—A cavalry of German troops, going through Meissen, Saxony, was fired upon from a window in a house, says a Dresden dispatch to Berlin. The soldiers returned the fire and a number of persons were wounded, some seriously. The leader of the communists was arrested.

The Bavarian premier, Dr. Von Knilling, has declared that Bavaria cannot remain united with Germany, says an Exchange dispatch.

Reuter's correspondent says telegrams from Berlin are subject to censorship. According to a news dispatch from Berlin, Bavarian soldiers have taken an oath of allegiance to Bavaria until the end of the present conflict.

Separatists Promise to Recognize Versailles Treaty and Pay Their Share of Reparations. Meet With No Opposition Thus Far.

DUESSELDORF, Oct. 22.—The Rhineland separatists, having successfully proclaimed a republic in Aix-La-Capelle, now are planning to make the regime effective throughout the entire zone occupied by the French and Belgians, and hope to accomplish this before night.

Joseph Matthes, separatist leader, is said to have established his general headquarters at Duren, from which he will direct the occupation of public buildings. The French and Belgians have placed a telephone system at his disposal to enable him to keep in close touch with the movement.

Leo Deckers, 60-year-old manufacturer, one of the separatist leaders at Aix-La-Capelle, said today that the separatists would recognize the Versailles treaty and were ready to assume their share of the reparations payments. He added that Copeland would be the capital of the new republic.

The Rhineland organization is divided into military formations, but is unarmed.

Two Proclamations. The Rhineland republic was proclaimed Sunday. Rhinelanders occupied the public buildings at 4 o'clock a. m. without opposition by the security police.

Two proclamations were placarded. The first of these said: "To the people of Rhineland: The hour of liberty struck. Berlin has plunged us in distressing misery. We come to our own assistance. We proclaim today a Rhineland republic. Free and independent, we wish to live in peace and friendliness with our neighbors and to work in an effective manner with them for the reconstruction of Europe. Workers, every man to his post! Immediate care will be taken to assure peace, work and bread. The Provision Government, Leo Deckers and Dr. Guthardt."

The second read as follows: "The Rhineland republic is an accomplished fact. Any resistance will be crushed pitilessly. Pillagers and disturbers of public order will be punished with the severest of penalties. We shall apply all our care to the questions of food supply and work and will preserve order and peace." This proclamation was signed in the same way as the first.

It is also announced that the separatist forces intend to march northward through the Belgian zone and later through the British zone in an effort to swing the entire Rhineland to their support.

The burgomaster of the city and all local authorities co-operated in the coup, which is said to have been led by Decker.

Dispatches report that the coup was bloodless. Police offered no resistance. Not a shot was fired.

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FRANCE LOOKS WITH CONCERN ON SEPARATISTS

Objects to Partition of Reparations Among Several States.

PARIS, Oct. 22.—It is understood that Premier Poincare doubts the success of the separatist movement in the Rhineland and appreciates the increased difficulties that will confront the allies should it be successful.

There appears to be more concern in French official circles over the situation in Bavaria than in the Rhineland. Dismemberment of the German reich would require the partition of German reparations among several states, which would be much involved and multiply the difficulties.

French authorities will remain neutral in the Rhine, it was said today at the French foreign office.

RANGER WILL BE ON TRANSCONTINENTAL LINE OF POSTAL TELEGRAPH

The Postal Telegraph company in asking the city commission for a franchise to erect poles and wires through the city for its telegraph and cable system intends to have Ranger and other southern cities on its transcontinental line, it is said.

The Postal has a northern line, but it is unsatisfactory in winter because of storms and freezing weather.

ODD FELLOWS PLANNING FOR ADDRESS BY OFFICIAL

Harry J. Emmins, grand representative of Texas to the grand lodge of the world, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will be in Ranger on Tuesday, Oct. 30, to deliver an address at an open meeting, which will be held at a place to be announced later.

Emmins will discuss the principles of Odd Fellowship and tell of his tour through Europe in the interests of the order.

DEALER RATES JELLYBEAN AS OF LITTLE VALUE

DALLAS, Oct. 22.—A local concern, dealing in various kinds of seed, recently received an order from a suburbanite who was ignorant in the ways of city slang. He wrote for 10 cents worth of jellybean seed, which he understood was a new kind of bean.

The company replied that the "Jellybean does not belong to the vegetable kingdom, but to the animal and you should be able to get all you want for 10 cents.

FOOD MOST IMPORTANT FROM GERMAN VIEWPOINT

DANZIG.—A group of German newspapermen recently visited the United States cruiser Pittsburgh in this harbor, and joined in saying the most astonishing thing they saw was the tossing overboard of a quantity of wheat bread left from the noonday meal of the crew. "It was the first white bread most of us had seen in years," one reporter declared.

None of the visitors wrote much about the cruisers' armament. It was the kitchens, the food and ways of serving meals that held their attention.

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BIBLE THOUGHT.
BE CHARITABLE:—Brethren, if a man be overtaken in fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such a one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.—Gal. 6: 1.

TARIFF PUTS UP PRICES.
 One full year's experience of the Fordney-McCumber tariff has so persuaded farmers and wage-earners of its responsibility for the high cost of living and the low prices of agricultural products that Democrats believe these groups of consumers will demand of the next Republican congress a general downward revision of rates. In this effort to lighten the burden of taxes the Democrats will take a leading part.

Since the enactment of the Fordney-McCumber law several big interests which benefit from some of its prohibitory rates have been convicted of practices in restraint of trade. Among these are certain manufacturers of sanitary pottery (protected by duties averaging 40 per cent) and concerns manufacturing terra cotta (protected by duties averaging 65 per cent). Information of the way in which these beneficiaries of executive duties have used their "protection" to create monopolies and fix prices has spread among farmers who are big users of tiles and other clay products.

The Fair Tariff league, a protectionist organization, has analyzed the effect of the Fordney-McCumber law on the cost of living in Kansas and Texas and found that it represents a tax of \$37.50 and \$38 per capita, respectively. The people of other states are bearing approximately the same burden as a result of the tariff. The effect of this tax is to create a considerable disparity between the prices the farmers get for their products and the prices they have to pay for manufactures of various kinds.

The Republican leaders of congress will not be able to use the old excuse that a revision of the tariff will "disturb business." The farmers and workers and thousands of business men are complaining that the present tariff is the principal cause of their troubles and they want a reduction of rates to stimulate foreign and domestic trade and stabilize prices at fair levels.

TRAINING COUNTS.
 Bricklayers of ordinary training have used the same methods probably for 7,000 years. The berry picker, the most ancient of craftsmen, has followed simple and natural methods for thousands of years. Studies of these workers give no indication that the best way to do work is a matter of instinct, or is developed through successive generations by natural processes.

By finding out the best way, as demonstrated by the most expert worker, the bricklayer can be trained to do more than three times as much work with the same effort. The amateur berry picker, most highly educated in everything except berry picking and motion study, may be so trained as to increase his output 15 fold.

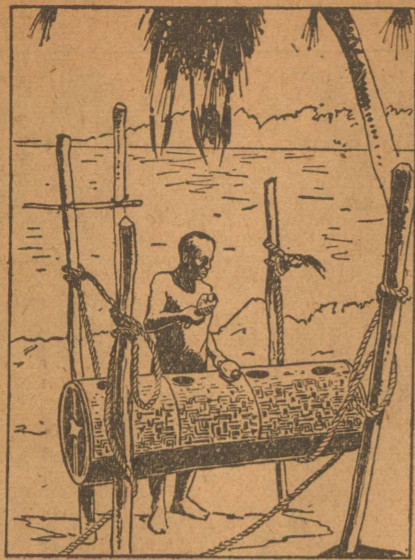
And the more Europe reacts against democracy, the more it will have to dig itself out of the hole. America is not co-operating with bolshevism and fascism, and its mission is not to restore broken monarchies.—Houston Post.

President Coolidge writes little and talks less. That man must put in all his time thinking.—Cleveland Times-Commercial.

What the World's Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE

Hollow Log Is Wireless Set of Wild Jungle Tribes



Long before the first modern radio set came into being the wild South American tribes that live in dense forests and grass-covered plains near the equator, had "wireless" outfits made from the trunks of hollow trees. For years the jungle and tundra have echoed the booming of these huge drums. By means of code systems, each tribal chieftain keeps in touch with his people, calling his warriors, ordering raids against enemies, warning of marauders, or announcing the approach of strangers. The sound emitted by one of these instruments which, it is said, can be heard for many miles, is like the dull, distant boom of a cannon.

Flying Fur-Bearing Animal Reported Found

Without wings and heavier than air, a newly discovered type of fur-bearing animal, or bird that can fly, was reported recently to the French Zoological Society from the wilds of French Cochinchina. About the size of a cat, the creature is said to rise to a height of several yards by distending its stomach until they are

pear like small balloons. Off the ground, they remain either motionless or slowly paddle themselves along with their webbed feet, not unlike the flight of a dragon fly. They have bills like ducks.

Fighting Fire with Steam Saves Many Oil Wells

In the great oil fields of the West, where the ever-present danger of fire haunts the drillers, steam has been found to be one of the most effective means of combating the flames. As a flash of lightning, a spark from a piece of metal, or a lighted match, may start a blaze that will result in the destruction of millions of dollars' worth of property, ceaseless guard is maintained over the wells. Nevertheless, fires are frequent, and batteries of steam boilers are kept in readiness to fight them, as water would only aid their spread. When a gusher turns into a volcano of liquid fire, it is surrounded by a sand embankment to catch the blazing oil; then huge boilers are



brought up, and jets of live steam are turned into the heart of the flames, slowly

Useful Clamp for Stepladder

A simple and useful clamp for the step ladder, that serves as a rest for holding windows while setting the panes or painting, can be made from two pieces of oak



about 2 1/2 ft. long, with a bolt passing through the center of both as shown; wingnut is provided on the bolt. It is not necessary to remove the wingnut to attach the clamp. Merely push the clamp over one leg of the stepladder from the inside and then over the other leg, after which the wingnut is tightened. This tool can be used equally well on a common ladder

Filling Auto Vacuum Tank

If a funnel and small gasoline can are at hand, the simplest way to fill the automobile vacuum tank is to remove the plug at the top of the tank and pour in the gasoline. If no funnel is available, the best method of filling the tank quickly is as follows: Close the throttle and shut off the ignition, then press the starter switch. It may be necessary, with some starters, to switch on the ignition for a moment, in order that the starter gears may mesh. The action of the motor will then cause enough suction to draw the gasoline from the rear tank into the vacuum tank. The throttle must be kept closed, as otherwise the engine simply draws most of the air through the carburetor, and not enough

eration ceremonies which will be featured by the largest parade of Masons ever witnessed in the state.

RUMLEY AND ASSOCIATES MUST SERVE SENTENCES

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The supreme court today denied the petition of Dr. Edward A. Rumley and his associates for a review of their conviction and sentence on charges of conspiracy to hide an interest held by the German government in the New York Evening Mail, during the early part of the war.

Rumley and three associates, Kaufmann, Morzin, and Londheim, were sentenced to one year imprisonment at Atlanta.

SANTA FE AUTHORIZED TO BUY GALVESTON LINE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railroad has been authorized by the Interstate Commerce commission to acquire the line of the Galveston & Western railroad for \$55,000 for the development of a new industrial district in the western part of Galveston.

Hatchet Faced? FORCE Tonic

FORCE feeds the tissues and cells of the body and fills up the hollows of sunken cheeks with good, firm, healthy flesh.

Society AND ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Mrs. Chas. G. Norton, Editor Telephone 224

TUESDAY EVENTS.

Chamber of Commerce breakfast, 7 a. m. at Gholson hotel. Lyceum committee 1920 club meets at 10 o'clock at Gholson hotel. Called meeting Child Welfare club, 10 o'clock at Gholson hotel. St. Rita's Altar society meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Maurice Leveille. Belle Bennett society meets at 3 o'clock at Methodist church High school P.-T. A. meets at 3:45 at schoolhouse. Recreation club meets at 7:30 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Davenport.

PERSONALS.

Miss Gladys Mitchell of Fort Worth is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Murray. E. E. Crawford and son, Nicol, returned Sunday from a several days visit to the Dallas fair. T. K. Taylor, Carl and Tex Hargrave and families attended Dallas fair Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Leake and Mrs. Hocker left this morning to attend the Dallas fair.

CALLED MEETING OF THE TIFFIN P.-T. A. TUESDAY.

Mrs. Jarvis, president of the Parent-Teacher association at Tiffin, has called a meeting at the schoolhouse Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of arranging a Halloween social. All members of the association are requested to be present.

MRS. RAMEY SPEAKS AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Mrs. Ramey spoke to a full house at the First Christian church last night and her message was well received by a large audience. She presented, in a most attractive manner, the fact that Jesus was coming back to earth again and admonished all to be ready for His appearing.

Mrs. Ramey has a wonderful insight into the teachings of the Bible, and she at once makes the impression of her sincerity. At the close of her talk, many came forward and pledged themselves to a better life. Strong men came at the close of the service and asked to be prayed for.

NOLAN COUNTY VOTES BONDS FOR GOOD ROADS

Special to The Times
 SWEETWATER, Oct. 22.—A \$600,000 road bond issue carried in Nolan county Saturday by a 6 to 1 vote. The vote in Sweetwater was 600 to 62, and in Roscoe 222 to 50. Nolan county is the third successive county on the Bankhead highway to vote bonds for call surfacing that road, Taylor and Callahan counties having previously taken similar action.

WACO.—The men's dormitory at Baylor university has been named S. P. Brooks hall, in honor of Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of the university by the board of regents. The girls' dormitory which formerly was called Brooks hall, has been named Georgia Burselon annex.

Many Applicants For Scottish Rite Degrees at Reunion

DALLAS, Oct. 22.—From Texarkana to Amarillo petitions have been received for the Masonic degree of the Scottish Rite to be conferred at the fall reunion which will begin in Dallas Nov. 12 and last for five days. Equal interest is manifested in the territory lying north and south of Dallas several applications have been sent in from Gainesville, Sherman, Denison, Bonham and other points.

Additional interest will be added to the reunion schedule by the dedication of the Hella Temple hospital for children on Nov. 15. This hospital, while erected by members of Hella Temple, is a state-wide institution and will be open to all children in Texas, regardless of color, race or creed. The only requirement being that the parents of the child are not financially able to pay for treatment of the child. No pay patients will be received at the hospital on any basis. It will operate as the one real free non-pay institution in Texas and will be the only one of its kind in the state.

Scottish Rite Masons from all parts of the state will be in Dallas during the reunion week to witness the conferring of degrees and also to be present and participate in the dedi-

Times Want Ads

1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Bulldog pup, 6 months old; white and brown spotted; answers to name of "Burlley"; reward if returned to 1014 Vitalious.

2—MALE HELP

SKAT SALESMAN—Salesman wanted for Skat Paste Hand Soap and other products; sell to grocery, drug, auto and wholesale trade; excellent opportunity to build up steady repeat business. Commission. The Skat Co., Hartford, Conn.

WANTED—100 men to work at the Lone Star Gas plants, 2, 4 and 6 miles west of Ranger. Apply at scene. M. B. Lasch, supt.

WANTED—Boys to sell the Ranger Times on the streets after school. Some of our boys are earning from three to seven dollars each week selling papers. Apply Circulation Department, Ranger Daily Times.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

PARTY who placed ad in Times Oct. 14, regarding lost black suit, please call at Times office.

BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—Keys fitted and duplicated. Nuff said. 210 Elm st.

MONEY to loan in small amounts to individuals with good securities. Apply to Dee Saunders, phone 217.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT
 McELROY Apartments—413 Main St. Phone 474
 CARTER APARTMENTS, 325 Elm St. Phone 565-J.
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TREMONT APARTMENTS—311 Walnut st. Phone 458. Modern and convenient rooms.

12—WANTED TO BUY

WILL BUY a few clean white rags Times office.

16—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—Baby Overland touring car; same as new every way. See Harrell at Light Plant, So. Oak st.

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 2 Hudson Speedsters.
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 1 Ford Coupe.

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Rusk and Pine Phone 55

FOR SALE—1922 Ford roadster, \$185; it's a good one. Phone 194.

WHY PUT new parts in old cars? "We tear 'em up and sell the pieces." Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422-24 North Rusk street.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

FURNITURE WANTED—Highest cash price. New and Second-Hand Store, 121 No. Austin. Phone 276.

FURNITURE WANTED—Highest cash price. New and Second-Hand Store, 201 N. Austin st.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk st. Phone 154.

SECOND HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second Hand Store, Marston Bldg.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE CHEAP—Extra fine bronze turkeys for breeding, 3 good milk cows; also some hogs. 918 Desdemona Blvd.

GOOD milk cow for sale cheap. 611 Pershing st.

FOR SALE—white Leghorn cockerels, 265-egg strain. J. W. Tibbels, 427 Hodges st.

COURT RELEASES DEFENDANTS FOR LACK OF EVIDENCE

PHOENIX, Ariz., Oct. 22.—The case against Purdy McBiles, Tom Tunstall, Esther Lee Tunstall Fulton and Mrs. Letta Smith, charged with the murder of John K. Knight, a wealthy Dallas oil man, was dismissed today for lack of evidence at the close of a preliminary examination. The court held that identification of the skull and bones found buried in the desert not sufficiently strong to warrant holding the quartet to answer for the crime.

The dismissal is no bar to further prosecution of the case in the event new and conclusive evidence is developed, it was said.

CRIME AGAINST THE U. S.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The supreme court today declared constitutional the act of congress decreeing that fraud perpetrated against any corporation in which the United States is a stockholder, is a crime against the United States.

ALPINE.—Approximately 45,000 bushels of apples will be shipped from the Rockaway orchard near Fort Davis this season, according to owners. None of the apples will be sold at retail but will be shipped in large quantities to eastern and northern cities.

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Advertising Men Of Four States to Meet In Convention

By Associated Press.
 CORSICANA, Oct. 22.—How the message of merchandise is brought to the consumers of the world through advertising is to be told when advertising men from Texas, Louisiana, New Mexico and Arizona meet here Nov. 5-7, for the annual convention of the Tenth District Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. Corsicana is preparing to entertain 400 delegates.

Men prominent in commercial and advertising fields from other states will address the convention. A number of debates which give promise of the some spirit, are on the program.

Among the social events will be a stag smoker at the Elks club Monday evening for the men and a theatre party for the women of the convention. Tuesday afternoon there will be a bridge party for the women, and Tuesday night there will be a reception at the Corsicana Country club for all the visitors.

Miss Marie Wathen, advertising manager for Wolf & Marx of San Antonio, will tell the men "What Men Don't Know About Advertising to Women," which is the title of an address she is to deliver at 4:15 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Theodore H. Price, editor of Commerce and Finance, New York, will speak on "What Texas Has to Advertise and How to Advertise It." He will talk at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday, Nov. 6. According to local advertising men who will participate in the convention the address of the New York editor and financial expert is expected to be one of the big features of the convention.

The first afternoon of the convention will be featured by a debate: "Resolved that special editions and special pages are really worth while to publishers and advertiser." Those participating in the debate will be: affirmative, Al Shuman, advertising manager Fort Worth Star-Telegram; Harry Cohen, publisher Galveston Tribune; negative, Dale Rogers, president Rogers-Gane Advertising agency, and Joe Dawson, vice president Southwestern Advertising company, Dallas.

FINEST DAIRY CATTLE WILL BE SHOWN AT NATIONAL DAIRY SHOW

SYRACUSE, Oct. 22.—A comprehensive cross-section of the dairy industry, the great branch of agriculture, will be shown in this city during the convention of the National Dairy show and World's Dairy congress.

Emphasis will be placed on the tremendous part the industry plays in national prosperity and welfare; on its economic importance in bringing \$2,400,000,000 to the dairy farms of the country annually and a greater stability to agriculture, and on productive methods of still further increasing the industry's stability and prosperity.

The exposition will bring together more than 1,300 of the United States and Canada's finest dairy cattle; machinery and equipment for dairy farm and dairy factory valued at \$3,000,000; 300 of the country's finest horses; the latest scientific facts and discoveries in the relation of milk and its products to human welfare, and scores of educational exhibits for the study of farmers in betterment of their farms.

Distinguished scientists and research specialists, delegates from 40 foreign countries, will deliver addresses dealing with improvement and greater efficiency in farm production, manufacture of dairy products, transportation and marketing. Another important phase taken up in detail will be the vital and essential part played by milk in the welfare of mankind.

Recent discoveries have established the fact that in milk are certain qualities which make it a necessary and complete food for humans. It is known to be especially essential for the young, in adequate development of both brain and body.

BIBLE READING INCREASES WITH EACH PASSING YEAR

LONDON, Oct. 22.—People are reading the Bible today more than ever before, says the Daily Telegraph, which quotes figures of the British and Foreign Bible society to support its assertion.

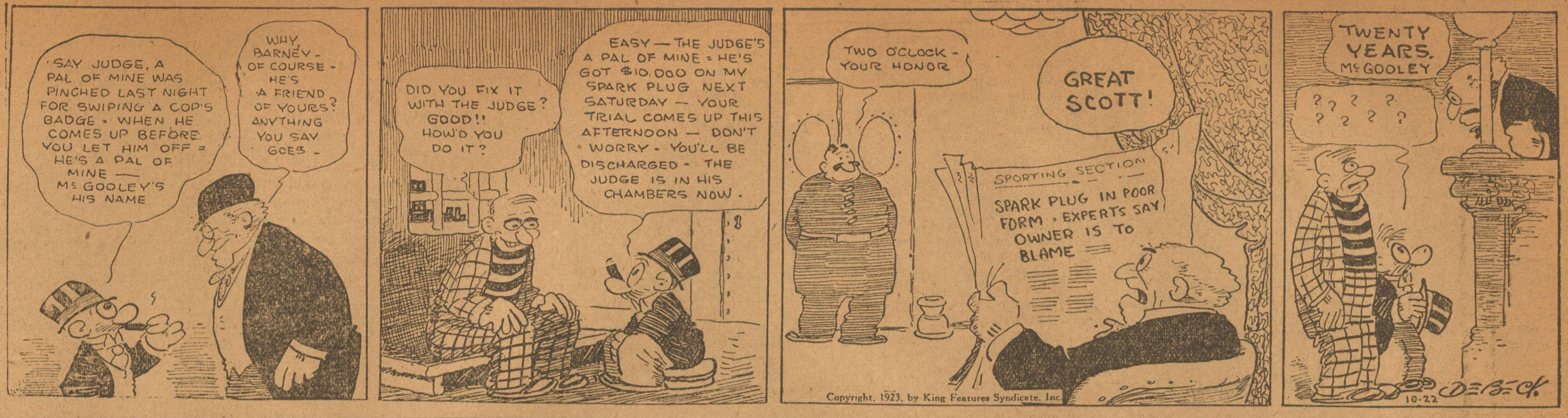
Significant of the world-wide influence of the Bible are the society's figures of their issues in all languages for the past century and a quarter. The figures are summaries of totals at intervals of 25 years, and include Bibles, Testaments, and portions of the Scriptures.

1803	81,157
1823	536,841
1843	1,602,187
1863	2,964,636
1883	5,688,381
1903	8,679,384

Take, too, the test of translation. Homer has been rendered into more than a score of foreign languages, and Shakespeare into nearly forty. Both together fall far short of the translations of the Bible, for the Gospel has been actually printed in more than 700 different forms of human speech and the Bible society, as their share of this work, has helped to spread the message in 558 languages and dialects.

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG—It's Quite Evident the Judge Heard Some Bad News.

By Billy de Beck



MYSTERY IN SHOOTING OF MAN IN WOMAN'S HOME



Great mystery surrounds the possibly fatal shooting of Milton A. Maas, wealthy New York chemical manufacturer, in the Sound Beach, Conn., home of wealthy Mrs. Ida M. Leslie. Maas had just gone to see Mrs. Leslie, who had started out of her house to give her dogs an airing. Two men seized her, and when Maas rushed to her assistance, he was shot down. Police later searched Mrs. Leslie's home and seized a number of love letters, on the theory that a jealous suitor may have hired gunmen to kill his rival.

POLICE RAID VAGS GAMSTERS AND OTHER DISTURBERS OF PEACE

Vags, gamblers, plain drunks and disturbers of the peace were gathered in over the week-end by the police. Sunday morning four women were booked on vagrancy charges at 1:25 o'clock by Officers Jim Ingram and Jim Daniels. All of them paid a fine except one, who was released by Assistant Chief L. E. Davenport.

Five negroes were rounded up on north Marston at 3 o'clock in the morning and marshalled to police headquarters. Charged with gaming, the negroes made bond for their appearance in court.

A 19-year-old boy was arrested on Main street Sunday, charged with being drunk and disturbing the peace. He pleaded guilty and paid off his fine.

Prince Bradley and Willie May, colored, were charged with being drunk and disturbing the peace on North Marston street shortly after midnight this morning and they were haled to the police station. Both pleaded guilty and were fined \$15.70.

AT THE HOTELS

GHOLSON.
 W. P. Culkin, B. H. Wilson, L. C. Ballew and wife, Chicago; L. A. Elting, R. W. Dunn, New York City; J. B. Hoag Jr., Minneapolis; George E. Mehl, Mildred Hayes, J. Henry Smith, Dallas; S. H. Stewart, Desdemona; Charles Burlington, Tonkawa, Okla.; G. W. Spillers, D. A. Koons, Frances Estes, Myrtle Evans, Tulsa; T. C. McFarland, N. S. Longabaugh, L. A. Eberhart, H. E. Linn, H. C. Copper, T. D. Butler, Fort Worth; G. H. Langford, J. Davis, Abilene; R. N. Sandlin, A. C. Lowrey, L. H. Wilson, J. W. Taylor, J. H. Fry, A. Martinez, B. H. Mills, Lester Adams, Ranger; George W. Handlin, San Francisco; Sam Letwin, T. J. Rochford, E. E. Barlow and wife, Breckenridge; A. R. Brown, Phelim; J. H. Mitchell, M. D. McGowan, Frankell; R. L. Allen, Eastland.

SIMMONS COLLEGE GIRLS PLAYING SOCCER FOOTBALL
Special to the Times
 ABILENE, Oct. 22.—Soccer has been inaugurated for the co-eds at Simmons college. Ready response of the girls to the new sport has resulted in the organization of two teams which have already gone through several practices. This week for the first time the teams took the outdoor field, after work-outs in Marston gymnasium. This, possibly the first soccer team in West Texas, will play on Parramore field, the official territory of the Simmons Cowboys.

Soccer, the great English game, is known in American parlance as "football for girls." It differs decidedly from the American intercollegiate game, however, in that the ball is advanced on the field entirely by kicking; all tackling is eliminated, as are all of the more strenuous features of the regulation football. The field used by the girls is shortened to the size of 100 by 130 feet. The ball is round and similar to a basketball only heavier. Is 27 inches in circumference.

Nearly 1,000 small electric home appliances, such as grills, toasters, chafing dishes, curling irons and the like, were placed back in service as the result of the free repair week recently conducted by the electrical dealers of the mainland of British Columbia. During this week the dealers carried newspaper advertisements stating that for the week they would repair small electrical household appliances without charge for labor involved, and would only charge for needed new parts when the cost of these exceeded 25 cents each.

"THE PIKER" NO MORE, "THE BEARS" HAVE COME

By United Press.
 ST. LOUIS, Oct. 22.—The football team of Washington university here this year has begun an attempt to escape from the nick-name attached to it as the result of the world's fair here 20 years ago.

During the fair the strip of ground on which the university is now located was known as "The Pike."

It continued to be called so, and the football team from that same area became "The Pikers."

As "The Pikers," Washington's team was known over the Missouri valley conference schools.

Now the team and its coaches have rejected the name, proclaiming themselves "The Bears." They don't even recognize themselves under the old moniker.

A call for an Ozark mountain bear as a mascot has been sent out, and the bear will be paraded on the sidelines at the big games this fall.

TESTING CLUTCH FOR SLIPPAGE

Slippage of a clutch which runs in oil may be overcome by adding kerosene to the oil. This, of course, does not apply to clutches which run the engine oil. To test a clutch for slippage, proceed as follows: With the brakes set, and the engine running at moderate speed, allow the clutch to engage quickly. The engine should stall immediately.—Automobile Digest.

Four Years Ago In Ranger

Taken from the files of the Ranger Daily Times, Oct. 2, 1919.

The Ranger pool for the first two weeks of October shows a gain of 10,000 barrels in production. With other strong wells expected to be completed on the T. P.'s Norwood and Brooks' heirs estate, production will continue growing for two months.

Ranger has let a new paving contract, and although the time clause gives the contractors 450 days in which to complete the work, the size of the firm and its equipment gives basis for the belief that the work will be done in less. The bid includes 58 blocks or the major part of the paving program, not including the six blocks in the business section of town, which will be finished by the General Construction company.

MAGNETITE IRON ROCK LIKELY TO PROVE VALUABLE

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 22.—Minnesota is producing a brand new iron ore, according to Prof. George M. Schwartz, of the department of geology, University of Minnesota. Three hundred tons a day of the new product is going to Detroit for use in the manufacture of a widely known automobile.

Magnetite iron bearing rock has been known to exist for many years in Northern Minnesota, Dr. Schwartz explained, but it has been impossible to call it an ore because it could not be smelted by any simple process. The magnetic concentration process, introduced by an iron company on the Mesabi range in northern Minnesota, however, changes the rock into a true ore, capable of being smelted, and it is on this account that it is now considered a new ore.

This magnetite rock is found in huge beds at the east end of the Mesabi range and has limitless possibilities of development, according to geologists and miners at the Minnesota university. The concentrating machinery that is being used was invented some years ago by E. W. Davis, superintendent of the mines experiment station of the University of Minnesota.

"The magnetite ore being used at present," Dr. Schwartz declared, "is found on the part of the Mesabi range which lies east of the town of Mesaba. The pit of the Mesabi Iron company is near Sulphur Siding, at a new town called Babbitt. This part of the range is usually known as the East Mesabi, and extends from the town of Mesaba to Birch Lake, a distance of 20 miles. It was in this area that the iron formation of Minnesota was first discovered, but on account of the absence of rich ores, it received little attention until recently."

FIRE ESCAPES MUST BE BUILT AS LAW DIRECTS

By Associated Press.
 AUSTIN, Oct. 19.—Notices are being sent out by State Fire Marshall G. W. Tilley of provisions of the new fire escape law which was passed by the last legislature. Under terms of the act, persons owning or controlling buildings which are subject to the act are given until April 1, next year, to provide buildings with fire escapes.

Warnings are given property owners that unless necessary fire escapes are provided by that time, steps will be taken to compel required protection. Failure to comply with the act is made a misdemeanor, subject to fine or not less than \$20 nor more than \$50. Each day the owner fails or refuses to comply with the act constitutes a separate offense.

The new law was enacted as result of a decision of the court of criminal appeals, holding a former fire escape law unconstitutional. The new law prescribes in detail requirements on various buildings as a means of escaping a similar decision.

FUND TO BE RAISED TO FIGHT BOLL WEEVIL

COLUMBUS, S. C., Oct. 22.—Plans of the American Cotton association to raise an estimated \$50,000 for expenses in fighting the boll weevil next year were announced today by J. S. Wannamaker, president, in his annual address at the convention of the association here.

The migration of farm labor and the abandonment of farms will continue unabated in the cotton belt, he said, until more diversified agriculture is permanently adopted by the farmers and increasing assistance given by local banking and business interests.

TEXARKANA. — A Kiwanis club has been organized in Texarkana.

Fifty-four local business men are charter members of the body. Robert P. Dorough is president of the club.

SEASONS DO NOT CHANGE SO MUCH AS INDIVIDUALS

Snowfalls Are No Lighter Now Than When Our Grandfathers Were Boys.

"No, we are not having lighter snowfalls than when grandfather was a boy," says the weather bureau of the United States department of agriculture, "nor are we having appreciably greater ones."

When some reminiscent relative remarks, "We do not have the big snows nowadays that we did when I was a boy, and I don't think we will ever have them again," one may answer with conviction that the records of the weather bureau tell another story. As a matter of fact, the deep snow remembered by the man who was a boy in the seventies or eighties probably reached that boy's shoulders, but would be less than knee-high with his present stature. Again, many men, who now live in cities, were brought up in the country, where large drifts are piled up when the wind has full sweep over the prairies.

Records at Springfield, Ill., dating from 1884, show the greatest fall on record, 43 inches, to have occurred in the winter of 1913-14. January of 1918 was the most severe month in the climatological history of Illinois, both for low temperature and heavy snowfall, combined with heavy winds. At Albany and New York the snowiest winter occurred more than 30 years ago, but there have been only six winters with more snow than fell in 1922-23. Records at New Haven, Conn., seem to indicate a gradual falling off in snowfall, yet the heaviest record occurred in the winter of 1915-16. Last winter the total was 19 inches above normal. Those who believe the climate is changing will take comfort in learning that the greatest seasonal snowfall on record at Boston, Mass., 96.4 inches, was in 1873-74, but the winter with the least snow, 5.3 inches, was only two years later. At Portland, Me., the greatest snowfall for a winter, 125.5 inches, occurred in 1886-87, but last winter, with but one-half inch less, was next in amount. In the West we find that Cheyenne's winter of least snow was in 1885-86, and the greatest fall at Salt Lake City octaoinnta some 19 years later. The greatest snowfall at Salt Lake City occurred in 1916-17, and the second, third and fourth, since then. Viewing the subject in a broad way, one is led to conclude that there will undoubtedly be heavy snows in the years to come just as there have been in the past, and it is probable that present records will be exceeded in many places.

SLAYER RESISTS ARREST; IS KILLED AND BODY BURNED

By Associated Press.
 ALEXANDRIA, Minn., Oct. 20.—Edward Larson, 38, slayer of Jacob Ley, 60, was shot to death by a posse and his body partly burned when his home was fired in an effort to drive him from cover, possemen found early today when they examined the smoking ruins of the house.

Larson, who is believed to have been driven insane by drinking moonshine, held a large party at bay during the night with rifle, revolver and shotgun. He shot Ley two times after the latter had attempted to intercede for Larson's wife and two sons driven by Larson from their home.

JUDGE HAS "DOLLAR DAY"

Police Judge D. J. Hefferman of Miami, Fla., recently announced and advertised "Dollar Day" in his court in conjunction with local merchants who put on "Dollar Day" sales. But Judge Hefferman sought to discourage rather than attract business. His "dollar day" idea was to add \$1 to the regular fines assessed in his court.

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NOTICE

On November the 5th, 1923, the City of Ranger will begin filing suits for delinquent taxes on real estate. All persons owning real estate in Ranger should see that past due taxes are paid before that date.

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 Special Tax Collector

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Which Is Better? Sniffles, Going Bankrupt or Going West; Himself Thinks Uncle Sam Might Kind to Get-Rich-Quick Promoters.

By P. G. T.

Endeavoring to write this stuff between coughs and sniffles tonight. The popular fall cold may be in style, but it's a darned uncomfortable style to have hanging around, like summer furs, patent leather shoes, 14 collars on a 15 neck and lots of other things that are useless enough to be necessary if one must be in style.

On calling together the ways and means committee of getting-rid-of-colds, the most expedient and pleasurable method proves, as usual the most expensive. It is conceded by some the only method and naturally you have a hunch as to what this method might be, but six dollars to six and a half a pint is too much to pay for any cold medicine even if it is a sure cure.

Of course there are other cold medicines of almost the same character, but they aren't guaranteed to be "aged in the wood" and haven't Uncle Sam's approval stamped thereon. As a matter of fact this unstamped cold medicine is sometimes very dangerous.

One bird known to us bought a quart of the "unapproved" medicine and woke up the next morning to find himself in a room literally littered with pink elephants, blazing red leopards with electrically lighted spots and multitudes of little green monkeys that talked Italian fluently.

Another bimbo took a chance with the unapproved and cured his cold a few days later he had a ride in a beautiful grey limousine. He rode lying down in a pretty box and his friends sent him worlds of pretty, sweet flowers. They even let him lead the parade.

After giving the old bank roll the once-over, we realize, broken-heartedly, that it will be impossible to pay six fifty for a pint of cold medicine and absolutely refuse to lay our money on ourself to stand up under the unapproved treatment. That's one way to gamble with Old Nick—whether you'll still hang around on this terrestrial globe or go down and pay him a visit. So this cold will probably last until spring or get worn out.

Our government surely takes good care of its citizens. Take the oil promoters for instance. For a long while the boys are getting in on the filthy lucre every way possible, they grab in the get hand over fist and vice versa.

Suddenly oil excitement is all shot and there isn't any dimes to pull in any more. All of those who are not wised up to this get-rich-quick scheme have gone broke and oil stock is worth about two and a half times as much as twice that many German marks. The promoters have had their day, spent their money grandly and gladly. The old wolf is outside the cabin door and they shiver to hear him tear off slivers of it trying to get in.

Then in steps Uncle Sammy all benevolent and kind. "Hello, boys," he says, just like a Salvation Army Santa Claus, "kindo tuff sleddin', ain't it. Well, we got a nice little home all picked out for you kinda birds. Don't look surprised, that's the straight stuff."

Then he started picking out their places for them. "Johnny and Petie, you can go over to my house in Leavenworth. Nice easy life over there and you're sure of plenty to eat and a place to sleep. Just enough work to keep you in good health, too. They is lots of jobs, worse 'en makin' little ones out o' big ones. My foreman who runs that camp'll tell ya all about it."

And in such manner throughout the whole pile of promoters, assigning each and everyone to the place to which he is best suited. The boys wink and grin at each other with joy.

"Ain't we in luck. A few years without nothing to worry about and then there'll be good times, just about the time we get out and we can start in the promotin' business again."

Gosh, how I'd love ta' be a oil promoter.

RANGER BIRTH RECORD. Births recorded at city hall. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hamilton, daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Griffith Black, daughter. Mr. and Mrs. James Herrington, son. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stark, son. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anthony Fisher, daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Whitley, son. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Daniels, daughter. Mr. and Mrs. William George Horn, daughter. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Memichael, daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Adolph Turner, daughter. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Austin, son. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Andrew Watt, daughter. Mr. and Mrs. William Harlin Ross, daughter.

"CHRIST ON THE GALILEAN HILLS AT DAWN"



"CHRIST ON THE GALILEAN HILLS AT DAWN", famous painting by J. Eadie Reid embodying a striking conception of Christ. The painting was recently presented to the American National Lutheran Council by the Evangelical Lutheran Church of France, in memory of the late Dr. Lauritz Larsen, first president of the Council, and in recognition of the Council's services to France during the war.

HOME GARDENS THAT PAY

Putting the Fruit Trees and Bushes to Sleep for the Winter Is Explained.

By SETH W. SHOEMAKER (Director, School of Agriculture, International Correspondence School, Scranton, Pa.)

The dormant stage of fruits in the winter is the thing that enables them to go through the cold weather uninjured. This has been likened to the sleep of a person.

If fruit trees are properly handled the sap will run down from the trees late in the season. This hardens the wood and enables it to withstand the low winter temperature. Wood containing a small amount of moisture may freeze without being damaged to any great extent.

This dormant period for fruit plants is a very wise provision of nature and the gardener handling fruit trees and bushes will get the best results by assisting nature to throw the plants into a dormant stage in the fall. Plants that go into the winter thoroughly dormant are resistant to cold and will grow better the following spring.

Hasten Dormant Period. In order to hasten the dormant period of the plants in the fall the quantity of fertilizer and moisture provided should be carefully watched.

Fertilizers containing a considerable quantity of nitrogen should not be applied late in the summer or early in the fall. They tend to force a soft wood growth of the plant and this soft wood growth is especially damaged during the winter.

The moisture of soil carefully saved early in the season by cultivation should be materially reduced toward the end of the season. Taking the water away from the plants at this time will harden up the young shoots of the current season's growth. The success of this hardening process is responsible for the future crops.

To reduce the amount of moisture in the soil, cultivation is discontinued late in the season. Many commercial fruit growers sow a cover crop of rye or clover among their fruit trees during the late summer. As this grows it takes moisture from the soil and the wood of the trees hardens. This cover crop is applied early in the spring and makes a good addition to the organic matter and fertility of the soil.

In the locations where the winters are especially cold, a cover crop of rye and vetch is good. Use at the rate of 30 pounds of vetch with 40 to 60 pounds of rye per acre. A good growth of cover crop of this kind is often worth as much as an application of 10 to 20 tons of manure per acre.

Bush fruits should be mulched with manure or straw around the base, care being taken to keep the material away from the crown of the plant.

EXPERIMENTING IN TOBACCO GROWING AT EL PASO

By Associated Press.

EL PASO, Oct. 22.—Several El Pasoans are experimenting with growing tobacco in the vicinity, and thus far all have been successful, according to those carrying on the tests. It was found that tobacco grows well here on a small scale; but the problems which would surround the cultivating of a large acreage have not been solved, it is stated. The value of such a crop as compared with the value of other crops which might be grown on the same soil has not been determined.

Experiments thus far conducted indicate that about 1,500 pounds of tobacco could be grown to the acre here. A yield of 700 pounds to the acre is considered fair, it is said. Some of the leaves grown here are 32 inches long and 16 inches wide.

It was not demonstrated until five years ago that cotton would do well here, and tobacco may be found to be just as profitable a crop, it is pointed out.

LEAGUE OF TEXAS MUNICIPALITIES MEETS NEXT WEEK IN DALLAS

AUSTIN, Oct. 19.—All city officials in Texas are invited to attend the League of Texas Municipalities Day at the State Fair in Dallas, Oct. 24, according to an announcement which has just been made by Frank M. Stewart, secretary of the league.

The program for the day will start at 10 o'clock in the morning with the morning session in the council chamber of the city hall. The address of welcome will be made by Mayor Louis Blaylock of Dallas, Mayor E. R. Cockrell of Fort Worth, former president of the league, will deliver the response. Other addresses will be made by Mayor W. E. Lea, of Orange, president of the league, and by Mayor O. F. Holcombe of Houston, vice president.

The afternoon session will be held at 2 o'clock at the loud speaker of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company, at the fair grounds. Short addresses will be made by Mayors E. A. Steinhagen of Beaumont, John Tobin of San Antonio; J. P. Hogan, Port Arthur; R. M. Dudley, El Paso; J. W. Deweese, Paris; D. F. Howell, Cleburne; C. W. Middleton, Texarkana. C. W. Fulwiler, Breckenridge; Ben C. Richards, Waco and others.

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MEMORIAL DAY FOR AUTO VICTIMS

RIO DE JANEIRO—(By mail to the Associated Press)—A special memorial day for the victims of automobile accidents was celebrated in this city recently with such popular interest and support that very probably it will become an annual event.

The idea of an automobile victims' memorial day grew out of a proposal, probably made by some way, to celebrate a 'chauffeurs' day' in homage to the powerful labor organization which protects the interests of the automobile drivers. But owing to the large number of automobile accidents, with their toll of killed and maimed, the automobile drivers, as a class, are not beloved by the people. The public protest that was immediately and loudly raised was organized into a day of homage to the auto drivers' victims.

Mass for the souls of the automobile victims was celebrated in the church of Sao Francisco de Paulo, one of the largest temples in this city, and the crowd which attended, consisting for the most part of relatives and friends of those who had been killed by automobiles, filled the great building to overflowing.

Wreaths of flowers were spread on the graves of automobile victims and other flowers were placed on some of the "death corners" of streets where automobile accidents have been frequent.

All of these ceremonies were viewed with great public interest, and called forth much press comment.

Although official statistics concerning automobile accidents have not been published, it is estimated that an average of five persons are killed or injured by automobiles in this city every day.



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DOG CHEWS TOBACCO. Many remarkable things are heard from time to time as to what dogs will do, but one of the strangest stories that has come to our knowledge is about a tobacco chewing dog, and evidently from the manner in which it is told our canine friend enjoys it exceedingly. The home of this dog is in West Virginia in the town of Clarksburg. His name is Laddie and his owner is James Mack. Mack finds great pleasure in the use of tobacco and naturally being of a kind hearted nature he concluded that his four legged pal might derive the same benefit from it as he does. Accordingly Laddie received a generous share and at once showed his ability to master the chew. Since then he has formed the habit, and is very proud of it. He will chew any brand that is given to him, but in every instance he seems to prefer the brand of his master. His tobacco chewing habit has now reached such a point that his owner has to limit him to three chews a

day. In Laddie is a combination of Scotch collie and rat terrier.—Sportsman's Digest. ENROLLMENT AT SUL ROSS ALPINE, Texas, Oct. 20.—Eight states, including Texas, are represented in this year's enrollment at Sul Ross Teachers' college here. The college opened for its fourth year with an increase of 29 per cent over last year's attendance. 53 Texas counties are represented.

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