

RAILROAD BILL SIGNED--EVE OF RETURN

ASST. COUNTY ATTY. RESIGNS FROM OFFICE

G. G. Hazel Accepts Resignation, Effective at Once.

J. E. Ingram, first assistant county attorney, stationed in Ranger, has resigned his place, and the resignation has been accepted by G. G. Hazel, county attorney.

TWENTY BILLIONS IN RAIL PROPERTY BACK TO OWNERS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—At 12:01 a. m. Monday the government will hand over to their owners 240,000 miles of main line railroads and terminals and equipment valued at \$20,000,000,000, over which its direct authority has been extended since Dec. 28, 1917.

The properties will go back leaving the government with a deficit of \$715,000,000 for its twenty-six months of operation. But while the deficit appears large, federal operation has cost the public considerably less under the conditions through rates and taxes than would have been the case under private control.

MEXICAN BANDITS KILL ONE, INJURE BROTHER

NOGALES, Ariz., Feb. 28.—Alexander Frazier, American storekeeper and mining engineer, is dead and his brother, J. A. Frazier, is in a critical condition as a result of a battle with two Mexican bandits who raided a general store owned by the Frazier brothers thirty miles from here near the Mexican line late yesterday.

WILSON BACKERS CALL FOR GENERAL MEETING

DALLAS, Feb. 28.—A number of Texas Democrats "approving the achievements of the present national Democratic administration" today issued a call for an unofficial meeting in Dallas March 6 "for the purpose of organizing for the election of delegates to the national convention who are in accord with us."

ORGANIZED LABOR FIRES FIRST GUN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The first open development in organized labor's campaign to oppose congressmen who voted for the railroad bill came today when it was announced that Glenn E. Plumb, general counsel for the railroad brotherhoods, would search Ohio next month to speak in support of the brotherhood plan for a tri-party control of the railroads and against congressmen who voted for the bill.

MISER DIES BECAUSE WILL NOT CALL DOCTOR

OMAHA, Feb. 28.—A. J. Seaman, agent executive and eccentric miser, reputed to be worth nearly \$500,000, died last night from blood poisoning, which he would not have treated, it is said, because of the expense. His nearest relative is a sister in Los Angeles who is said to be too poor to come for the funeral.

POSTERS MARK PARK BACKERS' SHOP WINDOWS

Subscriptions to the Ranger park drive are coming in slowly, due to inability of the committees assigned late in the week to cover the lists of contributors. Despite the delay, the sum has grown to \$3,582. It is expected to jump when the committee covering the oil companies, supply stores, tool companies and lumber yards makes its report.

Posters, marking those who have contributed will be placed Monday morning in the show windows of merchants who have helped the drive so far.

Quisile & Andrews, carpenters and contractors, have agreed to take over the supervision of the work of erection of grandstand, bleachers and club house at the new park, as their part of the contribution, a service that more than cares for their appointment.

The contributions to date are: First National Bank, \$250.00; F. & M. State Bank, 250.00; Guaranty State Bank, 250.00; Texas Bank & Trust Co., 250.00; E. J. Barnes Lumber Co., 200.00; Bank of Ranger, 100.00; M. H. Smith, 100.00; M. R. Newnam, 100.00; Erick-Reid Supply Co., 100.00; John M. Ghoslen, 100.00; Norvell Wilder Hdw. Co., 100.00; M. H. Hagaman, 100.00; Tex Rickard, 50.00; Cawley Brothers, 50.00; R. M. Davenport, 50.00; Oilbelt Motor Co., 50.00; Texas Drug Co., 50.00; Bernstein & Weinberg, 50.00; C. & A. Store, 50.00; Rev. C. Outlaw, 50.00; Milford Furniture Co., 50.00; Guheen Brothers, 50.00; J. M. Morgan, 30.00; Bob Disney, 25.00; John A. Davenport, 25.00; Teeple & Wilkie, 25.00; Leveille-Maher Motor Co., 25.00; Craven Realty Co., 25.00; A. V. Redleton, 25.00; Raymond Teal, 25.00; C. J. Dietrich, 25.00; Ranger Gasoline Co., 25.00; R. S. Shackelford & May, 25.00; Brabner Brothers, 25.00; Dr. A. N. Harkrider, 25.00; Dr. S. D. Terrell, 25.00; Karl E. Jones & Co., 25.00; Ralph G. Stockman, 25.00; Levy & Evans, 25.00; Beshgetoorian & Cobelli, 25.00; Ranger Electric Co., 25.00; West Texas Electric Co., 25.00; R. D. Lincoln, 25.00; Clark & Richie, 25.00; Modern Plumbing Co., 25.00; Dodson & Dodson, 25.00; Strawbridge Electric Co., 25.00; Dr. W. C. Palmer, 25.00; Drs. Hodges & Logsdon, 25.00; Ranger Drug Co., 25.00; Dr. C. H. Day, 25.00; Phillips Brothers, 25.00; Oil City Pharmacy, 25.00; Dr. W. L. Allen, 25.00; Drs. Stucki & Finnegan, 25.00; Dr. H. C. Bowden, 25.00; Tivol & Keeley, 25.00; A. C. Ratliff, 25.00; Mead Brothers, 25.00; J. F. Champion, 25.00; J. C. Galloway, 25.00; Brooks & Turner, 25.00; Dr. Frazier & Shelton, 25.00; Pete Davis, 25.00; J. H. Mead Paint Co., 15.00; R. E. Baker, 10.00; Welliver & Davis, 10.00; H. L. Hausenfluke, 10.00; J. A. Cammack, 10.00; W. G. Grubbs, 10.00; H. F. Morgan, 10.00; C. Ernest Terrell, 5.00; T. B. Wofford, 5.00; T. C. Hart, 5.00; J. S. Sandefur, 5.00; Wm. Barragry, 5.00; J. L. Rymann, 5.00; H. T. Latham, 5.00; George N. Rhodes, 2.50; Leon Strawbridge, 2.50; O. F. Hill, 2.50; T. H. Simpson, 2.50; T. L. Zimpleman, 2.50; J. W. Thompson, 2.50; R. M. GIBSON, 2.00.

FUND TO PREVENT BOOZE SMUGGLING CALLED "USELESS"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The house unanimously refused today to appropriate \$1,000,000 for use until July 1 in attempting to prevent the smuggling of liquor over the Canadian and Mexican borders. Provision for the appropriation has been inserted in the general deficiency bill by the senate.

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CONSERVATION DAY FOR TOTS IS MARCH 6TH

The Parent-Teachers' club of Ranger has set aside March 6 as "Child Conservation" day for this city and vicinity. March 2 was the day originally proclaimed by Governor Hobby but has been amended by the local organization.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Another day of oratory and maneuvering in the senate ended tonight with all elements in the treaty fight agreeing that ratification seemed far away.

The leaders are understood to have agreed that unless some unexpected circumstance alters the senate alignment enough votes cannot be brought together either to modify the Republican articles of reservation or secure ratification of the treaty without such a modification.

In this situation a disposition became apparent among the treaty's friends and foes alike to bring the senate debate to an end and let the issue go undecided into the political campaign. By unanimous consent it was agreed to vote Monday on the reservation, which has been pending for two days, and in some quarters it was predicted that a final vote on the treaty itself would be reached before the end of next week.

At least twenty Democrats apparently were determined to stand with President Wilson in opposing ratification unless a change could be made in the reservations which the president has said "would cut the heart out of the treaty."

In addition there are at least fourteen Republicans and Democrats banded together in the irreconcilable campaign against ratification in my opinion it would take a total of only thirty-three votes to defeat any satisfaction resolution.

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I. W. W. COUNSEL FAILS TO PROVE AGGRESSIVE ACT

MONTESANO, Wash., Feb. 28.—Defense counsel in the trial of ten alleged I. W. W. for the murder of Ward O. Grimm, Centralia Amistice day parade victim, failed today to prove an overt act on the part of Grimm, Judge John M. Wilson, presiding at the trial, ruled today.

Judge Wilson ordered the defense counsel to desist from attempting to prove an alleged conspiracy to raid the I. W. W. hall in Centralia until he had proved to overt act. Defense witnesses throughout the day had testified in an effort to prove Grimm had attacked the I. W. W. hall.

PREACHER REFUSES INCREASE IN SALARY

BRISTOL, Feb. 28.—The Rev. Gustav Francis Geckh, a native of San Francisco, who is pastor of the Oakfield Unitarian church here, has caused some comment by refusing to accept an increase of fifty pounds in his stipend offered by his congregation.

FUEL COMMISSION IS CONTINUED BY ORDER OF WILSON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Coinciding with the signing of the railroad bill tonight, President Wilson issued executive orders providing for the continuation of the powers of the fuel administration but divided them between the director general of railroads and the commission of four.

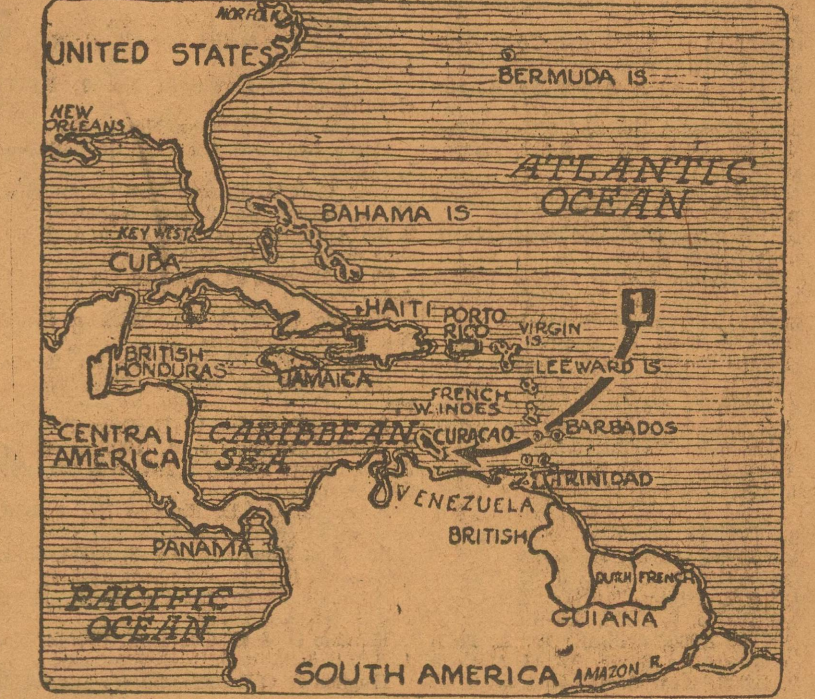
Director General Hines will retain jurisdiction over domestic distribution while the commission will handle export coal matters.

The order creating the commission is effective until April 30 next. The order said the action was taken "because of the present emergency and in order to insure an adequate supply and equitable distribution and to facilitate the movement and to prevent local or general scarcity of coal.

I. W. CULP CANDIDATE FOR LIEUT-GOVERNOR

TEMPLE, Feb. 28.—I. W. Culp, member of the legislature, 6th district, today announced his candidacy for lieutenant-governor of Texas.

SECOND ST. HELENA SUGGESTED FOR KAISER



Arrow from figure 1 indicates Island of Curacao.

It has been suggested that, inasmuch as Holland seems determined to resist efforts of the allies to lay their hands on ex-Emperor Wilhelm of Germany that the Dutch be asked to exile the ex-ruler on the island of Curacao. This island is a Dutch possession off the coast of Venezuela. The island would, in this case, become the modern St. Helena. It is understood that Holland may spurn even this plan for punishing the ex-Kaiser.

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Officers believed the robbers escaped in an automobile and that they are hiding in some north Texas city, probably Dallas.

The robbers entered the bank through a rear window and when discovered by Rye immediately opened fire, one bullet penetrating the watchman's abdomen. Rye, who died fifteen minutes later, fired four shots, but it was believed the bandits escaped unscathed.

Sound of the shooting quickly brought several citizens to the bank but the pair had gone. Shortly afterwards farmers south of Plano reported the passage of an automobile at high speed toward Dallas.

Early estimates of the value of the stolen bonds proved excessive when a check had been completed late today. It was at first believed the amount would reach as high as \$200,000.

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The list, with a covering note of considerable length has been drawn up and will be submitted to the supreme council. It is expected it will be forwarded to Berlin within the week.

FINE WEATHER IN SPAIN.

MADRID, Feb. 28.—All central Spain, including Madrid, has enjoyed perfect springlike weather during the first three weeks of January. On Sundays and holidays, the open air cafes in the surrounding foothills have been crowded with patrons taking their midday meal in the open air, while the hills themselves have been spotted with family picnic parties.

The fine weather has done much to check the epidemic of influenza, which was causing so many deaths in December.

DOCK MEN STILL HATE HUN.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Resumption of prewar shipping relations with Germany is not progressing very smoothly. At Barry, the dockers refused to load the Hedwig Fischer, a German steamer which was to take a cargo of canned meat for Bremerhaven. She was thereupon sent to Avonmouth, where the dockers were reluctant to do the work, but finally consented. None of the German crew were allowed ashore.

JOHN BARTON PAYNE APPROVED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The senate today confirmed the nomination of John Barton Payne, chairman of the shipping board, to be secretary of the interior to succeed Secretary Lane, resigned.

PRESIDENT WILSON VESTS IN DIRECTOR GEN. HINES ALL POWER OF EXECUTIVE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—President Wilson signed the railroad bill tonight on the eve of the return of the roads to their owners and to private operation.

In a proclamation issued at the time the bill was signed, Mr. Wilson vested in Director General Hines virtually all powers conferred upon the executive by the bill. Mr. Hines also will continue to exercise the duties of director general, which are continued beyond the return of the railroads to private control at midnight tomorrow night.

The White House also made public the text of the President's reply to a recent request of representatives of the railroad brotherhoods that he appoint a commission composed equally of employer and employee delegates to consider wage demands made by the brotherhoods.

It deals wholly with the wage demand settlement proposal and does not refer directly to the memorial later presented by the brotherhood heads asking that he veto the railroad bill.

In his letter Mr. Wilson said the copy of the railroad bill "made it evident that I could not act or give suggestions until it should have been determined whether the bill would become a law or not."

"It was manifest," the letter continued, "that if the bill should become a law the negotiations and considerations of the wage matter ought to proceed in harmony therewith."

"The bill having now become a law, the way is open for immediate action on the wage matter in accordance with the terms of the bill. Section 301 of the bill evidently contemplates that the carriers and employees should, as suggested by you, select representatives who will constitute a bi-partisan board for the purpose of attempting by conference to agree upon a solution of this wage problem."

In his letter President Wilson told brotherhood leaders that he did not share their apprehension concerning the bi-partisan labor board.

"I am sure," he wrote, "that every agency which will be involved in the creation of the labor board and in the conduct of the negotiations fully appreciates that the wage demands are entitled to the earliest possible consideration and disposition and therefore I do not anticipate delay in the appointment and organization of the labor board or in the other necessary steps."

In investing Mr. Hines with the powers granted to the President by the bill, Mr. Wilson made one exception. The President himself will later name the agents or agencies of the government against whom suits may be brought to satisfy claims arising out of government control of the railroads and provided for in the bill.

AMERICA LOSES ITS MORAL LEAD BY LOSING NERVE

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—The position which America held at the close of the war as moral leader of the world was relinquished, said Secretary of War Baker at a luncheon today of the Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce.

"We made reservations until the moral leadership passed," he declared. "Reservationists have no sense of pronation. They forget they are dealing with the state of mankind. Our adhesion to the League of Nations is what will save the world."

"On March 4, 1921," Mr. Baker said, "I expect to be inaugurated back in private life and what I say is said as one who is leaving public life."

Mr. Baker said the war department will reclaim by sale of property in France and in this country nearly \$3,000,000,000 and that the money will return to the treasury to "ease the terrible burden of taxation."

MURPHY WINS BIG SPEEDWAY MEET AND \$10,000 PURSE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 28.—Jimmy Murphy, a novice as a driver, won the Los Angeles speedway opening event of '20, miles and captured the \$10,000 purse, first money today. His time was 2 hours, 25 minutes, 17.50 seconds.

Tra Vail was second and Joe Thomas third. Murphy's average time was 103 miles an hour.

SIBERIAN REGIMENT PHILIPPINES-BOUND

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Arrival at Vladivostok for embarkation of the last army detachments in Siberia was indicated in a message today from Major General Graves, commanding, which said the last of the 27th Infantry reached there Wednesday en route to the Philippines.

The regiment has been guarding the Trans-Siberian railway.

Operations and Completions Throughout the Ranger Field

Active operations in Eastland county, compiled to Feb. 23:

Fensland Oil company, Stokes No. 1, 2,050, drilling.

Sammies Oil corporation, Baggett No. 1, 200, drilling.

Mid Kansas, C. J. Harrell No. 1, 3,312, shot with 400 quarts, making 600 barrels; No. 5, Ac. 5, 650, drilling.

North America Refining Co., G. U. Connelley No. 1, 3,784, clearing out.

States Oil Corporation, W. H. Ray No. 1, 2,025, drilling; Parrock No. 2, 1,275, setting 6 3/4 inch; J. E. Mix No. 3, 1,500, drilling.

Ajax Oil Co., Holeman No. 1, 1,290, drilling.

Bark Central Oil, Langford No. 1, 820, drilling.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., Loper No. 3, 3, 4, rigs.

Mid Kansas, C. J. Harrell No. 1, Ac. 2, 1,640, drilling; No. 4, rig.

Ranger Texas, C. J. Harrell No. 2, 3, rig and tools.

States Oil Corp., Summerall No. 1, 3,300, cleaning out; No. 1, Loper No. 3, east tract, rigging up; Nos. 4, 5, rigs; H. L. Loper No. 1, west tract, 930, drilling; No. 2, 1,380, drilling; No. 3, 1,760, drilling; No. 4, rig; Shahan No. 1, 930, drilling; I. C. Harrell No. 2, 1,844 to 1,880, making 800 barrels; No. 3, 1,165, drilling.

Gulf Production Co., Barnes No. 9, rigging up; No. 10, rigging up.

John Markham, Thompson No. 1, rig.

Ohio Cities, D. J. Pierce No. 2, rig.

Sinclair Gulf, W. T. Davis No. 3, rig; T. J. Earnest No. 2, 1,710, drilling.

Sun Co., J. G. Christmas No. 5, 330, drilling.

T. P. C. & O. Co., Meador No. 9, rig; Barker No. 2, 1,155, drilling; Terrell No. 5, 3,100, retaining rig.

Vulcan Oil Co., W. T. Davis No. 2, rig; B. A. Davis No. 3, rig; No. 4, 3,550, making 20,000,000 gas and show of oil.

Mid Kansas, Griffin No. 3, 3,310, drilling; No. 4, rig.

Sinclair Gulf, Thompson No. 3, rig.

T. P. C. & O. Co., D. W. Waggoner No. 1, rig.

Texas Co., Stanley No. 3, 3,165, cleaning out.

Ross and others, Bond No. 1, 120, underreaming.

States Oil Corp., J. W. Carter No. 1, 960, cleaning out; Peel No. 2, 3,520, drilling; No. 3, 3,530, shot, making 100 barrels; Henderson No. 1, 330, drilling.

Barelay and others, Turner No. 3, rig; No. 5, 3,280, setting 6 3/4 inch.

T. P. C. & O. Co., Glenn No. 2, 1,440, drilling; Cook No. 1, 4,356, shut down for orders; P. O. Ranch No. 2, rig.

Northern Texas Oil Co., D. C. Woods No. 1, 1,250, drilling.

Chapman and others, Wright No. 4, rig.

Drillers Oil Co., Barnes No. 4, 815, drilling.

Fulton Oil Co., Brooks Heirs No. 1, 3,500, drilling; No. 2, 3,215, setting 6 3/4 inch.

Gladstone Oil and Refining Co., Wright No. 2, 3,250, drilling; No. 4, rig.

Gulf Production Co., C. L. Perkins No. 3, 3,545, drilling; No. 4, 3,528, cleaning out; No. 5, 3,495, drilling; No. 9, 1,515, drilling; No. 10, 1,212, drilling.

Humble O. & R. Co., Fry No. 3, rig; No. 6, 3,553, will shoot; No. 7, 3,535, ter barrel pumper; No. 8, 3,245, connecting pump.

Leon Oil Co., Allen No. 2, rig in new location; No. 8, 3,380, drilling; No. 11, 2,950, drilling.

Mildren and others, Harmony church lot No. 1, 1,765, total depth, 20,000,000 gas and 100 barrels oil.

Ocean Oil Co., Brooks heirs No. 2, 3,502 to 3,532, shot with 120 quarts, cleaning out; No. 3, 3,527, some oil.

Porter Wertz Oil Co., Perkins No. 3, 3,547, making 40 barrels.

Ranger Brooks Oil Co., Brooks heirs No. 2, 2,300, drilling; No. 4, 1,220, drilling.

Ranger Central Oil Co., Brooks heirs No. 2, 3,326, drilling.

Ranger Rock Island, Wright No. 1, 1,540, new rig; No. 5, 1,050, drilling.

Root Hupp & Duff, Perkins No. 4, 3,433, making 1,000 barrels; Picket No. 8, rig; Nos. 9, 10, rigs.

States Oil Corp., T. Y. Butler No. 2, 1,550, drilling; Earnest No. 2, 3,310, drilling; No. 3, 3,415, moving back boiler.

Texas Co., Littleton No. 2, rig; No. 4, 1,945, drilling; No. 9, 3,280, running 6 3/4 inch; No. 10, 1,950, drilling; No. 11, 742, drilling; No. 12, 1,100, 2,660, drilling; No. 14, 2,890, cleaning out; No. 15, 2,465, drilling; Turner No. 2, 3,313, drilling; No. 4, 2,183, drilling; No. 6, rig; No. 7, 3,493, drilling; Boyd No. 6, 3,280, wedging 6 3/4 inch; No. 7, 3,454, setting liner; No. 10, 1,219, cleaning out; No. 22, 3,325, drilling; No. 23, 3,615, drilling.

Texas Oklahoma Oil Co., Pleasant Grove church lot No. 1, 300, repairing rig.

Root, Hupp & Duff, Picket No. 12, 3,595, shut down for orders.

Vulcan Oil Co., Hamor No. 1, 3,525, drilling; No. 2, 3,020, setting 5 1/2 inch; No. 3, rig.

John Markham, Danley No. 3, 3,445, cleaning out; No. 3, 3,284, cleaning out; Nos. 7, 8, 9, rigs.

Sinclair Gulf, B. L. Danley No. 9, 3,450, splicing line; No. 10, 1,075, drilling; No. 11, rig.

Sun Co., Rust No. 10, 3,235, cleaning out; No. 12, 3,000, drilling; No. 13, 754, drilling; No. 17, 3,527, swabbing; Maynard No. 3, 3,581, will shoot; No. 4, 3,063, drilling.

Texas Co., Hise estate No. 2, 715, drilling; Nos. 3, 4, 5, rigs; Boyd No. 21, 2,131, cleaning out.

T. P. C. & O. Co., Butler No. 13, 1,445, drilling; No. 16, 3,402, drilling; No. 17, rig; O. E. Meador No. 3, 1,475, drilling; No. 4, 460, drilling; No. 6, 2,250, drilling; No. 10, 670, drilling.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., Nash No. 13, 1,165, drilling.

Markham and others, Coneland No. 24, 3,336, producing 200 barrels.

Mid Kansas, E. H. Layne No. 4, 3,504, cleaning out after shot.

T. P. C. & O. Co., B. P. Davenport No. 4, 3,480, drilling; W. R. Hodges No. 3, 3,460, cleaning out; J. H. McCleskey No. 8, rig; No. 9, 1,392, drilling; McCleskey heirs No. 2, rigged up.

Texas Oil Syndicate, M. F. Bradford No. 1, rig.

Gulf Prod. Co., J. W. Ray No. 2, 1,025, underreaming.

C. B. Shafer, Flke No. 1, rig.

Eldorado O. & G. Co., Hawk No. 1, 970, setting 12 1/2 inch; Williamson No. 1, 500, drilling.

Gillespie, A. Bobo No. 1, rig.

Great Southern, Bumgarner No. 2, 600, drilling.

New Domain, Williamson No. 1, 1,675, drilling; Nos. 2, 3, rigs.

Texas Arizona Oil Co., T. M. Johnson No. 1, rig. No. 2, spudded.

Albers Oil Co., Turner No. 6, 3,445 to 3,491, shot with 200 quarts, cleaning out.

Caldwell Oil Co., T. F. Connelley No. 1, rigging up.

Champlin & Winkler, Roper No. 2, 3,200, drilling. No. 3, 1,200, drilling. No. 4, rig.

Chapman et al., Sue No. 4, 2,075, drilling. No. 1, rig. No. 8, rig.

Duke-Bark-Ranger, Niver No. 1, rigging up.

Empire, Peoples No. 3, 2,212, drilling.

Gillespie, O. J. Cotton No. 3, 3,350, will plug back to 3,211. No. 4, rig.

Gulf Producing Co., McClarney No. 1, 2,475, flowing by heads.

R. O. Harvey, Mattie Cotton No. 6, 3,456, total depth, shot at 3,385 to 3,426, 120 quarts, hole full of oil. No. 8, rig.

Humble O. & R. Co., Sat No. 3, rig.

Fargason No. 2, 3,550, waiting for shot. No. 3, 3,300, cleaning out. No. 7, 2,900, drilling. No. 8, 3,210, cleaning out. No. 9, 920, drilling. No. 10, 2,010, setting 10-inch. No. 11, 3,501, cleaning out. 1,000 feet of oil in hole. McCord No. 5, 3,370, making 20 barrels at 3,325.

T. F. Connelley No. 2, 3,190, drilling. No. 3, rig. No. 12, 3,474, cleaning out. No. 14, 3,449, waiting for shot.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., J. M. Turner No. 4, 1,465, drilling. No. 5, 727, drilling. No. 6, rig. No. 7, 1,800, drilling. No. 8, rig. No. 9, 1,900, drilled. W. A. Harris No. 2, rig. No. 6, rig. W. H. McCord No. 2, 3,593, total depth, shot with 80 quarts at 3,530 to 3,555, hole full of oil. No. 3, 3,220, setting 6 5/8-inch. T. W. Connelley No. 12, 3,270, setting 6-inch. No. 17, 3,405, drilling. No. 20, 3,190, drilling.

West Virginia, J. A. Brown No. 1, 3,545 to 3,660, shot, making 40 barrels.

Rickard Texas, Mattie Cotton No. 2, 1,610, shut down for orders.

Royal Duke Oil Co., J. M. Hanks No. 2, 2,104, setting 6-inch.

States Oil Corporation, J. R. Niver No. 2, rig. Mrs. M. E. Turner No. 1, 2,805, drilling. No. 2, 330, drilling. No. 3, 1,420, drilling. No. 6, rig. Earnest No. 5, rig. No. 6, 3,327, rig burned. No. 7, 3,332, setting 6-inch. No. 8, 3,420, pulling 10-inch.

Sun Co., Daniels No. 1, 3,505, making 30 barrels from 3,490.

Thames et al., J. O. Sat No. 1, 3,221, pulling big pipe.

Texas Co., Turner No. 11, 1,510, drilling. No. 12, rig.

T. P. C. & O. Co., Norwood No. 4, 3,340, pulling 10-inch. No. 7, 3,365, drilling. No. 12, 3,442, total depth, will shoot. No. 25, 80, drilling. No. 28, rig. No. 29, 730, drilling. No. 30, rig. J. E. Buster No. 22, 600, drilling. No. 23, rig.

West Virginia, Mattie Cotton No. 2, rig. No. 3, 2,640, drilling. No. 4, 1,200, drilling.

Crosbie & Davis, Bank No. 9, rig.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., Julia Davis No. 5, rig. P. O. Harris No. 4, 3,220, setting 6-inch. T. W. Connelley No. 19, 2,810, drilling.

Steiner, J. E. Butler No. 2, rig.

Westheimer et al., Hamilton No. 3, rig. No. 5, 3,490, making 300 barrels. No. 6, 160, drilling.

T. P. C. & O. Co., O. P. England No. 4, rig. Hand No. 8, rig.

Wagner and Steiner, D. McCleskey Nos. 6, 7, rigs. Excess E. Bush No. 1, rig.

W. T. Pitecock et al., C. H. Clewley No. 4, 3,301 to 3,315, making 500 barrels.

W. T. Pitecock No. 2, 295, drilling.

Sun Co., Allen ranch No. 3, 3,093, pulling 6-inch.

Arizona Braden Oil Co., Kincaid No. 2, 1,620, drilling.

Cogsdell, Candel No. 1, rig.

Acme Oil Co., Bressford No. 2, 1,530, drilling.

F. E. Day, Downtown No. 1, 3,677, cleaning out.

Lydens et al., Allan No. 1, rig.

Mann Rothwell Oil Co., Connell No. 1, rig.

T. P. C. & O. Co., Brewer Nos. 19, 20, rigs. M. S. Henson No. 2, rig. Galloway No. 2, 3,514, rigging up. Smith No. 1, 3,900, shut down, making 200 barrels.

C. L. Mullins, H. Schmick No. 1, spudded.

Humble O. & R. Co., William Sneed No. 1, 2,480, drilling.

Leon Oil Co., E. H. Webb No. 2, rig.

Ranger Dallas, Minnie Sibley No. 1, rig.

Bendum & Trees, C. U. Connelley No. 3, 3,935, drilling. O. 4, 100, spudding.

Jacob Lyeira No. 1, 3,286 to 3,290, 20,000,000 gas.

Acme Oil Co., D. Earnest No. 1, 850, shut in for gas.

Sun Co., Blackwell No. 3, 3,064, shot, making 15 barrels, will shoot again.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., C. E. Allen No. 2, 3,200, drilling.

Humble O. & R. Co., Burk Griffin No. 1, 3,214, drilling, with show of gas.

Hughes & O'Rourke, J. W. Blackwell No. 1, 2,200, drilling.

Humble O. & R. Co., Cook No. 1, 3,225, moving boiler. Mahan No. 1, spudded.

Martin Oil Co., Gilbert No. 1, 1,650, drilling.

Foster et al., Hillburn et al. No. 1, 3,060, drilling, 515 barrels.

Texas Co., D. H. Maxwell No. 1, 2,095, drilling out bit.

Spencer Petroleum Co., J. B. House No. 1, rig.

Lipigen et al., Albin No. 1, rigged up.

Texas Co., J. M. Bowen No. 1, 1,452, drilling.

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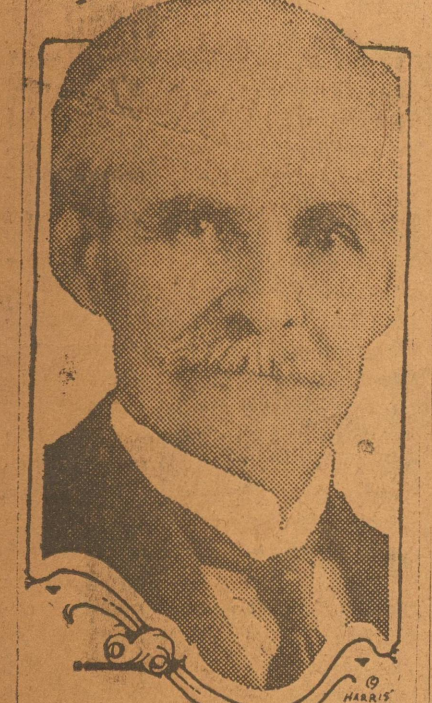
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James Harris Rogers.

James Harris Rogers of Hyattsville, Md., inventor of underground and undersea wireless, has announced in an interview that he will attempt his plan to take messages of wave lengths up to 150,000 meters in the hope of catching a message from Mars. This is 50,000 meters longer than the wave lengths used by the Marconi plant, where it was thought some of Mars signals were faintly heard.

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Kidney and Bladder Ailments Banished By Few Doses.

Corn Silk! The same "silk" you see protruding from the husk of corn, produces a fine medicine for kidney and bladder irregularities, when compounded with other simple drugs as in Balmwort Tablets.

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Alice Trobrough, 5027 South Twenty-fourth street, Omaha, Neb., writes: "I have used one tube of your Balmwort Tablets and find that they are the best I have ever used for kidney and bladder trouble."

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TENOR WHO BECAME FAMOUS OVERNIGHT ENJOYS BRIEF HOURS WITH HIS FAMILY



Paul Althouse, Mrs. Althouse and their daughter, Rita Mary.

Paul Althouse, tenor of the Metropolitan Opera Company, is devoting most of the present season to a concert tour, having eighty appearances booked over the greater part of the country.

ITALY EAGER FOR TOURISTS TO COME BACK

ROME, Feb. 28.—Demand for immediate resumption of foreign tourist traffic is general in Italy despite a shortage of hotels and limited housing facilities.

Hotel keepers are making vigorous efforts to recover the use of their hostels and each week a few hotels are turned back to their proprietors.

COMMERCIAL VEHICLES MUST PAY CITY TAXES

The following letter from the office of E. A. Ringold, tax assessor and collector, has been sent to Chief of Police Parrish:

I desire to call the attention of yourself and department to the ordinance of the city of Ranger which requires each commercial vehicle doing business within the corporate limits of the city to pay a license fee and display a tag bearing the name of the city of Ranger and a number on each vehicle.

JAPAN BETTER EDUCATED THAN UNITED STATES

DALLAS, Feb. 28.—Japan has a lower rate of illiteracy than the United States, the improvement having taken place within the last few years, according to Mrs. Katherine Willard Eddy, chief of the foreign board of the Young Women's Christian association.

The book stalls in Tokio remind one of Paris, Mrs. Eddy declared. There are literally thousands of them. Upon close examination one discovers, however, that the books are, for the most part, trash, being translations from the lower class of literature of Russia and France.

Sir Oliver. They are being loved in the next world. We often hear of ardent New York World.

TEXANS ARE BLIND TO STATE'S WEALTH

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, Feb. 28.—The formation of groups of business and professional men in every section of the state to study and exploit undeveloped resources of Texas is being urged by A. J. Greit, a geologist who has been working in the state for thirty years and who has been instrumental in interesting considerable outside capital in Texas products.

"Texans are blind to the resources of their own state," said Mr. Greit, who was in Austin recently. "There are within the state of Texas, favorably located and in large volume, very great deposits of the primary materials necessary for the production of portland cement, hydraulic cement, commercial systems for fertilizer as well as construction purposes, siliceous sands for glass manufacture, clays of many kinds from ordinary brick material to the best kaolin to be found in the entire country, an extraordinary richness of flint which may be found in various parts of the state and which is not fully appreciated into coal and naturally in high degree of purity in certain parts of the state and in the last but not least, a sufficient quantity of guaranteed pure iron ore to be found in the state to supply the needs of other states and to export to other parts of the world."

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KNIGHTS OF THE BATH INSTALLED IN ABBEY

LONDON, Feb. 28.—A solemn installation of Knights Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath will take place with all the historic ceremonies in the Henry VII chapel of Westminster Abbey during May, says the Express.

The chapel holds thirty-six stalls and the scene when the king revived the ceremony seven years ago was one of magnificent splendor surpassed only by a coronation ceremony.

JUST THINK OF CADOMENE

When You Find You Are Losing Out in the Game of Life.

Worn-Out, Nervous Men and Weak, Bloodless, Anemic Women Have Found New Strength and Vigor in Taking Cadomene Tablets.

A well-known writer on physical culture says: "You cannot run a high-powered engine without fuel. You cannot get much speed without plenty of steam. You cannot get up much steam without plenty of coal and a perfectly working furnace (body)."

That tired feeling—to you know what it means? It means that digestion and nutrition are lacking. It means that your blood and nerves are impoverished. It means that slow but sure decline in your vitality will surely ensue and real sickness will overtake you, unless you bestir yourself in overcoming the weakness of the organs responsible.

THREE BILLS AFFECTING WOMEN READY FOR SOLONS

DALLAS, Feb. 28.—Three bills affecting women will be presented to the next session of the Texas legislature by the legislative committee of the state congress of mothers.

The bills to be presented would provide that a health certificate be presented before a marriage license is issued; removal of all disabilities of women, single or married, regarding citizenship qualifications, guardianship of children and property laws; and establishment of a domestic relations court in Dallas county.

Advertisement for FREE OIL MAPS by Dunbar & Company. The text describes the maps and provides contact information for the company in El Paso, Texas.

ADDITIONAL WAR RISK INSURANCE MEN, DALLAS

DALLAS, Feb. 28.—Three additional examiners have been transferred to Dallas headquarters of the United States Bureau of War Risk Insurance, in order that the large number of cases received for investigation may be expedited.

Waite of New Mexico, and G. S. Hohn of Pennsylvania, Andrew Dewling, a war risk insurance expert from Baltimore, previously had joined the Dallas force.

"If that's bouillon, I'm an idiot." "That's right, sir. It is bouillon." —Tyrihans Christiania.

More Adulterated Water. Another case occurs in Bristol of a man fined for selling water with a little milk in it.—London Passing Show.

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

Large advertisement for COLE'S CAFETERIA. It features an illustration of a dining room and text describing the self-served food, special offers like Chicken Fricasse with Dumplings for 60c, and the location at Security Bank Bldg. in El Paso, Texas.

Large advertisement for The WINNER STORE. It features illustrations of various shoes (Ladies' Shoes, Boys' Shoes, Men's Oxfords) and lists prices for different styles and sizes. It also includes a section for Boys' Suits with a 15% to 35% reduction.

Advertisement for SILK ART SHOP. It promotes 'The Spirit of Spring' with new shipments of new modes and harnesses. The shop is located at the corner of Pine and Austin Streets, owned by D. COHEN.

Advertisement for J. E. RATCLIFF. It features 'Harness Prices Slaughtered!' and offers several sets of Oil Field Harness at wholesale prices. The shop is located at 221 Walnut Street, One Block East P. O., Ranger, Texas.

110 RUSK STREET First Door North Farmers & Merchants Bank

RATES AND REGULATIONS in the Daily Times

One Time... 2c per word Four Times... For the cost of Five ALL ORDERS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE CASH. No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

1-LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Black leather suit case, containing lady's wearing apparel, north of Necessity on Breckenridge road, Tuesday morning, Feb. 17. Liberal reward paid to finder.

2-HELP WANTED (Female)

WANTED—Good, honest and reliable woman. Must love children and be first class cook. A-1 references required.

3-HELP WANTED (Male)

BOYS OVER 15, make your arrangements now for regular all-summer job delivering Western Union telegrams.

SITUATIONS WANTED

MISS ALLEN, NOTARY PUBLIC, Chamber of Commerce, Will do special work and take acknowledgements, by appointment, after 5 o'clock.

BUSINESS CHANCES

WANTED—Partner with \$1,000 or more to open up one of the best paying business propositions in Ranger. No competition, and big profits.

SPECIAL NOTICES

I AM starting a class for children under school age who wish to do regular school work. If interested, call Mrs. J. W. Hunt, 434 Pine street.

FINAL WARNING

Anyone who fails to see "Soldiers of Fortune" by Richard Harding Davis, at Hippodrome Sunday, will miss the biggest picture of the year.

FOR QUICK RESULTS

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

NOTICE

NOTICE—Partnership in the grocery business between R. S. Smith and C. A. Smith was dissolved Jan. 20, 1920. All indebtedness of firm on that date assumed by R. S. Smith and all accounts receivable due to R. S. Smith. No other person is authorized to receive payment on accounts of this firm.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—First class office rooms over Bank of Ranger's new location; doctors preferred. Apply Ranger Drug Co.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice, quiet and clean sleeping room for two ladies, with privilege of cooking. Call at 414 N. Austin.

8-ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice new housekeeping rooms at all times. Free gas, water and lights; 2-1-2 blocks south McCleskey Hotel. See Parrish, chief of police.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room; gas and electricity. Apply Eastside Theatre, 323 Strawn road.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. No. 695 Spring road.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One bedroom, close in. L. B. Compton, Boston Store.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice new rooms and apartments, 414 Cherry St., 2 blocks north postoffice.

TWO NICELY-FURNISHED ROOMS

FOR RENT—Two stores in new brick building. Centrally located, adjoining Western Union Telegraph company's new location. Open for occupancy April 1, Texas Real Estate Company, Room 1 Poe building.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms; good beds. No. 431 N. Marston St.; \$5 and \$6 per week.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Several nicely-furnished rooms. Call at 219 Mesquite St.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, \$10 per week. Gas and water furnished. Also two unfurnished rooms. No. 502 So. Marston St., Ohio Rooms.

ONE LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING

FOR RENT—One light housekeeping apartment; one extra bedroom. No. 510 South Mesquite.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for sleeping. Cafe opposite Mid-Kansas office.

9-HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two-room house, papered and painted. L. B. Compton, Boston Store.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two-room house, furnished; \$45.00 Apply Mary Atkinson, Davenport Lease, 2 blocks north of Ranger Steam Laundry.

LONG LEASE

FOR RENT—Long lease on 17-room brick hotel; one 14-room house and restaurant below; and one good location for picture show. All these located in a booming oil town, 5,000 population, 17 rigs drilling, 2 wells now in. Act quick. Call at noon. One and one-half blocks east Estes Bros. store, N. Marston street. John D. Allen, Oil Well Supply.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Store building and furnished shack. Call at Cliff Hotel.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A 5-room bungalow 4 blocks west of postoffice. Brand new, with bath, water and electric lights, sink in kitchen, built-in fixtures, garage. Immediate possession. Craven Realty Co., 121 So. Austin.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One 3-room house and one 1-room house with cut-in kitchen closet. 407 Eighth street, Young addition.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two 4-room houses in Hodges Central addition. Apply U. N. Whitehall, care Barnes Lumber Co.

FOR SALE (Real Estate)

WILL EXCHANGE beautiful resident lots San Diego, Calif. for Ford sedan. Address E. F., P. O. Box 324.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Three-room house, shingle roof, located on Eastland hill, second house south city water tower. Can see any part of Ranger from house. As I am leaving city, will sell at a bargain. Call at house.

OIL GAS, MINERAL

WE CAN sell you from one to ten sections Placer mining, oil and gas claims in Southeastern N. M., at attractive prices. Carlsbad Oil Exchange, Carlsbad, N. M.

FOR LEASE

FOR LEASE—400 acres Callahan county oil lands, in ten-acre lots. Compton & Garnel, Boston Store.

THERE WILL BE

another oil field, another wheat crop, but there will never be any more land. See us for choice farms. 100 to 10,000 acres. Brown, Lamson, San Saba or Mills counties. Ervin Realty Co., Bank of Ranger.

15-AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—Four-cylinder Buick 5-passenger in first-class shape; price \$250. See T. S. Seitzler, 639 1-2 N. Marston.

DODGE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—First-class condition. Will sell or trade. See Harry at the Fashion, DeGroff Hotel Bldg.

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To exchange my Ford car for three tickets to "Soldiers of Fortune," showing at Hippodrome Sunday.

GENERAL AUTO REPAIRING

FOR SALE—Ford overhauling our specialty. Work guaranteed. Marston Garage, 408 North Marston street.

16-WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three room apartment, furnished, close in. Must be reasonable. Call for D. M. Bangs at the Times office.

WANTED TO RENT

Small house, furnished. Must be reasonable and close in. Call for D. M. Bangs at the Times office.

18-WANTED-MISC.

WANTED TO BUY—tent, 14x16, and camp outfit. Must be in good condition at a reasonable price. Address Box 1906.

WANTED TO BUY

four or five good tents, Mary Atkinson, Davenport Lease, two blocks north Ranger Steam Laundry, or address Box 582.

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19-HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four-room house, lot 50x125. Rehbold Lumber Co., 738 So. Rusk.

FOR SALE

Cheap, or rent, a frame building, 20x60, in Olden. J. E. Hefner.

FOR SALE

One nice 3-room frame house. Large garage and lot. A bargain. Communicate with owner, P. O. Box 881, Ranger, Texas.

FOR SALE

Beautiful new bungalow 4 rooms and bath. Interior nicely arranged, finished in ivory enamel; fine location; on lot 50x140. Priced very reasonably at \$2,250. Inquire H. L. Post, Long Lumber Co. office.

Church Services

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JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER OIL SHIP NOT RECOVERED

GALVESTON, Feb. 28.—The graveyard of the gulf of Mexico securely holds the tanker John D. Rockefeller, which grounded Dec. 21 at the entrance to Tampico harbor, according to Capt. John C. Grant, local nvrveur for Lloyd's Register of Shipping. Because of severe northerly, heavy seas and gulf currents, it has been impossible for divers to make the remains which will enable her to be floated. The vessel is now atop the wreckage of three other ships, at the end of the south jetty, seven or eight miles off Tampico. Another attempt will be made to float the vessel during the latter part of April or the first of May.

EXPENSIVE LIVING WORKS HARDSHIP ON SCHOLARS

By Associated Press. OXFORD, Feb. 28.—Candidates for Rhodes scholarships in Oxford university will have to pay an extra \$250 yearly to meet the increased cost of living, as the present scholarship of \$1,500 "is no longer sufficient to cover the expenses of a full year, including terms and vacations." This is pointed out in the statement of the Rhodes Trust for 1919. The trustees have made a temporary grant of a small war bonus to existing scholars, but those elected for any year later than 1919 will have to furnish the additional money.

HEADS "GIFT TO FRANCE"

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, Feb. 28.—Governor Hobby has appointed R. C. Robeaud of Austin, state chairman of the "America's Gift to France" movement which proposes the erection of a monument on the Marne to commemorate the checking of the German armies at that river. Myron T. Herrick is national chairman.

LEGAL NOTICES

ing described real estate belonging to said ward, to wit: An interest in and to eighty (80) acres of land lying and being situated in Stephens County, Texas, about one and one-half (1-2) miles north from Breckenridge, Texas, on the waters of Duck Creek, the same being the north one-half (N. 1-2) of the southeast quarter (S. E. 1-4) of Section No. one (1) Lunatic Asylum land; together with all and singular the hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in Eastland County, Texas, on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1920, at three o'clock p. m.

FOR THE BEST GRADE PAINT

See H. MEAD North Austin Street

NEW MINING CAMP A "SPOTLESS TOWN"

By Associated Press. KETCHIKAN, Feb. 28.—Hyder, newest of Alaska mining camps, is a "spotless town," and many stampedees who may rush there in the spring are not going to find drinking, dancing and gambling going on wide open, as in the gold camps of the first stampede of '98, long before prohibition came, according to reports received here.

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STANDARD COURSE OF STUDY IN MUSIC, AUSTIN

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, Feb. 28.—A standard course of study in music to be recommended for use in the elementary and high schools of the state is being formulated by a committee authorized by the committee on affiliation and classifications of schools and appointed by the state superintendent of public instruction. The course is being worked out with a view of securing affiliation in music of high schools with colleges and universities of the state, and a system of credits is being worked out. The committee is composed of the following: Miss Effie Littlejohn, supervisor of music of the state department of education. Irving Willard Jones, public school music, University of Texas. Mrs. Catherine King, director of public school music, College of Industrial Arts. Miss Sadie L. Williams, supervisor of music, Dallas schools. Miss Inez Powell, supervisor of music, San Houston normal. Mrs. Ella Lovelace, supervisor of music, Waco schools. E. Clyde Whitlock, president Texas Music Teachers' association, Fort Worth.

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Suave Paris Apaches Return; Now Using Novel Procedure

By NEWTON C. PARKE, International News Service. PARIS, Feb. 28.—"Le Nippe," or the "Dude Apache," has inaugurated a new crime wave in Paris and the newspapers are calling upon the police to do something about it.

This new type of bandit-assassin employs many of the tactics that made his predecessor of the before-the-war days one of the most feared criminals of the world. But he has overturned the old idea that an apache must necessarily do his work in corduroy breeches, a red sash and a handkerchief, and quite often he tackles his victim in evening clothes. He may live in the same quarter as the old-fashioned "apache," but he has a lot more class.

The return of the "apaches" to Paris is an event of only a few weeks. For months after the armistices gangs of bandits were reported operating in the outskirts of town, using the old "apache" weapons, the knife, the lead pipe and powerful drugs, but it is only recently that the crime wave has reached into the center of the city.

Strange stories came to the ears of the police of young hold-up men wearing evening clothes, who spent the early part of the evening being "good fellows" with strangers in cafes and dance halls, and then attacking the same strangers a little later in dark streets. There were reports of attacks upon unescorted women, of stabbings and of raids upon small shops, and several of these reports mentioned a blonde, slender youth as apparently the leader.

The police finally rounded up the blonde, slender youth. They found him asleep in the back room of a cellar cafe not far from the cafe and bright light district of Montmartre, from which, it was afterward learned, he had been directing the operations of one of the most clever young gangs of cutthroats and robbers in the history of the town.

But what was most peculiar was that the blonde, slender youth was not at all like the "apache" of the melodrama. In the first place, he didn't smoke, and no stage apache ever tossed his girl about the boards without puffing a cigarette. Secondly, he was not a dope fiend, and when he drank, it was only a little wine with his meals.

In a big closet in another large room in the rear of the cafe the police found the "property" of the gang. It consisted of four dinner suits, and dancing pumps and all the trimmings. There were six members of the gang and they took turns togging out for the evening. The pair that lost out on the evening clothes worked the poorest

sections of the city. The tuxedo quartet made a specialty of high-priced cafes and dancing places that remained open after hours in defiance of police regulations. The blonde boy—English and Italian to trap tourists. He accepted his arrest complacently, but only laughed when the police questioned him about his pals.

The remaining members of the sextet have not been rounded up. The police attribute to them the recent murder of a taxi driver who was shot to death in one of the suburban quarters. It was learned that a youth in evening clothes entered his taxi at the Place de l'Opera and directed that he be driven to an address four miles from the Opera. When the chauffeur was found dead the next morning his pockets had been rifled and his watch was gone.

To combat the "apaches" the police have added to the bicycle patrols and automobile squads which make nightly rounds of districts in which the bandits have been operating. The itinerary of each automobile is kept secret, even from the police agents about to make the trip, until two minutes before the departure, when it is communicated to them by telephone.

In many cases the results have been good. A few nights ago a police automobile rounded up a band of six young "apaches" who had robbed and knocked senseless a woman's escort, and were attempting to carry her down a dark passageway. Two nights later another police automobile depended upon another band as they were leaving a shop in the Rue de Lisbome loaded down with loot.

The newspapers, however, are not satisfied. They are demanding that the number of police be increased and that a portion of the day force be assigned to night duty.

NEWSBOYS DON ICE SKATES WHEN STREET FREEZES OVER

International News Service. EAST LIVERPOOL, Ohio, Feb. 28.—Newsboys here are up to the minute.

They have resorted to the use of skates to sell their papers. A prominent mart for the sale of papers in the downtown business section is a triangular open space.

One enterprising newsboy finding it difficult to take care of his trade, put on his skates and moved freely and quickly over the veritable lake of ice formed on the public thoroughfare in this three-cornered area.

It was not long before all the newsboys had dragged out their skates and were successfully meeting competition.

"DUST OFF ELECTRIC CHAIR" ORDER IS NO GOOD HERE

International News Service. GENEVA, Switzerland, Feb. 28.—The cantonal authorities of Schaffhausen are confronted with the extraordinary problem of how to kill a criminal legally. A Swiss named Ramel, aged twenty-eight, in August, 1919, murdered a young Swiss girl at Schaffhausen under specially brutal circumstances.

At the trial the judge, finding no extenuating circumstances, sentenced him to death. According to Swiss law, however, there are only two means of executing a criminal—the guillotine or decapitation with a sabre. Professional executioners with a sabre disappeared long ago, while Switzerland possesses only one rusty guillotine in the museum at Lucerne, which was last employed, after many preparations, to decapitate a murderer ten years ago, when the question arose of importing a new working guillotine from France.

The death penalty was abolished many years ago in all the twenty-five Swiss cantons except four. Sentence of imprisonment for life is usually pronounced in extreme cases, but this case is complicated by the fact that Ramel is sick of life and demands the death penalty and not imprisonment for life. According to the verdict of the jury, he is legally entitled to make this demand. He refuses to appeal and the authorities must therefore put him to death, but the question is how? It would take several weeks to make the ancient guillotine at Lucerne work satisfactorily.

CASH AND CARRY PLAN MAY BEAT H. C. L. IN CHICAGO

International News Service. CHICAGO—Perfumed Pomeranian does no longer will yap haughtily at plebeian pedestrians from the seats of limousines here. The reason is that all available space in the limousines is to be utilized hereafter by milady in chug-chugging to market to get a pound of butter and other household necessities.

Hence there will be no room for l'il Fido. The campaign to get milady to do her own marketing on a "cash and carry" basis was started by the Women's High Price commission.

SAYS INFLUENZA IN 1918 COST BRITAIN 100,000 LIVES

International News Service. LONDON—Sir George Newman, principal medical officer, states that the influenza epidemic cost Great Britain 100,000 lives in 1918 alone.

In the forty-eighth annual report published by the local government board Sir George says the number of English children vaccinated has fallen enormously. In 1901 to 1904 the percentage of children vaccinated was above 70, but recently it has fallen as low as 43 per cent.

Mrs. Petit Will See All Working Girls

Mrs. Philip Petit, executive secretary for the American Red Cross in Eastland county, desires to interview all working girls employed in the business houses, restaurants and cafes in Ranger and vicinity and will receive them between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m. on Monday afternoon at the Presbyterian church.

DRS. FINNEGAN & STUCKI MOVE TO POE BUILDING

Drs. Finnegan & Stucki have moved their offices from their old location in the Metesalf building to the front suite in the Poe building.

ADVERTISING MANAGER FINDS RANGER LIVE CITY

E. J. Herndon, foreign advertising manager of the Fort Worth Record, was in this city Saturday on a business trip.

"A live town, if there ever was one," was his terse comment on Ranger.

CHICAGO LAUNDRIES INCREASE THEIR PRICES

International News Service. CHICAGO—And now the laundries are going to raise the price for doing up the shirts and collars. This was the announcement made recently by President R. J. Elliott, of the King's Model Laundry company here. It will cost the public five cents to have its white collars done and shirts will be a few cents higher, Mr. Elliott said.

"We cannot secure help by offering low wages. One year's work has been increased greatly since January 1, and all we can do is make the public pay the advance," Mr. Elliott said.

Other laundries announced a similar advancement.

LARGEST BABY IN ILLINOIS. International News Service.

AURORA, Ill.—A baby believed to be the largest ever born in this state, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Nichols. It is a boy and weighs sixteen and a half pounds. The baby is the ninth child born to Mrs. Nichols, who is 36 years old.

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FRENCH CHAMP A BUSY HUMAN WHILE IN U. S.

International News Service. NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—When Georges Carpentier arrives in this country from France next month he probably will be stormed with offers from promoters in various sections of the country, not to mention challenges from some of our lesser lights in the heavyweight division and theatrical contracts galore.

Georges is coming across the pond to fill a contract with a moving picture concern. His visit will also be a sort of honeymoon trip, for word from abroad says that the champ is soon to be married.

Notwithstanding, Carpentier will find himself swamped with offers of various sorts, and it is believed that he will be lured into the ring while in the United States.

Bob Martin, A. E. F. heavyweight champion; Gene Tunney, light-heavyweight title holder of the A. E. F.; Sergeant Ray Smith of Camden, now under the management of Scotty Monteth; the lanky Mr. Frederick Fulton; Al Reich, the New York adonis, and others are not only willing but eager to be the first to meet Mr. Carpentier in the squared circle, for they are all enjoying visions of what such a match might mean to them in a financial way, not to mention the opportunity they would have of getting into the limelight through a bout with the Frenchman.

Martin, perhaps, stands the best chance of any of the would-be opponents of Carpentier to get on with him in this country in what would be considered a work-out for Georges prior to his much-talked-of battle with Jack Dempsey.

The A. E. F. title holder is immensely popular with ex-service men and promoters in general are agreed that he would be a drawing card against Tunney or Fulton, let alone Carpentier. Meanwhile Jimmy Bron-

son, Martin's manager, is hot on the trail of Scotty Monteth, trying to arrange a return bout between Martin and Ray Smith, who won a popular decision over the A. E. F. title holder in a ten-round engagement.

Charlie White, Chicago's leading lightweight, has severed relations with Nate Lewis and will hereafter manage his own affairs. Seeing so many of the lightweights getting big money these days, White has decided to return to the ring and is ready to start a campaign which he hopes will lead him to a match with Benny Leonard.

Llew Edwards, the Australian lightweight champion, who recently returned to this country with Tom Andrews, the Milwaukee promoter and manager, will fight three bouts before a Milwaukee club before accepting any offers to meet Benny Leonard, according to a recent announcement.

Edwards wants time to get acclimated and also wants to put three or four good fights under his belt before he attempts to knock Leonard loose from his title. Edwards, it is said, will meet Johnny Dundee, Eddie Fitzsimmons and Richie Mitchell before a Milwaukee club.

SAESMAN TRIES TO SELL JUDGE TO PAY WIFE'S FINE

EL PASO, Feb. 28.—Justice of the Peace Clark Wright was recently given an up-to-the-minute demonstration of modern salesmanship. After fixing a woman for "speeding," the justice received the following letter from the woman's husband, who is an automobile tire salesman:

"Dear Judge: The missus tells me we have \$11.55 to make up some way. The best way I know of is to sell more tires. I therefore take this opportunity to ask you to remember — tires next time you are needing any for your car.

"These tires, in addition to being long wearing, are speedy. Your business would be better if all the El Paso car owners used these tires. The officer who made the arrest uses them. We will let you judge by what he says."

"I'll use 'em if I need any," remarked Justice Wright, who does not own a car.

He—How some of these old songs do haunt me!

She—Well, you've often murdered them.—London Opinion.

MALE "HOUSEMAIDS" SOLVE PROBLEM IN Y. W. C. A.

International News Service. CHICAGO — Male "housemaids" have solved the servant problem for the Young Women's Christian association hotel here. Unable to get women domestics for work in the hotel, the director advertised for men. The response was big.

"They have proved efficient and can do more work than women," said the director. "I believe that general substitution of housemen for housemaids would solve the servant problem throughout the country."

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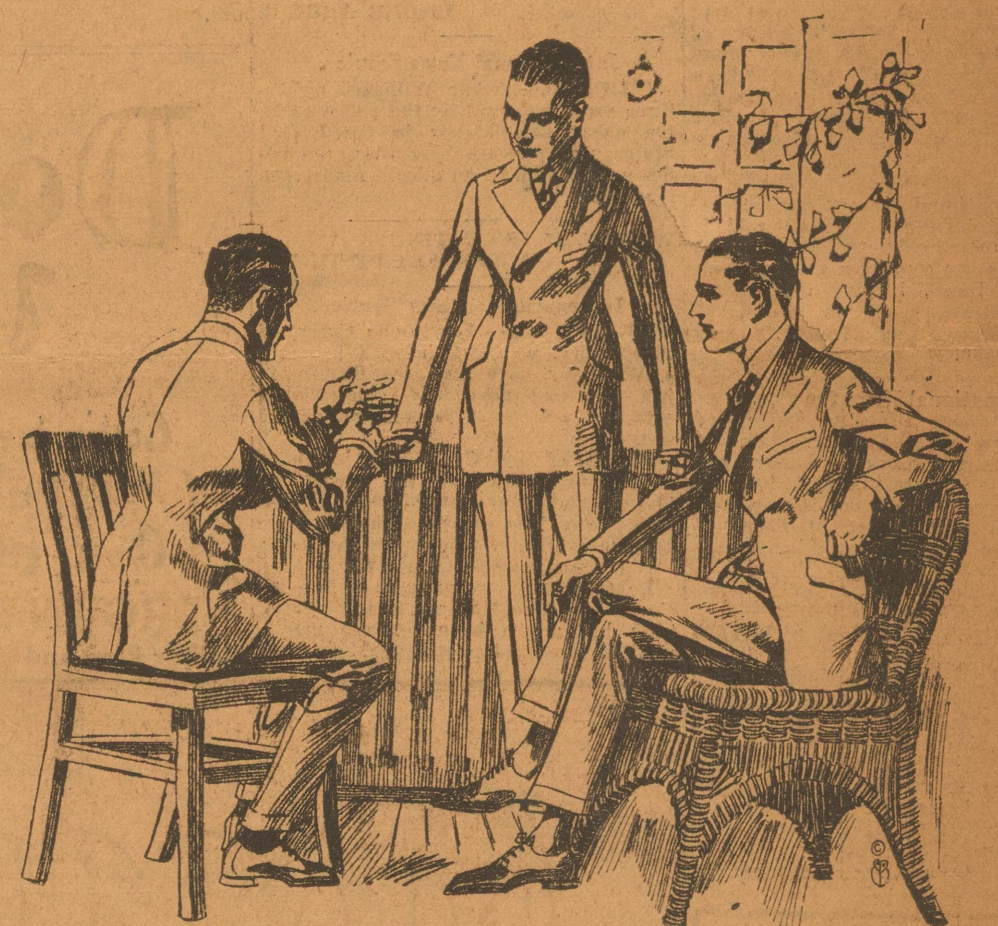
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FUNERAL OFF; CORPSE CASTS AWAY SHROUD

International News Service.
RALEIGH, N. C.—While relatives and friends were engaged in an argument as to the kind of casket that should be bought for him, Sarkis Tady did the impossible come-back, pushed the shroud from his supposedly dead body and gave notice that the funeral ceremony would have to be postponed.

Reports of the man's death are said to have been sent broadcast over the state to relatives and friends and to several cities in South Carolina by Raleigh relatives, who had witnessed Sarkis depart this life. These friends or relatives came to Raleigh to pay their last tribute to Tady.

S. F. Assad of Apex, who says he was notified of the death, came to this city and with others purchased a floral tribute which he carried to a local hospital, where Tady had been under treatment for some time. And while the funeral arrangements were being discussed by relatives who had gathered about the bed, Sarkis Tady gave due notice that neither a plush or silver-plated casket would be needed.

Relatives of the man had chalked off four days and the same number of nights that the spirit of Sarkis had flown, funeral rites having been deferred until friends notified could reach the city. One of the three physicians attending the sick man stated that Sarkis had not been counted among the departed ones, but that for a time he was at death's door.

Telling of his "death," Sarkis related to Assad that "on the other side" he found the land wonderfully level and that it was covered with a profusion of green grass. He saw nothing stronger to drink than clear, pure water, but said there was plenty to be had.

Sarkis Tady is an old resident of Raleigh, having lived there for a score of years. He is fifty-two years old and is none the worse for his unusual experience.

SPLINTERS OF SPORT

International News Service.
BALTIMORE.—The name of Schang is going to be seen in the box scores more frequently than ever before. Two brothers of Wallie Schang—Quirin, twenty years old, an infielder, and Clayton Schang, a catcher—have been signed by Manager Jack Dunn, of the Orioles. Another brother, Bobbie Schang, is a minor league catcher.

International News Service.
NEW YORK.—Samuel Izaelerski is only eight years old, but he is a chess prodigy. He can conduct a game without seeing the board. Keeping the various moves in his head, and he has played twenty-five games simultaneously, Samuel is from Poland.

International News Service.
NEW YORK.—Charlotte Boyle and Ethelda Bleibrey, two of America's best known and capable women swimmers, will compete in the women's national 100-yard straight-away championship to be held at Honolulu April 17 and 19. They will swim on the Pacific coast after returning from Hawaii.

BRITISH CABINET MEMBER RIDES A MOTOR SCOOTER

International News Service.
LONDON.—E. S. Montagu, secretary of state for India, is the only cabinet minister to ride a fiery, untamed motor scooter over the bumps of Whitehall. To see him keep his monocle in place as his puffing steel bucks at the nuts is an inspiring and thrilling sight to even blaze Whitehallers.



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MERRY DANCE WAR THRIVES IN COLUMBUS

International News Service.
COLUMBUS, Ohio.—Polkas and Scottishes may replace the shimmy, the canel walk and the various modern glides, dips and shakes which are said to feature the dances indulged in by Ohio State university students here.

At least, this is the sarcastic comment of some of the students following public and adverse criticism of the manner in which the students have been dancing in public places of late.

The trouble started when Mrs. Evelyn R. Scatterday, city dance hall inspector, unbecomingly, dropped in upon public dances held in a couple of the leading downtown hotels. The dances were patronized mainly by university students, co-eds as well as male students.

In a public statement Mrs. Scatterday declared that the students were violating a city ordinance, under the provisions of which the ban had been placed upon "cheek and jaw" dancing, the shimmy, the canel walk, the dreamy glide and dips and shakes.

"If the hotels and clubs, which are responsible for the dancing done on their floors, do not enforce more firmly the city's rules and regulations regarding dancing, they will have to be closed," Mrs. Scatterday declared.

Sentiment is divided among the student body. Some insist that Mrs. Scatterday's criticism is unjust—that the students have done nothing wrong. Others predict that steps will be taken to stop such dancing.

"It's the girls who are at fault. They can stop it if they wish," said Miss Mary Hedges, president of the women's council.

ONE EGG COST HIM \$113

International News Service.
HAMMOND, Ind.—Herbert Wheaton, clerk of the county courts here, ate an egg recently that cost him \$113. The "roost berry" was the first laid by any of his twenty-five high-priced hens since he bought them last summer on an assurance that they were "great layers." Since then the upkeep of the hens has cost him \$113.

OLDEST SAFE-CRACKER UNDER ARREST

International News Service.
CHICAGO.—Arthur Williams, eighty-three years old, said by the police to be the oldest safe-blower in the United States, was arrested here when the police made a raid on an alleged rendezvous for thieves.

WOMAN, 67, IS CUTTING A NEW SET OF TEETH

International News Service.
DUBLIN, Ga.—Mrs. Mollie Curry, of this county, who resides with her son, J. W. Curry, on a farm near Dublin, is just now undergoing the experience of cutting a new set of teeth at the age of sixty-seven years.

Friends of Mrs. Curry have just been shown a new tooth which has just pushed through the gums on the right of her upper jaw. The gums on the left side are also swollen preparatory to new teeth coming through as on the right side.

Dentists say there are one or two instances on record where a new set of teeth has grown in a person's mouth when they reached an advanced age.

GOTT STRAFE ENGLAND STILL HEARD IN GERMANY

By Associated Press.
KIEL, Feb. 28.—The intense feeling still existing in Germany against England was manifested toward some British officers who accompanied the inter-allied commission of control on a recent visit here. The town was crowded with German sailors who were clean and smartly dressed. They passed by with averted faces, but civilians on the contrary showed the keenest interest and stared at the visitors occasionally remarking "Gott strafe England!" The British visitors took no notice and walked on, followed by a train of small boys, many of whom repeated in a childish treble "Gott strafe England!" at intervals.

The shopkeepers, however, were quite friendly and trade became very brisk.

Further evidence of the present attitude of the Germans was forthcoming at the Kiel canal, where the children gathered on the banks invariably shouted out the old cry of "Gott strafe England!"

One man cried "We will have you ... while the final effort at the close of the return journey was that of the optimist who proclaimed: "We shall have another war in five years' time."

TEXAS NUT GROWERS SEEK ORGANIZATION

By Associated Press.
SAN SABA, Feb. 28.—Organization of the Texas Pecan Growers' association was the principal object of a two-day meeting of the Texas Nut Growers' association, which opened here yesterday.

It was hoped to more effectively organize and represent all pecan growing interests into one compact body with a view of promoting and developing the pecan industry in this state.

Co the speakers' program was J. H. Burkett, chief of the edible nuts division, state department of agriculture. His subject was "What the Pecan Industry of Texas Needs." Other prominent horticulturists were scheduled for addresses, including Prof. E. J. Kyle, of A. & M. college.

EIGHTY ENGINEERS LICENSED

AUSTIN, Feb. 28.—The State Board of Land Surveyors, created by the last legislature, licensed eighty surveyors to work in the state following the first examination conducted by them, which was held recently.

Under the new law, records of licensed surveyors has the same standing in the courts as was formerly delegated to records of county surveyors.

GARMENT WORKERS JOIN EMPLOYERS TO INVESTIGATE

By Associated Press.
CLEVELAND, Feb. 28.—To increase production in the women's clothing industry in Cleveland, to eliminate the slack season in the factories and to replace work methods of payment with a weekly wage system, the Cleveland locals of the International Ladies Garment Workers' union have joined with manufacturers in employing industrial engineers to make a survey of the industry here.

The cost of the investigation will be divided equally between the union and the manufacturers.

"This is the first time in this country that organized labor has actually co-operated in bringing about scientific management in industry," Meyer Perlestein, vice president of the international union, declared.

It is planned to urge retailers to arrange their orders so as to eliminate as far as possible the rush season in the garment trade and spread the work throughout the year. This, manufacturers declare, should help prevent prices of garments going higher, and even reduce prices, if production can be increased sufficiently.

CLOTHES COSTLY, LESS SOLD

By Associated Press.
DALLAS, Feb. 28.—High prices have caused a 40 per cent falling off in the volume of women's clothes sold so far this spring, according to the Dallas Housewives' Chamber of Commerce. The Housewives' League is investigating the milk price of 20 to 25 cents a quart in Dallas.

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—Shipments of lovely new creations, ordered early for the Spring season, are arriving at our store daily. Every garment must be sold and is being placed on display at sacrifice reductions. These modes represent the latest in new Spring fashions, and at our prices offer you a golden opportunity to supply your Spring clothing needs.

1,000 New Gingham Dresses **Dainty Models in Lovely**
Arrived Last Week **New Spring Frocks**

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Amusements

At the Show Houses the Coming Week

LIBERTY—TODAY, Charlie Ray in "Bill Henry"; MONDAY AND TUESDAY, Alice Brady in "The Fear Market"; WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, Jack Pickford in "In Wrong"; FRIDAY, Lila Lee in "A Daughter of the Wolf"; SATURDAY, "Flame of Flesh."

LONE STAR—TODAY, Dustin Farnum in "Corsican Brothers"; MONDAY AND TUESDAY, "The Blue Pearl"; WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, "Twilight Baby," four-reel special comedy, also Sherry Mason in "The Final Close-Up"; FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, William S. Hart in "John Petticoat."

LAMB—TODAY, MONDAY AND TUESDAY, Nazimova in "Stronger Than Death"; WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, Mable Normand in "Pinto"; FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, "The Turning Point."

OPERA HOUSE—TODAY, Monroe Salisbury in "His Divorced Wife"; MONDAY, "The Woman's Law"; TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, Elsie Janis in "A Regular Girl"; SATURDAY, Blanche Sweet in "A Woman's Pleasure."

HIPPODROME—TODAY, "Soldiers of Fortune"; MONDAY TO SATURDAY, "The Alamo Beauties."

QUEEN—TODAY, William S. Hart in "Apostle of Vengeance"; MONDAY, Al Jennings in "Outlaw Deputy"; TUESDAY, "The Unwilling Hand"; WEDNESDAY, "Old Homestead"; SATURDAY, "The Westerners."

LAMB.

Nazimova Is Dancer in Her New Picture

Brilliant Russian Star Coming to the Lamb Theatre in Story of India.

Nazimova, the brilliant Russian star in her newest production, "Stronger Than Death," is announced by the management of the Lamb theatre as the special attraction, beginning today for a run of three days. The presentation of this great artist in a great photoplay is described as a particular treat for motion picture-goers.

In "Stronger Than Death," Nazimova returns to powerful emotional roles after her clever impersonation of the chorus girl in her picturization of Maude Fulton's Morocco stage play, "The Brut." Nazimova is cast as Sigrid, a London music hall dancer, who finds love in the almost wilderness of India, whither she goes for rest.

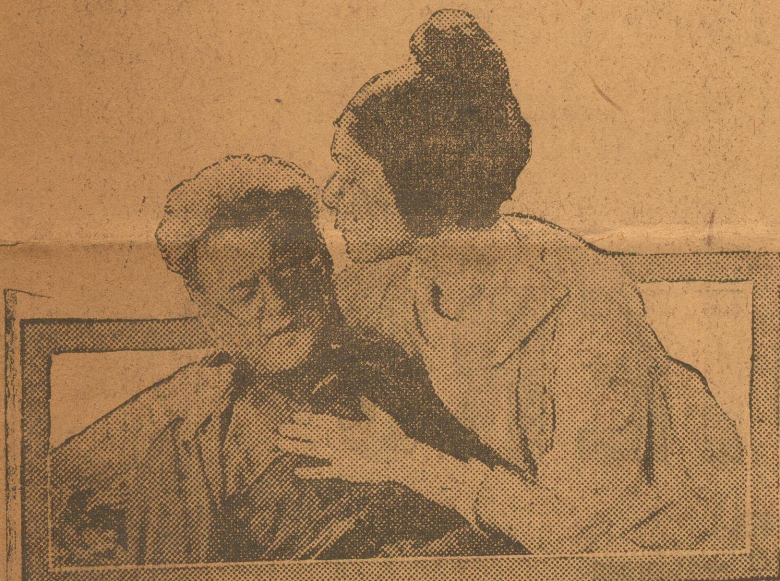
The story is an adaptation by Charles Bryant of L. A. R. Wylie's brilliant novel of Anglo-Indian life. It is said to be replete with thrills and compelling dramatic climaxes that grow out of an abortive mutiny and massacre of the English planned by the fanatical Hindu natives.

Nazimova's biggest scene is her dance on the steps of the temple—a weird dance in the moonlight which strikes awe and terror to the hearts of the blacks, and causes them to delay their uprising until the British garrison comes to the rescue of the civilian community of Gaya. Her sacrifice is rewarded by the devotion of the hermit doctor, the strong male figure in the tense drama.

Herbert Blache and Charles Bryant directed the star in the big production, which is one of greatest beauty from the scenic and photographic angles. It was produced under the personal supervision of Maxwell Karger, Nazimova's director general.

Mr. Bryant plays Major Tristram Beaucault, the hermit doctor. Others in the superb cast are Charles W. French, Margaret McWade, Herbert Prior, Millie Davison, Ellogyan Singh, Harry Harmon and W. H. Orlamond. The picture is a Metro release.

Lamb Theater Showing Latest Nazimova Picture



NAZIMOVA IN "STRONGER THAN DEATH"

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ELSIE JANIS in
"A REGULAR GIRL"

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OPERA HOUSE.

Interesting Facts About Elsie Janis, "A Regular Girl."

Star of Selznick Picture Known as Creative Genius—Comes to Opera House Next Week.

Miss Elsie Janis, who comes to the Opera House next week in her first Selznick picture, "A Regular Girl," is acclaimed by prominent writers as being the most interesting girl before the public's attention. The following facts are gathered from several magazine articles about this popular actress and all-round dispenser of cheer:

Elsie Janis is one of the most creative women of America. She writes fiction with the skill of a famous author and displays remarkable talent in stage and screen craftsmanship.

She's a Daughter of the American Revolution and an honorary member of many other influential organizations.

The American Legion of Honor elected her to an honorary captaincy because of her untiring efforts in behalf of the A. E. F.

The apple growers owe her a rising vote of thanks. She consumes not less than eight jugs of apples per day and thrives on apple juice.

She began her stage career at the tender age of six, assuming an important part at a charity ball in her home town. Her first vaudeville appearance was celebrated in 1908, when Madam Janis presented her with a diamond locket as a keepsake of the event.

She is not married, despite rumors to the contrary. She vows, however, that she is "permanently wedded" to her mother, who is her business manager, aide-de-camp, and confidante.

She leaves America in the near future to fill a post-war engagement in London.

Her most popular stage successes are "The Belle of New York," "The Fortune Teller," "The Duchess," "The Sign Princess," "Miss Information," and "Chin Chin," with Montgomery and Stone.

She's a female Fairbanks when it comes to stunts and athletics. An expert swimmer, golfer, equestrienne and owner of several medals won in tennis tournaments.

She's known to everybody as "A Regular Girl." Her first Selznick picture of the same name exploits her talents to the fullest extent.

QUEEN.

Arias by Screen Stars Drive Director Frantic.

It was work all day out at the Bronson Studios for the Benjamin B. Hampton players, engaged in screening "The Westerners," Stewart Edward White's famous novel, which W. W. Hodgkinson's production announces for presentation at the Queen theatre this week. As the various watches began to point toward 5 o'clock, some common sentiment appeared

to steal over the cast. Bob McKim, who plays the heavy, struck up a bit from the Sextette, with an air of burlesque. Jim Buckley, in the flesh, Wilfred Lucas, struck in with a promising tenor.

Then Mildred Manning, who was standing by, chimed in a contralto, rich and pervading, and the air of foolery began to fade. Somewhere in the crowd, a commanding bass joined the harmony—then another. Here and there, moving figures halted, until coarser sounds died out. At length Ted Sloman, the hypnotic director, broke from the spell, and striding down in front slashed at the Carusos and the Galli-Curcis with steel-edged sarcasm:

"I hope you guys are not grand opera

LONE STAR.

"The Blue Pearl" Coming to the Lone Star Monday and Tuesday.

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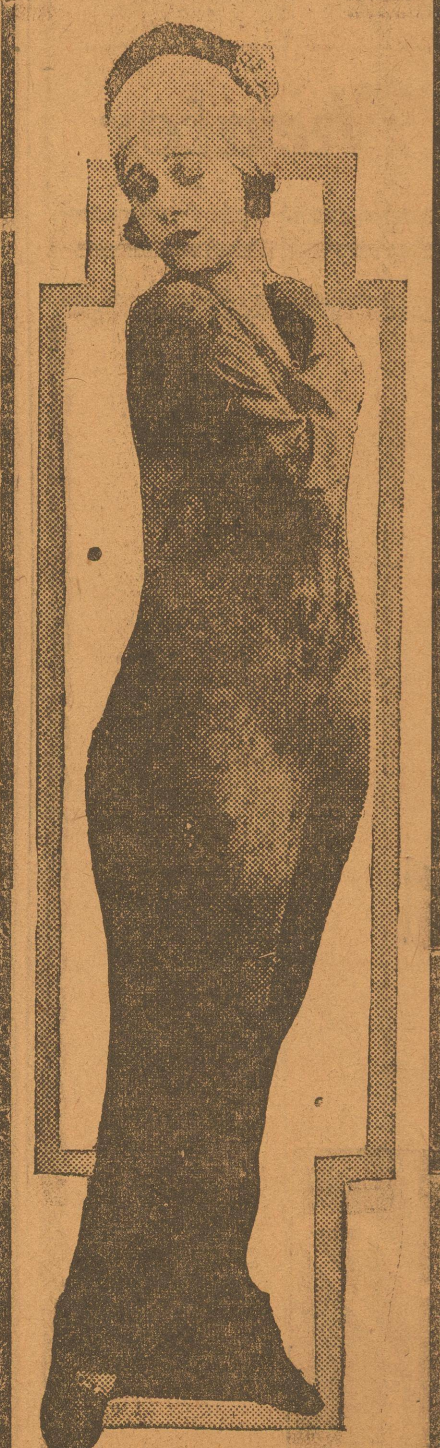


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SUFFRAGE MOVE SPREADS IN JAPAN

HONOLULU, Feb. 28.—The movement recently launched in Tokio by university students for universal suffrage in Japan has spread to all parts of the country and to Korea and Man-

churia as well, according to Tokio advices to the Hawaii Hochi, a local Japanese language daily.

The police bureau of the Home Affairs department has instructed prefectural police chiefs to restrict suffrage agitation, the Hochi's correspondent adds.

Two of the opposition parties in the lower house of the Japanese diet, the Kokuminto and Kenseikai, recently introduced a universal suffrage measure in the chamber of deputies.

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AMUSEMENTS.

LIBERTY.

Critics Praise "The Fear Market." "The Fear Market," a Reelart production, which is to be presented at the Liberty theatre for a two-day engagement beginning Monday, is a photoplay attraction which critics who have followed the development of the silver sheet as a medium for the presentation of really big dramatic ideas have declared ranks among the loveliest of film dramas.

Alice Brady, the film fans' favorite in the part of Sylvia Stone is called up to portray a gamut of human emotions and does so with a tensely that is most convincing and a subtlety which causes the cauldron critics to speak of her work as ranking with the best ever seen on the screen.

In no sense is "The Fear Market" a preachment. It is an absorbing tale of pathos and love which tugs at the heart strings and keeps the spectator enthralled from start to finish.

The story is by Princess Troubetzkoy, and when "The Fear Market" made its appearance print created a sensation wherever English is read. It was apparent that the authoress based her story on an expose which filled the front pages of the press to world over.

Miss Brady is supported by a cast of screen and stage actors well known to theatre-goers for their histrionic ability.

HIPPODROME.

Hippodrome Gets "Soldiers of Fortune" For Return Showing Today.

Few stories in the annals of literature carry a greater universal appeal than does "Soldiers of Fortune," written by Richard Harding Davis.

Its vivid action, poetic romance and intense situations have thrilled the countless millions of the world over both as a book and a play.

Director Allan Dwan, in picturizing "Soldiers of Fortune" for the screen, has been able to present it in a far broader scope than the limitations of the spoken stage or cold type could possibly permit, adhering closely to the story so as to preserve all of those qualities which have

endeared the tale to all who are familiar with it.

Norman Kerry and Anna Q. Nilson are starred in the leading roles. "Soldiers of Fortune" will be seen at the Hippodrome theatre today.

TEXAS.

Italian Douglas Fairbanks.

"Maciste," who has been called "The Italian Douglas Fairbanks," is well remembered because of his appearance as the giant slave in Gabriele d'Annunzio's "Cubiria" and later in "The Warrior," both of which recorded tremendous successes. "Maciste" is now appearing in his new production, "The Liberator," a serial in twelve episodes, which promises thrills and stunts galore in addition to the side-splitting comedy situations which always distinguish a "Maciste" offering.

"The Liberator" is not a war picture and the first episode of the serial will be shown at the Texas today. It is called "The Morosini Mystery."

UNIVERSAL CAMERAMAN BACK FROM AFRICA TELLS OF WRECK

Still dazed somewhat, and just recovering from the shock of the wreck in which William Stowell and Dr. Armstrong were killed, Pliny Horne and Edward Thierry, cameraman and journalist of the Universal-Smithsonian African expedition, returned to United States on the Adriatic this week.

Neither of the two men were very talkative, and the effects of their injuries were still apparent it being impossible to them both say from the moving picture standpoint the expedition will be a great get much information from either of them, success as some exceptional scenes were filmed by the party.

Horne says that their trip has been a succession of wonders to him. Universal, he says, will be able to release some of the finest travelogue pictures ever taken as the country the expedition traversed has abounded in unusual and beautiful scenery.

NEW COMPANY AT HIPPODROME COMES WELL RECOMMENDED

"The Alamo Beauties," a musical comedy company of good reputation have been booked by Mr. Olive for all next week at the Hippodrome. An added attraction which the company has with them is a novelty twentieth century foot racing act, which they claim is the only one of its kind in the world. Mr. Christenson, manager of the company, has a \$5,000 trophy lobby display, and it is said to be the largest on record. Using two running machines he will meet any man in the country. The bill taken as a whole promises to be unusually good this week.



LARRY SEMON IN "THE GROCERY CLERK," AT THE OPERA HOUSE TODAY

NEWS NOTES FROM MOVIELAND

BY D. M. BANGS.

The management of the Opera House has issued an invitation to the members of the American Legion to see Elsie Janis in "A Regular Girl." This picture, of the most popular "pal" of oversea men is her first since she returned to America, and is one of the best comedy-drama photoplays ever shown here. Take a tip from yours truly and see it early, because the house is not as commolitious as Miss Janis is entertaining.

The stage which has been built on the Hippodrome theatre this week makes it possible now for the house to handle the largest companies with ease. It also gives the management an opportunity to use their new scenery. The stage was built by Whittenberg and Ludwig, local contractors in record time.

It is rumored that the owners of the Lone Star theatre have put in a new house at Marshall, Texas, this week. If this is so, it will give the local management a better opportunity for holding up the splendid reputation they have made here in showing the very best pictures on the market.

Motion pictures were used last Sunday night in a regular church service. This took place at the Judson Memorial church, at Washington Square, New York. The screen sermon was conducted by the Rev. Leslie Willis Sprague, former pastor of a Brooklyn church and now head of the religious sections of the Community Motion Picture Bureau of New York.

The sermon film was one of the Judge Brown series, entitled "Thief or Angel." It depicted an instance where a noble motive led to systematized thievery, and from this situation "Good Motives and Evil Deeds."

The Lamb theatre has some very good pictures booked for the next two weeks. Mr. Lamb was in Dallas Friday where he changed the bookings on a number of those which he had coming and made other selections more to the tastes of his patrons.

When Charlie Chaplin finished his new production, "A Days Work," a wise man said, "this is surely a record. It is the first time that I ever know that it took six months to do a required days work." But he doesn't know very many people.

COL. L. M. JONES TRANSFERRED.

By Associated Press. FORT BLISS, EL PASO, Feb. 28. Col. Frederick M. Jones, Seventh cavalry, well known along the Texas-Mexican border, has been temporarily relieved of duty with that unit and ordered as inspector-instructor of the Missouri National Guard, with headquarters in Kansas City.

Rough Work. "Yes, I'm continually breaking into song." "If you'd ever get the key, you wouldn't have to break in."—Life.

DEFEATED AS GOVERNOR, NOW CUSTOMS COLLECTOR

By Associated Press. LAREDO, Feb. 28.—Juan M. Garcia of Monterey, whose election as governor of the Mexican state of Nuevo Leon last December was declared invalid by the federal government, has been appointed collector of customs at Nuevo Laredo, opposite here. Senor Garcia is a prominent business man of Monterey and his appointment met with approval among local business men, who expressed confidence that he would insist on a "business-like" administration.

MINISTER GIVES POINTS ON MODERN LOVE MAKING

By Associated Press. WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 28.—Points on love-making were given by Dr. P. E. Bingham, pastor of the First Methodist church, in a sermon on "The Old and New Way of Making Love." Dr. Bingham also read a number of letters which had been entered in a prize letter contest on "How to Propose," which he conducted, with \$10 as first prize.

QUEEN THEATRE

TODAY TOMORROW

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TODAY

LIBERTY THEATRE

TURKEY PROTESTS TAKING SULTAN FROM CAPITAL

By Associated Press. CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 28.—Meetings have been held throughout Turkey for several weeks to protest against the removal of the Sultan and his government from Constantinople, which has been rumored. One hundred thousand Turkish men and women attended the meeting held here. The crown prince occupied a seat on the speaker's stand and, for the first time, it is said, in the history of the Turkish Empire, the women addressed a political meeting and discussed measures to be taken to save the remnants of Turkey in Europe.

Resolutions were adopted and delegations appointed to deliver them to representatives of the Entente here. In these it was declared that Constantinople, being the seat of the Califate, and the Thracian hinterland around Constantinople, should remain Turkish; that Smyrna, "the only outlet of western Anatolia," should be saved from foreign hands; that the southern and eastern provinces in which Turkish populations are in the majority should remain Turkish and that the right of the minorities of the Christian elements in Turkey and Turkish elements in the Balkans should "be settled on an equal basis."

SPAIN NOW CHEWS GUM.

MADRID, Feb. 28.—The young society girls and youths of Madrid have taken to the American habit of chewing gum and their elders have been much exercised as a result. That staid conservative journal, the A. B. C., devoted recently a column to this new practice which it denounced in strong terms.

According to the writer of this article, chewing gum is the result of reading articles by Spanish writers who have recently visited America and to the American pictures produced in the Spanish cinema theatres.

GRIDIRON CAPTAIN MAY BECOME STAR IN OLYMPIC MEET



Howard Cann.

Eastern college athletic followers believe that Howard Cann, captain of New York University's football team last year and an all-around athlete, will make the Olympic team selected to represent the U. S. at the games in Antwerp and will prove a valuable man.

WAVE OF GAMBLING, SPAIN.

MADRID, Feb. 28.—This country, the men and women of which have the reputation of being willing to put their last peseta on some game of chance, has never witnessed such a wave of gambling as that which is now flowing over the country and has been in existence since the conclusion of the war. Casinos have been erected on the borders of the larger cities, so as not to interfere with the concessions within the cities. These gambling houses are crowded during the afternoons and evenings and until late in the morning with men and women playing games in which the odds against them make it impossible for any but the extremely lucky to win. The newspapers have started a campaign against this gambling in

Madrid especially where, as one newspaper put it, "men and women are pauperized in gambling houses which operate under government license and are then turned on the streets to beg."

POKER AT CHURCH COSTLY.

DALLAS, Feb. 28.—Playing poker on the steps of a church here cost two young men a fine of \$15 each and a third gamester thirty days on the city farm.

MINER INHERITS WEALTH.

CARDIFF, Wales, Feb. 28.—George Morgan, a miner who recently came into possession of a piece of land under which it is estimated there are 2,000,000 tons of coal, has been offered 70,000 pounds for his rights.

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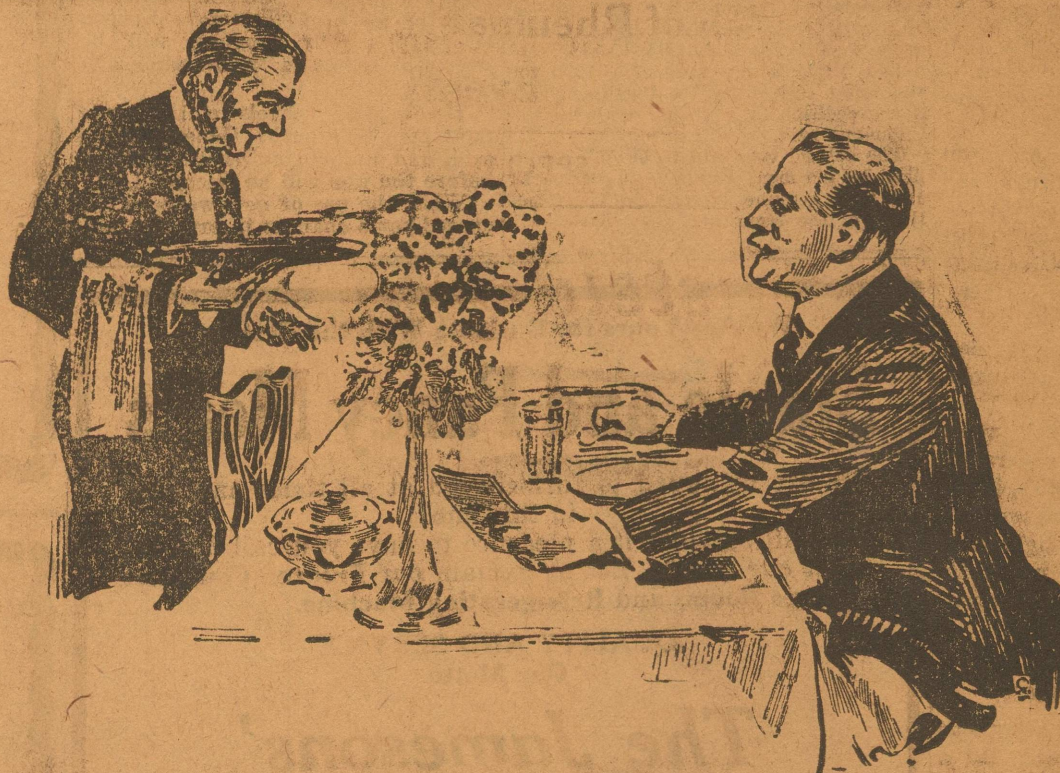
EDHOBBY

the new town twelve miles south of Ranger, the occasion being the opening sale of town lots in Edhobby, which will begin Monday morning.

FARE 50 CENTS FOR THE ROUND TRIP Including war tax.

Edhobby will build fast beginning Monday and will become an oil field center of importance owing to its location in the oil territory and to its advantages as the only railroad town in that section. It is in the northern extension of the Hog Creek pool. It offers exceptional investment opportunity.

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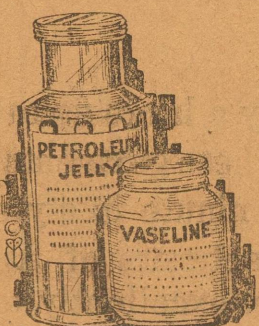
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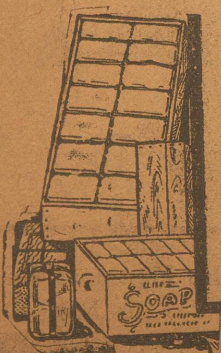
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DEMPSEY.

Dempsey no longer is called upon to defend himself before the posts of the American Legion as to his conduct during the war. He will face a more rigid tribunal, in answering charges brought by the federal grand jury that he evaded the selective service act and that he violated the law.

A more far-sighted man than Dempsey or Kearns might have foreseen the trouble that lay in the future for him at the time when other ble-bodied fighters were exchanging punks for khaki. If he had world's champion aspirations then, and with the professional fighter's usual self-confidence it is to be inferred that he might have known that the world would not prove pleasant with a factory war service behind it.

It succeeded to the champion through the force of his Toledo, he might not have been in the position he is in the limelight of unpleasant publicity is not seeking the man who before Dempsey's onslaught, the record might be open to similitude. It is doubtful, even, if a federal investigation would have been to the loser of the fight.

Ranger post of the American Legion, with considered fairness, did pass judgment on Dempsey's war record. The members of the post stamped Dempsey as ineligible for federal court will go further. Legion membership.

Champion heavyweight now dignomy of arrest for avoidance to fight.

It having qualified, when others, less generously physically, did qualify, in the biggest fight, Dempsey won the title of the greatest fighter. He will answer for not fighting conspicuously, but more completely.

EXCITED LEGISLATION.

A favorite saying in the army, one against any person who had a tendency to point out deficiencies in the "show" or blame the exaggerated excesses of the top sergeant, was the

admonition, "Don't get excited on your first enlistment."

The remark savors of wisdom, of the profound army knowledge which is only gained through years of service. It can be applied to civilian life with equal propriety.

Too many people "get excited on their first enlistment." The tendency to judge a question in the light of hastily gathered and superficial knowledge is a dangerous tendency.

This habit of mind is especially injurious in the realm of politics, and it is here that the greatest "excitement" is to be found, and very often on the "first enlistment." The country is suffering from an epidemic of laws aiming at radical reform of alleged ills but carrying the germs of far more deadly disease of the body politic than those they attempt to cure.

While the radical and the reactionary are attempting to incite the masses to frenzy, and the political pot boils, the average man is vexed by conflicting ideas and opinions. It is a most difficult time to form sober and honest judgments, based on a fair realization of the issues involved, and it is a time when such judgments can save the country from a great deal of harm.

Reform legislation always has a backfire and it often leads to results which are a cause of bitter and sad surprise to the legislators who framed it but which could easily have been foreseen by a person who had formed the habit of "not getting excited on his first enlistment." It is a time when the economy which some congressmen are advocating with respect to appropriations should be administered with respect to reform laws.

A constitutional amendment allowing congress to pass just so many legislative "cure-alls" a session would be a godsend to the country.

FORT BLISS LOSES "BELOVED TOMMY"

EL PASO, Feb. 28.—Col. S. R. H. Tompkins, last of the "old guard" of the Seventh cavalry, stationed at Fort Brown (Brownsville), Fort Bliss "Beloved Tommy," as Colonel Tompkins had become known, will be succeeded by Col. A. Heekin, Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, according to announcement by Maj. Gen. Robert L. Howze, commander at Fort Bliss.

"I'm devilish sorry to leave Fort Bliss," Colonel Tompkins declared. "That's all I can say. I have the finest outfit in the world here, by gad! I hate to leave 'em. But to a soldier orders is orders. It's all in the game."

Colonel Tompkins is a West Point graduate and has been in the regular army since October 30, 1884. He became a member of the famous Seventh cavalry as second lieutenant 34 years ago—on March 12, 1888—and has been stationed at Fort Bliss since August 1, 1916. He fought Indians in Arizona in 1890-91, and was a member of the Pershing punitive expedition into Mexico following the Columbus raid.

The colonel was said to be universally liked by his men, was "one of the boys" and took genuine interest in every activity of the regiment.

Foreign Phrases Will Be Dropped; Modern Military Mechanisms Kept, in Instructions of American Forces

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Such phrases as "over the top" and "liaison," which were a common part of the parlance of war literature and conversation, are doomed to disappear from American military phraseology and will not be included in the new field service regulations of the United States army and the manuals of the various arms of the service, now being prepared by the general staff, will differ in but minor details from the regulations in force before the world war, and will show practically no traces of the passing vogue of foreign methods.

The formulation of a strictly American doctrine of tactics, and the establishment of a system of uniform instruction in all military schools is the aim of the training section of the general staff, according to high officers here. So-called "trench warfare" was only a passing episode in military history, in the view of the officers, while the fundamental principles of war are the same as those employed by Napoleon at Jena and by Grant at Gettysburg.

This policy was stated to students in the present class at the army service schools at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., by Brigadier General Hugh A. Drum, director of the line school, who was chief of staff of the First Army overseas.

"Our experiences in the European war have been sufficient and the results so creditable," General Drum said, "that we have little or no need to borrow tactical doctrines from a foreign country." General Drum said that such terminology as "open position," "stabilized," and "trench" warfare would not be recognized or employed, as the same tactical principles apply to all of those so-called classes of warfare.

Just as General Pershing insisted on training the American expeditionary forces for "open" warfare, so at the service schools, General Drum said, "the inculcation of an offensive spirit, which must be the primary object of the course, is best obtained by the study of open warfare offensive situations."

At the same time, it is the plan of the general staff to make due allowance for new weapons developed in recent years, especially infantry weapons such as the one-pounder, guns, automatic rifles, and machine guns. These weapons have made necessary the creation of several new units and slight modifications of old infantry formations.

Foreign words will be eliminated from the terminology of the manuals. For example, "information" will take the place of "liaison." "Liaison officers," a war product, will be known hereafter as "information officers."

The service schools will compile their own text books, General Drum said, and German authorities studied before the war will be discarded.

While the use of new weapons has caused some changes in organization,

it must not be forgotten, officers emphasize, that infantry remains the principal branch of the army and that other services are auxiliary arms. In this connection it was recalled that General Pershing, in a letter to the chief of the air service commenting upon the functions of airplanes, said that "an air force by itself cannot win a decision against forces on the ground."

"An air force," the general added, "acting independently, can of its own accord, neither win a war at the present time, nor, so far as we can tell, at any time in the future."

LITTLE GIRLS STEAL TO PROTECT MOTHER

By Associated Press

DALLAS, Feb. 28.—Two little girls, shivering in ragged dresses, were arrested here for burglary, committed, they said, to keep their unemployed father from "scolding" their hard-working mother when there was not enough food in the house for him.

The father, according to officers, had not worked for some time and spent his time at home, "lolling in an arm chair, smoking cigars, and growling about the government." He was taken into custody, despite his plea of an "independent income" and was held on charges of vagrancy and contribution to the delinquency of his minor children.

The girls, aged ten and twelve, it was alleged, entered the home of a neighbor at night and, passing up money, stole bacon, eggs and cocoa from the ice chest.

"Mother works and earns ten dollars a week," the eldest child said, according to Sain Mims, truant officer. "Father has not worked for four months. He says he can't get a job. He talks something fierce to mother when there is not enough for him to eat. So we thought we would go out and steal something to keep mother from a scolding."

The terrible inroads made by war upon the men in France leave that country at the present time with only one man to every fifteen women.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING OFFICE PLACED IN DALLAS

By Associated Press

DALLAS, Feb. 28.—Sub-offices of headquarters here of the Dallas district, Federal Board of Vocational Training, are to be established in Fort Worth, Waco, Houston, San Antonio, El Paso, Oklahoma City, Tulsa and Little Rock, according to W. F. Doughty, director of the district, which comprises the states of Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas. The Dallas headquarters office will continue as heretofore, but with its personnel reduced.

"There are some distinct advantages in handling the work of rehabilitation through branch offices," Mr. Doughty said. "Under the new plan, an experienced man is placed in charge of the branch office and thus, by bringing the office of the board and the service man nearer to each other, it is easier to expedite matters and get the men in training at an earlier date, as well as at a smaller expenditure for the government."

YOUNG ARISTOCRATS SEEK FILM WORLD FAME

By Associated Press

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Two young aristocrats are going to California to seek fame in the film world. They are Captain Vesey A. Davoren, "The O'Davoren," an Irishman who claims to be a descendant on his mother's side from the great Duke of Wellington, and on his father's side from Irish kings, and Elliot Gordon, son of an earl and heir to big estates in Hertfordshire. Both have appeared in films here.

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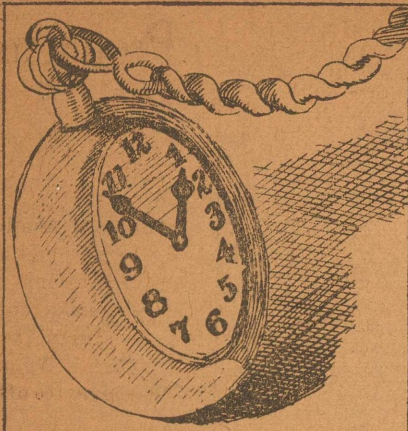
ANNOUNCEMENT

C. B. AMEEN, opposite the First National Bank on Rusk Street, will open Monday, March 1st

With Complete Line of Gents' Furnishings

We invite everyone to come in and inspect our store and stocks.

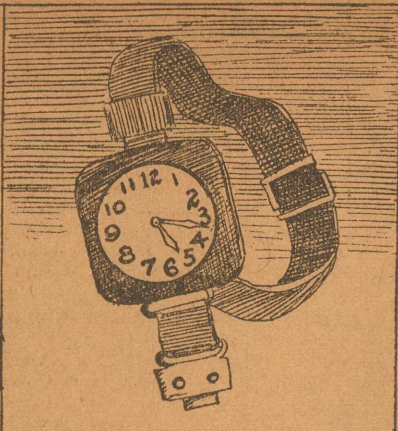
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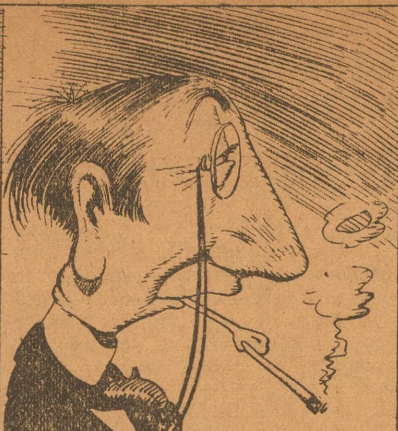
THIS WATCH WAS AN ELEGANT THING LONG AGO, A TREASURE SUBLIME, AS YOU PROBABLY KNOW,



THE THICKER THE WATCH, THE MORE HUSKY THE PEST, WHO WOULD WEAR THE BIG TURNIP INSIDE OF HIS VEST!



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NOW THE WATCH THAT WAS WORN BY THE HUSKIEST GINK IS GIVEN TO BABY TO PUT ON THE BLINK,



WHILE THE WRIST-WATCH IS WORN, NOT ONLY BY FOPS, BUT BY PLASTERERS, FIGHTERS AND WRESTLERS AND COPS!

"PIVOT" STATE IS NEW CLASS OF MICHIGAN

DETROIT, Feb. 28.—Although strictly partisan feature has been extensively removed from Michigan presidential primary...

Ingenious Advertising Schemes Used by "Get Rich Quick Men" Run Down by Vigilance Committee

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Ingenious use of advertising schemes by "get-rich-quick" men are being run down by the National Vigilance Committee...

tail price. He left the supposedly defective tire, saying that the doctor could use it as a "spare," and refused further payment.

bottom of the box," he undoubtedly would find the missing object. After a year's fight, the Vigilance committee obtained a conviction and sent the head of the league to prison.

Another bogus company, formed in Akron, in the heart of the tire industry, sold its stock chiefly to people in that city, through the power of advertising...

"How could he, after the money I stole from him?" was the rejoinder. Mr. Lee still insisted, and the man exclaimed: "Can it be possible that this fellow wasn't on the level with me?"

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 28.—Edward L. Rogers, of Walker, one of the greatest ends that ever wore a University of Minnesota uniform, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for secretary of state.

EXCHANGE RATE AFFECTS CANADIAN INSURANCE. OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 28.—Government officials have taken cognizance of a sharp difference in the methods of American insurance companies doing business in the Dominion...

TECHNICAL AGENCIES IN CANADA. Officials of various provinces have been informed that the federal government has no power to take action. Insurance laws of each province must provide that insurance accruing to the policy holder must be paid in Canadian money...

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Services Are Held in the Elk's Club, 419 Main Street Every Sunday at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meetings are held at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

JOIN A PARTY, IS ADVICE OF WOMAN POLITICAL LEADER



Mrs. Fletcher Dobyns. Mrs. Fletcher Dobyns of Chicago, chairman of the woman's branch of the Illinois Republican state central committee, urges women to affiliate with some party.

JOHN MOORE FOR SHERIFF

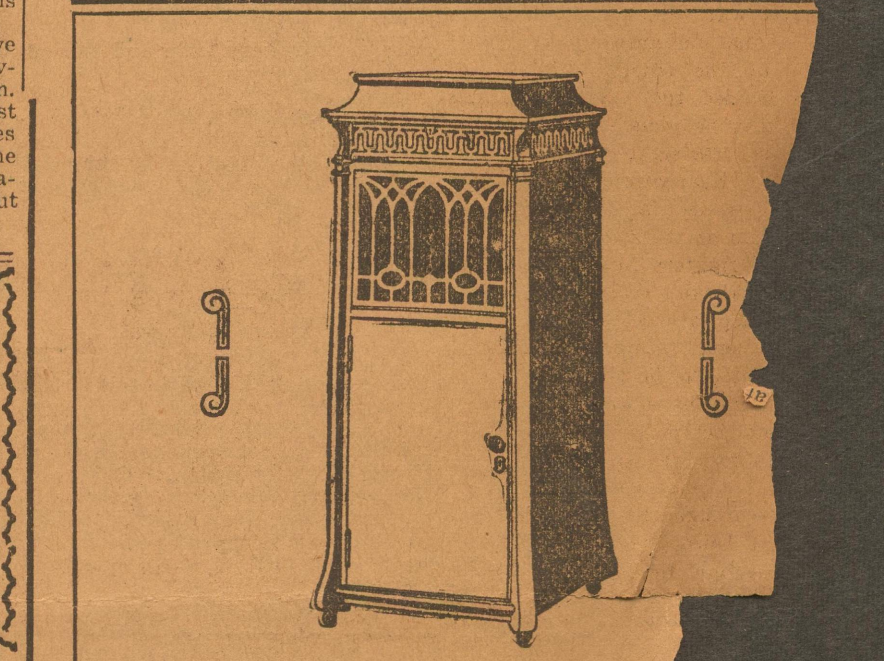
TO THE VOTERS OF EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS; I am a candidate for the office of Sheriff for Eastland County, Texas, at the coming July Democratic Primary Election. In making this race, I do so of my own accord and without the solicitation or importunities of anyone.

Fresh Florida Strawberries

A NEW SHIPMENT JUST RECEIVED. Beautiful Assortment of Cut Flowers including Roses, Carnations, Violets, Hyacinths, Tulips, Daffodils and Sweet Peas. Chatfield Flower Shop. 121 1/2 So. Austin St. 1/2 Block South McCleskey Cafe

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

It has come to the attention of the management of the Daily Times that there have been parties soliciting advertising for Business Directories, Telephone Directories, and other such mediums, and stating, or leaving the impression, that they were connected with the paper. The Ranger Daily Times has never, nor does it intend to solicit advertising in any form other than that for the newspaper.

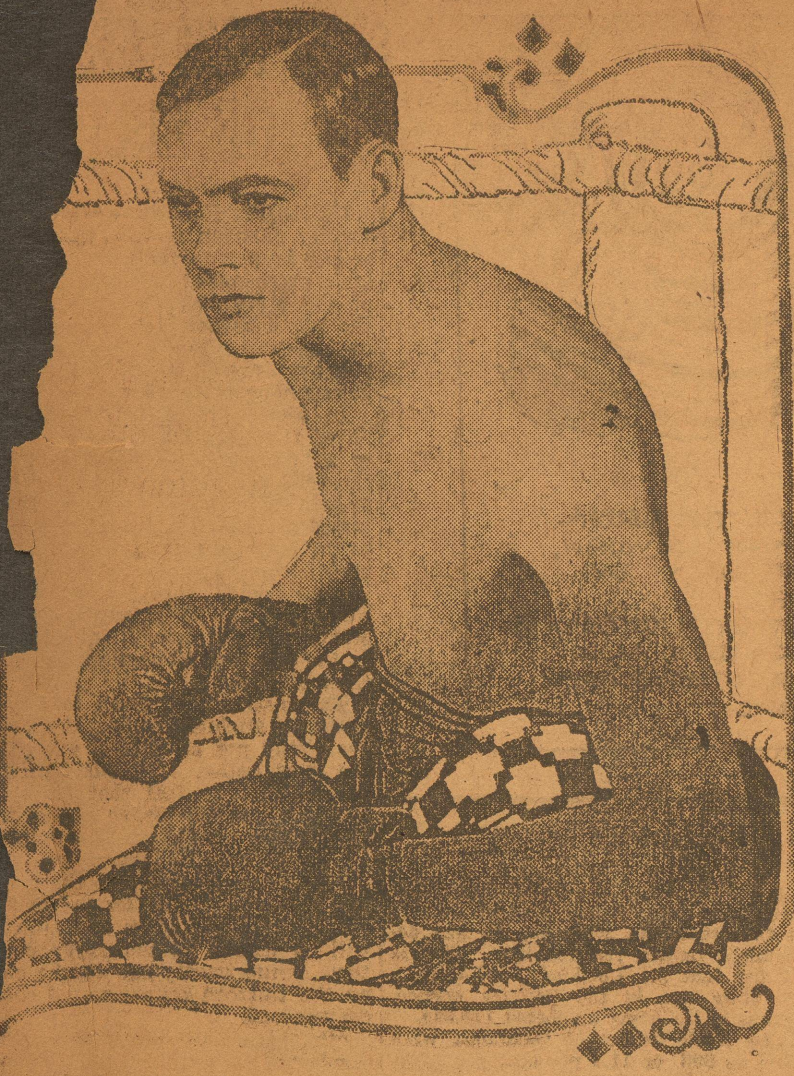


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Showing Today at the Liberty in "Bill Henry."



FIRST Willard and Dempsey—and now comes Charley Ray to the ringed arena. The mighty Jess has entered the movies. And Ray is going in for boxing. The young screen star is actually developing remarkable speed and footwork, according to reports from trainers at his Western camp. Sparring is a hobby in which he indulges when not at work upon new Ince-supervised Paramount-Artercraft picture, "Bill Henry."

CAVALRY DIVISION FOR LONE STAR STATE

By Associated Press
SPON, Feb. 28.—Texas is to complete cavalry division, including auxiliary troops, with a total of 12,833 officers and men. Organization of the division has been approved by Secretary of War. Plans are being worked out at Washington and Austin, according to Brig. Gen. J. F. Wolters, National Guard.

Tentative plans, all infantry will be disbanded so far as concerned. Coast guards and other organizations, however, retained in the guard.

Cavalry division will be created on the basis of the regular army. It will be composed of the units, according to information, stationed at various quarters, each brigade of regiments.

Men's Hats For Dress or Work

The Hats shown here meet the requirements admirably.



They are a better-than-usual grade of and come in several brim and crown dimensions so that most any man can find a style that suits him.

The prices are graded according to finish and style.

You will have no trouble in finding one to suit you.

A. STORES

in Racine Bldg. next to Scott's Cafe.

MANY QUINTETS HAVE ENTERED CHICAGO MEET

By Associated Press
CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—With teams from states as far apart as Arkansas and Pennsylvania asking for invitations to the second annual basketball interscholastic tournament at the University of Chicago on March 18, 19, 20, the national character of the competition is assured.

The Jonesboro, Ark., team, holding the championship of that state, and the championship of the Missouri-Arkansas association; Centralia High, one of the best teams in southern Illinois; the fast Marquette High school team of the northern peninsula of Michigan; the Crawfordsville, Ind., team, which already has sixteen straight victories to its credit over high school and independent teams this season, and the Altoona, Pa., team, with three good seasons behind it, are some of the teams which are being considered.

The best teams of Iowa will be represented, as the Iowa tournament winners at Ames will be sent to the Maroon classic, where they will meet the pick of other states.

Records of other strong high school teams will be considered, if submitted before Feb. 28, and the best five will be invited to compete.

Cravens Realty Company

We show below a few of our best offers. We are looking for quite an activity in homes this spring. Better get yours now.

Homes

Five-room new California bungalow, about 4 blocks west of Postoffice in Hodges Oak Park, in best neighborhood. This house is built with a view to convenience; has nice bath, sink in kitchen, breakfast room with built in seats and table, built in china closet, French doors, large closet in each bedroom, electric lights and gas, also water, has nice garage; an ideal home; \$5,750, \$1,500 cash, balance monthly.

Three-room bungalow, on full lot, reasonably close in, \$1,600, \$350 cash, \$50 a month.

Business Property

100x140, one block from Main street, center of the business district, \$40,000, \$1,000 down, \$500 a month, without interest. This is the best proposition in the city for a hotel or business location, for so small an outlay of money. We can sell half of this lot in the same manner.

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We have business locations anywhere in town. We will be glad to give you any information.

VEHICLES CROSSING LINE PAY IMPROVEMENT TAX

By Associated Press
LAREDO, Feb. 28.—The Mexican town of Nuevo Laredo, opposite here, recently imposed a tax on vehicles crossing from Laredo, to be used for street improvement.

City officials informed the Mexican authorities that a similar tax would be imposed at this end of the international bridge unless they rescinded their order. The Mexicans would not do this, so now automobiles from Nuevo Laredo pay a 20-cent tax and other vehicles pay 10 cents upon entering Laredo from the Mexican town.

A Sad Song.

Among the passengers on board a ship crossing the Atlantic recently was a man who stuttered. One day he hurried to the captain. "S-s-s-s"—he stuttered.

"Oh, I can't be bothered!" said the captain angrily. "Go to somebody else."

The man tried to speak to every one on board, but no one would wait to hear what he had to say.

At last he came to the captain again. "Look here," said the captain, "I can tell you what to do when you want to say anything; you should sing it."

Suddenly, in a tragic voice, the man began to sing: "Should auld acquaintance be forgot and never brought to mind? The bloomin' cook's fell overboard and is twenty miles behind."

—Philadelphia Star.

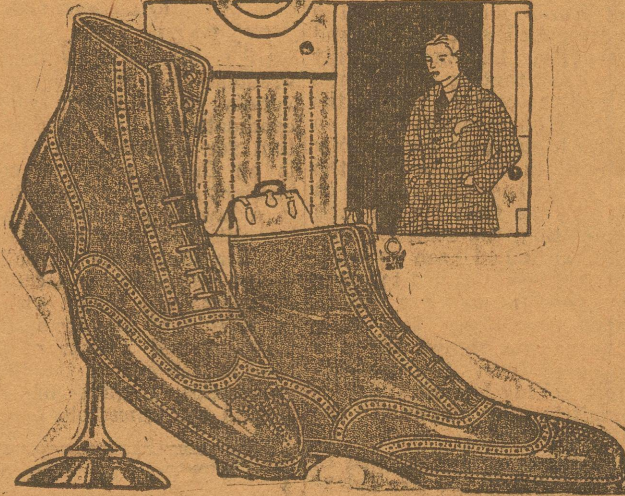
WOMEN GIVEN TRIBUTE FOR CIVIC BEAUTY

By Associated Press

WELLINGTON, Kan., Feb. 28.—Women of this city are given credit for the transformation, within a few years, of an unsightly, swampy 30-acre tract into a beautiful city park. It has been named "Community Park." It is laid out with artistic landscape effect, replete with trees, shrubs and flower beds. It contains a park house, surrounded with large shade trees—a neat, modern stone building containing a large reception room, dining room and kitchen, that will accommodate about 250 persons.

The park house is used for entertainments, banquets, parties. There are not a few evenings on which there is a gathering of some kind at the park house.

"Mrs. F. W. Sellers of Wellington is entitled to the credit of discovering and developing the possibilities of Community park," said A. W. Lynn, secretary of the Wellington Chamber of Commerce. "Through the untiring efforts of Mrs. Sellers and a few other enterprising women the mud-holes of the original unsightly tract were drained, the weeds extinguished, while grass and flowers sprang up in their places. In the course of time



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a hearty co-operation was awakened among business men and other citizens of the city. Meanwhile, Mrs. Sellers has been appointed park commissioner and in this capacity her work has proven very satisfactory."

VANCOUVER CANCELS GROCERY ORDERS HERE

By Associated Press

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 28.—Thousands of dollars worth of grocery orders placed with American concerns have been cancelled within a few days by local merchants. Exchange conditions are held responsible. When the exchange rate soared beyond ten percent, thirty merchants jointly sent telegrams to American concerns that they could not profitably accept further shipments "until the exchange situation is brighter."

SANITARY ENGINEERS IN WORK

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Feb. 28.—The United States Public Health Service has placed three sanitary engineers in Texas, according to a statement by State Health Officer C. W. Goddard, to begin anti-malarial work about March 1. It is expected, Dr. Goddard said, that demonstrations will be conducted in from sixteen to twenty towns in the malarial belt. It is possible that another engineer to supervise work in an additional group of towns may be secured.

Within a short time a fish culturist who has been assigned to propagate mesquite larvae consuming fish to stock lakes and ponds in the malarial belt will arrive and begin work under direction of the state health officer, who has supervision of the Texas anti-malarial campaign.

Income Taxes

The Internal Revenue Collector has assigned to our bank a deputy agent, who will be pleased to assist you in making up your income tax rendition. You are cordially invited, whether a depositor of ours or not, to avail yourself of his services. He is located in our main lobby.

Farmers & Merchants State Bank
RANGER.

NOTICE

To Large Buyers—

Restaurants, Hotels and Camps:

Our stock is arriving daily to stock our Wholesale House, in rear of our new Store No. 4,

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Goods sold strictly at Wholesale Prices.

If our salesman doesn't see you, come in and let us figure your bill.

Basket Grocery Company

Wholesale and Retail



THE NEWEST SPRING MILLINERY

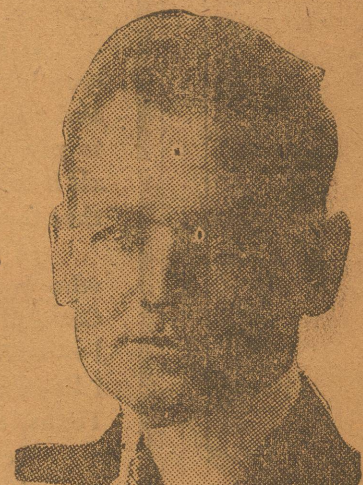
ORIGINAL IN STYLE
EXQUISITE IN TAILORING
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You can best judge this after a personal visit. May we have the pleasure of showing you?

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Texas' Leading Dentists DR. JEFF HALFORD

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THE TIMES' DAILY SHORT STORY

A WILDERNESS AND THOU—

By Jessie Douglas

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Alice Disbrow looked down at the girl who sat on the railing of the rude camp.

"Isn't it funny that I should find you here?" she asked in her high-fluted voice. "How have you ever stood this wilderness?"

"I think it's funnier to see you here," the girl on the railing answered.

She looked at Alice with an honest admiration. Alice was in all things her opposite. She was slender and delicate and fair; she had the look of a wildflower in her pale blue frock with the wide hat and the long velvet streamers. Under the hat, Agatha Holmes saw the eyes that looked like forget-me-nots, with the penciled brows above them, the white skin, the scarlet of lips that was not quite natural.

That was why Alice Disbrow seemed so out of place here, she decided. She was no more an accompaniment to camp life than an orchid. Her frail dress, her high-heeled suede slippers were not made to tramp these woods; Agatha looked down at her own high, rough boots, at her tweed skirt, her brown hands, with a sudden distaste. For one instant she longed for all the artificialities that made the other girl so charming. But

"BAREBACK" DRESS STARTLES PATRONS AT CHARITY BALL



Ivy Collette showing her costume—and back.

What must necessarily be the limit in "bareback" dresses was displayed recently at the Pan Ball given at the Convent Garden, London, for the benefit of St. Bartholomew's hospital. Miss Ivy Collette, late of the Gaiety theater, appeared in the costume of a Nautch girl. The dress had no back at all, as the photo shows, a cord holding the front part in place.

scenes to miss the chance to play this one artistically. So it was Agatha Holmes, who, still sitting on the railing of the camp, met the dark eyes of a stranger as he came up the trail. His first look of surprise at seeing the girl in this wilderness changed to one of pleasure when he met her friendly eyes. "This is Humphries' camp?" he asked in a pleasant deep voice.

"I wonder if he is expecting me. I walked over from the stage and left my duffle to come up behind."

"Humphries is out catching fish for dinner now," Agatha smiled.

He stood beside her on the rough veranda of the camp and listened to the modulations of her voice. She would be a very pleasant companion, he thought, to go tramping with, to hunt out the secrets of the forest with.

Then Jere Warren turned to see another girl come singing through the doorway. She lifted her blue eyes of surprising innocence to his, and dimpled. "Oh, I didn't mean to intrude—"

"By jove, she's lively!" the man thought in one swift glance.

Agatha Holmes introduced them, feeling awkward, somehow, as though she were the intruder, when she heard Alice say, "Oh, are you Jere Warren, the illustrator? If you knew how I admire your drawings!"

Jere Warren seemed flattered at the girl's words; and Agatha blushed hotly, for she remembered the scrapbook she had at home with his illustrations pasted in it! But the words she wanted to say would not come out, and she stood there feeling more an outsider as she saw Jere Warren less himself in admiration of the other girl. Agatha stole away in a few minutes.

It was Jere Warren who insisted that they three should dine at one table together in their camp, which separated them from the guides and trappers who were getting ready for the "season." Agatha, watching the other two with her clear gray eyes, wondered how a man like Jere, who

was so clever in his work, could be fooled by the empty little tricks of Alice Disbrow. But she was the first to agree with Jere when he sang the praises of the other's loveliness in her ears. She had fought against her jealousy and won.

She acquiesced with more pain than pleasure in his proposal that the three take a tramp to a trout stream he had discovered not far away.

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"Oh, Mr. Warren, how can you say such things!" Alice retorted.

Jere and Agatha waited before the camp for Alice. When she appeared, Agatha heard the man draw in his breath sharply. Alice was charming in her white serge skirt and short coat belted in scarlet. Her tiny white felt hat with its pheasant's wing, and her high boots of suede made her more than ever one of his illustrations.

In a few minutes they left the trail that led from the camp and straggled inward through the forest. They walked on and on until the light sifted down dimly through the treetops, but they did not strike the stream.

Agatha turned when she heard a faint cry. Alice had slipped and twisted her foot on a hidden stone. When she reached her, the girl was suddenly sick and icky.

"The stream's only a bit farther. You stay with her and I'll get some water," said the man. When he came back to dash some of the water on the girl's face she turned away pettishly.

"There's no reason to ruin my dress," she complained. "Oh, it hurts so," she began to cry weakly; while the tears made furrows down her pink cheeks and left the rouge showing in grotesque spots.

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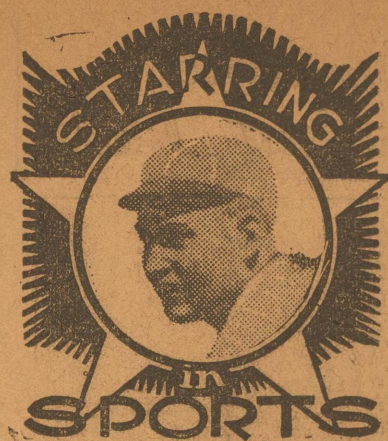
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Reb Russell.

White Sox southpaw who, it is believed, will come through this coming season.

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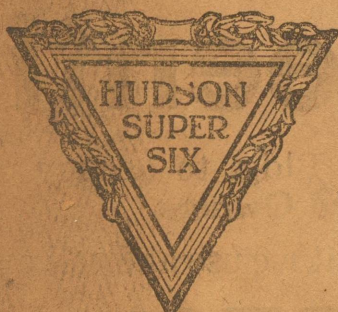
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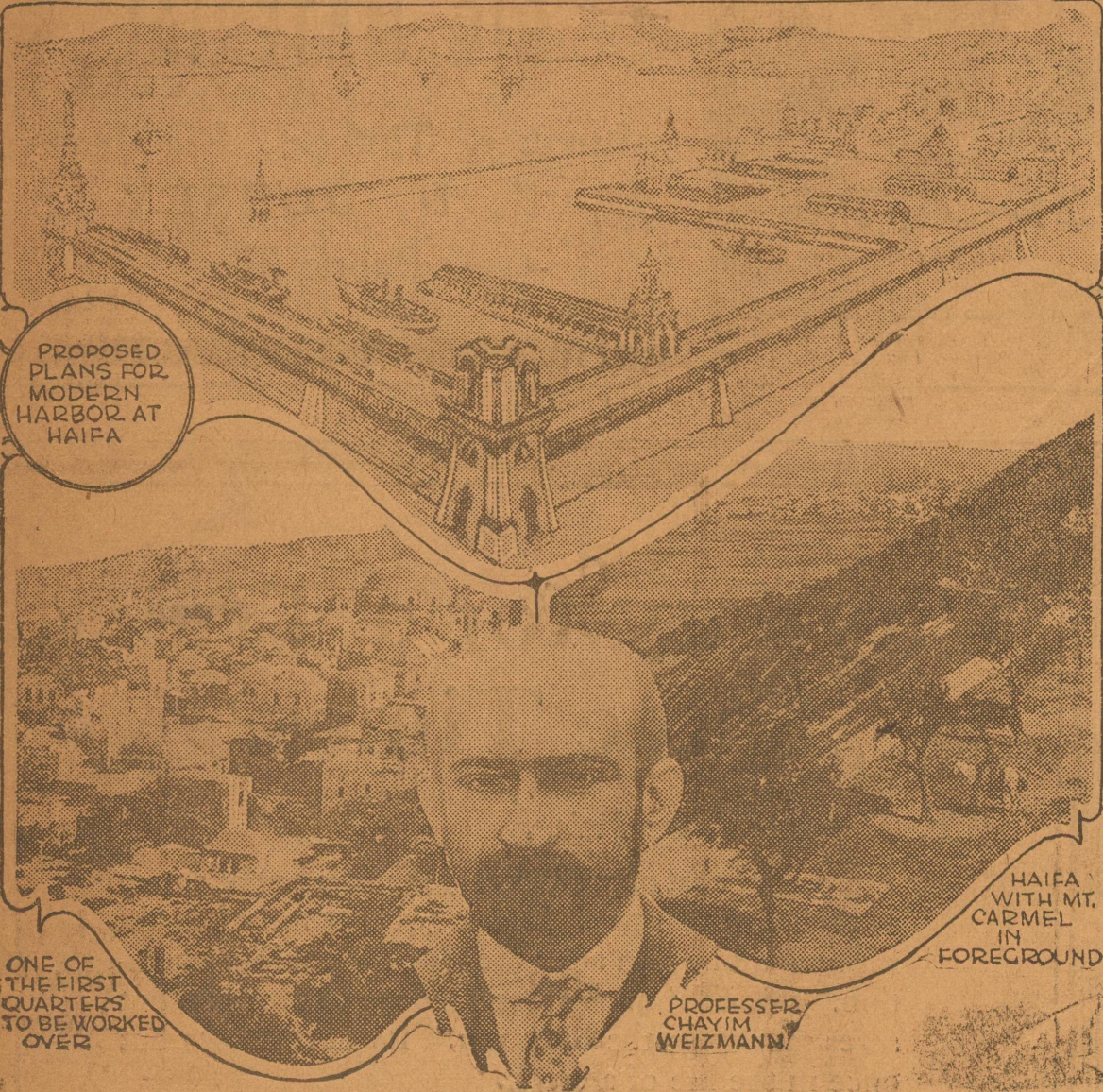


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Holy Land to be Made Homeland For Millions Now Facing Death



To make Haifa not only the leading city of the Eastern Mediterranean, but a great port as well, is the plan of engineering experts engaged in the reconstruction of the Holy Land.

As the first step in the vast restoration program necessary to prepare Palestine to absorb hundreds of thousands of Jews from all over the world, who are waiting with almost frenzied impatience to flee from persecution and massacre as soon as immigration opens up with the signing of the Turkish treaty, these experts plan rebuilding the harbor of Haifa, so that it will be adequate to handle this world migration and the increased commercial and agricultural production of the Holy Land.

The British government plans spending \$5,000,000 for immediate harbor improvements at Haifa, while

through the \$10,000,000 national campaign for the Palestine Restoration Fund, the Society of Engineers of the Zionist Organization of America will be enabled to undertake the preliminary work, which ultimately is expected to convert Haifa into the most important city of the Near East.

Hand in hand with the harbor improvements, the Zionist engineers plan to build railroads and highways, for irrigation, reclamation of swamp lands, sanitation, agricultural projects, modernizing old cities and building new ones along the coast, all with the end in view of providing facilities in the Holy Land to take care of its thousands of new citizens who are anxiously awaiting the word to go there and assist in establishing the Jewish National Homeland.

Prof. Patrick Geddes of the University of Edinburgh, known as the world's most famous town planner, is

at present in Palestine for the Zionist Organization working on the modernizing of Jerusalem, without destroying its historical and biblical aspects, and on the construction of the University of Jerusalem, destined to be the center of Jewish culture and education.

In addition to rebuilding Jerusalem, Prof. Geddes is planning the modernizing of Haifa, Jaffa, Tiberias, Acca and other towns of Palestine, as well as the building of new cities, which will be necessary when mass-migration opens up on a large scale.

Zionist engineers expect Damascus to rival its ancient world importance, when rebuilt Haifa provides it with an adequate outlet to the Mediterranean. With Haifa as the port for Damascus, fertile Mesopotamia, as well as for rejuvenated Palestine, the Zionist experts expect to provide a Palestine merchant marine, at an expenditure of another \$10,000,000.

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painfully between them. Agatha fancied she heard Jere give a muttered "Dam" when Alice wept. "Oh, I don't see why you've brought me on this horrid walk! And now you don't know how to get back!"

The darkness had fallen suddenly, as it does in the north woods, and Jere was doubtful of his direction. He looked comically at Agatha, and her eyes broke into a twinkle of laughter. "We may have to make a night of it," the man apologized. "Of course, they will send out for us when they discover we're lost. I ought not to have brought you, but I don't care to take the risk of leading you through this wilderness without more light."

"I should say you shouldn't brought me!" Alice cried, her pretty voice sharp now.

"I think it'll be rather a jerk!" the man heard the smile in Agatha's voice.

Agatha helped him eat her some dry twigs for a fire and soon they lighted the woods with a bright blaze. Alice sulked in the background; when she did come near enough for the fire to show the ravages that a few hours had made in her appearance, Agatha was filled with pity. The water dashed on her so unceremoniously had taken the careful wave from her hair, and her white cheeks were stained with tears, and now that she had ceased to be piquant and flirtatious, her charm was gone.

Alice refused the chocolate that Agatha had stuffed into her pocket and drew away from the firelight. Jere and Agatha before the blaze sat eating chocolate and the man looked at his companion with new eyes. She was just as fresh as she had been when they had left in the early afternoon. Her eyes gleamed across at him with their friendly frank gaze and the heat had lighted a rosieness in her clear brown skin.

It was so dark now that the fire

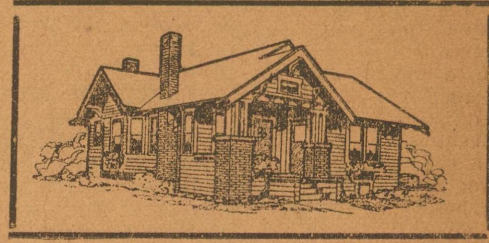
alone lighted the woods with every shadow. Agatha looked behind and saw Alice huddled in a heap asleep. Jere Warren took off his coat and laid it over her gently. When he came back to Agatha there was a long silence.

The man, lighting his pipe, frowned down into its bowl before he spoke. "I've been a fool, Miss Holmes, he said. "I took the glitter for the gold

and now I wonder—Oh, I'm not good at that sort of thing, but I mean I wonder, if a fellow would have a chance to be—your friend?"

The rose in Agatha's cheek deepened before she answered, and her eyes were no less friendly if they held a new shyness. "I should think so, Mr. Warren—if that's all right."

Far off they heard the faint sound of "Hullo! Hullo!"



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Will Aged Husband's Gift of His Wife to Ardent Young Lover Bring Happiness?

BY MARGERY REX,
Written for the International News Service.

NEW YORK—Should a middle-aged man with a young wife give her up to her ardent young admirer, whom she believes she loves?

Is it possible for youth to find happiness with an aged mate? Young women marry old men thinking they love them. Then along comes the young man to make the wife in her twenties wonder if she wasn't too hasty in tying herself to middle age with its staid sobriety and quiet affection.

When a similar situation came into the life of George L. Bradshaw, a Chicagoan of 60 years, when his 23-year-old wife was found under questionable circumstances with young Raymond Kerwin, son of her husband's oldest friend, Bradshaw made a quick decision.

"Can you support my wife if I set her free?" he asked his rival. Receiving a reply in the affirmative, Mr. Bradshaw paid the necessary bail for his wife and Kerwin, and immediately filed suit for divorce, having the necessary evidence at hand.

So young Mrs. Bradshaw will probably become Mrs. Kerwin, the wife of a former soldier.

Will she be truly happy? She may, however, appreciate too late the fine and generous man who loved her so truly that her happiness was his chief desire. Her young husband may not be so altruistic, or so self-sacrificing.

However, when a woman marries she must adjust her own views, wishes and ambitions to those of the man she has chosen. She must change her personality, make it over on a new pattern; at least, she must make the man believe she has changed it if she desires peace.

Suppose a girl of twenty marries a man of fifty. She thereby deprives herself of thirty years of life, of association with people of her own age. She must take on her husband's attitude toward life or there will be constant disagreement.

He is apt to be jealous of all her youthful friends, fearing lest she compare their exuberance with his passiveness. He is afraid if she goes to social functions without him lest she meet some one younger and more attractive than he or lest she gain a glimpse into a gay and carefree existence of untried youth that will make her dissatisfied.

He expects his wife to accept without question his ideas on all subjects and to defer to his opinions. The friends she had before marriage are of course young, too, and the middle-aged husband sees many faults in them, or tells his wife so, in order that she will turn away from their gayeties. He leads her to suspect flaws in them.

Complete alienation from the things that make for her enjoyment of life and contentment is desired by him. No other way is possible if the mismatched marriage is to continue. Any leniency will mean a break.

Marriage between a young woman and a man much her senior is not advisable, except in rare cases. Similarity of tastes that make companionship possible and agreeable is not the usual thing between two people whose ages differ almost a generation.

Small wonder that when a young man comes along with interest and admiration in his eyes the young wife stops to look and listen, if she be unhappy and not too firm of character.

The plain fact asserts itself that a young life cannot be mated with one nearly lived out and turn out happily.

Bradshaw probably realized this when he so willingly gave up his wife to her lover. There is in this expression of his love almost a paternal spirit—the tenderness of old age for the young and the wife. The mother or father sighs that it is not possible to get the moon for the baby who is crying for it, and offers some substitute.

From one point of view Bradshaw's action may well be called noble.

Yet, on the other hand, it is generally considered a very clever expedient to throw together two people who by everything that is good and right, should be kept apart. The idea is that enforced association will cause them to repent of their bargain and tire of one another.

The clandestine meetings that the two young people enjoyed are a different sort of thing from the day-after-day existence of married life. A pretty woman looks prettier under the soft shaded lights of an out-of-the-way cafe, and a man is more attractive saying, "Where do we go from here?" than when opening the first-of-the-month bills in the hard, cold glare of the breakfast table.

CHINESE ARE HOSTS AT ELLINGTON FIELD

By Associated Press.
ELLINGTON FIELD, HOUSTON, Feb. 28.—Officers at this flying field were dinner guests on Chinese New Year's Day, Feb. 19, of the fifty Chinese refugees from Mexico stationed here. The Orientals celebrated in true Chinese fashion except for the fireworks, which were tabooed because of danger to the hangars.

Dang Wing, assisted by ten of his fellow refugees, prepared the program. The dinner was served in one of the aero squadron mess halls. Most of the food was from China. The menu consisted of chicken chop suey, Chinese soup, rice, potatoes, Chinese sauce, roast pig, dried Chinese cat fish, Chinese mushrooms, Chinese fruit and Chinese tea. America's cigars followed the dinner. Because the Chinese wish to learn American ways, knives and forks took the place of chopsticks.

Fervor was added to the celebration because of a promise given the Chinese by General Pershing during his recent visit here that he would do his best to secure the necessary legislation to permit their remaining in the United States.

The Chinese are subject to deportation, being part of a band of 400 Orientals General Pershing brought out of Mexico when his punitive expedition was withdrawn.

Car Recovered; Thief Escapes

Word has been received from Tulsa, Oklahoma, that the Cadillac car stolen from the garage of the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. has been recovered. This was rapid work both on the part of the thief and the police. The thief covered the ground between Ranger and Tulsa on record time and the car was recovered shortly after his arrival there. He was not apprehended.

Don't be discouraged if you don't find just the article that you seek—just the property that you would rent or buy from your first appeal—be persistent and use the Daily Times Want Ads.

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CROSS STREET AND LEAVE DRY U. S. FOR WET MEXICO

By Associated Press.
NOGALES, Ariz., Feb. 28.—Bootleggers have little patronage in this border town. They do not satisfy a "long felt want," for a Nogales resident who develops a thirst, having permission of the federal authorities to cross the border, merely steps across the street, enters a swinging door and naps his liquor. It is as simple as going down to the corner saloon in the old days.

If he "nominates" whiskey, he does not get it. Barkeepers in Nogales, Sonora, just across the street from Nogales, Ariz., are not allowed to sell it, for Sonora is partly dry. But he can get beer, wine or tequila, and many an American unable to secure whiskey now is on terms of intimacy with the fiery liquor of Mexico.

Some of the bars on the Mexican side are elaborately equipped and operate handsome dining rooms in conjunction. Americans who like beer with their luncheons or wine with

their dinners cross the borders at meal time.

One may buy liquor as liberally as he pleases in Nogales, Sonora, but he must carry it inside of him when he re-crosses to the Arizona side. Federal inspectors scrutinize closely everyone coming through the gate in the high wire fence in the international street.

FORTY YEARS IN EL PASO HASN'T SEEN CENSUS MAN

By Associated Press.
EL PASO, Feb. 28.—W. A. Milner, forty years a resident of El Paso, has never met a census enumerator and would like to see what one of the "animals" looks like. In a letter to the El Paso Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Milner said:

"Having lived in the State of Texas since May 10, 1849, and in the city of El Paso since Feb. 4, 1880, and never having met a census enumerator, would be real glad to meet one of the animals to see what it looks like."

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Edhobby is the best place for profitable investment in town property now open to the people of this marvelously profitable oil region. It is an opportunity for business and industrial activity such as is seldom found by the most sapient seeker after such infrequent conditions--where a dollar multiplies in increased values over night and business comes clamoring to yield profits beyond the dreams of the men in settled and sedate communities. The investor in this new rail-road town in the Eastland county oil fields stands to make money according to the best records of successful city investments--and many of the world's largest fortunes have been made from investments in city real estate and its increase in values.

Nobody who has seen the advance in values and observed the prosperity of business in the older oil field towns of Texas, where men have gone into business with small capital and retired with fortunes in less than two years, will fail to see the opportunity that is presented in the new railroad town of Edhobby that has been placed and designed to afford every facility for reaping profits of many hundreds per cent on any sized investment in lots or in business enterprises. Edhobby is now the railroad center for a great oil field. It is a present opportunity of superlative merit that offers immediate action and continuing profits--for its setting is an enduring oil field and is attracting the millions of the world and producing millions of profits. It is the clearing house and trade center for an empire of wealth.

Plats of Edhobby will be ready at the townsite on the day of the opening. They will bear the printed prices of all of the lots, and these prices are fixed. The sale of lots will begin March 1 and will continue from day to day at the office of Hamon & Kell on the townsite. Thirty per cent of the purchase price of the lots is payable at the time of sale. The remainder is payable in seven equal monthly payments.

A Financier's Opinion

Edwin Hobby, vice-president and Cashier of the Security National Bank of Dallas, one of the largest banks in Texas, says:

"I believe the new town of Edhobby will be a greater town than El Paso. It is situated in every way to become a great oil field center. The town on all sides of the town promises to become a great oil pool. The territory adjacent to the townsite is ample to make it a metropolis of oil fields. It enjoys the facilities of a new railroad that is being built to serve the oil fields, and is the town on the new railroad to reap the benefits of that transportation. I have seen many new towns, not of them have become great cities, but I cannot gaze upon the development work now under way in the Edhobby territory and see the result in oil being produced without being convinced that here is the new town that has ever had it under the most favorable conditions of a great wealth-producing element. It will be the supply and industrial center for one of the great oil fields in the world."

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With the Women of Today

Miss Helen Scott Hay of Savannah, formerly chief nurse of the Red Cross commission to the Balkans, has been appointed chief nurse of the American Red Cross commission to Europe...



Miss Helen Scott Hay.

Miss Hay left the Red Cross to assist the surgeon general's office organize the army school of nursing, returned to Europe in October, 1915, as chief nurse of the Balkan commission...

WOMAN'S PLACE IN WORK

Mrs. Anna Lalor Burdick, special agent for trade and industrial education for girls and women of the federal board for vocational education, asserts that girls have no trouble in finding positions...

certain industries. Women are needed in garment and hat work, the hosiery industry, and soap-making.

Women make and assemble delicate parts of adding machine. Office appliances, electric lamps, electric light equipment and appliances.

Before the war there was only the typical watchmaker of this country is a nine-year-old girl. The foreman in all industries where women were employed. Since the war there are both the instructional forewoman and the production forewoman in all women-employing industries.

JE SAIS TOUT TO PICK WAR'S GREATEST MEN

By NEWTON C. PARKE, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—Five Americans, General Pershing, Admiral Sims, President Wilson, Secretary Lansing and Dr. Alexis Carrel, of the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research...

There are fifty names selected by the magazine itself, but its readers may ballot for others not on the list. The voting closes April 25. The other nominees are:

King Albert of Belgium, Crown Prince Alexander of Serbia, Gabriele d'Annunzio, Arthur J. Balfour, Admiral Beatty, General Cadorna, Jules Cambon, General de Castelnau, Premier Georges Clemenceau, General Duttet, General Diaz, Marshal Haig, Commodore L'Amiral, General Fayolle, King Ferdinand of Rumania, Marshal Foch, Marshal Joffre, General Esperrey, Marshal Gaidar, General Gornau, General Gallieni, General Grose, Jules Guyon, Marshal Joffre, Earl Kitchener, Bonar Law, Gen. Lemau, Lloyd George, General Lyautey, Lieutenant Commander Max, General de Moudy, General Mangin, Cardinal Mercier, Premier Millerand, General Nibel, Nungesser, ex-Premier Orlando, general Pau, Farshai Petin, President Poincare, Commandant Reviel, Louis Renault, Admiral Ronchac, Premier Venizelos, King of Italy.

The newspaper Excelsior takes exception to this sort of a contest. "Can a man emerge 'first' from a cataclysm like this war, as he emerges 'first' in his class in college? demands the Excelsior.

it possible to discover ten citizens who are greater than the others?

"What shall we call a great man of the war? The most intelligent, the most courageous, the most popular, the one in the highest position, the one the best paid? Shall we search among the victorious generals, the clear seeing diplomats, the men of state, the combatants, the engineers, the inventors, the men who have perfected the war material, the men who have best used it, the men who have suffered most?

Clemenceau is a great man of the war. The aviator Guyonner also. How dare we confront, compare and then pick ten in the field so different? Wilson, Lloyd George are great men of the war, but are they any greater than the most humble of our poilus? Our marshals passed under the Arc de Triomphe behind the wounded. These were the men who were easiest on that memorable day the greatest! Alas, they were more than ten. But we shall see that this election will bring the triumph of an entirely different conception of greatness!"

PROHIBITION HELPS LABOR.

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 28.—Prohibition as embodied in the present British Columbia prohibition act has been of great benefit to the laboring classes. delegates at a recent meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council declared.

IT'S VERY SIMPLE IF YOU OBSERVE THIS FORMULA

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 27.—Harken to the wall of this taxpayer, who has written Collector of Internal Revenue Pickering thus: "There need be but little trouble to figure your income tax. In the first place it may be worked out by algebra, astronomy, trigonometry or syntax and then your answer may be correct or it may not. If your income is \$2,400 a year and you have a diamond ring and an automobile and are married to a brunette girl 26 years old, you take the amount of your income and add your personal property, subtract your street number, multiply by your wife's height and divide by your telephone number. If you have a child in your family you subtract \$200 from your income, add the amount of your personal property, multiply by your waist measure, subtract the size of your collar and your child's age, multiply by the amount you have given the church during the year and divide by the number of your automobile license tag. If there is a second child you deduct \$400 from your income, add the weight and age of the child, divide by the date of your birth, multiply by the size of your hat and subtract the weight of your mother-in-law. After you get it all figured out you won't have to pay any taxes of any name or nature, for they will have you in the booby hatch and strangled down."

FRIENDS THOUGHT DEAD MEET IN GALVESTON

GALVESTON, Feb. 28.—Two old friends, each believing the other dead, met face-to-face here recently in the United States army recruiting station.

Second division, entered the local office to find a stranger talking to the sergeant in charge.

A moment later army acotum was forgotten as the lieutenant pounded the civilian on the back and exchanged greetings with him.

The civilian was H. Plassman, manager of a troupe of vaudeville players, all of whom were soldiers in France.

To the Voters

In response to the solicitations of my friends I have entered the race for commissioner of precinct No. 1, subject to the July primary. Owing to the big bonds voted for public works there will be much of importance for the county commissioners during the next two years. The office of county commissioner is always an important office, particularly so in Eastland county during the next several months. The business qualifications and ability to give best results are the things of most vital concern to every citizen of the precinct and of the entire county. If the voters of this precinct consider me that man, their votes will be appreciated and I promise them the best service I can render. If they think some other man is better qualified than myself, then the voters owe it to themselves and to the precinct and the county to vote for the other man. Never mind about sentiment; it's business that counts. I am not criticizing the present court, nor any member of the court. I have the highest personal regard for every one of them. I have been a citizen of Eastland county from boyhood. If you do not know me investigate, and if that investigation convinces you that I am not the man, vote for some other man. Men who have known and been associated with me in business and as friends have insisted that I make the race. It is up to the voters, not necessarily to vote for me, but to vote for the best man. Respectfully,

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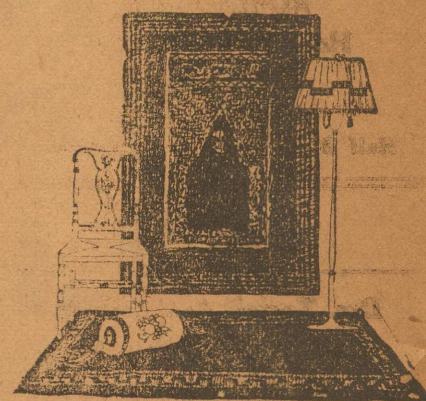
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original plat of Ranger; warranty deed; \$200. Sarah A. Rawls to W. J. Peck et al., being lots 7 and 8 in block 21 original town of Ranger; warranty deed; \$300. J. S. Davenport to Mae Cochran, lot 12 in block 12 of mountain view addition to city of Ranger; warranty deed; \$1. F. K. Anderson and wife to W. O. Sharer, being 1-24 undivided interest in 60 acres of the N. end of the S. W. 1-4 Sec. 9, block 2, E. T. R. R. Co. survey; royalty contract; \$350. A. H. Bowers to Aionzo E. Varza, being the W. 1-2 or lot 6, block 19, original town of Ranger; warranty deed; \$7,500. O. C. Rulke to W. F. Royalty Co., being 1-4 interest in the N. 1-2 of the S. W. 1-4 of survey 31, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, containing 59 acres; royalty contract; \$8,500. Jagers Wallace Oil corporation to the national bank of Commerce, rt. Worth, Texas, being 10 acres out of one n. e. 1/4 acres of the George E. Moore survey; assignment; \$25,000. A. S. Cross to Bette Craver, being 20 acres off the E. end of the S. 1-2 of the S. W. 1-4 of survey 64, block 2, as described in dec; warranty deed; \$1,275. Robert S. Pentz to R. C. Wilson, being the W. 1-2 of the N. 1-2 or 160 acres of the Wyatt Hickman survey out of the Griffith pre-emption survey; assignment; \$1. G. H. Egan et al. to Robert H. Pentz, being the W. 1-2 of the N. 1-2 of 160 acres patented to F. F. Bell, Hickman survey; assignment; \$1. H. C. Wilson to A. C. Stiles, being the same as above described; assignment; \$1. R. L. Rust et al. to R. L. Rust et al., undivided 1-2 interest in brick wall; deed; \$500. E. C. Houser to E. C. Royalty & Development company, being 1-6 interest in 6 acres out of the S. E. 1-4 Sec. 10, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey; assignment; \$1. E. C. Houser to E. C. Royalty & Development company, being undivided 1-192 interest in 87 acres out of Sec. 14, S. A. & M. G. Ry. Co.; assignment; \$1. E. C. Houser to E. C. Royalty & Development company, being 50 acres of 200 acres of the W. 1-2 of D. S. Richardson survey; assignment; \$1. E. C. Houser to E. C. Royalty & Development company, being 13-336 interest in 6 acres off the W. end of tract 13-A out of the J. L. Schooner survey; assignment; \$1. J. N. Gooch to B. F. Hoffacker, being 17-672 undivided royalty in 168 acres in Eastland county; royalty contract; \$340. J. N. Gooch to W. L. Hughes, being undivided interest in 168 acres and 33.34 acres as described in deed; royalty contract; \$500. J. N. Gooch to J. L. Noonester, 1-24 undivided royalty in the above named acreage; royalty contract; \$560. C. Nugent to James Donovan, being 9.6 undivided acres in 144 acres out of Sec. 24, D. & G. land, abstract 337; assignment; \$1. James G. Klapper to Clyde L. Gar-

rett, undivided 2-3 in trest in part of block D-2, 135 feet W. of the S. E. corner of said block, W. 50 feet, E. 50 feet and S. 50 feet, city of Eastland; warranty deed; \$10,500. J. A. Pringle to the Two Field Oil company, being 3 acres in the E. end of 7 1-2 acres of the Smelzer survey, being a part of 287 1-2 acres given in deed to T. B. Thurman by Arizona Vowell; assignment; \$1. F. D. Cochran to Stine & Clarkson, being in Eastland and Erath counties, as properly described in deed; assignment \$1,000. A. E. Kane and wife to B. G. Seitzler, being lot 9, block 8, Joe Roung addition to Ranger; warranty deed; \$500. G. C. Pratt et al. to Lewis Oil & Gas company, being 1 1-2 acres out of the S. E. corner of 163.86 acres D. S. Richardson survey; assignment; \$1. E. M. Barrow and wife to E. D. Anderson, being lot 6 in block 6, Harris addition to city of Cisco; warranty deed; \$250. Victorine Harbin to R. L. Butler et al., undivided 123-4 acres in 178 1-2 acres in two tracts, 80 acres being the W. 1-2 of the N. E. 1-4 of Sec. 9, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co.; 98 1-2 acres of land being the W. part of the N. W. 1-4 of Sec. 4, block 1, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land, as fully described in deed; royalty contract; \$1.

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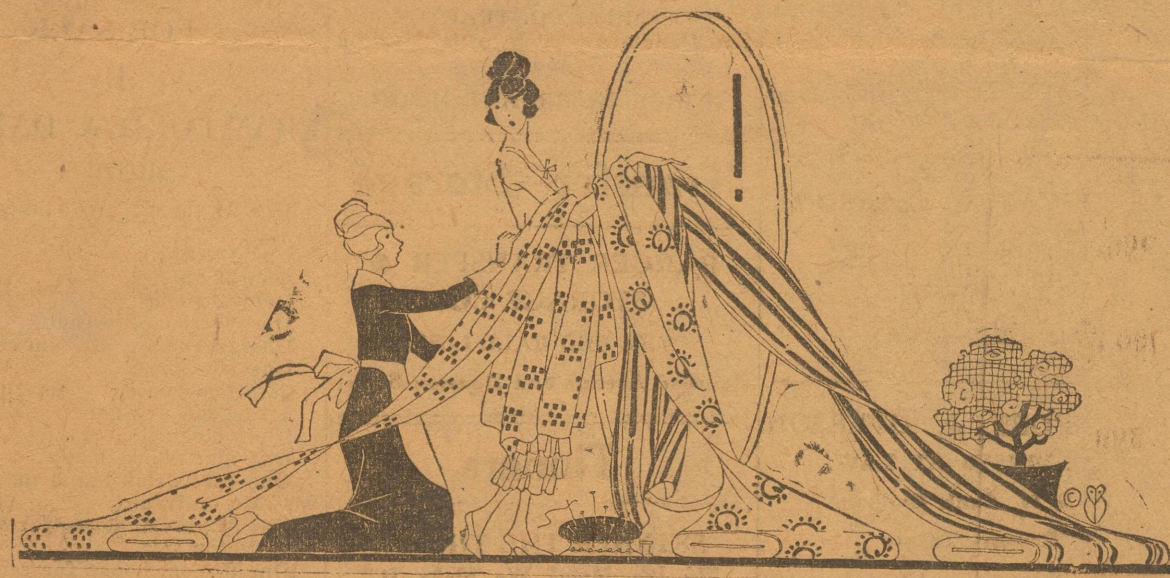
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