

SERMON IN SENTENCE
Hurry and worry waste human endeavor. Waste makes want. Married men who stay at home are never troubled with the eternal triangle.

GAS AND MOTOR LICENSE BILLS CAUSE ROW

NEW LABEL LAW HAS BEEN SIGNED BY GOVERNOR DAN MOODY

TOBACCO TAX BILL NEXT IMPORTANT LEGISLATION TO PASS THE TWO HOUSES

Joint Resolution To Change Educational Law of Texas is Up

AUSTIN, March 12.—Governor Moody at 6:45 o'clock this afternoon signed the newspaper label bill and it is now in effect. The governor in signing the measure, said the measure "carries out the provisions of the bill of rights in the state constitution, guaranteeing the freedom of press and the freedom of speech."
A few hours after the house passed finally the Sanders tobacco tax bill, which is expected to produce an annual revenue of \$5,000,000 for the public schools of Texas, the senate passed, finally with amendment the house bill, reducing the motor vehicle regulation fees by one-third.

The vote was 28 to 1. Senator Stuart of Fort Worth casting the only dissenting vote against the measure. The tobacco tax bill was sent to the senate and referred to the committee on state affairs. Effort is to have the bill reported out in time to have it placed on Monday's calendar.

House Passes Bill.
The house by a vote of 61 to 50 passed the Sanders tobacco tax bill. Opponents to the bill claimed that passage of the tobacco tax bill will mean defeat at this session of the gasoline tax bill. The house is yet to consider the amendment carried in the bill as passed by the senate last night.

The house was in disorder at 1 o'clock as the result of an attempt by Representative Keeton, Fannin county, new member who replaced F. A. Dale, expelled last month for the alleged acceptance of a bribe, to have the Sanders tobacco tax bill taken up on third reading and final passage.

Disorder Reigns.
A barrage of points of order were fired at Speaker Bobbitt, and one by one they were overruled.

Representative R. R. Smith, Atascosa county, who failed to gain recognition by the chair to make a point of order, remained standing and announced that he would make the point of order even if he was not recognized. The speaker directed the sergeant-at-arms to seat Smith.

The house joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution to authorize the legislature to create a state board of education independent of the governor and to permit 10 year terms of the office, for members of the school boards and members of institutions of higher learning, was passed finally by the senate after adopting an amendment cutting the term to six years.

Connelllee 10 Harbin Pool Nearing Sand
The Arkansas Fuel and Gas company's Connellee No. 10 just north of the Jess Harbin pool, and four miles south of Eastland, is nearing completion being only about ten feet off the sand.

Hoffman and Page are setting up a star rig on the Jacob Lyerla tract about one quarter of a mile southwest of their Lyerla No. 2, which has been on the pump for 22 months. This well will be drilled to 1255 feet. Joe Parsons, a mile and a half east of Hoffman and Page's Lyerla No. 1, is rigging and pipe lines are being laid.

The report of the deputy oil supervisor of this district for March 11 follows:
Brown County.
Humphreys Brothers, J. A. Bell No. 1, application to drill to 1500 feet.
Roderick, Calvery and McGinley, J. W. and M. J. Bewton, application to plug.
Magnolia Petroleum company, M. E. Fry, application to plug.
Brownwood company, H. A. Newton, No. 1-A, application to plug.
Humphreys Brothers, H. A. Newton, No. 1-A, dry hole.
Mexana Oil company No. 1, dry hole.
Inland Oil company, W. D. Craters, No. 1, application to plug.

Eastland County.
T. W. Tredwell, J. R. Free, No. 1, application to drill to 850 feet.
Callahan County.
Warren-Hayes Oil corporation, J. A. Green, No. 1, application to drill to 800 feet.

SISTER OF GOVERNOR SIGNALLY HONORED
AUSTIN, March 12.—Miss Mary Moody, sister of Governor Dan Moody has been appointed by A. W. Taber, commander of the 10th brigade Sons of Confederate Veterans as Confederate Sponsor to attend the Confederate Veterans reunion at Tampa, Florida, April 5-8.

RANGER STATE NOW OWNED BY HOME CAPITAL

Transfer of Stock Made
Two New Directors To
Be Selected at Meeting

Announcement was made Saturday by officials of the Ranger State bank, Ranger, that all out of town owned stock has been purchased by J. F. Lillard, John M. Gholson, Dr. A. L. Duffer and G. C. Barkley, and the directors of the bank.

By this purchase of out of town stockholders' interest, the bank becomes a 100 per cent home-owned and home-controlled bank. There will be no change except two more men will be added to the already efficient directorate, making seven directors in all.

Ed Britton will remain chairman of the board of directors.
"The Ranger State bank," J. F. Lillard said Saturday when talking of the change in ownership of the bank's stock, "has made money since its organization, and paid each quarterly dividend since that time."

This bank was organized in 1922 and helped in a great measure to restore the courage and confidence of Ranger people following the near panic after the boom.

After the death of Steve A. Lillard Jr., in February, his uncle, J. F. Lillard, moved to Ranger and took up the duties of active vice president of the bank, and became a Ranger citizen.

All of the officers, directors and stockholders are now Ranger citizens, men who have their varied interests here, and the gratifying increase in business from year to year speaks volumes for the institution. Now that all the stock is held by Ranger men, the bank's future will grow with Ranger's future, for it stands to reason that an out of town stockholder can't have the personal interest in a bank that the men who go in and out of it daily and come daily in contact with its patrons can.

2 WILLACY OFFICIALS SENTENCED

CORPUS CHRISTI, March 12.—Sheriff Raymond Teller, of Willacy county today was sentenced by United States Judge Hutcheson to serve eighteen months in Leavenworth penitentiary for poeage.

Teller, with two other Willacy county officers and two farmers had been convicted before Judge Hutcheson in January on testimony that they conspired to work prisoners without giving them a trial on which they had been arrested. The five were sentenced today.

Teller was given eighteen months in prison on each of the two counts, but the prison terms were allowed to run concurrently. He was fined \$1,000 on one count and \$500 on another.

Frank Brandt, Teller's former chief deputy was given one year and one day on one count and the same term on the second.

KANSAS STORM CLAIMS TOLL OF ONE MAN DEAD

DODGE CITY, Kans., March 12.—One dead was reported today in the blizzard which has swept western Kansas during the last twenty-four hours.

Snow and sleet has swept the plains near here until there is a blanket from two to twelve inches deep.

Keeping Alive a Man Who Can't Breathe



How Albert Frick was kept alive and conscious at St. Francis' Hospital, Evanston, Ill., for days despite his inability to draw a single breath is shown above. Frick (inset) was a victim of complete paralysis of the respiratory organs. In one of the most amazing feats of medical history, doctors and other resuscitation experts kept air flowing to his lungs by rhythmic compression of his chest. With Frick lying helpless in a wheel chair two men at a time alternately compressed his chest and then released the pressure, in the manner illustrated by the group photo. This photo was posed especially for this paper and NEA Service by members of the resuscitation squad to demonstrate just how the young man's life was being prolonged. At the left of the group is the patient's father, H. C. Frick. The others, reading on to the right are C. P. Bahneki, J. B. Pungburn in the chair, John Stephen and L. C. Thayer.

EXCITEMENT RUNS HIGH IN TONOPAH

TONOPAH, Nev., March 12.—Excitement at Westab, scene of the greatest modern gold rush in the history of the west was at high pitch tonight.

With actual digging on the claims of Frank Horon and Leonard Taylor, who discovered the strike, under way, it became known the ore assayed a much higher quality than at first anticipated.

Armed guards on watch day and night keep curious prospectors and tenderfoot alike at a safe distance from the dump piled high with rich ore.

Daring Attempt To Escape Jail Is Thwarted

CHICAGO, Ill., March 12.—A daring attempt of six men to escape from the Will county jail at Joliet, Illinois, where they were held pending their execution for killing a deputy warden of the state prison in another jail break, today was foiled by the police.

Three Mexicans who managed to get out of the jail drove into Chicago, engaged in a shooting duel with police and two were captured. Two policemen were shot and seriously wounded in the duel.

The third Mexican to escape is still at liberty, but his capture is believed to be imminent. The three others involved in the escape attempt were overpowered before they could leave their jail cells. The attempted jail break came shortly after 1 o'clock this morning.

PORTUGUESE FLYER FAILS IN ATTEMPT TO CROSS ATLANTIC

BOLOMBA, Portuguese Guinea, West Africa, March 12.—Sarmiento Beires, Portuguese round the world flyer, tonight was believed to have failed in his efforts to fly from here across the South Atlantic to Port Natal, Brazil, in a non stop flight.

'SKEEN IS HELD FOR GRAND JURY INVESTIGATION

DALLAS, March 12.—Following the testimony of Rabbi Meyer Shiff that he had paid a man displaying a federal officer's badge \$300 to get "things arranged," Bryant C. Skeen, former federal prohibition officer was bound over to await federal grand jury action on charges of impersonating an officer and swindling.

The rabbi said the man who visited him demanded to know the amount of sacramental wine being handled.

Frank Byers, another witness told of paying a federal officer \$210. Neither Byers or Rabbi Shiff could identify Skeen.

Nevada House Favors Returning Gambling Days

CARSON CITY, Nev., March 12.—Upon the shoulders of Nevada's state senators today rested the decision as to whether the state will return to the wild days of '49 in the matter of gambling and make money out of it.

In a sudden spurt in the other direction toward the "blue law" election, the lower house of the legislature late yesterday adopted by a vote of 20 to 14, a bill to throw gambling wide open in Nevada on a high license basis.

The measure went at once to the upper house where debate on it started today. If it passes and is signed by the governor, the measure will tend to bring back the wild boom days of frontier life in the mining camps those opposed to it declare.

Dance Hall Fight Results in Death Charges Filed

HUGO, Okla., March 12.—If Clinton Lick, 20, dies as a result of a bullet wound in his back, received in a dance hall fight, Alf Benn, 30, his alleged assailant, will face a charge of murder, Hal Welch, Choctaw prosecutor, announced here today.

PRESIDENT'S PLAN TO CUT NAVY MAY SUCCEED

Two Foreign Nations
Accept Invitations
To Meet at Geneva

WASHINGTON, March 12.—America's latest move to curtail small but deadly war craft, took formal shape today when this government invited Great Britain and Japan to sit with the United States around a Geneva conference table soon to work out a new naval limitation plan.

The two foreign nations were formally asked by the state department to join this new attempt at furthering world peace.

Having already verbal assurances, that those two great naval powers were agreeable to joining America, in a new disarmament attempt, the United States government, sought to make these acceptances binding by extending written invitations.

The text of the notes, made public this afternoon, contained significant observations as to France and Italy.

"The American government regrets that France and Italy should have formally refused the president's invitation to the proposed five power conference," and shares the opinion of his majesty's government that their presence would be most welcome at such a conference.

This government sincerely hopes, therefore, that they may decide to be represented, at least in some informal manner, at the conversation contemplated."

Make Impression.
This government has told its diplomatic representatives in Paris and Rome to impress upon those governments the desirability of France and Italy sending observers with the understanding that such suggestions by the observers during the negotiations would be welcome.

It is considered significant here that Japan in accepting the Coolidge three-powers conference plan referred specifically to the necessity of France and Italy cooperating if lasting results are to be achieved.

Japan on Job.
Japanese pressure added to the expressed desire of the United States may modify the opposition to the plan asserted by France and Italy in rejecting the original Coolidge five-power pact proposal, it is hoped.

Italy is expected to participate in the Geneva conversation in an informal manner, France, however, it is understood, is said to be undecided.

Gore Oklahoma Citizens Search For Murderer

GORE, Okla., March 12.—A posse of Gore citizens and deputies out since 4 a. m. today were searching the vicinity near here for the slayer who early today shot and killed Deputy R. H. Pratt, 47, second Sequoyah deputy to fall at the hands of gunmen within seven months.

Pratt's body was found on the main street by awakened citizens, his revolver in hand, believed to have been shot down as he challenged his assailant.

No definite clue as to the identity of his killer had been established this afternoon.

Officers Seek Murderer Of Night Police

CLARENDON, March 12.—Officers in surrounding towns were on the lookout following the fatal shooting of John Slaughter, 34, night watchman early today. Near his body were tracks of an automobile which indicated the machine swerved sharply in the street.

An empty shotgun shell was found near by.

A filling station was broken into, and a small quantity of gasoline stolen during the night.

Slaughter's clock indicated he had made his last station on his route at 7:15 o'clock.

MEASURES ARE SENT TO FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE TO ADJUST

CISCO DISTRICT METHODISTS TO HOLD A SCHOOL

Training Religious
Teachers Object; To
Be Held in Eastland

The Methodists of the Cisco district are completing plans for a standard school of religious education, to be held at the Methodist church at Eastland, March 27 to April 1. The opportunity to take work in this school is open to all who are interested in better religious teaching, whether in the home or the school. The six teachers who have been secured are highly recommended and each of them has met all of the requirements of the International council of religious education. Each of them has made a special study of the subject he is to teach.

The board of managers composed of several of the preachers and laymen of the district. The president is Rev. G. W. Shearer, of Ranger. J. M. Edwards of Ranger is a member of the board. Rev. Frank E. Singleton is dean of the school and also the secretary of publicity. Rev. C. O. Shugart, of Cisco, is the treasurer.

Rev. H. P. Watkins of Gorman is the head of the enrollment work while J. A. Caton of Eastland heads up the arrangements committee. Rev. P. T. Stanford of Cisco is a member of the board.

Rev. G. A. Schlueter of Fort Worth will teach "The Organization and the Administration of the Sunday School." "The Training of the Devotional Life," a study in how and why we worship, is taught by Miss Sue Mann, teacher of religious education, Texas women's college. "The Primary Pupil," is a course setting out the characteristics and needs of the young child and is taught by Mrs. C. W. Kent of Waxahachie. Mrs. Sam Ray of Fort Worth, will teach "Training the Juniors in Worship." The intermediate and senior workers will have a course for their training, taught by Rev. C. O. Shugart, of Cisco, one of the best qualified teachers we have for that work.

He will use two texts in his classes. "The Organization and the Administration of the Intermediate Department" and "Leaders of Youth." There will be a course for all the workers in small schools of the one room type. This course will be taught by Rev. J. B. Curry of Fort Worth, and the text will be "The Small Sunday School." These books are by request being carried by Caton's Variety store.

LAW MAKERS GO TO WORK AS WAITERS

AUSTIN, March 12.—Two members of the Texas legislature, were obliged to go to work as waiters today to pay their expenses while the legislature is in session "over time."

The manager of the St. Stephen, Austin hotel, announced he had employed Representative Ray Holder, and Senator Tom Pollard, as waiters in the coffee shop. They will receive their meals and all tips as compensation. In view of the fact, members of the legislature receive only \$2 a day instead of the regular \$5, when the session last longer than the prescribed 60 days, the hotel manager made the employment proposal to all members.

"We see no reason why we should not work our way through the legislature since we worked our way through the University of Texas," said Holder and Pollard.

Fire Credits Are Allowed Several Cities

AUSTIN, March 12.—State Fire Insurance commissioner has a maximum credit of fifteen percent off the fire insurance rate for good record to the following cities and towns: Galveston, Burkburnett, New Braunfels, and Sweetwater. A six percent credit was given to Abilene, Ranger, and San Marcos.

Barcelona Feels Slight Tremor, Folks Excited

BARCELONA, Spain, March 12.—A sharp earthquake shock occurred here at 8:35 tonight, causing intense excitement.

The earthquake was of short duration, but it shook houses, dislodged light articles of furniture, started lamps swaying and stopped many clocks.

Both Houses Vote Down Holding Sunday Session Investigation Be Made

AUSTIN, March 12.—The house late today refused to concur in the senate's amendment to the motor vehicle registration license bill, and asked that the measure be sent to the free conference committee to adjust the differences.

Representative Wallace of Freestone county, who moved not to concur, is the author of the measure and stated that the bill as it came back to the house is practically an entirely new bill.

Under the house bill the registration fees would produce \$10,000,000 while the senate bill raised the amount to \$14,000,000, and there would be little reduction in the license. He strongly opposed the amendment to take maintenance out of the hands of the county commissioners.

Wallace also moved that the house refuse to concur in the senate amendment to the gasoline tax bill providing for a three cent tax until September 1, 1928 and two cents after that date. Representative Montgomery made a motion to concur. The debate followed with the house under call.

What Senate Wants.
The senate committee's substitute for the house bill for a reduction of one third in motor vehicle registration licenses was amended on motion of Senator Fairchild to provide that none of the fees set aside for the counties shall be used in payment of expenses of county judges, or county commissioners, but shall be used on lateral roads not designated as state highways. The amendment was adopted 23 to 5.

The bill was still under consideration when the senate recessed until 2 p. m. The committee substitute provided that a sum equal to 17 1/2 c per horse power together with 50 per cent of all weight fees shall be given the counties.

Without taking a vote on the senate gasoline tax bill amendment the house recessed until 8:15 tonight. The vote was postponed at request of representative Peer, who said he had discovered that the senate had attached its amendment to the wrong provision in the bill. He asked time to make an investigation and have the amendment put in the proper place.

Both the house and senate voted down motions for Sunday session. The senate recessed until 8 o'clock.

"Becky's" Husband Seriously Sick; Trial on Monday

AUSTIN, March 12.—Otis M. Rogers, husband of Rebecca Bradley Rogers, is seriously ill here, according to R. E. Cofer, her attorney.

Mrs. Rogers is to go to trial Monday at San Marcos on charges of robbery with fire arms. The charges were filed in connection with the robbery of a bank at Buda by a young flapper bandit last December. She is also under indictment in Williamson county on an arson charge, the state alleging she fired a vacant frame building there the day before the bank robbery.

Tom Mix Hurt Blank Discharges Eye is Burned

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 12.—Tom Mix, western star of the movies was painfully injured here today when a blank cartridge was accidentally discharged, the powder burning the actor's right eye.

A physician who attended Mix, said his eye ball had not been injured.

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FROM THE HOLY BIBLE
 The Morning Watch:—O Lord, in the morning shall I order my prayer unto thee, and will keep watch.
 Psalm 5:3.
 Prayer:—Our God, Our Helper, enable us always to sanctify each day by beginning it with Thee.

WHY NOT ADOPT BAUMES LAW?
 It would not be a bad idea for Texas to pass a law similar to the Baumes law now operating in New York. Already burglary and robbery cases in that great state has declined 25 per cent, and the law has not been in effect for more than six months. It seems as if New York has found at least a partial solution to the crime problem.

Under the Baumes law in New York all fourth offense felons are given life in the penitentiary and the penalty is increased after the first, second and third offenses. The parole, probation and bail privileges become more restricted. In other words, a second offense man gets a much heavier punishment than a first offense man, a third offense gets still heavier punishment, and the fourth time man gets life. Right to make bail is restricted more every time, and the possibilities and probabilities of obtaining a parole or a period of probation becomes harder each time. In addition penalties for all felonies committed with a deadly weapon are heavier than when committed without a deadly weapon. In other words the pistol, black jack or "sap" as clubs are called by the criminal class, are banned and when one is caught with one, he must pay the penalty.

Other states are following in the wake of New York. South Dakota has fallen in line, according to press dispatches. Ohio was the pioneer state to adopt an habitual criminal act and make the fourth offense life in prison. Other states did not follow it so closely except New York. The New York law is more drastic than the Ohio statute.

Texas needs to do something. Statistics show there is a striking reduction in the number of holdups with deadly weapons in states where laws similar to the Baumes law are in force. The traveler ought to be safe on the highway, and citizens in towns and cities should be protected more than they are. The criminal is wise and when he or she knows that if they are hauled into court for a second or third offense and that they will get heavier punishment and that life behind the bars stares them in the fact for a fourth time, they will think twice before acting.

Texas has a mild indeterminate sentence law. It should make pistol-toting a felony, and no one should be allowed to go armed without a government permit. The New York law on pistol carrying is a good one. For instance men who carry payrolls are allowed the right to carry a pistol, but must secure that right from the peace authorities. We know of a case, a nephew of the editor, he was paymaster and accountant for the Chevrolet Motor company at Tarrytown, N. Y., twice a month, he had to go to New York city for his payroll of several thousand dollars, he had to secure a permit from the state to go armed and have his posse go armed to protect themselves.

As it is in Texas the law abiding citizen is at the mercy of the thug. The thug knows he can get out on bond, and he knows that it is easy to get a light sentence. Let Texas send a few fourth termers up for life and make third termers go up for 20 years or more like is being done in New York under the Baumes law and you will see a difference.

WORLD'S LARGEST BUDDHA TO BE ELECTRIC LIGHTED

By United Press.
TOKYO.—The largest image of Buddha in existence is to be unveiled in May at Ueno village, on the bay forming the entrance to the port of Nagoya. The image which is made of reinforced concrete, is 72 feet high, with a base of 52 feet. In the forehead of this colossal are to be placed a cluster of electric lights with a total of 10,000 candle power. The great image will thus become a lighthouse at night for the guiding of ships using the port of Nagoya.

Sinbad Has to Carry Double Now



GANG WAR IN CHICAGO CLAIMS TWO

By United Press.
CHICAGO, Ill., March 12.—Gang warfare, quiet since the peace pact was signed last fall flurried up again over night and today three men, including an under lieutenant, are dead.

Two of the men, Frank "Lefty" Kossil, lieutenant Joe Saltis, a one time gang leader, and Charles Trubeck, were ambushed by several gunmen at a lonely west side spot. Their motor car was riddled and the bodies of the men were found several hundred yards away. The other man killed was Benjamin J. Schneider, a dealer in sacramental wines. He was killed by a gunman who accosted him in front of the Schneider residence. Schneider left a list of well known gunmen for the police to question in case anything happened to him.

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Builders Busy In Ranger On New Structures

Building activities in Ranger are increasing as the days grow longer and rumors of a number of new homes to be built are current. It is reported that C. D. Woods is to build a brick home adjoining the John D. Thurman home on Cypress street, and R. S. Balch of Burton-Lingo Lumber company is contemplating building on his lot across the street from the Thurman home.

Mrs. Rural Murray is building a Duplex house on Hunt street, and the J. E. Matthews, at 210 Hunt street, brick veneer home is rapidly going up.

The Ranger Building and Loan association reports having approved loans for the building of three new homes, two of which will be as good as the best in the city.

Also that sales of installment stock since March 1, 1927, amount to \$20,000. Fully paid stock to \$6,200 and loans approved at the weekly meeting of \$5,000.

The association is seeking loans and pushing the sale of installment stock, but just at present are not putting out further issues of full paid stock as it has a surplus of cash on hand, and only sell this class of stock when the money can be put to work immediately.

In the business district rumors of a down town hospital are heard work is being completed on the Joe Harness building and the building vacated by the Smoke house and barber shop next door to Mead's is being overhauled and made ready for the occupancy of its new owner, E. P. Crawford and his business, the Oil City pharmacy.

The DeGroff site is being cleared off and many minor improvements in Ranger are underway or being planned.

SPENDS PART OF TIME ON EARTH AT WORK
PHILADELPHIA.—The average American who lives to be 70 years old spends 157,680 hours of his time on earth in work, according to Warner S. Hays, secretary of the American Clock Manufacturers' association in an address here.

Coolidge May Not Run Again Says His Friend

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, March 12.—Admitting that President Coolidge offers a problem to his party, Chas. D. Hillis, of New York, vice-president of the republican national committee, represented the president as desirous of leaving the White House.

"He has grown stale on the job and wants a change," declared Hillis, Saturday in discussing the possibilities of a Coolidge third term. Expressing his belief that if the president wants to run again he can get the nomination without much opposition and that Coolidge would likely accept renomination if he saw it as his duty to his party or country to do so.

Hillis said both Mrs. Coolidge and Frank Sterns, the president's friend, and advisor, oppose his running again.

Women can find where their husbands spend their evenings by staying at home one night a week.

Brashier Hurls Hat in Ring For Commissioner

Col. Brashier, of the Ranger Furniture Exchange, authorizes the Times Publishing company, to announce him as candidate for police and fire commissioner of Ranger, to succeed himself.

In speaking of his candidacy Saturday, Mr. Brashier, said that he had served the past two years in the capacity of police and fire commissioner and wished to enter the race for re-election.

Mr. Brashier needs no introduction to Ranger people as he has lived here for the past eighteen years and for the past seven years has been actively engaged in business. His present business location is No. 123 North Kusk street. He has many friends, some of them dating back for years, and some more recent.

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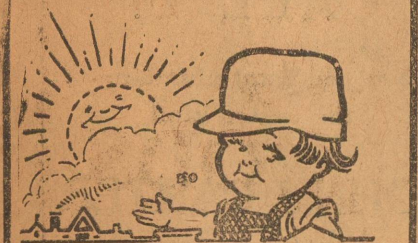
Texas

46 INDICTMENTS RETURNED SATURDAY

The grand jury today after having been in session one week, reported 46 indictments for felony. They have recessed until March 22.

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LAMB AND CONNELLEE, MONDAY



Errol and Dorothy Mackall in 'The Luratic at Large'

Jack Ellinton Loses His Ford Roadster, Fire

Jack Ellinton's Ford Roadster was completely burned up last night at about 8:30 o'clock four miles out of Eastland on the Breckenridge road. He had run out of gas and after putting more gasoline in the car, it suddenly ignited when he started the roadster. "In just a few minutes," he states, "it was all aflame." He received some minor scorchches from the flames.

LENTEN MEDITATIONS God is calling men.

Sometimes God calls through discontent. Sometimes He calls in the deep agonizing of the night, in the rush and roar of the city street, or in the quiet of the field.

God calls men to be lights in the world. Just as He swung the stars in the heavens when the world was young, so that men might not stumble in the dark, so in these later days He is sending illumined souls into the world so that they may light the way for troubled, tempest-tossed travelers on the highways of life.

Scholastic Census Taken Seeks Your Aid

H. L. Baskin, of Cooper school, Ranger, is taking a school census of Ranger. All parents having children of school age will help Mr. Baskin very much in his work by giving him information as to the age and number of children in their households. Call him up at Cooper school and give him this information as every child added to the school census means that much per capita in the school fund. Cooper school phone is No. 505 and by extending Mr. Baskin this help, parents will materially boost the per capita fund.

Throngs Visit New Woolworth Store Saturday

It was estimated that 10,000 people visited Woolworth's store in Ranger, Saturday, when it opened up for business.

From the time the doors were opened until they closed Saturday night there was a milling crowd of humanity going in and out of Store number 1505 of the F. W. Woolworth's chain of stores. Those who entered were bundleless. Those who emerged carried bundles of various sizes and shapes.

The sidewalks were crowded during the day and night and policemen did duty on the outside, getting the crowd to move on when they congested so that they blocked the sidewalk.

It was a good natured crowd, each pushing his or her way along, as if time was no object.

On Friday during the opening for inspection, there were many visitors, and while they listened to the music of the high school orchestra, they made mental notes of things that they expected to purchase on opening day—and stayed with their purpose until it was accomplished some time Saturday.

The Woolworth store, is very attractive. All freshly done over, the walls and ceilings, the great white lights, and the pretty displays formed a most attractive whole—and above all was the attractive price markers—nothing above 15 cents.

North in Grip Severe Blizzard One is Missing

By United Press. DENVER, March 12.—One man is missing wire communications in Western Nebraska, Northern Kansas, and Eastern Colorado was paralyzed and roads throughout the state were blocked by snowdrifts as an aftermath of one of the severest blizzards of the winter.

R. W. Heil, manager of the Holly Colorado telephone office, who started an inspection trip in the storm area failed to return home last night and a searching party was organized. Early today communications with the town was cut off and word of his safety still in doubt.

RUSSELL BACK IN REAL ESTATE GAME

John A. Russell, who has recently returned to Eastland is opening up a real estate office in the Dabney building.

ing. Mr. Russell has been quite active in the real estate game both in Eastland and at other points in former years and his entering the business here no doubt will be a valuable asset to the city.

THE PROOF OF THE PUDDING IS IN THE EATING TRY OUR Special Sunday Dinner THE NEW LIBERTY CAFE 111 South Rusk St. Liberty Theatre Opposite H. C. Neptune, Prop.

6000 BABY CHICKS To be fed on SUPERIOR Starting Mash. 3,000 are already on this feed and 3,000 more to be put on this starter as fast as they are hatched. The Public Is Invited TO WATCH THE RESULTS These chicks are at the T. C. Terrell Poultry Ranch near Staff A. J. RATLIFF Superior Feeds "Prompt Delivery" Ranger Phone 450

J. M. WHITE & COMPANY'S Big Reorganization Sale to be continued Through Next Week Many Extra-Specials for Monday and Tuesday NEW SPRING READY-TO-WEAR One lot Dresses, values to \$15.00; very special \$9.90 One lot Dresses, values to \$22.50, now \$14.95 RAYON DRESSES One lot new Rayon Silk Dresses, beautiful range of patterns, only \$5.45 SPRING HATS One lot new Spring Hats, values to \$7.50, only \$3.95 BED SPREADS One lot Krinkled Bed Spreads, fancy stripes, guaranteed fast colors, very special \$1.39 FANCY VOILES Regular 50c 36-inch Fancy Voiles, big range of patterns; special, yard 29c FRENCH GINGHAMS 50c 32-in. Gilbrae French Gingham; very special, yard 25c FANCY INDIAN-HEAD SUITINGS Guaranteed fast colors; beautiful new patterns, regular 65c value; yard 39c New Silks Big stock of new Spring Silks, in all the new colors and materials, going at radical reductions Imperial Chambray 35c 32-in. Imperial Chambray in fancy and plain colors; very special, yard 19c 36-Inch Percalé 25c 36-inch Percalés, guaranteed fast colors; big range of new patterns, yard 17c SHOES One lot Women's Shoes, all sizes and styles; values to \$6.50; very special \$2.95 Satin Slippers Any Satin Shoe in our house to go special in this sale One-half Price Packard Shoes Men's \$10.00 Packard Shoes and Oxfords, all good styles, very special \$5.95 J. M. WHITE & COMPANY Ranger Texas

Nothing bigger ever happened in Clothes making Hart Schaffner & Marx suits at a new low price \$29.50 WITH 2 TROUSERS \$35 Those prices ought to look good to you if they stood alone. But the important thing to look at is the name Hart Schaffner & Marx. That name means good tailoring, good value and correct style, no matter what price you pay. "Only the Best" E H & A DAVIS "The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes" Ranger, Texas

Catholic Mission Closed Sunday, Priest Delighted

CATHOLIC MISSION TO CLOSE TODAY

The Catholic mission which has been in progress at St. Rita's church, Ranger, during this week will be brought to a close today with touching ceremonies. Bishop-elect R. A. Gerken expressed himself as delighted with the splendid attendance and the fervor exhibited and especially with the large number of communicants at the daily masses.

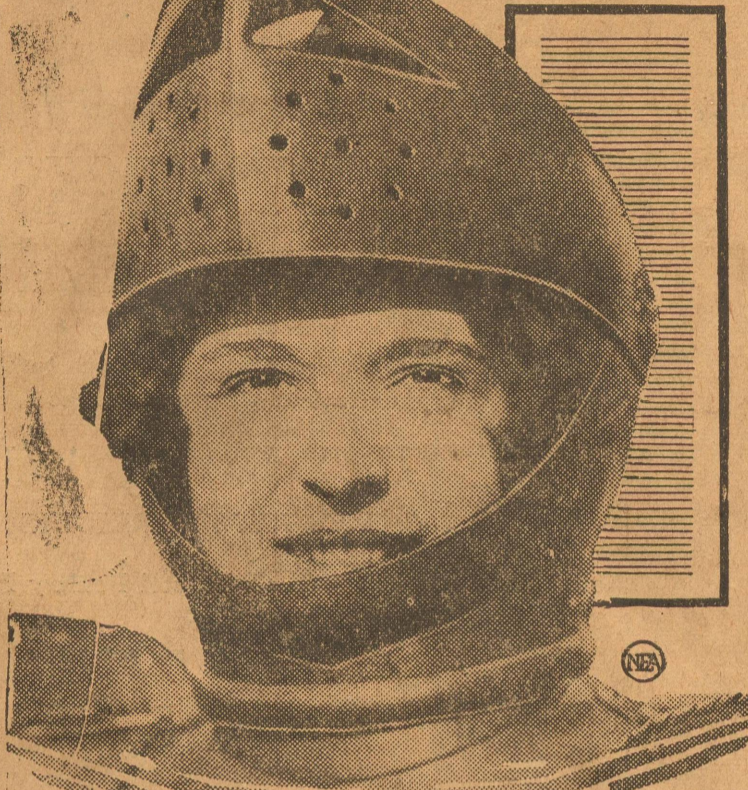
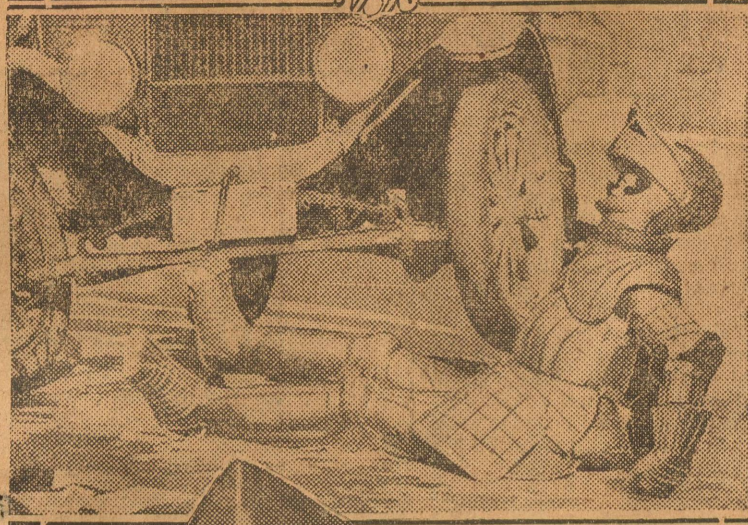
The program of the closing ceremonies is as follows. At 8 o'clock, Mission mass with a general communion of the whole parish.

A sermon on Perseverance under the title "Come Follow Me." Renewal of baptismal vows by the congregation.

Papal blessing. At 3 p. m. Solemn Blessings of all the babies of the parish. This promises to be one of the most touching features of the mission. It will consist of an appropriate sermon on the dignity of parenthood.

The official ritualistic blessing of the babies. Then comes the "surprise" kept a secret by Father Foulkes. Suffice it to state that whoever this "surprise" is sprung upon the congregation, tear-dimmed eyes show how deeply hearts are touched. This part of the program is concluded with the individual blessing of all the babies and young children. The congregation then recites af-

Old-Fashioned, But Safe



It's better to be safe than stylish. Miss Alice Edwards of Cleveland, O. decided so she put on garb of the days when knights were bold before venturing out among the hurrying, scurrying fivers. When one hit her, the dryer got an awful jolt, while Miss Edwards merely arose, dusted off her armor, and went on her way.

Home Economics Demonstration Held at Scranton

Miss Ruth Ramey, home demonstration agent, met with the women's club at Scranton Thursday afternoon with twenty-five ladies present.

Demonstrations were made on milk and egg dishes. It was shown that many dishes such as creamed eggs and salads—cabbage, cheese, or dairy salads made out of one hard boiled egg—could be prepared from these articles. Desserts were prepared such as baked custard, cottage cheese with whipped cream and soft custard with meringue topping.

These demonstrations, Miss Ramey says, come in a good time as eggs are very cheap and everyone has a good supply of milk and eggs, and the foods are very necessary to every one, especially children. She said that several of the women remarked that they were glad to learn the new ways of preparing eggs as they had been just frying and scrambling them.

Eight recipes on mimeograph

E. G. SMITH
Chiropractor
Phone 266 P. & Q. Bldg.
Ranger, Texas

sheets were given the women. "I think," Miss Ramey said, "where the people have plenty of eggs and milk on the farm, they have no excuse to say they have nothing to prepare for meals. However, they want to be sure raw fruits and vegetables and cooked vegetables along with these.

OLDEN CHURCH NEWS

W. M. U. program for Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock:

Opening song, "Rock of Ages," played by Mrs. J. L. Haynes and led by Mrs. Lester Brown. Scripture verse memorized by Mrs. R. L. Hand. Scripture reading by Mrs. C. A. Howell. Scripture reading by Mrs. M. A. O'Bryen.

Reading, Mrs. J. A. Hamilton. Talk on "The Old Rugged Cross," by W. M. U. Closing prayer, Mrs. C. Allmon.

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Increase Noted In Number Of Water Consumers

An increase of 142 active customers, over the same period of last year, is shown by figures compiled by the Ranger Water Works. In 1925, 74 new customers, that is new taps, were added to the list of the water works roll. In 1926 it fell short of that of 1925 by 14, but so far in

1927 eleven new taps have already been installed. In 1926 there were 721 customers using city water and in 1927 there are 863, which shows that although the year is young, the increase is very pleasing and substantial.

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ter the missionary an act of consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and this will be followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Bishop-elect R. A. Gerken and Father Foulkes will go later in the day to Breckenridge where a week's mission will be given. The missionary, when interviewed, expressed himself as delighted with his stay "out where the West begins," praising the wonderful climate Ranger enjoys. "Your people out here seem to imbibe the characteristics of the country where you have the great open spaces," he said. "I feel the truth of those words:

"Out where the handclasp's a little stronger,
Out where the smile dwells a little longer,
That's where the West begins.
Out where the sun is a little brighter,
Where the snows that fall are a trifle whiter,
Where the bonds of home are a wee bit tighter,
That's where the West begins."

Emancipation is what a lady asks for when she wants alimony.

County Agents Meet Boys And Girls at Dothan

County Agents J. C. Patterson and Miss Ruth Ramey, met with the boys and girls of Dothan Friday afternoon and organized a club with twenty-two members. The following officers were elected:

Velma Clark, president; Geraldine Sublett, vice president; Louie Nell Surles, secretary-treasurer; Loraine Donaway, reporter; Willie Pippin, yell leader.

The second and fourth Wednesdays in each month were set as regular meeting days.

The girls require club work with gardening as a major project and the boys have corn as a major project with three in poultry and one in with a pig.

DILLEY—Watermelon and spinach acreage here to be increased this year.

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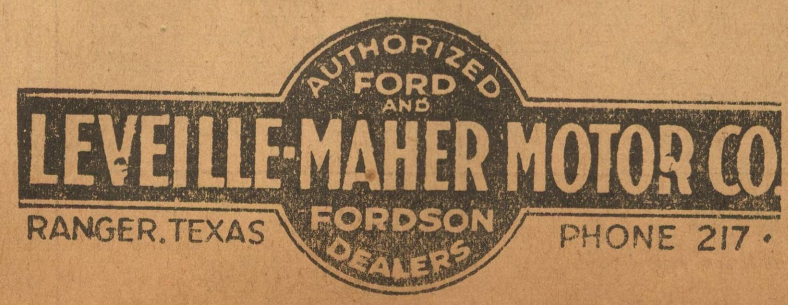
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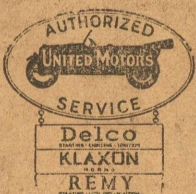
THAT duty which is performed by one man for many men—and when that service becomes a necessity to those for whom it is performed, then it becomes an institution.

It takes sincerity to operate an institution, particularly ours, because our business requires technical knowledge, while our average client knows very little about the work we do for him.

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Ranger

1—LOST AND FOUND
LOST—Pair ladies horn-rim glasses in brown case, near postoffice. Finder please return to Mildred Bryan, or Times office.
STRAYED—A roan pony with white face. If found phone 343 or Ranger Times.
LOST—Elks charm with two teeth mounted together. Reward of \$10 for return to Times office.

2—HELP WANTED—MALE
SALESMEN—\$150 month and expense selling cigars; experience not necessary; send self-addressed stamped envelope for information. National Cigar Co., High Point, N. C.

IF YOU ARE A MAN
WORTHY of the name and not afraid to work, I'll bet you \$50 that you can't work for us 30 days and earn less than \$200. Think I'm bluffing? Then answer this ad and show me up. Opening for Managers. The "Wonder Box" sells on sight.
TOM WALKER
PITTSBURGH, PA.

WANTED—Farmer or farmer's son or man to travel in country; steady work; good profits. McConnon Co., Dept. C 416, Memphis, Tenn., or Winona, Minn.

3—HELP WANTED—FEMALE
LADIES—Earn \$75 hundred gilding cards at home; experience unnecessary; no selling; addressed envelope brings particulars. Silvertone, 132 Nassau st., N. Y., Dept. 636.

EARN \$40 weekly; gild cards at home; pleasant work; experience unnecessary; addressed envelope brings particulars. King Novelty, 179 E. 87th St., N. Y., Dept. BF.

WANTED—AT ONCE—A good girl for general housework, Crescent Hotel, Ranger.

LADIES—We pay \$72 hundred gilding Easter card sets; pleasant work; no selling; free information. Modern Card Co., 246 Fifth ave., N. Y.

WOMEN—Make money sewing bungalow aprons, children's dresses; materials cut, instructions furnished; experience unnecessary. Write Henry Manufacturing Co., 105 Pth. ave., New York City.

WOMEN—Earn \$8.50 dozen sewing aprons; easy work; materials cut; instructions furnished; opportunity beginners. Addressed envelope brings particulars. Idol, 156 E. 42nd, N. Y.

WOMEN—Make fancy flowers for novelties, etc., no canvassing; steady work; \$15 to \$25 weekly easily made; experience unnecessary. Write immediately for prices. Camp Flower Co., 205 La Salle, Chicago.

LADIES—\$25 weekly easy; addressing envelopes at home; all material furnished; particulars free. Howall Co., 136 W. Lake, Chicago.

5—AGENTS AND SALESMEN
\$50 A WEEK—Reliable man wanted to distribute nationally known food products to steady users in Eastland; no experience necessary. Write at once. The J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 93, 62-70 W. Iowa st., Memphis Tenn. \$8 TO \$15 DAILY easily made with the largest exclusive men's hosiery company, direct to wearer; over 20 different selections; amazing low prices; eliminate competition; monthly bonus. Write today for proposition. Superwear Hosiery Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

DIRECT factory agent, this county, 100 store route; no selling; just distribute and collect; experience unnecessary; should net salary \$70 weekly. XY, care Times.

WANTED—Men and women to solicit. Apply Peerless Camp Ground on Ranger-Strawn highway.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES
USE Coffield tire protectors, save 90 per cent of tire trouble; double mileage on casings. See J. D. Revis, P. O. Blacksmith Shop, Ranger.

NOTICE TO THIEF
 The party who took 50 feet of water hose from the Prairie building is required to slip it back as you took them, otherwise you and your family connections will suffer some trouble. This hose has been seen about your place. It is marked. You comply with this request and you will not have trouble out of this. C. H. Mahaffey, Eastland.

GIRLS—Earn more money, learn beauty culture; individual instruction under the supervision of instructor from Marinello school; diplomas issued are recognized everywhere. For information write or call Shropshire School of Beauty Culture, 921 Main st., telephone 108, Ranger.

BICYCLE & FIXIT SHOP—A. H. Williams, Prop. Repair guns, typewriters, talking machines and anything. Keys fitted and duplicated. Safe opening, 211 S. Rusk. Phone 592, Ranger.

FURNITURE refinished, repaired, upholstering, stoves fixed. Bob Lee, 116 N. Austin, Ranger, formerly with Thayer Furniture Co.
FOR your health's sake, drink Electrozone and Purify, electrified and distilled water. Ranger Distilled Water Co., 316 S. Hodges st., Ranger, Phone 157.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT
FOR RENT—4-room furnished house. Phone 249, Ranger.
FOR RENT—Four-room house, modern, sleeping porch, with garage; also three-room house, furnished or unfurnished. Call 221-J, Ranger.
FOR RENT—Modern furnished 6-room house, 706 So. Austin street, Ranger.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT
FOR RENT—One furnished apartment and bedroom. 303 E. Commerce, Eastland.

12—WANTED TO BUY
SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main st., Ranger. Phone 95.

13—FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE—Electric dish washer, half price if sold at once. Phone 343. Mrs. R. E. Barker, Ranger Heights, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Royal automatic water heater. A. M. Jameson, phone 132, Ranger.

FOR SALE—A practically new Curtis steam kettle, a child's bed, and a bassinet. Phone 216 or call at 612 W. Patterson, Eastland, Texas.

Send in Your Want Ads

17—WANTED TO RENT
WANTED TO RENT—Small, unfurnished house, modern, close in. See Miss Sandefur, Times.

21—LEGAL NOTICES
FOUND SALE—On Wednesday, March 16, 3 p. m. at 301 S. Commerce street, Ranger, there will be sold one brown 3-year-old stud. O. V. Davenport, Chief of Police, Ranger.

ELECTION ORDER
 Be it ordered by the board of trustees of the Ranger Independent School District that an election be held at the city hall, in the city of Ranger in said Ranger Independent School District on the 2nd day of April, 1927, for the purpose of electing four (4) school trustees for said Ranger Independent School District.

A. L. Duffer is hereby appointed manager of said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

The returns of said election shall be made to the county judge in accordance with law.
 A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the secretary of this board shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the president shall cause notice of said election to be given in accordance with law.

In testimony whereof, witness the signature of the president and secretary of said Ranger Independent School District and the seal thereof hereto affixed, this 10th day of March, 1927.
JNO. M. GHOLSON,
 President Ranger Independent School District.
Attest:
IKE H. ERVIN,
 Secretary.

ELECTION ORDER
 A resolution ordering that an election be held within the city of Ranger, Texas, for the purpose of electing a mayor and four commissioners: Whereas it is provided by statute and by the charter of the city of Ranger that an election be held on the first Tuesday of April for the purpose of electing a mayor and four commissioners, now, therefore

Be it resolved by the city commission of the city of Ranger, Texas, that the regular election of the city of Ranger be ordered to be held on Tuesday, the fifth day of April, 1927, at which election there shall be elected a mayor and four commissioners for said city of Ranger in accordance with the provisions of the charter of said city.

Said election shall be held at the city hall, and the following named persons are hereby appointed manager and assistants of said election: M. K. Collie, manager; J. S. Davenport, assistant; G. D. Robison, assistant; G. D. Chastain, assistant; R. C. Outlaw, assistant.

Said election shall be held under and in the manner provided by the laws of the state of Texas regulating general city elections and as provided by the charter of the city of Ranger. No person shall vote at said election unless he is a qualified voter under the constitution and laws of this state, and the president of the city of Ranger for the length of time required by law.

A copy of this order, signed by the mayor and attested by the city secretary, shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the mayor shall cause notice of said election to be given in manner provided by law.

Passed and approved, this 8th day of March, A. D. 1927.
R. H. HODGES, Mayor.
S. J. DEAN, City Secretary.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK
BABY CHICKS—English Leghorns, \$15 and \$18; R. I. Reds and Barred Rocks, \$18 per 100. We do custom hatching. Dudley Bros. Hatchery, 105 S. Marston, Ranger.

A LIMITED NUMBER White Rock eggs, \$1.50 per setting. J. E. Collins, Ranger, R. 4.

FOR SALE—Fryers, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 lbs.; custom hatching, book your orders for March 23 or later; Leghorns, Barred Rocks, and Black Minorca baby chicks, 12-week-old Leghorn pullets. Driskill Poultry Farm, Ranger, Heights. Phone 342, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Black Minorca hens. See Jessie Weaver at Modern Dry Cleaners, or call at 1300 Desdemona blvd., Ranger.

23—AUTOMOBILES
DEMONSTRATOR Chrysler "50" coupe. See R. L. Hodges, Gullahorn Motor Co., Ranger.

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1925 Buick Touring Car, new paint, new rubber \$650

1926 Studebaker Duplex Roadster, a dandy buy \$700

1924 Hudson Coach, 6 tires, trunk, bumpers, and everything, A-1 mechanically . . \$485

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1925 Ford Truck, platform body and cab \$200

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Grammar Schools Begin Indoor Ball Games Contests

A series of games to decide the Ranger grammar school indoor baseball championship began Thursday afternoon and will have to be completed on March 19.

On that afternoon Hodges Oak Park school boys and girls defeated Cooper teams on Cooper's grounds. At the same time Young school boys defeated Tiffin school boys on the Young field.

Friday afternoon Cooper and Young schools met on the Young's ground and Cooper boys and Young girls were victorious.

Hodges Oak Park, Young and Cooper schools are represented by both boys and girls teams. Each team must play all other wards two games. At the close of the series, the teams having the highest percentage will be declared city champions and will represent Ranger in the county race.

Kinberg Moves Studio Into New Larger Quarters

Kinberg Studio, Ranger, has moved into new and more commodious quarters and are now located in the Ellis building, on the southwest corner of Main and Marston streets.

This building has been remodeled, repainted, the entrance changed, new show windows added, and is so spid and span that it looks as clean and fresh as a brand new dollar.

Work is being rushed by Mr. and Mrs. John Kinberg, to have their studio ready for their official opening on March 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinberg came to Ranger, March 1, 1924 and opened up a studio in the Cole building and their business has grown to such proportions during the three years they have been in Ranger, that they were forced to find a roomier studio and hence their move into the Ellis building.

Courtesy and high class workmanship are distinctive elements in the success that has been enjoyed by the Kinbergs.

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'24 HUDSON Sedan \$775

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Ranger

Bats That Boom in the Spring



A famous trio this: Ty Cobb, batting, Roger Bresnahan catching, John McGraw umpiring. They got together when Ty, en route to the Athletics' training camp at Port Meyer, Fla., stopped off at Sarasota, the site of the Giant's stronghold, to visit his mother and brother.

Lovemaking Has Ardor in "Flesh And the Devil"

One of the world's most seductive screen charmers—being made violent love to by the champion lovemakers of two nations—this is the unique combination of the screen in "Flesh and the Devil," which comes to the Lamb Theatre Tuesday.

Greta Garbo, blonde charmer of the screen and famous star from Europe, will know forever the difference between American and European lovemaking as a result of her role in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture—in fact, she had to act as a sort of judge of a battle for supremacy between the lovemakers of



JOHN GILBERT in "FLESH AND THE DEVIL"

the American and the Swedish screen champions.

One of her screen lovers is John Gilbert, hero of "The Big Parade," "The Merry Widow," and famous for his romantic roles—the other is Lars Hanson, the "Swedish Barrymore."

These three form a strange triangle in the new picture, a vivid drama of modern Europe, filmed by Clarence Brown from "The Undying Past," by the great European dramatist, Hermann Sudermann.

It is a gripping story based on sociological conditions in the old world, hanging on traditions of love and marriage, and with Miss Garbo in the role of a seductive modern Circe whose beauty and charm lures men to ruin. John Gilbert plays one of her lovers, and Hanson the other—who marries her to precipitate one of the most powerful dramatic situations ever portrayed on the screen.

Le Gear Boosts Poultry Game As Dividend Payer

"The poultry business is the best paying business in the world if given proper attention," declared Dr. L. E. LeGear, in his address Saturday afternoon. "Although in its infancy, the chicken business is coming by leaps and bounds and furnishes a better opportunity for profit than any other business in the world."

A little over a half an egg per day according to statistics, the doctor stated, was the average consumption of eggs per person in the United States. If this average were raised to one egg a day it would increase the total number of eggs to nearly 20 billions.

His lectures covered almost every phase of chicken raising, including breeds to be selected, construction of houses, cullings of flocks, and cooperative marketing. He conducted post mortem examinations of several fowls brought in by poultrymen, and showed how to administer phisic to the sick birds.

A goodly number of poultrymen from various sections of the county were present.

MAJORITY OF CANADIANS OWN THEIR OWN FARMS

OTTAWA, Ont.—More than 85 per cent of all the farms in Canada are owned outright by those who live on them, while the proportion of farms operated by their owners in the United States is only 66.6 per cent, according to a bulletin issued by the dominion bureau of statistics.

REALTOS—C. C. Rody rebuilding building station.

Death In Chair Instantaneous, Says Ohio Man

Death in the electric chair is instantaneous, according to Dr. Willis B. Merrill, Ohio penitentiary physician.

"A man electrocuted in the electric chair is dead the instant the first shock hits him, although his heart may beat for two minutes after death," Merrill said in answer to the question recently reopened at Sing Sing prison, Ossining, N. Y., whether a man once electrocuted might be brought back to life.

"It would be impossible to resuscitate a man once pronounced dead at Ohio penitentiary," he said. "The first shock completely destroys the central nervous system and the man dies."

Dr. Merrill explained the phenomenon of a dead man's heart beating by pointing out that the heart muscles is the last to be affected by electric shock.

The muscle, he declared, is the most independent muscle in the human body and the most isolated from a nervous system. Consequently, it will continue to contract and expand, apparently beating at a faster rate of speed, but otherwise normally, until it receives no more nourishment.

This beating, Merrill said, may continue for one minute, and often two minutes.

The heart of any animal will beat after death, he went on, because of its independence from the rest of the nervous system. A turtle's heart, he gave as an example. It can be removed from the animal, placed in a salt solution, and will continue to beat for 24 hours, Merrill said.

Dr. Merrill said he noticed the phenomenon soon after taking up his duties as prison physician, when he tested the heart of an electrocuted man for the first time. New on his job, he ordered another charge of electricity sent through the body, but said the same result was obtained.

Since his study of the subject, he said one charge is all that he finds necessary to cause instantaneous death.

Condemned men receive a maximum charge of 2,100 volts at Ohio penitentiary.

At Sing Sing, where the question has been raised, authorities have contemplated a study of the heart action of a man during electrocution, while he has also planned tests.

Dr. Merrill scouted the theory of Dr. George Shady, former coroner of New York county, that resuscitation after electrocution could be effected. Shady offered for several years to revive any man electrocuted at Sing Sing, but the experiment was never permitted.

Brunettes And Blondes To Play For Championship

Blondes and brunettes will vie for the champion in basketball at the College of Industrial Arts soon, according to plans laid by Miss Eddie Parks of Clifton, basket ball manager.

Teams of both complexions are practicing and there will be an elimination of all but the best players. The dark-skinned team members are determined that they shall demonstrate one reason why gentlemen should not prefer blondes.

Scientists say that women are growing taller. We'd noticed that legs looked longer this year.

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"Luther Burbank popcorn" big garnet grains that pop into large snow-white puffs, was one of the last gifts of the famous plant scientist before his death.

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DREAM LEADS CHUMS TO FIND RICH GOLD MINE

By FRANK HORTON, Jr. (As told to the United Press)

TONAPAH, Nev., March 12.—Seems funny to admit that the luck my pal and I had was due to a dream that came true but, that's what happened.

Leonard, Traylor, my chum, and myself, had been working some claims without reaching pay ore. One night, as we slept under the stars the dream came to me and I told it to Leonard. Right off the bat he says:

"Let's go out and try our hunch. We aren't doing any good here anyhow."

In my dream I imagined myself going out to Weepah where my dad had been working some claims for several years.

Our provisions were mighty low, but we managed to rustle some grub. We were both dead broke and all we could afford was some bologna and cheese and crackers.

Mother Helped.

We got to Weepah and finally managed to live on the lean fare for a couple of days. But we didn't find anything, so we drove back to town to get some more grub. Mother helped us this time and with a few square meals in sight we went out to give my hunch another chance. We did all our prospecting and digging close to dad's old working for I knew that he

had run onto streaks of high grade ore.

One day Leonard and I noticed some good looking rock just at the edge of an old badger hole. I remembered my father saying that several of Nevada's biggest gold strikes had been made by a badger.

I guess that's what happened when we made this strike. We panned the rock around the badger hole and got some nice strings of gold. We kept on digging and the ore started to get better and better. It was pretty good looking stuff. But it was not until we had dug several feet that we made the real strike.

Were Dazed.

When we opened up the ledge with all that gold we were dazed. Neither of us could believe our eyes and we didn't know exactly what to do with it. I thought maybe I was having another dream, but Leonard kept dancing around like a wild Indian, yelling, "We're set for life."

We finally settled down, filled some old cans with the stuff, and started to town. Of course we staked our claims first.

On the way to town we decided to keep the whole thing quiet until my dad got here, but of course it got out when the ore assayed \$78,000 a ton.

That's all, except that Leonard and I made sure our claims were not on dad's land and that from now on I believe in all dreams.

PEANUT CONSUMPTION SHOWS BIG INCREASE

By United Press.

CHICAGO.—Per capita consumption of peanuts in the United States is seven pounds a year, an increase of 16 per cent in the last five years, according to the American Research foundation, in an address here.

FALFURIAS.—Three carloads of spinach shipped from here recently.

Both Are Nora Bayes



Nora Bayes has lots of things named in her honor. New York named a theater after the popular musical comedy and variety star. Now a Detroit floriculturist, Vincent R. DePeters, has named a new white carnation the "Nora Bayes carnation." Nora is shown here with an armful of them.

G. B. True Leaves Frick-Reid to Go With Dyar Bros.

George B. True who has been with the Frick-Reid Supply company, Ranger, for the past nine years, will on March 15, accept a position as office manager and bookkeeper for Dyar Bros., in the Ranger State bank.

O. A. Kinney will succeed Mr. True as office manager at the Frick-Reid Supply company and Mr. Rucker of the Pennant Filling Station, will take the place as floorman, that will be vacated by Mr. Kinney. Ralph Keeran, is the local store manager for Frick-Reid company.

Skeds for Exams University And Working Students

AUSTIN, Texas, March 12.—Schedules are so arranged during examination week for students working part time in the library of the university of Texas that everyone has the night or morning of before a "final." A great deal of interchanging of working hours results, but the student is sure of a chance to study for his examination. Term exams will be given from March 12 to March 19, inclusive.

C. I. A. Eliminates Danger of Opening Wrong Candy Box

DENTON, Texas, March 12.—The danger of candy boxes being opened by anyone other than rightful owners will shortly be eliminated at the College of Industrial Arts when the new postoffice building is completed. It will be located just north of the parking space between Stoddard Hall and the administration building. Each two students will be given a locked box where love letters, boxes from home and all billets-doux may be received without the world in general being any the wiser.

THREE MONKEYS ESCAPE SPEND WEEK IN LONDON

LONDON.—Three monkeys of the menagerie of the National Institute of Medical Research recently escaped from their cage in the institution and spent a week at liberty in the fashionable Hampstead district.

Several attempts were made to capture them, including the laying of a half-mile track of nets and fruit to the cage door, but the monkeys ate a quarter-mile of the dainties and feeling sufficiently satisfied returned to trees in a nearby park.

They were finally captured after entering a bedroom by way of a rain-pipe. A maid working in the room closed the window and ran terrified to call for the police.

Radio Artists Are Subject To "Mikeltus"

NEW YORK, March 12.—Eight of every 10 radio performers are subject to "Mikeltus" or radio fright, according to Charles D. Isaacson, broadcasting pioneer, who assumes directorship of a new station next week after resigning from WRNY. The following "10 commandments" will be posted in the new broadcasting room:

- 1—Nobody watches you; be yourself.
- 2—You are not addressing spirits; don't whisper.
- 3—Never orate; nobody likes preaching.
- 4—Be confident! psychic conditions carry on the air.
- 5—Be original; avoid bromides.
- 6—Be conversational; the radio is more intimate than the platform.
- 7—Don't hug the mike—it blurs.
- 8—Don't try to do a 30-minute speech in five.
- 9—Rehearse firsts at home, watch in hand.
- 10—Everybody loves the voice with a smile.

London Suffers From the Wrong Number Habit

LONDON.—London is suffering under the "wrong number habit" in its telephone system.

Similarity in names of exchanges coupled with the wide difference of pronunciation between the inhabitants of Limehouse and Mayfair is held responsible by many people.

One woman recently complained to the post office department that she had been called out of bed at four o'clock in the morning to answer an urgent call for "the doctor to come quickly."

The exchange which the caller had asked for was more than three miles away. Before noon, she said, her "tormenters" called at various times asking for a surgical instrument maker, an undertaker, a brewer, the war office and Frenchman who demanded to speak with his consul.

Flappers are painting designs on their knees. You wouldn't know the old joints now.

PIGGLY WIGGLY

All Over the World

Mr. Business Man, Don't Read This If You Are Guiltless

It has been said that women are the most curious people in the world. This is exceeded only by that of some business men who have a curiosity to know if a man will pay him when he did not pay his fellow-merchant and he usually finds out. This is one great mistake that merchants make.

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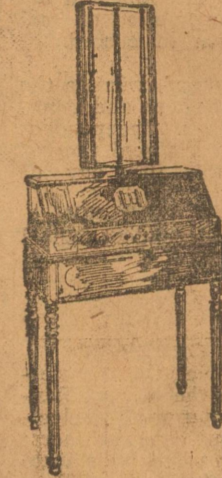
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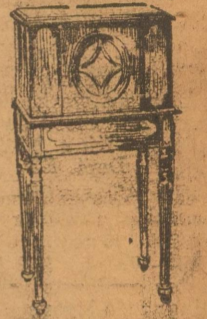
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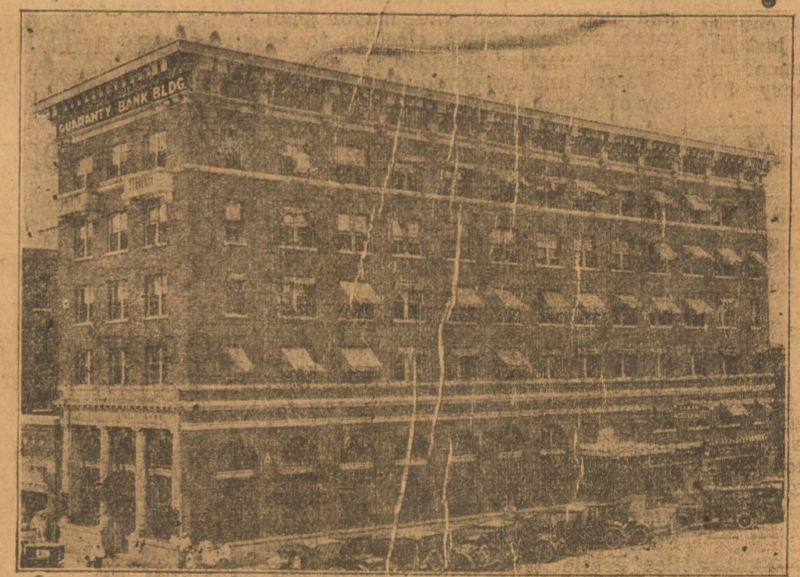
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SOMETHING to THINK About

Conditions are such throughout the world today as to make saving on the part of everybody more important than ever before.

Statistics published by the Government show that out of every hundred men that die only eighteen ever leave anything for their families. AND of the eighty-two that leave their families without funds, forty-five of their widows have to go to work.

And remember, that very few of us ever have a large sum to deposit at any one time—the sure way is to provide for and make regular small deposits.

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ANOTHER SLICE HAS BEEN CUT OFF CRUDE OIL

Oil did another marathon in its downward career, Saturday. The Prairie Oil and Gas company and the Magnolia Petroleum company at Olden, announce the third cut since February 22 in Oklahoma, Kansas and North Texas crude.

Below 28 gravity \$1.10; 28 degree to 28.9 \$1.12, with a 2 cent spread for each degree. Fifty-two degrees and above, \$1.60. The new rate includes Panola county and the Iatan district.

The cut was effective Saturday morning at 7 o'clock.

Four Times.

Beginning November 17, 1926, oil prices have been cut four times. At that time the price of 39 gravity was \$2.05. During the past year the new prices of 39 gravity have run according to the table set out below:

March 12, 1927, \$1.34.
 March 5, 1927, \$1.56.
 Feb. 22, 1927, \$1.73.
 Nov. 17, 1926, \$2.05.
 May 15, 1926, \$2.53.
 Feb. 1, 1926, \$2.28.

Standard.

The cut made on Nov. 17, which was made by the Standard of New Jersey subsidiaries and the Magnolia on Nov. 2, but did not become general until Nov. 17, reduced the "spread" between oils for each degree and Baume gravity difference from 3 cents to 5. On Feb. 22 this "spread" was reduced from 5 to 4. It was again cut from 4 to 3 last week, and is reduced to 2 cents this week.

Presbyterians Of Eastland Are Decorating Church

Improvements in the way of painting, staining and papering are being made on the Eastland Presbyterian church here. The windows, after being remodeled with arches above, will be stained with a shade of soft green and amber. All church furniture will be touched up with paint and varnish and it is contemplated in the near future to repaper the walls.

The district Presbytery will meet with this church in the spring and the local congregation is making preparations to entertain this gathering in a creditable way.

New Pontiacs Announced By Oakland Dealer

Announcing concurrently an entirely new line of Pontiac sixes with new Fisher bodies, new beauty and style, numerous mechanical refinements—the addition of two new body types, one a sport roadster, the other a four-passenger sport cabriolet—altogether with emphatically lower prices is the triple treat accorded the public with the arrival and display of the cars by Boyd Motor company, Ranger.

Oakland and Fisher engineers have contributed body designs to conform to the latest custom-built vogue—the bodies being longer, lower and superbly executed to the slightest detail. Recessed-inboard door hinges, contrasting colors, narrowed windshield pillars to provide a wider arc of visibility, deeper radiator, larger, heavier and more sweeping crown fenders and more massive headlamps all blend to give an arresting ragishness and symmetry of body design to be found only in the smartest custom built cars.

To emphasize the inherent smartness of the new cars, all bodies are finished in new combinations of Duco colors of fresh and original color blendings to bring out the individuality of each body type. Every desirable appointment has likewise been provided in line with the advanced design of these cars.

The foot controlled tilting beam headlights which have been such a marked success on the greater Oakland six for the last two months are now standard on the new Pontiac sixes, adding to both the comfort and safety of driving. A 17-inch steering wheel with aluminum spiders is another refinement adding to the beauty of the new line, while other new features and refinements in engineering design such as new transmission and brake levers, a clutch even more smooth and positive in action and an oil-sealed universal joint, increase the mechanical efficiency and add to the ease of operation of the cars.

As the first open model to be added to the line, the Pontiac six roadster is an entirely new and distinctive body type, with a rumble seat in rear for two passengers. It is finished in Lucerne blue Duco and striped with fairie red. The upholstery of shark grain leather in harmonizing color, special equipment of nickel-plated windshield arms, nickel plated rear deck bars and rumble seat side arms add touches of color and beauty so desirable in this type of outdoor, sportful car. The rumble seat is easily opened and easily entered by means of two aluminum steps on the right side—one on the frame and the other mounted on the fender. The spare tire is neatly carried on the left front fender.

The body of this car is so constructed that the rear section may be removed to provide space ample for a panel delivery box.

In The Courts

Marriage Licenses
 O. R. Wickers and Neva E. Vernon, Strawn.
 W. W. Beard and Eddie Josephine Shannon, Eastland.

Queen of the Mardi Gras



Miss Mildred Brown, daughter of the late Perry Brown, "cotton king" of the south, is queen of this year's Mardi Gras in New Orleans. The 1927 celebration is the one hundredth observance of the fete day. Miss Brown is one of the season's debutantes in New Orleans.

Chas. F. Cook and Hallie Mae Pool, Desdemona.

Suits Filed in District Court
 Mrs. Ruth Prickett vs. P. R. Prickett, divorce.
 Mrs. Viola V. Bunch vs. A. B. Bunch, divorce.

O. E. Chastain vs. Sivalls Motor Co., et al, suit for damages.
 Ex Parte vs. Henry Schaefer, suit to remove disabilities of a minor.

Real Estate Transfers
 Mrs. Julia A. Rodus to T. J. Wilson, 10 acres out of 160 acres in the T. D. Kimbrough survey.

L. M. Dyke et ux to John H. Garner, south end of lots Nos. 1 and 2 and the east one-half of lot No. 3, block No. 45, in the city of Cisco.

George Washington never told a lie, but then he never had a radio.

Record Summer School Attendance For University

AUSTIN, March 12.—A record summer school enrollment is expected for the 1927 session by Registrar E. J. Matthews, partly because there will be a large number of students anxious to expand "loose thirds" into full courses before the semester plan goes into operation next fall. The two term system will not affect the summer school this year, Matthews stated.

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NEW SPRING COATS On Sale at Big Reductions

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\$3.85 \$4.45

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Bargains From Dry Goods Section

35c English Prints, yard-wide, big range of patterns, yard **19c**

French Ginghams
 50c 32-inch French Ginghams, big range of new Spring patterns, special, yard **35c**

Fancy Ginghams
 32-inch 30c Fancy Ginghams, fast colors, yard **19c**

Bleached Domestic
 20c yard-wide soft-finished Introducing Bleached Muslin, special, yd. **12½c**

Sea Island Domestic
 20c smooth-finished Sea Island Brown Domestic, yard wide; special, yard **10c**

New Percales
 20c yard-wide Percales, fast colors, per yard **12½c**

Toile du Nord Ginghams
 32-inch Toile du Nord Fancy Ginghams, in big range of new Spring patterns, fast colors, yard **15c**

Sport Satins
 In all the wanted colors, pink, orchid, meadow pink, rose, Mother Goose tan, and gull gray, washable non-slip quality; regular \$1.50 value, very special, yard **95c**

Rayon Pongee
 75c 36-inch Rayon Pongee, the cloth with a hundred uses; fast color pastel shades, special, yard **45c**

Curtain Ettimines
 36-inch 25c white and ecru Ettimines with colored block plaids on solid grounds; very special, yard **12½c**

Lingerie Pajama Checks
 25c colored Pajama Checks for undergarments, 36 inches wide, special, the yard **14c**

Women's Fine Slippers, new arrivals; latest styles, pumps, straps and ties; all sizes and widths; on sale special at **\$5.95**

Big Misses' School Oxford, black or tan, sizes 2½ to 7, now **\$3.45**

One big lot of 200 pairs Women's Slippers and Oxfords; tans, browns and black; also strap cut-outs, low and medium heels; broken lines, yet all sizes among the group, shoes that sold up to \$5.00 now **\$1.00**

Another big group of fine Straps and Pumps, in light tan and blonde shades; all sizes, special, now **\$2.98**

CHILDREN'S SHOES
 One big group of Children's Shoes in all sizes, that sell regular at \$1.50, now **98c**

Children's \$2.00 Shoes, now **\$1.25**
 Children's \$2.50 Shoes or Slippers, now **\$1.48**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE
 One special group of Women's \$2.00 Silk Hose, new shades, now **\$1.19**

Women's \$1.00 Holeproof Silk Hose, all colors, now **79c**

Women's \$2.00 Holeproof Silk Hose, now **\$1.69**
 All \$2.50 Holeproof Silk Hose, in all the new shades, now **\$1.95**

FLORSHEIM DRESS SHOES FOR MEN
 Men's \$10.00 Florsheim Dress Shoes or Oxfords, black or tan, in all sizes, on sale now at **\$4.95 and \$6.45**

SHOES
 Nunn & Bush Fine Dress Shoes for Men Who Care

All sizes, latest styles, black and tan kid or calf leathers; values \$10.00 and \$11.00, special to close at **\$4.95 and \$6.45**

\$10.00 Nunn & Bush light tan calf Oxfords, now **\$7.95**

Manhattan Dress Shirts

One big group of Manhattan Fine Dress Shirts with collar-bands, in all sizes, 14 to 18½; values \$3.50 to \$5.00; as long as they last, special at **\$1.95**

One big group of Men's Fine Dress Shirts with collar-bands, that sold up to \$2.00; all sizes, special **69c**

Men's Dress Shirts, collars attached; values to \$1.50, now **98c**

Men's Work Shirts
 Men's \$1.25 Big Buck Blue Cheviot Shirts in all sizes, special now **89c**

Men's \$2.00 Big Buck Khaki Shirts, all sizes, **\$1.39** now

Best grade Boys' Work Shirts now **69c**

Men's Work Pants
 Men's \$1.50 Khaki Pants now **98c**

Mens \$2.00 Khaki Pants now **\$1.69**

Men's \$1.00 Athletic Unions, in all sizes, now **79c**

Haynes \$1.25 Satin Stripe Crepe Union Suits, all sizes, now **95c**

Men's Shoe Special
 One big lot Men's Dress Shoes, semi-English last; broken lines, yet most all sizes; and a No. 1 buy for **\$1.00**

Men's Black Calf and Vici Kid Shoes that sold up to \$5.00, now, special **\$2.45**

Bath Towels
 15x32 inch extra heavy Turkish Towels, with fancy borders, blue or rose, special, each **12c**

J. C. SMITH
 Ranger, Texas

Olden News

OLDEN, March 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Norton, motored to Ft. Worth Friday where they attended the Fat Stock show.

Mrs. E. L. Mitchell and daughters, Miss Berdie and Mrs. Russell Horner accompanied their daughter and sister, Mrs. O. D. McDonald and husband of Cisco to Shep, Texas Friday to spend the week end with relatives.

Miss Clemye Rayford who has been quite ill is improving.

Mrs. Lloyd Adams went to Mineral Wells Friday to attend the opening banquet of the Crazy Hotel and to assist her aunt, Mrs. Geo. E. Ford who is opening up a flower shop there.

Willis Byrd of Millsap was the guest of his sister, Mrs. U. K. Beman here the past few days.

Miss Lola Pearl Branscum who has been quite ill the past few days is improved.

M. A. O'Bryant employee of the Magnolia Pet. Co., who is now at Breckenridge, got one of his fingers cut off and his hand bruised badly on the works Friday.

Mrs. W. K. Beman is able to be out after a week's illness.

L. T. Groves who is working at Coleman spent the week end with his family here.

S. J. Clark is spending the week end with home folks. He is employed with the Magnolia Pet. Co., near Brownwood.

LAMB AND CONNELLEE, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY



JOHN GILBERT GRETA GARBO and MARC M'DERMOTT in 'FLESH AND THE DEVIL'

PORT ARTHUR—H. H. Ebbert opens new candy plant on Proctor street.

FALFURRIAS—Work started on new building for City Drug store.

Get this remedy for Sufferers from PILES
Guaranteed to cure itching, bleeding, blind or protruding piles or any other ailment. Get the handy tube with pile pipe, 75c; or the tin box, 60c. Ask for PAZO OINTMENT

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We Receive Fresh Candy Daily At the FOUNTAIN CONFECTIONERY
Bulk Chocolates Our Specialty
Lamb Theatre Bldg. Ranger

FISH
Fresh Daily!
CITY FISH MARKET
311 Walnut St. Ranger

Children's Shoes
We have stocked a complete line Peters Weatherbird Shoes for Spring. Come in and see the many new styles and get our prices.
The FAIR STORE
Inc.
RANGER, TEXAS

Classified Ads Bring Results In This Paper

This advertisement was placed in the Eastland Telegram and the Ranger Times by E. A. Swovland, the early part of last week.
LOST—Elks charm with two teeth mounted together. Reward of \$10 for return to Times Office.
The charm was found two or three days later near Baird. The loser thought he lost it near Ranger or Eastland or in one of the two cities. The loser recovered his jewel and the finder received the reward.
Want ads in the Eastland Telegram and Ranger Times get results because they have the circulation.

FURNITURE
"We Furnish from Parlor to Kitchen"
THARPE FURNITURE CO.
Ranger, Texas

BORROW BILLS BARREL BILL'S
DRY CLEANING PLANT
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Mr. and Mrs. Owen Sellers and children of Rising Star, Texas, visited in the R. D. Sellers home here Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crane attended the Fat Stock show this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Horner left for Westbrook Saturday for a visit with their son, Ray Horner and wife.
Mrs. E. J. Allen is able to be up after a week's illness of the flu.
Misses Myrtle Guy and Lela M. Smith spent the week end in Fort Worth attending the Fat Stock show and visiting relatives.

"LONDON" SEQUEL TO "NELL GWYN"
The success of the Dorothy Gish-Herbert Wilcox producing team in British National Limited's, "Nell Gwyn," prompted a second picture, "London," which Paramount is releasing and which arrives at the Liberty Theatre on Monday. In this last film, they have added a third helper in the form of Thomas Burke. Burke who, you know, world fame with his "Limehouse Nights."
"London" begins in Mr. Burke's familiar haunt, Limehouse, travels to Mayfair, and then returns to Limehouse. Miss Gish plays Mavis Hogan, the little girl of the slums, who thinking to find happiness in Mayfair, jurnies there, only to become disillusioned, and return to her own environment where she discovers true love.
Director Wilcox has treated the story in fresh style, injecting scenes of the city wherever they are needed. As a result, in addition to serving as excellent entertainment, "London" actually becomes a pleasant dramatized travelogue. Paul Whitman, America's King of Jazz, makes a brief appearance in the Kit-Cat night club sequence.

Lad Suffers Broken Leg Hodges Park
Gates Barker, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barker, of Ranger, had his right leg broken Friday when he fell from a see-saw at Hodges Oak Park.
The boy and another small boy were see-sawing when the other boy jumped off and caused young Barker to fall. His leg was caught under him and two bones just above the ankle were broken. The lad is at his parent's home in Ranger Heights.
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RANGER DAILY TIMES

RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 13, 1927

Flattery is a colorless, mucilaginous verbal mixture that will stick well whether applied thick or thin.

Born In March You Will Fill Places of Trust

Born in March?
Well here's your horoscope.
Your gem is bloodstone, your flower the violet. Your unlucky day is the eleventh, but you will do well to start an undertaking upon the first, the third or the thirteenth day of the month.
The sign of Pisces governs the feet, so reads the stars, but it leads those born under it into clean, clear places. You, if your birthday falls in the above month, will fill positions of trust. You would make an excellent cashier, or bookkeeper. You are sensible, affable and kind. You are generous and wish to help others. Being so honest yourself, you are often fooled by the dishonesty of others. Shift the burden of the world to somebody else. Do not imagine fears and you will be far happier. The strong feet Jupiter gives you lessens your love of home but gives you a desire for travel. Your greatest fault is self depreciation—few egotists are born under this sign. You must above all else learn the value of silence. A few moments alone each day will improve your disposition and increase your efficiency.
Who on this world of ours her eyes
In March first opens may be wise,
In days of peril firm and brave,
Wears she a bloodstone to her grave.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY
First Baptist W. M. U. meets for quilting at 1:30 at the church.
All circles W. M. U. Central Baptist church meet at the church at 2:30.
Better Homes Committee meets at Chamber of Commerce at 2 p. m.
Junior New Era Club meets at the Gholson at 7:45 p. m.
Missionary Meeting Presbyterian church at 3 p. m.

TUESDAY
Mrs. Saunders Gregg entertains for guests at 2:30.
Young School P. T. A. meets at 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY
Dance at Elks Club in the evening.
Rotary luncheon at 12:15 at the Gholson.
Prayer meeting at all churches in the evening.

THURSDAY
1920 Club meets at 3 p. m. at the Gholson.
Lions Club luncheon at 12:15 at the Gholson.

FRIDAY
Twentieth Century Bridge Club. Hostess to be announced.

1920 CLUB PROGRAM FOR THURSDAY
Oliver Wendell Holmes will be the subject for Thursday's program of the 1920 Club, with Mrs. J. M. Moseley as leader. Mrs. Moseley will discuss "The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table." Mrs. L. H. Flewelling, the humor of the "Autocrat," Mrs. D. H. Barnett, his society and serious verses, and Mrs. J. M. Gholson, Holmes' versatility.
Miss Mihills will be present and take part in the program.

RANGER FOLKS SUNDAYING IN DECATUR
Mr. and Mrs. George B. True and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lillard, are spending today in Decatur, visiting their relatives in that city.

YOUNG MATRONS BRIDGE WITH MRS. DAVENPORT
Mrs. Boyd Davenport was hostess to the members of the Young Matrons Bridge club on Friday afternoon, at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sam Davenport.
The hostess employed St. Patrick day suggestions in tallies and luncheon appointments.
Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn made the high score and Mrs. J. M. Ralston low score. A two course luncheon followed the game and was served to Misses Frank Dehaney, W. R. Bowden, J. T. Gullahorn, J. D. Gholson, Walter Cash, E. E. Crawford, J. M. Ralston, T. M. Coombs, Paul Lacy, Harry Leason, Chas. Milliken, E. A. Tunnell.

AR LIBITUM CLUB IS POSTPONED TWO WEEKS
The Ar Libitum club, scheduled to meet Tuesday afternoon of this week has been postponed and will not meet until Wednesday March 30, at which time Mrs. D. W. Johnson will be hostess, entertaining the club at Acorn Acres tea room.

BETTER HOMES COMMITTEE TO MEET MONDAY
When the Better Homes committee meets Monday afternoon at the chamber of commerce, with Mrs. C. E. Maddocks, Ranger chairman of Better Homes Campaign, presiding, the first gun for better homes week, April 24-30 will have been fired.
During better homes week Ranger will have an opportunity to give particular attention to the study of the home. The better home movement is sponsored by the national headquarters of better homes in America who assist their local committees in every way possible to launch a better homes movement.

ALL W. M. U. CENTRAL BAPTIST CIRCLES TO MEET
All W. M. U. circles of the Central Baptist church will meet at the church on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. At that time, Mrs. Blanche Groves, a returned missionary will be present and will not only talk on the religions and customs of that country but will have an exhibit a

Bulowski's Californians



Will play for a dance at the Elks club, Ranger, Wednesday, March 16th.

number of interesting curious brought from the far east.

MERRIMAN P. T. A. HAS PEPPY MEETING.
On Friday night, the Merriman P. T. A. met and enjoyed a most peppy meeting, which is not unusual for this club and it always seems to get a hundred percent benefit out of every meeting.
The pupils of the two rooms gave a musical program, which was most interesting and Miss Nell Lovett gave a reading "Sammy's Courtship." Mrs. A. H. Allison gave a splendid paper, "A Father's Responsibility to his Child," and Miss Lovett followed with one equally as interesting on "Kindness."
Mrs. J. N. Poe made a report that the lawn swings had been equipped with ball bearing sockets, and also reported that the grounds were showing the effect of daily attention that they are now receiving.
A good number of Merriman patrons attended the meeting and enjoyed the program to the fullest extent. The next meeting will be in two weeks.

FIVE RANGER WOMEN ATTEND ART TEA AT CISCO.
Five Ranger women, Meses. J. M. White, L. C. G. Buchanan, W. W. Houswright, R. P. Holloway and Andy Anderson, attended the beautiful art tea given by the Twentieth Century club at Cisco, Friday.
The affair was held at the Presbyterian church, and was most beautiful and inspirational. A rare musical program was rendered and Mrs. Potter Bowie, candidate for president of Texas Federation of Womens clubs was present, and made a talk, as did Mrs. Buchanan, of Fort Worth. Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, also a candidate for Texas Federation president was sent a special invitation to attend the meeting but was unable to be present; however, she wrote a beautiful letter which was read before the assembly.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS RETURN FROM ABILENE.
Meses. Carrie Henry, F. A. Shoffstall, McDonald, Williams, Fox and Jackson of Olden have returned from Abilene where they attended a district meeting of the Royal Neighbors. This meeting was attended by the supreme manager of Rock Island, Ill., and the state supervisor of Greenville, Texas, and three deputies, Meses. Carrie, Henry and F. S. Shoffstall of Ranger and Robison of Post.

MRS. RALPH ERWIN RETURNS HOME.
Mrs. Ralph Erwin, who has been Mrs. Flewelling's guest the past week and has been the honoree of several social events, returned to her home in Ballinger, Saturday.

RANGER SOC VISITORS MAKE WEEK GAY IN RANGER
The past week has been a gay one in Ranger, with most of the affairs centered around three charming visitors, Meses. Alex Thompson and her daughter, Miss Mozelle, of Houston, who are guests at the Saunders Gregg home, and Mrs. Rabn Erwin of Ballinger, who spent the week with her sister, Mrs. L. H. Flewelling.
In the formal language of the old time society writer "the past week was one continual round of pleasures." For in reality it was off with one party and on with another, always one a day, sometimes more.
In addition to the club affairs attended by all three guests and their hostesses, on Tuesday Mrs. O. L. Phillips entertained with a bridge luncheon at her home in the Gholson addition, and honored Mrs. Erwin, and Mrs. Ghent Sanderford, a new arrival in Ranger. Four tables of bridge formed after the beautiful luncheon, which was a thing of joy and beauty.
Mrs. Sanderford was presented a hand painted hankie, and Mrs. Erwin a dainty bit of hand painted china as honor guest favors. Mrs. L. H. Flewelling made high score and Miss Mozelle Thompson, low.

At this pretty affair, the three visitors, around whom so many social pleasures were to gravitate during the week, were introduced and their whirl of gaieties well launched for the week that was to follow. A Springtime luncheon was extended

the visitors on Friday afternoon by Mrs. M. K. Collie, at Acorn Acres tea room. The hostess employed all the colorful flowers of spring that are now available—jonquils, narcissus and hyacinths to suggest the coming of spring. The luncheon table, was centered with a mass of these colorful flowers, and yellow candles and pink place cards gave further emphasis to the color motif. Places were marked for twelve including the three honor guests, their hostesses and several other guests and the hostesses. After partaking of the splendid menu featured by the tea room hostess, the party adjourned to the Collie home and played a few rounds of bridge. Mrs. Collie presented each honor guest with Gaily perfume and sachets, as favors.
The second honor to be accorded the visitors on Friday was given by Mrs. John Thurman, when she entertained with a beautifully appointed dinner at Acorn Acres at 7 o'clock, which was followed by bridge at her home.
It was a candle light dinner, as guests were invited into the main dining room of Acorn Acres, just as six tall green candles, held in tiny holders, were lighted and revealed a table laid in handsome Madeira, and wonderfully attractive in orchid colorings. The table was a square, seating the twelve guests, three on each side, and three at each end. In the center was a crystal basket of pink rosebuds and ferns, almost veiled in a big orchid maline bow, that topped the handle of the basket, while smaller baskets of sweet peas in orchid shades flanked the center decoration. Orchid place cards bearing the given name of each guest marked places for the happy dozen gathered around, and the shimmer of crystal and of silver completed the pleasing ensemble.
In this pretty setting a four course dinner was enjoyed, after which the hostess and her guests motored to the Thurman home and played bridge until late in the evening.
Addition of score showed that Mrs. Saunders Gregg was the high and Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn low scorers. Mrs. Gregg's prize was a set of handsome tally pads, and Mrs. Gullahorn's a perfume bottle in yellow crystal.

Handsome pillow cases in cutwork, were presented the honor guests, Mrs. Alex Thompson and Mrs. Ralph Erwin. Mrs. Thurman's guests, were Meses. Alex Thompson, Ralph Erwin, Saunders Gregg, E. E. Crawford, Frank Brahaney, O. L. Phillips, M. K. Collie, L. H. Flewelling, R. B. Campbell, J. T. Gullahorn, C. C. Craig.
On Saturday Mrs. Gregg, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Thurman motored to Fort Worth and were entertained by Mrs. Cate Terrell with a luncheon at noon.
On Monday noon Mrs. Homer Bresford of Eastland will entertain with a dinner party at Acorn Acres for the Houston guests, and on Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Gregg will entertain at bridge, at her home in honor of her guests.

PERSONALS.
Mrs. Clyde White, sister of Mrs. J. W. A. Cox is ill at a sanitarium in Breckenridge. Mrs. White underwent an operation for appendicitis several days ago and is reported to be doing very nicely.

one of them it will be a distinctive loss to you. Remember the little church just up the street and come and worship with us this morning. We will have special music at both hours.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. George W. Shearer, pastor.
Sunday school, Walter Harwell, superintendent, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching by pastor, 11 a. m.
Anthem, Sing Aloud Unto God—Choir. By Heysler.
Senior League, Floyd Killingsworth, superintendent, 6 p. m.
Junior League, Mrs. Edwards, superintendent, 6 p. m.
Preaching by pastor, 7:15 p. m.
Duet, "Jesus Name of Wondrous Love," Miss Dalmont and Mrs. Allison. By Grant.
Anthem, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," Choir. By Marsh.
Solo, "Call to Worship," Miss Emma Stephens.
W. M. S. Mission study class, Mrs. Roy Jameson, leader, Monday 3 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Choir practice, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
Teacher training class, Friday, 3 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Walnut, off North Morston.
W. H. Johnson, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45, Walter Murray Superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, "The Ascension."
B. Y. P. U. at 6:45.
Preaching at 7:45. Subject, "The Lamb of God."
Today will be the last Sunday on the conquest campaign and kindly bring in the amount you desire to contribute.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. O. Hamblen, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45.
Morning worship, 11. The Sunbeam band will give an interesting program in the opening of this service.
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.
Evening worship 7:30. Miss Blanche Groves who has recently returned from China will speak at this hour.
W. M. S. Monday, 2 o'clock at the church. At this time Miss Groves will speak to the women of the church and community. Also at this time she will have on display a selection of curios, costumes, idols and Chinese gods that she has brought back with her and should be interesting for every one of us to see and hear about.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public to worship with us.

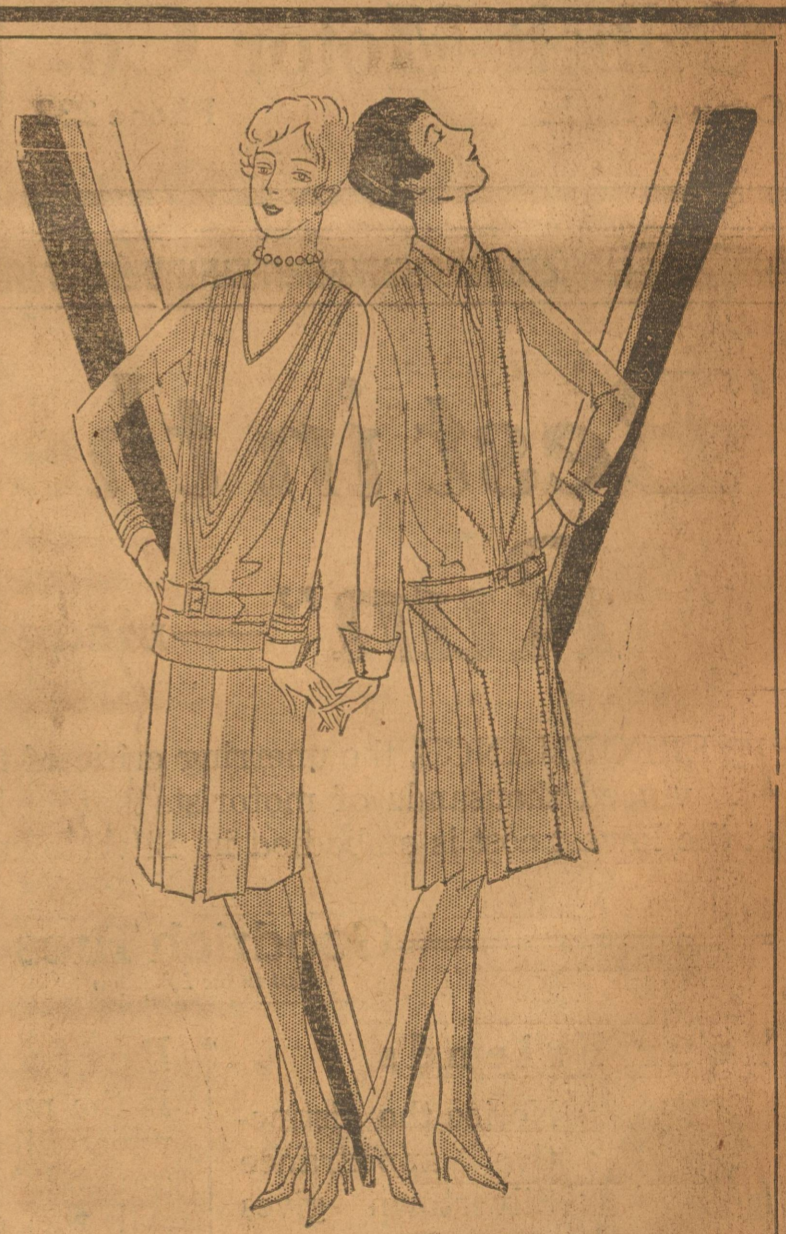
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
9:45 a. m. Sunday school, S. E. Baker, superintendent.
11 a. m. worship, "Keep Thy Self."
6:30 Y. P. S. C. E.
7:30 p. m. play, "The Two Masters."
A cordial welcome to all services.

MAYOR "BOB" AND DUFFER TAKE IN STOCK SHOW
Dr. A. L. Duffer and Mayor Bob Hodges of Ranger, "took in" the Fat Stock show Friday. Since both are interested in the cow, the sow and the hen, they saw many things to interest them and especially enjoyed the rodeo.
Population of Texas estimated at 5,397,000.
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Toyah Valley Cause Of Cancer Geographically

Special Correspondence.
STAMFORD, March 12.—Beautiful mountain scenery, deep walled canyons, valleys flourishing with waving vegetation are the charming possessions of the Balmorhea region, but possession that at present are causing some question in the minds of local residents. The problem of "what's in a name" is disturbing Balmorhea and Toyah, according to word sent in to the West Texas chamber of commerce.

Toyah Valley is fairly well known over the state of Texas and in many other sections of the country as an irrigated farming section where good crops are grown at the foot of the famous and picturesque Davis mountains. Tourists, who have heard of this valley, on reaching the town of Toyah to the north of the valley, expect to see fields of irrigated beauty, and not seeing them, feel that stories they have heard of the beautiful Toyah valley are tales of unscrupulous real estate agents, West Texas chamber of commerce advisements state. It is a common occurrence for tourists to inquire in Toyah for Toyah valley thinking that the town of Toyah is in or near Toyah valley.

For this reason, Balmorhea is puzzling as to whether to change the name of the valley or not, the problem in this case is one of general interest in the town and citizens are lining up their arguments on both sides.

The name receiving most favorable consideration and one that is known throughout the united States is that of Madera Valley, which spells to the mountain cover, picturesque scenery, and rugged deep scarred canyons. The name Madera which is being placed before the public every day, is linked with a place where people of the east, not only east Texas, but of eastern states and other sections, are coming to know a lovely mountain valley, popular for both summer and winter vacations.

The Madera canyon, which broadens out into Toyah Valley, is particularly known as one of the most beautiful spots in the Davis mountain range, and Madera Spring "the vacation spot of Texas," is rapidly becoming as well known as any of the pleasure resorts of the United States. For this reason, the name Madera Valley would be associated from the start with irrigated farming sections, beautiful scenery, pleasant pastimes and healthful climate. Citizens of Balmorhea and Toyah seem to favor selection of Madera Valley as substitute name for Toyah Valley, but no definite decision has been reached yet, word to the West Texas chamber of commerce reports.

These soviets keep on demanding recognition, but they just won't shave.

Out Our Way



Dodge Brothers Show Increase In Export Game

Dodge Brothers, Inc., surpassed all previous records in sales of passenger cars and trucks abroad last year with an increase in business of 14.9 per cent over 1925, according to figures just announced.

Foreign demand for Dodge Brothers and Graham Brothers vehicles has now reached such proportions that nearly one-eighth of the company's entire output of 331,765 cars and trucks in 1926 was shipped to buyers in all parts of the world. This increased demand has resulted in the extension of foreign dealers' activities into every country of the civilized world.

Dodge Brothers gain in export shipments is especially noteworthy when compared with the accomplishment of the industry as a whole last year. Preliminary estimates of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce for 1926 show that 550,000 motor ve-

hicles were exported from the United States. This is a gain of 3 per cent over 1925. Dodge Brothers final figures for 1926 show exports of Dodge Brothers passenger cars and Graham Brothers trucks totaling 39,016, which is a gain of 14.9 per cent over the preceding 12 month period. Exports of cars and trucks, excluding Canada, totaled 32,874, an increase of 7.6 per cent over 1925. Exports to Canada totaled 6,142 vehicles, a gain of 81.8 per cent over the previous year.

Graham Brothers, the truck manufacturing division of Dodge Brothers, gained 191.9 per cent in its Canadian

business last year, while exports, exclusive of Canada, gained 88.7 per cent. From Alaska to Cape Horn; Spitzbergen to Cape Town and Siberia to India, Dodge Brothers cars are to be found in operation, oftentimes subjected to the hardest possible usage. In the remote districts of Tibet, high up in the Himalaya mountains, Dodge Brothers cars are carrying mail for the British government twice a week. A sedan and two 3-ton commercial cars are traveling over a route 108 miles long.

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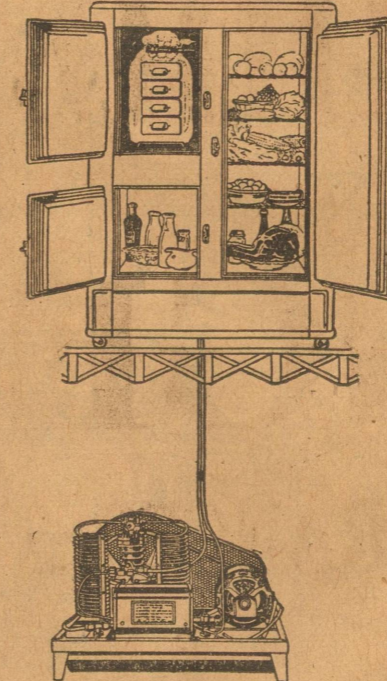
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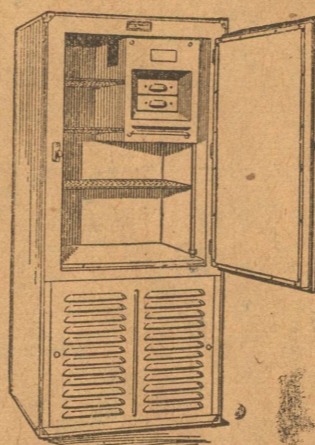


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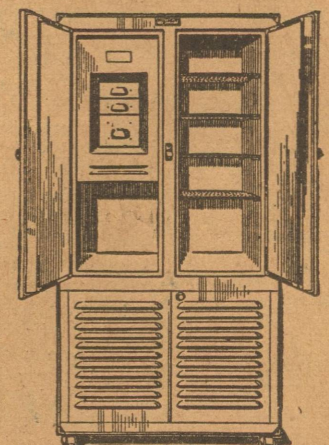


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Fords Dolled Out In New Colors For This Season

Ford cars will be more colorful than milady's clothes this summer, according to Edw. R. Maher, of the Leveille-Maher Motor company, Ranger. Zebra-like stripes and parrot-like colors are to transform the heretofore inconspicuous Ford into a gorgeous butterfly and a variety of colors are to be had on the late model Fords.

On the open cars the owner may have the option of Phoenix brown with orange striping or gunmetal blue with orange striping. Closed car models offer a beautiful variety, consisting of highland green with cream stripe or fawn grey with cream striping, a third color being royal maroon with vermilion stripe.

Runabout with pick-up body may now be had in commercial green with cream striping. Pick-up body and roadster deck is in the black pyroxylin without stripe.

All truck body equipment is now in commercial green with green hood and black enameled shell.

Black wire wheels may be had as standard equipment on coupes and sedans but if wheels are desired in colors they may be had in a wide choice of colors for an extra charge of \$10.

These new colors make the Ford line one of the most attractive for "good looks" on the market.

All models are now equipped with the new Ford hot plate vaporizer, which is said to be giving the greatest mileage per gallon of gasoline of any automobile manufactured today.

Mr. Maher states that the new vaporizer is increasing Ford business in Ranger approximately 50 per cent over last year's sales for the same period.

CARBON NEWS BRIEFS

Miss Lora Justice of Abilene visited her parents here last week end. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Yarbrough visited their daughter, Miss Blanco, at Stephenville Sunday.

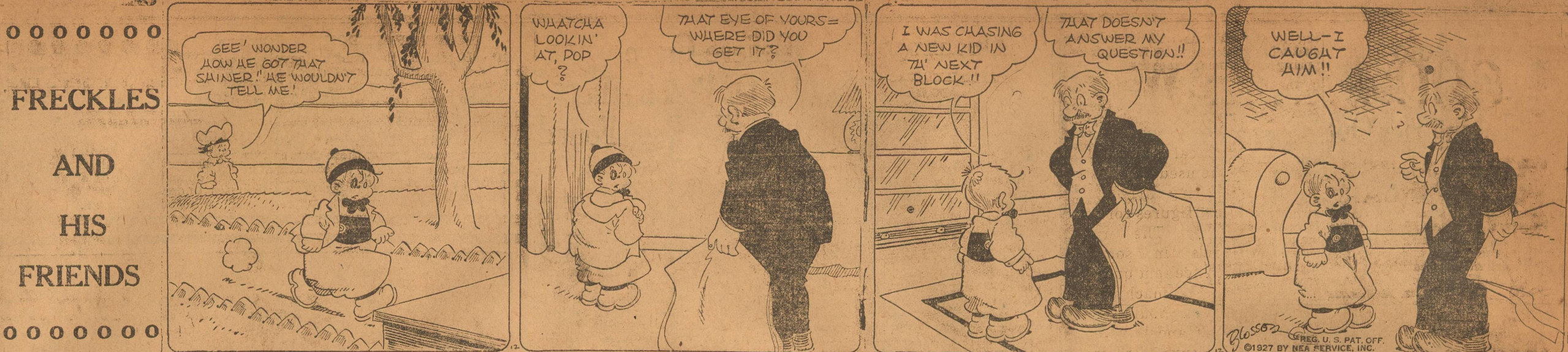
Miss Self, home economics teacher in the high school, accompanied by Mrs. H. H. Guy, and the ninth grade school girls, visited Eastland one afternoon this week to judge ready-to-wear.

Mrs. Will Butts and children came in Tuesday to visit Mrs. Butts' father, Mr. Vaughan, who is seriously ill.

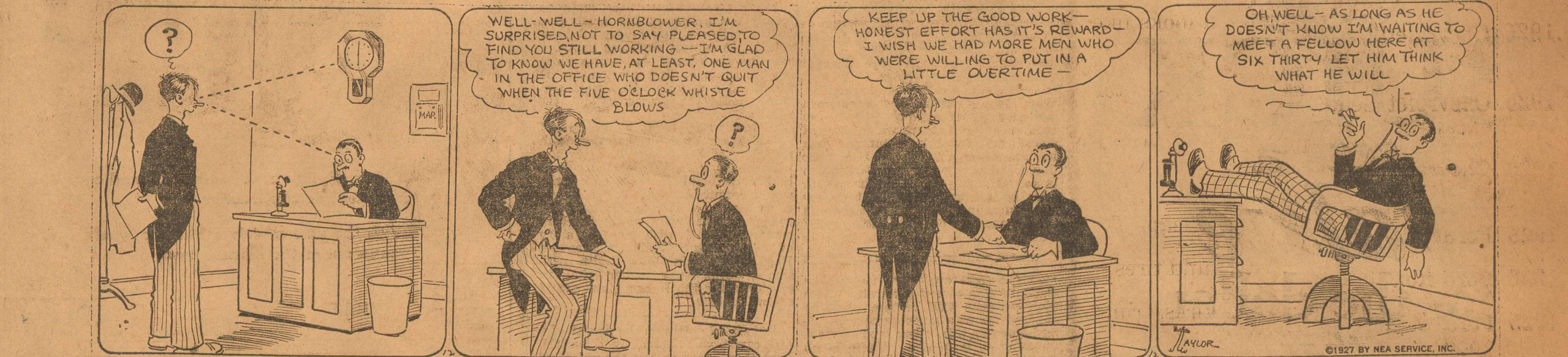
Rev. J. W. Leggett and wife and Mrs. Roy Thurman visited Mrs. Will Ussery in a hospital at Gorman Tuesday.

Jack Thurman and family of Cross Plains visited relatives here Sunday. Bill Jackson, Kenneth Davis, and Billie Jenne were visitors in Abilene recently.

The recent Atlantic storm tossed a lot of lobsters on the beaches. Some places they don't need a storm to do that.



Mom'n Pop



By Taylor

Salvation Army Will Hold First Meeting Today

The first public meeting held by the visiting delegation of the Salvation Army headed by Colonel Edwy White, the commanding officer, or presiding elder of the Southwestern division, who will be in Eastland for Saturday, Sunday and Monday, March 12, 13 and 14, is called for 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon on a corner of the court house square, the specific object of this meeting is to reach the farmers and other out of town visitors, with the old, old story.

Saturday night at 7 o'clock another open air meeting will be held at the army's regular stand, and in the army hall at 8 o'clock a real old-fashioned Salvation meeting will be

held. Sunday morning at 11 at the army hall, the subject will be "Full Salvation" or holiness. A special service has been arranged for the children at the army hall at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, something unique in the way of fixing the truth in the minds of boys and girls, as well as older people will be shown. Essien Henry Wilkins, the young people's man will be in charge of this meeting. Assisted by Captain Baldry of Dallas and Captain and Mrs. King of the local corps.

The big feature of all the public gatherings will be the mass meeting to be held at the First Christian church, with Senator H. P. Brelsford presiding and Colonel Edwy White as the principal speaker. A special musical program is being arranged for this gathering by Mrs. J. B. Leonard. The pastors of the local churches are announcing the mass meeting.

SAN BENITO—Missouri Pacific lines to remodel passenger station.

Chevrolet Again Smashes Records In February

Responding to an unprecedented and enthusiastic demand on the part of the public for "the most beautiful Chevrolet in Chevrolet history" with its numerous refinements at lowered prices, the Chevrolet Motor company during February again smashed all previous monthly production records by producing 85,821 cars.

February production this year showed an increase of 34,518 cars or more than 67 per cent over the total of 51,303 Chevrolets built in February, 1926.

Despite greatly enlarged facilities provided under the \$10,000,000 expansion program completed Dec. 1, 1926, the Chevrolet Motor company

was forced to attend its operations by working overtime, day and night, to meet the nation-wide demand for Chevrolet cars—a demand making the rise of this company to its position as the largest manufacturer of gear-shift cars in the world.

"There is only one reason for the phenomenal growth in popularity of the Chevrolet car," said W. S. Knudsen, president of the Chevrolet Motor company, "and that is—it has pleased the public. It has met the desire of the public for a high grade car, of exceptional quality and performance, at a reasonable price. It is this constantly growing approval of the Chevrolet car that is causing the company to extend its production to meet the increasing demand."

In the first two months of 1925 the Chevrolet Motor company built 46,373 cars; in the same period in 1926 it built 97,740 and in January and February of this year it totaled 159,497 cars—an increase in two years for this period of 113,124 cars.

BIG SPRING—Work soon to start on \$175,000 new hotel.

Presbyterians To Render Play Two Masters

Two Masters, a missionary drama, will be presented at the Presbyterian Church, Ranger, tonight, at 7:30 o'clock.

Characters will be, Mrs. Van Horn, a Christian lady of wealth, who tries to serve two masters, Jennie Robison; Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Van Horn's mother; Mrs. J. B. Preston; Janet McCrea, a missionary's daughter, Lolita Conley; Rachel, Charlotte and Helen, Janet's college friends, played by Gladys Maddocks, Marjorie Maddocks and Norine Maxey; Mrs. C. Von Der Witt-Jones, a traveler and lecturer; Winifred Dankle; president of the culture club, Elizabeth Cotton.

Act one, scene one—living room of the Van Horn home; scene two—a night one week later. Act two, scene two—two years later. Act three—two years later.

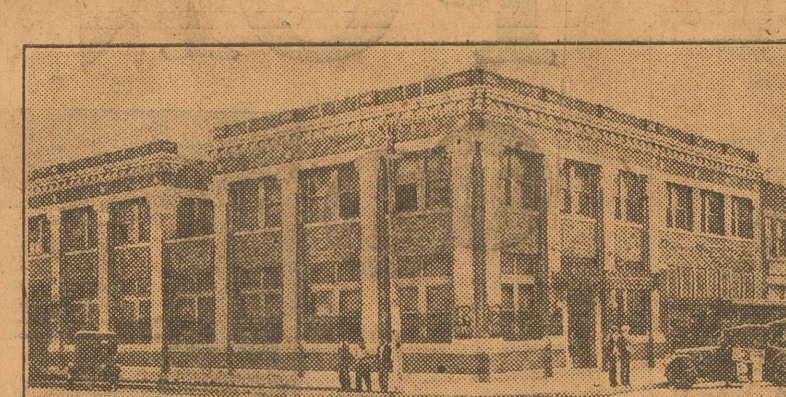
Everyone invited. No admission will be charged but a free will missionary offering will be taken.

More Forged Checks Turn Up In Corsicana

Forged Magnolia Pipe Line checks have been passed in Corsicana lately, according to reports from the office at Olden. However, no arrests have been made of the parties who so cleverly put these checks into circulation recently in Ranger.

A suspect was taken at Borger but escaped from the officers who apprehended him, a Magnolia official said today.

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SAFETY SERVICE SATISFACTION

Give Your Auto Once Over Before Taking Her Out

By ERVIN GREER
(President Greer College of Automotive & Electrical Trades, Chicago)
Various infallible signs point to the coming years of spring. Boys are itching to get out of their heavy undergarments, a robin has appeared. Ladies are wearing straw hats and shorter skirts. And Pop's mind is turn-

ing to the old bus and wondering just what to do to make it fit for the spring and summer months.
If any important work is necessary and the owner cannot perform the operations, the shop should have the car first, after which the simple operations may be done. Perhaps it only needs carbon removing and valve grinding, or it may be something requiring more time, such as refitting of piston rings, taking-up bearings, etc. Shops become congested because owner's wait until the last minute to have necessary work done, therefore, make arrangement with the shop or service station early. You should demand an estimate of the cost, from any shop. The service stations of

Unchanged



Eamon de Valera, Irish republican leader, appeared little changed by the six and one-half years which elapsed since he was last in America, when he arrived at New York the other day. His journey to the United States is for the purpose of testifying in Irish bond litigation before the New York supreme court. De Valera is now chancellor of the University of Dublin.

manufacturers are now using the flat-rate plan almost generally. This plan provides that certain work be charged for at a given price stipulated beforehand. In other shops a maximum price is quoted. There is no need to go to a shop where no estimate is given.

Lubrication.

Make chassis lubrication occupy the greater part of your time as it is worthy of it. Drain and refill the transmission and rear axle, perhaps the clutch also if it is of the oil type. Gear oils should be heavy for summer work. Some motorists prefer special gear compounds. Above all, use a good grade of lubricant.

Grease should be used freely where necessary, as, for example, spring shackles, bolts, universal joints, for cup filling where cups are provided. If the car is equipped with an alumite or similar high pressure lubricating system, the procedure is obvious. You may find some difficulty in forcing the grease through some parts that have become partly rusted in place. Tap the part gently with a hammer. If this does not help, squirt some kerosene through any opening provided. If neither will permit grease to be forced in, better dismantle the parts and clean them.

Adjustments.

Adjustment of parts and tightening should be done systematically. Attend to the running gear, first tightening spring clip nuts, taking up play in the

Believe Grave Of Pocahontas Has Been Found

By United Press.
LONDON.—Discovery of human bones during excavation work near the White Post Inn, Gravesend, has given rise to the suggestion that the grave of Pocahontas may at last have been found. The site of the inn was formerly a burial ground.

Pocahontas, the heroine of school children in England as well as in America, died at Gravesend in March, 1617, as she was about to sail for Virginia with her husband John Rolph. She was then only 22 and had been in England for seven months. She was buried in "Ye Chancell" of St. George's church.

Many attempts have been made to locate the grave of the celebrated Indian princess, but so far all have failed. It is now supposed that her remains lie where the excavations are being made. If her grave can be identified a dispute will almost certainly arise for possession of the remains.

A few years ago a group of Americans hunted for the grave with the hope of being able to carry the remains back to Virginia, but it is highly doubtful if the authorities would permit this transfer. Virginia could have no legal claim over the remains of the wife of an Englishman and the English love the story of Pocahontas. While she was in England Captain John Smith petitioned Queen Anne on her behalf in gratitude for the Indian girls' act of saving his life.

Effects of noises on the nerves of a girl typist was tested by scientists. Next they ought to test the effect of gum-cracking on the boss.

steering system, adjusting brake rods, etc. See that there is no excess play in the wheel bearings, tighten engine holding down bolts, etc. Tighten all chassis nuts and bolts you can. Then tighten body bolts, radiator bolts, fender bolts and other sheet metal parts.

The storage battery if used continuously will call for its usual inspection and filling. If the battery was sent to a service station for storage, it may be found in place just as received from the station. If the battery was left in the car for two months or more, it will be necessary to have it placed on charge at the service station before it can be installed in the car.

WORDS OF WISDOM

Otto H. Kahn, the banker, gave Princeton men ten rules of success. One was to "know how to sit tight." Mr. Kahn, you don't consider Mr. Andrews' feelings at all! . . . Kahn urged the students to take an active interest in public affairs. But what this country needs most these days is a few private affairs. . . . You don't have to go through business armed to the teeth, was one of Kahn's


axioms. What if you live in Illinois . . . A reputation is the most valuable asset, he counseled. But, around income tax time, you'd better hide that, too.

SOME DEGREES

HALIFAX, N. S.—Bachelor of cod fish and doctor of mackerel may soon become accredited college degrees with the opening here of a school of fisheries under the direction of the biological board of Canada.

White Crest, the perfect Flour. At leading grocers.—Adv.

Purina Feeds
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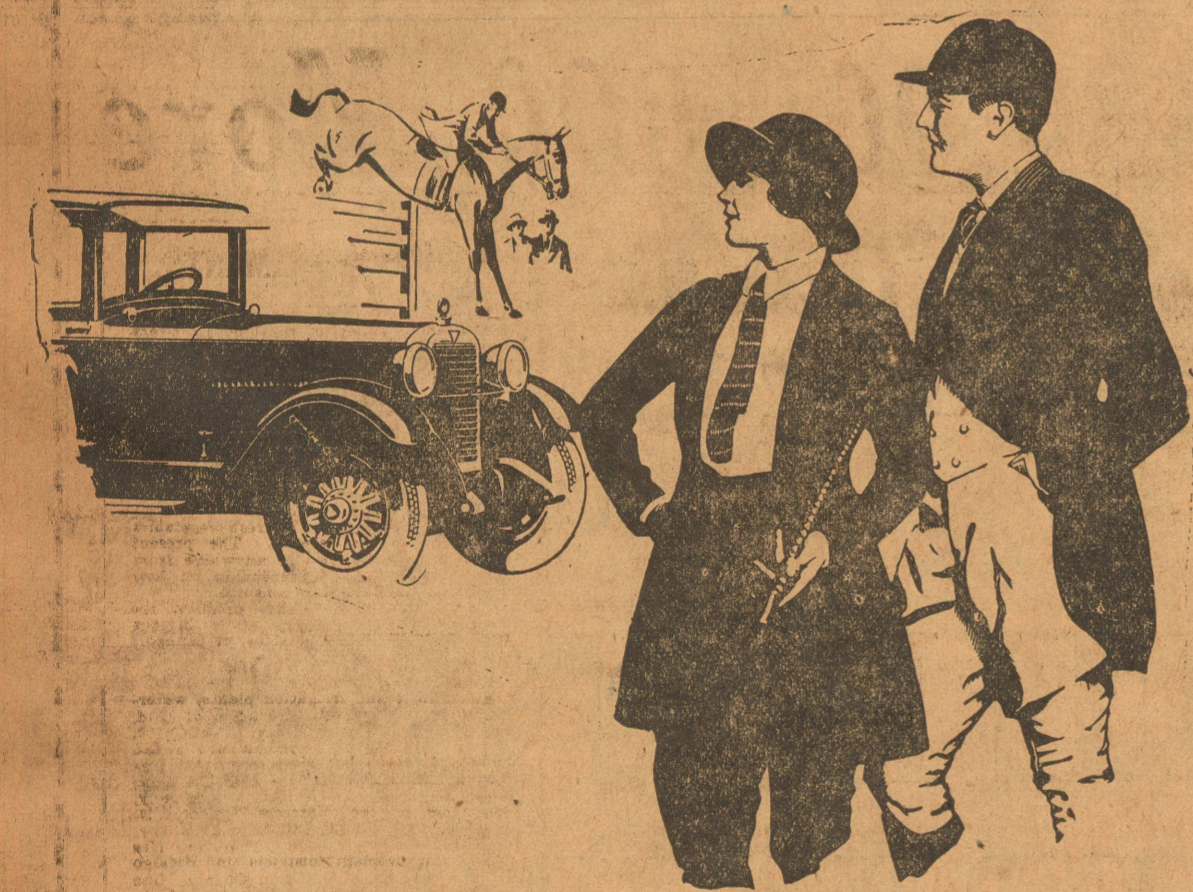


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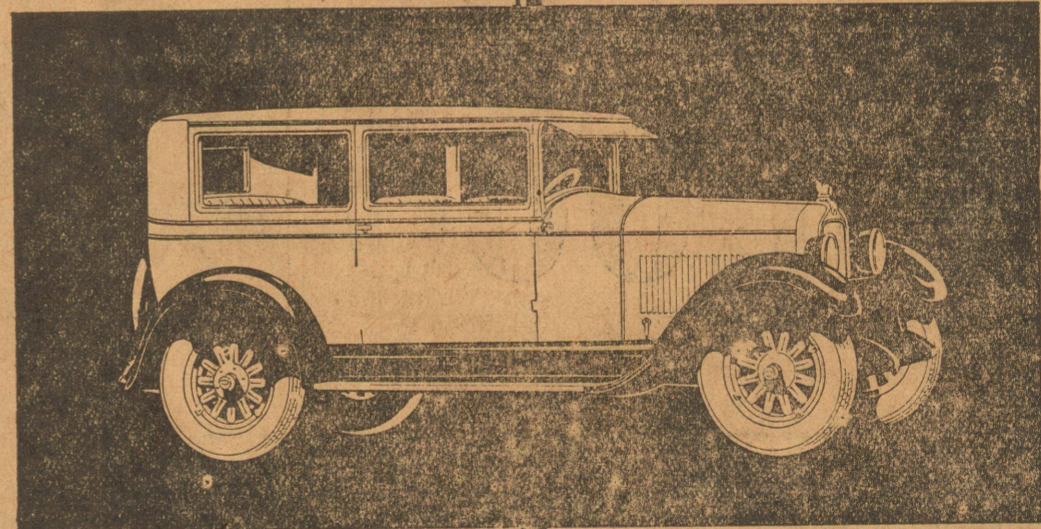
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SEDAN
\$775

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New Fisher Bodies

Never in any low-priced six have been achieved such commanding beauty and luxury as in this latest achievement of General Motors. Lending luster to even the Fisher tradition of masterly craftsmanship, the new bodies by Fisher are longer, lower and superbly executed to the slightest detail.

All New Duco Colors

All body types are finished in new combinations of Duco colors. Original and fresh, these colors range from Beverly Blue and Black on the Sedan to Cherokee Gray on the Sport Cabriolet.

New Beauty and Style

Pontiac Six beauty has always been outstanding. But now in these new and finer models has been achieved not only new beauty but also an arresting rakishness—the results of a deeper radiator; larger, heavier, and more sweeping crown fenders; and more massive headlamps. Windshield and body

pillars are narrowed to conform to the accepted custom-built vogue and to provide a wider arc of visibility. Window ledges are smartly recessed and finished in a contrasting color.

Mechanical Refinements

In addition to the numerous elements of greater beauty and style, the new and finer Pontiac Six introduces many new features and refinements in engineering design—such as tilting-beam headlights with foot control, new transmission and brake levers, steering wheel with aluminum spider, a clutch even smoother and more positive in action and an oil-sealed universal joint.

Two New Body Types

Two entirely new body types of characteristic beauty have been added to the Pontiac Six line. These are a dashing, youthful Sport Roadster, finished in Lucerne Blue, striped with Faerie Red; and a 4-passenger Sport Cabriolet, with Brevoort Green top and fenders, and body in Cherokee Gray, striped with orange to rival in smartness the highest priced cars of the day. Come in and see the New and Finer Pontiac Six!

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Sedan - \$775 Sport Roadster \$775 Sport Cabriolet (4-pass.) \$835
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PORT FACILITIES

THE United States government is now developing a harbor at Brazos Santiago, off Point Isabel, which is connected with Brownsville by the Rio Grande railroad.

The present depth sought over the pass is eighteen feet. Two rock jetties are being constructed, jutting out from the ends of Padre and Brazos Islands a distance of 1500 feet. The federal government has authorized a survey from extension of the intra-coastal canal from Corpus Christi to Point Isabel, and up the Arroyo Colorado to the Missouri Pacific bridge near Harlingen. San Benito and Brownsville each have projects for canals to connect with the intra-coastal.

The Valley Brings You \$30,000,000 More For a Grand Total of \$931,312,000

BANKS OF THE VALLEY

The thirty banks of the Lower Rio Grande Valley showed total resources on December 31, 1926, of \$23,305,054.19, with deposits of \$19,479,037.12. Twenty years ago the Valley had one bank with deposits of about \$200,000.

By counties, the figures were: Cameron County, of which Brownsville is the county seat, \$12,439,231.64 resources, and \$10,411,977.09 deposits. Hidalgo County, \$9,389,502.92 and \$7,858,856.94. Willacy County, \$786,836.30 and \$681,325.51. Starr County, \$740,963.93 and \$627,977.83.

Brownsville is the financial center of the Valley, with total resources of \$8,500,000 and total deposits of \$7,000,000.

HIGHWAYS

Cameron and Hidalgo counties now have about 140 miles of hard surface paving covering state highway No. 12 from Brownsville to the Brooks county line, and west from Pharr to the Starr county line.

Cameron County has approved a bond issue of \$6,000,000, with which it expects to build about 300 miles of permanent feeder roads, including one road from Brownsville to Boca Chica beach, the only mainland beach on the Texas coast. It will be about 24 miles long.

Hidalgo County is planning a bond issue of from \$5,000,000 to \$6,000,000 for a system of feeder roads.

Willacy County will build a 20-mile highway out of a bond issue of \$350,000. Starr County is traversed by a first class gravel road.

HIGH POWER LINE

Most of the towns and cities of the Lower Rio Grande Valley are served by the high power lines of the Central Power & Light Company. Farmers along these lines are enabled to secure power, heat and light at usual city rates. Brownsville and Harlingen operate municipal plants.

A natural gas line is about to be constructed from the Webb County fields into the Lower Rio Grande Valley. It proposes to supply all towns by the coming winter.

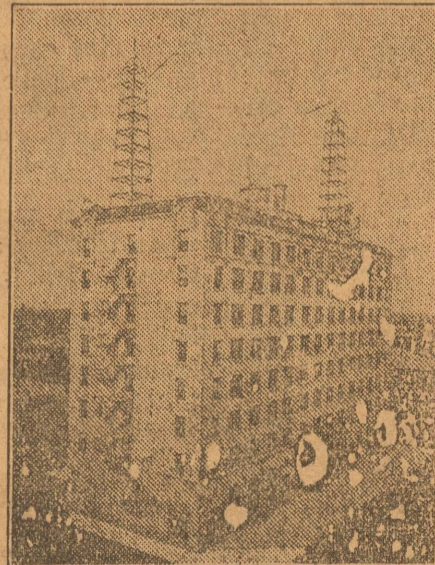
TRANSPORTATION

ADEQUATE transportation facilities are provided by the Missouri Pacific Lines and the Southern Pacific. The latter is now extending its Valley line from Edinburg to Harlingen, and its application to continue to Brownsville, a distance of 36 miles, has been recommended to the Interstate Commerce Commission. McAllen is also a Southern Pacific terminus at present.

Motor bus lines operate every half hour through the Lower Rio Grande Valley, serving every town.

VALLEY TOWNS

BROWNSVILLE is the oldest and leading city of the Lower Rio Grande Valley, and the only one of the large Valley towns located on the Rio Grande. Starting at Brownsville, going north and west, the towns are: San Benito, Harlingen, La Feria, Mercedes, Weslaco, Donna, Alamo, San Juan, Pharr, McAllen, Mission, Rio Grande City. Edinburg is the county seat of Hidalgo County, and Raymondville is the county seat of Willacy County. The Starr County seat is Rio Grande City. Other towns include Point Isabel, Rio Hondo, Santa Maria, Lyford. A large number of new towns in the making include Elsa, Edeouch, Primera, Hargill, Lasara, Barreda, Olmito, St. George, and others.



NEW EL JARDIN HOTEL

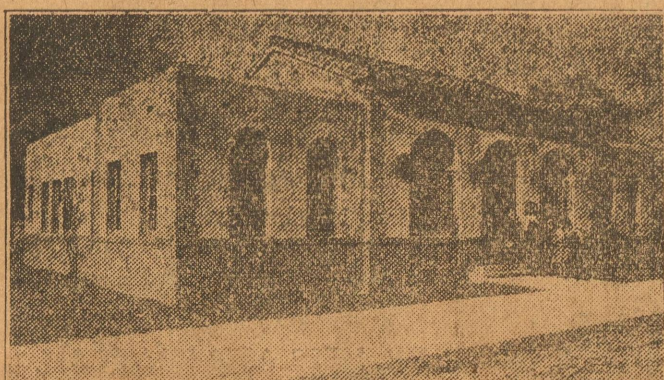
FLOOD CONTROL

THE Lower Rio Grande Valley is now expending about \$3,500,000 on flood control, creating artificial outlets for flood waters and making natural outlets available.

The state assisted in these projects, and increased values that have resulted are already repaying the state for its liberality in remitting Hidalgo County ad valorem taxes for 25 years and a portion of Cameron County's for the same period.

THE BROWNSVILLE HERALD

ESTABLISHED as a daily newspaper nearly 35 years ago, The Brownsville Herald has been a leading factor in the growth and development of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. It is the leading daily newspaper of the section, publishing every week-day, afternoon and Sunday morning. By using speedy motorcycles and automobile service its papers are placed in the furthestmost towns of the Valley before sundown every afternoon, and for breakfast Sunday morning. Residents along the Valley's Main Street for a distance of 65 miles receive their Brownsville Herald almost as early as residents of Brownsville.



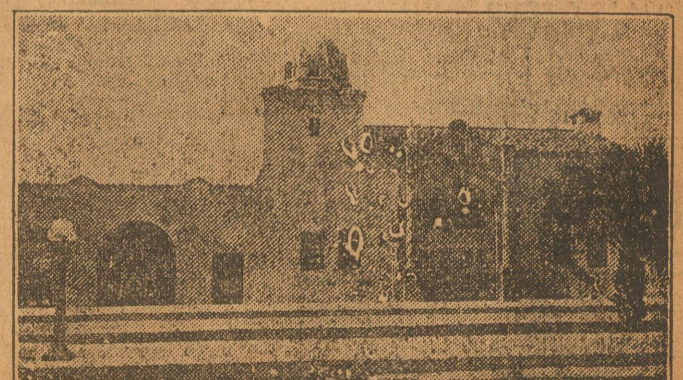
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CROP FIGURES 1925

(From Government Estimates)

| | |
|----------------|---------------|
| Cotton | \$379,250,000 |
| Corn | 29,490,000 |
| Kaffirs | 23,485,000 |
| Oats | 8,454,000 |
| Wheat | 10,156,000 |
| Barley | 765,000 |
| Rye | 67,000 |
| Rice | 9,012,000 |
| Hay | 12,372,000 |
| Peanuts | 1,219,000 |
| Sweet Potatoes | 3,707,000 |
| Potatoes | 3,307,000 |
| Sorghum Syrup | 1,326,000 |
| Broom Corn | 383,000 |
| Peaches | 2,825,000 |
| Apples | 322,000 |
| Other Crops | \$08,684,000 |

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|---------------------|---------------|
| Total Crop 1925 | \$799,330,000 |
| 1926 Crops | \$901,312,000 |
| 1925 Crops | \$799,330,000 |
| Gain over last year | \$101,982,000 |

CROP FIGURES 1926

(From "Crops and Markets", published by U. S. Department of Agriculture)

| | |
|----------------|---------------|
| Cotton | \$351,000,000 |
| Corn | 29,310,000 |
| Kaffirs | 23,370,000 |
| Oats | 8,259,000 |
| Wheat | 10,014,000 |
| Barley | 750,000 |
| Rye | 1,444,000 |
| Rice | 8,540,000 |
| Hay | 12,200,000 |
| Peanuts | 1,785,000 |
| Sweet Potatoes | 3,450,000 |
| Potatoes | 3,230,000 |
| Sorghum Syrup | 2,700,000 |
| Broom Corn | 449,000 |
| Peaches | 3,000,000 |
| Apples | 382,000 |
| Other Crops | 296,806,000 |

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|---------------------|---------------|
| Total Crops 1926 | \$901,312,000 |
| 1926 Crop | \$901,312,000 |
| 1925 Crop | \$799,330,000 |
| Gain over last year | \$101,982,000 |

SPECIAL NOTE:

The figures above do not include the great revenue derived from the Cattle, Sheep, Swine and Poultry industries for which Texas is famous. Nor does it include such important items as Truck and Citrus Fruits in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, Nuts, Wool and such like, which industries bring Millions of Dollars more annually. The 1926 output of the above important items far exceeds that of 1925.

CROP MOVEMENTS

Movement of crops out of the Lower Rio Grande Valley is continuous. Every month of the year sees something being sold. The cotton crop (185,000 bales produced in 1926) begins moving early in July. It is followed by early fall vegetable crops, then grapefruit and oranges, then cabbage, lettuce, beans, fish, potatoes, eggplant, cauliflower, radishes, asparagus, celery and other winter vegetables; then cantaloupes, table corn in the ear, watermelons, and so on into the next cotton crop.

Over 16,000 carloads of fresh vegetables were shipped last season. The present season will see a total of anywhere from 20,000 to 30,000 cars, depending on how much the markets can consume. Lower Rio Grande Valley products are shipped to nearly every state in the Union, either fresh vegetables, or canned.

IRRIGATION

Canal lines and irrigation plants, watering something over 425,000 acres of land, are valued at more than \$12,000,000. Mostly the irrigation systems are owned by the farmers, but there are two large privately owned systems, that of the American Land & Irrigation Company, operating in the Mercedes-Weslaco districts, and the United Irrigation Company, operating around Mission. There are five water improvement districts in Hidalgo County, and six in Cameron County. One additional district is being formed in Hidalgo County, and two in Cameron County.

TOURIST CROP

The Lower Rio Grande Valley is rapidly becoming both a winter and summer resort. The only check available on the number of tourists visiting the section this winter was that maintained by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce which issues permits to visitors who wish to go to the adjacent Mexican city of Matamoros. From 300 to 850 permits are issued daily, these permits being good for one month.

To care for these visitors numerous hotels have been and are being built. Brownsville has 600 hotel rooms, Harlingen has two 100-room hotels and several smaller ones; San Benito is building a modern hotel, Edinburg has lately completed one, and McAllen has two sixty-room hotels and is building more.

All at Sea

by Carolyn Wells
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WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE
Death strikes GARRETT FOLSOM while bathing at Ocean Town, N. J. After being perfunctorily examined by a doctor, the body is brought to the Hotel Majanaca, where an inquiry is started.

Folsom's bathing companions had been ROGER NEVILLE, MRS. HELEN BARNABY, and CARMELITA VALDON. It is established that Folsom, just before his death, had been standing next to NED BARRON, known as the copper king.

Then the startling announcement is made that Folsom had been stabbed to death in the water. ROSS, his valet, is questioned, as are Barron and his wife, but no light is shed on the mystery.

ANASTASIA FOLSOM, eccentric and masterful sister of the dead man arrives and takes command. At the inquest it is established that the death weapon was a pichao, an Oriental knife, and that it and its scabbard had been purchased on the boardwalk.

It is also brought out in the inquest that Folsom's fortune is to be divided between his sister, Roger Neville and a nephew DANIEL PELTON. Anastasia announces she will engage a private detective.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"You were near enough to see him then?"

"I didn't see his face, but I recognized his bathing suit, gray with black stripes, and I felt sure it was

he. I went immediately to where the ladies of our party stood, holding the rope, and they were almost overcome with fear that Mr. Folsom had suffered a stroke or an attack

of some sort. I advised them to go ashore at once, and suggested that we all go to our bathhouses and dress in order to be of any possible assistance to our friend."

"And that is what you did?"

"Yes. They agreed that was the best thing to do, and we were soon dressed and back to the hotel, where we heard the news of his death and later of his murder."

"Thank you, Mr. Neville. Now, as his business associate and as co-official in his company, are you in charge of Mr. Folsom's papers and letters that are down here with him?"

Before Roger Neville could answer Miss Folsom spoke up.

"Indeed he is not. I am in charge of my brother's effects, including his money, letters, papers and personal belongings."

She sat upright and glowered at the coroner as if he had offered her a deadly insult.

"Oh, I beg pardon, I'm sure. Are you, then, the executor of Mr. Folsom's estate?"

"No, his lawyer in Chicago is his executor. But in nearest of kin, I am in charge of his property, and I propose to remain so."

"You have his rooms at the hotel?"

"I have."

"Has anything been touched?"

She gave him a glance that was almost playing.

"Everything has been touched," she said. "Last night, before I slept I went over every one of his letters and papers as well as all his clothes and personal property of all kinds."

"And you found no papers or letters that could in any way give any hint as to the possible identity of the criminal?"

Again that look of utter scorn mixed with the tolerance one might show to a small child or an irresponsible mentality.

"Had there been any such," Anastasia Folsom informed him, "I should not now be here listening to this futile querying, but I should be after the suspect and getting him behind bars! No, I found no letter or paper that gave the least hint of which way to look for his murderer. But that in no way delays me from continuing the search. I shall yet find the villain and shall see to it that justice is done."

"You will hold those papers and letters subject to the investigation of the police, madam. We will send our detectives to examine them shortly."

"You may, sir. No one will be more glad than I if you can find any hint of a way to look for light on the matter."

"Mrs. Barnaby" was the next witness called, and the Duchess, though trembling with nervousness and embarrassment, walked steadily up to the designated chair.

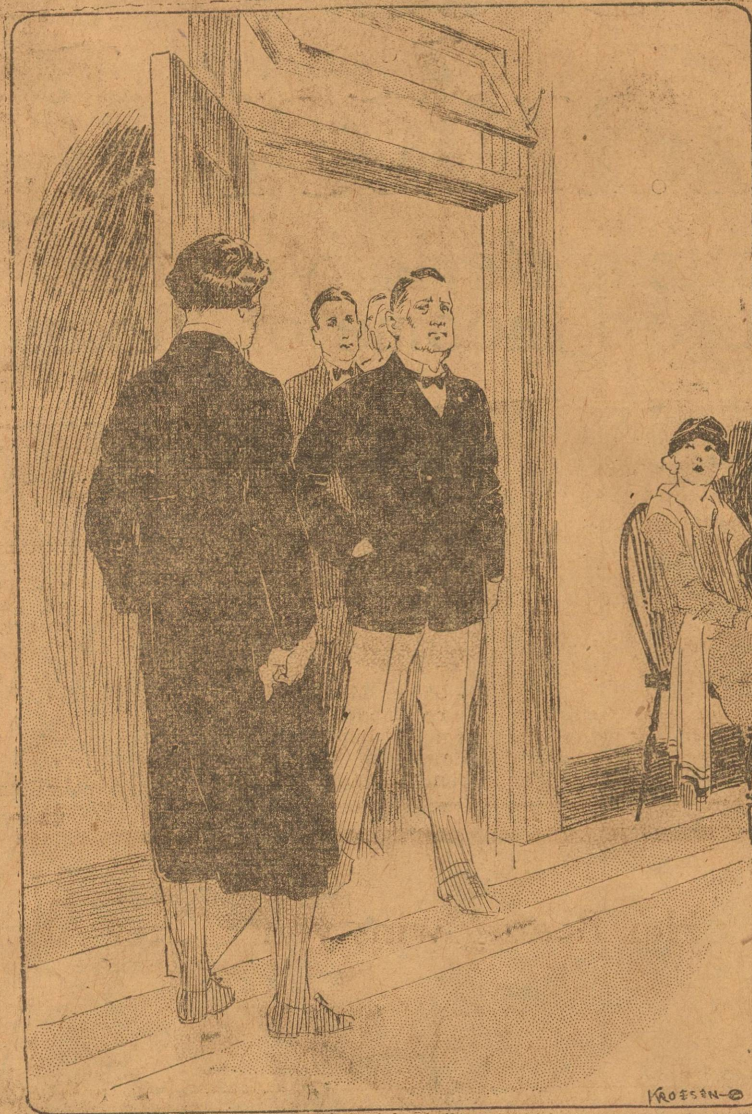
"There is no use in repeating testimony," Coroner Hubbard said, speaking gently, as he noticed her quivering lip and trembling hands. "Just tell me if you noticed anything about Mr. Folsom's manner or speech that was unlike himself or betrayed fear or nervousness of any sort."

"No, I did not," the Duchess replied, relieved at the easy question. "But I knew Mr. Folsom only slightly, not so well as the other members of our little party. You see, he was a friend of the others. I only met

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Carmelita came forward, looking so beautiful that many present gave an involuntary gasp of admiration.



They entered Room J to find it almost filled with would-be witnesses.

CHAPTER XVII

he coroner glared at her, but as she, of course, had a right to engage a private detective if she chose, he made no response to her irritating speech.

"I would like to hear from those who were in conversation with Mr. Folsom just before he went into the ocean," said Hubbard. "Mr. Neville, you were in his party?"

"Yes," Neville said, stepping forward. "We went in the water together."

"There were others with you?"

"Two ladies, Mrs. Barnaby and Mrs. Valdon."

"Yes. And tell me now, did you notice anything unusual about Mr. Folsom's manner? Anything apprehensive?"

"Absolutely nothing of the sort. Mr. Folsom was in the best of spirits and ready to enjoy his ocean dip with the rest of us."

"You and he were business partners, I am told."

"Not partners; we were in the same company."

"What company was that, Mr. Neville?"

"The Royal Realty company. But Mr. Folsom was president, I am merely vice president."

"Ah, yes. Real estate?"

"Yes, a Chicago concern. Now that Mr. Folsom is dead, much of the business will devolve on me."

"Naturally. And you are one of Mr. Folsom's heirs?"

"Yes, as Miss Folsom stated."

"Now, Mr. Neville, will you recount as exactly as you can the circumstances of Mr. Folsom's death? Tell the minutest details as you saw them."

"As a matter of fact, I saw very little. I was at some distance from our party, and whenever I endeavored to speak to them a wave came and either bowled me over or swept away all sound of my voice, so I gave up the attempt and merely swam around in the surf by myself."

"Then what was the first intimation you had of anything having happened to Mr. Folsom?"

"Naturally I glanced toward our own crowd now and then, and as I looked I failed to see Folsom. I thought nothing of that at the moment, as he now and then left the rope, but I next saw one or two life guards come to the rope and then people not between us and I couldn't see what was going on. But then I saw the two guards carrying someone ashore and I recognized at once that it was Garrett Folsom."

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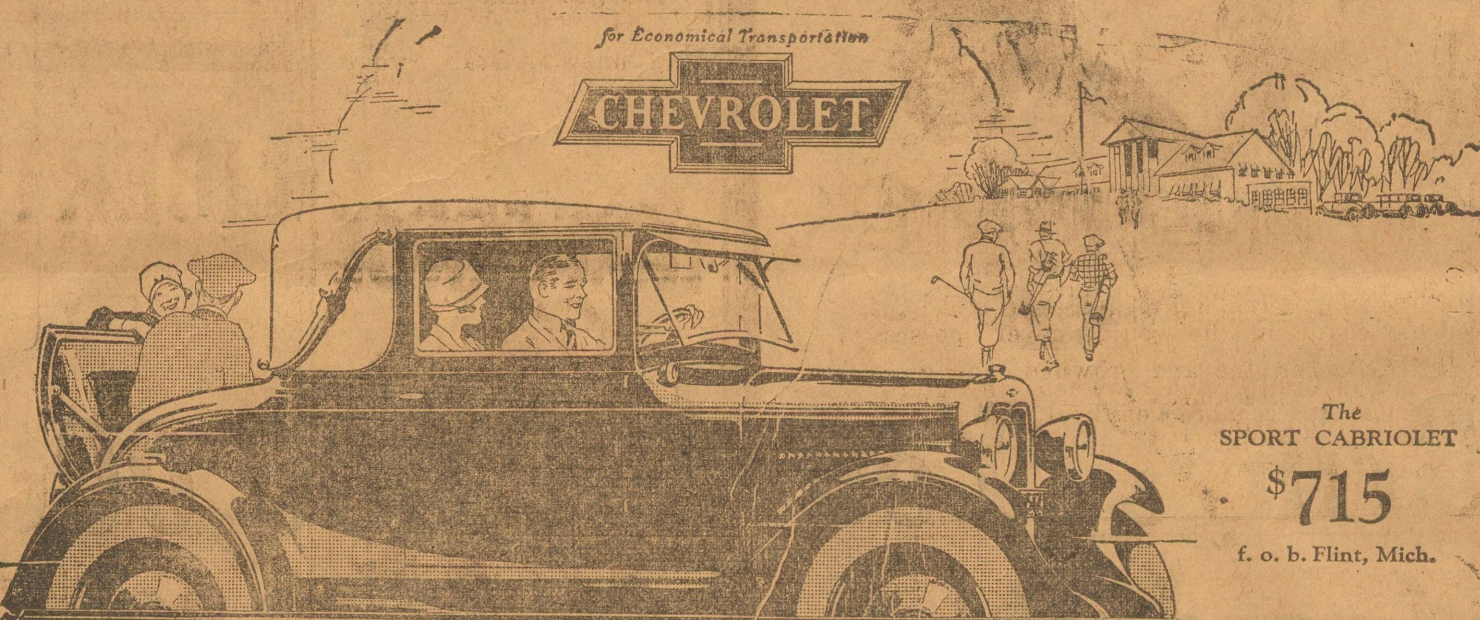
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Bible Teachers To Hold Revival; Holiness Party

Mason and Gray, evangelistic party, has erected a big tent on Pine street, Ranger, and will hold a revival meeting there. This meeting will run two weeks or more, and services will be held at 10:30 a. m. each morning and 7:45 each evening.

The first service will be this morning at 10:30.

The evangelistic party is composed of Reverends George E. Gray, and A. M. Mason, Bible teachers, M. S. Stella Roby, choir leader and soloist and Miss Pluma Mason, pianist.

In speaking of the meeting today, Rev. George Gray said that it would be a real old fashioned Holiness meeting with Eyeographic Bible chart teaching, and that they were not Holy Rollers.

"Bring your Bibles and note books, friends," he urged, and added that seats were free and everyone who is interested to come as often as they desire.

Ranger Girls Hi Glee Club Makes Hit First Time

The members of the girls glee club of Ranger high school, acquitted themselves with much glory, when they sang for the first time in public, at chapel services Friday morning.

J. M. Edwards, director, was so pleased that he told the forty or fifty girls who composed the choir, that if they kept improving he might take them to Abilene to enter a glee club contest there, and also arrangements may be made to have them broadcast.

Dallas to Equip Police With Four Machine Guns

DALLAS, Texas, March 12.—The Dallas police department will soon be equipped to take care of lawbreakers in "big city" style.

Four machine guns, each capable of firing 400 shots a minute have been ordered by the city and are expected to arrive shortly, according to Police Chief C. W. Trammell. A special machine gun squad will be organized in the department to use the guns.

Icy Weather Instead of Hot In Turkestan

TASHKENT, Turkestan.—Icy weather instead of the normal sub-tropical climate here threatened this city of 150,000 persons with destruction by flood which was averted only by

Shanghai's Answer to Canton



When Shanghai was threatened by advancing Cantonese troops and Bolshevik uprisings were disturbing the native quarters of the city, these heavy barbed wire entanglements were thrown around the foreign concession. This is one of the first pictures from China to reach the United States since the Canton menace to "the Paris of the East" became acute.

the narrowest margin. The thermometer plunged suddenly to twenty-five degrees zero, Centigrade (15 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit) and the new hydro-electric plant under construction in a gorge above the city froze. The pressure of ice had strained the cofferdams to the bursting point when artificial

heat was applied as a desperate remedy to prevent the dam from going out and releasing the waters behind it.

Many residents of Tashkent had abandoned their homes in face of the imminent danger. Turkestan has not had freezing weather within the memory of any person now alive.

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Stephens County Pioneer Is Dead, Burial Saturday

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Acker, Stephens county, for F. A. Dean, who died Friday afternoon.

The deceased was 73 years, 8 months and 4 days and was an old settler of this part of the country. He is the father of F. A. Dean, route 4, Ranger.

The body was held at the Killingsworth-Cox funeral parlor until time for it to be conveyed to its last resting place. W. L. Barnett, formerly of Ranger, conducted the funeral services.

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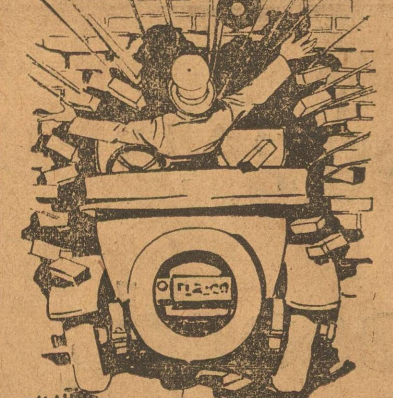
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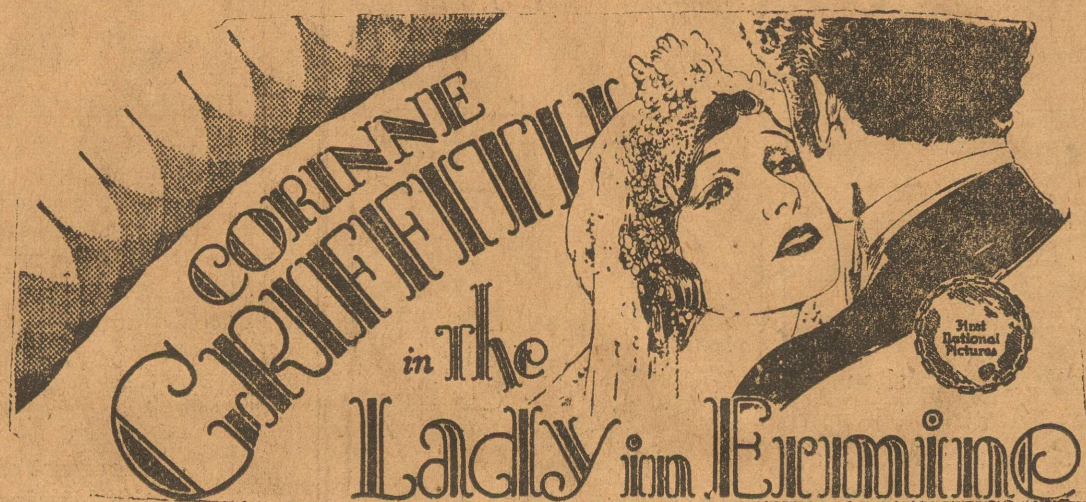


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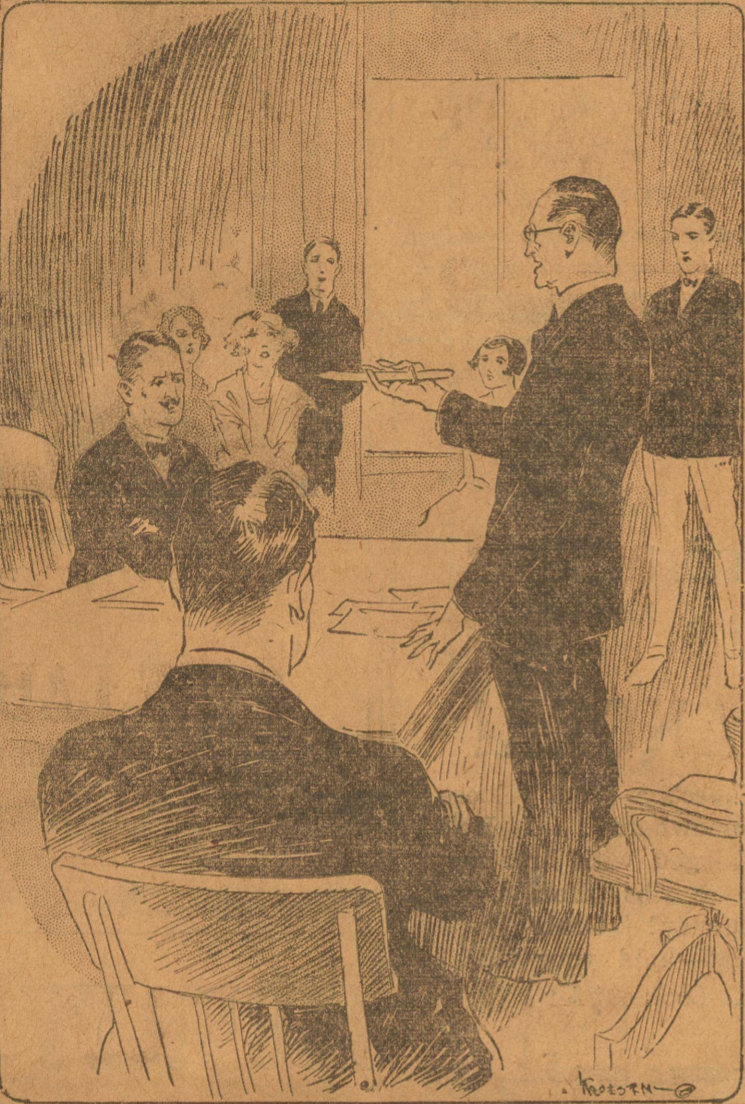
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IN THE COURTS

Eleventh Appeals.
 Proceedings of court of civil appeals, eleventh district, Eastland.
 Motions submitted March 10:
 Chas. O. Austin, com. vs. M. H. Fleming, appellant's second motion re-hearing.
 Chas. W. Barnes vs. Dixie Fire Insurance Co. appellant's motion for re-hearing.
 J. M. Lowery vs. Dallas-Greenville Red Ball Co., appellee's motion to dismiss appeal.
 C. F. Hill, et ux vs. Taylor county et al appellant's motion to advance submission.
 Leslie Gillette vs. R. D. Davis appellant's motion to postpone submission.
 Leslie Gillette vs. R. D. Davis, appellee's motion to strike out appellant's brief.
 City of Dublin vs. Ft. Worth and Rio Grande Ry. Co. appellee's motion for re-hearing.
 Action on motions, March 11:
 U. S. Torpedo Co. vs. E. R. Limer et al appellee's motion for leave to file second motion for re-hearing. Granted.
 Leslie Gillette vs. R. D. Davis, appellant's motion to postpone submission. Granted.
 Leslie Gillette vs. R. D. Davis, appellee's motion to strike out appellants brief. Overruled.
 M. C. Alsbrook, guardian vs. Mrs. Iris Bishop, executrix, appellant's motion for rehearing. Granted and appeal re-instated.
 M. C. Alsbrook, guardian vs. Mrs. Iris Bishop, executrix, appellant's motion for certiorari granted.
 Wichita Valley Ry. Co. vs. Arthur Williams et al, appellee's motion to re-tax costs. Granted.
 Chas. O. Austin, com. vs. M. H. Fleming, appellant's second motion for re-hearing. Overruled.
 Chas. W. Barnes vs. The Dixie Fire Ins. Co., appellant's motion for re-hearing. Overruled.
 J. M. Lowery vs. Dallas-Greenville Red Ball Co. motion to dismiss appellee, English from case stricken out. Motion to file appellants' briefs granted.
 Julius Hanson et al vs. City of Stamford et al.
 Cases submitted March 11:
 Hugh Jennings, et al vs. Sovereign Camp W. O. W., Eastland.
 Julius Hanson et al vs. City of Stamford et al. Jones.
 Clyde Dennis et al vs. J. A. Brown, Seury.
 Security State Bank of Pearsall vs. K. P. Cunningham, Comanche.
 Cases to be submitted March 18:



Alma Sea by Carolyn Wells
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 him the night before—before last."
 "You stood next to him in the ocean?"
 "Not at the time he—he went under. I was next him but one, then."
 "Who was next him?"
 "Mrs. Valdon."
 "And on the other side?"
 "I am told a Mr. Barron was. But I do not know Mr. Barron."
 "That will do, Mrs. Barnaby. Mrs. Valdon next!"
 Carmelita came forward, looking so beautiful that many many present gave an involuntary gasp of admiration. "Though in no way overdressed, her brightly-colored beach cape, falling from her graceful shoulders, gave her the look of a Spanish princess. Indeed, the beach cape was made from a Spanish shawl, whose gorgeous embroidered flowers shone out lustreously from a black background."
 Mrs. Valdon, will you add anything you can to the story of Mr. Folsom's death in the ocean yesterday?"
 "How can I add anything? I do not even know that he died in the ocean except by hearsay?"
 While not exactly flipant, Carmelita's manner was distinctly disinterested, and the coroner was a little at a loss how to treat her.
 But he felt it was best to "give it to her straight," as he expressed it to himself, and he said sternly, "Do not attempt to quibble. You know now how and when Mr. Folsom met his death. Can you tell me anything in the way of detailed description of what you saw during his last moments?"
 "No, I can't," said Carmelita, not pertly, but with a look of sadness, as if one thinking back over a harrowing scene.
 "Yet you stood next him?"
 (To be continued)
 A new clew concerning the weapon comes to light. Read about the mysterious "pichaq" in the next chapter.



The coroner held out to him a long sharp knife.

Security Union Casualty Co. vs. Clarence Alsop, Stephens Co.
 G. W. Thorpe vs. A. L. Thorpe, Eastland Co.
 J. A. Kerner, et al vs. J. M. Radford Grocery Co., Taylor Co.
 C. F. Hill et al vs. Taylor County, et al From Taylor Co.
 Decisions:
 Crate Dalton vs. Sam Davis, et al from Haskell Co. Affirmed.
 Fidelity Union Fire Ins. Co. vs. E. J. Barnes et al from Taylor Co., affirmed in part, reversed and remanded in part.
 Texas Employers Ins. Assn. vs. A. J. Evans from Palo Pinto Co. affirmed.
 Texas Employers Ins. Assn. vs. E. T. Fitzgerald, from Palo Pinto Co.,

CHENEY NEWS

Special Correspondence.
CHENEY, March 12.—Bill Robinson, James Howard and Dean Gentry are in Fort Worth attending the Fat Stock show.
 J. C. Lynn and daughter, Miss Lillian, of Eastland were Cheney visitors Sunday.
 Joe Lynn of Crossroads visited his cousin, Mrs. R. R. Browning, Sunday. Mr. Lynn and family have just moved here from Grayson.
 Saturday night before the third Sunday, March 19, there will be a play put on at Cheney by home talent from seven different schools for the benefit of Cheney. There will be a small charge for admission, but it all goes to help the school. Refreshments will be served again as usual.
 The P. T. A. meets at Cheney next Friday night. All are urged to attend.
 Bill Robinson's house was robbed one day last week by two boys. It is reported that one of the boys has been caught. The other is still at large.
 The Cheney literary society rendered a program last Friday night to a full house. The P. T. A. had a lunch counter in connection with the program. They did very well.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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 Irene Hodges Dean et ux, A. J. Ratliff, lot 7, block 13, Hodges Oak Park addition to the city of Ranger.
 J. F. McWilliams, C. L. Garrett, and A. M. Hearn, trustees Eastland lodge No. 359, K. of P. to Oilbelt Motor Co., lots 1 and 2, block A minus 3, city of Eastland.
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CHICAGO LOOP DISTRICT WILL HAVE NEW CHIMES

By United Press.
CHICAGO, March 5.—The mad jangle of the busy loop district will have a new note added.
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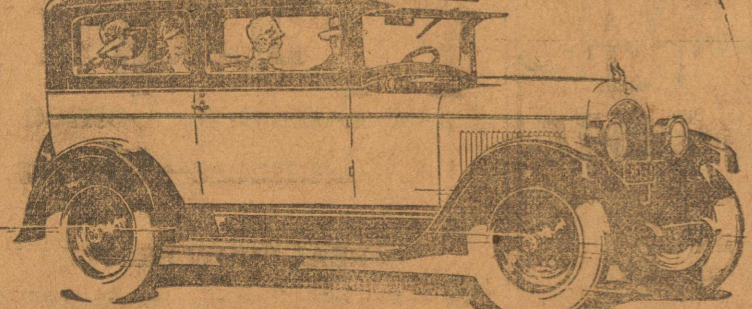
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