

Golf, Hunting And Fishing Are Ball Players' Hobbies

By BILLIE EVANS
Most major league ball players have three hobbies—golf, hunting and fishing.

Up until recent years golf vied with baseball for popular favor. As a matter of fact, the desire to play golf while in spring training was greater than the love for baseball with some of the athletes.

With 11 of the major league clubs training in Florida, which boasts many fine golf courses, it was only natural that the players would overdo it.

Too much golf finally resulted in most of the managers putting a ban on the game, permitting it to be played on Sunday only. The reason is that Sunday baseball is not permitted in Florida.

Totting for six days of the week on the diamond, either in two practice sessions daily or an exhibition game, seems to have satisfied the desire for competitive sport among the ball players.

Fishing has become the popular Sunday sport with the diamond athletes in Florida.

Not Press Agent.
Aside from sunshine, oranges, golf and many other material assets, Florida also provides real fishing. The inland lakes offer the finest kind of bass fishing.

Having a Sunday off myself recently, since there was no baseball to watch, I was invited to try my luck in the vicinity of Clermont, Fla. It was my first trip to that hill and lake section of Florida.

Since I am not in the real estate business and have no acreage to sell in that section, I can enthuse over it without being accused of doing any press-agenting.

If there is a prettier part of Florida, I have yet to see it, and I have been touring the state for a great many years. If I ever own a major league ball club, the folks in that section won't have to offer me any inducements to have me locate a camp there; I'll just come on my own accord.

Kindly note, I said, if I ever own a ball club.

Four Famous Fishermen
To make this fish story good, I mustn't forget to tell you that the fish were biting so fast that afternoon that it kept two men busy baiting my hook to satisfy the appetite of the fish.

In this connection, I might add that I got many a nibble that I didn't land. Really I fed more fish than I actually landed.

During the same afternoon I bumped into four other very distinguished anglers, none more than Walter Johnson, Babe Ruth, Stanley Coveleski and Goose Goslin.

Being experienced fishermen, I learned it wasn't their first trip to that section, it being an annual custom for them to come up a couple of times during the spring training period.

Walter Johnson's leg injury, which caused him to be sent north, forced the cancellation of a big celebration in his honor by the natives of Clermont and surrounding country.

It really is remarkable how popular Johnson is everywhere. Baseball has never produced any other player so universally beloved.

Johnson's Injury.
Johnson's injury, by the way, may play havoc with Washington's pennant chances, also tend to spoil what Walter believed would be a big year.

The broken bone is in the left ankle, the striding foot, and it undoubtedly will cause Johnson to favor that member even after it has entirely mended.

If such is the case, it is certain to

Two Lone Ones



Introducing T. Tanaka, Japanese golfer of Vancouver, B. C., who recently made two hole-in-one shots in one afternoon at Vancouver. His feat was verified by golfers on the links at the time. They came on the fifth and eighth holes.

minimize his effectiveness. Manager Stanley Harris was banking on him for from 15 to 25 games. He was a sure bet for the first figure.

If the injury is as serious as reported, there is no telling when he will return and how efficient he will be after his long lay-off.

Shipp and Son Sell Grocery, Market To Sig Faircloth

Shipp & Son, who have been in the grocery and market business on the Strawn road, Ranger, for several years, have sold out to Sig Faircloth, son of R. L. Faircloth, who has been employed at the O. K. Grocery & Market for quite a while.

Mr. Faircloth is a Ranger boy and his father, R. L. (Bud) Faircloth, has been a peace officer in Ranger for several years.

LeRoy Shipp, who has been active manager of the store for the past year, says that the first thing retirement from business means to him is a good long fishing trip. E. C. Shipp, the senior member of Shipp & Son, is very much interested in a small farm he has east of town.

RULES COMMITTEE KICKS OUT OF FOOTBALL GAME

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK—When the football rules committee at its annual meeting amended the playing code to discourage the kicking game and to encourage lateral passing, a prominent eastern coach remarked: "They are doing everything they can to take the foot and the kick out of football."

There are two sides to the argument that the amended rules will create more interest for players and spectators but there is no reason to fear that the "kick" ever will be taken out of football.

The professors and the faculties will see to that.

After the stress that has been directed against "over-emphasis," "too much commercialization," "excessive expenditures," and too much of a lot of other things that the hard-working, underpaid professors do not like it would seem that football is the biggest metaphoric football of its own game.

Someone is always taking a kick at football and as a glutton for punishment it makes the Joe Grimm of sports look like a British heavy-weight.

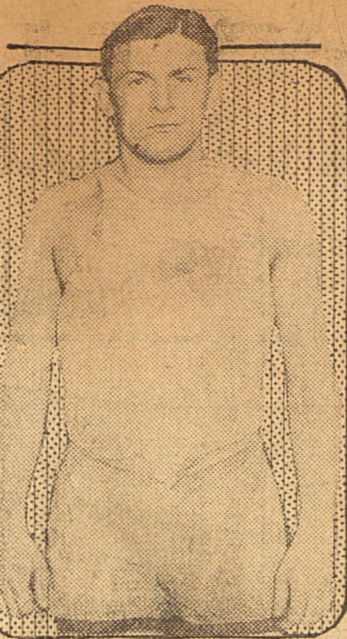
Hardly had the coaches finished explaining the new rules to a bewildered bunch of young hopefuls who had reported for spring practice than a call was issued for a conference of college officials to consider changes in the code that would make a wreck of the whole system.

Limit Players
In recommending that such a conference be called, Dr. Ernest Martin Hopkins, president of Dartmouth College, one of the most prominent and influential football institutions in the east, suggested for consideration and approval:

- 1—Limiting players to sophomores and juniors;
- 2—Holding big games on a reciprocal or double-header basis with each college playing one eleven on the home field and another eleven on the rival's college home grounds;
- 3—Restricting all coaching to undergraduates.

There was a roar from the angry mob when the suggestions were dumped on an unsuspecting public

Track Threat



Good football players also make good track athletes. Here is Ray Barbuti, captain-elect of the 1927 Syracuse University eleven, who is also their outstanding quarter-miler. He is hoped to finish first in the intercollegiate meet.

CISCO AND RANGER PLAY PRACTICE GAME

Ranger's volley ball team played Cisco team Thursday afternoon at Ranger, resulting in a score of 40 to 24 in favor of Ranger, however, the game was only practice for Cisco, as Ranger has already been eliminated.

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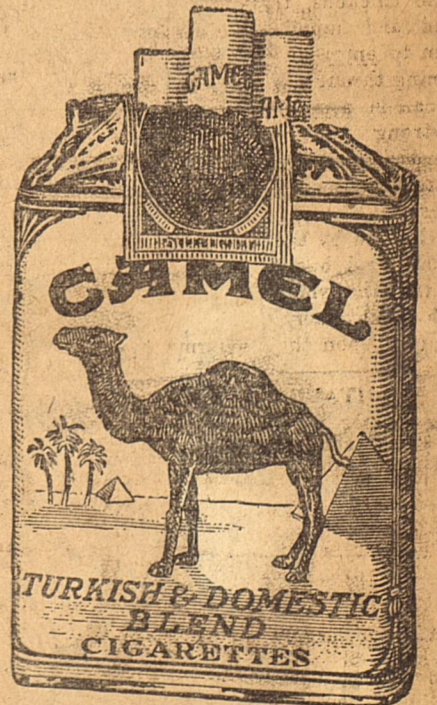
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Interscholastic League Meet

(Continued from page one.)
 church at 7:30 o'clock. The finals in boys' debate and in senior girls' declamation will be held at this time. Saturdays program will be as follows:
 9:00 a. m.—Playground baseball, at Lillard field.
 9:00 a. m.—Essay. Contestants meet in high school library.
 9:00 a. m.—Extemporaneous speaking. Contestants meet at Methodist church.
 10:00 a. m.—Arithmetic. Contestants meet in room 12 of high school building.
 Noon—Central Ward P. T. A. will serve lunch in high school building. Young, Cooper and Merriman P. T. A.'s will serve lunch at Lillard field.
 1:00 p. m.—Finals in all field and track events.

Track.
 50 yard dash—Junior boys, class A, rural and ward and class B.
 120 yard high hurdles—Class B and A.
 100 yard dash—Junior boys, class A, rural and ward and class B.
 100 yard dash—Rural pentathlon.
 100 yard dash—Class B and A.
 880 yard run—Class B and A.
 220 yard low hurdles—Class B and A.
 440 yard dash—Class B and A.
 220 yard dash—Class B and A.
 1 mile run—Class B and A.
 440 yard relay—Juniors, class A, rural and ward and class B.
 1 mile relay—Class B and A.
Field.
 All junior field events—finals in these events will be held on Friday afternoon.
 Pole vault—Class B and A.
 12-pound shot put—Class B and A.
 12-pound shot put—Rural Pentathlon.
 Discus throw—Class B and A.
 Running high jump—Class B and A.
 Running high jump—Rural pentathlon.
 Running broad jump—Class B and A.
 Running broad jump—Rural pentathlon.
 Standing hop—Step and jump rural pentathlon.
 Javelin throw—Class B and A.

Ford-Sapiro Jurywomen Trump a Few Aces



Here is the better half of the Ford-Sapiro jury off duty. The jurywomen are whiling away a few hours between hearings by trumping their partners' aces. (See "How to Play Auction Bridge"). The players are (left to right) Mrs. Anna C. Brown, Mrs. Grace Stiles, Mrs. W. C. Hoffman and Mrs. Grace Jewell; onlookers (left to right) Mrs. Anna Konen and Mrs. Emma Clarkson.

RADIO AUDIENCE WILL SEE AS WELL AS HEAR PERFORMANCE

By United Press.
 WASHINGTON, April 1.—An apparatus which will revolutionize the radio industry and bring the events of the world before the eyes as well as to the ears of the radio audience will be offered to the public within a few months, C. Francis Jenkins, local radio engineer and inventor, told the United Press in an exclusive interview.
 Within a period of months, Jenkins claims, his "radio vision" invention will give the public a chance to see what it is hearing over the ether. "It won't be long now," Jenkins

said, "before baseball games, inauguration ceremonies and many other events can be seen by the radio public. There is no question about the success of the invention."
 An arrangement which Jenkins has with the navy department for transmitting pictures of weather maps to ships at sea has retarded his experiments with the vision apparatus. Within a few weeks, however, the map transmitting will be done by an assistant and Jenkins will resume work on the device for sending motion pictures through the air. "The only thing left to be done,"

Film Shows Nine Out of Ten Fires Can Be Prevented

Nine out of every 10 fires might have been prevented!
 It is this appalling fact that prompted the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios to produce "The Fire Brigade," the spectacular human interest story of the fire fighters, that is to be seen at the Lamb theatre, Ranger, Tuesday and Wednesday.
 The picture, however, is not merely a preachment, but one of the most entertaining and thrilling pictures ever produced, though any audience viewing it cannot help but be impressed by the needless loss of life and money through flames, according to Hunt Stromberg, the producer.
 According to the National Fire Protective association, the average annual property loss in the United States is more than a thousand dollars a minute, and in 1924 reached the amazing total of \$348,000,000, 11 times greater than the average annual loss of all Europe. The greater evil, however, is the fact that every year 32,000 human casualties are suffered through fire, of which number 15,000 prove fatal in the most painful manner.
 At midnight on Monday the Lamb theatre will show this film in the interest of the Ranger fire department.

Manufacturers' Gasoline Prices Lowest in Years

Producers are getting the lowest price for their gasoline since 1922, according to K. B. Tanner, sales manager of the Arab Gasoline corporation. Motor fuel is quoted at 6 1-2 cents a gallon tank wagon at Fort Worth and Wichita Falls, and natural gasoline manufacturers are only getting 4 1-2 cents a gallon, less than the cost of manufacture it is said.
 The cause of the drop, is the reaction of the cut in crude, and the production of crude oil is showing an increase of 25 per cent over the corresponding time last year. The increase in the production approximates a half million barrels.
 "The consumption of gasoline may show an increase, but we are not expecting the price of crude to advance but on the contrary, it would not surprise us to see another cut in crude," The tendency is toward lower prices.
 This continuation of development activities is due to the fact that the various companies and operators are compelled to develop their holdings or lose their leases, and since, in some instances, sands that were passed up are developed and new sands found, production shows an increase.
 Mr. Tanner did not expect to see any advance in crude because of the trouble in China, although, should it continue any length there may be a rattle in the waters. A large proportion of the natural gasoline is exported to Europe and the Orient, according to the sales manager, with the northern and eastern states taking their quota, but not as much as in previous years due to the low priced motor fuel.

HOLD SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION SATURDAY

Four men will be elected to fill as many places on the Ranger independent school board, Saturday. The polls will be opened at 8 o'clock. A. L. Duffer will be manager of the election.
 The ballots carry the names of M. H. Hagaman, J. T. Killingsworth, L. H. Flewellen and Garvin Chastain. The election will be held at the city hall.

A STATEMENT TO THE CITIZENS OF RANGER

It is being rumored that I'm going to leave Ranger and many have come to me to verify this.

In fairness to all I state here and now that it is my intention to make Ranger my home and if possible to keep my business interest here.

It would not be fair to ask the voters to elect me to the city commission knowing that I would not be here, hence this statement.

J. C. SMITH

(Political Advertisement)

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SUGAR Pure Cane, 10 lbs. for (limit 20 lbs.) 67c

SPAGHETTI Van Medium size, ea. ... 11c
 Camps 3 for 32c

POST TOASTIES Large size, 2 for 25c

SOUPS Van Camps, tomato, vegetable, chicken beef, 3 for ... 25c

PEAS No. 2 can tender, sifted peas, each 13c
 (A 20c value) 4 for 49c

KRAUT Van Camps, 2 No. 2 cans for 19c
 2 No. 2 1/2 cans for 27c

PUMPKIN Large can, 3 for 39c

HOMINY Van Camps, 3 No. 2 cans for 20c
 3 No. 2 1/2 cans for 29c

CHERRIES Red pitted, No. 2 can 24c

RED KIDNEY BEANS Large can ... 12 1/2c

COCOA Hershey's, 1/2 lb. pkg. 13c

COFFEE Genuine Peaberry, lb. 29c

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SLICED BACON Northern sugar 1 lb. 35c
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ROAST Baby beef, pound 18c

COUNTRY SAUSAGE lb. ... 23c

BUTTER Alta Vista, pound 48c

Postal Company At Ranger Shows Greatest Gain

The Postal Telegraph company of Ranger is the banner office of the fourth district of the southern division of the Postal Cable company...

Kerosene Burns Fatal to Farmer Wife is Injured

DALLAS, April 1.—E. V. Irving, 45, died of burns received early today when his farm home was destroyed by fire and Mrs. Irving is not expected to live.

Indiana Senate Acquits Judge On All Charges

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 1.—Judge Clarence Dearth of Munice, Indiana, was acquitted today of impeachment charges when the state senate failed to vote a two thirds majority for conviction on any one of the seven charges against him.

Here's Where This Bird Gets Off



Bexar Officers To Seek Test Of New Traffic Law

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—Bexar county officers intend to test the constitutionality of the law signed Wednesday by Governor Moody which ends the fee system for traffic officers.

Patterson Back From Insurance Rate Conference

C. C. Patterson, Ranger secretary of Chamber of Commerce, has returned from Austin where he attended a conference with representatives from other commercial organizations yesterday in connection with an increase in the insurance rates of Texas.

Graduate Nurses In District Meet At Breckenridge

The graduate registered nurses of district No. 15 held their monthly meeting at Breckenridge, Thursday afternoon and were charmingly entertained in the home of Mrs. Reading, who is a registered nurse.

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SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—The fourth request in a week for anti-crotalus serum was received by Col. M. L. Crimmings of the anti-venom institute of America today.

was to be administered to a victim of a snake bite at Laredo. The other three treated this week was a 10-year-old child at New Braunfels, a 14-month-old baby girl at Bandera, and a youth near San Antonio.

J. C. SMITH'S GREAT FORCED SALE OPENS A FLOOD GATE OF BARGAINS

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Callahan And Coleman Report New Producers

Two small shallow producers have been developed, one in Coleman county, Amerada No. 10, recording 15 barrels at 434 feet and the other in Callahan county, Warren Hayes Oil corporation et al., 10 barrels at 332 feet.

Drilling Reports.
Records for date of March 31 1927 listed as follows:
Geo. W. Nickel & et al. I. P. Hamilton, No. 1, Brown county, intention to drill 4-5-27 depth 1500 feet.
Gordon & White et al., J. H. Brown No. 2 Brown county, intention to drill 4-1-27, depth 1350 feet.
Godley Oil & Gas company, Buchanan No. 20, Callahan county, inten-

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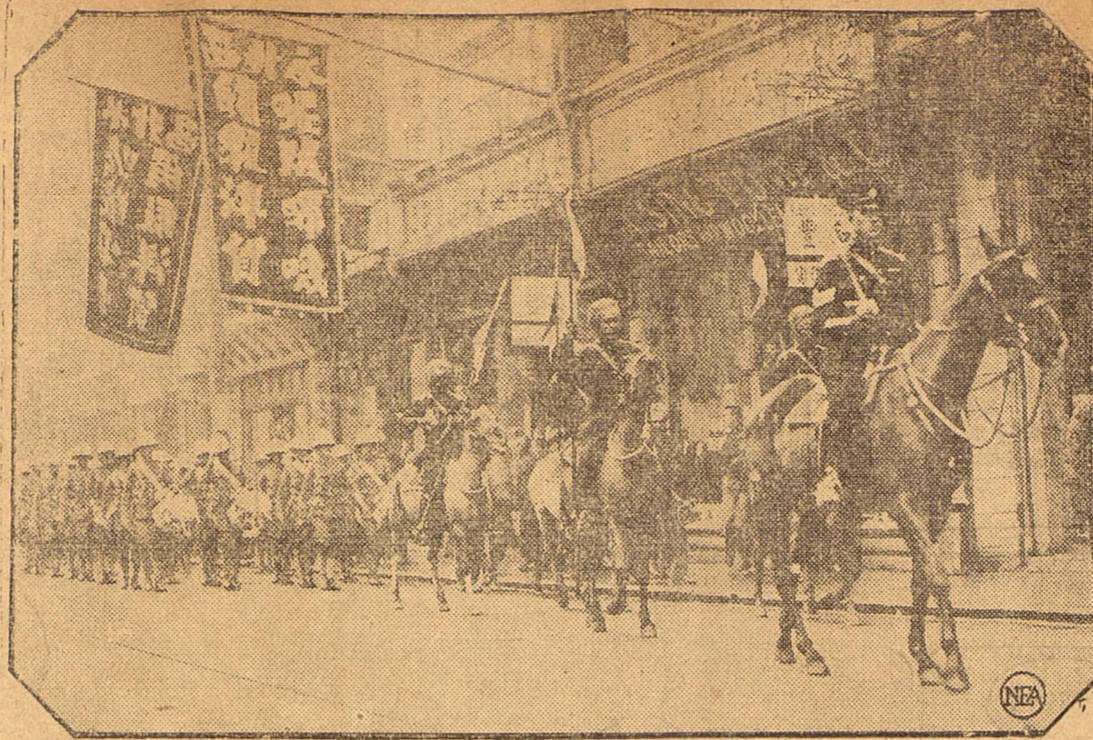
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PHONE 50

British Tommies See Action in Shanghai



Your "Tommy this and Tommy that" has come into his own again at Shanghai. The British troops shown above, led by two colonials bearing the insignia of British power, are the Gloucesters and the Durhams, who were the first foreign troops to see real action in the rioting which followed capture of Shanghai by the Cantonese. They are pictured as they marched along Nanking road in Shanghai a short time before the Cantonese attack.

tion to drill 4-1-27, depth 520 feet.
Amerada Petroleum corporation, John W. Harris No. 127, Coleman county, intention to drill 3-30-27, depth 500 feet.
Amerada Petroleum corporation, John W. Harris No. 126, Coleman county, intention to drill 3-30-27, depth 500 feet.
Amerada Petroleum corporation, John W. Harris "A" No. 10, Coleman county, well record, 15 barrels, at 434 feet.
J. L. Tomberlin, J. L. Hendricks, No. 16, Jones county, intention to drill 3-10-27, depth 2500 feet.
Warren-Hayes Oil Corp., et al. P. G. Hatchett, No. 1, Callahan county, well record, approximately 10 barrels, at 832 feet.
The Texas Company, Roy Hickman No. 18, Brown county, intention to drill 3-31-27, depth 1300 feet.
The Triangle Oil Co., Eads 40 acres, No. 4 statement before and after shooting.
Monroe Production company, Mrs. T. W. Cason, No. 1, Coleman county, intention to drill on or about April 5, 1927, depth 1700 feet.
W. P. Eads, J. C. Martin, et al., No. 1, Brown county, intention to drill 3-14-27, depth 1400 feet.

Ford in General Merchandise Line, Business Good

By United Press.
DETROIT, Mich., March 31.—Should a person ride along a city street or a country road and read a sign like this:
"Henry Ford, general merchandise, meats, groceries, lingerie, perfume, and automobiles."
Yet if Henry Ford wants to do it he has a perfect right to erect such a sign in letters bigger and brighter than any that makes Broadway a great white way, over his immense factory at Highland Park on the outskirts of Detroit.

Palo Pinto Gross Roots Pool Will Be Given Big Play

The grass roots lease of J. M. White and Howard Heath of Ranger, halfway between Mingus and Gordon, is to see some new play in the immediate future. Next week a fourth well will be started on this lease, which electrified oil circles when the first well came in last summer at a depth of 400 feet, thereby getting the name of "grass roots."

Tax Settlement Is Favorable To Eastland County

Under the agreement reached with the oil companies at the conference held in Fort Worth a few days ago between the officials of the various oil producing counties and oil company representatives Eastland county will be materially benefitted and obtained a better valuation than any of the other Texas counties or those in the Panhandle.

Wells are valued at \$400 a barrel production per annum, the production to be estimated upon the first three months flow, and an additional valuation of \$2,000 on each well for other equipment.

A satisfactory basis was fixed for pipe lines, the size and weight of the pipe considered. As to tanks, flow tanks take a valuation of 20 cents per barrel capacity and storage tanks 10 cents a barrel capacity.

It is expected to add several thousand dollars to the tax money collected this fall, according to W. J. Herrington, tax assessor. The assessor will be quite busy compiling the statistics of the wells, production, and other matters connected with the taxation of the oil properties. A satisfactory agreement also was reached regarding the valuation of lease and other holdings.

SADLER SHOW WILL LEAVE SATURDAY

Harley Sadler proved very pleasing in the character of Toby in last night's production at the tent theatre on Main street, Ranger. Pleasing also were the special numbers, dances, a banjo and violin number, vocal numbers and juggling acts.

There was not a dull moment and the big tent housed the largest crowd of the week. The Harley Sadler show will close its engagement here Saturday with a matinee Saturday afternoon, and a double-header Saturday night. They go from here to Pantages theatre, Fort Worth.

REV. VIRDEN TO HOLD RANGER SERVICE SUNDAY

Rev. Harry Lee Virden of Dallas will be in Ranger on Sunday and hold 11 o'clock services at the Episcopal church, corner of Sixth and Young streets, opposite Young school.

All members and friends of St. Mary's are asked to be present at this service.

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President Coolidge has been carrying a bandaged right hand, and Oscar Gunwaldsen (above), new U. S. marshal in North Dakota, is the reason according to Senator Gerald P. Nye. Gunwaldsen, accompanied by Nye, called at the White House to thank Coolidge for his appointment. And Gunwaldsen, says Nye, has a grip "like the coupler on a railroad car."

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Hoover Appears Big Favorite To Succeed Kellogg

By United Press.
WASHINGTON.—Gossip in the cabinet on these spring afternoons is said to run toward a general feeling that Secretary of Commerce Hoover will succeed Frank B. Kellogg as secretary of state.
This is not a new suggestion, but the quarters from which it now emanates may lend it added weight.
Hoover is said to have cherished a desire to occupy the State Department job. It might be considered likely to afford him a chance to further his presidential ambitions and might indicate that President Coolidge looked kindly on those ambitions.
On the other hand, Hoover will have plenty to say about whether he will succeed Kellogg. It may be that he now considers the post a thankless job and holding prospect of nothing but grief. Hoover is extremely sensitive to criticism and he has observed perforce the bitter criticism to which Mr. Kellogg has been subjected in recent months. The mere possibility of a senatorial investigation of the State Department might cause him to think twice, for Hoover's most distinguished enemies are to be found in the Senate.
If the widespread talk of a Senate investigation should take more definite form, the chances of James W. Wadsworth, erstwhile senator from New York, will not be diminished. Wadsworth, vigorous and of sufficient personality still to have a political career ahead of him, is very popular with the Senate—even with many Democrats.
Ex-Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin is not so popular, but he played close to Kellogg and Kellogg during the last Congress and he is not to be dismissed as a possibility.
President Coolidge, however, is credited with a tendency toward abandoning the old habit of appointing "lame ducks" to important jobs and the general opposition to the practice might well dissuade him from resuming it.
Dwight Morrow, member of the House of Morgan and Amherst, close and close personal friend of the president, is one of the most interesting possibilities, but there is bound to be certain opposition to the installation of a Morgan partner in such a high place.

Wolves Prey On Livestock Over Eastland County

Predatory animals are playing havoc with livestock and poultry throughout Eastland county, according to information received in Eastland Thursday. The damage has been so great that steps are being taken by the farmers co-operating with the department of agriculture to rid the county of them. The farmers are working through J. C. Patterson, county agent, who is trying to interest the government. Plans are on foot to inaugurate a poisoning campaign to rid the county of wolves.
C. E. Spruill, who lives four and a half miles northwest of Eastland in the Bedford neighborhood was in Eastland Thursday and reported the loss of two Hereford heifer calves, 17 pigs, worth at least \$7.50 apiece, 30 or 40 chickens and five turkey hens. His neighbors also are heavy losers as a result of the raids made on them by the wolves. His neighbors' losses are largely poultry.
"We are unable to fence our land with wolf-proof fences," Mr. Spruill said. "We can't raise a goat or a sheep because of the wolves. I took the matter up with Mr. Patterson 10 days ago and we want to co-operate with him in getting rid of them. They are taking too much toll."
"The work is being done largely by two old wolves that so far, have whipped our dogs."

Expect Eastland County Will Get Federal Road Aid

Eastland county commissioners' court is expecting to get its share of federal aid when the distribution of the Bankhead highway. There is only one post road in the county, that is the Bankhead highway.
The money to be received from the government, according to County Judge Pritchard will be used on the Bankhead and that will give us just that much more to use in constructing and keeping up our other roads in the county.
Just now the court is marking time in road work, except where it is absolutely necessary that work be done, to see how much it will have to work with. When work does open, there will be a number of roads repaired and a number surfaced and constructed. The new tax rolls have not been made up as yet and just how much will be received from auto licenses and other funds at Austin is not known. However, it is expected to give Eastland county the best system of roads she has ever had at the least cost, according to the county judge.

Eastland County Rural Schools In Financial Cramp

Because of short collections of special taxes in the rural districts of Eastland county, several schools will fall short of the regular seven months term, according to the county superintendent of education.
There are a number of special districts in the county and the short crops cut the tax collections. The Mangum school will close Friday because of short tax collections. The Mangum school has two teachers, H. H. Rumph, principal, and Mrs. Bessie Beatty, assistant.
It was thought that the state aid would carry several of the schools through, but it failed. In some sections of the county practically no crops were made.

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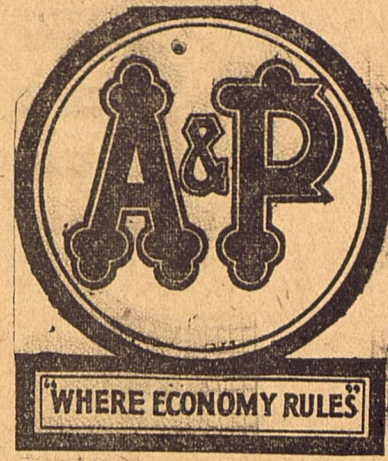
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Correspondents

From Over the County

Bedford News

BEDFORD, April 1.—For the benefit of those merchants and professional men of Eastland who asked if Bedford community was not south of their flourishing little city, will say Bedford is four and one-half miles northwest of the old Albany road, this road being a western fork of the original Breckenridge road.

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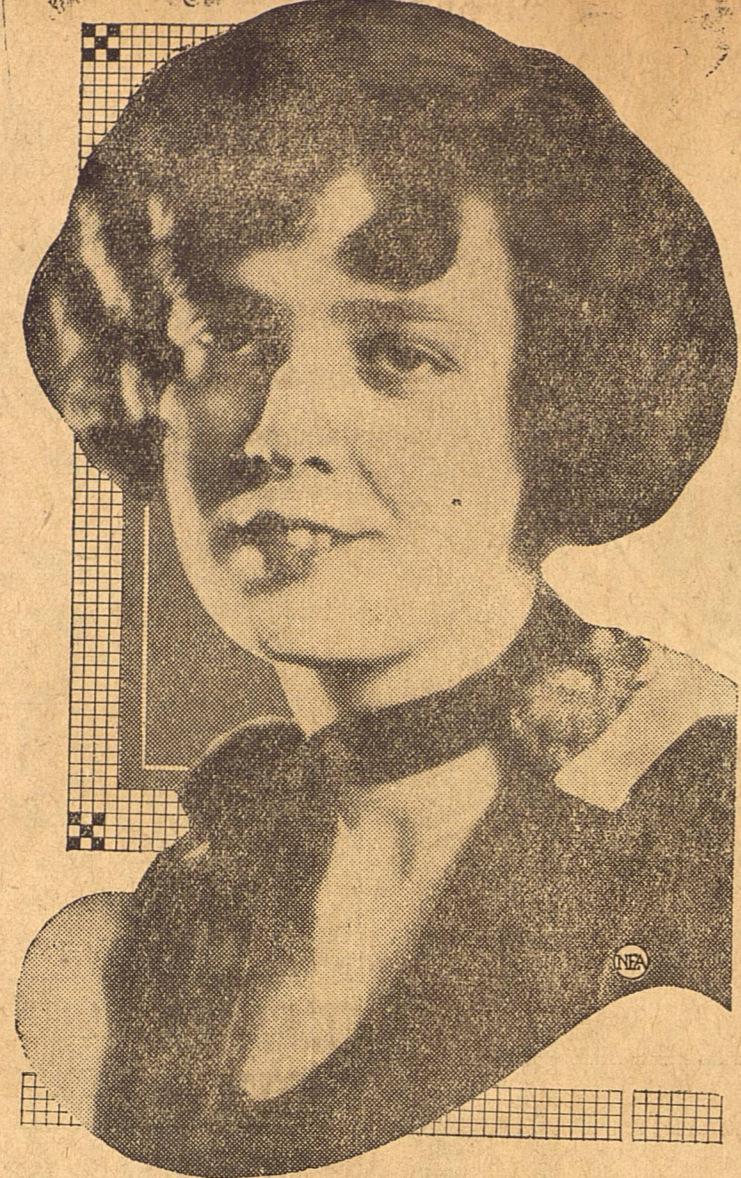


alterative which makes the blood richer. It clears the skin, beautifies it, pimples and eruptions vanish quickly.

Why Change Horses in Middle of Stream?

The present members of the Eastland school board have started a plan of development for the up-building of the schools of the city. The citizenship have caused to be voted a bond issue for the construction of a needed high school; contracts have been let for its erection; and the building is now under construction.

There's Many a Broken Heart



Westminster college for boys and William Woods college for girls both are located at Fulton, Mo. And every boy student at Westminster paid court to Miss Doris Long, pictured above, prettiest of the William Woods students.

tion; producing average crops each year, and every home supporting a small herd of cattle, besides goats, hogs and poultry. Yet our children will receive only six months schooling.

land, the past week end. The Spruill twins were rusticated with a picnic party at Lake Mineral Wells, Sunday.

DOTHAN NEWS

Special Correspondence. DOTHAN, April 1.—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Drake and children spent the week-end in Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Bint Saturday night and Sunday.

CHENEY NEWS

Special Correspondence. CHEANEY, April 1.—We are having some nice weather once more that is greatly appreciated by all and especially by the farmers. Most all are done planting corn and will plant maize soon.

wish some one would have a birthday dinner every Sunday and remember us.

DAN HORN NEWS

Special Correspondence. DAN HORN, April 1.—The shower Monday night was much appreciated and the farmers are very busy planting corn and plowing.

LONE STAR STAGE LINE

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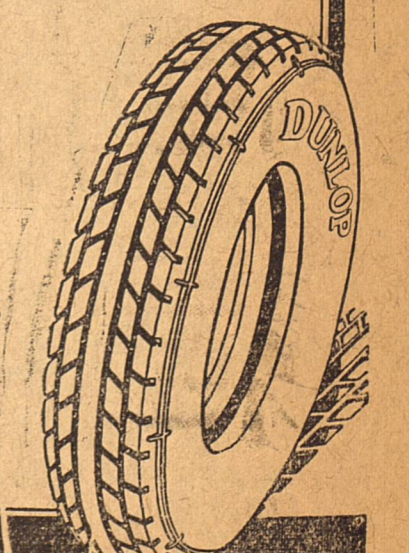
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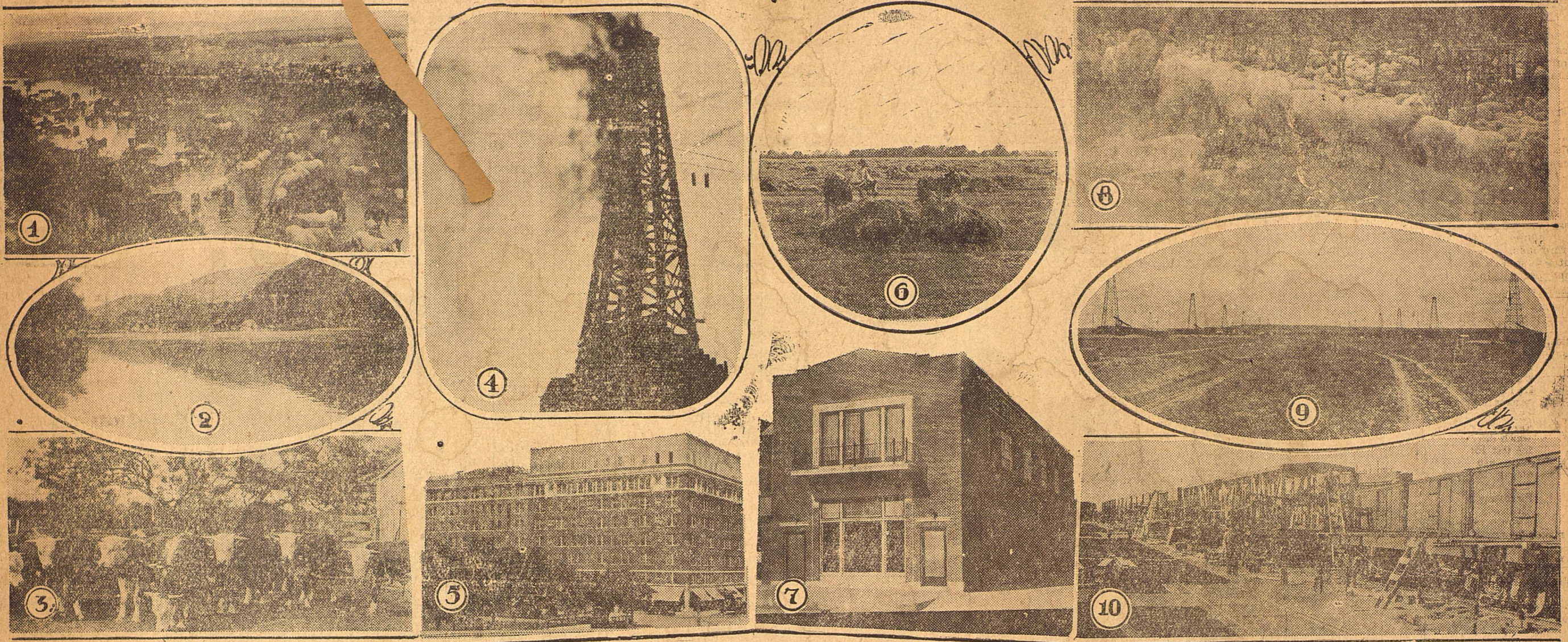
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Advertisement for The Adolphus Hotel. Text: "The Adolphus Hotel Dallas, Texas 825 ROOMS 425 Rooms From \$2.00 to \$4.00 Plenty rooms with bath \$4.00 double. 200-seat Lunchroom—Coffee 5c 40c Lunch—75c Dinner"

These Views Tell the Unmistakable Story of the San Angelo Territory's Unusual Growth, Prosperity and Stability



There's Prosperity In Texas!

YES, there is prosperity in Texas. And in the 15 counties that compose the Edwards Plateau section, the great undeveloped area that comprises the major part of San Angelo's trade territory, prosperity is unprecedented in its bounty. For two years, month after month, this area has been a consistent bright spot on the Bradstreet Business Map.

This section, larger in area than the states of Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Delaware combined, with the Canary Islands and Porto Rica thrown in for good measure, is the last great empire within the bounds of the Stars and Stripes to be developed. Its resources are practically untouched. Its frontiers are still to be pushed back. Its development is to be the outstanding achievement of this decade in Texas.

Once the stamping ground of the cattle barons and the mighty flock masters, it is rapidly changing to an agricultural section—not to a one-crop country—but to a diversified area where many different agricultural pursuits keep a crop on the market all the time. The many rivers, the rolling hills and fertile valleys give the San Angelo territory a natural diversification program that is permanent.

The United States Census report gives this area the honor of being the richest per capita agricultural area in the nation. The average value of the farms of the United States in 1920 (a good agricultural year) was \$10,514, while the average value of the farms in the fifteen counties in San Angelo's trade territory was \$31,929. The average farm building investment for the nation was \$1,773 per farm. For this section it was \$3,283.

Not only has nature diversified our agricultural interests, but the subsurface has felt the magic touch of her bounty as well. Seven counties—located north, south, east and west of San Angelo, are producing an average of 80,000 barrels of oil

a day. Not one pool—not one oil field—but literally a score of distinct pools—all miles apart, and all in their infancy, have made this the headquarters for what appears to be the greatest oil development in history.

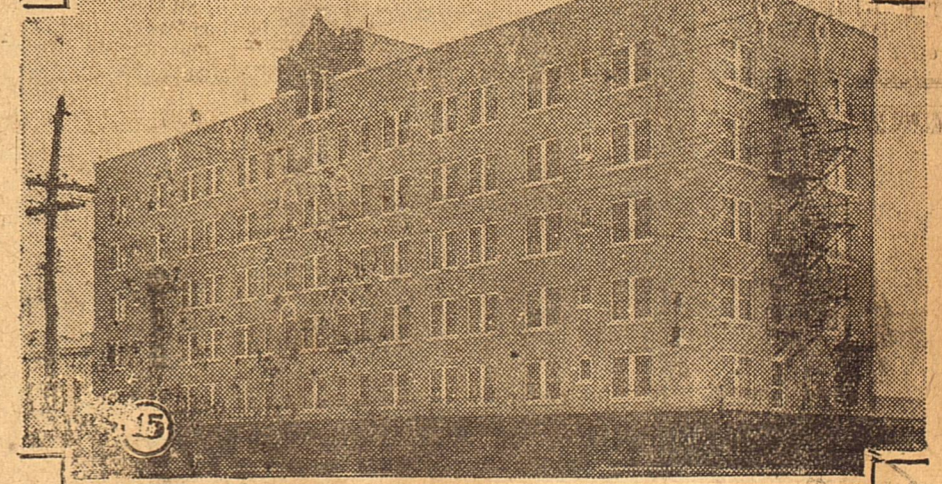
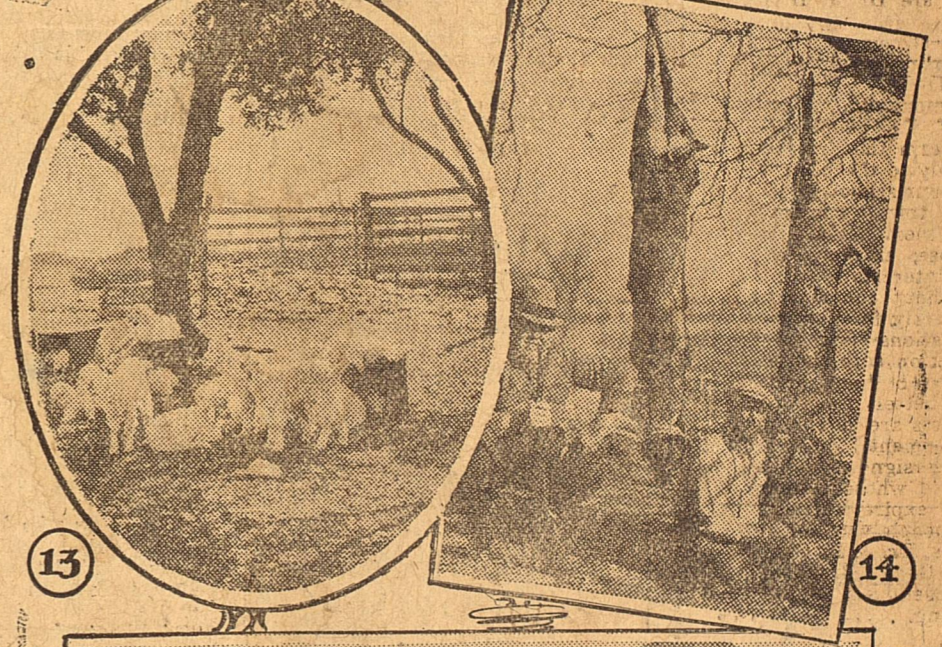
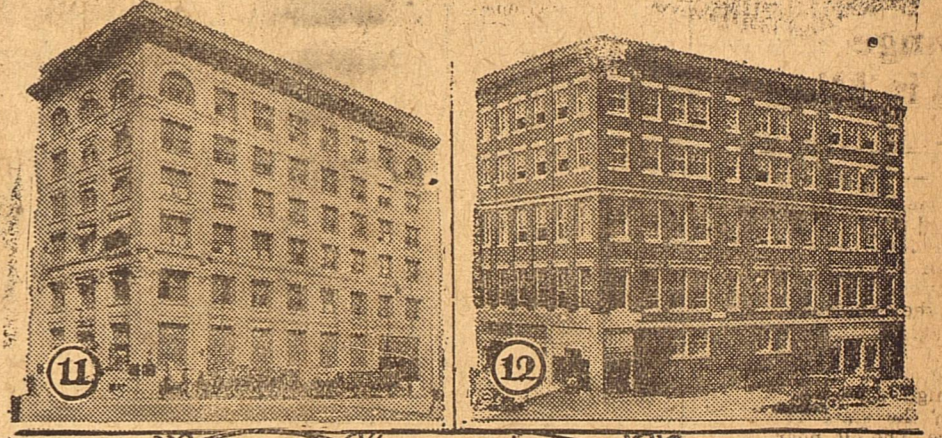
And with the oil has been found another substance—potash—more valuable perhaps than the "liquid gold." The Department of Agriculture has declared this to be the greatest potash deposit in America and perhaps equal to the combined deposits of Germany and Spain.

San Angelo has kept pace with the development in this territory. Whatever the activity in this section, San Angelo has been the headquarters. In the days of the Comanches, Ft. Concho at San Angelo, furnished the protection. Buffalo hunters made this their rendezvous. Cow men and herdsmen have called it their town. For years it has been the largest primary wool concentration point in America. Wool houses in this territory handle more than 10 million of Texas, 18 million pound clip.

As a distributing and banking center, San Angelo has occupied a pivotal position for years. Its 72 wholesale houses and four strong banks, with deposits close to 10 million dollars, have given it a firm position in the business world and a footing upon which a big city is being built.

In 1926 San Angelo was eighth in the state in building permits, having \$3,065,354. Many cities throughout the United States with 100,000 population did not have such a substantial building activity as was shown in this fast growing city.

As a hotel center, San Angelo has set the pace in West Texas with three fireproof hotels, one 8 stories with 225 rooms, another 6 stories with 125 rooms and a third, 4 stories with 75 rooms. It has eight, seven and five story office buildings.



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LIVESTOCK		OIL	
Wool Sold	\$4,000,000	Daily production, bbls.	\$0,000
Mohair	400,000	Annual yearly cash rental from 7 million acres land under lease	\$2,000,000
Sheep	4,800,000	Drilling wells, Mar. 1	225
Goats	350,000	Locations made, Mar. 1	72
Cattle	4,600,000	8 counties tributary to San Angelo have 13 distinct pools under development. Active drilling operations involve 75,000 square miles. San Angelo is the headquarters for all this operation.	
TOTAL	\$14,150,000	POTASH	Potash has been discovered in oil tests in five West Texas counties.
AGRICULTURE		DISTRIBUTION	
Hay	\$ 1,500,000	72 wholesale and jobbing houses.	
Grain	2,000,000	INDUSTRIES	
Cotton	12,500,000	Cotton Oil Mill.	
Sorghum Feeds	3,000,000	Petroleum Refinery.	
TOTAL	\$19,000,000	Packing House.	
POULTRY		Railroad Shops.	
Turkeys	\$250,000	TRANSPORTATION	
Chickens	150,000	Santa Fe and two short branch lines.	
Eggs	25,000	Kansas City, Mexico & Orient.	
TOTAL	\$425,000	Canadian-Del Rio Highway.	
NUTS		Puget Sound-Gulf Highway.	
Pecans	\$40,000		
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WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE:
Garret Folsom is stabbed to death while swimming at Ocean Town, N. J. Folsom's bathing companions had been Roger Neville, a business partner; Mrs. Helen Barnaby and Carmelita Valdon.
Anastasia Folsom, eccentric and masterful sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command. At the inquest it is learned that the death weapon was a pichaq, an Oriental knife, and it had been bought on the boardwalk.
It is learned that one Croydon Sears is a fancier of curious weapons. He admits buying two knives but not the pichaq.
Anastasia engages Titus Riggs, an architect, to work on the case. Dan Pelton, the dead man's nephew, arrives and is intrigued by some curious French dolls in Folsom's room. Croydon Sears' initials are discov-

ered in a notebook of Folsom's and Pelton thinks his uncle had been doing some blackmailing. Robin Sears, Croydon's son, is worried now that suspicion is resting on his father. Riggs tells him he has learned that Croydon Sears had purchased a third dagger.
Angelica Fair, Robin's fiancée, questions Ross, the dead man's former valet, who tells her he thinks Sears had visited at the home.
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY: CHAPTER XXXIV.
"You think! Don't you know? Don't you know whether Croydon Sears was ever at Mr. Folsom's home?" Angelica Fair insisted.
"He was once, to my knowledge," replied Ross.
"What was the occasion?"
"It was a sort of reception, Miss Fair. Mr. Folsom was having a small

stranger, and his name, though given, has been found to be fictitious."
"Then he's your murderer!" cried Robin.
"Of course, he'd give a fictitious name, and on the other hand, do you suppose my father would be such a fool as to buy a dagger here where he is well known and then go out and kill somebody with it?"
Mr. Giddings only murmured polite words that sounded well but meant nothing, and the two went away and walked slowly toward home.
"You see," began Robin eagerly, but the other stopped him.
"Listen here, boy," Riggs said. "Say all you like to me, or to your father, or to your sweetheart, but don't air your views on detection in public."
"Why not?"
"Just for one reason: that they are invariably wrong. For instance, the

buyer of that bundle giving a fictitious name doesn't write him down a murderer at all. He may be an antique dealer in a small way, who, if he gave his real name and had his purchase traced, could not put upon them the exorbitant prices which he no doubt plans to do. Next, granting your father bought that dagger, and subsequently chose to use it on somebody, that would not prove him a fool, because whoever did that killing depended on the sea to hide from the weapon of his guilt, not realizing that it would almost inevitably be found."
"Then he WAS a fool."
"No, I should have thought myself that the heavy metal would have been ground into the sand forever."
"Next, Riggs, old man," Robin said, his jaws set like a fighter, "we go straight to Croydon Rochester Sears with this tale."

"We?"
"Yes, sir, we."
"And so, on reaching the Hotel Majusaca, two somewhat harassed-looking sleuths demanded and obtained audience with C. R. S."
"Why the length of face?" Sears asked, looking at his son.
"He seated, my friend, and I'll tell you," returned Robin, looking back at him affectionately.
"They all sat down, and now and then prompted or corrected by Tite Riggs, gave his father a strict and full account of the interview with the auctioneer."
"As the tale finished, Croydon Sears sat a full five minutes thinking."
Then, reaching out his hand for a yellow pad of telegram forms which was in a pigeon hole of the desk, he wrote out a message.
"Take it down to the desk, Robin boy, and sent it off. Leave Tite here. Read the thing as you go down."
Robin did as bidden, and was more than slightly mystified to find the message was to his father's private secretary, and said:
"But Fleming Stone here as soon as possible."
Implicitly confident as Robin was of his father's innocence, it was a satisfaction to note how the elder man had looked as he grasped the situation.
To be sure, he had waited a few moments to consider; to be sure, he had sent a hurry call for a great and famous detective, but his fine, clear eyes had shown no hint of fear or shame and his face, though grave, was calm and serene as he looked at his son.
"I've sent for Stone," Croydon Sears told Riggs.

"Fleming Stone!"
"Yes. Not every one could command his services so quickly, but he and I are old friends, and I happen to know he is on vacation and I'm sure he will not only be glad to come to my assistance but he will enjoy a few days down here."
"Your assistance?" and Tite Riggs looked frankly curious. A few days later the aged walker was hit by a taxicab. It's nice Weston will be able to hire a lawyer, anyhow.
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At last a sixth sense seemed to apprise her that she was being followed.



"No, Tite, I didn't murder Garret Folsom, but there are reasons why I want the murderer found."

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