

THE WEATHER.
West. Texas—Tonight fair and colder in south portion with temperature ranging from 24 to 28 degrees; cold wave in southeast. Friday fair and warmer.

THINK ABOUT THIS.
That it never pays to know it all, because those who know it all sooner or later will find out they know practically nothing. Wise persons listen to reason.

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HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS TURNED DOWN TWO PRODUCERS ADDED TO THIS SECTOR

CRANFILL AND REYNOLDS WELL INCREASES FLOW OF GAS TO 6,000,000 FEET

Watson Well North Of Eastland in Ramsower Pool Shows Strong Gas

Reports on operations in the Central West Texas field as made to the deputy oil and gas supervisors for January 12, show two producers, the Valley Company's Ace Hickman No. 25, in Callahan county, which is making 25 barrels, and the Kennon et al's W. Lee No. 1 in Palo Pinto county, which is making 50 barrels following a shot.

Application for permits to drill 11 new wells in the district are also shown in the report.

Root and associates drilling the Watson, north of Eastland in the Ramsower field, encountered a strong flow of gas estimated at 150,000 to 200,000 cubic feet at 980 feet. They are going on down for the deep pay from which the Gordon Ramsower is producing.

Cranfill & Reynolds' No. 1 Well Turner, four miles south of Eastland, is making in excess of 6,000,000 cubic feet of gas and spraying oil from a depth of 1200 feet, which is the same depth at which the pay in the Harbin shallow pool, south of Eastland, is reached. The Turner well is about two miles southwest of the Harbin Pool.

Following the report on operations in the counties of Callahan, Eastland, Palo Pinto, Coleman, Brown counties for January 12:

Eastland County—John M. Gholson's No. 2, A. L. Duffer and same company's No. 3, A. L. Duffer, to spud in January 15th; Mon-Texas Oil Company's E. A. Sibbey No. 1, W. Van Norman survey, to spud in Jan. 15; Norderman Oil & Gas Company's G. H. Snyder No. 1, Lavaca school land, to spud in January 15; Vacuum Oil Company's W. M. Compton's No. 1, H. & T. C. Railway Company survey, to spud; Burke-Greiss (Continued on Page Two)



All Trades
A real jack of all trades is Howard Jorden, of Canton, O., who has opened an office and announced that he will furnish any kind of "unusual assistance." He minds babies for bridge-playing mothers, escorts maids on ladies to trains, buys theater tickets for out-of-towners, and so on. He says it's a well-paying proposition, too.

FARMERS SHORT COURSE MAY BE HELD IN RANGER

A conference that may result in a two-day short course for farmers being held in Eastland county, will be held in Ranger on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock in the assembly room of the Chamber of Commerce, on the mezzanine floor of the Guaranty Bank Building.

Clay Albright, representing the International Harvester Company, of Chicago, will be here at that time, to decide on the most logical place to hold the farmers' short course, which his company is sponsoring.

If Ranger should be selected, it would mean that a two-day free short course, dealing in poultry raising, livestock, farm management and other subjects of vital importance to the farmer, will be held here. This course will be open to farmers of Eastland, Palo Pinto and Stephens counties.

Such a school would be of inestimable value just at this time and as large a number of business men as possible are asked to meet with Mr. Albright on Friday morning.

In Texas last year, a number of these two day short term schools were held and reports from the towns in which they were held, are most enthusiastic.

A considerable bit of publicity was given the prospects of such a school for this district last fall and whether it comes to Ranger or some other place, every farmer in any of the communities represented, should make an effort to attend each session.

Marshall Farmer Owns Jersey Bull That's Watch Dog

MARSHALL, Jan. 13.—A bull that far outclasses a bulldog as a "watch-dog" is the claim that Leon Mollhausen, farmer and dairyman, who lives four miles west of here, makes of a Jersey bull which he owns.

According to Mollhausen the bull will invariably awaken the family by a loud bellowing whenever a stranger approaches the house at night.

"Recently," he said, "my wife was awakened by the bull bellowing and told me to go outside and see what the trouble was. Unfortunately I did not go and the next morning found all of my fine barred rock chickens had been stolen during the night."

RAILROAD CONDUCTOR IN SERVICE 41 YEARS
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 13.—Forty-one years of railroad service without a single accident, is the record of which James B. Kirkpatrick boasts. Kirkpatrick, who is 63 years old, at present a conductor on the Frisco railroad, making the run from Kansas City to Sapulpa, Okla.

EASTLAND MAN ELECTED HEAD OF THE BANKERS

Optimism Prevailed At Festive Board, 22 Are Present at the Meeting

Three Eastland bankers will serve as officers for the Eastland County Bankers' Association, according to the results of an election of officers held at a meeting of that organization in Ranger, Wednesday night. One banker from Rising Star and one from Gorman will complete the official list.

T. L. Overby, of the Texas State Bank of Eastland, was elected president, W. B. Smith, and Guy Parker, both of the Exchange National Bank of that city were elected vice president and secretary, respectively. W. E. Tyler of the Continental State Bank of Rising Star, was elected second vice president and J. E. Lary, of the Continental State Bank of Gorman, was elected treasurer.

The association was entertained by the Citizens State and the Ranger State Banks, of Ranger, and were their guests at a banquet served on the mezzanine floor of the Gholson hotel.

W. W. Housewright, former president of the Association presided over the meeting until after the election of officers, when he turned the chair over to Mr. Overby.

It was a most optimistic meeting and plans for the coming year formed a big part of the evening's program.

There were twenty-two present, which included representatives from eleven banks, namely, Rising Star, Cisco, Eastland, Ranger, Gorman and Carbon.

The next meeting will be held in Eastland.

KILLS THREE AND IS SHOT BY POSSE

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 13.—Shot through the head after an eleven hour's siege against a sheriff's posse's attempt to arrest him for a triple murder, W. D. Johnson was brought to the hospital today at Jefferson City, Tenn., in a dangerous condition.

Johnson killed Mrs. Nip Howard and Mrs. Jessie Bishop after they had argued in Mrs. Howard's home. He fled to his own home and forced the family out of the house and for hours held off the officers.

During the battle in his own home, a stray bullet struck Dibe Howard, a Carson and Newman College football star, killing him. The officers forced Johnson into a cellar with dynamite and then rushed the half-crazed man, shooting him in the head. He was brought to a local hospital and the doctors say he won't recover.

How Henry Got All Stock Told At Tax Hearing

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 13.—The contract of sale by which Henry Ford gained the possession all of the outstanding stock of the Ford Motor Company in 1919, for \$105,000,000, was introduced in the minority shareholder's 30 million dollar tax appeal case here today to show the reliance placed on the pre-sale valuation of the stock computed by Daniel C. Roper, then commissioner of internal revenue.

44 Undesirables Are Shipped Back To Old Mexico

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 13.—In custody of Brown McDonald, United States immigration department inspector, 44 undesirable aliens will leave this afternoon for Laredo, Texas, for deportation.

The majority of the aliens have served sentences and are deported as criminals. Four of the party are Chinese, a fifth, a Greek and the remainder are Mexicans.

11 JURYMEN ACCEPTED TO TRY NORRIS

Taking of Testimony to Begin Friday, is Belief; Three Old Klansmen

COURTROOM, AUSTIN, Jan. 13.—Lee H. Carwell, motor car salesman and former klansman, was accepted at noon today as the tenth juror in the trial of Dr. J. Frank Norris, charged with murder in connection with the slaying of D. E. Chippis.

Carwell admitted that he had been a member of the Ku Klux Klan, but said he had never been "active," and never attended a meeting. He stated that he resigned shortly after he joined.

"Would the fact that a witness was of Catholic faith and the defendant Norris is of the Protestant faith have anything to do with your consideration of that witness' testimony?" asked Attorney Sayers. "It would not," Carwell replied.

The venireman was questioned relative to his construction of the Texas law of self-defense by Dayton Moses of the defense, after the state's attorneys had questioned him for nearly thirty minutes.

The panel now includes three former klansmen who passed the interrogations of both sides. It is expected that the taking of testimony will begin Friday morning. There is some speculation as to who will be the first witness called by the state.

It is expected that the widow of D. E. Chippis will be called to the stand. The question of self-defense will be the main issue in the trial. The defense has questioned every salesman offered on the apparent danger and the right to kill under apparent danger.

ONE CONVICTED OF MURDER IS GIVEN PARDON

AUSTIN, Jan. 13.—The life sentence given Newt De Silva for murder of a sailor at Port Arthur, was commuted today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson to four years. The proclamation granting the reduction of the sentence has not as yet been issued by the governor and her reasons and those recommending the reduction of the sentence are not known.

De Silva or conviction was given the death penalty, which was commuted to life imprisonment by Governor Ferguson. De Silva made a sensational break from the Jefferson county jail at Beaumont, escaping to Mexico in an airplane. He was recaptured and returned by Mexican authorities.

In addition to reducing the sentence of De Silva, the governor announced that she had granted a pardon to Joe Casanova, convicted at San Antonio on a charge of murder and sentenced to twenty-five years in the penitentiary.

The governor in a written statement said the pardon was granted upon the recommendation of the Honorable C. M. Chambers, district attorney and Judge W. W. McCroby, district judge of Bexar county. The pardon also was recommended by the sheriff and other county officers of Bexar county.

Flag On Roof White House Is Torn By Winds

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Coolidge's economy has reached the pinnacle at the White House—the flag on the roof. Wintry winds ripped the six foot bunting almost in half. The flag was hauled down, a patch sewed on and the flag was rehoisted.

Flag regulators stipulate that the flag shall never be patched and new Colonel S. A. Cheney, the president's military aide, is expecting letters from patriotic societies protesting the economic measure.

SON OF MRS. E. E. COX OF Tiffin Dies, Funeral Today

C. M. Cox, son of Mrs. E. E. Cox, of Tiffin, died this morning at 5 o'clock. Interment will be Friday at Evergreen cemetery, Ranger. The lad was 10 years, 8 months and 27 days old.

CALLES REGIME IS ON BRINK OF ITS OVERTHROW

Violence Within And Near Break With U. S. Are Cause of Turmoil

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 13.—Violence within the borders and major conflicts of policy with the United States today brought the government of Mexico on the brink of difficulties which its foes hope might encompass the overthrow of the Calles administration.

A discussion of the possibility of a break in Mexican-American diplomatic relationship to the United States engaged most of the observers attention because of Secretary of State Kellogg's revelations to the United States senate's committee on foreign affairs, and to the evidence collected by the United States government with respect to the communistic activities centered in Mexico against the United States and its policies.

In the meantime, the opposing forces in this country were being drawn further apart because of the antipathies extenuated by the continued violence which the government has charged the prelates of the Catholic church in Mexico with being responsible. The episcopate immediately replied to the charges with a strenuous denial.

Up until Wednesday afternoon when 27 pardon proclamations were issued "Ma" had beaten Jim's record by 765 and two more today made it 767.

15 Revolutionists In Mexico Killed

EL PASO, Jan. 13.—Fifteen revolutionists were killed and the remainder of the band routed in a battle with federal troops in the mountains near Taltam, state of Mexico, according to the Excelsior, a Mexico City newspaper.

BANDIT GETS \$500 FROM NEGRO BANK

WACO, Jan. 13.—Surprised while alone in the Farmers Improvement bank, a negro institution, a white man held up C. H. Thurlow, bookkeeper and escaped with \$500 in currency, shortly after noon today, according to Thurlow's report to the police.

The robber had been in the bank twice during the morning, Thurlow said. Several persons noticed the robber leave the bank, but did not witness the robbery.

One Soldier Shot Trying To Get Away

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 13.—One soldier was shot and killed during the night in an attempt of eleven military prisoners to escape from the guardhouse at Fort Hayes, it was learned today. The leader of the lot, Private John D. Kearnes, of Braddock, Pa., was shot through the head by a guard after he had climbed through a window of the guardhouse and ignored the commands of the sentry, officers said.

Black Handers Threaten Three Walder Men

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 13.—Three prominent citizens of Walder, have been threatened with death unless they leave \$1,000 each at designated places near that town, it was revealed today when threats sent by mail were turned over to government authorities by R. H. Rhodes, postmaster at Walder. The threats gave the men six days in which to comply with the demand.

PROFESSIONAL BONDSMEN LAW TO BE INTRODUCED THIS SESSION OF BODY

Defends Smith



C. J. Doyle will represent Frank L. Smith, senator-elect from Illinois, as his attorney when Smith goes to Washington to face the Senate storm over his campaign funds. Doyle, former secretary of state of Illinois, is president of the Springfield baseball club in the Three-Eye League.

TRIANON DANCE HALL IS BURNED, INCENDIARISM

Fire thought to be of incendiary origin, totally destroyed Trianon dance pavilion near Olden last night between 10 and 12 o'clock. Loss is estimated at \$3,500 with no insurance.

Elmer Roofe, of Olden, the owner of the burned building, is offering a reward for information concerning the identity of anyone suspicious in connection with the origin of the fire which destroyed his property.

It is alleged that two men passing along the road in a car, saw a car parked about seventy-five yards down the highway from the dance hall, and seeing the building on fire, rushed in to Olden and notified Mr. Roofe. The car was gone when Mr. Roofe and assistants arrived on the scene, it is said.

A call was made for the Ranger fire department, who responded, but the blaze was under full headway when it arrived, lack of water rendered the firemen helpless to do anything but keep the flames from spreading.

The building which was near the highway would have been one year old on Friday, and was made entirely of frame.

Bill Offered To Consolidate Hamon-Kell Line

The Hamon-Kell railroad may be consolidated with the Wichita Falls and Southern Railroad, still seems probable, although denials of the deal falling through have been prevalent for several weeks.

Two bills were introduced and favorably reported on in the senate Wednesday, which would consolidate the Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad Company and the Wichita Falls, Ranger and Fort Worth railroad and raise their fares from 3 cents to 3.6 cents a mile as charged by other roads in that section. The bills were introduced by Senator McFarlane of Graham and were reported on by the state affairs committee, according to a special story carried in the Dallas News today.

The probable ownership of the Hamon-Kell has been of much conjecture—in the meantime this busy road is doing a brisk business and its Ranger officials sit still and say nothing, while Ranger people are hoping that the road will stay as it is, as it is proud of the "Ranger Road" of its general offices, round house and so forth, and glad to have the men who are connected with it as citizens of their community.

Damage Suit Follows Crash Of Two Motor Trucks

G. W. Payne as next friend of Ben F. Payne, a minor, and son of G. W. Payne, has brought suit in the district court of Eastland county against C. B. and G. W. Welch, who reside in Callahan county and J. E. and J. C. Welch of Eastland county, alleged to be doing business in the name of the Welch Tank company, for \$7,750 for alleged damages sustained by Ben F. Payne when he was injured in a car accident on the Rising Star-Cisco highway some time in May, 1926.

Young Payne, the petition recites, together with two boy companions, asked and obtained permission of the driver of a truck, to ride on the truck from Rising Star to Ranger via Cisco; that between Romney and Rising Star the truck collided with another motor vehicle, alleged to be owned and operated by the Welch Tank company, and as a result of the accident Payne was seriously and permanently injured.

Sherman Man Wants Convict Made Goods So Stamped When Offered

AUSTIN, Jan. 13.—The senate committee on nominations voted to recommend to the senate that the appointments of Highway Commissioners Eugene T. Smith, George T. Robertson and Scott Woodward be not confirmed, also, that the appointment of Miss Fannie Daniel as labor commissioner be not confirmed.

The committee did not consider the appointment of H. A. Wroe as regent of the University of Texas.

Recommendation was made for the confirmation of other appointees.

Representative Digham of San Antonio has prepared a bill aimed at the professional bondsmen. The measure seeks to change the requirements of bonds in felony cases so as to give protection to the state in giving the state a lien on the property of the bondsman.

Action is lagging on the house and so far comparatively few bills have been introduced. However, among the measures introduced in the house includes one to concentrate the prison system in Central Texas to put in the enabling act designed to put into effect the constitutional amendment voted upon last year. This law will abolish the present prison commission and supplant it with a non-salaried body. A bill to place a public utilities under the jurisdiction of the railroad commission, thereby making it a corporation commission similar to Oklahoma was introduced by Representative Jack of Dallas county.

The prison relocation bill passed at the last legislature was vetoed by the governor. Under the new bill the plan of operating the prisons are greatly improved.

A bill was introduced by Westbrook of Sherman to have stamped all goods made by convicts. This question will be discussed Monday morning by the labor committee. It has the backing of organized labor.

FARM RELIEF BILL PASSES COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The house agriculture committee today voted 13 to 8 to report favorably the Hagen farm relief bill.

The house town-ship affairs committee today opened hearing on the resolution of Representative Huddleston, democrat, Alabama, to put congress on record in opposition to keeping American marines in Nicaragua. Huddleston, the first witness, charged the United States was violating the international law by landing troops on the territory of a friendly nation.

The senate agriculture committee today ordered reported favorably to the senate an amendment to the cotton futures act, by Senator Ransdell, democrat, Louisiana, which would make New Orleans a bona fide spot market with the average price at the 10 designated spot markets, the basis of the contracts at New Orleans.

Pay 'Em Today

Resolved, I will not let the sun go down before I pay my poll tax. My daddy has paid his. Only 15 days left in which you can qualify as a 100 per cent American citizen.

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FROM THE HOLY WRIT
How be it when he, the Spirit of Truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth; for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak; and he will show you things to come. St. John 16-13.
PRAYER
O Lord, grant us strength to overcome our weaknesses and to withstand temptations, and endow us with wisdom so that we can aid our fellowman.

RESEARCH BUREAU IS SCIENCE DEVELOPMENT.
We quote the following from the Current Science Review, a national science paper published in McComb, Miss. This article was taken from the issue of Jan. 3, 1927:

"Inauguration of one of the most unusual procedures in High school science work, the Eastland High school of Eastland, Texas, has organized a research bureau for public service and practical instruction on the part of the students. It offers through announcements in the daily and high school papers, to solve any problem that might come up in any phase of physical, biological, or chemical science. Its members are made up of the outstanding students in all science departments who are supervised by instructors and assistants. The bureau is unusual in that it is, as far as we know, totally different from anything before attempted in high school work, and it will mark a forward step in the practical side of school science work."

The recognition given to the organization by the above publication has been both gratifying and helping in the work undertaken. Co-operation from local scientific and professional men has been obtained and if there are problems that might come up that the organization cannot cope with sources will be reached wherein the best service might be rendered. So far, the bureau is pleased to note, quite a number of problems of importance have been submitted and the answers were received and used to the most satisfaction to all concerned.

The bureau can cope with any problem on analysis, bacteria growth, sanitation, medical problems, electrical, water and gas pressures, and practically any problem concerned with science.
Send all problems to the Eastland High School Research Bureau, Box 1113, Eastland, Texas. The future usefulness of the bureau, both to students and public depends on the problems submitted.

Smith Named Leslie Successor Colorado Court

Fritz Smith of Snyder has been appointed as the successor of District Judge W. P. Leslie of the Colorado district, who was elected and has qualified as associate justice of the eleventh court of civil appeals at Eastland. Judge Leslie took the oath of office before the justice of the peace at Colorado last Friday.
Smith, appointed by Governor Ferguson, will have to have his appointment confirmed by the state senate if he is to continue as judge of the Colorado district, and friends of the incoming administration do not think this is likely.
Judge Leslie, who succeeds Judge Littler on the eleventh court of civil appeals bench, was due in Eastland today, but had not arrived at 12 o'clock, it was stated at the office of the clerk of the appeal court.

Jim Ferguson On Trial in Eastland District Court

J. H. (Jim) Ferguson is on trial in the eighty-eighth district court today on a charge possessing intoxicating liquor for the purpose of sale. The case will go to the jury sometime afternoon.
The case of E. E. Kelsey, charged with transporting liquor, is to be called following the disposal of the Ferguson case.



SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

TONIGHT
Advisory board of the Salvation Army meets at 7:30, Gholson hotel.
Auxiliary of American Legion meets at 7:30 at Legion hall.
FRIDAY.
Twentieth Century Self Culture club meets at 3 p. m. at the Gholson.
Twentieth Century Bridge club meets at 2:30 with Mrs. W. H. Burden at Acorn Acres.
Central Ward grammar school program at High school at 7:30.

A SON ARRIVES AT HAGLER HOME.
A son, weighing 10 pounds, arrived Tuesday to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hagler, of 415 Wayland avenue. The young man will bear the name of Otis Elmer.

ALATHIAN CLASS PARTY.
The Alathian class of the Central Baptist church will hold their class party Friday afternoon, at the church, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Mmes. T. J. Anderson and O. S. Driskill will be hostesses. All members of the class are cordially invited to be present.

NEW ERA CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS.
In addition to the election of officers, members of the New Era club yesterday enjoyed a delightful program on Hamlin Garland's "Rose of Dutcher's Coolly," led by Mrs. K. C. Jones, who also gave a sketch of the life of the author. Each number given was handled expertly and bespoke a complete understanding of the subject in hand.
Mrs. Chopsis Welsh made a brief but pointed talk urging women to pay their poll taxes.
Officers elected for the next two years were as follows: President, Mrs. Chopsis Welsh; vice president, Mrs. E. M. Schmuck; second vice president, Mrs. J. A. Pitcock; recording secretary, Mrs. W. W. Housewright; corresponding secretary, Mrs. B. E. Rigby; treasurer, Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell; parliamentarian, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman; press reporter, Mrs. D. L. Jameson; year book committee, Mmes. Rigby, Welsh and Allison.

REBEKAH LODGE NO. 244 ELECTS OFFICERS.
At a meeting of the Progressive Rebekah lodge No. 244, on Tuesday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term of six months:
Laura Helton, noble grand.
Annie McGowan, vice grand.
Laurene Todd, recording secretary.
Ida Nurss, financial secretary.
Vela Stidham, treasurer.
Annie Green, warden.
Lura McDonough, conductor.
Ann McEver, chaplain.
Lula Burch, right Supt. N. G.
Emma Stiles, left Supt. N. G.
Jeanette Carter, right Supt. V. G.
Maybelle Williams, left Supt. N. G.
Ida B. Hunt, inside guardian.
G. C. McGowan, outside guardian.
Laurene Belknap, musician.
Members of the Noble Grand club who assisted in the installation were, Dolly Taylor, Ruth Reeves, Lula Burch, Ida Nurss, Virginia Carwile, Pearl Keith, and Tillie Kelley.
Refreshments were served to about 35 members and visitors.

20 MEMBERS OF CREW BURNED SCHOONER SAVED.
By United Press.
BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 13.—The 20 members of the crew of the four-masted schooner, Charles Whittemore, found abandoned and afire off Cape Cod are safe at Provincetown, a wireless message received at coast headquarters said. No details of the fire were given.
WALSH SPEAKS AT DENTON
DENTON, Jan. 13.—Colonel C. C. Walsh, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, of Dallas, will be the principal speaker at the Chamber of Commerce annual banquet, to be held Thursday, Jan. 13.

Handkerchiefs Aid in Preventing Spread of Disease

By E. C. FRANING, M. D., Member Gorgas Memorial Institute. (Written for the United Press.)
CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—All contagious diseases as colds, grippe, flu, measles, scarlet fever, diphtheria, meningitis, etc., are caused by bacteria (germs). A bacterium is a minute, one-cell vegetable organism approximately one twenty-five thousandth of an inch in diameter.
It is impossible to see the bacterium with the naked eye. The microscope which has highly magnifying lenses has to be used to study them. The smallest particle of dust or "droplet" of fluid contains thousands of these bacteria.
Whenever a person coughs, sneezes, or talks, he forces out of (the nose and mouth) many small "droplets," some visible to the naked eye, others not, of secretion infected with bacteria from the mouth or nasal cavity.
If another person is within 10 or 15 feet he breathes in these small droplets containing the germs and, if he is susceptible to those germs, will contract the disease. Particles of dust, if contaminated by expectoration of infected person, will accomplish the same thing.
If the sick person is out in the open the breath or secretions from the cough or sneeze or talk are quickly diluted by the air to such an extent that they are slightly contagious, except at very close range. But in the sick room or in school rooms, theatres, churches, or any building, especially where the circulation is poor, the air becomes heavily laden with these invisible droplets containing millions of the germs causing the disease.
Now, it would seem common sense that a person who knows, or thinks he is afflicted, or has any suspicion that he has been exposed, to any contagious disease, would use the simple method of putting his handkerchief, or some other material, or even his hand, over his mouth and nose when he sneezes or coughs or talks. By so doing he will cease to be a menace, whether outside or in crowded buildings.
Anybody with even a suggestion of a cold or any contagious disease, or knowingly having been exposed should consider it a crime not to use his handkerchief or other material to catch the droplets of saliva or secretion from his mouth or nose, when he coughs or sneezes while near other persons. This should be especially remembered in church, schoolroom, theatre, street car, or other crowded place.

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FATE OF TY AND TRIS IS UNDECIDED

By United Press.
CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—The fate of Tyrus Cobb and Tris Speaker, perhaps the greatest of all baseball idols, remains in doubt despite the decision of Judge Landis affecting the White Sox-Tiger scandal of 1917.
Landis disappointed baseball followers when he exonerated the players accused by Chick Gandil and "Swede" Risberg of "throwing" games in 1917 and again in 1919, but failed to mention Cobb and Speaker, or the charges brought against them by Hubert (Dutch) Leonard.
It has been hoped that Cobb and Speaker also would get a nice fresh coat of whitewash.

BILLY EVANS SAYS

Under the Pillow.
"They must have left something under your pillow last night?"
The year following his expose of the 1919 scandal, that was the college yell of fandom.
When some player muffed an easy fly ball or booted a grounder, immediately hundreds of voices in unison would request information as to what he found under his pillow on retiring.
The umpires weren't immune from criticism either, for anytime they made a decision that seemed palpably wrong to the fans, the college yell would be given loudly by the ever suspicious.

Ever Suspicious.
It will be recalled that the Chicago White Sox players who figured in the 1919 scandal, were supposed to have found sums ranging from \$5,000 to \$10,000 under their pillows on the night before the opening game.
While most of the players admitted that Santa Claus had visited their room and left presents of gold, there are some of the players who still insist they didn't get even so much as counterfeit money.
Baseball is a game that calls for the active players to accept a goodly number of chances. I have seen stars in the game make a half dozen brilliant plays and then in a pinch fall down in trying to handle the easiest sort of a chance. Such a happening is always food for the ever suspicious.
As a matter of fact, some players have the reputation of being weak on easy chances, finding it more dif-

ficult to handle balls directly in front of them than on those to their right or left.

Pessimistic View.
For perhaps a year, possibly two, after the White Sox scandal, whenever a player muffed up and gave a chance he was certain to get an echo of the "under-the-pillow" episode.
There are always certain pessimists who believe the world is all wrong. As a rule the pessimist is of a suspicious nature. He can see evil first in all things.
Instead of working on the theory that most people are honest, the crooked being greatly in the minority, he is willing to believe that evil predominates in everybody.
It is that type of fan who got the real kick out of giving the college yell about the "under-the-pillow" stuff every time a player made an error.
It was very fortunate that just at this time, along came Babe Ruth with a flood of home runs that quickly cast a pall, even the suspicious species, to quickly forget.

Difficult Task.
It is going to be more difficult to play ball and umpire in the major leagues next season. For a time at least, a certain portion of the fans are going to be suspicious on the slightest pretext.
Honest errors that will be a part of baseball as long as the game is played, are certain to be censured. The psychology of the scandal will remain for some time and will naturally have the effect of creating an atmosphere clouded with suspicion.
The square shooters among the players, most of them are, will be forced to absorb large portions of "razzberries" next summer, wholly undeserved.

IDENTITY OF DESDEMONA BURGLARS NOT FOUND
No clue to the identity of the burglars who burglarized a hardware store at Desdemona Tuesday night, has been found officers stated today. The items taken from the Desdemona store consisted largely of firearms, it was stated.

The country is using more washing machines than it did last year. Production of these washers during October totaled 89,645, of which 75,459 were electric, according to the bureau of census at Washington. The October total a year ago was 75,557.

CRANFILL AND REYNOLDS WELL INCREASES FLOW
(Continued from page one.)
Oil Company's J. M. Jefferies No. 1, B. B. & C. Railway Company to spud in Jan. 20.
Palo Pinto County—Morris Production Company's J. H. Holly No. 1, Spencer Townsend survey, to spud; Chestnut & Smith's Seaman No. 1, to be given shot of 160 quarts of nitro.
Callahan County—Valley Oil Company's Ace Hickman No. 17, to be given ten quart shot.
Coleman County—French & Lewis' Shannon No. 1, to be plugged; Monroe Production Company's John H. Hutchings No. 1, gas at depth of 110 feet.
Brown County—Anna Bell Oil Company's J. S. Armstrong No. 2, application for permit to drill to depth of 1600 feet; Estate of R. S. Gillispie's J. P. Newton No. 9, to be given 20 quart shot; M. E. Wakefield's J. P. Newton No. 1, application for permit to drill to 1400 feet; same company Wakefield No. 2, application to drill to 1400 feet; A. E. Humphreys' Jr., H. A. Newton No. 1, application to drill to 1450 feet, same company's No. 6 to be plugged.

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LEAVES EASTLAND to Cisco, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, 9:35 a. m., 11:35 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 6:35 p. m., 7:35 p. m., 11:10 p. m.
GOING EAST
LEAVES EASTLAND to Ranger, Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 8:05 a. m., 10:55 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:20 p. m., 7:55 p. m., 10:35 p. m.
LEAVE RANGER to Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 8:25 a. m., 11:25 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 4:40 p. m., 8:20 p. m., 11:00 p. m.
At Eastland
Catch Bus at West Texas Coaches Depot, Phone 700
At Ranger
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Beauty Contest At Galveston To Draw Foreigners

By United Press. GALVESTON, Jan. 13.—Entrants in the second international pageant of pulchritude and eighth annual bathing girl revue, May 21-22, will compete for \$4,200 in prizes, it was announced today. Germany and England will send entries. First prize will be \$2,000 and a silver plaque. Other prizes will range from \$1,000 to \$100.

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Dallas Coffee Drinker Seeks Match for Prize

By United Press. DALLAS, Jan. 13.—Has anyone seen a promoter who would like to underwrite a catch-as-catch-can coffee drinking bout? The only requirement is that the match must be "worth while."

As for the record of 85 cups set by Gus Comstock when he "downed" that number to regain his "title" of champion coffee drinker of the U. S. at Fergus Falls, Minn., the other day, "it's not so bad for an old man." Such was the comment of H. A. Streety, who recently raised Comstock's original ante by guzzling 71 cups of the beverage at Amarillo. Streety, a youthful and rather small individual, feels no fear but that he can drink Comstock under the tiled counter any time or place that the champ wishes to venture before the urn. However, the Dallas entry, who moved here from Amarillo recently, doesn't fancy any further action unless there is something in it besides coffee. "I don't want to extend myself unless it is worth while. If somebody will put up a prize I'm ready to go now. I don't need any training," Streety said.

Streety also pointed out that he would be willing to take Comstock on "under wraps." "I'll go in with extra weight by putting both sugar and cream in my coffee. That makes coffee more filling than drinking it straight," he said.

Streety declares that he is confident that he can put away 100 cups of java with ease.

The Italian who threw a bottle of ink at Mussolini's picture isn't the only one who has spilled ink about the Italian dictator, but probably his effort was as effective as might be expected.

San Saba Plans National Pecan Show This Year

SAN SABA, Jan. 13.—To stimulate interest in pecan culture plans have been completed for the first National Pecan show to be held here this year for three days. San Saba, pecan capital of the world, recently held ceremonies in which King Pecan was crowned "king of the nuts" and worthwits made plans to stimulate interest in the growing of pecans in Texas on a larger scale.

Dean E. J. Kyle of A. & M. college has been named president of the show and directors will be appointed from eight pecan producing states of the union. Officers of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will also be named directors of the organization. Valuable prizes will be offered for exhibits of various varieties of pecans and it is expected that the greatest collections of nuts ever assembled will be displayed at the show.

Pecans afford the greatest opportunity for Texans seeking a money crop to replace cotton, according to authorities who have made a study of the growing pecans. Numerous instances have been recorded this year of farmers who have netted more from pecans than the same acreage in cotton or row crops produces even in good cotton years. Pecans and turkeys have been the salvation of this section of Texas this year and have pointed the way to financial independence for hundreds of land owners.

Salvation Army Advisory Board To Meet Tonight

Appeal Chairman A. F. Hartman, who is heading the Salvation Army's home service appeal has called a meeting of the advisory board and others who will take part in the appeal for 7:30 tonight. The meeting will be held on the mezzanine floor of the Gholson hotel. Every member of the board is urged to be present as matters of vital importance will be discussed. Our citizens who are in sympathy with the work the Army is doing in Ranger and who are anxious to see this work properly financed are extended a special invitation to be present.

Although the first official calls for contributions were not delivered until Wednesday morning the afternoon mail brought the first response from L. J. McMillen and this was closely followed by that of Stafford Drug company, C. W. Blalock, Hicks Drug store and R. F. Holloway. Chairman Hartman expressed the sincere hope that others will follow the excellent example set as it will greatly lighten the burden of the various volunteer committees.

Central Warders To Have Cafeteria Opposite School

Mrs. J. A. Sanderford, who formerly operated a store on the Caddo road, and Mrs. Shirley have built and equipped an up-to-date school lunch room, across the street from the new Central Ward school in the Page addition, Ranger. The lunch room will be ready for the accommodation of the school children, Monday.

The building, which is 20x40 feet, and was designed with the idea of comfort and sanitation. Mrs. Sanderford and Mrs. Shirley will be on duty all day and children will be served hot lunches and other "eats" at a reasonable cost.

No expense has been spared to make this new business venture a real success and a real school cafeteria will greet the Central Warders when they take up their quarters in the new school Monday.

Quantity Is Not Measure of Penalty In Federal Court

CORPUS CHRISTI, Jan. 13.—Quantity is not necessarily a measure of the penalty meted out to liquor law violators in federal court here, two cases passed on this week, show.

Pleading guilty to possession of two one-ounce bottles of tequila, the celebrated Mexican joy-juice, but contending the exhilarator was for medicinal purposes only, did not save one dusky Aztec from a 30-day sojourn in the county jail in Federal Judge J. C. Hutcheson's court.

On the other hand, a case against two women charged with having possessed and transported eleven gallons of whisky in their coupe, was dismissed.

The agent making the first arrest, testified that it was customary to sell a single draught of tequila in ounce vials, and that the defendant was in the habit of dispensing the spirits in this manner.

Dismissal of the case against the alleged women violators, was granted by the court on the grounds that the arresting officers had searched the vehicle without a proper warrant.

NIMROD NEWS

NIMROD, Jan. 13.—We are having some extra good weather for this time of the year. Some of our farmers are preparing their soil for planting. Health in our community is good at present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harrelson and son, Oliver, of Romney, visited their children here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Westerman spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Brown. L. D. Stanaford Jr. and Elbert Hoyle attended a party at Romney Friday night.

Tom Lassater and family visited at Pleasant Hill Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lanefitz and children visited at Pleasant Hill and Carbon Saturday.

Jim Furgerson and family of Lorraine have moved to Nimrod. Work has stopped on the Brown well on account of a dry hole. The rig has been moved to Will Compton's place.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harrelson spent Monday at Cisco.

Flatwoods Lodge Of Eastland Hold Installation

District Deputy Grand Master J. A. Jensen of Cisco conducted the installation of the following officers of Flatwoods Lodge No. 572, I. O. O. F., at Eastland Tuesday night: A. J. Treatwell, noble grand; O. W. Ray, vice grand; H. A. Collins, secretary; W. G. Cotton, treasurer; C. S. Brooks, R. S. N. G.; J. T. Daniels, L. S. N. G.; R. A. Duffy, conductor; E. W. Halbert, R. S. V. G.; R. G. Bryon, L. S. V. G.; Clyde Turner, R. S. S.; H. B. Archer, L. S. S.; D. R. O'Brien, chairman; R. H. Ball, I. G.; John Powell, O. G.

Theatre Goers Cause Danger To General Health

By United Press. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 13.—It is the people who remain out late at night, who cause danger to the health of other persons living in the larger cities of the country, according to members of the International Association of Sanitation meeting here in annual convention.



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How To Attend All The Feeds Is West Texas Problem

Special Correspondence. STAMFORD, Jan. 13.—Ubiquity! That is the problem of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce staff for the month of January when invitations to big annual "feeds" and "blew outs" of local chambers of commerce storm into the headquarters office here.

Popularity of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce leaders as banquet speakers is attested each day as mails bring in letters that clamor for regional chamber officials, and the difficult part of the matter is that the calls come from all quarters at one time. It would take more than a travel expert to solve the problem of spreading the staff of half dozen over all points of the compass simultaneously, and it almost makes the general manager wish his men were twins.

One day this week, Manager Homer D. Wade filled an appointment at Crosbyton, while President Arthur P. Durrean and Exhibit Manager B. H. Whiteaker spoke at a banquet in Post, and Assistant Manager Ray Leeman, of the Fort Worth office, went to Olney in response to an invitation from that section. Following the post engagement, Whiteaker left for Lubbock for a three-day session with the county agent in that district. Publicity Manager E. H. Whitehead was called upon from a different quarter, and was scheduled to speak in Denton on Jan. 13. Annual banquets of chambers of commerce occasioned calls from Marfa, Alpine, and Hereford for West Texas Chamber of Commerce representatives, and many other invitations from widely separated points. Though omnipresence is not usually accredited as an earthly virtue, indications are that the West Texas Chamber of Commerce staff will hang up a record in that regard this month if invitations continue to fly into the office.

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Airplane Service For Passengers To On February 1

By United Press. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 13.—Passenger airplane service between Kansas City and St. Louis will be started Feb. 1, by the National Air Transport, Inc., according to an announcement by C. E. Fleming, traffic manager.

One eight-passenger, all-metal plane will be used at first, he said. A rate schedule has not yet been made, according to Fleming. Flying time between the two cities is estimated at two and one-half hours.

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RANGER—EASTLAND—BRECKENRIDGE Lv. RANGER—8:00 a. m., 11:00 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 6:00 p. m. Lv. EASTLAND—8:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m. Ar. BRECKENRIDGE—9:30 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 7:30 p. m. BRECKENRIDGE—EASTLAND—RANGER Lv. BRECKENRIDGE—8:00 a. m., 12:30 m., 2:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m., 9:00 p. m. Lv. EASTLAND—8:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 6:00 p. m., Ar. RANGER—9:30 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:00 p. m., 6:30 p. m., 10:00 p. m. Fare—Ranger to Eastland 50c; Eastland to Breckenridge \$1.00; Ranger to Breckenridge, \$1.50. CONNECTIONS Cars leave Eastland for Gorman, Carbon, DeLeon, Dublin—9:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 7:30 p. m. Cars leave Eastland for Carbon, Rising Star, May, Brownwood—9:35 a. m. Cars leave Breckenridge for Graham, Olney, Wichita Falls—9:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m. Cars leave Breckenridge for Albany—1:00 p. m., 5:00 p. m., 9:00 p. m. Cars leave Breckenridge for Woodson, Throckmorton, Haskell, Kule—9:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m. Cars leave Breckenridge for Lueders, Anson, Stamford—1:00 p. m. and 5:00 p. m. Cars leave Breckenridge for Roby, Snyder, Lamesa, Post City, Slaton, Lubbock—1:00 p. m. Cars leave Breckenridge for Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth—9 a. m., 1 p. m., 4:30 p. m., 8:00 p. m. Phone Breckenridge 547 Ranger 141 United Bus Station, Breckenridge Gholson Hotel, Ranger

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This Legislature Is Best Dressed Texas Ever Had

Special Correspondence.

AUSTIN, Jan. 13.—Regardless of how rough-shod the fortieth legislature may appear to some of those who have bills to introduce, it is not a "booted" legislature. It is going to be the best dressed legislature Texas has ever had.

With representatives already here from the sweeping prairies of North-west Texas; from the rolling hills and cactus-covered valleys of the South-west, and from the rock-ribbed stretches of the borderland, stretching west to El Paso, not a pair of high-top boots can be seen on the feet of any member of the legislature who has arrived so far.

Not a 20-gallon, nor even a 10-gallon Stetson is in sight. Representative Lee Saterwhite, from the plains country, having the only approach to that sort of head-gear. His is of the cowboy type, almost snow-white, but not wide enough to be branded as an out and out range hat.

22 Degrees Will Be Awarded At A. & M. College

Special Correspondence.

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 13.—Twenty-two degrees will be awarded by the A. and M. College of Texas at the end of the first term of the current session, according to an announcement from Dean Charles E. Friley, registrar of the College.

Awards will be made of one professional degree, one master of science degree, one doctor of veterinary medicine degree, and nineteen bachelor of science degrees. The first term will end on Friday, Jan. 28, and the second term will begin on Saturday, Jan. 29.

The degrees will be awarded as follows:

Professional—O. A. Seward, Jr., Navasota, civil engineer; master of science, E. Hobbs, Llano, agriculture; doctor of veterinary medicine, A. V. Young, Marshall.

The group which will receive bachelor of science degrees is divided into courses as follows:

Agricultural administration, R. K. Lohrop, Marshall; J. A. Schnable, Shawnee, Okla.; agriculture, F. Gomez, Jr., Linares, Mexico; O. J. Hansen, Dallas; R. W. Hutchins, Grandview, C. B. Kennington, Devine; J. D. Langford, Jr., Greenville; N. H. Reveire, College Station; F. E. Tutt, Meridian; W. H. Olivari, San Antonio; agricultural engineering, W. R. Bodine, Temple; C. F. Gorman, Wimsboro, Civil Engineering, E. J. Axline, Tucson, Ariz.; J. E. Bean, Lubbock, Electrical engineering, L. Laughlin, San Angelo. Agricultural education, E. H. Roersch, Bellville. Industrial education, F. H. Cheaney, Dallas; W. W. Powers, Post Stockton. Rural education, R. H. Mitchell, College Station.

Out Our Way



Colony Defeats Bull Pups In Exciting Game

Ranger Bulldogs will play Dublin tonight at the High school gym, Ranger. The game will be called at 7:30 and an admission charge of 25 and 15 cents will be charged.

On Tuesday night, while the Bulldogs were over in Cisco playing a winning game over the Lobos, the Junior college quintet, was in Rising Star, playing Rising Star. They also brought home a victory of 15 to 11.

Last night Coach Davis third string played Colony, at the high school but in this case Colony took high honors, winning in a score of 8 to 12 in their favor.

It was a snappy game, well played by both sides and greatly enjoyed by all the spectators.

Bulldogs and Mavericks To Play On Friday

A double-header—Where? At the Ranger high school—When? Friday night. Ranger Bulldogs will play Eastland Mavericks, and Randolph College will play the Junior College. Both games will be played in the Ranger high school gym and the first game will be called at 7:30.

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Nimrods Leave For Gulf Coast To Kill Ducks

Several of the members of the duck hunting party who tried their luck at Corpus Christi, a few weeks ago, have taken advantage of the cold weather to take another shot or two at the elusive duck. Among those who left from Ranger early today were G. C. Barkley, Louis McFall, Steve A. Lillard Jr., J. Munro Sweeney, and Blair Cherry. Coach Cherry will return by Monday.

When the party was at Corpus Christi before the weather was too mild for good duck hunting but it was thought that with the reported cold wave in sight that the hunters will come back with full bags.

It is estimated that sales of radio apparatus during 1926 will total \$520,000,000. This compares with \$449,000,000 in 1925, \$350,000,000 in 1924, \$120,000,000 in 1923 and \$46,000,000 in 1922.

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Pacific Ocean Is Spanned By Amateur Radios

By RAY C. MARSHALL (United Press Staff Correspondent)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—San Francisco radio amateurs, both boys and men, are talking every morning to young men in the Philippines and the voices of Japanese artists and lecturers are heard at dawn by San Franciscans before they go to work. This is not an occasional recreation. It is as regular as the coffee and rolls.

Portland, Seattle and Vancouver are also sitting in on Tokyo and Osaka concerts and their code operators and talking to Manila and Sydney.

The communications, so long desired as a means of smoothing out misunderstandings, are here. Correlations is the next step.

The major radio companies and the amateurs have won the fight to span the Pacific but there are yet intricacies beyond count confronting the industry. The Pacific coast in the meantime is impatient.

There are questions of international regulations, of patents of allocation of wave lengths and many others that must be carefully worked out before there is complete "freedom of the seas" for radio. The major companies give credit freely to the amateurs for their accomplishments but the amateur is reminded that he has wroked with "borrowed tools" so to speak and these companies have reserved the commercial use of the devices for themselves.

Meanwhile full use of facilities that exist must await the process of establishing rules or order which all admit are most necessary.

ILLNESS OF ACTOR Postpones Play Tent Theatre

Owing to the illness of Gilbert Lamb, who played one of the leads in "The Marriage Question," Brunk's comedians were unable to give their Wednesday night performance. However, this popular company will positively play tonight, presenting a comedy-drama, "The End of the Trail." Mr. Lamb was not cast in the last half of the week's offerings.

There also will be some high class vaudeville and a new musical program.

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4,480,000 Autos Were Sold 1926, \$3,065,950,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The automobile industry set a new record during 1926 for the twenty-ninth time in its history, according to figures issued today by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce simultaneously with the opening of the New York Automobile Show.

An output of 4,480,000 motor vehicles, having a wholesale value of \$3,065,950,000 was revealed. This was a slight increase over 1925 when the production totaled 4,336,754 vehicles with a value of \$2,977,904,833.

Sixty-four per cent of the automobiles bought in the United States are purchased on the installment plan, the statistics declare. The automobile time paper outstanding is estimated to be worth \$1,378,000,000 by the chamber. The average first payment on a new machine is \$595 while that on a used car is \$277. The average retail price of a new car is \$886.

The popularity of closed cars continues. This type represented 2,926,000, or 74 per cent of the total 1926 output.

A 3 per cent increase was shown in the exports of motor vehicles over the preceding year. The total exported was 550,000, presenting 12 per cent of the output.

The Automobile Chamber of Commerce estimates that there are 22,330,000 registered motor vehicles in the United States, a new high figure. Of this number 19,520,000 are motor cars and the balance trucks.

The automobile industry failed to make a new production record three times in its history. The first time was in 1918. The other times were in 1921 and 1924.

MANUFACTURE OF PAPER From Peas Discovered

STEVENS POINT, Wis., Jan. 12. A process for the manufacture of paper from peas has been discovered by Charles C. Roth, a former paper maker of Germany, now living at Westfield, near here.

Roth has been experimenting for the past year, and according to an announcement made here extensive plans are under way to put pea-paper on the market next spring. Roth has been financed in his investigations by A. Grahn of Westfield, and a corporation is being formed for the purposes of marketing the new product.

A factory built by Roth and Grahn at Westfield will be ready next spring to turn out 30,000 feet of wall-board a day. The experiments have shown that wrapping paper can also be made from peas and it is possible that this will be manufactured also.

Wisconsin is provided with unlimited resources of peas which up to now have been put to no practical use. According to Roth the peas can be transported to his factory very cheaply.

STOLEN CHEVROLET FOUND ON DESDEMONA ROAD

A Chevrolet car, which was reported stolen from W. O. Eller, on January 9, was found burned on the Desdemona road. Ranger police had a report of the theft and had been hunting for the car. The car was stolen in Ranger.

CISCO LIONS HEAR DEMONSTRATION AGENTS

Miss Ruth Ramey, Eastland county home demonstration agent, and Miss Helen Swift, district demonstration agent, delivered addresses before the meeting of the Cisco Lions club Wednesday at noon. C. O. Shugart, presiding elder of the Methodist district, was also a speaker at the luncheon on this occasion.

CISCO BEGINS RAISING FUNDS FOR HOTEL

Special Correspondence.

CISCO, Jan. 13.—More than \$25,000 of a \$100,000 fund to secure the erection of a modern hotel in this city, has been subscribed, according to E. K. Long of Kansas City, who has interested himself in financing the project. The same interests that are behind the Cisco hotel are also behind a movement to build hotels in Rising Star and Cross Plains, it is stated.

IMMIGRATION TO CANADA SHOWS BIG INCREASE

By United Press.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 13.—Tide of immigration to Canada is rising again. Newcomers to the number of 112,835 entered the Dominion in the first nine months of 1926, an increase of 44,957 immigrants or 66 per cent over the corresponding period of 1925, a bulletin issued by the department of immigration and colonization shows.

IN MEMORY OF W. H. MASSEY
WHEREAS, on the 5th day of January, 1927, "Silent as the Dawn, Mysterious as the Night, Yet certain as Truth," the grim reaper reminded us of our duty to submit to the will of the Supreme Grand Master, when Brother W. H. Massey was called to the eternal home.

Be It Resolved That: To His divine will we humbly bow our heads in submission, realizing in so doing we loose the presence of a faithful comrade in our lodge, his wise counsel in our work, and his good fellowship among men, yet the fruit of his labors remain with us for our guide, as a milestone along the journey of life.

We cannot speak more appropriate or consoling words in behalf of the sorrowing relatives and friends of Brother Massey, as a husband, father and Christian citizen, than was expressed by the pastor of his church when he compared "Friendship, Love and Truth," to the life of Brother Massey, the influence of these virtues spread through life, diverges in every direction, and penetrates every condition. They are "The prop of affliction, guide in active life, and solace in retirement."

Further Resolve That, a page of our records be dedicated to his memory. A copy of these resolutions be given the family, and a copy submitted to the press for publication.

Fraternally submitted,
C. S. BROOKS,
L. R. O'BRIEN,
JOHN POWELL,
Committee.

Adopted by unanimous vote of members present at Flatwood Lodge No. 572, I. O. O. F., 11th day of January, A. D. 1927.

ATTEST:
A. J. TREADWELL,
Noble Grand,
H. A. COLLINS, Secretary.

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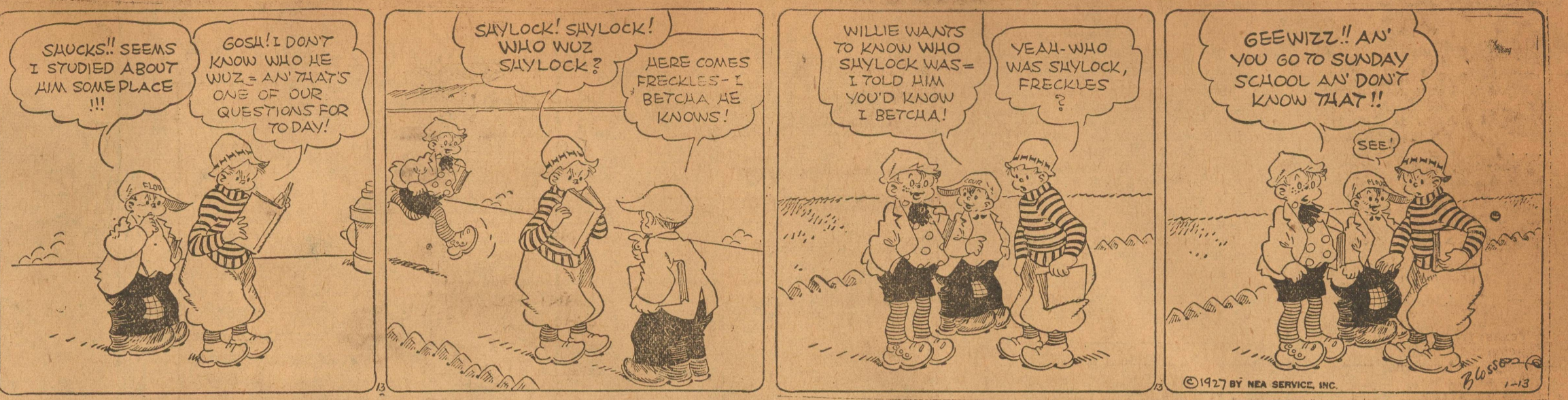
SPLENDID CAST SUPPORTS STAR

I'm not particular as to the woman I marry. I ask only one thing—that she be a good worker.

They go from this bare room to a justice of the peace and then set out for the cabin he calls home—there to begin a fight against nature.

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LODGE NOTICES

Regular meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M. Thursday, Jan. 13, 7:30 p. m.

JOHN T. HOWELL, W. M. F. E. LANGSTON, Sec. Carl Barnes Post No. 69, American Legion, will meet Thursday at 8 o'clock in Legion Hall, over City Hall.

H. O. POPE, Post Adjutant

1—LOST AND FOUND FOUND—Boys or Man's grey cap size 7. Owner can have it by paying for this ad. Call at Times office.

LOST—Thursday afternoon, a platinum bar pin with three diamonds and a pearl. Finder please return for liberal reward to Mrs. C. B. Milliken, 1114 Desdemona Blvd., or phone 479, Ranger.

LOST—A purse with five notes and identification card bearing the name L. R. Davis, also \$45 in money. Reward if returned to owner, 244 Erwin street, Ranger.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES 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 Tharpe Furniture Co.

FOR your health's sake, drink Electrozone and Purify, electrified and distilled water. Ranger Distilled Water Co., 816 S. Hodges st., Ranger. Phone 157.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT FOR RENT—Five room furnished house with garage. Phone 555, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished house, 704 South Austin, Ranger.

SMALL unfurnished house. 220 S. Austin, Ranger.

FOR RENT—4-room house. Mrs. Mammie Walker, Caddo highway, Ranger.

FOR RENT—5 room modern house, phone 278. Banner Ice Cream Co., Ranger.

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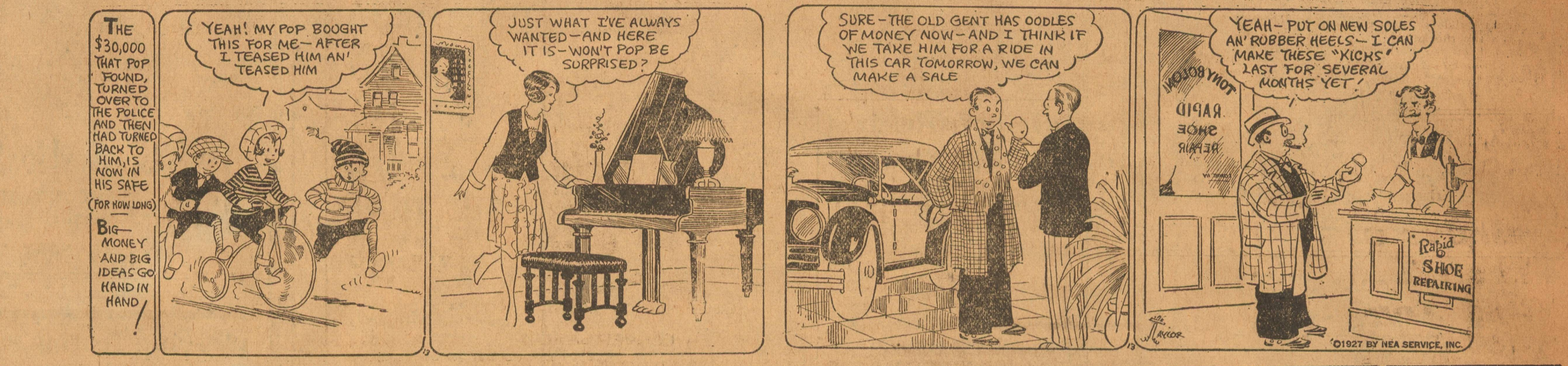
11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT FOR RENT—2 room apartment. Private bath. Cole building, South Austin street, Ranger.

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—Medium brown bob curl. My own hair. Price twenty-five dollars. 108 South Hodges Ranger.

14—REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—100 acre farm, five miles northwest of Ranger in Stephens county, box 294, Strawn, Texas.

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Broken Threads by Clifford L. Webb and Ernest Lynn



"What gets me," said Betty, "is how she came to know your name." ... However, that might have been a hard thing to do, even if Jim had had the time. Nina Kingsley announced that, sorry as she was, she had to leave. She was taking the train for New York, and would they excuse her? She could be reached in New York, you know, by mail, or they would forward it to her. She wrote an address down for Jim. ... "Killed!" the girls echoed in unison, and then Betty added, as she turned to Jim, "That, perhaps, was the reason why Prof didn't get any answers to his advertisements in the newspapers."

us. Of course, I think she was lying, too, but— "She didn't have to know my name," Jim interrupted, "to write me the note. She could have said dear sir with just as good results. No, she knew it all along and it just popped out when she began to write. That's where she made her mistake."

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Notice is hereby given to all persons that during the next session of the legislature of the state of Texas, which is to convene at Austin, Texas, on the 11th day of January, 1927, the undersigned railroad and railway companies will apply for and request the passage by said legislature of a special law for the following purposes: To authorize Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad company to acquire by purchase or by lease for a term of not exceeding ninety-nine years, with the right of purchase at any time during said term, the railroad now owned and operated by the Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad company, extending from Jinkins in Stephens county, Texas, to Dublin in Erath county, Texas, with the branches and extensions of said railroad constructed or to be constructed, together with all properties, franchises and appurtenances pertaining thereto, and after said purchase or lease to own, operate, or control and operate said railroads, with the railroad now owned and operated by the line of railroad, and to complete or to extend said railroads, or either of them, as contemplated in the charter of the respective companies, together with the right to make such other extensions and construct such branches and appurtenances as may be authorized by amendment to the charter of said Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad company, and to authorize said Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad company, and to authorize said Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad company, respectively, to convey or lease by purchase or by lease, together with said properties, franchises and appurtenances pertaining thereto, to said Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad company, and to vest said companies and each of them with the power to make and execute all deeds, leases, contracts and agreements necessary to effect said purchases and sales or leases, and to prescribe the terms and conditions upon which said purchases and sales or leases may be made.

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Broken Threads

zled frown between her eyes, "Little girl, and Jim patted her hand, 'I'd give this trick nickel in my pants to know the answer to that!'"

It was the opinion of the entire Elwell family that night, when they had returned to Camdenville and had related the strange story to Prof and Mollie, that the mysterious Nina Kingsley had not told them the whole truth.

"Nina Kingsley," repeated Prof over and over, "that name certainly ought to be familiar to old-timers like Mollie and me if she was as big a humdinger on the stage as she admit-

"Why Prof!" Mollie had said, slightly staggered, as she lowered the ring from the light.

"It's her, all right," the elder Elwell pronounced. "It's her to a T. That nose and mouth, Mollie, I wouldn't forget them in a hundred years. Girls," and he turned toward the eager twins, "this has been a big day. Somehow I feel that something's gonna come of it sooner or later. And to think," he went on, "that the ring has been lyin' around here for more than eighteen years and we never had sense enough to try to find out the reason for that peculiar setting!"

"Really, she told us very little when everything is summed up, with the exception of father's name and how he died," said Rusty in an aggrrieved tone. "We're hardly any wiser now than before we met this Nina Kingsley."

"And we have no proof that that information is correct," Jim pointed out, skeptical now of every assertion the woman had made. "I'll bet four dollars that the name Nina Kingsley is phony, as well as the New York address she gave us. You might try out the address right away, just to be curious."

"And it's my further belief," he concluded, that she could have told us the name of the brother the girls' mother spoke of so many times that

night. She's playin' a crooked game, and I'd be willin' to gamble on it."

It is not the purpose of this story to dwell at any great length, or to hark back more than is required for its development, to the horrors and devastation of the World War itself. It is, however, to our purpose to call attention to one phase of the war in particular, that aftermath of the war of which mention already has been made. That aftermath is the Unknown Soldier, about whom so much has been written and read.

The Unknown Soldier. Before his shrine kings have knelt, and nations have paid homage.

And is that Unknown Soldier's spirit now floating around out there in those vast realms of space where immortality is said to live in the promise of a better life to come?

Not altogether. Look about you in the government and state hospitals, the imb-cile homes and the soldier's homes "broughtout the country. You will see him in all those places. He still breathes, eats, sleeps, walks and talks—a kind of talk.

But he lives in a world of forgotten things where breathing dead men exist.

For he is one of those aftermaths, the saddest of all, of war. He is the living absorber of shell-shocks and gas bombs.

His name? It is legion. Have you never met him? No? Well, he still has a mother living, perhaps. And a wife and a sister and a sweetheart, too.

And is he, perchance, by them forgotten? Have all those wounds that they say time heals in the human heart been soothed by that gracious balm of a grateful and munificent government?

The Unknown Soldier. A term symbolic not only of the great army that lies in unnamed graves but of thousands of living dead men . . .

All Camdenville, it seemed, was at the little railroad station the day Jim Elwell went away. He was not the only one. There were dozen just like him, young boys dressed up in their Sunday best to give them a brave appearance; garments that were to be shed in a few days in favor of issue uniforms handed out by grumpy quartermaster sergeants.

Going away to war! Mollie Elwell, choked a little as Jim put his arms around her. Going away to war! Her son Jim! Going away maybe never to return. Her only son, that she had brought up so carefully and tenderly from babyhood.

Jim, who was now so tall and

beautiful in his young manhood. A few flags waved in false cheerfulness. The Camdenville brass band blared vociferously and sweatingly. Jim swung down from the step.

"Goodby, Prof," and he wrung his father's hand and kissed his cheek.

"Goodby, Mother," and Mollie clung to him with a brave smile.

"Goodby, pass," and he passed out impartial kisses to the twins, one of whom, it was true, was nothing more than a pal but the other girl who shared with him that great secret that both had discovered that moonlit night beneath the elms.

And so Jim Elwell went away.

(To Be Continued)



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Sunday, Jan. 16
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Monday, Jan. 17
"The Return of Peter Grim"
With comedy.

Tuesday and Wednesday,
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"God Gave Me Twenty Cents,"
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Lois Moran, Jack Mulhall, William Collier, Jr.

Liberty Theatre

Friday, Saturday, Jan. 14-15
Fred Thompson
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Sunday, Jan. 16
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With comedy.

Monday, Jan. 17
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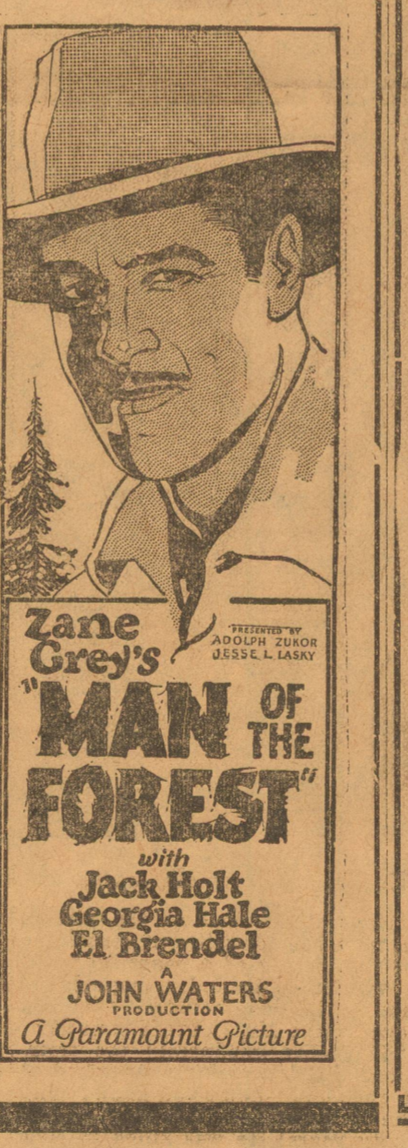
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