

EXPLOSIONS DEVASTATE RESERVATIONS

PRODUCTION SHOWS INCREASE IN MID-WEST TEXAS OIL FIELDS

WRECKS ON SUBWAY BIG AID TO STRIKERS

246 MORE JOIN FORCES; TRAINS PASS SIGNALS

Company Refuses To Allow Reporters On The Railway Trains

By United Press.
NEW YORK, July 10.—The addition of 246 powerhouse men to the ranks of the striking subway and elevator employes of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company came today as the second subway wreck in twenty-four hours occurred. The wreck was at 1:23 a. m. at the sharp curve near the Bowling Green subway station, 100 feet from the post where a train left the line yesterday.

The company said no one was injured. However, reporters and photographers were barred from the tube and the information was given out by a company's representative.

Although the company did not disclose the cause of the derailment, it was understood it came after a motorman had run past a warning signal light.

Crisis Monday
The test of the strength of New York transportation strike will come Monday, when strikers of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company reinforced by sympathizers among powerhouse men, will make their greatest efforts to sever the arteries of transportation.

The effect of the defection of powerhouse men who joined last midnight, was not fully realized as New York fled from the sweltering business district to beaches and open country for relief from the heat. Leaders of striking motormen and switchmen, claims their forces have been strengthened by additions of 235 powerhouse workers. Two men who control the electric power for all the lines of transportation.

DURKIN MUST SERVE TERM OF 35 YEARS

By United Press.
CHICAGO, Ill., July 10.—Martin Durkin must go to prison for 35 years for the murder of Federal Agent Edwin C. Shannon.

The jury which heard the evidence in one of Chicago's most spectacular murder trials returned its verdict of "guilty" at 8:45 this morning and recommended the thirty-five years penalty after an all night's deliberation in which a compromise was necessary.

After determining first that Durkin was guilty, the jury split between a death sentence and a prison sentence. One man held out for hours for a hanging verdict, but finally relented and agreed to a thirty-five years compromise.

When the verdict was read Durkin dropped his head, but betrayed no emotion. He was taken to his jail cell immediately.

Alleged Phoney Bill Raiser To Abilene for Trial

Bailey Crawford, United States Marshal from Abilene, Texas, arrived in Eastland last night in connection with the arrest here of the man alleged to have raised ten dollar bills to fifty dollars, and who was caught by sheriff's officers and held in the county jail.

Crawford left last night for Fort Worth where he obtained a warrant from the United States Commissioner to take the accused back to Abilene. He returned to Eastland Saturday night and left with his prisoner for Abilene. The accused, according to the federal officer, is alleged to have passed one of the raised bills at Elm Dale, a small town near Abilene.

Sheriff Bob Edwards has been in receipt of many congratulatory messages from citizens and from U. S. authorities all of whom spoke of the zeal of the sheriff and his men in effecting the arrest of the accused.

Hello Girls Carrying On



Subway strike or no, New York's telephone users must have their numbers. This is the way the company is meeting the emergency of getting the hello girls to and from work. "Thanks for the buggy ride," sang one truckload, as it pulled away from the office.

OLDEN DEEP TEST NEARS PRODUCTION

In a few days the deep test well being drilled by the Magnolia by the side of the road, just outside of the town of Olden, and known as Ford No. 5, will write or unwrite a new chapter in the oil history of that busy little city, where it is said a car passes every three minutes of the 24 hours of the day. This well did not pick up the sand at the shallow depth, as is usual with the wells around the Olden field, so drilling will be continued to a depth of 3400 feet.

They are straight reaming now so as to set larger casing and are drilling at about 3150 feet. This well is expected in soon and is being watched very carefully by the oil fraternity as a deep well in the Olden vicinity would prove its worth as a dual field.

A few weeks ago the Magnolia Company brought in a good well on the P. O. Harris tract, at the end of its row of dwelling houses. This well came in flowing 75 barrels with 3,000,000 feet of gas. Today the company has built a new derrick across from this location and will spud in the first of the week.

Lou Teatsworth has a new rig west of the depot on the south side of the track, that will be ready for work of spudding in a very few days.

There is another well near this location. Olden is very active, with its many producing wells, its new locations and its drilling wells, and is one of the best and steadiest little oil fields in this part of the country. Development goes on gradually and surely day in and day out, and very few dry holes have so far worried the developers of this field.

Revenue Receipts Show Increase Of \$250,000,000

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, July 10.—Internal revenue receipts for the fiscal year of 1926 were more than \$250,000,000 in excess of the 1925 totals, the treasury department announced in a statement tonight.

Total collections from all sources for the fiscal year 1926, were \$2,836,112,899, compared with \$2,584,140,268 for the fiscal year of 1925. Income tax collections during 1926 exceeded income tax collections during fiscal year of 1925 by \$200,000,000. Total income tax collection for 1926 amounted to \$1,927,798,839, compared with \$1,763,659,490.11, despite tax reduction by congress.

Sits Tight



For three days Martin Brandenburg, 12, sat on a chair over a hole in the ground in front of his father's house in Cincinnati. The hole was made by electric light men who wanted to put a pole there. Martin's father objected and put the boy there until he could get a court order restraining the company. Martin's filibuster was a success; the pole won't go there.

PROHIBITION COMPROMISE IS PLANNED

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, July 10.—A compromise plan for a national prohibition referendum next year is being discussed by dry and wet leaders behind the scenes here today.

The plan has the tacit endorsement of some of the wets and a few dries, but will not be openly brought forward until returns are received on the "feelers" put out by those who suggested the scheme.

The project is this: Introduction of a resolution in congress next December for a substitute to the eighteenth amendment, permitting state option on prohibition. The adoption of this resolution by congress for submission to the various state legislatures for ratification with the proviso that the legislature must be elected after the proposal becomes an issue.

STEPHENS AND EASTLAND ARE SHOWING GAINS

Extension of Parson's Pool Big Feature Of The Past Few Days.

Production from the Mid-West Texas oil fields show that the average has been maintained while the reports of the completions give a large number of wells coming in for good production.

Stephens county showed a slight gain over last week while the production in Eastland county also slightly increased. This will be largely increased in the next few days, scouts say as many wells are expected in during that time. The extension of the Parsons pool to the Panhandle is also expected to increase the production.

Production by Counties
Stephens—11,930 barrels.
Eastland—7,670 barrels.
Palo Pinto—425 barrels.
Shackelford—9,820 barrels.
Brown—3,565 barrels.
Coleman—1,350 barrels.
Callahan—3,990 barrels.

Completions
Shackelford County.—Humble No. 2 Cook, 1,300 feet, 700 barrels; Richardson Bros. No. 1 King, 1,895 feet, 35 barrels; Koeser & Pendleton 12 A. Cook, 1,360 feet, 200 barrels; G. E. Cook, 1,295 feet, 300 barrels.
Stephens County.—Mid-Kansas 14 G. W. Hill, 3,320 feet, 25 barrels; Humble Oil and Gas No. 1 Brown, 2,225 feet, dry; Producers Union Oil Company No. 1 Moon, 3,320 feet, dry.

Eastland County—Parsons et al No. 4 Motes, 3,130 feet, 4,000,000 feet of gas; Amex No. 2 Connelly, 3,339 feet, 2,000,000 feet of gas.
Callahan County—Prairie No. 1 Baum, 1,420 feet, 200 barrels; Prairie No. 1 Bond, 1,415 feet, 130 barrels; Prairie No. 2 Bond, 1,405 feet, 200 barrels; Prairie No. 2 Cunningham, 1,305 feet, 75 barrels.
Coleman County—Independent Oil and Gas No. 2 Dineen, 1,925 feet, 70 barrels; Mid-West Exploration Co. (Continued on page two)

STORMS HIT NORTH TEXAS BIG DAMAGE

By United Press.
DALLAS, July 10.—Showers and rains ranging as high as two inches in places fell in North and Northeast Texas during the day, but the state faces a heated Sabbath, according to federal bureau there tonight.

More than two inches of rain at Tyler and Dallas afternoon fall was recorded as 1.74 inches. Severe lightning accompanied the fall.

Two 35,000 steel oil tanks were struck by bolts at the Texas company refinery, outside of the city limits. No estimate of the damage could be learned from officials who were taking precautionary measures over possible collapse of tanks.

Three Gas Wells Are Fired By A Bolt Of Lightning

By United Press.
AMARILLO, July 10.—Three gas wells were fired by lightning bolts in the South Hutchinson oil field near here during a thunder storm, here today. Four drilling rigs were demolished by the bolt. Field officials planned to blast out the flame with explosives.

TANKER AGROUND OFF BLOCK ISLAND

By United Press.
NEW LONDON, Conn., July 10.—The tanker Meteor, with a crew of 30 men bound from Boston to the north, advised the coast guard tonight it was aground on the south side of Block Island.

Three coast guard vessels sent to her aid, reported they were standing by unable to assist because of heavy fog and rocky coast.

S-51 Raised From Depths at Last



The U. S. submarine S-51, which sank off Block Island, R. I., in a collision 10 months ago, carrying all but three of her crew to death, is raised by the navy salvage corps after months of effort and one earlier, fruitless trial. Photo shows the Falcon towing the S-51, which is swung between the heavy pontoons, to the Brooklyn navy yard. The crumpled conning tower of the sub, indicated by arrow, can be seen between the forward pontoons.

Congress Ends



When next these great bronze doors of the capitol open it will be to welcome the second session of the sixty-ninth congress. Sergeant at Arms Joseph D. Rogers, lift, and Doorkeeper Burton Kennedy are shown performing the ceremony of turning the lock on a chapter of history.

18 BODIES TAKEN FROM SUBMARINE

By United Press.
NAVY YARDS, Brooklyn, July 10.—Eighteen bodies have been taken from the salvaged wreck of the submarine S-51. Twelve bodies have been identified and today the work of identification continues.

In the meanwhile plans have been made to recondition the ship, and Secretary of the Navy Curtis D. Wilbur has announced that congress will be asked for funds to carry out this work.

EIGHTEEN BODIES REMOVED ALL THAT WERE KILLED

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, July 10.—The eighteen bodies taken from the crumpled hull of the submarine S-51 constitute at the dead within her, according to a navy department message this afternoon from Admiral Pickett from the Brooklyn, navy yard. He said temporary repairs will be made so she can float until a decision is reached about reconditioning her.

HEADLESS BODY FOUND ON RAILWAY

The body of a young man decapitated and with the left foot torn off was picked up on the railway tracks between Cisco and Mangum Saturday morning.

The body was seen by some men working on the line and they at once informed authorities in Eastland who instructed Barrows Undertaking Parlor to bring the body to Eastland.

Doctors who examined the body said it was that of a young man about 18 years of age. He was dressed in a blue shirt and trousers while he was also of dark complexion.

The body was in a terrible state and all Saturday, Eastland residents trooped to the morgue where attempts were made to identify the body which was badly mangled. The head was torn from the trunk while it was also terribly disfigured.

It was rumored that there might have been foul play in the death of the man, the belief being that the body was placed on the track after he was dead.

New Chinese Law Taxes Beggars Who Ply The Avocation

By United Press.
PEKING—Duck eggs, funeral emblems and beggars are among the new items which ingenious Fuken officials have listed as subject to tax, according to word received from Poochow.

In their effort to scrape together every possible copper, the authorities have found a large variety of hitherto untaxed objects which must henceforth pay. Pawn shops and restaurants are to make heavy contribution, players of mah jong must "ante up", sellers of salted and preserved articles and flour are now listed, and anyone having use for noodles, fresh fish, parcel post packages or a door plate will also pay.

Hale and Ramsey Motion To Quash Indictment Lost

By United Press.
GUTHRIE, Ok., July 10.—Federal Judge C. S. Cottrell today overruled the motion to quash the indictment against W. J. Hale and John Ramsey, held by the federal government in connection with the famous Osage murder cases, and set their joint trials for July 26.

LIGHTNING HITS NAVAL ARSENAL SCATTERS DEATH

Flyin' Projectiles Make Rescue Work Almost Beyond Human Skill

By United Press.

DOVER, N. J., July 10.—Lightning flashed through sultry air late this afternoon and struck one of the powder magazines at the United States naval depot five miles from here, starting a series of explosions which devastated the reservation.

Early reports from the injured who escaped from Pickapenny arsenal, the army depot which adjoins the navy depot, were to the effect that the entire personnel of the navy depot, approximately 75 men and officers, may have been killed.

Flying fragments from the first magazine struck by lightning ignited the other magazines and the new explosions followed giving a number of navy folks, who were present, no chance to escape. Fire and fear of further explosions made rescue work virtually impossible. Homes within a radius of three miles were shaken and some shattered by the detonation.

Scores were either slightly or seriously injured. Ambulances were sent to move the injured to hospitals outside of the stricken zone. The general hospital was filled with 25 victims inside of two hours after the explosion.

40 Magazines.
The arsenal included about 40 magazines and practically all of them were stored with powder and high explosive shells. A high wind was blowing this afternoon and it carried bits of burning debris over a wide area.

The army depot suffered heavily. Homes were rocked, ceilings fell and flying fragments brought damage to property.

The hospitals were filled to capacity with the American Legion headquarters and private homes were making every effort to care for the injured.

Can't Check Dead.
While the work of caring for those who escaped went forward, explosions occurred intermittently on the reservation. Difficultly to check the dead was due to the fact no one could approach nearer than a half mile to the actual scene.

The only report of the dead came from those removed from the army arsenal. It was the belief of the army rescue crew that all in the navy depot perished.

Magazines of the army reservation (Continued on Page 2)

WILL STARVE PRISONERS IN REVOLT

By United Press.
LANSING, Kan., July 10.—The prisoners surrendered after threatening to blow up the mines. The warden of the prison, at the request of the governor, refused to accede to the demands of the prisoners. The men gave up tonight.

LANSING, Kansas, July 10.—Officials of the Kansas State Prison were prepared today to starve out, if necessary, the 273 convicts who have mutinied and are holding captive fourteen guards in the prison mines 750 feet beneath the ground. The prisoners mutinied yesterday noon and have since refused to surrender. The fate of guards, who were armed with clubs only, is unknown.

The revolt of the convicts is in protest against an alleged shortage of sheets in the cell houses.

When the mine cage containing dinner for the shaft crew was lowered yesterday, the convicts seized the cage, thrust heavy timbers through it and the hoist has been unable to break the timber and lift the cage.

Negotiations with the leader of the mutiny to send a committee to the top to talk over the difficulty has failed.

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FROM GREATEST BOOK.

The Duty of a Judge: "I charged your judges, saying, Hear the causes between your brethren, and judge righteously between every man and his brother, and the stranger that is with him." Deut. 1:16.

Prayer: O Lord, may every judge remember he is responsible to Thee.

BUSINESS MEN ARE NEEDED.

Never before in the history of Texas has the need for successful business men to fill offices of trust been more manifest. The state of Texas is a gigantic corporation with abundant resources. The resources of Texas, if properly husbanded can support the world. Texas is richest of all states in mineral and agricultural wealth.

Texas needs men to fill its offices from governor on down to constable. Men of high caliber, and who are not afraid to tackle big problems and handle them as they should be handled.

The development of the mineral resources should be handled in a business-like manner. They should be developed in a conservative manner. The laws governing the development of the oil, coal and other minerals should be enforced and if they are inadequate should be made so that future generations can derive some benefit from them.

A business administration will put Texas on her feet. The schools will not suffer, and rapidly will the shacks disappear from the campuses of the institutions of higher education.

Men should not be selected for their oratory, but for their ability. The leading men in the councils of the nation are not orators, but doers. Texas needs doers. Eastland county needs men who do things, and should elect only those men who are above suspicion.

REVELATIONS.

God, architect of the universe, reveals himself to man today the same as he did in the days the Bible was made. He reveals himself to us through the wonders of nature and in the development of mankind.

God reveals himself to mankind in the development of a child. The blooming roses, the ripening grain, the growing cotton all tell us that God is here. Modern inventions that save labor and life are means that are used by the Almighty, who is all wise, all powerful and all seeing are revelations of God.

EASTLAND COUNTY FAIR.

Eastland county should have the greatest county fair in Texas. Eastland county is richest in resources. The soils of Eastland county are capable of producing everything that is good for man. Beneath the surface lies millions, yea, billions of dollars worth of oil and other minerals that in time will be developed.

There are some fine beef and dairy cattle in the county. The management would endeavor to develop that section of the fair. The county agent should call on the boys and girls to get busy and prepare exhibits for the fair.

The writer has seen a baby beef fed by a youth 12 years old stand up in the big show ring at Fort Worth against the best in the country and come near winning. Community fairs should be held and the best from the county fair for the state fair, cotton palace and the Fort Worth show. Fairs breed friendly rivalry and help develop the country.

Lightning Hits Naval Arsenal Scatters Death

(Continued from page one.) which previously had escaped, began to let go shortly after 9 o'clock. The first magazine exploded just a few minutes after Major Norman Ramsey, commandant of the Pickapenny arsenal, had ordered all the enlisted men and civilian employees and families off the reservation.

Women With Babies. Fire at that time was spreading to the army area adjoining the naval reservation. Men and women, many of them carrying or tugging their children along, ran through the down-pour of projectiles, jumping swiftly from one shelter point to the next as they sought to escape the danger zone. Bullets whipped up the turf before and behind the flying families.

There were unconfirmed rumors at 8:30 o'clock that as many as 50 marines and 75 naval officers and men might have perished or been so seriously wounded that they could not have escaped as a result of the navy depot blast, at this hour none had come from the location, and no human could penetrate into the flaming reservation to effect a rescue.

Shrapnel Still Falling. At 10 p. m., five hours after the explosion, shrapnel was still exploding and screaming fragments flying through the air, this in addition to the intense heat, the thick smoke and the heavy fall of dust from the exploding powder, made approach to the arsenal still impossible.

40 REPORTED MISSING FROM DOVER DEPOT

WASHINGTON, July 10.—About 40 persons are missing in the Dover, N. J., naval ammunition depot explosion, the commandant of the third naval district of New York advised the navy department tonight. Lt. Commander Edward A. Brown, naval medical corps, is the only known dead, according to reports.

Naples To Build Modern Quarters For Laboring Folks

NAPLES.—What will be probably one of the biggest suburban developments in history will be undertaken in Naples, providing for the construction of 10,000 rooms, housing between 100,000 and 200,000 persons, a regular city in itself.

The contract for the construction of the new quarter or suburb which is on the western side of Naples in the direction of Piedigrotta has been signed between Commendatore Castelli, high commissioner for Naples, and the building company.

Naples has long suffered from an acute over-crowding problem and the density of the population in the slum quarters is higher than in almost any other city in Europe.

The vast new quarter will be served by the recently opened Neapolitan subway line. Naples is at present the only city in Italy which possesses an underground railroad.

The workmen of Naples, at present crowded into unhealthy slums, will thus have easy and cheap access to the new suburb which is to be laid out with parks, gardens, playing grounds, public baths and all the accessories of an up-to-date city.

In addition to the large apartment houses for the accommodation of working men, provision will be made for the building of numerous villas and houses for well-to-do people. Fine broad streets, and avenues planted with trees will run through the new quarter, which possesses a magnificent view over the famous Bay of Naples.

The building company has pledged itself to complete the entire work of construction within four years, and has, moreover undertaken that within a couple of years a quarter of the new apartments will be ready for habitation.

Landscape Art Is New Course At A. & M. College

COLLEGE STATION, July 10.—Two new courses are to be added to the curriculum at the A. & M. College of Texas when the regular school term opens in September. The school of agriculture will offer a four-year course in landscape art, and the school of agriculture in conjunction with the school of veterinary medicine, will offer a six-year course in agriculture and veterinary medicine, leading to the degrees of bachelor of science and doctor of veterinary medicine.

The course in landscape art has for its object the training of young men to become landscape designers. In the opinion of Prof. F. W. Hensel, head of the department, the landscape art field is sufficiently broad to enable men of diverse talent to follow their inclinations.

Successful completion of the course will prepare students for positions as park superintendents, members of park boards, employes in various phases of civic improvement and planting superintendents, in addition to landscape designers.

A method by which fluoroscopic machines for diagnosing disease can be used in lighted rooms can be perfected by a physician in Munich. This apparatus, of the X-ray type, enables a physician to make internal observations of patients. Under present practice dark rooms were essential. The Munich scientist has found that the work can be done as well under electric lights of complementary colors.

SENATE PROBE COMMITTEE IS WELL EQUIPPED

By PAUL R. MALLON, Staff Writer for United Press.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The special senate committee which was appointed by Vice President Dawes to investigate politics in the United States is about the best equipped committee for the purpose that can be recalled by those who remember back 10 years in congress.

Although it was particularly to direct its inquiry into primary campaigns, the scope of its authority makes it virtually a supreme court of politics where five senate jurists sit in judgment upon candidates and policies.

The chief justice is Senator James A. Reed, democrat, Missouri, before whose crackling wit and severe demeanor many witnesses have trembled. Reed can be witty and jovial with a witness who is "a good fellow" and by that means elicit all the information he desires without the witness being aware that he is doing anything more than exchanging pleasantries.

Then there is Senator William King, democrat, Utah, whose thoroughness and energy have won him the title of the hardest working man in congress. When Reed gets through with a witness King is at him, hammer and tongs, recollecting embarrassing little details of his story that do not jibe.

Next there is Senator Robert M. La Follette Jr., republican, Wisconsin, who has many sources of private information at his command from which he receives "tips" as to witnesses' connections and their dealings. Through this means he has developed much information in the inquiry which otherwise would not have been brought out.

Senator Guy D. Goff, republican, West Virginia, is a former assistant attorney general and knows constitutional and federal law. While Senator McNary, republican, Oregon, has been unable to take much part in the inquiry because of the farm debate over the McNary-Haugen bill in the senate, his keenness has been brought to play on several witnesses.

Reed does not like newspaper men. One morning recently when he entered the hearing room he passed by the newspaper table and said: "Well, how are the parquets this morning?" A parakeet is a species of bird which has no brains and repeats only words that other people say.

Not a Black Hair on Him



"Nicholas Sokoloff," prize Russian wolf hound owned by Mrs. Ieela McMahon of San Francisco, hasn't a hair on his body that isn't pure white. He has won many first prizes in Oakland and San Francisco dog shows. He's shown here with his owner.

Cotton Flea Hopper Control Is Treated In A Bulletin

COLLEGE STATION, July 10.—A bulletin on the cotton flea hopper, which today is threatening the entire cotton crop of Texas with destruction, has been published by the division of entomology of the experiment station of the A. & M. College of Texas. The pamphlet contains the life history of the cotton flea hopper, its feeding and protective habits, methods for controlling it, and other relatively important information concerning the insect. Copies of the bulletin will be mailed upon request to the publications department of the experiment station.

TENANT FARMER HELD FOR MURDER

CROCKETT, July 10.—Irvin Landrum, tenant farmer, was held here today charged with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Lee Anderson, near Ratcliff. Landrum was a tenant of Anderson's farm.

HYANNIS, Mass., July 10.—A blind man will represent Massachusetts in Congress if John D. W. Bodfish wins his fight for the Republican nomination in the 16th district. Lawyer, farmer, realtor, Bodfish has for years been identified with local and county politics on Cape Cod, and once ran for state senatorship.

Here's Quality-Hop to It

Advertisement for Ballantine's Malt Syrup, featuring two cans (Dark and Light) and the text 'BALLANTINE'S MALT SYRUP PURITY FLAVOR STRENGTH'.

Kitchen Contest Improves Living In Rural Sections

COLLEGE STATION, July 10.—Healthier living conditions in rural homes are on the increase as a result of the state-wide improved kitchen contest being conducted by the A. & M. College of Texas extension service in co-operation with the Semi-Weekly Farm News. This is the report of Mrs. Bernice Claytor, home improvement specialist of the extension service, who returned recently from an inspection of 18 winning kitchens located in 17 counties.

Kitchen improvements on a basis of economy is the keynote of the contest, in which 62 cash prizes will be awarded. In many homes the greatest improvement has been the provision of running water and removal of waste. Several entrants have increased ventilation and lighting in their homes by the addition of two or three windows, and many are using discarded furniture and lumber, and old pipe and tanks with surprising results.

Awards will be made for improvements added at an expense of less than \$25 and improvements costing more than \$25. District prizes will be given to three winners in each class in the nine districts of the A. & M. extension service and eight state prizes will be awarded in addition. The state prizes consist of \$25, \$15, and \$10 and a year's subscription to the Semi-Weekly Farm News. District prizes will be \$5, \$3 and \$2. All awards will be made on a basis of the per cent of improvement made in proportion to their cost.

Dewitt McMurray, editor of the Semi-Weekly Farm News, which is donating all prizes in the contest, will personally announce the winners and make the awards during the farmers' short course which will be held at the A. & M. college on Au. 2 to 7.

Stephens And Eastland Are Showing Gains

(Continued from page one.) pany, No. 3 Dibrell, 1,930 feet, 70 barrels; Mid-West No. 41A, 1,985 feet, 15 barrels; National Oil and Refining Company No. 1 Harris, 2,925 feet, dry.

Brown County—Barley and Conway, No. 3 Allen, 1,175 feet, dry; J. S. Cosden No. 3 Williams, 1,200 feet, 60 barrels; Humble Oil Company Allen, 1,165 feet, dry; No. Hotmett, 1,160 feet, 15 barrels; J. C. Kilgore, 1,150 feet, 400 barrels; E. P. Kilgore, 1,180 feet, 100 barrels; McKenna et al No. 1 Foster, 1,190 feet, 600 barrels; McCluster Oil Company No. 5 Woodruff, 1,265 feet, 70 barrels; Texas Company No. 5 Eddington, 1,285 feet, 180 barrels; H. Y. Oil Company No. 6 Newton, 1,225 feet, 15 barrels; No. 7 Newton, 1,225 feet, 50 barrels.

MY FUNNIEST SCREEN EXPERIENCE

By AILEEN PRINGLE An amusing incident occurred the other day. As the politically ambitious wife of Thomas Meigan in the latter's starring picture "Tin Gods," I am addressing a meeting at my home, my son, played by Master Delbert Emory Whitten Jr., age 3 and a half, is supposed to come running in from his nursery with a toy bride in his hand and interrupt the meeting. I hurriedly placate him and send him off in charge of the nurse.

"Vanity Case" Mysterious "Treasure Hunt"

Large advertisement for Ranger Shoe Company. Features a large image of a white shoe, the text 'White Shoes Now \$5.00 ANY WHITE SHOE IN STOCK', and a testimonial: 'Tis a white season and this is a timely sale on White Footwear. White Shoes worth regular up to \$11.50 are all offered at this one low price.'

Large advertisement for Hicks Quality Tires. Features the headline 'THE REASON WHY' and a list of tire specifications and prices: 'DAYTON THOROBRED TIRES are giving greater efficiency to TRUCK and BUS operators, at a lower cost per mile, and which is the reason for the great increase in the sales of Hicks Rubber Company.'

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**Nimrods Return
 With Fish Story
 From Colorado**

Three mighty disciples of Sir Isaac Walton returned home late Friday from a fishing trip in the mountain streams of Colorado and they claim that not only did they have all the fish they wanted to eat, but they brought home 175 pounds of mountain trout.
 The reporter was invited to look at the fish, so as to verify their fish story, but up until the paper went to press the invitation had had not date set, so the catch remained unseen.
 However, since they are all good, truthful men, their friends feel sure that they did catch all they said they did, and more. In the party were J. L. Thompson, J. T. Gullhorn and Raymond Teal.

**Brin Prefers
 Putting Money
 In Ranger Realty**

A. L. Brin was a visitor in Ranger Saturday, looking after his new buildings on Main street. Mr. Brin was very sorry that the building was not completed so that it could be lighted up for the benefit of the Saturday night crowd. "When that store is lighted up it will be about the prettiest thing in this town," Mr. Brin said proudly. The completion was delayed on account of the many recent rains.
 Mr. Brin says that he prefers putting his money in Ranger real estate to putting it either in Fort Worth or Dallas, as he thinks there is more future to Ranger and the returns are better in proportion to the amount invested.
 Mr. and Mrs. Brin will spend the summer in Venice, Calif., leaving next week. C. E. May is Mr. Brin's local agent.

**WOUNDS FATAL
 TO LOUISIANAN**
 By United Press.
SMACKOVER, Ark., July 10.—Paul Heiser of Plain Dealing, La., died here today as a result of gunshot wounds received from N. Nickerson, merchant. The meeting was a sequel to a dispute over a check given the slain man, officers said.

**Ranger Realty
 Market Active,
 Record Shows**

If the sales and purchases of Ranger property as shown by the records of Maddocks & Son can be used as a barometer to indicate the conditions of the real estate market in Ranger, is most active.
 Recently Maddocks & Son have made the following sales:
 A. B. Smith to Max Starr, five-room fully modern house located at 524 Byrens avenue.
 W. C. Gorman, five-room modern house at 811 Pershing street, from Maddocks & Son.
 A. H. Blackwell from R. H. Jones, a four-room modern house, at 1305 Young street.
 D. L. Kimball of H. T. Huffman, a four-room modern bungalow at 802 Foch street.
 L. F. Haney from D. L. Kimball, a five-room modern house at 709 Spring road.
 A lot on Elm street, west of the Methodist church, to Max Starr, on which he has moved a five-room modern house, and is making of it a splendid home.
 They have purchased the J. W. Overall property on South Hodges street. This is a five-room modern home, bought as an investment. A four-room modern bungalow at 1107 Spring road from J. L. Williams, a five-room partly modern home from T. P. Rucker, Cooper addition, and a five-room modern cottage from T. E. Hanshaw at 1307 Young street. All of these were bought as investments.

**Bullock Couple
 Surprise Friends;
 Wed In Ranger**

Engene Squires and Miss Euala McLearn of the Bullock community, were married Saturday afternoon at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, by Rev. W. H. Johnson. A few friends of the young couple were present to witness the ceremony which was pronounced at 3 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Squires will make their home near Bullock.

**Mysterious "Treasure
 Hunt"**

**Ranger Agency
 To Distribute
 Eastland Water**

Plans for the marketing of the Eastland mineral water in Ranger was completed Saturday morning when a contract was signed between J. C. Pearson, Ranger Distilled Water Company, and Dr. R. C. Ferguson, Chairman of the Eastland company. Pearson will control the supply in Ranger, according to the agreement.
 Dr. Ferguson said Saturday that the bottling plant would be completed early next week, while it was also planned to build some small huts to take care of invalids on the ground. These huts would be built on the top of the hill where there was some beautiful scenery, he said.
 It was also shown that the monthly receipts for June was double the amount for May when the water was first really discovered, and Dr. Ferguson said that he was confident that the sales would be four times as much for July.

Records for the week showed that on Monday last over 200 persons visited the wells while during the week hundreds of persons from all over the state brought their jugs and huge bottles for a supply.

**Eastland Youths
 Wanted For The
 Citizens Camp**

Harry Brelsford, of Eastland, wishes young men of Eastland county who would like to attend the Citizens Training Camp to be held at Fort Bliss July 22, to August 22, to communicate with him at once.
 Mr. Brelsford received a communication from headquarters Saturday morning, which stated that the Texas quota for the camp was about 400 short and that this number must be made up throughout the State before the camp opens. It was a fine holiday for a young man, he said.

A hotel in Syracuse, N. Y., has designed and built a roof sign that displays itself as well by night as by day. The letters are stamped out of heavy sheet metal and painted for daytime service. Floodlights mounted close by make the sign stand out sharply against the night sky.

**Mysterious "Treasure
 Hunt"**

**Women Wear
 Fewer Clothes
 Than Ever Before**

By HEDDA HOYT
 (Written for the United Press)
NEW YORK, July 6.—This might be called the nude age of fashions. Both because women are wearing fewer clothes than they ever have had because nude colors are those most in demand.
 Nude effects in color rule throughout the entire list of feminine apparel. Stockings are nude, shoes are nude, frocks, hats and wraps are nude. Gloves, handbags, undergarments, laces and furs are nude. One can't be dressed off color if one is dressed in nude tones. For smart sports wear, nude colors are those most popular with women of taste.
 For afternoon wear, the frock of nude chiffon or lace is considered far smarter than the flowered chiffon or the colorful frock. And even for evening occasions we find that the various so-called nude shades are those most sought after by the fashionably dressed.
 Nude shades range from pale tans, rose tans, beige, pastel yellows, flesh pinks, etc., to actual nude shades which tone perfectly with the color of the flesh. They are particularly becoming to blonds in the lighter shadings. Brunettes find that rose nude tones are best suited to their coloring.
 Recently introduced are felt hats

of nude shades and these are becoming to the majority of women. Where the frock is of a vivid shade, the trimming such as collar, cuffs, buttons and piping is often carried out in tan or nude tones. Gloves, handbags and accessories are often lovely in these soft tones since they correspond with hosiery and shoes and aid in carrying out a harmonizing color effect.
 Of course, no one insists upon a monotone nude effect, for that would soon become monotonous. There must always be some bright shade added as a high light for the nude

ensemble. Perhaps, it is a handkerchief, a corsage, or a scarf! Red is one of the chosen colors which harmonizes with nude tones and we find a great deal of red used on nude sweaters, ensembles, jumper frocks and hats.
 China is using more electricity every year. There is considerable demand throughout the country for self-contained electric light plants where no central station service is available.

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 The following merchants of Ranger have agreed to close their places of business at 6 o'clock each day of the week except Saturday on which day they will close at 10 p. m. This to take effect Monday, July 12, 1926. They will make a trial of this during July and August and if satisfactory, may be continued:

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The Globe Store	J. H. Mead
B. Bronstein	J. C. Smith's Store
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E. H. & A. Davis	Killingsworth-Cox Co.
Ranger Shoe Co.	Ranger Furniture Exchange
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BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Standing of the Teams, W. L., Pct. American Legion, Salesmen, Lions, Modern Woodmen, Leveille-Maher Motor, Oilbelt Motor.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Standing of the Teams, W. L., Pct. San Antonio, Dallas, Beaumont, Fort Worth, Houston, Shreveport, Wichita Falls, Waco.

Yesterday's Results.

Shreveport 6, Dallas 5. Waco 9, Houston 6. Fort Worth 6, Wichita Falls 3. Beaumont 4, San Antonio 3.

Today's Schedule.

Dallas at Shreveport. Waco at Houston. Beaumont at San Antonio. Fort Worth at Wichita Falls.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Standing of the Teams, W. L., Pct. Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Chicago, Brooklyn, New York, Philadelphia, Boston.

Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis 18, Boston 6. Chicago 6-3, Brooklyn 4-1. Pittsburgh 9, Philadelphia 4. New York 8, Cincinnati 4.

Today's Schedule.

Boston at St. Louis. Brooklyn at Chicago. New York at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Standing of the Teams, W. L., Pct. New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, St. Louis, Boston.

Yesterday's Results.

Washington 19, St. Louis 4. New York 4, Cleveland 3. Philadelphia 17, Chicago 14. Detroit 5-4, Boston 6-2.

Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at Washington. Cleveland at New York.

Spectacular 5' Will Entertain At High School

"The Spectacular 4" will entertain at the Ranger High school, Wednesday night at 8:15 o'clock under the patronage of the auxiliary of the American Legion. These four entertainers are boys from Southern Methodist university, who are working their way through college by giving concerts at various places and come to Ranger most highly recommended. They are said to be fine musicians and clever dramatists and will give a one-act play, in connection with the program. The program will begin at 8:15, and promises to be one of the most delightful ever given in Ranger. Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

UPSALA UNIVERSITY NOW 450 YEARS OLD

By United Press. UPSALA, Sweden.—Upsala university, where Crown Prince Gustav Adolphus was once a student and where his two oldest sons are now enrolled, is now preparing to celebrate next year its 450th anniversary. Founded in 1477, it is the oldest university in northern Europe, and has been called the cradle of culture in Sweden. Among the candidates mentioned for the next president is Prof. Osten Unden, former minister of foreign affairs, who last spring attracted world wide attention by his firm stand at Geneva against an enlargement of the council of the League of Nations.

Stamford Buys Airplane to Use Commercially

By United Press. STAMFORD, July 10.—To encourage the use of air traffic, the city of Stamford has not only provided one of the most up-to-date municipal flying fields, but recently has purchased a plane for use in inter-city transportation. Jan. Lee, veteran aviator of Love field, brought the plane from Dallas to its new owners.

Governor of Hawaii Gets Seven Cents Wages

HONOLULU.—A certified check for seven cents was presented to Honolulu R. Farrington, governor of Hawaii, by the Matson Navigation company here recently, in payment for labor done by the executive in Philadelphia shipyards. While on an official trip to the mainland, Governor Farrington inspected the building of the S. S. Honolulu, new passenger liner which will be put on the Honolulu-San Francisco run next year. At the request of the builders, he drove a rivet to the hull of the boat. The com-

French Tennis Players Lacking In Physique

By United Press. LONDON.—All that the French tennis players need to become international leaders in the courts is more stamina coming from a stronger physique, in the opinion of Miss Mary K. Brown, captain of the American women's team and the finalist against Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen in the French national hard court championships. "It is amazing to see the development of French players since the end of the war," Miss Brown said. "Mlle. Lenglen, Rene Lacoste, Henri Cochet and Jean Borotra, France has four of the best tennis players in the world and in a few years some of the younger players should make France the ranking tennis nation of the world. "Lacoste is one of the finest styl-ists in the game. His form is almost as perfect as that of Billy Johnston and he has a sound knowledge of the game. He lacks strength, however, and until he gets more stamina he will be handicapped always against such players as Bill Tilden and Vin-nie Richards. "Borotra is a brilliant player, but he also is weak physically and he burns himself out on the court. He is the same type of a player that Maury McLaughlin was and he can't possibly play as long as Lacoste or Johnston. "Billy Johnston has been a front ranking player for years and he will be able to play for many more years because he has such perfect form that he never has to waste a motion. Borotra does a lot of dashing around the court and it takes too much of his strength to keep his best game going. "Mlle. Lenglen, of course, is superb. She is the greatest woman player in the world and there is no doubt of that. She may have given grounds to be criticized at times but never because of her tennis. "Compared to Lacoste, Borotra is like Jess Sweetser compared to Bobby Jones in golf. Jones is the perfect stylist. He will be able to play championship golf for years. Sweetser has a game that burns him up. He is perfect one day and off the next." The French people, according to Miss Brown, are just realizing the importance of teaching youngsters to play. The effects of the war, of course, have been felt but even before that the French children did not have the opportunity to engage in sports and athletics like the American, English and German youngsters. Now the French government is giving serious attention to the promotion of a general scheme of national athletics and the results already are manifest in the improvement shown in the younger tennis players. "With the alert mind the French have and their quickness of hand and foot, there is no reason why the French should not be the best of tennis players when they get developed physically," Miss Brown said. "Tennis seems to be adapted especially to the French temperament and there is no reason why tennis should not become a French national game as cricket is in England and baseball in the United States."

SCIOFO COUNTRY CLUB, COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 10.—Bobbie Jones, the amateur British championship winner, bid for America's premier golfing honors, and won—not only the 1926 open championship, but rounds of acclaim from the multitude. The Atlanta youngster demonstrated without fear of contradiction that he was the greatest son of the fairway for all time. It was a wild gallery that followed him through the stone terrace of Scioto, where he received the national open trophy, a huge, highly gilded loving cup. It was a margin of one stroke, that the cool but determined Bobby went home to victory one stroke ahead of Joe Turnesa, the young and brilliant Italian-American, who crashed under the fierce strain. Pushing steadily ahead behind Jones and Turnesa, came "Wild Bill" Mehlhorn of Chicago. Mehlhorn started the play Thursday with a sensational 68 for the first 18 holes. Few times in the history of golf has there been so hotly contested a tournament.

Sammy Sandow Wins A Decision Over Victor King

By United Press. EL PASO, July 10.—Sammy Sandow, reputed southwestern feather-weight champion, was awarded a knockout over Vic King, Australian champion, here last night. A near riot followed the decision when Sandow forced King through the ropes and he fell to the floor and was unable to return to the ring.

National Guard Protects Negro Slayer In Miss.

By United Press. CLARKSVILLE, Miss., July 10.—Twenty national guardsmen surrounded the Boone county jail today to prevent any violence to Sylvester Mackey, a negro slayer of Frank Smith, deputy sheriff. Smith was shot Thursday without warning by the negro who had been picked up as a vagrant. A mob tried to lynch him, but was prevented by Sheriff Pippin.

Plan To Compel Officers To Have Uniforms Made

By United Press. WASHINGTON, July 10.—A step in the campaign to take the government out of business may cause many, marine corps and coast guard officers to purchase their uniforms from tailors, instead of being allowed to purchase them from government at cost. Rep. Purnell, Republican, Indiana, has introduced into the house a bill to repeal authorization for these officers to get uniforms at cost, which will be carried over to the winter session of congress. Purnell thinks private enterprise should carry on such business whenever possible.

"Vanity Case"

Here's Jap Davis Cup Team



This picture of the Japanese Davis Cup team was snapped after it had defeated Mexico. Left to right: Sechio Tawara, Tekeichi Harada, Zenzo Shimizu (captain), and Toiso Toba. Shimizu and the sensational young Harada make up the doubles team.

Hang Your Clothes on a Hickory Limb, But—



Oilbelts Romp On The Legionnaires And Win, 5 to 3

The Oilbelt Motor company's team "poured it on" the boys that represent the American Legion in a hard fought battle on the Nitro park diamond late Friday afternoon. Dark-ness settled the affair which resulted in a score, Oilbelt Motor 5, American Legion 3. Both pitchers were in good form, although a little wild, and sharp fielding kept the score down. Hood, the wily, was on the mound for the Oilbelt lads, while Judy was there for the Doughboys. The loss by the Legion team throws the Salesmen around the top, and with the others showing a decided improvement in playing, it may be that the salesmen will become the target for the others to shoot at in the wind-up. The Leveille-Maher boys are coming up strong, as are the Wood-men and the Lions. The second half is under way and all have their eyes on that big trophy that goes to winners of the play-off. Fairly good twilight crowds are attending the games. Col. George Nourse, official ump, has been giving general satisfaction throughout the season, and runs his game in great style.

Trotting Entries Are Filling Up For Smithville

By United Press. SMITHVILLE, Mo., July 10.—With entries from ten states, Smithville is preparing for a gala event July 13 to 17—the first horse racing of any extent in Clay county for many years. A new track—one of the finest of this section—has been built by the Smithville Fair Association and a 5-day meet is scheduled to celebrate the occasion. Trotters and pacers will have the feature places on the programs, with one saddle-horse race each day. Entries from Colorado, Kansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Missouri, Iowa, Indiana, Nebraska and Illinois have been received, the most of them setting caps for the \$2,000 prize to be awarded in the 2:10 class. This prize was donated by a Kansas City hotel. Smithville is twenty miles from Kansas City by motor on a concrete highway, and this combined with the fact that there have been no feature races in this section of the country for some time leads officials to expect a record crowd for the occasion. The New York city police department is using 106 radio sets in various posts by which men on duty receive flash reports from the municipal broadcast station, WNYC. This is intended to speed up the city's defense system against criminals attempting to escape.

New Yorker Denies He Is High Bidder For Kansas City Star

By United Press. KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 10.—Frank E. Jannett, publisher of agricultural newspapers in New York state, denied today following a conference with the trustees of the William R. Nelson estate charged with selling the Kansas City Star, that he had been informed he was high bidder for that newspaper. Jannett's denial followed reports that his bid, one of eight for the Nelson newspaper property, had been declared by the trustees a ranking offer.

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Magnolias And Miners Play In Thurber Today

Ranger and Thurber will meet at 3:30 this afternoon on the Thurber diamond for their regular Sunday baseball game, for now that there are only two contenders left for the pennant in the Oil Belt league, the games will be played alternately at Ranger and Thurber. When Breckenridge and Eastland dropped out, played out or blew up—which ever they did—it left these two strong teams still rarin' to go. They have not thought of terminating the race until one or the other wins the pennant, so they are in for keeps and baseball fans, while they may grow tired of the sameness of only two teams, still can't complain that they won't find a game one place or the other each Sunday. Both teams are good and both are in until the finish. It is expected that a loyal bunch of fans will follow the Ranger Magnolias to Thurber this afternoon and stand by the Magns just as loyally as the Thurberites will stand by the Miners. The game will be called at 3:30, and according to the dope of both managers, McGarvey for the Magnolias and Ochiltree for the Miners, each is sure of the game, so the end is just up to the score. In early days the Grand Trunk railway delivered eastbound passengers across the St. Lawrence river into Montreal each winter by laying tracks on the ice. Ferries did the job in summer. That was before engineers knew how to build long bridges. Nowadays the same railroad line enters Montreal through a long tunnel that is economical of operation and pleasant for passengers because only electric motive power is used.

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Bureau of Mines Publishes Paper On Conservation

The study of oil production methods with reference to the amount of oil originally present in the oil-bearing formations has developed the fact that ordinary methods of production remove only a part of the oil actually present, state D. B. Dow and L. P. Calkin in serial 2732, recently issued by the Bureau of Mines. In fact, it is generally realized that when a field is abandoned more oil remains in the sand than has ever been removed. As a consequence of this realization, the petroleum engineer has devoted considerable time in recent years to devising methods for increasing the percentage of recovery. His studies have indicated that in most cases the total production of a field is dependent upon the available gas rather than upon the available oil. When the gas in the sand is exhausted, oil production ceases even though there may be enormous quantities of oil remaining unrecovered. Consequently, any method of conserving the gas or increasing the supply of gas will increase the ultimate recovery from a field. The practice of producing oil under vacuum increases the effectiveness of the gas remaining in the sand, as well as furnishing more gas by evaporating the light fractions of the crude. Pumping compressed gas or air down selected wells of a lease has been found to increase the production of oil from the surrounding wells.

Studies of oil and gas ratios have indicated that much of the available gas has been wasted as far as its effectiveness on oil production is concerned. This had led to the development of "stop coking" and the practice of producing under back pressure, which methods aim to obtain more effective work from the gas with reference to the amount of oil delivered to the well. The gas available in an oil sand is present in two forms; above the oil in the gaseous state, and throughout the oil in the form of dissolved gas. Obviously then, in the study of any of the production methods previously mentioned, dissolved gas must be taken into consideration as well as free gas, for with a pressure drop much of the dissolved gas becomes free gas and serves to deliver oil to the well. Data have been presented in serial 2732 covering the effect of natural gas and air when dissolved in crude oils. These data include the effect of pressure and temperature on solution and show the relationship existing between different types of crudes with reference to their solvent action. The effect of dissolved gas on the gravity of an oil is shown. Data are also submitted showing the effect of dissolved gas and dissolved air on the viscosity of different crude oils.

Mexico is improving its electric wiring. A new code for that country has been adopted which will raise the standards of electrical installation toward the level already attained in the United States under the real safety plan for homes and under the national safety code, both of which are well known now in this country.

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Another Match Between Lenglen And Wills Possible

By HENRY L. FARRELL (United Press Staff Correspondent)
Another meeting between Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen and Miss Helen Wills for the world's tennis championship, if it could be staged in the United States probably would be the most interesting athletic contest that ever has been held.

It is quite likely that it would cause as much discussion as a heavyweight championship fight and draw as many spectators if a stadium large enough was available. The recent disappointment that followed the forced default of Miss Wills in the French national championships increased instead of lessened the interest in the match between the two girls. The interest is by no means confined to France and the United States as was shown during the recent French hard court championships.

The star correspondent of one of the largest news agencies in Europe was recalled from the League of Nations sessions at Geneva with instructions to turn over his assignment to a relief man and hurry to Paris for the Lenglen-Wills match. There has been much discussion in France and the United States about the attitude of Mlle. Lenglen toward another invasion of the United States. She was quoted during the Paris championships as saying that she would not go to the United States this summer and that she would never play there again. The statement was denied later by her and one of her party.

Following her victory over Miss Mary Browne in the French championships in which critics who have followed her game for years said she showed the greatest form of her career, she was asked by the writer if she would be willing to return to the United States if invited. It was pointed out that her first experience in Forest Hills must have been distressing but that there were enough sportsmen in New York, with an appreciation of artistry to assure her of a pleasant visit. "I never have said that I would not play again in the United States," Mlle. Lenglen said. "I read many things in the papers that quote me on subjects that I never have been asked about. "I never have complained about my ill treatment I received in the United States and I meant nothing when I remarked that I sympathized with Miss Wills' misfortune in a foreign country because I once had been ill in a strange land. "Right now I cannot say that I will not play in the United States this summer or in any years to come. I may and I may not. I have not been asked to make a decision. "About those offers to turn professional I know nothing and I don't believe it necessary to answer a proposition that never has been presented to me. I never met those gentlemen who manage your Red Grange and never heard of them until I saw the notices in the paper. I even had to ask some American friends who your Red Grange was." While she laughed off the suggestion, there were good reasons to believe that she was not overly fond of American newspapermen but she may have changed her opinion after the Browne match. The Americans were the first to congratulate her on her fine game and she replied sincerely: "That is very sweet of you American boys."

Pennsylvania Swelters in Heat; 1 Killed in Storm

By United Press.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 10.—Pennsylvania today faced the hottest day of the season with the mercury at 80 degrees here, and 84 degrees in Philadelphia at 10 o'clock this morning. One person was killed and twenty-one injured at Erie last night when the storm ripped a tent of the 101 Ranch Show.

Study of Natural Gas by Analysis Worries Chemists

Accurate determination of the constituents of natural gas has proved a stumbling block to gas analysts unfamiliar with the work, states the Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce, in Bulletin 197, recently issued. Technical forms of gas-analysis apparatus and established rules for bringing a gas mixture in contact with the absorbents for different constituents are not always effective. Many samples contain absorbable constituents, such as carbon dioxide and oxygen, in extremely small quantities. The fact that oxygen may be a constant constituent of natural gas as its leaves a well has not been determined absolutely. The Bureau believes that the traces of oxygen reported in some samples were due to contamination of the samples with air.

Olefin hydrocarbons and carbon monoxide have not been identified in the samples already received at the Bureau's Pittsburgh laboratory, if the natural gas had not been mixed with artificial gas. Because higher members of the paraffin series are absorbed by fuming sulphuric acid and cuprous chloride, a natural gas that does not contain olefin hydrocarbons or carbon monoxide but does contain these higher members of the paraffin series, when treated with these solutions will undergo a reduction in volume and lead the analyst to a wrong conclusion.

Natural gas usually contains a large proportion of paraffin hydrocarbons, some samples as much as 99 per cent, so that if the paraffins are determined by extension methods in which a small quantity of gas is used a slight error of manipulation will be multiplied 10 or 12 times in the calculating results to a percentage basis. Methane is the only hydrocarbon that some natural gases contain; but if a small quantity of sample is taken for the combustion analysis, errors are magnified. The relation between the volume of carbon dioxide and the contraction produced by the combustion may indicate hydrogen, although this gas is absent. Although the error in the observed data may be small, by calculation to a percentage basis it may amount to several per cent of hydrogen. Many published analyses of natural gas are undoubtedly much in error from such causes.

The paraffin hydrocarbons that are gaseous at ordinary temperatures are methane, ethane, propane, and butane. Since the last two are liquefied at ordinary temperatures by pressures below those existing in most producing wells, quantities other than small proportions carried by the permanent gases would hardly be found in natural gases coming from wells under very high pressure. On the other hand, gases drawn from wells under a partial vacuum may contain large amounts of these and higher paraffins.

Dallas Lands Balloon Weather Observation Place

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, July 10.—Twenty-one balloon weather observation stations are being established by the United States Weather Bureau along the thirteen air mail routes now in operation, the Department of Agriculture announced today. Ten of the stations will be put in operation this month. Locations of the stations include one at Dallas and one at Oklahoma City.

ATTORNEY BUDLONG SPRINGS SURPRISE
By United Press.
NEWPORT, A. I., July 10.—"Attorney" Jessie Margaret Budlong sprang a surprise with the resumption of the trial of her husband's divorce suit by resting her case without finishing the story of her married life.

FLOWER SHOW WILL BE PART OF COUNTY FAIR THIS FALL; BABY SHOW IN CONNECTION

For seven years under the auspices of the Civic League of Eastland a flower show has been held in this city every fall. This has been an outstanding feature each year. This year the eighth annual show will be held in connection with the Central West Texas fair under the direction of the Civic League. A suitable building will be provided and premiums will be offered in all departments. It will be noticed that this department has been enlarged and a number of classes have been added. Read the premium lists carefully.

One of the attractive features will be the better baby show. This department was inaugurated by the Civic League last year and was a remarkable success. This year arrangements are being perfected to make this even better. Adequate facilities will be provided to take care of the show in a satisfactory manner.

Officers of the Civic League: President, Mrs. W. K. Jackson; first vice president, Mrs. Tom Harrell; second vice president, Mrs. George W. Dakan; recording secretary, Mrs. George E. Franklin; corresponding secretary, Mrs. George K. Taggart; treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Martin; parliamentarian, Mrs. W. Z. Nutt; custodian, Mrs. J. Laurant; custodian, Mrs. D. B. Roark; chairman of the year-book, Mrs. Earle C. Johnson; chairman of membership, Mrs. Allen Dabney; chairman of better baby department of flower show, Mrs. Tom Harrell; chairman community clubhouse and library home, Mrs. McCullough.

Mrs. W. K. Jackson, general chairman of flower show, Assistant chairmen: Mrs. C. Satterwhite, Mrs. K. B. Tanner, Mrs. W. T. Garrett, Mrs. Tom Harrell, Mrs. Joseph M. Weaver, Mrs. G. W. Dakan, Mrs. Earl Conner, Mrs. Allen D. Dabney, Mrs. M. McCullough, Mrs. John M. Mouser, Mrs. T. L. Fagg, Mrs. H. P. Brelsford, Mrs. Earle Johnson, Mrs. W. Z. Bates, Mrs. O. F. Chastain, Mrs. R. H. Bush.

Chairman better baby department, Mrs. Tom Harrell. Committee on award, Mrs. Allen Dabney, Mrs. Frank Lovett, Mrs. Tom Harrell.

Each assistant chairman will appoint her own committee of three members. All the ladies of Eastland are requested to assist.

Entries in all departments must be made by 10 o'clock Wednesday, Sept. 22.

- Class 0—Cut flowers:**
Largest home-grown single yard collection of roses; \$2, \$1, ribbon.
Best collection of rosebuds from single yard; \$2.50, \$1, ribbon.
Best rosebud, any variety; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Best bouquet of old-fashioned flowers; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Potted plants:
Best miscellaneous collection of ferns; \$3, \$1, ribbon.
Best Boston fern; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Best fern; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Best single plant, any variety; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Most unusual plant; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Most attractive plant with blooms; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Chrysanthemums:
Largest variety bouquet home-grown from single yard; \$3, \$1.50, ribbon.
Largest and most perfect single bloom, home-grown; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Class P—Art-needle work:
Best individual collection of handwork; \$3, \$1.50, ribbon.
Best simple piece of embroidery; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Best hooped rug; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Most intricate stitch on bedspread or quilt not heretofore receiving a prize; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Best hand-made article (pillows, lamp-shades, etc.); \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Best article made from old clothing; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Class Q—Better babies:
Best baby 12 months old and under; \$3, \$2, ribbon.
Best baby 12 months to 24 months old; \$3, \$2, ribbon.
Class R—Girls' work (age 10 to 17 years):
Best piece of embroidery (any article); \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Best finished garment (dress not included); \$1, 75c, ribbon.

BY SISTER MARY
BREAKFAST—Chilled cantaloupe, creamed dried beef on graham toast, corn cream, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON—Baked spinach, raisin graham bread, berries with cream, cup cakes, milk, tea.
DINNER—Broiled mutton chops, baked new potatoes, creamed kale, cornmeal bread, Nancy's lemon pie, milk, coffee.
Children under ten years of age should be served at breakfast of stewed fruit or fruit juice, cereal, thin cream, crisp toast and milk. The meal suggested in the day's menu is for adults.
This lemon pie is quite different from the usual variety covered with a meringue. Men always like it.
Nancy's Lemon Pie
One and one-fourth cups sugar, 1 tablespoon flour, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 lemon, 1 cup water, 3 eggs, 2 3/4 cup flour, 1 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 1/2 teaspoon baking powder, 3 tablespoons lard, 2 tablespoons cold water.
Mix and sift flour, salt and baking powder. Rub in lard, using a "mixer" or tips of fingers. Add water, kneading only enough to hold dough together. Roll on a floured molding board, rolling away from the center and keeping the dough as perfectly round as possible. Make about 1 1/4 inch thick. Line a pie pan with paste and chill in the refrigerator while making the filling.
Mix and sift sugar and 1 tablespoonful of flour. Rub in butter, grated rind and juice of lemon and yolks of eggs well beaten. Add water. Beat well and fold in whites of egg beaten until stiff and dry. Pour into chilled pastry and put into a hot oven for fifteen minutes. Reduce heat and bake in a slow oven for forty-five minutes. Serve cold.
Pastry flour should be used in making the crust.
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not more than four; \$3, \$1.50, ribbon.
Pastel painting:
Pastel study in still life; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Pastel flowers; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Pastel landscape; \$1, 75c, ribbon.
Art loan department:
All art work not actually made by the exhibitor and not entered for a prize will be placed in this department. People owning works of art that might be of interest to the public and who are willing to lend them to the Civic League, bring them to the art department in the morning of the first day.
Relic and curio department:
This was one of the interesting features of the flower show last year. This year proper space will be allotted and the Civic League would appreciate any loan of such articles for the period of the fair.
Care will be taken to protect and preserve all exhibits, but the Civic League will not be responsible for loss or damages.

FREAK WINDSTORM PLUCKS CHICKENS

By United Press.
BETHANY, Mo., July 10.—Chickens stripped of their feathers and dismembered, with even the pin feathers on the legs picked clean, was one of the freaks of a storm that passed over this section, reported by residents.
Fred Crous, a farmer, says he watched from his house a riding plow picked up by the wind and carried to the side of his barn, wrecked by the storm.

RANGER POLICE RECOVER STOLEN CAR

A car that was stolen from a private garage near Mirror lake, Thursday, has been recovered by the Ranger police. It was evidently taken by some joy riders, as it was found deserted and intact out on the highway, with the keys in the lock.



Grandmother's umbrella, remodelled for the beach and motor! It is covered with blue and rose cretonne and the handle is jointed.

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A rumor has come to me to the effect one or two of your stockholders are under the impression I have not given the association my influence and support. There is absolutely no foundation for such belief, as I have talked and agitated the organizing of a Building and Loan Association form the time I moved to Ranger.

I spent some two weeks last summer with a Mr. Firmin of Fort Worth trying to get the citizens of Ranger interested in such a movement, however, before plans were perfected Mr. Firmin was offered and accepted, a responsible position elsewhere. I make mention of this only to confirm my previous statement, viz: That Building and Loan Associations do more for the upbuilding of a city than most any other enterprise.

It has been my policy to boost and recommend the Ranger Building and Loan Association to all my friends, and in order for Ranger to prosper as we wish it to, every citizen should render his or her moral support to the organization.

Sincerely yours,
W. W. HOUSEWRIGHT,
Vice-President

Quien Sabe Club Band Renders A Selection, Ranger

Hundreds of Ranger people were disappointed Saturday when they gathered at the Texas & Pacific station to greet the Quien Sabe special from El Paso that they could not stay here the 20 minutes promised. They liked the sample of entertainment this bunch of live Elks had to offer and the only regret was that the Sunshine does not wait for visiting Elks or others, but moves on schedule time.

The Rey Reyes Mexican band, in natty uniforms of blue and red, did favor the waiting crowd, that filled the long promenade at the station to capacity, with a selection that filled their hearts with joy and made them realize what an asset the El Pasoans had along with them.

Several Ranger Elks were down to give them the glad hand, and at the last minute J. B. Heister changed his mind and went along with the bunch. A number of El Paso Elks got off the train, shook hands with some of their old-time friends, among whom were Raymond Teal, Mr. Powell of Heid Bros., and others, as well as meeting other Ranger Elks who formed a welcoming party. They distributed as favors miniature Mexican hats, which bore their badge, "B. P. O. E., El Paso, No. 187."

The Elks themselves were colorful with their big sombreros, and gay sashes and even the blind could tell where they hailed from—they seemed to fairly shout the romance and color of that border city.

Among those who greeted an old-time friend was Mr. Van Dyke, introduced by Wade Swift, as "the mayor of Miami, Ariz." Mr. Swift said "it was a one-man town and he was the only man in it." It was not hard to "sabe" the fact that the El Pasoans, numbering some 150 persons, will get all out of the trip that it expects to get—even perhaps to bringing home the next meeting of the national convention, if they go after it.

Electric sirens are just beginning to replace bells on the fire apparatus of Australian cities.

"Ma" Hears Fight Made by Ponzi On His Extradition

AUSTIN, July 10. — Governor Miriam A. Ferguson today heard the extradition case of Charles Ponzi, financial wizard, wanted in Boston. She withheld her decision.

More evidence will be taken later this month, perhaps on July 26. "Ma" has not definitely set the date of the next hearing, but it will be sometime this month.

Unaided by her husband, Mrs. Ferguson seemed lost in a maze of technicalities thrown at her. Her secretary, Ghent Sanderford, sitting by her side in her private office prompted her as the hearing progressed.

No Modification Of Debt Funding For The French

WASHINGTON, July 10.—There will be no modification of the French debt funding settlement, and probably no American loans to France until that government ratifies the funding agreement, a ranking member of the American debt commission indicated today in flatly denying reported statements of Financial Minister Caillaux that a modification of the arrangements are being contemplated.

COUNTY AGENT BUSH IS RANGER VISITOR

County Agent Bush was in Ranger Saturday looking after crop conditions in this section of the county. According to Secretary C. C. Patterson, he found no cotton fleas in this vicinity, but did find some trace of the weevil and quite a few grasshoppers. Farmers wishing to get in touch with Mr. Bush in regard to handling these pests can do so by phoning any bank in Eastland or the Eastland Chamber of Commerce.

Thieves Pulled Lock and Then Get Frightened

Evidently frightened before they made a haul, robbers pulled the bolts of the J. F. Dill grocery store on North Austin street, Ranger, Friday night, and then made their get-away.

As far as Mr. Dill has been able to ascertain, there is nothing missing and it is thought that the thief or thieves after getting the front door open became frightened and ran. The night watchman discovered that the door had been tampered with and telephoned Mr. Dill, who came down and fixed the lock.

Earlier in the evening the police department had a call saying that someone was trying to break into the rear of another store on Main street, but there was nothing to it, as they found only a bookkeeper working on his accounts in the rear of the store, and it was thought by the police that some one saw the light and thought it was a being burglarized.

Medina Lake Fishing Good Past Few Weeks

SAN ANTONIO, July 10.—Fishing at Medina lake, popular angling grounds for Texas Isaac Waltons, near here, is better this season than for a number of years, William H. Furlong, highway manager of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, advises.

Many large catches, including bass, speckled trout and crappie have been reported the last few weeks, according to Furlong.

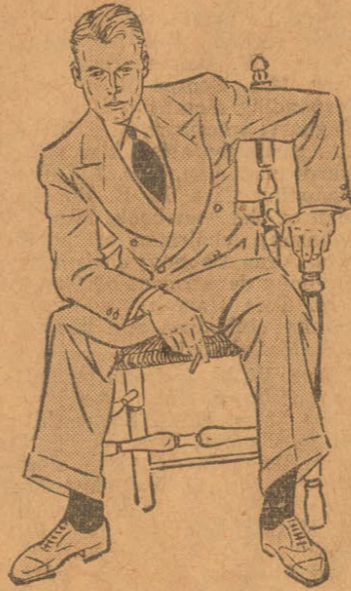
The annual visitation of motor tourists and sportsmen to Medina lake is heavier this summer than usual and autoists are finding good highways for their outing trips in the vicinity of San Antonio.

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Special offering of one lot of Union Suits in novelties, both white and colored, worth up to \$4, now \$1.95. A second lot of Unions in our regular \$2.00 values are offered at only **\$1.19**

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A SHARP ONE.

Tourist: "What's that beast?"
Native: "That's a razorback hawg, suh."
"What's he rubbing himself on the tree for?"
"Jest stropping hisself, suh, jest stropping hisself."—Good Hardware.

RANGER DAILY TIMES

RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 11, 1926

A MISTAKE SOMEWHERE.

"Mother," said little Bobby, bursting into the house, "there's going to be the deuce to pay down at the grocers'. His wife has got a baby girl and he's had a 'Boy Wanted' sign in the window for a week."—The Progressive Grocer.

SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

MONDAY.
W. M. U. of First Baptist church meets at church at 3:30 p. m.
W. M. S. of Methodist church meets at church at 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY.
Ad Libitum club meets at 2:30 at Acorn Acres with Mrs. J. A. Shaw.
Rotary club luncheon at 12:15, Gholson.
Prayer meeting at all churches at 8 p. m.

THURSDAY.
Thursday Bridge club meets with Mrs. Frank Brabney at 9:30 a. m.
Lions club luncheon at 12:15, DeGroof hotel.

FRIDAY.
Twentieth Century club meets at 2:30 with Mrs. M. L. Holland.

HONORS FORT WORTH GUEST.

Miss Theo Stidham, at her parents' home in the Tee Pee camp, gave a party Wednesday evening in honor of her guests, Miss Alline Mitchell of Fort Worth.

Games were played and delightful refreshments were served, making it an altogether happy affair.

Invited guests were Evelyn Long, Kenneth Wier, Joy Leake, Mary McNeil, Joe Burch, Agnes Reuser, Bernadine Kribbs, Minnie Hayden, Lillian Colburn, Isabelle Way of Strawn, James White, Leroy Johnson, Teddy Wagner, Moorman Wagner, Arnold Taggart, Bobby Sanderford, Joe McDonald, Graham Seigers, Wilbur Jones, Polk Robison, Allen Baker and Edgar Barker.

DELPHIANS ANNOUNCE PROGRAM FOR JULY 22.

In order that there may be ample time in which to prepare this program, the Delphians announce the following program for their next meeting on Thursday, July 22, at 2:30 p. m., at the Gholson. The subject will be current events with the subjects assigned as below:
Sketch the origin and progress of the general British strike, Mrs. N. A. Jennet. Explain the statement that a general strike is a political weapon and not an industrial one, Mrs. J. F. Dreinhofer. What are the basic troubles in the British coal industry and how does their coal problems compare with ours, Mrs. E. H. Chaplin. How has our dispute with Mexico been disposed of, Mrs. Guy Cummings. Why is Vasconcelos opposed to military dictators? Do the facts of history prove his case against the conquistadores? Mrs. Pat O'Donnell. Do you think Mexico is justified in her determination to administer her country's resources primarily for her own citizens? Mrs. Dean Beard. How would Borah's policy of having men vote and talk as they think and act, clarify the prohibition question? Mrs.

A MOVING PICTURE TRAGEDY IN AN ANCIENT CASTLE



Rabbs Castle in lower Austria, relic of medieval days, is the scene of a sensational tragedy, involving three titled Europeans, that rivals the movies. The Boran Klinger (shown at left with

his son) and his beautiful wife (center) lived there happily until they visited Prince Cyril Orloff of Russia (right) to visit them. Orloff forced his attentions on the baroness; she complained to her husband. The baron and the

prince fought a duel. The prince was killed and the baron seriously wounded. And the baroness, overcome by the tragedy, locked herself in her room and killed herself.

O. L. Phillips. Why is the instability of the French franc so hard to explain; show that the difficulty is political rather than economic, Mrs. E. H. Chaplin. Why is Northern Africa important internationally? Mrs. B. E. Rigby. Account for the sympathy Abd-El-Krim has aroused in practically all American newspapers, Mrs. G. B. McClelland.

Summarize the arrangements for various foreign debt settlements which the United States has made, Mrs. E. L. Shattuck. Do you feel that there is any good reason for the attitude of Europe toward us in this matter of debt? Mrs. A. W. Turner. What brought about the revolution in Poland, and what brought about the Damascus atrocity, Mrs. A. Joseph. Answers to all questions are to be found in July Delphian quarterly.

W. M. S. ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A called

business session will be held prior to the missionary study. Mrs. L. H. Flewelling will conduct the study hour. All members are asked to be present.

AD LIBITUM CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Ad Libitum club will meet Wednesday afternoon at Acorn Acres with Mrs. J. A. Shaw, at 2:30 o'clock. Members please take notice of time and place.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB TO MEET.

The Thursday Bridge club will meet Thursday morning at 9:30 with Mrs. Frank Brabney, at her home. Members note time.

FORMER RESIDENTS ARE HONORED.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Vandervort, of Tulsa, former residents of Ranger, have been receiving a most cordial welcome home during the past

week. On Sunday afternoon Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Lauderdale entertained for them with a chicken barbecue, given in their own pretty back yard and prior to Mr. Vandervort's departure Wednesday they were the honor guests at several informal affairs and dinners.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. M. K. Collier, whose house guest Mrs. Vandervort was for part of the week, entertained most informally with three tables of bridge in her honor, inviting only the old and intimate friends of her guest.

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. G. L. Phillips and L. H. Flewelling invited those "nearest and dearest" to Mrs. Vandervort, in for bridge, at the home of Mrs. Phillips, which is a most ideal place for a mid-summer party.

Other events are planned for this week, all of such a charming nature, as to make Mrs. Vandervort feel that her Ranger friends have not forgotten her and the prominent part she and her husband played in Ranger.

for Elk City, Oklahoma, to visit her grandfather. She will be away several weeks.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB TO MEET.

Mrs. M. L. Holland will entertain the members of the Twentieth Century Bridge Club, Friday afternoon at her home, at 2:30 o'clock.

THE MISSES JAMESON SAIL FOR EUROPE.

Misses Hallie and Rosalie Jameson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jameson, sailed for Europe with their parties last week. Miss Hallie's party sailed on Saturday, July 3 and Miss Rosalie's on Wednesday, July 5.

Miss Helen Cholson was the only other Rangerite to sail with their party this year, but there were a number of Dallas and Waco people in the party. Mrs. Rena B. Campbell has been made West Texas Agent for the Misses Jameson and thins that next year there will be several go from here.

FIRE QUEEN CHALLENGED BY SNOW ON VOLCANO.

By United Press.
HILO, Hawaii.—A snow storm visited the Hawaiian islands early this summer covering the summit of Mauna Kea, extinct volcano on the island of Hawaii.

According to Hawaiians who cling to the old island beliefs the snow mantle designates the appearance of Poliahu, snow goddess, traditional empress of Pele, goddess of fire. Poliahu, they say, comes to wage war with Pele, who recently proved her presence by sending lava down the slopes of Mauna Loa to the sea.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stanley of Amarillo will arrive in Ranger this week for a visit to their daughter, Mrs. M. K. Collier. At the conclusion of their visit, Mr. and Mrs. Collier and children will accompany them home for a short stay.

Miss Inez Walford, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Dean, returned to her home in Fort Worth today. She was accompanied home by Forrest Dean, who will visit there for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, of Stamford, are visiting friends and relatives in Ranger. Mr. Johnson was formerly with the Boston Store. Miss Norene Maxey left yesterday

CHURCHES

CENTRAL BAPTIST.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. N. O. White, superintendent. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Subject, "The Church and Its Beginning." Mrs. A. L. Leake, wife of the former pastor, will sing a special song also she will teach the Alethean class during the Sunday school hour. Evening worship, 8 p. m. The Christian, Methodist and Presbyterian churches will be our guests and Rev. Hall will preach. The choirs of all the above churches will participate in the song services.
Women's Missionary society Circle No. 1 will meet with Mrs. Oxenholser on Young street; Circle No. 1 will meet with Mrs. Swovelin; Circle No. 3 will meet with Mrs. Barker on Eastland hill. Sunbeam band will meet at the church at 3 p. m. O. Hamblen, pastor.

SPECIAL CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT.

As early as Dec. 7, 1925, the Pastors' alliance of Ranger was organized for the incoming year with G. D. Robison, president; H. B. Johnson, vice president; A. L. Leake, treasurer, and A. W. Hall, secretary.
In that meeting the question of a city-wide evangelistic campaign was discussed, and on motion of A. L. Leake, the secretary was instructed to write to Evangelist James Rayburn of Newton, Kan., relative to a revival meeting. It was found that Evangelist Rayburn had no suitable open date for the year 1926. So, at a meeting of the alliance held Feb. 3, 1926, an invitation was extended to William B. Hogg to lead us in our proposed revival meeting. This invitation was accepted and agreed to by the alliance, Feb. 23, 1926.
In harmony with the above action the alliance met Friday afternoon and agreed for each church to select three persons who, together with the pastors of the churches in the alliance constitute an executive committee to pass on matters relative to the evangelistic campaign. This committee is called to meet at the Christian Church tonight.
It was also agreed to hold our Sunday evening services together, the pastors preaching by turns until the revival opened Aug. 22. In accord with the above plans, the first outdoor service will be held with the Central Baptist church, A. W. Hall of the Methodist church being the preacher for the evening.
All the people are urged to meet at the places designated, the choirs of the city and all others co-operating in the fullest possible way. These services are being held in the interest of a larger Christian fellowship on the part of the people of Ranger. If you favor this, will you not attend and give the movement the benefit of your presence and support?
G. D. ROBISON,
President Pastors' Alliance.
A. W. HALL,
Secretary Pastors' Alliance.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Corner Walnut and Marston. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. S. B. Baker, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m. The pastor's subject, "God's Promise to His Waiting Ones." Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:30. Lucile Grant, leader. At 8 p. m. we will go to the Central Baptist church, where Christians, Presbyterians, Methodists, Baptists and all other denominations are invited to join in a great union service. Rev. A. W. Hall will preach this evening. Let us all make much of these union services.

FIRST BAPTIST.

Sunday school at the church at 9:45 a. m. Walter Gray, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, "What is Christianity?" Full choir with T. E. Vaughn leading. Night services on the lot west of Young schoolhouse, all the week. We are glad to note the increased attendance at these community services and we want all to attend and receive the uplift. W. H. Johnson, pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. E. T. Walton, superintendent. Preaching, 11 a. m., by the pastor. Golden Rule Bible class meets at Lamb theatre at 10 a. m., and the first chapter of Mark is the lesson for the day. Don't miss this class if you are not already connected with some men's class in the city. We have just finished the book of Matthew and all who have attended say they have gotten more out of the book than they had ever gotten before. Mr. Holloway always comes with something new, or with an old thought with new clothes on. Come and hear him. All the churches will come together at the evening service at Central Baptist church, for union services as we are getting ready for the great union revival that is to begin Aug. 22. All the rest of the summer, at the evening hour, there will be union services at one of the churches to be designated from time to time. Come and worship with us this morning.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Archdeacon Harry Lee Virden will preach at St. Mary's Episcopal church this evening at 8 o'clock. Members of the congregation and its friends are cordially invited to be present at this service.

METHODIST CHURCH.

This announcement is especially for every Methodist in Ranger. Whether you are in the habit of going to church or not, your pastor wants to meet you Sunday. When? At 11 o'clock. Where? At the Methodist church. Why? To discuss with you "What is the Matter With Ranger in General; and the Methodist Church in Particular." We are expecting a hot time. Come. A. W. Hall, pastor.

Ranger Stores Will Close Doors At 6 O'Clock Daily

Beginning Monday night and continuing for the rest of the month of July and all of the month of August, and perhaps longer, Ranger stores, with a few exceptions will close their doors at 6 o'clock week days and 10 o'clock on Saturday night.

Mrs. Alice True, secretary of the Ranger Retail Merchants Association has long had a dream of the early closing of Ranger stores, so on Saturday morning when a petition was circulated and twenty-two Ranger firms signed up to release their employees an hour earlier each afternoon, her dream came true.
This list included all dry goods, ladies and gents ready-to-wear stores, furniture and hardware and variety stores, excluding drug, groceries, auto salesrooms and garages.
This arrangement will work a hardship on no one, but infinite good for those who stand behind counters all day, for an extra hour in the afternoon in the summer time, leaves time for many plans to be realized, and will enable the clerks to return to their work the next day much fresher and better for the added hour, be it spent in rest or in the pursuit of pleasure.
The plan will be tried out through the summer months and if found practicable it will continue on into the winter months.
Heretofore it has been the custom of Ranger stores to stay open until 7 o'clock in the afternoon, and until 11 on Saturday nights.
By the new time the clerks and their employers will gain six golden hours of rest that they need and deserve, and at the same time the public will be served just as efficiently and expertly.

Pastel Shades Predominate In Summer Frocks

By HEDDA HOYT.
(Written for the United Press.)
NEW YORK, July 10.—Since the main business of the summer frock is to be colorful we offer a few new color suggestions. Black, navy and dark shades are almost disappearing as warm weather creeps on. Pastel shades rule for play and evening wear.
Claret and wine shades are the newest to appear in smart Fifth avenue shop windows. One can hardly describe the new wine shade since it has a rose hue that is indescribable in its loveliness. Satin dresses of this shade and felt or velour hats are conspicuous in the better class shops.
Light blue is one of the most popular evening colors worn by Broadway actresses. At a recent benefit at least one-fourth of the performers wore various shades of pastel blue chiffon, tulle or silk crepe.
Slate blue is the shade Paris is effecting at present. This is a soft slate blue color which will be very becoming to wearers of duller blue tones.
Yellow is popular in New York, particularly in a shade called "sunny." It is chosen for sports as well as evening wear. Some of the newer hats of felt or straw come in this shade.
Green may be said to lead above all other colors for sports wear and the most popular shades are bottle, almond, grass and chartreuse.
Colored fur and brushed wool form the collars of many sports coats. For instance, a bluish green woolen coat has a collar of matching green brushed wool. An evening cape of orchid chiffon has a collar of orchid-dyed ermine.
Colored jewelry becomes conspicuous as summer gets under way. Green in onyx, jade or caliche tones, carnelian, amber, turquoise, amethyst and coral are popular. Bracelets set with huge colorful stones connected with large gold links are those most in demand. Earrings and bracelets of white crystal are noted at evening time. Necklaces of solid colored beads rule for day wear and in many cases they are of semi-precious type.
Shoes and hosiery keep to light shades in harmony with the vogue for light-colored frocks and wraps.

Fairest of the Co-Eds



Esther Hackman of Peru, Ill., is the prettiest girl in De Pauw University, Greencastle, Ind. Her fellow students picked her out of 30 entries in a contest conducted by the editors of the University year book.

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USE OF LETHAL GAS CONDEMNED BY EUROPEANS

By MINOTT SAUNDERS (United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON. — Nevada's lethal gas chamber is regarded with disapproval in the Old World, which is determined to carry on with its "more humane" methods, such as the axe, the guillotine and the hangman's noose.

The press of London, Paris and Berlin have expressed outrage and horror at the use of lethal gas for terminating the life of a condemned criminal. Some sections even went so far as to comment upon the Nevada innovation and the Connecticut gallows that jerked Chapman, with ironical witticisms on American "progress."

Only the proponents of complete abolition of the death penalty refrain from characterizing the lethal chamber as more torturous than the approved method in England.

Oppose Principle

"The more humane the method of execution, the more is the principle ridiculous," said E. Roy Calvert, secretary of the National Council for the Abolition of the Death Penalty. "The lethal chamber is probably just as good as any other method. I have

no sympathy with those who plan more humane methods because the torture comes from anticipation of death. Those who are executed under modern methods actually die with less suffering than they would if they had been allowed to die normally, but the awful agony comes in waiting for the end. Therefore the lethal chamber solves nothing; signals no progress. It cannot lighten the sufferings of dear ones, whether they are dear to the murderer or the man murdered, and it is just as much mockery as the gallows or the guillotine."

Century Old

In England the condemned are executed on the gallows under statutes about a century old. The death chambers are buildings separate from the prisons where they are installed and "there is a cheapness about them," according to a prison official. They are generally small, wooden structures. The condemned are hanged usually at eight in the morning. Except for information that is brought out at the inquest, the details of the execution are not disclosed and the press must confine its intelligence to the inquest proceedings.

France Guillotines

In French penal circles no fault is found with the guillotine. In France executions must be held in a public place, but even for accredited witnesses the public is not allowed to witness the execution. In Paris most executions are performed on the Boulevard Arago, and the guillotine is erected in the early morning on the sidewalk outside the prison wall. But the police block the streets and keep the curious out of sight of the

VILLAGE BLACKSMITH YIELDS PLACE UNDER CHESTNUT TREE

Picturesque Figure Rapidly Disappearing—British May Pension Him, But Army Is Only Refuge Here.

TYPICAL OF CHANGES IN COUNTRY LIFE

NEWS reports from England state that a movement is on foot to subsidize the village blacksmith, who is rapidly disappearing from the land. The acetylene welder and the garage man, or a hybrid individual who combines the attributes of both, is taking the smithy's traditional place "beneath the spreading chestnut tree."

Confirmed sentimentalists and sticklers for tradition as they are, the British refuse to permit the change, and if the movement is successful every blacksmith will be pensioned, providing he agrees to keep his anvil ringing and the bellows blowing.



The Village Smithy as Longfellow pictured it; the garage and welding shop now serve in its stead.

The same situation is present here, for up and down the country the village blacksmith is letting his fire die out and discarding his leather apron. There is a big demand for him in the Army, but the average horsehoeser is over age. Nothing has been said yet about pensioning the old man, but "Dobbin," whose pedicuring and shoeing he did in the old days, has been put to pasture, with nothing to do but nibble up the excess green from the countryside.

Henry Ford, whose tractors and automobiles are responsible for the change, is showing his regret, and as a matter of historic memorial to the picturesque blacksmith has one old smithy set up in the colonial village he is reconstructing in New England.

Where the old blacksmith shop used to stand in the average village, a new brick building has been erected, or at least a corrugated iron structure, with cement flooring, and displays above it a sign "garage and repair shop—acetylene welding a specialty." Here the farmer brings his tractor when it gets out of order. If his binder or mowing machine breaks he takes it to the

house, but it is gradually giving way to electricity and carbide gas. The modern farmer is sufficient to himself so far as good lighting is concerned, and is independent of public service companies.

He makes his own gas right on the farm. A generating tank is sunk in the ground and connected by ordinary piping to all rooms in the house, and to the barn and poultry sheds, for in this day and age the cows and chickens are lighted to bed. Carbide in the upper tank compartment falls into the water compartment below and the gas is formed. The process works automatically, and all the farmer has to do is refill the tanks when necessary.

This home-made gas the farmer makes is said to be the nearest artificial approach to sunlight yet discovered. It assures him a constant supply of light and is also an efficient cooking fuel. The tallow candle and the Dutch oven are a far cry from this domestic arrangement, but not further than the garage from the village smithy.

Sweden abolished the practice in 1921 after twenty years with only one execution. Portugal, Roumania, Latvia, Lithuania have no death penalty and in Switzerland most of the cantons have abolished it, a few technically retain it, but the last execution in Switzerland was in 1912. In most other civilized countries hanging is the accepted method, but from time to time all sorts of practices have been resorted to in Near Eastern and oriental countries.

NOTICE!

I am leaving for New Orleans to spend a month in hospital work. I have made arrangements for Dr. Simmons, a specialist of Weatherford, to spend Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week in my office during my absence.

J. W. SIMMONS, M. D.
Eastland

General Tires Represent Full Value For Money

"There was an epidemic of 'something for nothing' in tires in 1921, after the war boom burst, and motorists received a lot of education in tire values then. The result was that most 'anonymous' and other trick brands disappeared; the number of tire manufacturers in the United States dropped from over 300 to about 90, and since then quality tires have had quite an inning, says W. O'Neil, president of the General Tire & Rubber company in a letter to Mr. Simmons of Simmons Service station, distributors of General tires in Ranger. Now, perhaps having decided that the public's memory is short, makers and sellers of off brands are striving for a market again. Most bargain tires fail to carry the maker's name; sometimes not even the selling organization is exploited.

"We want to make clear that the name 'General' appears on every tire made or sold by us. We have no tricks and try only to make the best tire possible. We do not tolerate the mixture of even an ounce of second hand, shoddy or reclaimed rubber in any of our tires.

Pecan Growers Face Heavy Losses From Case Bearers

COLLEGE STATION, July 9. — Texas pecan growers face losses of from 20 to 60 per cent of their 1926 crops as the result of heavy infestations by the case bearer insect, according to reports received by Dr. S. W. Blasing, head of the department of entomology at the A. and M. College of Texas. Serious infestations have been reported by growers at San Sabu, Wharton, Winona, Simonton, Bend, Jefferson, Milburn, Ellisville and other pecan growing regions.

Spraying pecan trees with arsenic of lead has been found the most effective remedy in combating the insect. It is considered an opportune time to strap the trees in the period from June 25 to July 15, as the second generation of the insect becomes apparent at this time.

The case bearer first attacks the bud of the pecan below the fruit and afterward bores its way into the nut. The insect in the moth stage, or first stage, is small and gray, with its wings spread roof-like over its back. Its most characteristic feature is a ridge of scales found on its back about one-third the distance from the lead to the extremity of the wings. There are four stages to the insect: the moth, egg, worm and pupa stages of growth, thus making four life cycles annually.

The case bearer is not new to Texas. In 1920 it destroyed practically the entire crop for the year, and 1922 witnessed a heavy recurrence of its attack. The present outbreak is considered the worst since 1920, because the infestation is general throughout the state.

Russia's Return To Vodka Causes Less Production

By United Press.

MOSCOW. — The restoration of the sale of vodka with its pre-war alcoholic content of forty percent has put money into the Soviet State treasury and has done something to check the universal activities of the peasant bootleggers and home brewers.

But it is also causing the Soviet industrial administrators and factory managers considerable concern in attention to deter the workers from excessive consumption of the fiery fluid and it is providing a certain amount of extra work for the police and the courts.

The Russian workers are consuming the forty percent vodka with the seal torn of his long deprivation due to prohibition, according to official records. Effects are visible in slack work, especially on the Saturday payday and on Monday, factory managers state. Absence from work is pronounced on these days, and the output of the individual worker slumps by thirty or forty percent.

In general staying away from work is a serious problem in the Soviet factories. It averages twelve percent. In some cases the workers try to persuade the factory doctor to give them a certificate of illness, so that they may be free and yet draw their wages. In other cases they damage a machine with a view of getting a free day while it is being repaired.

Kraval, manager of the economic department of the Supreme Economic Council, which manages the Russian state industries, recently recommended stricter regulations in connection with absenteeism, drinking while at work, and other breaches of labor discipline. He suggested that persistent offenders should be dismissed, and that full wages should not be paid in cases of slight illness, since such cases were often nothing but a screen for drunkenness.

Meanwhile the problem of "hooliganism" or public rowdiness, the police say largely to drink, is engaging the attention of the Soviet courts and police authorities. Drunken brawls, sometimes ending in serious physical injury, knocking people's hats off, damaging factory machinery and disconnecting electrical wires, are mentioned among the most characteristic manifestations of hooliganism. With a view to putting a stop to this residuum of the All-Union Soviet Executive Committee

Senator Bruce Sees Cleavage Of East and West

By CHARLES P. STEWART (NEA Service Writer)

WASHINGTON. — "The Bryan or Brookhart West," Senator William Cabell Bruce coined this expression a few days ago in discussing proposed farm relief legislation.

It was all over the Capitol inside half an hour.

The phrase's catchiness gave it a currency which, in the judgment of numerous lawmakers, promises that it will be much heard in the course of the coming campaign.

A good many of them wish Bruce had not used it. There has been considerable worry in Congress of late over the increasing cleavage between East and West. Comparisons have been drawn between this cleavage and the cleavage between the North and South which led to the Civil War. Nobody predicts that the apparently growing antagonism of the West toward the East and the seeming indifference of the East toward the West will lead to war. Still, there are legislators who say it threatens something serious.

A Catch-phrase like "The Bryan or Brookhart West" can be so used, they add as to make matters worse.

"Ever since my boyhood," said Bruce, "that part of the West which I will call the Bryan or Brookhart West has been hating out, at one time or another, economic fallacies."

Then he proceeded to enumerate:

- 1—The greenback agitation—the proposed substitution of "printing press money" for "real money."
- 2—The populist movement—with a reference to Senator Peffer's whippersnapper and Senator Jerry Simpson's reputed socklessness.
- 3—The free silver campaign—"in defiance of every natural law."
- 4—The demand for a protective tariff on farm products—a demand to which Congress acceded, "and what good has it done?"

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Willis-Knight Six "70" Climbs Cove Mountain

Famed for its difficult grade, its winding crooks and turns and its steady elevation, the Cove mountain, the testing field of American motor-dom, was defeated recently by a Willis-Knight six "70" in a brilliant test climb in which a minimum speed of 26 miles per hour was established.

It has been a long established belief among automobile manufacturers that if their product successfully surmounted the crest of this summit it would surpass any common difficulty in the United States. Thus the "70" was put to the test.

Five adult passengers as judges, were taken on the climb. The car was operated by an experienced driver but not a company employe. Starting at the foot of the elevation the car started the climb at a speed of 30 miles per hour.

It maintained this speed the greater share of the distance around sharp curves, hair-pin turns, sudden elevations and unusually poor sections of road.

As it mounted higher toward the crest the lowest speed recorded by the judges was 26 miles per hour. This was made at a point where nearly every motor car is compelled to come to an abrupt stop or travel at an unusually low rate of speed due to the winding road and extreme grade of the road.

Deputy Sheriff Foster Back From Trip to South

Deputy Sheriff Virgil Foster arrived in Eastland last night from Gatesville, where he had taken a youth to the State Reformatory. Foster during his trip made inquiries as to stolen cars lost in this county, and officers in these districts said they would lend the Eastland Sheriff every assistance to trace the cars lost here.

EASTLAND TRUCK—24

Huge crops of excellent tomatoes are reported from the farm of J. E. Lewis, just outside of Eastland, and under the management of Hugh Cooksey. Mr. Cooksey marketed on Saturday two truck loads of the tomatoes at a good price.

Mr. Lewis said that the truck garden showed that they would have a fine crop of watermelons which they would market next week while the corn was the best they had had in years.

Truck gardens all over the county show that this year has been a record one for all kinds of vegetables, according to R. H. Bush county agent who said that the recent heavy rains had done more to stimulate growth than light showers, while prospects for other crops were in excellent shape.

THE FOLKS BACK HOME



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

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Emancipation Made The Women Of Turkey Ugly

By MINOTT SAUNDERS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON.—"Styleless, cheap, ugly, loud Westernism" is already hampering the spirits of the emancipated Turkish women, according to Halide Edie, wife of Adnan Bey, one of the first Turkish women to take the B. A. degree at the American College in Constantinople.

In their new freedom, she says, the Turkish women have lost much of the charm associated with their old life. "If the women's world of old lacked both passion and vehemence, it lacked also vulgarity and the realities of life, which those women would have dismissed as 'empty fidget and ugly fuss,'" she said.

Accomplished Halide Edie is an accomplished woman of personal and intellectual charm. Her husband was the repre-

sentative of the Angora Government at Constantinople, or Istanbul, as she calls it, during the Allied occupation. She is a woman of strong character, who divorced her first husband, a distinguished mathematician, because he took a second wife.

In a delightful picture of the life of the unemancipated Turkish women she quoted the old Moslem saying and tradition, "Speak of the dead always with benevolence." She said she wished to emphasize the best in them, "for they are all dead and their greatest sin—which I believe to have been a certain lack of life—is buried with them." Yet with almost a tone of regret she spoke of the charm of that old life.

Beyond Criticism "Their background was beyond criticism," she said. "There was a unity of line and feeling of space in those days in all Turkish dwellings—homes, mosques or gardens. Whether it was covered with brilliant silks or humble white cloth, each room had the same long, divan stretching from wall to wall. The windows in each room would cover all that was not wall, and the lattices in the lower panes relieved the eye and shaded the too-gorgeous light. "The women were most industrious more so than the emancipated are. Their sewing, was a thing of art, their dress—always the same—was a triumph of perfection, and their scent was the perfume of fresh clover fields. They were certainly very pleasant to look at and fascinating to listen to, not for what they said, but for the tone and the way they said it. "They were not indeed as beautiful as the books described them; they were either homely creatures or bulky matrons. But their supreme beauties were fair voices and the language they spoke. Their Turkish was the most beautiful in the Turkish world. The lullabies, the stories and the songs they sang may be found again, but they will never be rendered in the old way.

Surgeon's Knife May Remove The Tattooing on Face

ANN ARBOR, Mich., July 10.—The science of plastic surgery has come to the relief of Albert Blichmann, 37-year-old millwright of Dubuque, La., whose countenance is a compact mosaic of tattoo, applied by an unknown hand.

Blichmann, after months of unique vicissitudes, has prevailed on authorities at Detroit to send him here to the University of Michigan Hospital, for such aid as Dr. Frekerick A. Collier, plastic surgeon, can give. The weird story by which Blichmann gained admittance to the hospital began with the assertion that on May 5, 1925, he left Dubuque for Chicago—clear of countenance. "I met some friends," he said, "and I guess I must have been doped, because the next conscious thought I had was on May 8, three days later, in Detroit."

Although admitting that as a former army cook he had submitted to divorce and sundry tattooing of no gress denied that he "had this done."

By "this" he referred to butterflies, stars, arrow-heads, and other gaudy tattoo designs which had converted his countenance into the envy of any South African chieftain. "I was so ashamed of myself I could not muster up courage enough to return to Dubuque," he said. "And the pain of the fresh tattoo drove me at first to use several home remedies which only confirmed my fear that the affliction was permanent." For a livelihood, Blichmann said he was driven to odd jobs, mostly at night. "I couldn't stand the way people looked at me," he explained. Without promising a complete restoration of Blichmann's face, Dr. Collier and his staff are making a careful study of the case, in the hope that by grafting and plastic surgery, their patient may be restored to a semblance of the condition he originally enjoyed from Providence.

"The young women were always to be pitied. They neither spoke, smoked, drank, nor laughed before their elders. But, on the other hand, they could flirt, although even that was a tame sort of thing, its wildest limit being the exchange of letters written by the public letter-writers. "Other interests the unemancipated had none. One might say that although none of them talked of Nationalism, they were the stronghold of all that was most national in Turkish life and art. "The settings of all the emancipated women (I am one) are ugly. Our homes have neither the light nor the space and sweep of line of the old. We do not take our homes so seriously now. A great many of us have the amusements, the education, and the other chances of our men. We are not dull, we associate with our fellow-men. Dullness is not allowed any more.

Spoiled "We have spoiled the beauty of our language as we have spoiled our furniture. The low tones are gone, and the pure Turkish of 1900 is twisted and nervous, too much alive to be harmonious. It has altogether a foreign touch. Our dresses, perfumes, and language have no longer the simple charm and purity which generations of native artists had evolved. "If we confess to all the shortcomings, we may as well mention a few things which the unemancipated could not lay claim to. Most of us are working to win a livelihood, and as breadwinners in the community we have a new, but nevertheless a real, conception of human dignity and freedom. And the most glaring contrast with the unemancipated is this: although we are such strong Nationalists we are allied to a larger world. In our appearance, morals, virtues and sins we are no longer so individual or even national; we are international."

Sultan To Plant Foot On French Soil Sunday

By JOHN O'BRIEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

TOULON, July 10.—Moulay Youssef, Sultan of Morocco, descendant of Mahomet, commander of the faithful and supreme shierifian ruler, to give him a few of his titles, will step on the soil of Europe for the first time tomorrow.

Accompanied by Theodore Steeg, French high commissioner in Morocco, over which France and Spain exercise a joint protectorate, the sultan is coming from Casablanca aboard a French warship on his way to Paris to thank President Doumergue for the military aid by which the Riff rebellion was quelled and his throne saved.

With the sultan is an imposing suite including his sons, Shereef Mouley Idriss, who is Viceroyn of Morocco, the southern capital, although he is only 18, and Shereef Mouley Mohammed, grand Vizir Hadj Mohammed El-Mokri, grand chamberlain Si Tahamo Abadou, Minister of the Labour (religious works) Si Ahmed Djal, Minister of Domains; Hadj Omar Tazi and the Pashas and Caidis of Fez, Meknes and Taza. Another of the sultan's sons, Shereef Mouley el-Hassan, is in Paris whither he went a month ago to arrange the details of the monarch's stay in the capital.

As the warship enters the great

naval port the crews of the warships at anchor will dress ship while the guns of the forts boom a royal salute. The sultan will be officially welcomed in the name of the government by the maritime prefect and the prefect of the department of war. A special train is to leave at once with the sultan, Steeg and their suites for Paris.

The French government has arranged an elaborate program of festivities for the sultan. He will be officially received by the municipal council of Paris next Tuesday after which there will be a brilliant reception at the Elysee, the presidential residence, to which all the state dignitaries and the diplomatic corps have been invited. On Bastille Day, July 14, the French national holiday, the sultan will be the guest of President Doumergue at the annual military review at Longchamps.

Froth Blowers New Charitable Lodge In England

LONDON.—A new charitable organization, declared to be England's most weird society, has been formed here. It is known as "Ye Ancient Order of Froth Blowers."

The membership has already reached 6,000, including some of the most prominent of English nobility. Sir Alfred Fripp, surrcon to the king, as number one member is head of the society.

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John and Fay Milburn buy a home when their baby girl is born and the advertising agency in which John is partner and copy writer lands a new contract. Among their acquaintances are—

Noel and Vera Boyd, whose marriage is strictly "modern."
Pat and Marian Forbes, who have three children and whose domestic life is unhappy because of Pat's roving tendencies. Previous chapters told how.

John was fascinated on meeting Nell Orme, of whom Forbes hints that she is having trouble with her husband.

Fay took Judith, the baby, to visit her parents, and during her absence John "ran around" a good deal, mostly with Pat Forbes. When Fay returned gossip had retailed some of his actions and sharp quarrels followed, one of which drove him "out on a tear." Fay, learning he had been out with other women, threatened to leave him if it was repeated.

John finds that people are talking about him, and Nat Graham, his partner, charges his actions are damaging the firm's reputation. John, later, by accident, meets Nell Orme at the Boyds'. He resolves not to see her again, realizing that she is carrying him off his feet, but see her he does, and the day comes when he madly takes her in his arms.

Fay, learning of it, goes through with her threat. She leaves him, taking Judith with her. John finds that his world has tumbled about his ears. He closes up the house and takes an apartment. Later he tries to negotiate a personal loan at his bank, gets in an argument with Henry Blodgett, and, when the other makes a reference to his wife leaving him, John smacks him. Later that day he is served with a warrant for assault and battery.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
(The names and situations in this story are fictitious.)

CHAPTER XLVIII
"You mean," John, with a blank look, asked the officer, "you mean I'm arrested?"

"That's right. This fellow Henry out-

face who insulted me. Can you beat it?" He laughed again.

Briggs said seriously, "You'd better get you hold of a lawyer. It might mean trouble for you."

"Where's Graham?" Jean asked. Briggs told him Graham had gone out. "You'd better not say anything

to make those remarks?"

"None whatever — unless asking for a loan could be construed as a cause."

"Hardly. Oh, the fellow hasn't much of a leg to stand on. He's just the sort of person, however, who thinks he's entitled to most of the privileges in this world. Therefore he's trying to order the law around."

"He should have lived in the days of Cotton Mather and witen-burrowing," John remarked. "What a lovely figure he would have made at the head of an Inquisition!"

"A sort of super-reformer, eh?"

"Exactly. And custodian of the neighborhood's morals."

Davidson tried unsuccessfully to get the charge against John nulled, but Blodgett seemed to be a person of influence and the police prosecutor threw up his hands in disgust. "The most vindictive had I ever saw in my life!" he exclaimed to Paul. "We'll have to go through with it I'm afraid. He thinks he's going to send Milburn to the rock pile for about 30 days—he'd like to make it life, I guess." He smiled ruefully.

"I tried to show him that if Milburn had any provocation at all he'd be laughed out of court—but no use. I suppose I'll have to do the best I can, but I know you're going to give me a kicking."

A rather unusual way for a prosecutor to talk, John thought, when I am told him. "Not at all," Davidson assured him. "He doesn't like to handle a weak case. It doesn't look good for him when he's beaten."

The trial—if it could actually be dignified by that title — was little more than a joke. The prosecutor did the best he could, but his heart was not in his work.

The unfortunate thing, from John's point of view, was that, although the affair was trivial, the newspaper men, scarcely expecting to find anything out of routine in it, found themselves in somewhat the same position as the scoffer who remained to pray. They came to be bored—to sit on the lad, merely — and remained to laugh and to scent a good "story." And thus things that John had hoped to keep secret were given a public airing.

The whole case, as Davidson pointed out, hinged on what was to be considered legitimate provocation to strike another man. The prosecutor staunchly maintained that the plaintiff had been struck in the face as he was seated in his office chair—all because the defendant had been turned down on his application for a loan. Unprovoked assault, he termed it.

With Blodgett in the witness chair, he drew out the details of John's visit.

"And it is necessary, isn't it, Mr. Blodgett," the prosecutor asked, "that good character be pretty definitely established if a man wants to negotiate a personal loan?"

"Absolutely necessary," Blodgett stated loudly.

"And in telling the defendant that his character was not all that it

should be you were merely giving him very frankly your reason, as a banker, why you could not consider his application?"

"Exactly. That was the only reason."

"Object," put in Davidson. And so it proceeded. The judge, a prematurely old-looking young man, with shell rim glasses and bald head, could hardly repress the smile that occasionally rose to his lips.

But Davidson, when he got hold of Blodgett, figuratively tore the man from limb to limb. The prosecutor objected time after time, and exasperation was written all over Blodgett's face; nevertheless, most of Davidson's questions were allowed to stand.

"Did you tell the defendant," he asked, "that his character was bad?"

"I told him it was not all it should be."

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Blodgett swore out a warrant. Says you attacked him without provocation in his office."

John laughed mirthlessly. "Well, this is good. Come here, Briggs."

The little artist, glad of a word from this moody employer of his, hastened over. "I'm under arrest, Briggs, for slapping a man in the

"The defendant had sufficient provocation to knock his block off, if the court will forgive the slang."

to him about this. You know how he is."

John seemed to be considering it. "Guess you're right," he said finally. "Still, I thought it would be quite a treat for Nat. Will you try to get Paul Davidson on the phone?"

"Right," Briggs sprang into action.

Paul was over within half an hour.

"Hold on, now, hold on," Paul cautioned him. "Don't worry, John. It's just as well you didn't mark him up. As it is I think we've got him held. I know we have. I'll give him the darndest hiding in court that you ever saw anybody get."

"Good!" John set his mouth grimly.

"You say," Paul went on, "that you gave him no cause whatsoever

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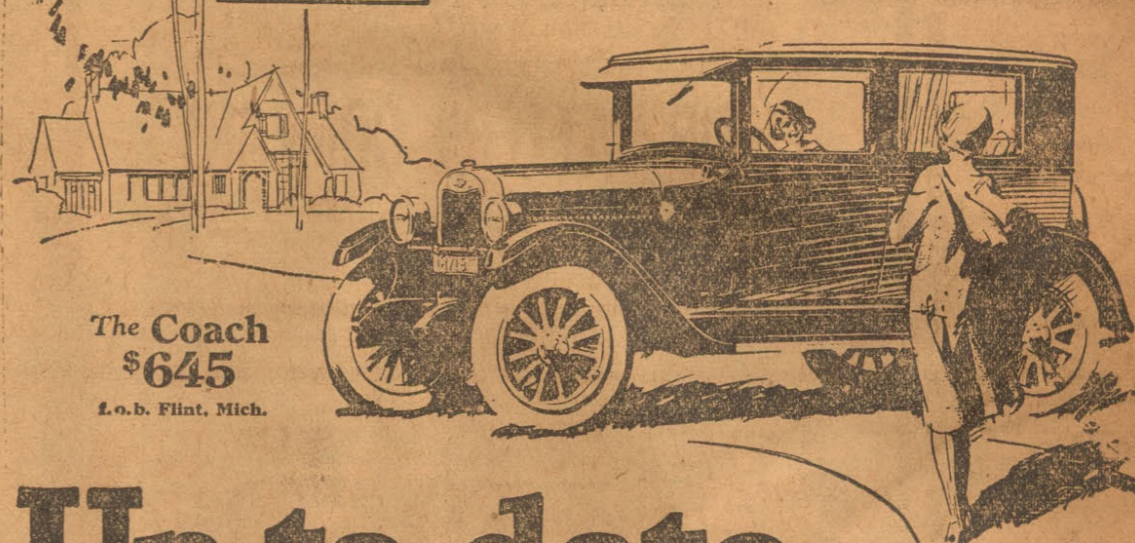
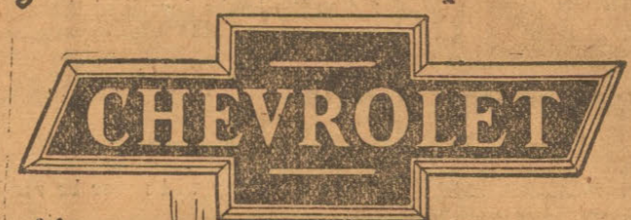
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Members of the Bankhead Producers Association met Friday afternoon at the Cisco Chamber of Commerce was the audit of the business done for the past year was recorded. All the secretaries of the chambers of commerce in the county were present.

It was stated that the association started work on April 1, 1925, with no assets or capital, but later on the chambers made a grant to the organization of \$1,800.

The report showed that the organization has still \$1,800 cash in hand, while it has fixtures and effects valued at over \$400.

The reason this cash is kept on hand is give producers the benefit of the price of eggs that arrive on a certain day and not sold at that days market price. In these cases the market may fluctuate a little and the difference is made up out of the reserve.

Members expressed their satisfaction that the association had been able to pay its own way for the 14 months that it has been in existence.

Prominent Local Oil Operators Back In Eastland

M. Nunn and C. W. Porter, of Eastland returned to Eastland last night from Scurry county, Texas, where they had been engaged in drilling a wild cat well which turned out to be a duster. The well which is in section 154 H. & T. C. R. R. area was taken down to a depth of 155 feet before the drillers called it dry.

Bill Morgan, another well known driller, of Eastland, also came in from Upton county. He has been working on a wild cat there which so proved a duster while he stated that just when they had given their all up for dry hole a producer came close by flowing over 100 barrels in an hour.

Popular Eastland Man Weds Friend Of School Days

A friendship that commenced in childhood and had its sequel Friday in the marriage of Kay Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kay Griffin, of Eastland, and Miss Bessie Lee May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. May of McKinney. The ceremony was performed in the Methodist church at McKinney.

After the marriage the young couple left on an auto tour which will end at Eastland where they will make their home.

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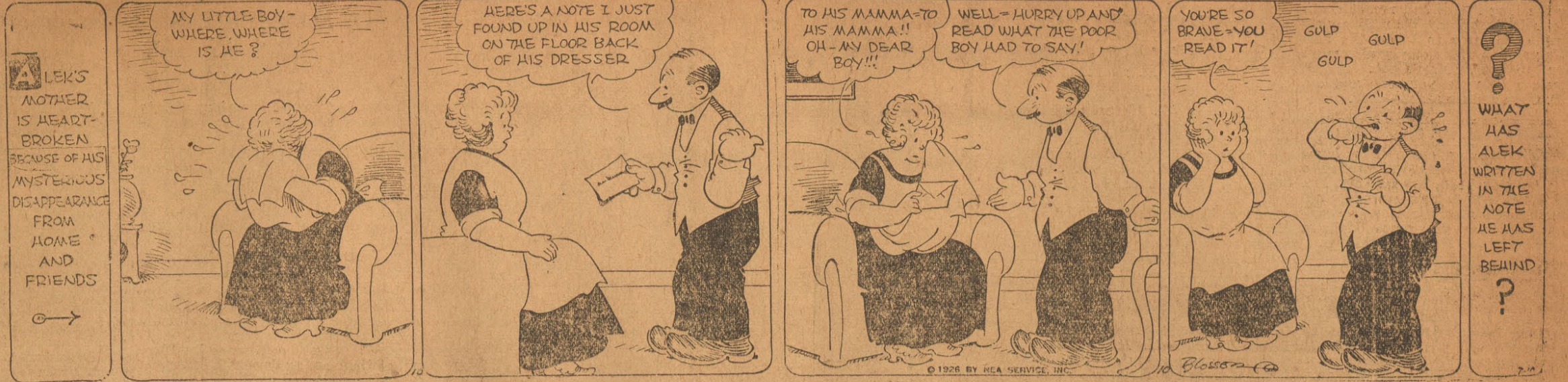
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Vaudeville Trust Chagre Before U. S. Supreme Court

By United Press.
WASHINGTON—The "two-a-day" trust is up before the United States Supreme Court.

A suit to enjoin the B. F. Keith Exchange, the Orpheum Circuit, Inc., and other agencies which place vaudeville artists on the "big time" has been brought before the highest court by Max Hart, independent booking agent, who alleges his business has been destroyed by an unlawful combination in restraint of trade.

Hart, who has offices in New York unsuccessfully asked lower courts for an injunction to prevent the theatre booking agencies from excluding all acts not booked by themselves. He has just filed petitions asking for a review of the case, and the high court will rule upon them shortly after it meets again next October. The lower courts dismissed his

petitions on the grounds that booking of theatrical performances was not interstate commerce, and hence not subject to the operations of the Sherman or Clayton anti-trust acts, even if a monopoly were proved.

Hart charged the Keith-Orpheum-Albee combination, designated by him as a "trust," appointed themselves representatives of all the "big time" vaudeville theatres in the United States and Canada, and that their representatives executed all booking contracts. Representatives of all producers were required to carry on their business on the floor of this exchange.

Hart, who said he had been "very successful" as personal representative of some 70 "big time" vaudeville acts, charged he was arbitrarily excluded from further participation in negotiating contracts for this class of acts. He was excluded from the exchange and has lost all his clients, he said.

The cause of his final exclusion was "an alleged act of disloyalty which consisted in his attempting to obtain for one of his clients a better engagement than was offered to such client by the booking offices," Hart's petition said.

the rush of all business, have limited contracts to July and August deliveries. Officials express confidence that business will not slump during the usual lull.

An increase in the production of automobile steel has been most noticeable. Since the damp cold days of a lingering spring have passed a demand for automobiles has been stimulated and automobile manufacturers report a decided spurt in orders, resulting in large steel contracts.

Pipe mills report that production has been boosted to 80 percent of capacity within the last month. Because of the heavy demand buying in all departments has hit an unusually high point and an all round healthy condition was indicated.

Railroad men, however, do not report so encouragingly, although they admit that steel shipments within the last six weeks have exceeded those of the same period last year.

Railroad officials claim that steel executives have included ingot production in their reports. They said ingot production was largely an interplant tonnage and should not be figured in actual output totals.

Steel men contend that the only proper basis for production calculation must include ingot production, declaring that the tonnage of finished products, shipped by rail, would

not be fair to the mills.

No one, however, is complaining seriously. The consensus of opinion is conditions are satisfactory and prospects encouraging.

The total distance to be covered by the first stage today before 10 p. m. is 724 miles with the second stage tomorrow, a repetition of the schedule. Between each flight the machines must land here for a fixed period ranging from 30 minutes to one hour, depending upon the handicaps.

A number of fast single-seater private entries have been made as well as several Royal Air Force planes.

The fourth annual race last year was over a 1,600 miles course and was won by Sir Eric Geddes entry, flown by Captain F. L. Barnard. Despite foggy weather the first day, Barnard averaged 134 miles an hour and with better conditions on the second he averaged over 151 miles an hour. In addition Barnard won a cup for the fastest handicap time to Newcastle a distance of 267 miles.

Kings Cup Air Races Opened In London Friday

By United Press.
HENDON AIRDOME, London, July 9.—The first stage of the King's Cup Air Race opened here today with more than 50 contenders for the king's prize, given to the victor in the 1,448 miles race.

The race this year will be flown under unusual conditions, the course being in five non-stop stages from here rather than the circular flight of previous years. The first stage is to near Ipswich and return, a distance of 144 miles; the second stage is to Cambridge and return, a distance of 90 miles; the third stage is to Coventry and return, a distance of 160 miles; the fourth stage is to Cheltenham and return, a distance of 160 miles; the fourth stage is to Salisbury and return, a distance of 160 miles.

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Steel Situation Shows Up Good Over the Nation

By C. B. YORKE (United Press Staff Correspondent)
PITTSBURGH, Pa.—The condition of the steel situation in the Pittsburgh production area is "satisfactory with encouraging prospects," according to reports from both corporation and independent mills.

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Judge Hornsby Pay Ranger A Visit Saturday

Judge John W. Hornsby of Austin, candidate for Attorney general spent a few hours in Ranger Saturday calling on the voters and explaining his platform as well as outlining his qualifications for the position.

He was born and spent his boyhood days on a farm at Hornsby's Bend in Travis county, where his great-grandfather Reuben Hornsby, pioneer and Indian fighter, located in 1830 as a member of Stephen F. Austin's upper colony. His grand-father William W. Hornsby, was a veteran of the Mexican war of 1836 and 1845. His father Malcom M. Hornsby served with the Confederacy throughout the Civil War and was later sheriff of Travis county for several years.

Judge Hornsby has rendered able and conspicuous service to the state in line with the duties of the attorney general's office. Some years ago he instituted and successfully conducted through all the courts, against an array of prominent legal talent, the famous "Punch and Chicken Salad Case," the result being a considerable saving to the tax payers. He has successfully represented the state in a number of penalty suits for violations of the oil and gas conservation laws.

Boy Scouts Plan Hike Thursday, To Go To Bass Lake

Listen Boy Scouts, you are to go on a hike. The place chosen for the outing is Bass Lake, near Gorman, and the time will be Thursday, at 6 o'clock p. m.

You are to camp over night at Bass Lake, and will return early Friday morning to your own homes.

Bathing suits, blankets, some food and fifty cents are the necessary items to bring along with you.

Messrs. J. C. Smith, W. W. Housewright and Rev. O. Hamblen will go with you so as to make your mothers at home feel that no harm can befall you.

Turn out scouts. This is for you. Be on hand 100 per cent strong and ready to go Thursday evening at 6 o'clock.

Mussolini Plans To Recover Lost Art Treasures

ROME.—Two galleys in which the orgies of the Caesars occurred, lying at the bottom of Lake Nemi, near here, are to be raised according to the plans of Mussolini.

The galleys are full of art treasure and were the scene of feasts with music and scantily clad dancing girls in the old days.

The Duce has ordered the Minister for Education, Pietro Fedele, to proceed with the scheme for recovery of the vessels devised by Engineer Mal-fatti of the Civil Engineering service.

Minister Fedele has called together a commission consisting of Senator Corrado Ricci, Professor Arduino Colasanti, and Professor Roberto Pariebo to represent the archeological side of the question, while Engineer Saladini of the Civil Engineers and Engineer Pugliese, director of the naval shipyard at Castellamare di Stabia, will direct the technical work of raising.

The bottom of the Lake of Nemi, which is an ancient crater, reaches a depth of 200 feet in parts. The two galleys which lie embedded in the mud in more than 100 feet of water are known to contain treasure in the way of ornamental bronzes, statuary, and utensils. Two handsome bronzes formerly taken from one of the ships are now in Rome National Museum.

The project which has been decided upon consists in temporarily lowering the level of the water of the lake by the building of a conduit, which will carry it down into the plain and on to the sea.

This is possible, as Lake Nemi lies in the Alban hills at an elevation of several hundred feet.

The project which when completed will make Nemi famous as a tourist and archeological center, will require at least two years for its actuation, and will entail an expense of several millions of lire, not all of which has yet been provided for.

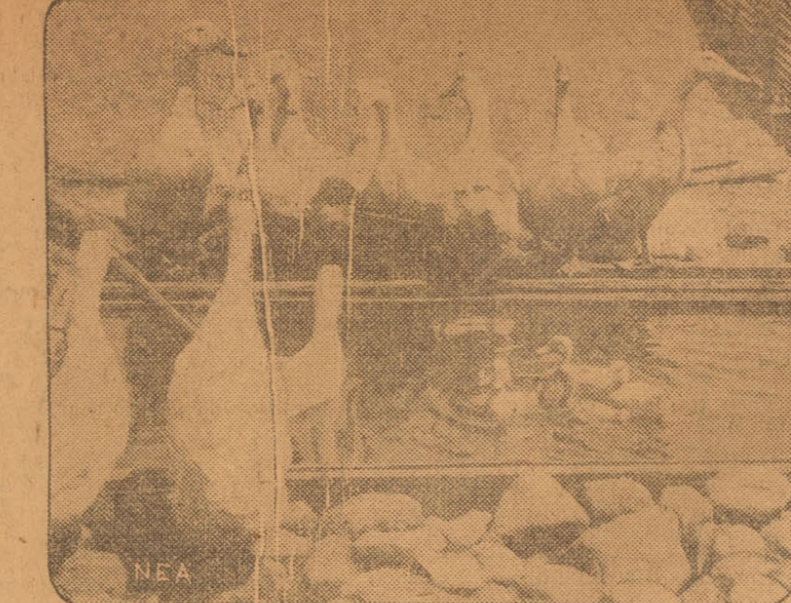
Studies Reveal Good Methods For Saving Gas

Information obtained in field studies made by engineers of the petroleum experiment station of the Bureau of Mines, Bartlesville, Okla., indicates that large savings of natural gas can be effected by scientific methods of recording conditions in gas wells, as these methods indicate conclusively where leaks are occurring.

Laboratory work on the flow of air, gas and water through sandstone has been completed at this station. This experimental work has been very successful and checks the results of field tests on the control of water in gas wells. A bulletin on the care and operation of gas wells is now in course of preparation.

"Vanity Case"

School's Just Starting Now



School has closed for most pupils—but it's only beginning for these ducklings on a farm near Los Angeles. While the adult members of the duck family—pa and ma and all the relations, doubtless—gather round to watch, the ducklings rehearse their first lesson in swimming in the old trough.

Indian Rajah Condemns Bobbed Hair on Women

By C. P. WILLIAM (United Press Staff Correspondent) LONDON.—Bobbed hair, knickers and mannish ways were condemned here by the Maharajah of Rajpipla, influential Indian potentate, in an exclusive interview with the United Press.

"The place of the woman is in the home, carrying out the duties which centuries of tradition have mapped out for her and not on the streets of the world's great cities in men's clothes and attempting to plagiarize the manners of the stronger sex," His Highness said.

"Unfortunately Western civilization has gone so far now that it is impossible to remedy this situation, which in my country would be considered embarrassing. It is admitted that the women of the East are backward, but this fact becomes the more pleasant to think of when it is realized that she is not attempting to become mannish in her ways.

"The situation of women in the Western world has, no doubt, been brought about by the greater number of women in some countries than men, but it would appear that women are going too far, for rather than men, but it would appear that women are merely attempting to earn their living in business, they are displacing men as heads of firms and they are driving men from their proper places in responsible positions.

"I do not contend that women should not work, for it has become necessary for some of them to

earn their living, and although they hers of Parliaments and other representative assemblies, I could not conceive a woman as the head of a government, or even as the head of the Ministry of War or of the Foreign Office and I surely could not imagine a woman as the head of a great corporation during a financial crisis.

"There does not appear to be so much thought of marriage in the Western world as there is in the East. Both here and in America, men often avoid marriage as long as possible—and some of them do for life."

"The old maximum that 'silence gives consent' is not accepted by English law, under a recent ruling of the court of Criminal Appeal.

A prisoner, accused of receiving stolen goods, had remained silent when asked whether guilty or not guilty and his silence was taken as a plea of guilty. He was sentenced by the lower courts to five years of penal servitude. But the court of appeals ruled that the silence was not adequate evidence of a plea of guilty by the prisoner and discharged the convicted man.

English Court Denies Silence Gives Consent

Mysterious "Treasure Hunt"

Rules Adopted For Community Exhibit Awards

Following up their previous efforts to interest all the smaller communities in the coming Central West Texas fair to be held in Eastland the last week in September, R. H. Bush, county agent, and George Briggs, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, have planned a series of special displays and extra prizes as an added inducement.

The rules under which these communities will work and the exhibits allowed are as follows:

The community exhibit must be obtained from within the bounds of the school district exhibiting.

Exhibit must be in place by 10 a. m. of the opening day of the fair and remain unchanged until after judging is completed. Exhibit must remain in place until the close.

Everything on score card must be placed on platform and nothing else. Make every effort to comply with the score card.

Community exhibits will be judged on score card below.

Anything raised in the community may be used as decorations.

In offering this prize the management hopes to encourage diversification in farming and closer co-operation among neighbors.

One community can have but one entry.

Score Card. Corn and kaffir, 200 points; cotton and wheat, 200 points; oats and barley, 75 points; alfalfa, sweet clover, velvet beans and sweet potatoes, 75 points; peanuts and cow peas, 50 points; annual forage crops, 50 points; fruits, 75 points; fresh vegetables, 75 points; other crops not displayed under above classification, 100 points; attractiveness, arrangement and neatness of exhibit, 100 points. Total, 1,000 points.

Only one of the three following is to be exhibited, and it will be scored on a basis of 200 points. Kaffirs include kaffir, milo maize, fetorita and any other grain sorghum. Either may be shown.

1. Corn. Five samples of 10 ears each of two or more varieties, or 2. Kaffir. Five samples of 10 heads each, or 3. Both may be shown.

4. Cotton. Two samples of 20 open bolls each, any variety or varieties, or 5. Wheat. Two one-gallon samples and two bundles, 3 to 5 inches in size, any varieties, or 6. Both may be shown.

7. One gallon sample and one bundle, 3 to 5 inches in size, any variety. 8. Oats and barley. Two one-gallon samples and two bundles of either

or one gallon sample and one bundle of each.

9. Alfalfa, Sweet Clover, Velvet Beans and Sweet Potatoes. Two gallons of seed and two bundles or vines of either, showing season's growth, or two pecks of sweet potatoes, or the exhibit of any two, or one exhibit of each.

10. Peanuts and Cowpeas. Two one-gallon samples and two vines of either, or one gallon sample and one vine each.

11. Annual forage crops. Three five-inch bundles of different varieties or kinds of sweet sorghum or other annual crops grown for forage. The fodder shall not be removed from the stalks. (No grain sorghum shall be considered as a dual crop.)

12. Fruits: Characteristic of the community native and cultivated. Three plates of five specimens each of different varieties or kinds, and five quart jars of different kinds, which may or may not correspond to the fresh fruits.

13. Fresh Vegetables. Ten exhibits of different kinds or varieties in pecks, bundles or quantities, as designated below. If sweet potatoes are shown in class nine they cannot be shown in this class.

The Prizes. For best community exhibits in

Entomologists Will Study The Texas Cotton Flea

By United Press. BRENHAM, July 10.—An expert entomologist from the Bureau of Agriculture at Washington is expected momentarily in Williamson county to aid farmers in checking the averages of the cotton flea, which is threatening the destruction of a large portion of this year's crop.

The Washington bureau also agreed to send a man from San Antonio to aid in fighting volves in Leander, Williamson county, where they are killing sheep.

each class: First, \$50; second, \$40; third, \$25; fourth, \$15.

For communities offering worthy exhibits and making at least 500 points on the score card, but not winning a premium, will be given \$10 to assist in bearing the expense of the exhibit.

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Neighbors Wives

be." "That's equivalent, isn't it, to say it was bad?" "I suppose so." "And had anyone else ever told you that he had a bad character?" "It was hardly necessary to be told. I can observe things for myself."

"Oh! You set yourself up as judge and jury, do you? You know, of course, the difference between character and reputation?"

Blodgett said the two amounted to pretty much the same thing. "Not at all," said Davidson, shaking a finger at him. "Character is what is in a man's reputation is what he is known by. A banker, for instance, can have the reputation of being a miser and skinflint and still not have the traits in his character."

"I was satisfied," Blodgett stated grimly, "that his character is not substantial enough to warrant our extending him any considerable credit."

"And where was his character had? What do you know about this defendant that makes him any worse than you are?"

"He drinks," said Blodgett, "and it is against the law to drink."

"I see. Did you ever see him take a drink?"

"No, but I've seen him come home in an intoxicated condition."

"How many times?"

"Well, just once, that I remember. He was with another man. It was about 2 o'clock in the morning, and he made a loud speech on his front lawn."

The judge had to rap for order. "And in your opinion that was proof conclusive that he was intoxicated? A man doesn't make speeches on his front lawn unless he is drunk?"

"Milburn never denied it," Blodgett said.

"Did you ever ask him?" Paul went on.

"No."

"I see. Now then, let me ask you another question. Suppose the president of some big business in town here came to you and asked for a loan. You knew that his credit was good. Would you refuse him a loan occasionally in defiance of the prohibition law?"

Blodgett colored. "I hardly see the parallel," he said with an attempt at cold dignity.

"I want you to answer the question."

"I might."

"You might. Then you admit that in his case you would be breaking a rule and extending credit to a man with a bad character. Is that true?"

"Not necessarily," Blodgett said in exasperation.

Davidson laughed sarcastically. He proceeded then to pin Blodgett down to an instance of the "midnight revels" he had accused John of holding in his house, and Blodgett, sweating, could not deliver.

By this time the newspaper men were openly derisive of the banker. They grinned unfeelingly at him every time, in desperation, he turned his head to glance at them. It visibly began to worry him as he saw them making profuse notes of the word battle between him and Davidson, and he began to fidget nervously in his chair and glance at his watch.

"Never mind," Davidson reminded him once. "You've plenty of time. You're responsible for hailing the defendant in court. You've surely got



In a sudden blind rage, John leaned over and slapped his face.

weapons, to defend himself against time to see it through."

"I have business to transact," Blodgett told him.

"Well, it can wait. You've said some pretty grave things about my client in open court. For one thing, you made the statement that his wife had left him, implying that she was never coming back. As a matter of fact, you wanted to link that, didn't you? You were only guessing weren't you?"

"I'm not so thick that I can't see beneath the surface of things," remarked Blodgett. "I know they quarreled."

"Did you ever quarrel with your own wife?"

"Of course not." And at this statement a loud guffaw rang through the little courtroom.

"Well, I congratulate your wife," said Davidson, and another laugh went up. "You've made charges against this man that you can't substantiate. It seems to me he has pretty good grounds to bring suit against you for defamation of character. Your honor, he went on, addressing the court, "I think you will agree that I have established beyond a doubt that this man entertained a personal prejudice against the defendant, that he is malicious and careless in the way he talks about him."

"Your honor, no man is safe these days when wolves of the type of this man sitting here go around circulating evil and malicious reports about other people's character. Mr. Milburn is charged with assault and battery, merely because he slapped the face of a man who had grossly insulted him. I maintain that is why a man is equipped with natural attacks of his person and on his

name. The defendant had sufficient provocation to knock his block off, if the court will forgive the slang, and I think Mr. Milburn exercised admirable restraint in merely slapping his face."

(To Be Continued)

Goodrich Tire Dealers Display Creates Furore

A revolving light display, like that shown in the window of Thomas Tire company, local Goodrich tire dealer, was the cause of an exciting time in a little Pennsylvania town a few days ago.

This display, which automatically throws vari-colored light beams over a rainbow background featuring Goodrich tires, has been sent out by the Goodrich company to its dealers in all parts of the country.

The Pennsylvania dealer referred to above left his revolving light burning one night after all but the town's night watchman had retired.

His march through the business section during the early hours of the morning was arrested by the flaming light that flickered from the window of the tire store. Without further investigation he bolted for the nearest fire box and sounded a general alarm.

Most of the townspeople had turned out, clad in nondescripts before the news that it was a Goodrich window display was passed around and the excitement subsided.

Scenery Around Ranger Claims All Attention

By RENA B. CAMPBELL.

One never realizes just how high Ranger is from Fort Worth until they start home from there and begin the ascent into the hills. To me, one of the most enjoyable things of my existence is to take one of the big West Texas coaches, at 7:35 in the evening and climb home from Fort Worth. As the twilight deepens into night, and the lights are turned off inside the big bus, it seems as if one is driving right up through the hills, as they really are.

First comes the big mountain east of Mineral Wells, which is the dread of many a motorist, for it's steep and curvy and long. Then after crossing the Brazos river it is not long until one begins to ascend Winn mountain, named for the Winns, pioneer citizens of that section, whose old home still stands at the foot of the hill, a silent reminder of the former grandeur of the finest home in that part of the country. Then comes a succession of hills, all more or less steep, as one mounts higher and higher toward the last big hill, our own Thurber mountain, which for scenic beauty, whether going up or coming down, is equal to any Colorado scenery.

If the number of actual miles from

Fort Worth to Ranger were as great as the difference in altitude, we could not make it in so few hours. For beauty, this drive is hard to surpass, regardless of what season one traverses it. In summer the hills are shrouded in green of many hues and in winter one hardly misses the summer greenery for there is ever the green of the cedar, which grows profuse enough to furnish a Christmas tree for thousands and thousands of homes. At night they look almost purple black and early in the morning freshly green.

This drive is one of the many outlets that Ranger people have to add to the pleasures of their summer outings and should be looked on as a recreation, not as a feat of automobilism.

With society taking a siesta, there is little left but drives and, thank goodness, the roads are good in every direction and the hills always have a message for those who wish to hear it.

233 permits and 102 producers were registered for Archer, Young and Jack counties, which comprise the district of G. W. Tilley, oil and gas supervisor, with offices in Olney.

Archer led all other counties with 69 producers though relinquishing the place of leadership in the number of drilling permits, both Hutchinson with 184 and Brown with 122 exceeding Archer's 115. Young county made a heavy gain, with 97 permits as compared to 55 for May and Jack county, which until recent weeks was negligible in oil circles, scored 21 drilling permits for June. The most active areas of the Olney district are the Barkley, Rogers and M. & V. pools in the northern part of Young county and the Antelope pool in Jack county.

Nearly half the counties in Texas are witnessing oil activity, the of-


cial report showing drilling in 114 counties. Permits and producers for June in counties in this general section of the state include: Eastland, 30 permits, 5 producers; Stephens, 13 permits, 19 producers; Brown, 122 permits, 38 producers; Callahan, 61 permits, 19 producers; Coleman, 19 permits, 13 producers; Palo Pinto, 6 permits, no producers; Shackelford, 46 permits, 30 producers; Jack, 97 permits, 29 producers; Archer, 115 permits, 69 producers.

Operations have steadily increased since January when only 670 permits were issued with 329 producers. New oil wells for the first six months of the year totaled 2,489 with 2,116 dry holes and 163 gassers.

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One Producer Out of Five Is Olney's Record

OLNEY, Texas, July 10.—One producer out of every five wells completed in the state is drilled in the Olney district, the figures for June just made public from Austin reveal. Out of 1333 permits and 533 pro-



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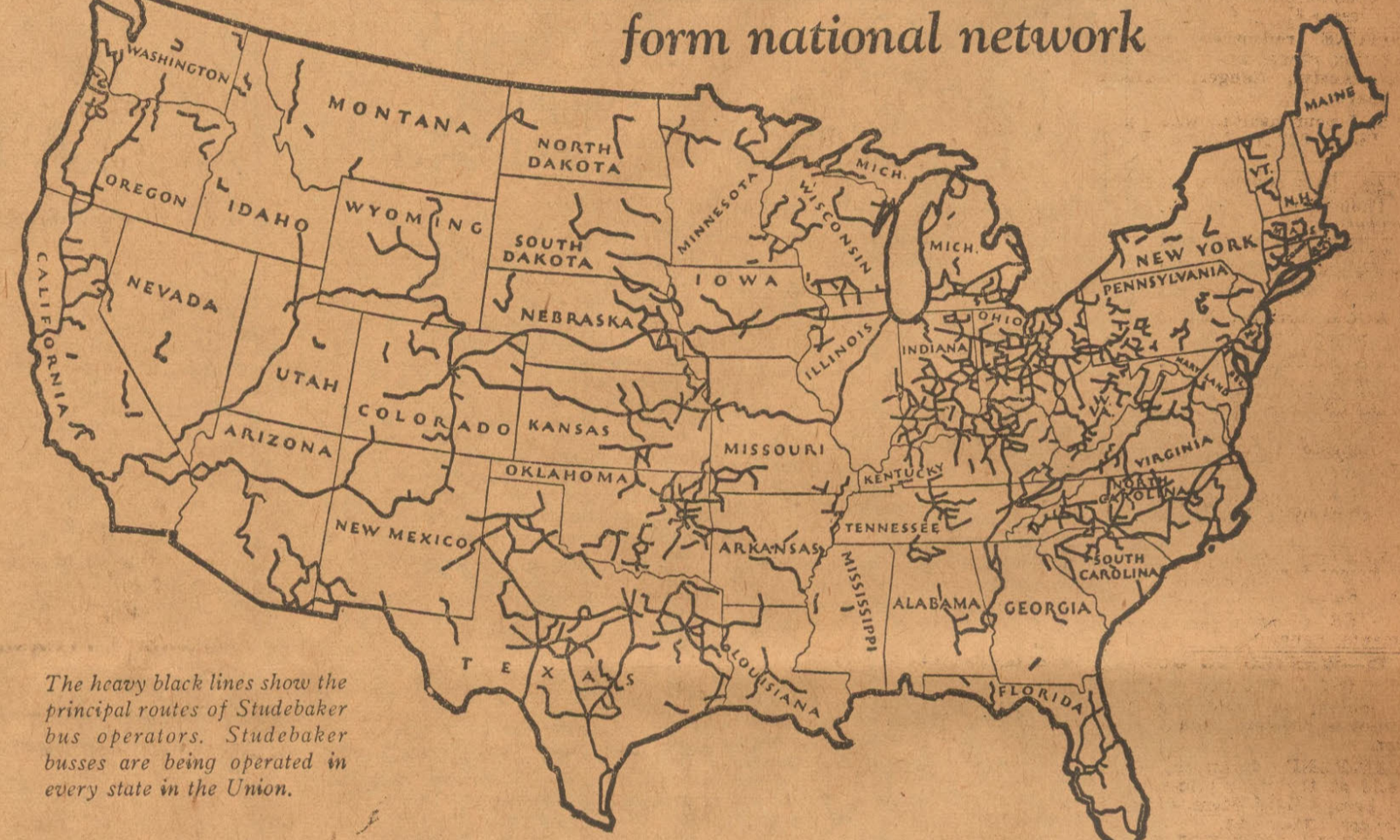
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Studebaker Smashes Transcontinental Record

ON June 17th, a stock model Studebaker Big Six, driven by Ab Jenkins and Ray Peck of Salt Lake City, established a new transcontinental record, bridging the 3471-mile gap between New York and San Francisco in 86 hours, 20 minutes. This not only lowered the previous automobile record by 16 hours and 25 minutes, but also beat the fastest time by train 6 hours and 25 minutes.

In addition to the gruelling strain placed on the car by its average speed of 40.2 miles per hour, terrific rainstorms, fog and deep mud combined to further test its stamina. But the Big Six never faltered — its rugged endurance and abundant power being ever ready to cope with the test of time, distance and elements.

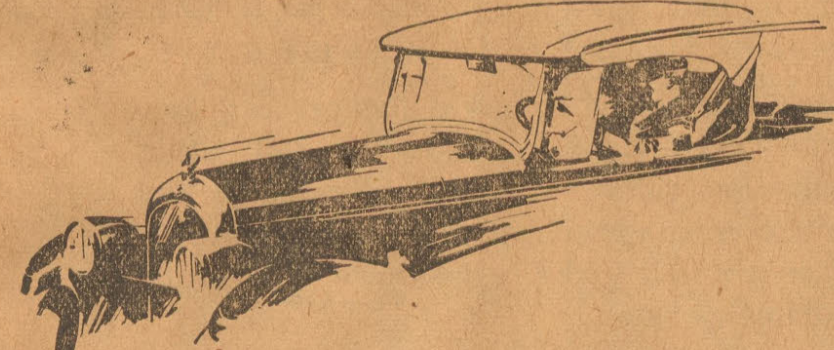
Not only was this record-breaking run a demonstration of the supreme stamina and speed of the Studebaker Big Six, but it also gave striking evidence of its economy of operation. Even under the extremely unfavorable conditions encountered in this coast-to-coast trip, gasoline consumption averaged 13.4 miles per gallon and oil, 315.5 miles per quart.



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Olney's History As Oil Center Unique One

Special Correspondence.

OLNEY, Texas, July 10.—An oil city almost unique in the annals of Texas is Olney which has gone through three years of oil development and has never had a killing in the entire 35 years that has elapsed since the town was founded.

There has been only one suicide in all that period and that act was committed many years ago.

Thirty-five years ago, the finest farm land around here could be bought for 95 cents an acre. A few days ago, 560 acres, two miles north of Olney, was sold for \$75,000 in cash. The land has been tested unsuccessfully for oil and the sale price was based on the agricultural value of the soil.

Although rains and holidays slowed down activities, there were four completions during the week in the Olney district. The Robert Oil corporation's No. 6 Rogers, four and a half miles southwest of Olney, is making 200 barrels at 860 feet and the Pandem Oil corporation's No. 2 Whitehead in the same pool is estimated at 125 barrels. The Sun's No. 7 Kunkel, two and a half miles northwest of Olney, is producing 225 barrels from the 1,100-foot sand, and Reed and Wooten, in the Markley pool, have a 125-barrel well, the Watson No. 1, at 557 feet.

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Loyal Orange Order To Meet In Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.—More than 10,000 members of the Supreme Grand Lodge, Loyal Orange Institution of the United States were arriving in this city today for the annual convention of the Order which opens tomorrow and continues to July 16.

Coincidentally will be held the conventions of the Supreme Ladies' Lodge of the organization and the Supreme Grand Chapter, Black Knights of the Camp of Israel.

The 226th anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne, the decisive contest for the throne of England, waged between James II, aided by the King of France, Louis XI, and William, Prince of Orange. The battle resulted in the defeat of James and secured the English throne to William.

A consequence of the Battle of Boyne was the forming of the first lodge of the Orange order, named after William on the battlefield of Aughrim, which with the battles of Ennis-Killen the Boyne, marked the crucial point in William's campaign for the English throne.

The first American lodge of the Order was formed at Valley Forge, during the winter of 1778, when a member of the Irish Ulstermen, who

formed part of Washington's immortal command, formed a lodge at the winter headquarters of the Constitutional army.

Expert Surgeon Rebuilds Face Of Small Boy

SYDNEY.—Two years ago a nine-year-old boy in a Victorian township had the lower half of his face blown away by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, and today, thanks to the skill of an Adelaide surgeon, he has a new half-face.

The surgeon, Dr. Simpson Newland, gained a worldwide reputation by his surgery achievements in the World War and the British Government endeavored to retain his services in England, but Newland returned to Australia in order that his services should be available to Australian soldiers if they were needed. But the operation on the boy is said to be more remarkable than any he performed in war hospitals.

Newland took pieces of flesh from various parts of the boy's body, and began the work of building up a foundation for the missing half of the boy's face. Six operations were spread over a year before the boy began to resemble his former self.

In the last operation the doctor cut two strips of skin from the boy's temple over the forehead, and up on to the skull. These he laid back and turning them, brought them down

around the flesh that he had built up as a chin. The skin grew and so did some of the roots of hair contained in it. The 11-year-old boy is growing a beard.

In a few weeks time will come the last operation. Newland will take out one of the boy's ribs, and fashion it into a complete lower jaw-bone. This will be let into the built-up flesh and grafted on to the ends of the original jaw-bone, which was blown completely off at the last tooth in the lower jaw. This is said to be comparatively simple, and the success of the whole operation is assured.

WOLVES
A pack of unusually fierce wolves has been making life miserable for the peasants in the remote Altai Province of Siberia. The wolves have become so bold that they attack sheepfolds and barnyards in broad daylight and sometimes fall upon human beings.

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Fish Expedition Forces Will Use Chevrolet Truck

Collection and classification of new species of fish heretofore unknown to the scientific world is the aim of a motorized expedition now enroute to northwest and Pacific coast regions, headed by Professor Carl L. Hubbs, Curator of Fishes of the University of Michigan zoological museum.

A specially designed Chevrolet truck, donated to the University by the General Motors corporation, is being used by Professor Hubbs for transporting equipment and members of his party, from Ann Arbor, Michigan, the home of the university, to various coast and inland cities where investigations will be made. Free service will be rendered by Chevrolet service stations during the trip, which will take five months from June 1 to October 1.

Automobile tourists frequenting Michigan and other central states will especially benefit by the program of Prof. Hubbs which calls for the introduction of fresh water game fish from Washington and Oregon streams. Motorists find fishing one of their chief diversions, and in order to keep pace with their demands, new species must be introduced.

State fish commissions throughout the country will follow Prof. Hubbs' experiments in restocking of streams as inducements for the motor tourists to visit their localities.

Other regions where specimens will be collected are Wisconsin, Lake Superior, Minnesota, North Dakota and California streams.

Specimens of fish collected will be preserved in the compact truck laboratory for future study by students in zoological courses.

Japan To Extend Compulsory Education Term

TOKYO.—The present term of compulsory education in Japan of six years is to be extended to eight years if the proposal just advanced by the minister of education is approved in the next session of the diet.

The minister announces that the recent increase in the national contribution to the public schools, from forty million to seventy million a year, makes this possible. If the plan goes through, new school buildings costing 50 million yen will be built within the next three years.

CHINESE CUSTOMS.

PEKING.—A total of 143 foreigners are now in the employ of the Chinese customs service, according to latest statistics. British led with 625, Japanese comes next with 232, and Americans third with 226.

Prof. Hubbs is a well-known figure in the scientific world for his original work in investigating fish life. He studied fish propagation in the Au Sable, Mich river drainage area and Cheboygan county lakes for the Michigan Department of Conservation and in several of the Pacific coast and northwestern states.

Two hundred different kinds of fishes are now known to science as dwellers in the shore waters of Washington and Oregon, according to Prof. Hubbs, and many others there have never been classified. Use of the Chevrolet truck will allow a wide territory to be covered at a minimum expense, Prof Hubbs says.

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