

# Ranger Times

THE WEATHER  
West Texas: Tonight fair, cooler  
in southeast. Wednesday fair, warm-  
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SENTENCE SERMON.  
If you are headed for no place in  
particular there is just where you  
may reasonably expect to arrive.

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## HOPE FOR RESCUE OF NUNGESSER AND COLI

### RANGERS IN MARSHALL TO HELP IN FLOGGING INVESTIGATION

#### THREE OF THE FLOGGING VICTIMS GONE

##### Federal Government May Take Hand When Proper Time Arrives

By United Press.  
MARSHALL, Texas, June 14.—With three of the flogging victims gone, a triple investigation was launched today into the floggings of five members of two families near here last week.  
Mrs. Hester Lee Mills, one of the victims of the band of four masked men, has returned to Dallas, and W. A. Straps, and his wife vanished Saturday night from the Cain Anderson farm, where they had been working.  
The Straps were almost destitute, Sheriff Sanders said today, in expressing the belief they had gone to Dallas to join Mrs. Mills, who is Mr. Straps' sister.  
Two state rangers were here today to assist in the investigation and another investigation had been promised by Randolph Brant, federal district attorney at Sherman.  
As soon as state and county officials assemble enough evidence the case will be submitted to a special county grand jury, according to County Attorney John Taylor.

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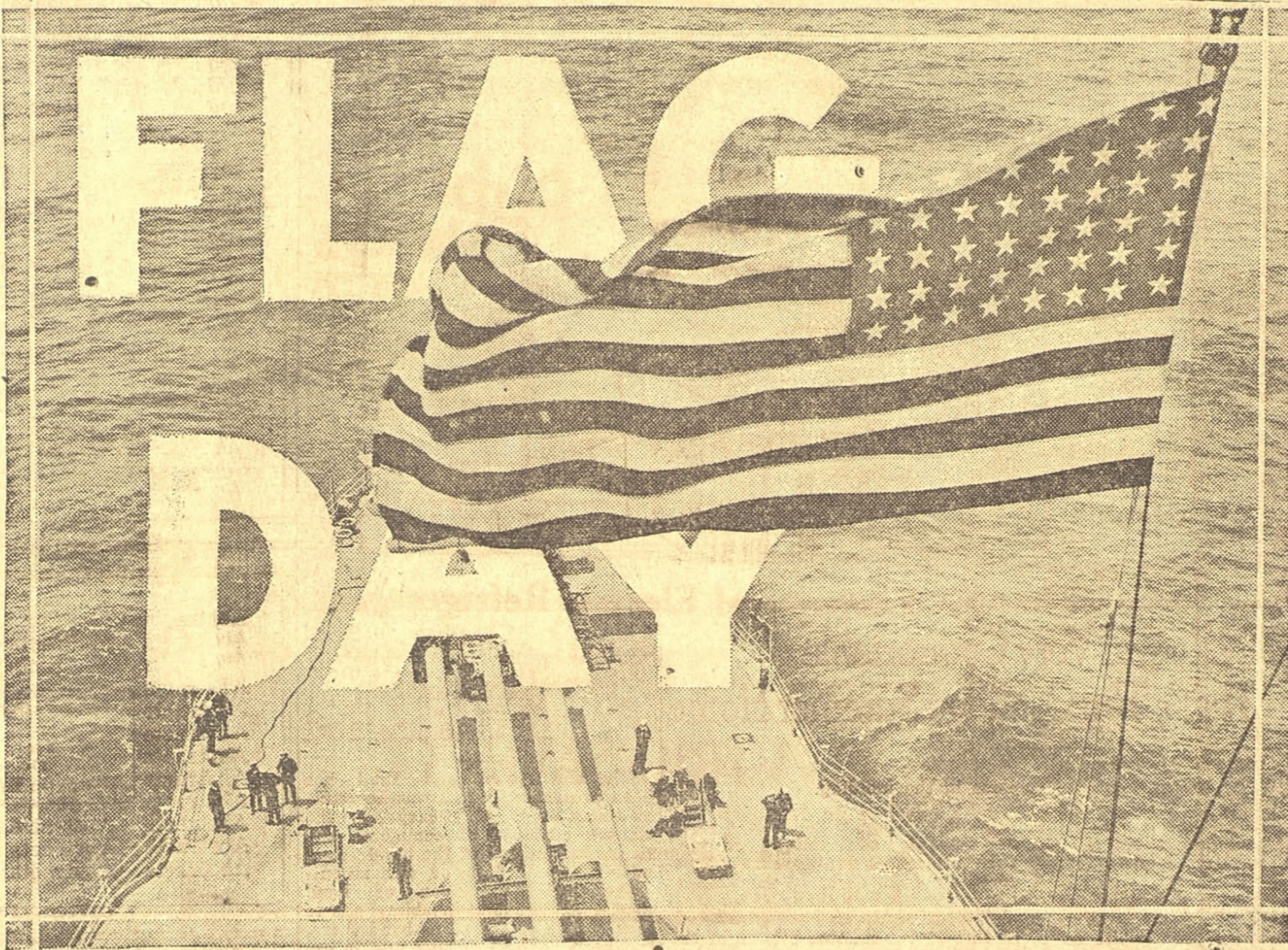
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#### TODAY—OLD GLORY'S DAY



Today is Flag Day throughout the United States—the day when Old Glory once more commends itself to our attention and recalls to our minds the things for which it stands. This unusual picture, showing the flag waving over the quarter deck of one of America's largest battleships was taken during the recent naval maneuvers off the New England coast.

#### American Flags Placed on Top Of Oil Derricks

AMARILLO, June 14.—Flag day was universally observed in Panhandle oil fields for the first time today when an American flag was placed at the top of virtually every oil derrick in this section. Oil companies agreed several days ago to ask their workers to observe the day by displaying flags.

#### Drouth Broken Over Most All of West Texas

Good rains visited all of West Texas Monday but were followed by cool weather that sent people hurrying into light wraps and coats. In Ranger, Tuesday morning the thermometer was at 60, drawing a striking contrast to Sunday when it was hovering close to the 100 mark.  
The rain was general and was attended with little wind or hail. Big Spring reported a good heavy rain, Lubbock and the Plains country had the drouth broken, Sweetwater, Wichita Falls, Haskell, Albany and a number of other West Texas and Panhandle towns report rains ranging from three inches down to one-sixteenth of an inch.  
Waco was visited by a rain of cloudburst proportions, getting 5.54 inches and Tarrant county had over an inch of rain. Eastland county had a thorough soaking with prospects for more. It was most welcome at this time.

#### Attachment On Levine's Plane Is Withdrawn

By United Press.  
BERLIN, June 14.—Mutual apologies and cash settlement today caused the shadow of a legal attachment on the Bellanca Monoplane, Columbia, to vanish.  
The Columbia is the plane in which Clarence D. Chamberlin and Chas. A. Levine made a non-stop distance record in their flight from New York to Germany.  
Representatives of Levine and of Dr. Julius Puppe, who alleged Levine owed him 46,000 marks (approximately \$9,000) met today. The cash settlement and mutual apologies resulted in withdrawal of a writ of attachment which Puppe's representatives had obtained.

#### Heavy Rains Over Texas Continue, Big Aid to Crops

DALLAS, June 14.—Torrential rains continued falling over most of Texas today, the fall in some sections amounting to five inches. Prospects for corn and cotton, dulled in recent weeks by drouth, increased nearly 50 per cent it was estimated.  
In other sections where farmers have withheld planting because of drouth, plans were made for planting of late crops.  
This planting it was estimated, will increase crop area many thousands of acres.  
Southwest Texas, in the vicinity of Laredo, Eagle Pass, and DelRio, received heavy downpours today that were of immense value to pasture lands.

#### Two Cisco Men Are Painfully Hurt In Car Accident

By United Press.  
CISCO, June 14.—R. Q. Lee, former president of the West Texas chamber of commerce received a severe scalp wound and a broken collar bone, and B. S. Huey, a director of the organization, suffered two broken ribs as a result of an automobile accident last night.  
The men were enroute home from a meeting of the chamber of commerce at Breckenridge when their car skidded into a ditch.  
BYRD HAS NO INTENTION OF FLYING BACK FROM PARIS  
By United Press.  
NEW YORK, June 14.—Commander R. E. Byrd has no intention of flying back from Paris, he cabled to Clarence Chamberlin and C. A. Levine. The America Byrd's plane, is expected to complete its tests this week and leave soon on its proposed non-stop flight from New York to Paris.

#### GOVERNMENT OF QUEBEC MAY SEND PLANES

##### Strange Signal Fires Reported Seen North Of Saguenay River

By United Press.  
QUEBEC, Man., June 14.—The provincial government today received a report from a forester in the St. Germain district of northern Quebec, north of Saguenay river, that strange signal flares had been seen in that region at 9 p. m., Saturday.  
The forester reported the flares were of a kind that indicated they were not made by Indians, who are the only inhabitants of that district.  
In view of the possibility that the signals might have been made by Captains Nungesser and Coli, missing French aviators, the Quebec government was endeavoring to verify the report and if indications warrant, will send aviators to investigate.

#### Coolidge Gives His Idea of This Country's Need

By United Press.  
WICKER MEMORIAL PARK, NEAR HAMMOND, Ind., June 14.—What America needs right now are increased educational advantages, crime suppression, some old-fashioned religious devotion, more work for unskilled laborers and patriotism at the ballot box, President Coolidge declared in a speech here today, dedicating the Wicker War Memorial in the heart of this industrial section the president traced the development of the United States in the last few decades and envisaged what "we would like to be."  
"Too many of our people are unprovided with advantages," he said. "The number who are lacking in religious devotion is altogether too large."

#### Much Secrecy In Reported Capture Of Bank Robbers

By United Press.  
OILTON, Okla., June 14.—Secrecy today shrouded reported captures of several men following the \$1,000 Oilton State bank raid yesterday. Two of the five bandits who participated in the robbery were reported in jail at Drumright, following a skirmish between officers and fugitives in the timbered area, 19 miles southeast of here.  
Officers of Oilton and Drumright were non-communicative and telephone inquiries were met with the rebuff, "We have been told not to put anything out."  
No reason was given for the secrecy.

#### Funeral Services Mrs. Rosenquest Held Tomorrow

Funeral services for Mrs. N. J. Rosenquest, mother of Judge N. N. Rosenquest of Eastland, who died at Cisco Monday, will be held at the family home in Cisco Wednesday afternoon at 2:00. Additional services will then be held at Breckenridge where interment will be made.  
Judge Rosenquest, district governor-elect of Texas Lions, was enroute to Miami, Florida to attend the International convention of Lions when apprised of the death of his mother. He turned back at Memphis, Tennessee, and is due to reach Cisco for the funeral.

#### 7,000 BANKERS REGISTERED AT DALLAS CONVENTION

DALLAS, June 14.—Nearly 7,000 bankers were registered here today for the regular meeting of the eleventh federal reserve banking district. All of the 822 banks in the district were invited. The first stockholders meeting in the history of the district will be held today.

## West Texas C.C. Forms Oil and Gas Body

### LOWER FREIGHT RATES TO WEST TEXAS TOWNS APPROPRIATE \$10,000 ANNUALLY FOR MAINTENANCE OF BUREAU

M. H. Hagaman and W. C. Hickey of Ranger, the former a member of the West Texas chamber of commerce board and the latter secretary of the Ranger chamber of commerce, attended the meeting of the board of the former body yesterday at Cisco and a meeting of the oil and gas men of West Texas at Breckenridge last night.  
They report a splendid meeting at both places. The first meeting was in Cisco and was presided over by R. W. Haynie, president of the West Texas chamber of commerce. After the confirmation of appointments of officers made at the annual convention of this organization at Wichita Falls last month, reports were given by the manager of the chamber of commerce of the great West Texas empire; publicity manager, agricultural-exhibit manager and traffic manager.  
Homer D. Wade, manager of the organization presented the budget and W. B. Hamilton of Wichita Falls discussed the formation of an oil and gas bureau.  
Wade was tendered an increase of salary of \$2500 annually, but refused it, owing to general conditions in West Texas and his refusal to accept the raise in salary brought forth a storm of protest from the directors who rose to their feet and declared they would override Wade's refusal. A fish fry was enjoyed at noon.  
In the afternoon the party moved to Breckenridge for a conference with oil men of West Texas, which was held in the municipal auditorium of that city and was featured socially with a chicken dinner at the country club at 6:30.  
The high points sounded at the meeting were education, cooperation, legislation and conservation. Ten thousand dollars a year was set aside to take care of the oil and gas division of the West Texas chamber of commerce which was formed at this meeting.  
W. B. Hamilton of Wichita Falls was elected chairman of the oil and gas committee, which will, with Homer D. Wade, make selection for headquarters for the new department and appointments of a manager and officers later.  
No towns offered a home for the new department at this meeting, but it is generally conceded that there will be strong competition along that line.  
Clarence E. Gilmore, Lon A. Smith and C. V. Terrell of the railroad commission of Texas were present and discussed the oil situation laying particular stress on conservation and insisting that on all methods to prevent waste of oil and gas being used.  
The formation of an oil and gas department met with hearty response from all present, all agreeing that if handled properly such a department would be a wonderful thing in solving the problems of that industry.  
Attending from Ranger were M. H. Hagaman, W. C. Hickey and Fred Yonker.  
The date was set for the next annual meeting of the West Texas chamber of commerce and June 11, 12 and 13 were the days chosen.

## PRESIDENT IS ENROUTE TO HIS SUMMER HOME

By United Press.  
ABOARD PRESIDENT COOLIDGE SPECIAL TRAIN NEAR YOUNGSTOWN OHIO June 14.—With the dog, the cat and the pet raccoon aboard, a white house on wheels rolled President Coolidge and his party of 85 persons through Ohio today enroute to his summer vacation site in the Black Hills of South Dakota.  
All the comforts of home, including the pets were furnished Mr. Coolidge for the two day journey. In addition to Rebecca, the flirtatious raccoon, Blackie, the wondering cat, Rob Roy and Prudence Prim white collies there was a movie theatre in a hotel dining car sun parlor and rooms with royal beds for the president in the nine car train.  
The first stop was to be made early this afternoon at Hammond, Ind., where Mr. Coolidge will dedicate Wicker Memorial park in that rich industrial section. After a two hour pause for a speech there the journey will be resumed and the party will reach Rapid City, South Dakota, the town nearest the selected summer white house, tomorrow night.

## Joint Funeral For Inmates Of Orphans Home

By United Press.  
DALLAS, June 14.—Ismael Akin 14, inmate of the Buckner Orphan home here will be buried today in a grave a few feet distant from one he was digging yesterday when death overtook him.  
Akin was killed by lightning while digging a grave for the body of Mildred King, 16, who died at the orphanage Saturday.  
A joint funeral will be held for both today.  
MINEOLA.—A large compressor station is being built three miles west of this city by the Magnolia Gas company.

## COLD WEATHER PREVAILS OVER MIDDLE WEST

By United Press.  
KANSAS CITY, June 14.—The entire middle west today was experiencing unprecedented chilly weather, according to the United States weather bureau.  
Following two days' rain which extended over several middle west states the thermometer flipped to the middle fifties and was forecast to remain there today or sink lower.  
At least six deaths were attributed to storms. Three were killed by lightning near Dallas yesterday, Near St. Joseph, Mo., rain dimmed a windshield causing a driver to skid and his car ran in front of a fast train. Three were killed.  
WHEELER.—Bids requested for improvements to county jail building here.

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FROM THE BIBLE. Sorrow for Sin: O Lord my God, Hear me, For I am ready to halt, I will declare mine iniquity; I will be sorry for my sin.—Psalm 38:15, 18.

THE ACCIDENT PREVENTION PROBLEM. Compelling every automobile owner to carry liability insurance will not in itself prevent accidents.

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SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

TONIGHT. Flag Day program, 8:45. Rotary club luncheon, 12:15, Gholson hotel.

ACORN ACRES HOSTESS TO AUXILIARY OF CHURCH. Mrs. Charles Slack and Miss Annie Hogan were hostesses yesterday afternoon to members of the Presbyterian auxiliary.

GUEST OF RANGER GIRL MARRIES HERE LAST WEEK. Miss Claudia Warnock of Abilene, who was last week the guest of Miss Geneva Jones, was married on Saturday night to Lester Crossley of Eastland.

WOODS FAMILY OFF TO GALVESTON FOR VISIT. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Woods and little son, Bob, and nephew, Jack Rutledge, left Monday for Galveston, where they will join friends for a couple of weeks.

FIRST BAPTIST W. M. U. HOLDS SPLENDID SESSION. In spite of the rain, members of the First Baptist W. M. U. met in regular session Monday afternoon and quitted and listened to a former member of their society, Mrs. Bob Hunt.

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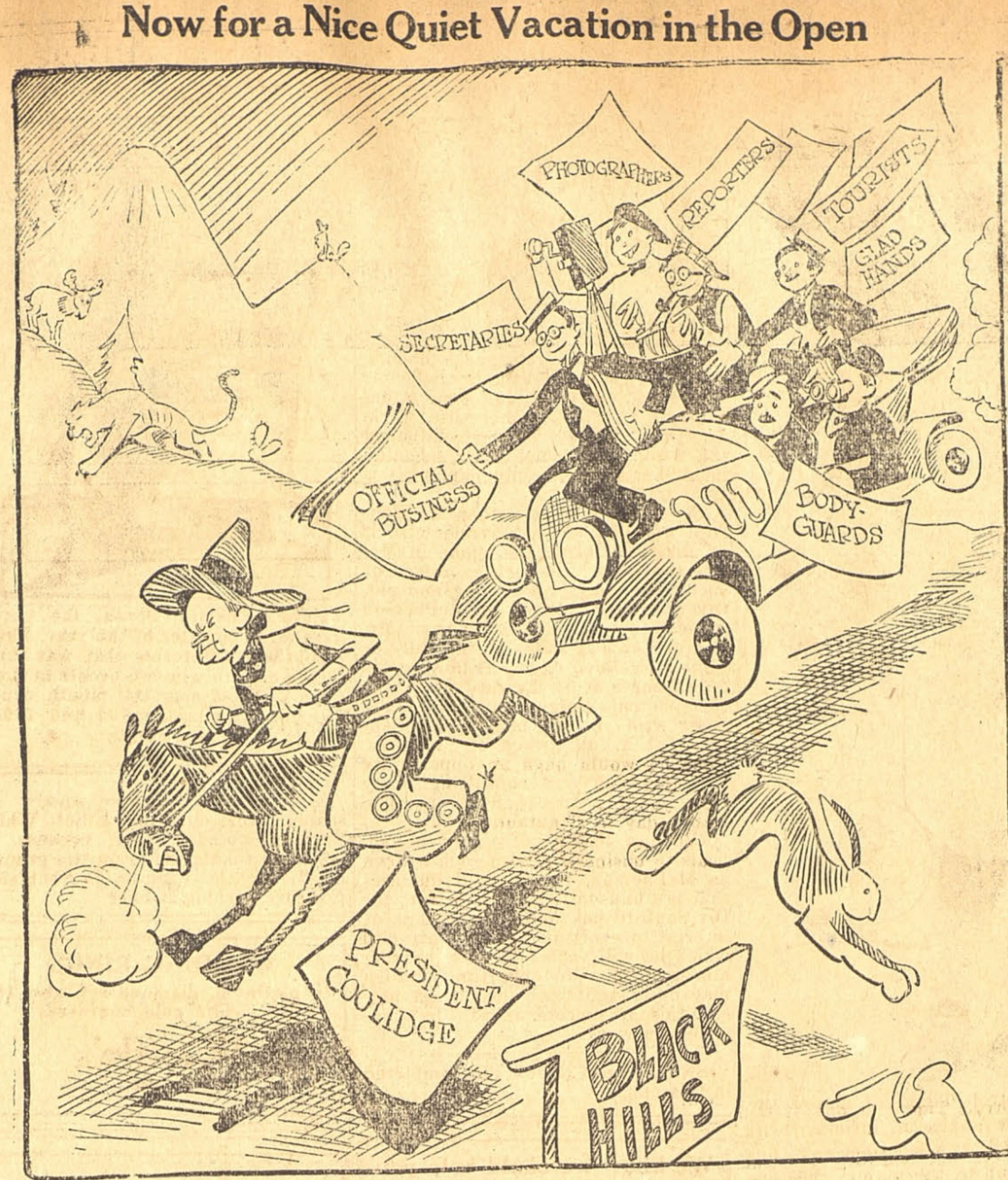
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Plain, Rustic and Very Comfortable That's The Coolidge Summer Home

By PETER EDSON NEA Service Writer. RAPID CITY, S. D., June 13.—On either side of the main entrance to the summer white house are the stuffed heads of two giant sad-eyed buffalo.

High School Band Fund is Raised, Call Underwood

The high school band fund has been oversubscribed, it was announced today by W. C. Hickey of the Ranger chamber of commerce and A. N. Larson one of the band committee.

Notice to the Public

You swing off the main highway, cross a broad lawn, and before you is a two-and-a-half story building with a natural stone porch, running across the front.

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CITIZENS STATE BANK OF RANGER "The Best Town on Earth"

Image of the Citizens State Bank building in Ranger, Texas.

Mrs. N. Bradfield Eastland County Pioneer is Dead

Funeral services for Mrs. Nettie Bradfield, 78, Eastland county pioneer, who died at her home in Eastland, Sunday night, were conducted yesterday afternoon by Rev. F. E. Singleton, pastor of the First Methodist church of Eastland followed by interment in the Eastland cemetery.

"Wholesome and Good" SNO-FLAKE BREAD TULLOS BAKERY 106 S. Rusk Ranger

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LONE STAR STAGE LINE "Pioneers of West Texas Bus Service" Lv. Ranger for Breckenridge: 8 a. m., 11 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 5 p. m., 7:30 p. m. June 1.

WEST TEXAS COACHES THE MAIN LINE TO AND FROM WEST TEXAS COACHES LEAVE RANGER East To Strawn, Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Fort Worth, 8:25 a. m., 11:25 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 4:40 p. m., 8:20 p. m., 12 midnight.

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## UNUSUAL PLAYS SOMETIMES PUT UMPIRES IN BAD

By BILLIE EVANS  
"Take nothing for granted in baseball" is a long standing proverb of the national pastime. There never was a truer one.

On Decoration Day at Philadelphia in a game between the Yankees and the Athletics a most unusual play came up that proves fact is often stranger than fiction.

New York won the game 6-5 in 11 innings. Philadelphia protested the game over the disputed play claiming had the umpires rendered a ruling favorable to the Athletics the contest would have been won by that team in regulation time.

While my information is merely gleaned from the wire dispatches, which may not be just as the umpires on the ground saw it, I can well realize the many angles involved and sympathize with the officials called upon to render a final decision.

Sportsmanship, fair play, must often be the basis for a decision that has as many angles as the Philadelphia play, which I will describe as I know it from press reports.

**How Play Occurred.**  
With Cobb on first base and Collins on second, Simmons of the Athletics hit a towering fly ball that carried into foul territory between third and home.

A high wind was blowing, which it seemed would ultimately drive the ball into the stands. Catcher Grabowski of the New York club, finally caught the ball just to the side of the Philadelphia dugout.

When he came into contact with the railing placed there to protect players from falling into the dugout his momentum carried him over the railing and down perhaps 10 concrete steps, into the tunnel leading into the players' dressing room.

Since baserunners can advance on a foul fly that is caught, Collins and Cobb, within their rights, dashed for the plate the moment Grabowski caught the ball and did an Annette Kellerman down the dugout steps.

Collins scored from second and Cobb from first, before Grabowski could convince his well wishers that everything was all right and get the ball back on the playing field.

Naturally, New York yelled murder at the very idea of permitting two runs to score while Grabowski was in the Athletic dugout and his only means of coming out shut off by curious players who feared he had been killed by the fall.

A long dispute resulted, in which both sides presented many and varied arguments.

Philadelphia claimed the ball was in play, while New York argued interference. Unquestionably, the Athletics insisted two runs should score while the Yanks probably held out for no runs, on the grounds of interference with the player making the catch.

**A's Dialike Decision.**  
The umpires, realizing a most unusual play confronted them, went into conference and reached a decision which it seems to me was eminently fair, but which has been protested.

It is a rule that on all balls thrown into the player's bench, or a fair hit ball that might in some way bound into the bench all runners shall be entitled to two bases.

I am inclined to think the umpires gave thought to this rule when they permitted Collins to advance two bases and score from second while Cobb was sent from first to third.

The player in making the catch had been thrown into restricted two-base territory, and according to reports, was prevented from making an immediate return to the playing field by the opposing players.

Umpires have never made a ground rule covering such a contingency, because such a happening seemed impossible, but it is safe to assume it will be covered after an official ruling is given on the protest.

## Grand Ointment Makes Pimples and Blotches Go

Ever since the introduction in this country of the wonderful Black and White Ointment, and Skin Soap, skin specialists say that such troubles as pimples, blotches, bumps, rash, tetter, eczema, "breaking out", etc., are becoming fewer every year.

Wide distribution of Black and White Ointment, and Skin Soap, has made it possible for millions of people to get the benefit of this wonderful, quick effect in clearing disfigured skin and making it smooth and good to look at. Dealers everywhere say they are selling faster than anything of a similar nature they have ever handled, and they attribute this popularity to the low prices at which they are sold, as well as their dependability. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size.—Adv.

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## Second Portuguese in Majors



BERNIE DE VIVEROS

Bernie De Viveros, reserve infielder with the Detroit Tigers, is one of the two Portuguese now playing in the majors. Lew Fonseca, infielder with Cleveland is the other. De Viveros is serving Detroit well in utility roles and is considered one of the best prospects brought up to the majors this season.

## BASEBALL

### CITY COMMISSION OF RANGER TO MEET TONIGHT

#### TEXAS LEAGUE.

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Dallas at Waco, rain.  
Beaumont at Fort Worth, rain.  
Shreveport 2, Houston 1.

**Standing of the Teams.**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Wichita Falls	35	23	.603
Waco	33	27	.550
Dallas	32	29	.525
San Antonio	30	30	.500
Houston	30	31	.492
Beaumont	28	33	.459
Shreveport	26	31	.456
Fort Worth	25	35	.417

**Today's Schedule.**  
San Antonio at Dallas.  
Beaumont at Fort Worth.  
Waco at Wichita Falls.  
Houston at Shreveport.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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Chicago 6, New York 2.  
Pittsburgh 4, Brooklyn 3.  
Boston-Cincinnati, rain.  
Philadelphia-St. Louis, rain.

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Pittsburgh	32	17	.653
Chicago	31	19	.620
St. Louis	28	20	.583
New York	26	24	.520
Brooklyn	25	31	.446
Boston	19	25	.432
Philadelphia	19	28	.404
Cincinnati	18	34	.346

**Today's Schedule.**  
Philadelphia at St. Louis.  
Boston at Cincinnati.  
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.  
New York at Chicago.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

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New York 14, Cleveland 6.  
Philadelphia 7, Detroit 6.  
St. Louis 2, Boston 0.  
Washington 10, Chicago 0.

**Standing of the Teams.**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	36	17	.679
Chicago	32	23	.582
Philadelphia	29	23	.558
Washington	26	24	.520
Detroit	24	27	.471
St. Louis	24	27	.471
Cleveland	24	30	.444
Boston	13	37	.260

**Today's Schedule.**  
St. Louis at Boston.  
Cleveland at New York.  
Chicago at Washington.  
Three games scheduled.

You'll know it's summer some evening when you come home to the aroma of boiling tomato catsup.

## THE JAMESONS

**McDONALD'S**  
Little Plumber

HERE'S A FACT  
THERE'S NO DENYING--  
HERE'S A SERVICE  
SATISFYING!

**SERVICE!**

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## Chester Sandford Is Busiest Man On Chautauqua

Chester M. Sandford who speaks on the Chautauqua program in Ranger this year is the busiest man in town and the most in demand.

Mr. Sandford's lecture deals with personality and opportunity and success. Vocational guidance is coming into its own in this country. People young and old are giving more attention to their fitness for their life work. Success or failure may depend upon the wisdom by which their selection is guided and certainly happiness is concerned as well.

Several seasons ago when Mr. Sandford was touring the Premier circuit of Redpath-Horner, he spoke in McPherson, Kan. His lecture proved of such vital interest to young and old, that the business men of McPherson immediately arranged to have Mr. Sandford appear there in the fall for three successive days. Following his appearances at St. Edward, Neb., the same summer, a nearby town, Albion, Neb., wrote in and booked Mr. Sandford for a full week of lectures. Thus he would have an opportunity of addressing and consulting many more young people than was possible in one day in Chautauqua.

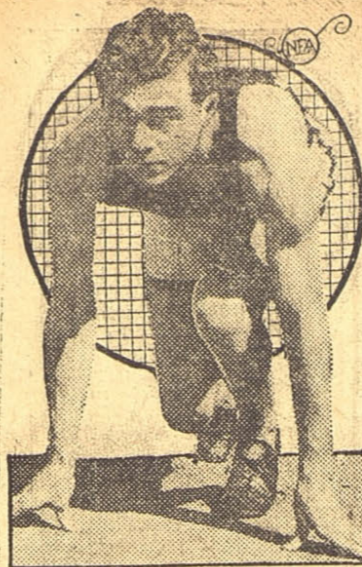
When a lecture of this type appeals to business men in such a town as McPherson, it has vital qualities that are unusual, and this is true, for Dr. Sandford has something that is of interest to every person in every city which he will visit. To miss hearing him is to miss an opportunity which may be fraught with the utmost possibilities of success and future happiness in work.

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### Sometimes One Star Player Is Making of Team

The addition of one star player very often supplies the necessary punch to transform an ordinary ball club into a pretty good one.

Take the case of the Brooklyn club. During the first month of play, erratic work by the infield, at short in particular, kept the club from going anywhere.

After the Dodgers had lost 12 of the first 16 games played, Manager Wilbert Robinson decided he needed infield strength. He parted with a pretty fair pitcher in Bob McGraw for infielder Flowers of the world champion St. Louis Cardinals.

With the coming of Flowers, who was used at shortstop, the Brooklyn club immediately took on a new lease of life. During the month of June the team won 17 out of 28 games. Not so bad for a poor tail-end.

From last place Brooklyn, inside of a month, became a first division contender and appears to be getting better.

**Big Help and Handicap.** There is no getting away from the fact that the excellent work of Flowers at short, tended to stabilize the infield at a spot where many a game had been tossed away because of erratic play.

On the other hand, the Detroit club of the American League, has been handicapped by the loss of second baseman Marty McManus.

When Manager Moriarty secured McManus in a trade with St. Louis, it seemed as if he had made a ten strike, since for years the Detroit club had been weak at second base.

It struck me that McManus would help Tavener at short and would also be an anchor for the infield by his steady work around the keystone sack.

An injury early forced McManus out of the running. While Charley Gehring, whom I regarded as one of the best prospects in the majors, has performed most acceptably at second, the lack of the noise which McManus would have added to the infield plus his hitting has been a severe handicap to the Tigers.

New York is fortunate in having so versatile a performer as Tony Lazzari. A great second-sacker, he filled in at short last year, and this season is subbing at third in a most sensational manner.

**Yankees Class of League.** Manager Bill Carrigan of the Boston Red Sox, a great catcher in his day and a smart manager always, is firmly convinced that the club that wins the American League pennant must beat New York.

"After looking over all the American League clubs in the first two months of play, I am convinced that New York is one club that has no glaring faults," says Carrigan.

"New York compares very favorably with the strong teams of the major leagues of from 10 to 15 years back.

"It is the most dangerous club in the American League on the offensive. Practically every man in the lineup is a slizzer.

"The pitching is stronger than I had expected, based on the dope that had been handed me. Hoyt, Penneck, Reuther and Shocker are four pretty good pitchers to string along with.

"New York has a good infield, a great outfield and fair catching. It will be hard to beat."

When asked what he thought of the Chicago White Sox, the surprise team of the American League, Carrigan replied:

"Schalk's club reminds me of the White Sox of 1904. It is my opinion that the club must continue to have effective pitching of the highest sort to carry it along."

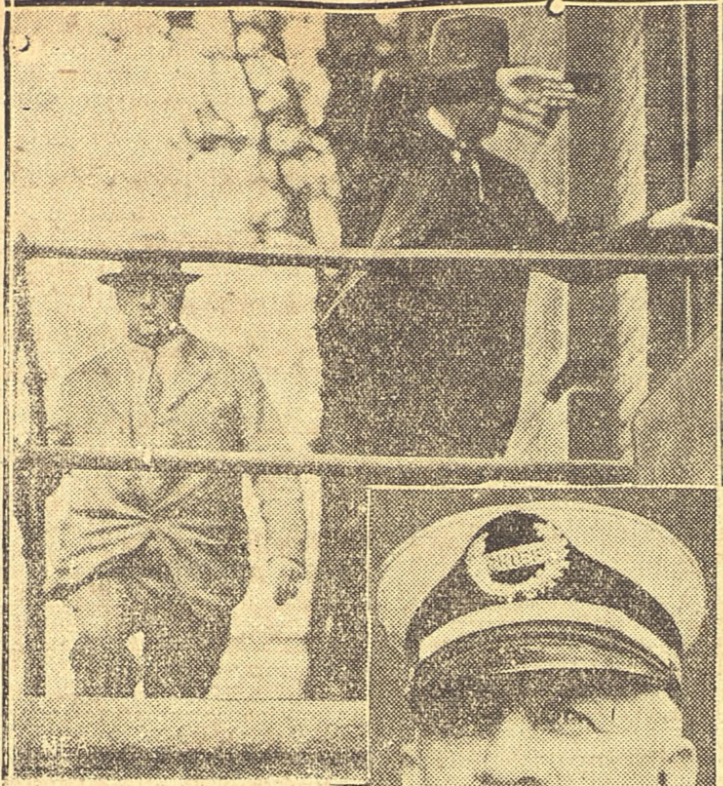
A special session of congress is to be called in autumn. Maybe they're going to build more warships to bring back our non-stomping fliers.

### Champ Trains



Here's Gene Tunney the champion, and the ax which he is wielding at SEpeculator, N. Y., as a part of his training paraphernalia. Tunney is strengthening his shoulder and arm muscles for his next fight by chopping wood.

### Former Canton Chief Indicted



Former Chief of Police Lengel of Canton, O., is the first man to be indicted in connection with the murder of Don Mellett crusading editor. Lengel is shown shielding his face as he was being taken up the jail steps by Sheriff Ed Gibson. Below is a closeup of the former chief, whose arrest followed the story told by Floyd Streitenberger, former detective. Pat McDermott, Ben Rudner and Streitenberger have been sentenced to life imprisonment while Louis Mazer who was the first to "confess" awaits trial.

### SPORTS, ODDS AND ENDS

**Australia**  
By A. W. V. KING  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
SYDNEY.—Handicapped by distance from sending large teams to compete at the quadrennial Olympic games in European capitals, Australia's representation at Amsterdam next year will depend solely upon the amount the public subscribes in response to a public appeal.

With but a handful of competitors at Colonbes (Paris) in 1924, Australia won three events with Andrew (Boy) Charlton (1500 meters swimming), Dick Eye (diving) and A. W. Winter (hop, step and jump). Charlton and Winter are almost certain to go again, both having shown close to their best form in the last few months. Eye will be out of it, having turned professional by taking a paid position at a swimming pool.

In the sprints, worthy candidates would be Norman Parker, Brisbane, and Joseph Carlton, Sydney. The latter is not yet 18 years old, but has already broken events for the hundred yards. Middle distance runners are lacking, but George Hyde, Melbourne, is expected to keep level with the world's best at distances of a mile to five miles.

Besides Charlton in swimming, there will probably be Ernie Jones, of Western Australia, who has shown first class form in the season just closed over middle and long distance. For the sprints, Australia has no Weimuller, but a whole crowd of smart youngsters are striving for Olympic honors and these most likely to see Amsterdam are Ernie Henry and Frank Doyle, both of this city.

In girl swimmers, this country reckons it has one out of the box in 17-year-old Edna Davey, who has gone close to numerous world records this summer, and has broken some in unofficial swims. "Best since Fanny Durack," is the expert's opinion of this young mermaid.

Bob Pearce, unbeaten amateur sculler, is certain to go for the sculls. Descendant of a long line of boatmen, Pearce has never been headed in a race.

A lawn tennis team of two or four will probably be sent, and will include possibly Jack Crawford, Sydney, and Ger Moon, Brisbane, Australia's future Davis Cup hero. Both have established themselves in the top grade during the past twelve months, and with J. O. Anderson turned professional and Gerald Patterson abandoning competitive tennis to devote himself solely to business, they and the evergreen Pat O'Hara Wood,

who has recently shown his best play for many a year, will be called upon to uphold Australia's name in international tennis during the next few years.

**GOLF**  
By GEORGE D. CRISSEY  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
PORTLAND, Ore., June 8.—Half a hundred prize golfers of the west swung into action on the Oswego golf course the other day to do battle for honors of being champion of the Oregon amateurs.

A title was at stake but the title holder was absent.

Frank Dolp, youthful Portlander, who leaped into golfing prominence by winning three titles in two years—the Oregon state championship twice and the Western amateur title once—was not defending his Oregon laurels.

Dolp will compete in three major golfing events of the United States this summer and this will take him from his insurance office for four weeks and that, he says, is all the time he can spare from his business.

With Dolp absent in the Oregon state tournament, Dr. O. F. Willing, former champion, was considered a favorite to regain half of his lost laurels.

**MRS. DUNN**  
By GERALD D. McCLEAN  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
CLEVELAND, June 8.—Mrs. James C. Dunn, majority owner of the Cleveland American League baseball club and the only woman mogul in the major leagues, is as keen a follower of the great American past-

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time as she is a businesswoman.

Reports have circulated recently that the widow of the late James Dunn is preparing to sell the Indians. In an interview with the United Press, Mrs. Dunn neither confirmed nor denied this rumor.

"I am not looking for buyers," Mrs. Dunn said. "If anybody appears with enough money to pay what I think my baseball holdings are worth, I'll sell."

Coming from the lips of an ordinary business woman or woman a statement such as the above would be indicative of putting the tribe on the auction block. Coming from Mrs. Dunn, however, the interview was interpreted as a female euphemism for

"It will take a lot of jack."  
In the first place, Mrs. Dunn is not making public the amount she would take in exchange for the Indians. Those claiming to be in the know say it won't be a cent less than a cool million. A million dollars for a team of the Indian's calibre in the terse idiom of the volgarate, is "some money" and that is exactly what Mrs. Dunn is looking for.

Mrs. Dunn told the United Press she hopes when the team is sold it will go to Cleveland interests. Then, in the same breath, she admitted several Clevelanders have made her offers but said offers fell far short of the figure she is holding out for; another indication that when commerce and sentiment get in the race sentiment is generally left at the post.

Mrs. Dunn went on to assert that the business of running a baseball club isn't a cracked nut.

"The club that Mr. Dunn built up has been a source of pride to me, but I'm getting along to the point in life where the strain of operating a major baseball team is too great." Then she added, "I won't enjoy getting out of baseball. I'll always be a fan and will always pull for the Indians no matter who owns them."

It would appear that Mrs. Dunn will be spared the agony of parting with her club for some time unless she adopts the well-known fire sale methods of marking down the figure on the price tag. The loss of Tris Speaker and the team's poor start in the American race this year haven't added to its value.

It is interesting to know that this is the first year Mrs. Dunn has ever indicated she might sell the Indians. Since the death of her husband she has taken a solid interest in the club's welfare. Winning ball clubs, of course, are profitable investments, and when the Tribe was runner up

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to the New York Yankees at the close of last season's campaign, the club looked like a good buy.

However with Tris Speaker performing on the Washington roster and the Indian's feeble efforts to get into the winning column an almost daily story, the million dollar price looks bigger this year.

**BOWLS**  
LONDON.—In the four corners of Britain, both in town and village, the ancient game of bowls is in full sway. It is a game of great antiquity, immortalized by Sir Walter Raleigh, who, historians write, refused to prepare his fleet to fight the Spanish armada until he had finished his game of bowls.

The season opened with a tournament between teams composed of international and county players, which took place on the Southfields green an exceptionally large crowd of fans. A series of matches were played by the teams among whom were four English Bowls association single-handed champions, three gold badge winners and two Lonsdale trophy winners.

An interesting race for supremacy in club strength is being carried on by the counties of Middlesex and Surrey. So far the county north of the River Thames claims superiority with a total of 18 clubs.

The leading players of these clubs will take part in a tour scheduled to commence in June when they visit the towns of Bedford, Kettering, Cheltenham and Bristol where they will play games on consecutive days.

The end of May will herald the commencement of the inter-town inter-county tournaments in which 956 clubs, comprising over 100,000 members will participate in these games that should prove good practice matches for the forthcoming tourney, scheduled for August 22.

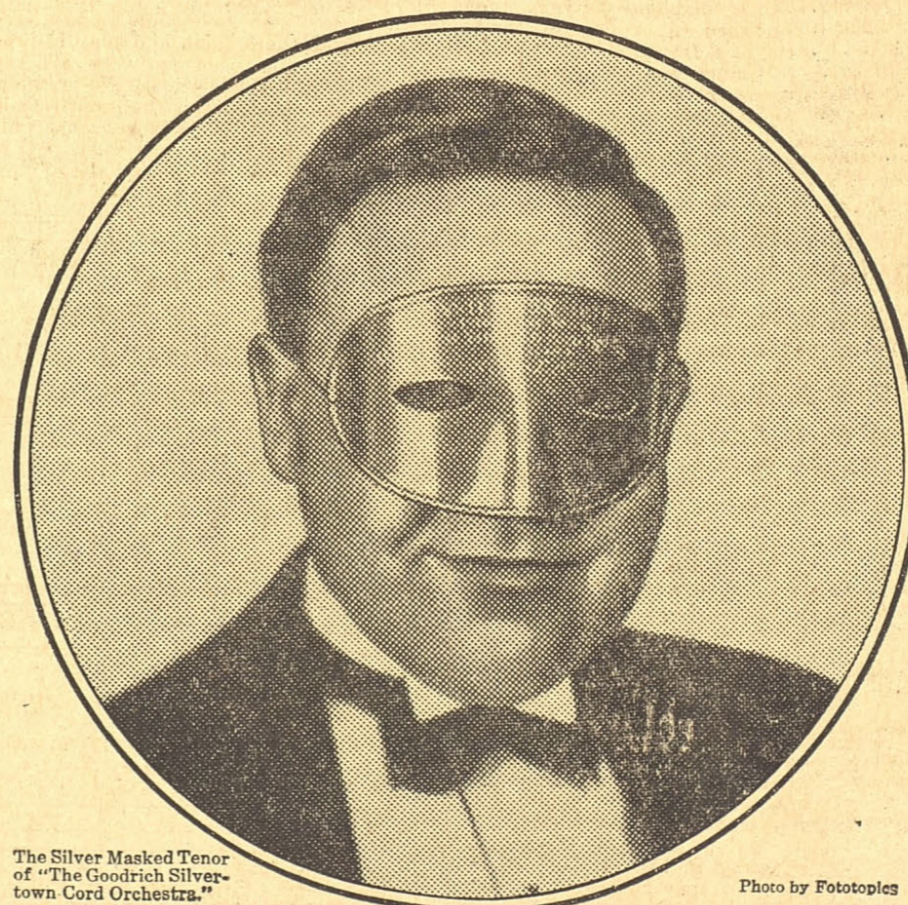
A notable feature in the game is the progress being made in the Midlands. The opening of a women's suburb of London will tend to make exclusive Bowls club at Harrow, a male players concentrate in view of this threatened female competition.

"Is Man a Machine?" was the subject of a debate in an eastern city. Yes, but the driver sits in the back seat.

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# ST. LOUIS C. OF C. PREPARES SHOW FOR VISITORS

ST. LOUIS, June 14.—Seeking to show every possible courtesy to members of the "all Texas special" good will tour, headed by Gov. Dan Moody, the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce is expecting to assure the presence here of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, American air hero, for a luncheon to be tendered the Texans at the Hotel Statler here, June 21.

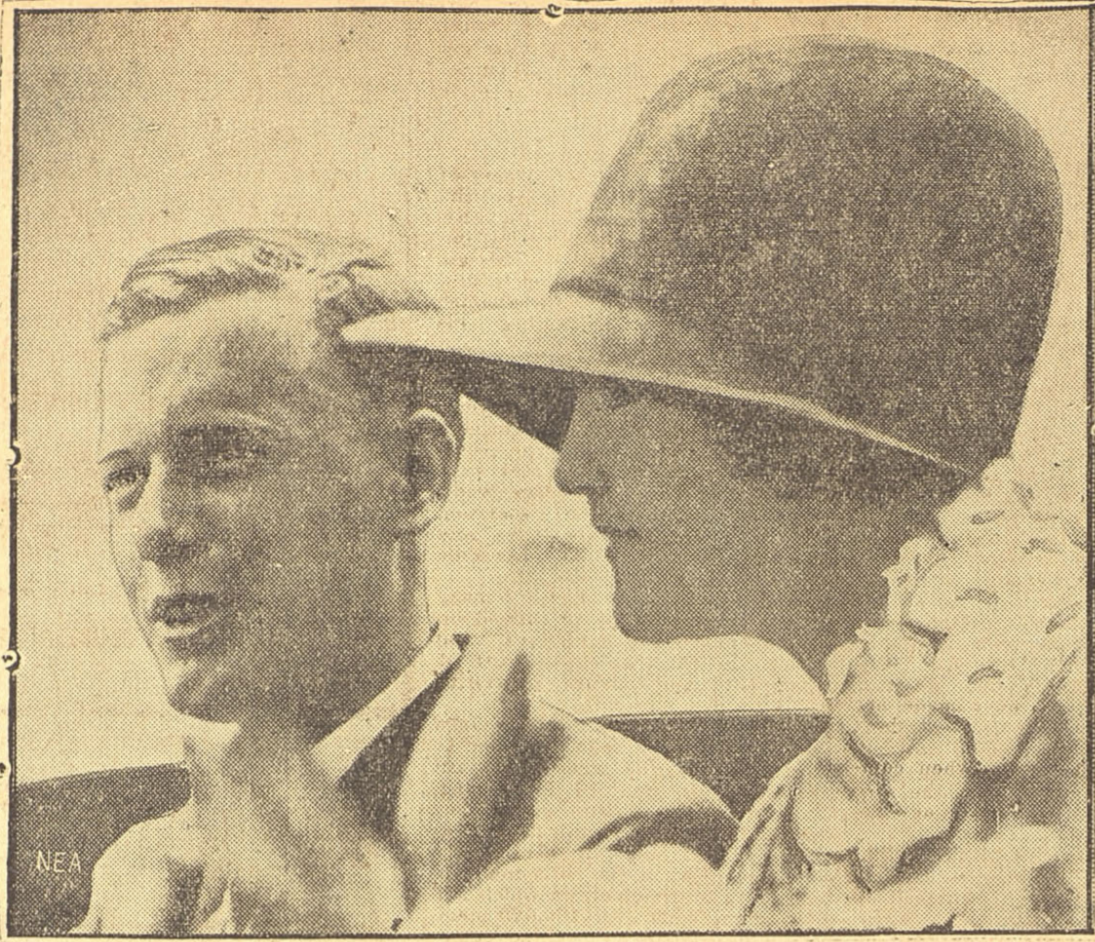
Lindbergh is to be entertained here for three days just prior to arrival of the Texas party, and the date is considered opportune. Governor Moody is expecting to present Lindbergh with a Texas flag as a token from the state and the tour party.

Plans for entertainment of the Texas party here include a formal reception at the Union station upon arrival; an escort to Texas headquarters at the Statler; the St. Louis luncheon; an option of business visitations or the Cardinal-Cubs baseball game, and complimentary seats for "Sari," the new grand opera, by the Municipal Grand Opera company.

These arrangements have been announced by James A. Troy, convention manager for the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

Texas bankers on the train will be extended especially courteous from the St. Louis banking group, it was explained by Fred P. Paro, vice president of the National Bank of Commerce, St. Louis.

## Lindy and His Mother in Washington



Mrs. Lindbergh and her boy—the boy she taught ABC's and who cut down the Atlantic ocean to a mill pond—are shown here as they ride in the official presidential car along Washington streets. The mother is looking through proud eyes at her son the object of the greatest reception America ever gave one of its heroes.

## CHARLES A. LINDBERGH

By MORRIS DE HAVEN TRACY  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
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### CHAPTER ELEVEN

Charles A. Lindbergh's decision to fly to Paris was made sometime last fall while he was still carrying the night mail between St. Louis and Chicago. At least, it was then that he began to talk of such a flight. To many people such a project then sounded foolhardy, but it was typical of the confidence Lindbergh's friends had in him that the aviators immediately took the idea seriously.

"We knew that Slim was extraordinarily well fitted for the job," one of his associates said in telling of those days. "We knew also that he would not content himself very long with air mail flying."

In December he resigned from the air mail service telling his friends that he proposed to fly to Paris. It was at that time that he was credited with saying that the government had spoiled the sport of flying the night mail by lighting the St. Louis-Chicago route and robbing it of thrills.

December 27, 1926 Lindbergh made his first concrete move towards organizing his flight. He called upon Major William B. Robertson of St. Louis, laid the plan before him and asked for advice and financial assistance.

"He had a clear idea then," Robertson said "of the sort of plane he wanted to use and had decided it was best to use a single motor."

"We talked it over with my brother, Lieut. Frank Robertson and finally called upon a newspaper reporter for advice."

January 9, 1927, a conference was held and Harry H. Knight, a young broker interested in flying, Albert Bond Lambert, once a balloonist and the father of the development of aviation in St. Louis, and Harold Bixby, secretary of the St. Louis chamber of commerce were interested in the project.

Knight set out to finance the flight. He and Bixby signed a note for \$15,000 at a bank and that amount was put on deposit to the credit of Lindbergh and his associates. Then the note was underwritten by subscriptions. Lindbergh gave \$2,000 which was the largest single subscription to the project. Harry F. Knight, father of H. H. Knight, Major Lambert, J. D. Lambert, Earl C. Thompson and the St. Louis Globe-Democrat subscribed from \$500 to \$1,000 each.

It is interesting to note that the loan from the bank still is in effect and that Lindbergh used only \$13,500 of the \$15,000 raised for him. The remainder still is on deposit.

With the flight financed to his satisfaction, although \$15,000 seemed a paltry sum when the magnitude of the project is considered and the amounts spent on other like projects are recalled, Lindbergh started out to buy an airplane.

He favored a Bellanca monoplane and opened negotiations for the purchase of one from the Bellanca interests. But he could not come to terms with the New York firm and, with characteristic decisiveness, broke off negotiations and started for California to deal with the Ryan Aircraft company there. Lindbergh was just turning 25 years of age and B. F. Mahoney, president of the Ryan company, was just turning 26 years. It didn't take these two youthful spirits long to get together. Mahoney agreed to build the plane which would cost \$14,000 to manufacture. It was specified that the established sale price, allowing for royalties and payment for patents, would be \$25,000 but Mahoney agreed later to sell it to Lindbergh for \$10,500.

In those negotiations began the friendship between Mahoney and Lindbergh which caused Mahoney to follow Lindbergh to New York to bid him farewell and then to Paris.

Lindbergh remained in San Diego while his plane was being built. During those two months he lived aviation and nothing else. He roomed with A. J. Edwards and according to Edwards worked constantly and with little sleep as his preparations went on.

"He gave no attention to social life whatsoever," said Edwards. "He never cared for girls. Only once during the entire time we lived together did he ever have a date with a girl and then he made me promise that I wouldn't say anything about his proposed flight to Paris."

"He always preferred to spend his spare time reading and studying or in taking long walks. He was not a woman hater in any sense of the phrase, but women did not seem to have a place in his plans for the flight."

"I never saw a man who was more of a gentleman or whose personal habits were better. His only bad habit was his mania for practical jokes. He was clean cut and straight forward as any person I have ever known and a model for the coming generation of American youth in every respect."

In that regard it is a well known fact that Lindbergh never smoked and never uses liquor. Even in Paris the French were reduced to the expedient of making non-alcoholic cocktails for him at his many banquets.

While at San Diego Lindbergh seemed to get his relaxation from the strain of his studies and planning for the flight, from pranks played upon his associates. At the flying field no mechanic was safe. His boyishness always was coming to the front. He enjoyed immensely pushing over some field attendant, while a confederate knelt behind his victim.

One night he kept Edwards up answering the telephone most of the night and incidentally planned the name of "Adolph" on Edwards. The phone in Edward's room had been listed under the name of Adolph Schmidt, a former tenant. Lindbergh arranged with a group of friends to call the number and ask for "Adolph." It was well along in the morning before Edwards finally decided to get up and answer the phone. He found a note pinned to the door and abandoned the room for the apartment of a friend.

A dinner was given for Lindbergh, attended by many army and navy fliers. A blackboard was erected and on it were airplanes sketches including one of Lindbergh's plane on the wings of which were the letters "N. Y. P." the letters assigned to Lindbergh's plane.

Someone wrote under these letters "Nervy Young Pilot."

Lindbergh was telling of his flight plans when he noticed the inscription. "That's right," he said. "I certainly feel like a nervy young pilot telling you veteran navigators about navigation."

Lindbergh spent his days at the Ryan factory or at the flying field, watching the construction of his plane, testing and planning. When not there, he spent most of his time studying and outlining his flight.

He kept a note book and whenever he would hear some scientific advance as a reason why the flight would fail he would write it down in the book. When he had found an answer to the skeptics argument and worked out a way of meeting the difficulty, he would mark it out.

When his maps, charts and navigation books, which he had ordered especially for the flight arrived he went into 10 days seclusion. He slept but a few hours a night and only appeared out of his room for meals. At the end of that time he had stored away in his mind a course of study in navigation that others require years to gain and had worked out the plan for the navigation of the Atlantic from which he never deviated and which never even threatened to fail him.

As the time approached for the flight he he considered the problem of sleep and engaged in trials of his ability to keep awake. He first remained awake 24, then 30 and finally 35 hours, to prove that he could do it.

He took longer and longer walks to condition himself physically. At last his plans and his plane were ready.

"The only sign of nervousness he showed was when he was all set to go and the weather proved unfavorable," Edwards said. "Then he began getting impatient."

Finally on the morning of May 10 conditions were reported favorable. Lindbergh went to the field early. His plane was wheeled from the hangar and mechanics began filling it with gasoline for the flight to St. Louis. Time dragged. Lindbergh's impatience grew, but he was buoyant and confident. A plane of the Hawk type, a type Lindbergh had never flown, was on the field. So while mechanics prepared his plane for the long flight from San Diego to St.

Louis Lindbergh piled into the Hawk and soared over the field putting it through a dizzy series of loops and twists and turns.

Lindbergh, waiting to make a 17 hour flight to St. Louis was going out for an airplane ride.

At last his monoplane was ready and he sailed away for St. Louis where he arrived, almost unheralded the morning of May 11, setting a new record for non-stop flying for a one-man plane, and arriving three hours ahead of his schedule.

He came so early no one was there to meet him. That night a reception was given him by his St. Louis friends and Harry Knight asked him to spend the night at his country home, but Lindbergh was engaged in the business of flying. He refused the offer and went to the little frame house, near the flying field, where he had kept bachelor quarters so long with the other aviators.

The morning of May 12 he breakfasted at the field lunch stand and was off for New York.

Before dark he circled over Manhattan and made his memorable landing at Curtiss Field—a smiling, blushing, bashful boy, full of confidence and destined to become the most popular peace time civilian hero of the century. In his pocket he had an order for a ticket home. To that, he added a draft on a Paris bank for some \$500, issued on Friday, May 13. Later came letters of introduction which he sought because of a fear that he might find no friends in Paris.

Then, after taking in Coney Island and the sights of New York, this amazing lad, who had dreamed through his youth in Little Falls of the day when he could soar away in the air, roared out of Roosevelt field and 34 hours later the world was at his feet.

For Charlie Lindbergh, who used to "ride" a bicycle high up in a tree at his father's farm and play he was flying; who used to wear his cap backwards, and who drove automobiles too fast to suit the quiet people of his home town, proved that his dreams and his daring were not in vain. He had flown to Paris.

(THE END)

## SPECIAL SERVICES AT THE CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

At 6:30 tonight the membership of the Central Baptist church will have a picnic lunch and a fellowship hour. This will give an opportunity to get acquainted with Rev. and Mrs. Haywood, who are conducting inspirational services. Plans will be made for carrying on the special services up to and including next Sunday night.

Promptly at 8 o'clock the regular revival service will begin, Mrs. Haywood conducting the singing and rendering one of her sweet solos. The subject of the sermon at 8:30 will be "Christianity, a Revealed and Radiant Religion." Bro. Haywood is preaching a faithful message. He sticks to the Bible, and if you love to hear the Word of God preached, come to these services. A hearty invitation is extended to you, and a glad hand awaits you. Remember the hour—8 o'clock, promptly.

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## HOTEL GUEST CLAIMS HE WAS ROBBED OF \$40

A lodger at a Ranger hotel reported to the police the loss of \$40 and claimed that he had been robbed. A man and a woman were held this morning for investigation in connection with the alleged robbery.

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### International Relations Rely On Spy System

By RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer.  
 WASHINGTON.—One of the most fascinating factors of international relations is the spy system. The giveaway on the great network of espionage maintained by the nations of the world always comes when a spy is caught red-handed. Ordinarily it works very quietly and then, every year or two, evidence of its operations comes to light and one is immediately met with the informed comment—often defensive—that all governments employ spies to gather military and other secrets from other countries.

The latest instance of this followed the British howl of virtuous indignation against Russian espionage. The British presumably found much less than they expected to find in the Arcos raid, and the assumption also is that they would have found more had they suddenly raided the flabbergasted embassy of one or more of the other great powers.

At any rate, Lloyd George, who knows a great deal about the British government as well as about other European governments, was only one of several who pointed out publicly that all governments employ spies to gather military and other secrets from other countries.

There is no indication that our own government can lay claim to any pious freedom from such tactics. It would be asleep on its feet if it could. You hear, in confidence, strange yarns about the international spy system as it affects the United States.

Some of the stories probably are not true—but some of them probably are. There is enough evidence even on the surface to indicate that military and naval attaches in world capitals manage the clearing houses for subterranean information bought and otherwise obtained from spies. The likelihood is that they haven't anything much else to do.

It will be recalled that our own military attaché in Mexico City was recently in the limelight when important documents which had passed through his hands were obtained by the Mexican government. A splendid job of international hushing was performed and the incident seemed a turning point in relations between the two countries, but in all fairness it should be said that no official proof was ever produced to show that the attaché had done anything that wasn't open and aboveboard.

It was obvious, however, that there had been certain military espionage along the border which seems to have been practiced by both sides.

**BIG ENROLLMENT AT TEXAS TECH COLLEGE**  
 Special Correspondence.  
 LUBBOCK, Texas, June 14.—More than 500 students have enrolled in the second summer session at Texas Technological college with still others coming. Those coming from lower altitudes whose shivers on the two opening days with a mean temperature at Lubbock of 70 for the period. The enrollment will double that of last summer.

**DR. HODGES WILL TAKE SHORT COURSE AT A. & M.**  
 Dr. W. Ross Hodges of Ranger has gone to A. & M. college to take a post-graduate course. This is the regular course offered by A. & M. each year to graduates of reputable veterinarian colleges and there will be several nationally known lecturers on this year's program. Dr. Hodges holds the D. V. M. degree from Kansas City college.

### Out Our Way



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.

J.R. WILLIAMS  
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### Governor Dillon Of New Mexico To Attend C. C. Meet

Special Correspondence.  
 CLOUDCROFT, N. M., June 14.—Hon. R. C. Dillon, governor of New Mexico, will be a distinguished guest at the Pecos Valley-Inter Mountain district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in this city July 9.

The regional gathering scheduled to convene here promises to be an outstanding event for the section. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce motorcade party which will tour the resort section of the Davis mountains in West Texas and the scenic vacation spots of Eastern New Mexico will arrive in Cloudcroft the evening of July 8 to attend the district meet. Notables in many phases of public life will make up its personnel and a number of them will occupy places on the Cloudcroft convention program.

Among those who will attend the regional gathering will be Texas Highway Commissioner Walter Ely of Abilene and wife, City Manager O. E. Carr and wife of Fort Worth, Judge and Mrs. J. D. Hamlin of Farwell, President R. W. Haynie of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, past presidents Lee and Duggan, accompanied by their wives, and various staff members of the regional organization.

The Pecos Valley-Inter Mountain district meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce calls together delegates from more than a score of Eastern New Mexico towns whose problems and interests are identical

with those of West Texas member towns.

Among points who will have representatives at Cloudcroft for the meet will be: Alamogordo, Artesia, Carlsbad, Lovington, Portales, Roswell, Mayhill, Texico, Tatum, Tucumcari, Clovis, Elk, Las Cruces, and Hope.

The program for the meet will be largely devoted to discussion of resort exploitation of the section.

### POSTPONE SERVICES ON ACCOUNT OF RAIN

On account of the rain of Monday night there was no service at the union revival tabernacle, Ranger, but services will be held there tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Immediately following the conclusion of the evening worship a Flag Day program will be observed by Ranger Elks.

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### RANGER C. OF C. DIRECTORS TO HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

At 8 o'clock tonight the board of directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce will meet. This meeting was postponed from last night on account of the secretary, W. C. Hickey, being out of the city, attending a West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting at Breckenridge.

A hat in the ring sometimes results from a ring in the hat.

### Fresh Cat Fish

CITY FISH MARKET  
 Ranger

### EL PASO—Air mail service between California and this place proposed.

A girl won a national oratorical contest. It's nice to know the ladies are learning to talk a little.

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# SERVICE COUNTS

- We often render unusual services to advertisers and job printing customers that pass unnoticed, even to us.
- One instance of the past week deserves comment, however, for in completing scheduled delivery we extended ourselves to considerable effort, and were glad to do it.
- Last Saturday night a Ranger business man gave us an order for some full-page circulars and a page advertisement. They required some special cuts for illustrations which had to be ordered from Chicago.
- These were ordered by wire, delivered by air mail and rushed through our mechanical department. The completed job was delivered right after noon Wednesday and the merchant complimented us highly on our service.
- This same service, backed by the same conscientious effort to serve is available to any and all Times and Telegram patrons.
- Frequently our patrons spend their good money for cuts, illustrations and various advertising services when they could be had of us free for the asking.
- It is our desire to be of any service possible in helping you with your advertising problems and a telephone call will bring one of our representatives to your office or store.

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### Eastland Man Is Seriously Burned In Gasoline Fire

Bert Sparr, who conducts a cold drink and sandwich shop on the Bankhead highway just east of Eastland, was seriously burned about the entire front of his body Monday morning while at work at his place of business. Physicians are yet unable to tell the exact extent of his injuries.

Sparr, it is stated, had gone to a nearby filling station for some gasoline which he used for fuel. He carried the gasoline in an open bucket and evidently spilled it on his clothing as when he struck a match to light the stove his clothing instantly became ignited and burst into flames. Holding one hand over his mouth and nose to keep from inhaling the flames, he tore the clothing from his body with the other hand.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We desire to thank our many friends for the kindness, courtesy and special attention shown us in the preparation and burial of our beloved son and brother, H. C. Poe, who died recently in Kansas City, Mo., and whose body was shipped to Eastland for burial. Their manifestation in the floral offering and personal attention will always be remembered.—I. N. Poe, father; Dr. W. S. and J. N. Poe, brothers; Mrs. W. A. Branton, Mrs. Frank Lovett, Mrs. Vergil Been, sisters.

**0—LODGE NOTICES**

Called meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday, June 14, 8 p. m. Work in E. A. degree. Officers: J. T. Howell, W. M.; F. E. Langston, Sec.

**1—LOST AND FOUND**

LOST—Mesh bag purse, containing about \$15, Reward return to Mrs. Kim, 421 Mesquite, Phone 106, Ranger.

LOST—Large St. Bernard female dog, yellow with white. Wore vaccination tag No. 03771. Reward. Phone 178-W, W. J. Fiensy, Eastland.

LOST—DeMolay billfold, containing \$10 and card with name. Return to Times for reward; Ranger.

**3—HELP WANTED—FEMALE**

WANTED—Woman for general house work. Apply 1008 Strawn road, Ranger.

**7—SPECIAL NOTICES**

WE DO ALL KINDS OF ROOF REPAIRING. Phone 609-R, Ranger.

RUMAGE shop bargains in used clothes, electric washing machines new extra weight and size woven rag rugs. Mrs. Zeidler, 630 Travis st., 4 blocks east, 2 north of Young school, Ranger.

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HEMSTITCHING—At my home; would appreciate your patronage. Hallie Simmons, 400 Strawn road, Ranger.

**8—ROOMS FOR RENT**

FOR RENT—With modern conveniences, large bed room for rent to man. Call Mrs. Webb at Joseph D. G. Co., Ranger.

ROOM and board, summer rate, 413 W. phone, Ranger.

7 ROOMS and filling station for lease or rent, known as the Bankhead; reason for selling, leaving city. Frank Studer, 601 W. Commerce, Eastland.

**9—HOUSES FOR RENT**

FOR RENT—Servant house 315 Pine street, Ranger.

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**11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT**

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FURNISHED apartment 423 Pine 5 rooms, lights gas and water, furnished, Ranger.

FOR RENT—One 2-room furnished apartment. R. O. King & Son's barber shop, Ranger.

FURNISHED apartment. Nice yard for children. Phone 582-W, Ranger.

**12—WANTED TO BUY**

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**13—FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS**

ANTIQUE FURNITURE for sale, 1506 W. Terrell, Fort Worth.

**21—LEGAL NOTICES**

NOTICE

All property not rendered for school and city taxes by June 20 will be placed on the unrendered roll.—Tax Collector, City Hall, Ranger.

**22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK**

FRYERS—Barred Rocks, 30c per pound. C. A. Wilson, Olden.

FOR SALE—Fryers, 30c per pound. Mrs. R. E. Barker, Ranger Heights, Ranger.

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**23—AUTOMOBILES**

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MAXWELL roadster, 1924 model, a bargain. Hodges Motor Co., Ranger.

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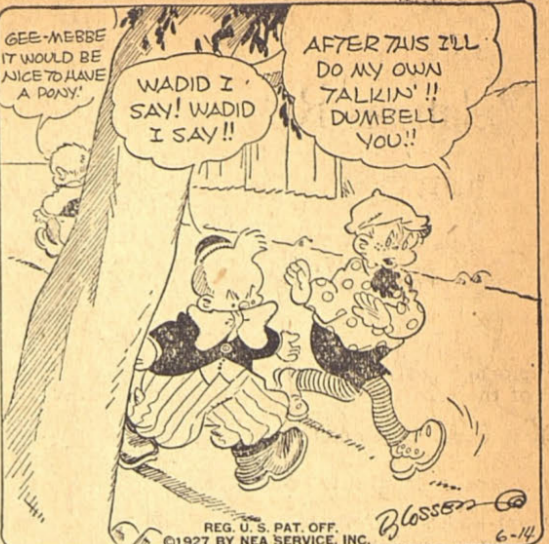
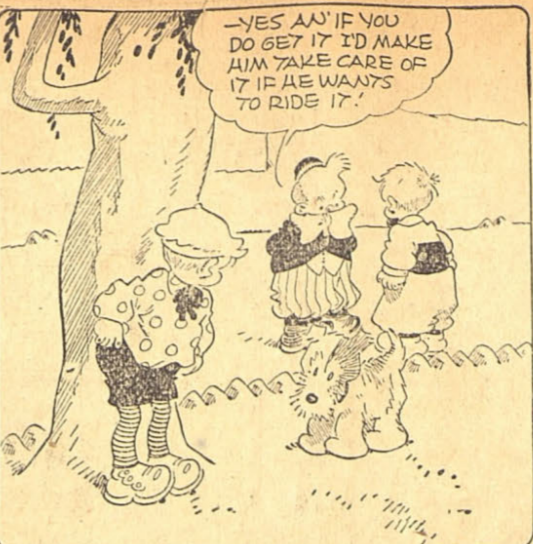
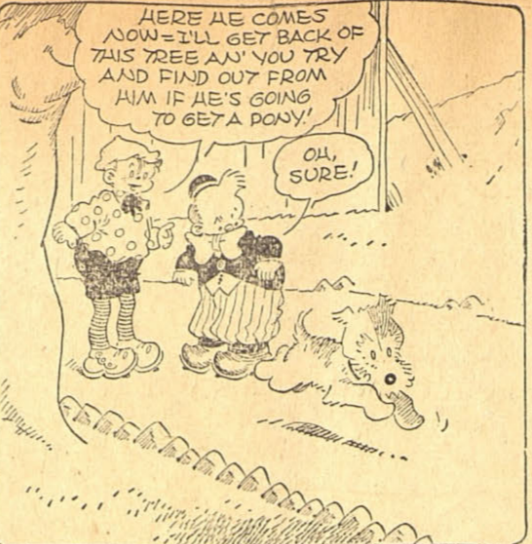
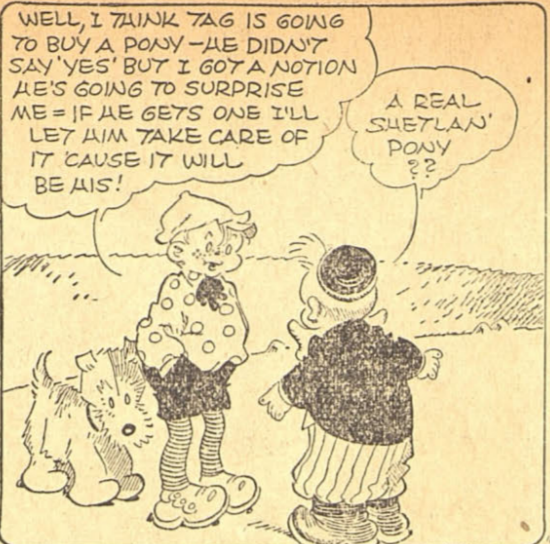
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### Mom'n Pop

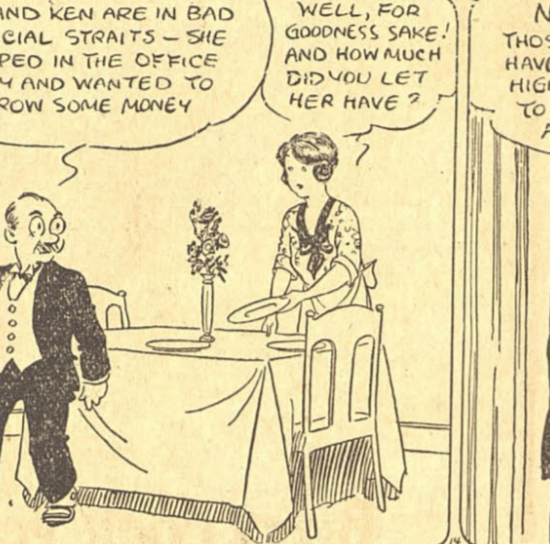
WELL, I THINK TAG IS GOING TO BUY A POONY—HE DIDN'T SAY 'YES' BUT I GOT A NOTION HE'S GOING TO SURPRISE ME—IF HE GETS ONE I'LL LET HIM TAKE CARE OF IT CAUSE IT WILL BE HIS!

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WELL, FOR GOODNESS SAKE! AND HOW MUCH DID YOU LET HER HAVE?



# DAUGHTERS OF MIDAS

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**THIS HAS HAPPENED**

T. Q. Curtis millionaire department store owner, takes Billy Wells, Nyda Lomax and Winnie Shelton from his store and places them in his home for one year, because he wants to help them further their ambitions each has expressed. Billy who wants to be a concert violinist, is the only one that is serious. The other lie to enjoy his generosity.

Billy is infatuated with Dal Romaine, nephew of Mrs. Meadows, their hostess. She is harassed by the fear that he is "playing" both her and Winnie Shelton.

Through everything she loves Clay Curtis, son of her benefactor, who has disinherited himself and is living with Billy's mother in the poor part of town, working in a factory by day and writing music at night.

Unknown to T. Q., the girls learn he intends to adopt one of them when the year is up. Nyda and Winnie institute a series of intrigues to gain his affection. Billy loses interest in her violin and finally has a breakdown. T. Q. begins to question the wisdom of his philanthropic experiment when he finds that Nyda, for whom he has fitted a model kindergarten in order to help her with her work, is not interested and is careless and unkind with the children under her care.

Believing the girls need a change, he takes them to Europe for several months. Upon their return they find the town in an upheaval over a Hindu fortune teller. All three girls are told amazingly intimate things by the strange man, Ralph Truman, a friend says he believes the Hindu has an accomplice. When the Hindu and Dal Romaine disappear simultaneously, Billy recalls Ralph's words and is vaguely troubled. She hears occasionally from Dal but his letters leave her unhappy. One night she passes Nyda's room and hears Nyda and a man quarreling.



**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**

CHAPTER XLVIII

When the calamity which Billy had feared did break with violence upon the Curtis household, she found that her sixth sense had played her false in only one particular—Winnie Shelton was not hurt or involved in it in any unpleasant way. Her position was merely strengthened by her obvious innocence of any wrongdoing in that instance, at least.

Billy was to wonder many times after the whole ugly drama was over why she had not been acute enough to suspect far more than she had of what was going on in Nyda's tormented mind. For instance, why had he usually alert mind not registered the fact that Nyda Lomax had taken an acute but furtive interest in the safe in the library?

Old T. Q. had made no effort to keep the girls from knowing about the safe and its contents, nor had he been even reasonably careful in working the combination in their presence. He had insisted that they keep their jewelry in the safe when they were not actually wearing it. The value of the entire collection did not exceed ten thousand dollars, but one night, when handing out their "jewelry" as he called them, to the girls, he had taken a small chamois bag from the safe and had shown them half a dozen, large, unset diamonds.

"Guess I'm sorta superstitious about diamonds," he grinned. "I heard someone say when I was a half-grown boy that he'd rather have diamonds than money in the bank. I bought this first diamond with the five hundred that the store didn't need. During the last twenty years I've owned a good many diamonds, partly because I love the looks of 'em and the feel of 'em and partly because of that old superstition that they were the soundest investment. Once I had to sell all but this first one to tide my business over a bad year, but I've bought a stone every once in a while. Pretty things, aren't they?"

And later Billy wondered why she had not been alarmed at the look of

**DAUGHTERS OF MIDAS**

erty. If she were one of those two—and she had no earthly reason to believe that she, and not Winnie or Nyda, would be chosen for adoption by T. Q. Curtis—she would be really worse off than she had been at the beginning of the year.

After she had bathed, she resentfully wrapped her negligee about her for the duty call upon Nyda Lomax. "I was just dying to talk to you for one," Nyda greeted her with unusual friendliness. "Sit down on the edge of the bed; I'll move over. I want you to help me plan a costume for the masquerade ball at the Country Club."

The two girls talked for almost an hour. It was nearly half-past eleven when T. Q. Curtis knocked at the door, asked with kindly solicitude about Nyda's headache and then called out his good nights in a cheerful voice.

"He's really a darling, isn't he?" Nyda asked lazily. "Which reminds me—I've got to study for a quiz tomorrow in kindergarten methods. Will you hand me my book off the desk? Oh, I forgot! I left it down in the library. I intended to study there after dinner tonight, to keep T. Q. company. Won't you get it for me before you go to bed, if you don't mind?"

Billy agreed readily, feeling more drawn to Nyda than she had for months. The girl was really studying hard.

It was nearly twelve when Billy entered the library and switched on the light in a reading lamp on T. Q.'s desk. After a bit of searching she found Nyda's text-book on a little side table beside a wing chair; then it occurred to her that she had nothing in her own room with which to read herself to sleep. She went to the book shelves and scanned the titles of scores of books before she found one that appealed to her mood.

As she stooped to open the glass doors of that section of the book case a loop of blue beads which served to fasten her negligee caught on the knob of the case and broke. One of the bright crystal spheres rolled out of sight under the bookcase, and she went down on hands and knees to grope for it. It was then she realized it must have rolled quite a distance to that section of the book case that opened by pressure of a secret spring to reveal the wall safe in which T. Q. kept private papers, the girls' jewelry and his unset diamonds.

Without hesitation, she pressed

Dal Romaine kept his promise to write but his notes gave no clues as to his activities.

greed in Nyda's eyes as they watched, with almost ferocious intentness, every turn and twist of T. Q.'s fingers as they worked the combination of the safe.

Later when suspicion of the robbery of T. Q. Curtis' library safe fell upon herself, Billy could remember those things and wonder at her own stupidity. How easy she had been! How blindly she had played into Nyda's hands that night before the robbery!

Winnie was not at home that night. She was at the bedside of her father, who was ill with pneumonia. And because a doctor had sat all night by the desperately sick man's bedside, too, her alibi was perfect.

Billy and Nyda had spent the evening at home, Nyda supposedly in bed all the time with a "raging" headache, according to the message she sent down to Mrs. Meadows and T. Q. at the dinner hour. After dinner Billy played her violin for the two old people, concluding the short program with Clay Curtis' lovely, lilting, somehow sad little song, "To an Autumn Day."

Mrs. Meadows went away early, and the girl and the old man sat for an hour, talking first of inconsequential things and, finally, of Clay Curtis.

"Mother says his symphony is almost finished. I told you he was writing a symphony called 'The Song of Toil,' didn't I? Professor Navratil says he believes Clay will make a great success with it—not a financial success, but an artistic success. Clay has been to Chicago mother says and has heard the first two movements of it played by a symphony orchestra there as a favor to him, of course."

"An artistic success is all right," T. Q. frowned to hide the light of pride in his stern gray eyes. "But how about a little financial success? Does the fool boy intend to work in a factory the rest of his life?"

Billy bristled instantly in defense of Clay, though her heart throbed with a dull ache at the mention of his name. "If you took any inter-

est in popular songs, Daddy Curtis, you'd know that Clay is already on the road to financial success. He wrote a sentimental little song—words and music, both—called 'Light o' Love,' that is being featured in a musical comedy in New York, and that everyone's singing and whistling and waltzing to right now. He may make a fortune on it—one foolish little tune, but a tune that gets in your blood and haunts your dreams."

"A fortune out of a song!" T. Q. smiled wryly.

"Mother says Clay is shy about the song," Billy went on. "He despises that sort of music, is embarrassed when he hears his own song over the radio or on a phonograph. I'm awfully glad for Clay. He's worked like a slave, night and day."

"I'm proud of him, too," T. Q. said in a low voice, not meeting her eyes.

She left him then, with his memories of his son, and with the bitter-sweet thought of that son's coming success.

When she reached her own bed room at ten o'clock, Billy found Viola turning back the covers of her bed and laying out her things for the night.

"Miss Nyda she say can you come to see her a minute before you go to sleep," Viola told her. "She still got a powerful bad headache."

"Tell her I'll come in about half an hour," Billy answered.

She wanted to think undisturbed about Clay and the wonderful things that were happening and about to happen to him. She had seen her mother that very day, and felt an unworthy jealousy of her mother's fond delight in Clay, her pride in him.

"Clay has become more my own child than I am," Billy confessed to herself, then began to weep, feverishly.

The year which had promised to be so wonderful was nearly over. In less than a month the year of probation would be ended. Two girls would go back to hard work and pov-

upon it, watched the section of the bookcase swing slowly outward.

She was on her knees before the safe, picking up the strayed blue bead, and looking for any other, too, when the voice of Sawyers, the butler startled her.

"That you, Miss Billy?" he called from the doorway. Then his eyes narrowed with suspicion as he saw that she had been kneeling before the exposed wall safe.

"I came down for a book for Miss Lomax, and broke the fastening on my robe," she explained rather breathlessly. "I was looking for one of the beads."

When she was again in her room, after having delivered Nyda's book to her she went to stand in the window. She had opened for the night her hot cheeks grateful for the rush of wintry air. Why had she acted like a thief caught in the act, she asked herself disgustedly. Her thoughts were broken by the faint sound of a familiar whistle. She leaned far out of the window, her heart beating fast with sudden, wild joy. That was Dal's signal. He had come back! And he wanted to see her! He could not even wait until morning. She stretched out her arms into the coldness of the night and then ran to dress.

(To be continued)

In the next chapter T. Q. Curtis is robbed of his diamonds, and Billy is accused of the theft.

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### Texas Increases Its Production In Brown County

New production approximating 500 barrels was added to the Central West Texas district on June 13, when the Texas company drilled in four wells on the Fannie Lowe and one on the Hickman in the Brown county area. Applications for permits to drill four new wells in the district were filed with the deputy oil and gas supervisor for that date. Following is the report:

Cisco Oil Co., D. E. Parks No. 13, T. E. & L. Co., survey, Callahan county, intention to drill, 350 feet.

G. C. Woods No. 30, T. E. & L. Co. survey, Callahan county, well record, depth 305 feet, drilled for air pressure well.

Clapp & Edwards, John W. Wood No. 1, T. E. & L. Co. survey, Callahan county, intention to drill 600 feet.

Senior Petroleum Co., J. S. Laughlin No. 1, Bonds & Sanders survey, Coleman county, intention to plug, and well record, depth 1403 feet, show of oil.

Dr. J. D. Magee, J. S. Finch No. 1 preemption survey, Callahan county, intention to plug and plugging record.

Fred Molendick, Stone-Willis No. 6, E. F. railroad company survey, Brown county, intention to drill, 1300 feet.

The Texas company, Roy Hickman No. 1 and 11, Thomas Benson survey, Brown county, statement after shooting, 81 barrels and 13 barrels respectively.

Fannie Lowe No. 40, Geo. Stubblefield, Brown county, intention to shoot, and statement before and after shooting, 140 barrel producer. Wells Nos. 36, 39, and 53 intentions to shoot, and statements before shooting. Well No. 16, of same lease, statement after shooting, 69 barrels. Well No. 51 of same lease, statement after shooting, 100 barrels. Well No. 53 of same lease, statement after shooting, 175 barrels.

Kone Production Co., Roy Hickman No. 4, Thomas Benson survey, Brown county, intention to drill, 1200 feet.

E. M. Curry & J. T. Anderson, W. M. Armstrong, No. 1, P. Curlong survey, Brown county, intention to plug, plugging record and well record, depth 1214 feet, dry hole.

W. J. Peterman, J. C. Clements No. 2, B. O. Lands survey, Callahan county, intention to shoot, statement before shooting, statement after shooting and well record, depth 539 feet, one and one-half barrels.

Dailey et al., J. C. Clements No. 1, B. O. A. Lands survey, Callahan county, plugging record.

### Much Romance And Adventure In New Bebe Daniels Play

Swashbuckling caballeros—whispered tales of love under a Spanish moon—a beautiful senorita masqued as a caballero—the soft melodious strains of a guitar—the rapid beat of horses hoofs—a duel—Adventure! Romance! Bebe Daniels in the guise of a Spaniard. A riding, shooting, fencing Bebe—a Bebe whom you have never met before. A dashing caballero who rides like a tornado, who throws her knife with unerring skill and who does everything that a caballero of ancient family should do and does it just a little better, a little shrewder, a little smarter than anyone else, for underneath the clothes of a man there lives a woman. Bebe Daniels in "Senorita" comes to the Lamb theatre, Ranger, today. She is supported by James Hall and William Powell. The picture was directed by Clarence Badger, who also made "The Campus Flirt" for Miss Daniels.

### Best of Class



Here's Miss Margaret Jenkins, Santa Clara (Calif.) girl, who now holds the women's world record in the javelin throw. She set a new record recently with a heave of 121 feet 3 1/4 inches, bettering the old record more than five feet.

### Lightning Kills Two Negro Boys Near Waxahachie

By United Press.  
WAXAHACHIE, June 14.—Two negroes were killed by lightning during a severe electrical storm at Max-pearl near here Monday. They were: E. M. Stuart 10 and E. C. Shipp, 12. They were killed when lightning struck the house in which they were playing.

### ERNEST HOEBS GIVEN TWO YEARS ON BURGLARY CHARGE

Ernest Hobbs of Desdemona was given a sentence of two years in the state penitentiary on a charge of burglary by a jury in the Eighty-eighth district court Tuesday. After the testimony was in Hobbs entered a plea of guilty.

There are more brunettes than blondes among motion picture actresses because under normal conditions, dark hair and eyes show up better on the screen.

### NEWSPAPER SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED TO MISSION BOY

LUBBOCK, Texas, June 14.—The Fort Worth Star-Telegram scholarship for the best all-round athlete in Texas Technological college has been awarded to Ransom Walker of Mission. It carries a cash award of \$250. Walker was a star half back on the Tech football team, made his letter in basket ball and also in track, in which he was an outstanding performer. He was high man with 20 points in the Great Plains track meet at Canyon last year and was only one fourth point behind the winner this year.

Chamberlin and Levine did one thing anyway for Germany. There was reported to be a great increase in necking parties.

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### Public Records

Instruments filed:  
Abstract of judgment, Mrs. Minnie Cooper vs. A. W. Samberson et al., \$622.43, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, block 3, Gorman.

Warranty deed, C. H. Daniels et al. to J. J. Butts et al., north 1-2 of section 69, and southwest 1-4 of section 68, block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$8,735.

Oil and gas lease, Mrs. Luitia Lawrence et al. to Prairie Oil & Gas company, section 15, block 2, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$775.

Oil and gas lease, Briggs Owen to Prairie Oil & Gas company, southwest 1-4 of section 48, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., consideration \$1,000.

Oil and gas lease, C. C. Hornsby et al. to Prairie Oil & Gas company, south 1-2 of northwest 1-4 of section 8, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$800.

Right of way, J. V. Been to Prairie Oil & Gas company, part of J. T. Poe land, \$40.

Warranty deed, F. V. Tunnell et ux. to DeWitt T. Drake, part of section 28, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$750.

Warranty deed, Charles Kincaid et ux. to John B. Littler et ux., lot 1 and south 30 feet of lot 3, block 36, Daugherty addition to Eastland, consideration \$3,200.

Warranty deed, O. E. Carlisle et al. to T. L. Fagg, lot 21, block F13, Boone's subdivision to Eastland, consideration \$4,000.

Warranty deed, O. V. Davenport to L. A. Madewell, part of Francis Blundell survey, consideration \$25.

Oil and gas lease, John M. Gholson et al. to M. Slater et al., part of leagues 3 and 4, McLennan county school lands, consideration \$10.

Assumed name certificate, B. & L. Market, Eastland.

Suits filed in district court.  
Dollie East vs. Hattie East.  
Joe N. Duke vs. J. T. Gilbreath et al.  
W. L. Parmer vs. O. L. Chancellor et al., to collect notes, etc.  
Crone Chocolate company vs. R. H. Murray.

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**FRIDAY'S HOUR SALE**  
9 to 10 A. M.

From 9 to 10 a. m., Friday, we will sell 81x90 Pullman Sheets, regular \$1.75 value, for

## \$1.00

Not over 4 sheets to customer

**SATURDAY'S HOUR SALE**  
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From 9 to 10 a. m., Saturday, we will sell Gordon Sheer Chiffon Hose, full-fashioned, silk to top, regular \$2.50 value, for

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