

SENTENCE SERMON
If you hear a man say he is waiting for an opportunity, advise him that it is useless, for someone else has gone and grabbed it.

FORMER BELL COUNTY SHERIFF IS KILLED

FLOOD THREATENS GREAT LOUISIANA SUGAR VALLEY

LEVEE BREAK EXPECTED TO FLOOD CROP

Efforts Being Made To Save Wall Engineers Predicted Would Fall

By United Press.
NEW ORLEANS, La., May 11.—Break in the Mississippi river levee at Bayou Des Glaizes, which would send a torrent of water sweeping over the great "sugar valley" of south-central Louisiana was expected momentarily today.

Prediction of scientific observers was pitted against the judgment of practical river men and valley farmers, as the water swirled against the earthen walls on the bayou and constantly threatened destruction. Engineers stated a week ago that the dyke was sure to give away at some point along the 27 mile bend and the time expected for the break was placed at May 11.

Valley residents were ordered to evacuate to escape the flood but most of them failed to heed the warning, however, preferring to stay in their homes.

Men have worked constantly on the broad river walls building up sandbag tops to hold the rising water.

POPLAR BLUFF DAMAGE WILL RUN MILLIONS

By United Press.
POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., May 11.—With \$9 known dead the toll of life promising to be swelled still further and property damage estimated at between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000, plans were being formulated here this afternoon for restoration of the city's business district leveled by a tornado Monday afternoon. "Property damage will be close to \$10,000,000," State Senator Dwight H. Brown, editor of the Poplar Bluff American, told the United Press. "Plans for rehabilitation are already under way."

Crows of men working in the debris continued to find bodies and several in hospitals were not expected to live.

BRIAND PROPOSAL TO END WAR PROVOKES VERY LITTLE COMMENT

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer
WASHINGTON—Foreign Minister Briand of France appears to have been crying in the wilderness when he proposed a treaty which would forever outlaw war between his country and the United States.

Thus far there has been no answering holler from any of our own statesmen and it appears likely that if any comes at all it will be heard in the next Congress.

Briand is quoted as saying: "France is willing publicly to engage itself with the United States to put war as between the two countries outside the pale of the law."

The significance of the signing of such a treaty seems to be confined to two main points:

1. This would be the first treaty of its kind between two great powers, though by no means the first such treaty affecting two smaller nations.

2. The so-called "crop of hate" which has grown up against us in Europe seems to center more or less nebulously on the debts of European nations to this country, of which the French debt is the biggest.

30 Treaties Signed.
Some 30 of these treaties definitely outlawing war between the two contracting nations have been signed since Denmark began the good work with the Netherlands in 1904. These treaties cover all disputes of whatever cause or nature and leave none of the legal possibilities for war between nations.

The United States is not a party to any of them. For the most part they are important only as demonstrating an enlightened state of mind and of being perhaps the beacon points of a general program of international peace and abolition of war. No two major powers have got together on such a treaty.

The most powerful nations involved are France, which made "outlaw war" treaties with Uruguay, Czechoslovakia and Switzerland; Italy with Denmark and Switzerland and Great Britain with Uruguay.

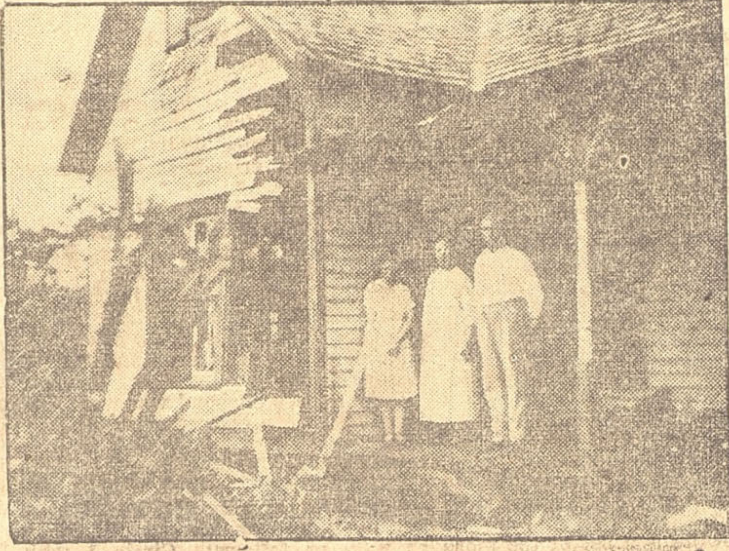
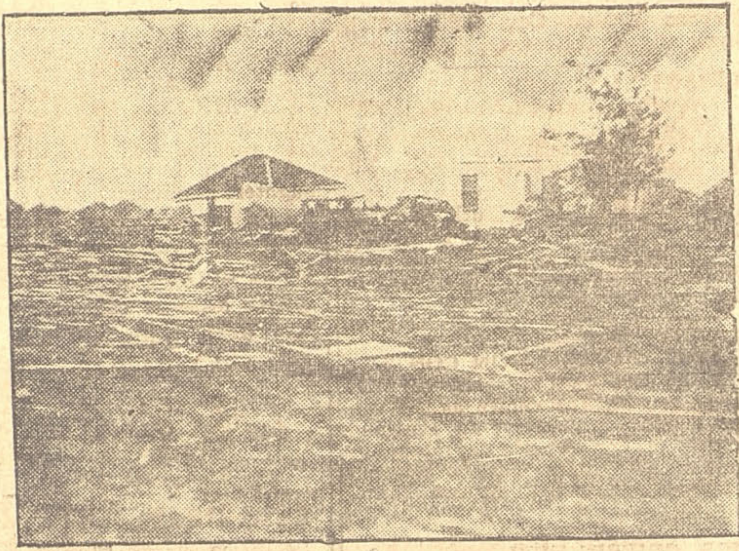
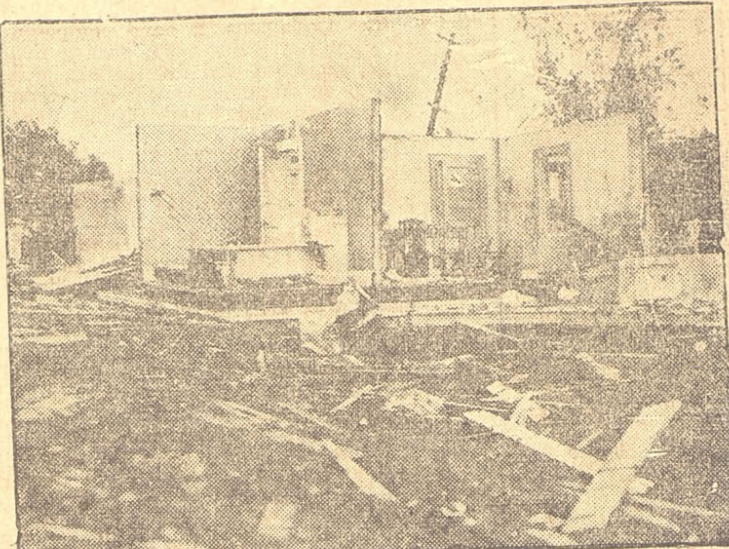
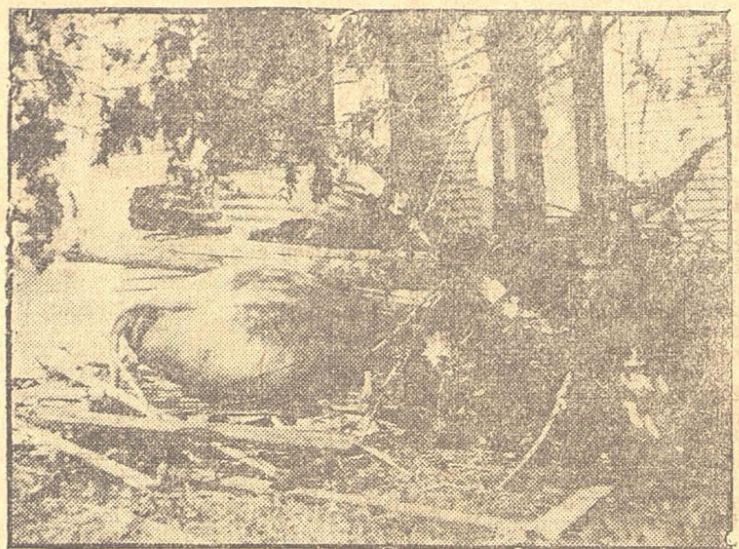
Uruguay has signed more such treaties than any other country, having signed up with Brazil, Bolivia, Peru, Great Britain, France, Columbia, Paraguay, Spain, Venezuela and Salvador.

Among others on record are Denmark-Netherlands, Denmark-Portugal, the Central American states, Bolivia-Columbia, Bolivia-Venezuela, Bolivia-Peru, Brazil-Peru, Estonia-Finland, Latvia-Poland (a treaty not ratified by Finland), Estonia-Latvia, Austria-Hungary-Switzerland-Poland, Poland-Sweden, Switzerland-Greece, Switzerland and Spain and the Scandinavian states.

Most Were Neutral.
Nations which were neutral in the world war figure importantly in these treaties. Although the United States has not engaged in any of them, it is interesting to note that the pact affecting the most nations—that between Costa Rica, Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua—was negotiated and signed at Washington under the auspices of the United States. The first Central American "outlaw war" treaty was that of 1907, which bound the republics to submit all differences to the Central American court of justice. The court expired in 1918 and the 1907 treaty was succeeded in 1923 by a new treaty which submitted all disputes to an international central America tribunal whose disputes are final.

Less Effective.
The 1923 treaty, however, was not as effective as the 1907 treaty because it excepted disputes affecting the "sovereign and independent existence" of any of the parties. It does not come under the head of an "outlaw war" treaty.

These Pictures Show Results of Recent Tornado at Garland



The tornado at the little town of Garland, sixteen miles from Dallas Monday morning left real destruction in its path, as is shown in the above pictures. Notice how clean the storm swept one block leaving nothing but debris. In one of the pictures may be seen the carcass of a cow killed by the cyclone. The animal was killed when the home of E. W. Edwards was carried across the street and set down upon its neck. Members of the Edwards family were saved when they rode across the street in the partially wrecked home holding on to the bath tub.

Eastland Man Is Named District Lion's Governor

McALLEN, Texas, May 11.—N. N. Rosenquest of Eastland was elected district governor of the Texas Lions clubs in convention here today. Wichita Falls was named the 1928 convention city.

Warning to Be Ignored By American Flyers

Chamberlin and Bertaud Plan to Attempt Flight to Paris in Face of Warning That France Will Not Welcome Effort at This Time.

By United Press.
COURTIS FIELD, N. Y., May 11.—Clarence Chamberlin and Lloyd Bertaud today planned to ignore warnings that France would not welcome an American flight across the ocean while the fate of Chas. Nungesser and Francois Coll was in doubt.

The aviators who will attempt to pilot their Bellanca monoplane, Columbia from New York to Paris announced they would take off Saturday if the weather was good.

The flight is a challenge to all flyers and to attempt it would be a willing tribute to the courageous Frenchman, Charles A. Levine, chairman of the board of the Columbia Aircraft corporation. The announcement followed a conference of the two aviators and G. M. Bellanca, designer of the little monoplane which recently set a new world endurance record by remaining aloft 51 hours.

House Adjourns Until Thursday Awaits Report

AUSTIN, May 11.—The house was in session only twenty minutes this morning, adjourning until Thursday, 10 a. m. to await completion by the committee on appropriations of the educational appropriation bill and reports from the committee on three other major appropriation measures have already been introduced.

Representative Wallace, Freestone county, introduced a rural school aid appropriation bill for \$3,000,000.

A resolution was adopted inviting general J. C. Foster of Houston, national commander of the United Confederate Veterans to address the house Thursday.

General Foster is visiting in Austin.

Petition to Governor Moody to submit the subject of repeal of the act of the regular session increasing salaries of judges of the higher courts and district courts is being circulated for signatures of house members.

Ten Million For Red Cross Fund Over Subscribed

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Red Cross \$10,000,000 flood relief fund went over the top today. Contributions totaling \$10,120,808 has been received up to noon with all chapters urged to continue their appeals for money as the scope of the mid-west disaster grew.

The Red Cross already feeding 300,000 flood refugees, today had taken full charge of relief work in the four cyclone states, and estimated the tornado death toll was 300 in Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas and Texas.

COMMISSION WILL ENFORCE PARKING LIMIT

The city commission of Ranger swung into real action at the meeting last night, took up the traffic problem, appointed auditors to audit the city's books, and practically decided to enforce the two-hour parking limit on Main street. The chief of police was authorized to employ a traffic cop for one month with a view of working out the traffic problem on Main street.

It is the intention of the commission, according to Mayor John Thurman, to enforce the two-hour parking ordinance on Main street. This would affect cars parked on this street between Commerce and Marston street and would prevent Ranger's Main street from being a public parking yard.

It was brought out at the meeting that cars are often parked as long as 24 hours, sometimes longer, on Main street, and that while this may be fair to one man, it is unfair to possibly 25 others, who probably are taxpayers, while the long-time parker is a transient.

Traffic is so congested on Main street it was stated that it may be necessary to move the service cars and busses that make their many daily stops in front of the Gholsion hotel, off Main street, to some other accessible place, or a depot of their own. No action was taken on this matter, however, as it will be worked out at the next meeting of the commission.

Bids for making an audit of the city's books were opened and read and the contract was awarded Ernst & Ernst of Fort Worth, who will begin their work possibly before June 1.

All of the commissioners were present, and the meeting was presided over by Mayor John Thurman. Work started at 8 o'clock and continued long past midnight, as the various problems that arose were long and tedious and took time for much discussion.

Origin of Fire In Reagan County Oil Field is Mystery

By United Press.
SAN ANGELO, May 11.—The origin of the fire which burned to death Thos. Hubbard and Lawrence Evans, oil field workers and which destroyed an engine house in the Reagan county oil field still remained a mystery today.

The fire was discovered late yesterday afternoon by employees of the Big Lake oil company. The bodies were discovered in the debris.

Island of Rest For Emigrants At Nuevo Laredo

By United Press.
SAN BENITO, Texas, May 11.—An "island of rest" is to be established at Nuevo Laredo to protect Mexican emigrants from swindlers, according to J. C. Tercero, president of the Nuevo Laredo Lions club.

Tercero was here to attend the Texas state meeting of the Lions club.

Mexican emigrants arrive in the United States destitute and helpless after the border swindlers have fleeced them, Tercero said.

AGRICULTURAL AGENT TO DEMONSTRATE BUDDING

Eastland county agricultural agent Patterson will give a pecan budding demonstration this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Fred Brown place at 115 Gord street, Ranger.

PAN AMERICAN FLYERS BACK IN SAN ANTONIO

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, May 11.—Just four and two-thirds months after they left San Antonio, December 21, for a 21,000 air journey around South America, two of the Pan American flyers returned here today and were greeted in the air by an escort of fifteen planes from Kelley field.

The two flyers are Captain A. B. McDaniel and Lt. Charles McRobinson.

Ten flyers in five amphibian airplanes departed from San Antonio for the South American trip, but only eight returned to the United States.

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The volley came from an automobile which sped on through town. No arrests have been made.

The shooting was believed to have been a continuation of a feud between the late Wiley Fisher and Bonds.

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Bonds was not heard from then until shortly after last Christmas when he returned to the United States and gave himself up to a Texas ranger, at Austin, and announced he was ready to stand trial.

At the time of his death today he was under a murder charge and a large bond in connection with Fisher's death.

Bonds died at the Belton hospital within an hour after the shooting.

Gorman Club Boys Are Entertained By Business Club

County agent Patterson reports a very interesting boys club meeting at Gorman Tuesday afternoon. The members of the Gorman luncheon club, which meets on Monday's took the club boys, fifty-five in all, out to the Haile pecan orchards just south of Gorman where Mr. Patterson gave a pecan budding and grafting demonstration.

Mr. Haile, according to Mr. Patterson, has a wonderful pecan orchard and one which is constantly improving. Jobe Bros., of Gorman have also recently set out a pecan orchard just west of Gorman. There are about 70 acres in the tract on which 12 pecan trees to the acre have been set out. Peach trees have been planted between the pecans. By the time the pecans are old enough to bear the peaches will have lived their lives and be about ready to be removed from the ground.

Rev. O. Hamblen, who has been pastor of the Central Baptist church of Ranger for the past year, has accepted a call to the Jefferson Heights Baptist church of Shawnee, Okla., and with his family will leave for that city in a very short time.

Rev. Mr. Hamblen and his family have made many friends during their stay in Ranger and it is with regret that they leave here, but since it means a larger opportunity and a return to their former home, Rev. Mr. Hamblen decided to accept the call.

His successor in the Ranger church has not yet been chosen.

Ranger Baptist Preacher Goes To Oklahoma Church

FORD WOULD BE VERY WELCOME VISITOR TO SOVIET RUSSIA

By VICTOR W. KNAUGHT
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
MOSCOW—Henry Ford is Soviet Russia's dearest enemy. He represents everything which Soviet Russia is against, but there is nobody whom the Russians would welcome more enthusiastically, if he should decide to come as a visitor.

He is the most-quoted and most-admired American, as well as the greatest example of the capitalism which Soviet Russia detests so wholeheartedly. The attitude toward Ford is one Russia's most astounding contradictions.

What would happen if Henry Ford, master-capitalist, the world's richest man, with tens of thousands employees and hundreds of thousands of persons dependent on him for a living, should visit Russia this summer, the land where wealth is confiscated, where employers of labor are hated and persecuted, where Socialism in all its might is flowering?

Would the Russians let him come? Nothing official can be learned on this point but it is as sure as anything can be that they would welcome him. He would probably get a visa faster and more willingly than anybody else. It is conceivable that a special train would be kept waiting, steamed up, at the Soviet frontier to speed him triumphantly to Moscow.

He would surely be watched by secret agents. But it is doubtful if he would be prevented from going anywhere he chose and from inspecting anything he wanted to see. The Soviet factories and farms and mills would be open to him. Everything would certainly be shown to him, in the hope that some commiseration from his lips might suggest approvals or hints at ways of better operation.

That is the hope of the Soviet government. The Soviet Government would surely see to his safety. The chance of being shot at would be less than it is in Detroit. If Henry Ford should visit Soviet Russia, he would have a wonderful time.

BONDS SHOT FROM AUTO WHICH FLEES

Shooting Is Believed To Be Continuation Of Bonds - Fisher Feud

By United Press.
BELTON, Texas, May 11.—Former sheriff A. W. Bonds, of Bell County was shot to death on Main street here at noon today.

Bonds shot Chief of Police Wiley Fisher to death here last August 17. A month later Bonds was shot by an unknown assailant but not killed.

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The volley came from an automobile which sped on through town. No arrests have been made.

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Death Lists And Destruction Of Storm Mounts

By United Press.
LITTLE ROCK, May 11.—Communication coming in over patched wires from various points in the path way of Monday's devastating tornado today continued to bring reports of added death and destruction.

The known death list was placed at 70 and there were reports of a dozen other deaths, most of which were unconfirmed.

GARLAND MAN DIES OF STORM INJURIES

DALLAS, May 11.—The death list of Monday's Texas tornado was increased today to 37 with the death here of D. E. Nicholson, aged man. Mrs. Nicholson was killed in the storm as it touched Garland, 15 miles northeast.

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FROM THE BIBLE.
My God: I trusted in thee, O Lord: I said, Thou art my God. My times are in thy hand.—Psalm 31:14, 15.
Prayer: O, my God, may thine Angels ever have charge to keep me in all Thy ways.

SENATOR MOODY?
Reports emanating from Austin seem to indicate that Governor Moody will probably be a candidate for the United States senate from Texas in the 1928 campaign. A report credited to Representative P. C. Petsch, said to be one of Dan Moody's strong and original supporters and also said to be very close to the governor, says: "It is not only a fact that Moody is sure to make the race, but his friends are cognizant of it and are already preparing to organize his campaign."

The statement continues: "To speak plainly, this is the situation. Senator Earle Mayfield represents one of the existing political groups in this state and ex-Governor James E. Ferguson represents another. The great body politic is not satisfied with either of these men. This body, in my opinion, is the majority and must have a candidate who reflects neither the Mayfield nor the Ferguson grouping. The choice is Dan Moody and he can easily be elected."

"I do not think any of the present candidates for the senate, avowed or tentative, measure up to the requirements demanded by the great political body of Texas, and that is why they are drafting Moody as their senatorial candidate, the same as they drafted him for governor while he was serving his first term as attorney general."

BETTER OUTLOOK.
The statement made yesterday by an official of one of the largest refining concerns in the country that the seasonal increase in the consumption of gasoline in this country has caught up with production, will no doubt put the oil industry in a much more favorable light.

The statement says that by the end of August of this year considerably more than 500,000,000 gallons of gasoline will have been taken from storage. It appears that the increased demand for gasoline at this time of year has been unusually great and much in excess of that anticipated by those who keep in close touch with the manufacture and consumption of gasoline.

The statement continues that, "Already the gasoline market is reacting upward and it is not at all unreasonable to predict that anticipated summer demands will find this market strengthened to a point even slightly in excess of recent years."

This statement is of particular interest to this section of the southwest because of the possibility of increased prices in crude oil that would result from anything like an unusual demand for gasoline.

Everything in the industry now seems to be pointing to at least a stable crude oil market, if not an advancing one, probably later in the summer or fall.

TRY THE NEXT ONE
General History

1. Name the two great classic civilizations of the past?
 2. From whom was the western world saved in the battle of (a) Chalons (b) Tours?
 3. Name the first emperor of Rome?
 4. What king of Sweden won great military fame in the Thirty Years war?
 5. Under what czar did Russia secure access to the sea on the Baltic?
 6. To whom did Constantinople fall in 1453?
 7. What great African general attacked Rome after crossing the Alps?
 8. What religious military movement spread its conquests around three sides of the Mediterranean Sea in the seventh and eighth centuries?
 9. What English general died at the capture of Quebec?
 10. What great event occurred in the year 29 A. D.
- Answers will be given on this page tomorrow.

Latest Picture of Mrs. Ford



Photographs of Mrs. Henry Ford are extremely rare. This is her latest one. It was taken during the course of a campaign to raise \$1,000,000 in Detroit for various welfare buildings for women. Mrs. Ford is taking a prominent part in the campaign.

TIPS TO TOURISTS

Many Americans will be going abroad this summer, some of them for the first time. To these, advice on minor details of conditions in Europe, especially those conditions and customs which will be found different from those in this country, will be interesting. This little feature, "Tips to Tourists," will be carried by this paper for the next few weeks.

France.
Visitors to Paris, watch out for the sleek, oily individual on the boulevards who calls himself to the attention of Americans by chirping "Want a guide, sir," as he sees a possible victim approaching. He will promise to show you "the real Paris by night." He is simply a capper for a gambling joint or worse. Being a native of Jugoslavina or Anatolia he knows less about the real Paris than yourself. But he knows a score of places where methods similar to those of the old Tenderloin or the older Bowery in New York are in vogue and practiced with even less scruple. Don't make the mistake of getting mad at his persistence and slamming him on the jaw. He has probably a document showing that he is a registered guide of a kind. Also he knows the policemen on the beat. Ignore him or if you have the necessary assurance walk right up to him and snap out "Want a guide, sir." That usually stops him.

Spain.
Don't let your wife go alone in the streets of Madrid, even if she does not understand Spanish. Before she turns round the hotel block, there is much to bet a Spanish admirer will be on her heels making the most enthusiastic comments on her beauty and falling instantaneously in love with the "senorita." Madrid women are accustomed to such treatment, called the "piropo," but the foreigners who have not been warned beforehand object vehemently to show you.

When it is only one Spaniard who makes such demonstration, it is fairly easy to get rid of him, but frequently three or four fellows together come along, and if the woman is not accompanied, her situation may become embarrassing.

Germany.
Tips in Germany are usually included in the bill in the form of a 10 per cent supplement. This applies to hotels, restaurants, cabarets, bars and other refuges for the traveler. Frequently tourists, unaware of this custom, add 10 per cent themselves; their attention is never called to the error.

American tourists, accustomed to removing a trifle or two from their hotels as a souvenir, will do well to forego this pleasure while visiting Germany. They take their souvenirs hard. Even the removal of a bar of soap or a placard from the wall is likely to cause somebody to cite paragraph umpteenth of the penal code at you. Tourists living at German hotels who have indulged in these little filching jokes have frequently found themselves up against lantern-jawed Prussian instruments of the law, as a result.

England.
Americans visiting England can well bear in mind that swearing in public is punishable by fines. Under an act passed during the reign of George II, to utter a profane oath in public a day laborer, common soldier, sailor, or seaman forfeits 25 cents per oath, every other person under the degree of a gentleman, 50 cents and those above the degree of a gentleman \$1.25.

Although, by way of asseveration or emphasis, people in England indulge in many of the profane oaths common in America, these are not always considered "serious breaks" in public, while some oaths common only to England are considered completely taboo in public.

Do not ask for oatmeal and cream if you are at all anxious to have that dish served to you at breakfast in any London hostelry. Here, it is called "Porridge."

Tobacco chewers especially, should be interested in observing and understanding the commendation painted on street pavement bins in London. It should be observed especially, should be interested in observing and understanding the commendation painted on street pavement bins in London. It should be observed especially, should be interested in observing and understanding the commendation painted on street pavement bins in London.

SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

TONIGHT.
Prayer meeting at all churches.

THURSDAY.
Lone Star Sewing club meets with Mrs. G. D. Williams at 3 p. m.
Round-up of school children at Hodges Oak Park school, 9 to 12 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m.
National Music Week program at High school, 10 a. m., Miss Buchanan director.

Thursday Bridge club meets with Mrs. Saunders Gregg at Acorn Acres at 2:30.

FRIDAY 13 TO BE CELEBRATED WITH BLACK CAT MASQUE.
Friday the thirteenth will be celebrated in Ranger with a Black Cat masque, at the Elks club. Dancing will begin at 9:30, with all dancers wearing a black masque.

The Collegians, a band composed of eight university boys, each a high-school musician and entertainer, will appear in Ranger for the first time on this occasion, and furnish the music.

RANGER WOMEN ATTEND DISTRICT AUXILIARY MEET.

Mrs. R. J. Norman, D. W. Johnson, L. P. Lawton, T. L. Lauderdale and Gifford Clegg, attended an all-day meeting of the district auxiliary meeting of the Anglo-Catholic church of America, yesterday in Breckenridge.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Ellison of that city, and talks on the auxiliary work were given by Mrs. Woods, Herring and Lucas.

Bishop Harry Moore of Dallas was present and gave the Holy Communion. Rev. Harry Lee Virden of Dallas was also present and made a talk on the work of the auxiliary.

A lovely luncheon was given by the Breckenridge auxiliary to the visitors at noon at the Y. M. C. A.

FORMER GORMAN GIRL VISITING HERE.

Mrs. Luther Pearson of Wichita Falls is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. K. Wier. Mrs. Pearson was formerly Miss Eunice White of Gorman and has many friends in this country.

PROMINENT CALIFORNIA PEOPLE VISITORS IN RANGER.

Mrs. J. W. Jesse of Santa Rosa, Calif., and her brother, John Jonas, of San Francisco, are in Ranger, guests of their sister, Mrs. N. A. Jennet. Today Mrs. Jesse entertained several friends at luncheon at Acorn Acres.

Mrs. Jesse's husband was mayor of Santa Rosa for three terms.

REPORTS OF THE CIRCLES

CENTRAL BAPTIST W. M. U.
The district of the Central Baptist W. M. U. met on Monday afternoon at 2:30 as follows: Circle 1 with Mrs. Robison on the Spring road, with nine present. Mrs. J. M. White gave a talk on the Southern Baptist convention. Circle 2 met at the church with 11 present, and had Bible study, with Misses Oegg and Wood. Circle 3 met with Mrs. McClellan, with six present, and had Bible study. Refreshments were served at two of the circle meetings.

PERSONALS.
Mrs. A. C. Kunkle of Corsicana is visiting her two daughters, Mrs. Earle Horton of Ranger and Mrs. E. B. Hill of Breckenridge.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT.

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If the face powder you now use does not stay on long enough to suit you—does not keep that ugly shine away indefinitely—does not make your skin colorful like a peach—try this new wonderful special French Process Face Powder called MELLO-GLO. Remember the name MELLO-GLO. There's nothing like it.—Phillips Drug Store, Ranger.

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meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. R. Lowe at Acorn Acres at 2:30 o'clock. Members who cannot attend the club are asked to telephone Mrs. E. L. McMillen, so arrangements for substitutes can be made.

DAUGHTER ARRIVES AT HORTON HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton of the Prairie Oil & Gas company at Slaton camp, are the happy parents of an eight and a quarter pound baby girl, named Mary Elizabeth. This charming little daughter arrived on Thursday morning at 5:15.

TEE PEE ENTRE-NOUS CLUB FINAL MEETING.

Tee Pee Entre-Nous club will meet at Acorn Acres on Saturday evening at 7:45 for their final meeting of the year. During the winter season the various members of the club entertain, but the last meeting is given by the entire club and quite an elaborate affair.

NEW CLUB MAKES ITS BOW IN RANGER.

A new club has made its bow in Ranger. It was organized last night at the home of Mrs. Reeves on Elm street and is composed of young business women. For the time being it will pursue recreation, but in the winter, some course of study will be decided upon. The first meeting was taken up with the election of officers, plans for future activities and the appointment of committees. Miss Frances Mangum was elected president; Miss Mabel Knight, vice president; and Miss Lula Bell Trigg, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Bronson was named club sponsor.

Miss Jennie B. Rucker and Miss Emma Stephens were named as the refreshments committee and Miss Azaline Cox and Hilda Andrews as the program committee.

The club will meet each Tuesday afternoon at 6 o'clock. Initiation dues will be \$2 and monthly dues \$1.

Charter members are Misses Lula Bell Trigg, Hilda Andrews, Frances Mangum, Mabel Knight, Jennie B. Rucker, Cordyenne Sandefur, Emma Stevens, Azaline Cox, Colleen Mal-lown, and Mrs. Reeves.

SCRANTON SCHOOL WILL PRESENT PLAY TONIGHT.

Students of the Scranton high school will present the play "For the Love of Mike," at the Scranton school building this evening beginning at 8:00 o'clock. Ruth Sprawls, Grace Bradshaw, Pernicia Lane, Hazel Brummett, Nadine Speegle and Walter McCarver will have parts in the play.

EASTLAND COUNTY CLUB WOMEN IN CONTEST.

Miss Bennie Campbell, district agent for what is known as the valley district, will arrive in Eastland this afternoon for the purpose of judging the kitchen contest between Eastland county club women Thursday.

MRS. GRIFFIN WILL BE BURIED AT RANGER.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sallie Griffin who passed away Monday afternoon at her home near Staff, will be held this afternoon at 5:30 at Evergreen cemetery, Ranger. The funeral party will assemble at Killingsworth-Cox mortuary and leave from there for the cemetery.

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ARMY AIR MEN IN SAN ANTONIO FOR MANEUVERS

SAN ANTONIO, May 11.—Playing the war game with as much seriousness as if an emergency existed, the largest United States army air force ever concentrated in this country, together with the full war strength Second division, today began a 10-day maneuver.

More than 100 planes of all types, many of which were flown here in a concentration test, will operate in attack, defense and counter-attack problems. It is estimated that the planes will have left behind them more than 475,000 air miles by the time they have returned to their hangars.

T-C-5, the army's largest dirigible, from Scott Field, Belleville, Ill., was the only representative of that type of air vehicle in the maneuvers.

Headquarters for an army air corps have been established here with the pursuit airdrome at Kelly Field, the attack airdrome at Duncan field, the bombardment airdrome and dirigible at Brook Field and the observation and staff airdrome at Fort Sam Houston.

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RANGER MASONS TO MEET THURSDAY NIGHT

Announcement has been made of a stated meeting of Ranger Lodge N. 738 A. F. & A. M. to be held Thursday night, May 12 at 8 o'clock.

The announcements were made by J. T. Howell, Worshipful Master of the lodge.

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Ranger Physician Says New Orleans Safe From Flood

Dr. W. C. Palmer, Ranger physician, has returned from a month's post-graduate course at Tulane university, New Orleans. In speaking of flood conditions in the Crescent city, Dr. Palmer said New Orleans feels like she is safe, but business has slackened up there quite a bit and a good many people who were nervous have left there.

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among the refugees," Dr. Palmer stated. He told a story about an old man and his wife who had had to leave their plantation home down below the city. "Their son and his wife would not desert the old home, so he left them together with the cows and chickens and other livestock of the farm on a raft. 'You'd better come with us,' the father called to his son, but the son answered back, 'Molly and I'll stay here as long as we can grab the tip of that pecan tree by reaching down.'" Dr. Palmer said as far as he knew they were still grabbing for the top of the pecan tree. Mrs. Palmer met her husband in Dallas and they returned home last night.

"The Machine" Is Latest Dance In Soviet Russia

By United Press. LONDON.—The soviet's national dance, the "Machine," which is held perfectly to express the gospel discovered by Karl Marx and expounded by Lenin, is expected to become popular here. Already several dancing schools

have offered lessons in the bolshevik creation imitating something between the stamping of wild horses and a cat on hot bricks. From Scotland came the Highland fling; from Ireland, the jig; from the Argentine, the tango; from darkest Africa, via New York, London got the Charleston and now the philosophy of bolshevism has given England something which will go beyond even the black bottom and the multitudinous jazz inearnadine. A joint board of schoolmasters and dancing masters was appointed to produce at once or sooner a national Russian dance. Moscow, to keep pace with the present mechanical age, produced the "Machine." According to information supplied by local dancing masters, the "Machine" is a creation in which the arms, legs and body copy as nearly as is possible a graceful movement of a piston while the feet stamp out the rhythmic beats of a hammer. Even the very dignified "Daily Telegraph" has editorially commented on the new dance. "In the graceful movements of a piston," the "Telegraph" said, "the element of seduction seems to be lacking. A successful dance sets everyone's feet going. Is it not recorded that the whole solemn council of the city of Trent walked a pavane? But then people danced to psalm tunes in those days which would never do for the bolsheviks.

"Can one imagine a modern youth singing, 'You should see me dance the Machine.'" A piston has its uses but it lacks the joie de vivre. "That the bolshevik directorate should want the human race to be as like machines as possible is required of them by their theories. But it is not a temptation to which the natural man will succumb."

Other writers have declared that the new dance will be a "noteworthy improvement on the ugliness of the black bottom and the Charleston."

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STEEL TRUST MAY OPEN WAY TO UNITED NATIONS OF EUROPE

By J. W. T. MASON
 (Written for the United Press)
NEW YORK.—The most important move for future peace in Europe since the ending of the world war is being taken by British industrial and financial leaders who are sounding their way toward joining the recently organized international steel trust which now has German, French and Belgian support. If the negotiations now beginning are successfully concluded, Europe will have its first economic entente arranged not by the governments concerned but by private interests more powerful than governments.

The consolidations of modern states into individual economic units are due primarily to the ensuing practical advantage to the interests concerned. The making of modern Germany, especially, is the most outstanding example of the advantage of economic unity. The rival principalities and kingdoms that came together to form the German union did so under economic pressure and have been held in association ever since by the same power.

The creation of a great steel trust by the leading European nations would have a tendency toward uniting their material interests more directly than any other single move. Steel is the most important individual modern industry. It affects innumerable factors in modern progress and is essentially the basic factor in modern war for without steel modern warships and modern artillery could not exist. The steel makers make war possible and if they come together as friends and associated salesmen, from different countries, their influence will far more likely be exerted for perpetual peace than for future conflicts.

The steel industries in all countries attract leading financiers as backers. If the proposed new international steel trust is financially successful, as it almost inevitably will be, the financiers will be stimulated to promote other international trusts. Each new international relationship of this kind will exert an added influence for world peace. It is apparent that behind the spirit of commercial cooperation now being shown by the European countries is a desire to divide the world's foreign markets by amicable arrangements. The only way a steel trust could operate internationally would be by this principle, each nation being allotted certain markets. Otherwise, rivalry in bidding would destroy the trust.

The struggle for foreign trade is the most potent factor in breeding war. It is probable that if there had been no such rivalry between Great Britain and Germany there would have been no world war. There are the advantages of competition in stimulating foreign trade and in keeping prices at a reasonable level. But, the disadvantages of warfare resulting from such competition outweigh the benefits.

Indeed, there is no reason to believe the consumers who provide foreign markets will lose by a system of international trusts controlling foreign trade. The prices of commodities sent to foreign markets are controlled predominantly by foreign values for any large deviation from the local basic price levels will tend to destroy the market. It is quite possible, indeed, that the reduction of expenses of rival salesmen and executives may bring about a fall in prices.

There is a tendency among European countries to standardize production after the American model. The cost of living among working men is not yet on one level in Europe but this is a matter which will tend to adjust itself the more international trusts are formed. For, under the trust system prices will be stabilized and working men will be encouraged to greater efficiency whereby they may receive higher wages by creating a larger margin of profit. Efficient methods in one country which

is a member of an international trust can be explained to other member countries without fear of rivalry and so a common standard may result, approximating that prevailing in the most efficient nation. A United States of Europe may eventually emerge from this movement, effective at least partly, and the more effective it becomes the greater will be its power for peace.

Latest Decree In Women's Apparel Is Knee Breeches

By United Press.
PARIS.—Woman is turning to knee breeches as an antidote for the ever shortening skirt, according to the most advanced Paris couturiers.

Recently Paris male sports started a campaign to secure approval for the knee-breeches for men, as a declaration of independence that man had just as much the right to show his legs as the weaker sex. But the male style for knee-breeches is still in the realm of dreams, and woman as usual has beaten man at his own game.

Various conscientious Paris dressmakers have tried to lengthen the skirts of their models, but to no avail, their clients have demanded their shorter. Now a well-known Spanish author has announced that the main reason why there are no longer serious plays at the theatre is that the short skirt is conducive only to frivolous skits.

In the face of this problem, the dressmakers, admitting that if the skirt goes much higher the wearer can no longer sit down with discretion, have evolved the female pantalon to go under the short skirt.

There will be short knee-breeches and long ones, pants which puff out and pants that cling to the limbs. Others, principally for evening wear, will be trimmed with lace and precious stones. Paris dressmakers remark that there is a precedent for this new style, the under-trousers of midday's bathing suit years ago before anyone had even dared to think of the one-piece effects of today.

The sea-side fad of women going without stockings has received tacit approval from some Paris couturiers, who have launched a style of women's socks. For winter, there will be high spats to go without stockings for the chilly blasts of winter.

BASEBALL PLOT CONTINUES TO THICKEN IN ELIMINATION TOURNAMENT

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 Waco 6, Shreveport 4.

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Houston	16	12	.571
San Antonio	16	12	.571
Waco	13	13	.500
Fort Worth	12	15	.444
Dallas	12	16	.429
Shreveport	9	15	.375
Beaumont	10	17	.370

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.
 Boston 6, Cleveland 5.
 Chicago 4, Washington 3.
 Philadelphia 6, Detroit 3.
 New York 8, St. Louis 7.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	15	8	.652
Chicago	14	11	.560
Philadelphia	12	10	.545
Detroit	11	10	.524
Washington	11	11	.500
St. Louis	9	10	.474
Cleveland	11	13	.458
Boston	6	16	.273

Today's Schedule.
 New York at St. Louis.
 Boston at Cleveland.
 Washington at Chicago.
 Philadelphia at Detroit.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.
 Chicago 6, Philadelphia 3.
 New York-St. Louis, rain.
 Pittsburgh-Boston, rain.
 Brooklyn-Cincinnati, rain.
 All games rained out.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	13	7	.650
New York	14	8	.636
Chicago	11	9	.556
Philadelphia	9	8	.529
Pittsburgh	10	9	.526
Boston	9	11	.450
Brooklyn	8	15	.348
Cincinnati	7	14	.333

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

Wm. Penn.—5 cents—A Good Cigar.

By BILLIE EVANS
 The plot continues to thicken in Tex Rickard's heavyweight elimination tournament. There seems to be no end to it.

Last winter Rickard held a half dozen bouts, supposedly to pick an opponent for Champion Gene Tunney. These bouts featured Sharkey, Maloney, Willis, Delaney, McTigue, Paulini, Berlenbach and others.

At the finish, it seemed as if the two big boys from Boston, Jack Sharkey and Jim Maloney, had the right of way. They were matched to meet in the first big outdoor bout of the year. The bout practically carried a promise that the winner would meet Tunney.

The ballyhoo about Dempsey which had been more or less intermittent throughout the winter, at this stage began to take on definite form.

What was Dempsey's condition? Would he ever fight again? What were his chances if he did and would he be willing to go on in several preliminary bouts to prove his condition?

This was partly answered when Dempsey announced he had regained old-time form was willing to take on several of the leading contenders and fight his way to another Tunney battle.

Contenders Much Peeved.
 As a result of Dempsey's ultimatum, the coming battle between Sharkey and Maloney has lost much of the glamor that it once held for both men. Instead of being a bout to decide who would meet Tunney, it is just another heavyweight battle.

Umpiring in Boston at the time Dempsey delivered his ultimatum to Rickard, same being the home of Maloney and Sharkey, I know personally, that Dempsey's comeback made no hit with either of the two Bostonians.

One of the two must lose, which leaves him a considerable distance from a championship bout. The winner must prove he is a better man than the victor of the Dempsey-Paulino battle.

Perhaps Rickard knows both of them are a trifle disgruntled over the turn in affair, for I note he has offered both of them a near half million guarantee for two fights.

Sharkey is the more optimistic of the two for when I talked with him about his coming matches, he replied: "It's all right with me. I can whip Maloney, Dempsey and Tunney, so I should worry. The more fights, the more dough."

Sharkey supremely confident. I look for Sharkey to positively beat Maloney. He already has two wins over Maloney and figures it is all over but collecting as far as the income.

Maloney, on the other hand, undoubtedly has a vivid remembrance of both his meetings with Sharkey and naturally it is not one of supreme confidence.

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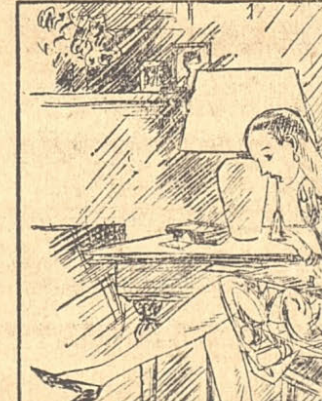
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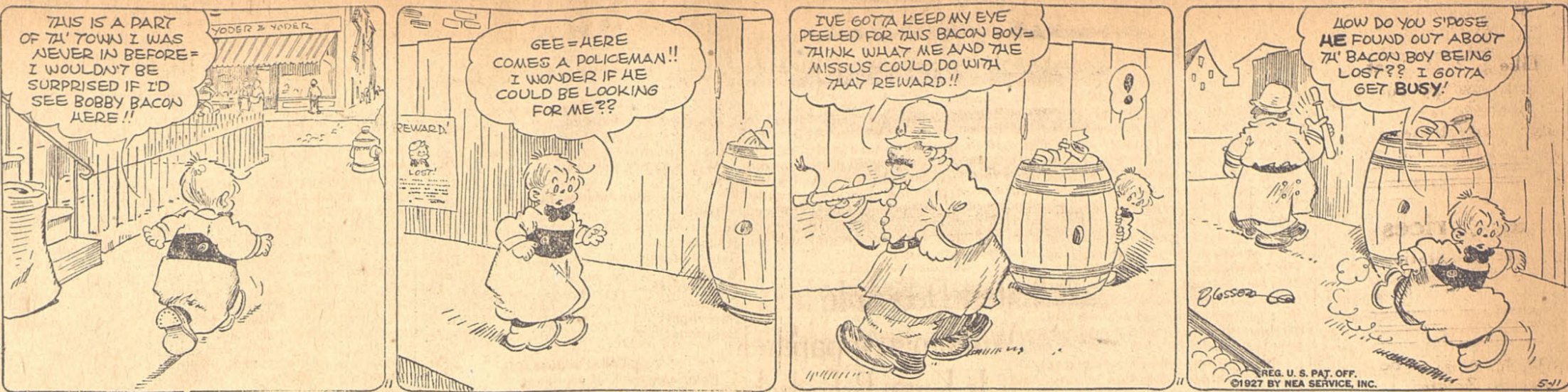
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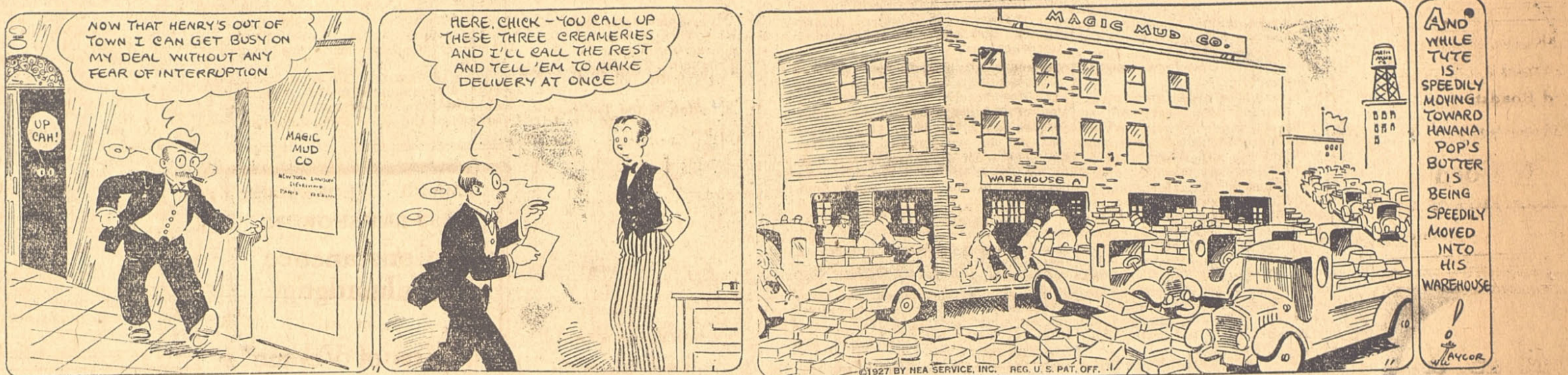
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DAUGHTERS of MIDAS

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THIS HAS HAPPENED
T. Q. Curtis, millionaire owner of the big Curtis store, conducts two intriguing contests and, strangely, the winners are the prettiest girls in his employ—Winnie Shelton, Nyda Lomax, Billy Wells and others. Billy is suspicious of the old man's intentions. Her suspicions are heightened when Clay Curtis, son of the store owner, begs her to let his father and the contests alone. Clay has disinherited himself and is living in the poor section of the town, working in a factory by day and writing music at night. He has a room with the Wells family. At a dinner given in the Curtis home for the prize winners, Billy sits next to Dalhart Romaine and is completely ensnared by the spell of his personality. Billy notices that old T. Q. watches her, Nyda Lomax and Winnie Shelton with eager alertness during the whole evening. The next morning Billy gets a telegram asking her and her mother to be at the Curtis home at ten o'clock. They go in spite of Clay Curtis' plea that they do not, and there are surprised to find Nyda Lomax and Winnie Shelton. Mr. Curtis tells them he wants to make them his wards for a year, giving them opportunity to fulfill ambitions which each has revealed in the contests. Nyda and Winnie are over-eager, but Billy is mute. Her joy is unexcelled when



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old T. Q. presents her with a rare violin and tells her she is to study with the best teacher in town. He dismisses the girls to think the offer over, asking them to return with decisions the next day.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER XX

At half-past five that afternoon Billy Wells laid her precious violin in its case and went to the kitchen, flexing her left arm that was stiff with hours of playing.

Mrs. Wells did not hear the girl's light footsteps. As Billy stood there a tear rolled down Mrs. Wells' plump ruddy cheek and splashed upon the paring knife that flashed so busily over the surface of a big potato.

"Mother! You're crying! And you said you were happy!" Billy cried accusingly. "I'm not going! That's all there is to it! I'm not going to leave you here."

Mrs. Wells laughed chokily and retrieved the potato she had dropped in her surprise. "I reckon a body's got a right to cry for joy!" she protested. "It wasn't joy," Billy insisted. "Oh honey, what a beast you must have thought me today, because I jumped so at the chance to leave you. Didn't you know I couldn't do it, really? You've been so good to me always."

"A fine mother I'd be if I let you make a fool of yourself and pass up the opportunity of a life time! Land alive! You'd be going to Europe to study if you had the money, wouldn't you? And I'm sure I would not go to Europe with you, she lied bravely, "with nobody but foreigners to talk to, and no bathtubs. Of course you're going to live at Mr. Curtis' for a year. Now get out of here and stop bothering me, or fix the salad if you're going to hang around the kitchen."

"Woof! Woof!" Billy laughed and kissed her mother on the back of the neck.

"It'll just be for a year, and you can come home as often as you like. And don't you think I'll be so all-fired lonesome either. I'm going to feed Clay so well that he won't think of changing boarding houses."

"And I meant what I said about giving you a hundred and fifty a month out of my allowance." Billy was entirely cheerful again. "Five hundred dollars a month just to spend, mother! I can't believe it."

Has the old boy gone crazy?" "That won't be so much for the kind of clothes you'll be expected to wear as Mr. Curtis' ward," her mother pointed out. "And you'll have to pay for your music lessons out of that, I suppose. They say that Professor Nevratil charges terrible prices—five dollars an hour, or something like that."

"I don't care," Billy was already beginning to shrug at small sums like five dollars. "I'll take a lesson every day if he'll let me, but I suppose I'll be lucky if he lets me come three times a week. I'm going to learn more music in a year than any girl ever learned before. And when the year is up, I'll bust into New York and bully some manager into booking me for a concert tour."

Half an hour later the sound of the front door opening told them that Clay had come home from work.

It was not going to be easy, Billy decided, as she sat down, opposite Clay at the little round dining table. He looked tired and discouraged.

"Somebody's birthday?" He tried to make his voice jocular as he passed his plate, his eyes roving hungrily over the unusually festive meal. "Lord, but those lamb chops look good!"

"I did it," Billy acknowledged proudly. "And I made the salad and mashed the potatoes. Mama's good girl!" she applauded herself, hoping to win a smile from those tired lips.

"That's right—you didn't work today. Well, what's the latest news from the psychopathic ward? Did my eccentric father make you general manager of the Curtis store?"

"Better than that," Billy told him, keeping a tight rein on her temper. "Wait till after supper and I'll show you. What's the news?"

"Ralph Truman was at the factory today—showing a delegation of women's club uplifters what a model factory looks like. He stopped and spoke to me—about you, and he gave Billy a long, meaningful look."

"What's right—you didn't work today, and we danced together a good deal. Why shouldn't he speak of me to you?"

"No reason, I suppose," Clay answered shortly. "And I suspect there's a very good reason why he should. He's obviously fallen in love with you. I'm sure you must have been a very interesting party."

"Clay Curtis, you make me so mad!" Billy exploded. "You haven't done a thing but grouch and crab at me for weeks, just because I've been lucky enough to get the merest taste of the good things you've had all your life. I'm getting sick of it, I tell you."

"Please, children, don't fight," Mrs. Wells begged almost in tears. "We're not going to fight any more, Mrs. Wells." Clay rose from the table, his face very white and his eyes frowning with pain. "Billy's right. I've been acting like a sore-headed bear lately. And I'm sorry. I'll try to act more like a boarder and less like a member of the family in the future—if you'll let me stay, Mrs. Wells."

"Don't be foolish!" "I don't want to be fighting all the time," Billy grinned at him through a mist of tears. "But, honestly, Clay, I'd rather fight with you

than to make love with any other man in the world."

"Thanks." He dropped back into his chair and laid a hand shyly over hers. "What's dessert? I'm still hungry."

"Chocolate blanc mange, with oodles of whipped cream. And I made that, too!"

"Now, children, I'm going to stack the dishes and go to the movies. You two can play your music to your heart's content," Mrs. Wells rose from the table with a satisfied sigh.

When she had left, it was at Clay's suggestion that they washed the dishes before giving themselves up to music. He had become proud of his technique as a dishwasher, refusing to allow Billy to soil her lovely white hands in the greasy water.

"Are you happy here, Clay?" Billy asked suddenly, as she hung her damp towel upon the drying rack. "Here, in this house with you and your mother, yes," he answered slowly. "I don't think I was ever so happy with people in my life. But Billy, the factory is tearing me to pieces. I don't know how I can stand it much longer. And yet there's nothing else for me to do. You know I'd hoped to be able to write music in the evenings, but my nerves are so ragged when the day is over that I can't write anything worth putting on paper. I just want to play—with you. That's the only thing that makes it possible for me to go on."

Billy knew then that the hardest task of her life lay ahead of her. How could she tell him that, for a

year, she would see him only two or three evenings a week, at very most? "We'd better play now, if that's true," she said. "I've got something to show you."

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ing softly, when she took her new violin from its case and adjusted it beneath her round, firm little chin.

They began to play, Clay rather listlessly, as if his hands were too utterly weary from the factory toil to strike the notes. Then, watching his face closely, breathlessly, she saw wonder dawn on it, saw him raise his startled black eyes, saw them widen with incredulity as they rested upon the instrument cradled in her arm.

"Where did you get that?" He sprang to his feet, and strode toward her as if he meant to snatch the instrument from her hands. But when he did touch it, it was with fingers as gentle and reverent as her own.

"It's two hundred years old," she told him, in a joy-shaken voice. "Your father gave it to me."

"Then—God bless him for a very Christian gentleman," old T. Q.'s son said in all reverence. "I take back all the unkind things I've said about him and his motives. With that instrument and your genius—Billy, you're a lucky girl. If you could only have a decent teacher—"

Billy turned abruptly from him to lay the violin upon the top of the piano. Her moment was upon her. She went to him slowly and laid her hands upon his shoulders.

"Clay, I'm going to have the teacher—Professor Navratil of Vienna, who teaches at the university, you know. He's really wonderful. I've heard him play. And I'm going to have all day every day to practice."

"Then I was right," Clay interrupted her in a strange voice. "So Dad had found his daughter. Well, if he had looked the other way he couldn't have found a better. I suppose—" he looked down at her with quizzical eyes—"we're brother and sister now. Not exactly what I had hoped for, but—"

"How did you know?" Billy demanded, startled. "But if you're looking for a teacher, why the Nyla Loman and Winnie Shelton will suit you better. He's making all three of us his wards for a year, to train us for our chosen careers. I suppose you knew that, too?"

"Three of you?" Clay frowned. "Good heavens! He's that rough a chap, isn't he?" "Three girls for a year! Talk about caution! Oh, Lord, this is funny! What a merry little hell he's picked out for himself—and for you!"

(To be continued)

Clay's prophecy seems justified the very first day that the girls spend in their new home. Will T. Q.'s experiment be a success?

Combines Will Harvest Kansas Wheat This Year

By RALPH N. SWANSON, United Press Staff Correspondent. KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Combines—sunt, whirring machines that creep slowly across the limitless acres of waving wheat—will this summer do the work of 25,000 harvest hands, hitherto imported each year from the east and north.

Therefore this season fewer college boys will earn money to pay for next year's schooling by shocking grain behind clanking binders or pitching grain from the header into mammoth threshers and fewer thousands of men will converge in Kansas, in June to spread over the country like locusts to live off the harvest.

By harvest time this year there will be in Kansas alone more than 12,000 combines, which will be able to harvest 6,000,000 acres of wheat without the help of harvest hands. Already popular with owners of large acreages, they are now being purchased by owners of small tracts.

Even in Missouri, where the binder has heretofore sufficed, small combines with nine-foot cuts are being distributed in large numbers.

The large combine, drawn by a tractor, cuts a 16-foot swath, threshes and sacks the grain and spreads the straw in its wake, all in one operation. One man drives the tractor, another runs the combine, and a third man hauls the sacked grain to the elevator in a truck. By this system the farmer can harvest 50 to 75 acres a day against 20 acres a day under the old system when he had 20 harvest hands, who had to be fed and provided with lodgings.

Last year, although the coming of the combine was recognized by the Kansas College of Agriculture, calls for hired help were sent out which provided several thousand more men than were needed. As an aftermath, the agriculture department made a survey in the state and found that nearly 9,000 combines were used in the harvest in 1926.

Since that time, a survey indicates, at least half that number will be added before the harvesting season this year. Factories are rushing their output on reports from salesmen that combine sales this spring will be greater than ever before. Six carloads of combines were unloaded in one day recently at Salina, Kan., in the wheat belt.

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PREPARATIONS COMPLETE TO OPEN AUSTRIAN CAPITAL

By A. W. V. KING, United Press Staff Correspondent. CANBERRA, May 10.—On the eve of the establishment of Canberra as the youngest capital in the world, this partially built city presents a wonderful spectacle.

A canvas city sheltering nearly 100,000 people has sprung up during the last week, for available accommodation under roofs has been only sufficient for the few thousand official guests. The ceremony will take place on Monday.

There was to be little ceremony when the Duke and Duchess of York, who are to perform the opening ceremony of federal parliament, arrive here. They have toured New Zealand and the four eastern states of the Australian commonwealth. But all that traveling has been a mere prologue for the two-days visit here, the climax and chief objective of the whole tour.

For a week or more there has been a grand trek by people determined to see the historic function from Melbourne, Sydney, and many rural towns and districts. They have come by trains and thousands of automobiles. Thirty thousand of the latter, it is officially estimated, are parked in specially provided areas. Looking down at the new capital from the surrounding hills, there is a seeming vast white sea of tents and marquees. Rich magnates left out of the official invitation lists came alongside owners of hunting gloves. Most of the campers have furnished their temporary homes with comforts and stocks of provisions, but others less thoughtful find food at a premium. The climate here is keen in winter, and as these late autumn days have the keen waving of snow sweeping down from the nearby Australian Alps, blankets also are in good demand.

Canberra is a "dry" area insofar as the sale of liquor goes, but no law forbids its consumption. Hence many tents are well stocked with supplies from home towns or purchased in the neighboring town of Queanbeyan. Elaborate preparations have been made to make the occasion notable. Representatives of all the British dominions and many foreign countries are to be here as official guests of the federal government. The United States consul general is to come from Melbourne and the consul from Sydney. All the consul generals will be present, and it is expected that their official dress and insignias will form a notable patch in the colorful opening ceremony. The senate chamber, where the ceremony takes place, is a

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magnificent room, which will do full justice to the occasion.

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All the newspapers of the capital cities, as well as radio broadcasting companies, have crowds of representatives here, to give special accounts of the ceremonies.

GUM CHEWING HABIT EXPLAINED BY DOCTOR

By United Press. BIRMINGHAM, Eng.—"There's a reason" for chewing gum, it appears from an article written by Dr. W. J. Burns Selkirk in the British medical journal. "Presumably," declares the writer, "it is analogous in effect to the baby's comforter. It seems capable of producing even the state of mind of the ruminating cow and its Buddhististic calm." The doctor also suggests that gum can be offered as a substitute for cigarettes to excessive smokers that it is useful in curing the "chocolate habit" and that acts as a sedative for frayed nerves and insomnia.

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Dr. Fred R. Baker, well known Dallas optical specialist, will be at the Gholson hotel, one day only, Friday, May 13. Dr. Baker was appointed by former Governor Neff a member of the Texas optometry board and was president of the Texas Optical association, also national vice president. He has four different state licenses and several diplomas and has had 30 years' experience fitting difficult cases. He has several Ranger people wearing his glasses. Names furnished as references upon request. The doctor has a new sight-testing instrument added to his other scientific equipment and carries a large stock of new spectacle styles to select from. He says, "The big value in glasses is in the expert fitting." Don't fail to see him.—Adv.

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From Over the County

CHENEY NEWS

Special Correspondence.

CHENEY, May 11.—It is getting a little dry around Cheney while we have a fair season still. The winds are hurting crops and gardens and oats are going to be very light. Peanut planting is the order of the day. Some have planted cotton while some are waiting for a rain. The potato crop is going to be light if it does not rain at once.

Bro. J. F. Skaggs preached at Cheney Saturday night and Sunday. A good many from Cheney attended singing at Lone Cedar Sunday afternoon and report fine singing.

A large crowd attended the cemetery working at Alameda last Saturday and put the yard in good shape. Had a fine dinner and some good singing in the afternoon.

The play at Cheney last Wednesday night was well attended.

Our school is out and the teachers are gone. They taught us a good school and we wish them well and hope their lots will be cast in a good community. Cheney is looking forward to another successful school year, for with co-operation success is assured.

Cheney baseball team is getting to be real ball players. They play every Saturday and always have large crowds.

Cheney is to have an all-day singing the first Sunday in June, all are invited.

Next Saturday is cemetery working at Cook cemetery and the third Sunday in May is cemetery working day at Howard. All are urged to attend as there is lots of work to do, as they intend to put a new fence around and enlarge the cemetery.

McNeal and wife of Ranger were visiting at Cheney Sunday afternoon.

S. E. Thomas of Mineral Wells is visiting his old home here and will assist his son, James, on the farm for a few days.

The ice cream supper at Joe Blackwell's home of late was well attended and all pronounced it one of the best.

J. T. Cooper and wife of Desdemona were visiting at the J. P. Strickler home Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. Cooper was once a proud to see them back.

Joe Griffith and son and family of Eastland were at Cheney Saturday.

Eudell Duvall is very sick with pneumonia. He was one who assisted in saving some of Mr. Ed Campbell's family a few days back when two of the girls were drowned. He and others kept it from being four and he has not been well since, and last Thursday developed a double case of pneumonia. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

Corinth News

Special Correspondence.

CORINTH, May 11.—The services Saturday were well attended. The cemetery was nicely cleaned up. There were quite a number there from other communities. Among whom were Milton Nicholas and family of Idalou, Texas; John Hazel, Idalou;



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Los King and family; Mrs. Huddleston and children of Abilene; Mr. King and family of the Plains, and others.

Green Hazel, who has recently undergone an operation is improving nicely.

Mrs. Della Hanks of Abilene is visiting her mother, Mrs. Seaborn of the community.

John Evans and family, J. W. Tenneyson and Bro. Neugent Baldersee attended the Mothers' Day program in Mitchell community Sunday.

Grandmother Evans has been ill with rheumatism but is some better now.

CISCO NEWS

CISCO, May 11.—The interior of

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association, voted to meet next Monday night at the city hall to organize baseball league. The Sunday school superintendents of the Sunday schools and athletic directors of each church are invited to be present. The ministers expressed their approval of the Memorial Day program being arranged for May 30. Each minister will preach along this line on May 29.

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the Cisco city hall is to be repainted, Price Rainbolt having been awarded the contract at a cost of approximately \$350.

At the regular business meeting Monday night, the Cisco minister's

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