

# Starting Gun Is Fired In Greatest Event In The History Of Aviation

## INTER-CITY ROTARIANS HOLD ANNUAL BARBECUE IN EASTLAND

### ROBERTS HAS PRINCIPAL SPEAKER ROLE

#### Eastland, Cisco and Ranger Rotarians Are At Enjoyable Affair

Rotarians and their wives to the number of about 125 from Ranger, Cisco and Eastland were present last night at the Eastland Golf and Country Club to hear an address by Dr. T. T. Roberts, president of Randolph College, Cisco, who was a delegate from these clubs to the recent International Rotary convention in Ostend, Belgium. The occasion was the annual Inter-City meet of the three clubs.

Joseph M. Weaver, president of the Eastland Rotary Club, presided. Rev. B. C. Boney of Cisco, who was a delegate from the Cisco club to the Belgium convention, and Fred Yonkers, president of the Ranger Rotary Club, each made short talks.

A splendid dinner of barbecued chicken with all of the trimmings was served just before the program which opened with invocation by Rev. W. H. Johnson of Ranger, followed by a welcoming address by President Weaver of the Eastland club, whose speech was as follows: "Ladies and gentlemen, we are glad you are here; you are welcome; dinner is served, come in."

Dr. Roberts, a fluent and eloquent speaker, held his audience spellbound for an hour while he gave a detailed account of his trip from the time he left New York City until his return to the same port. "Speakers in New York City reminded us that we were going to Europe as ambassadors from the people of America and warned us to every keep this fact in mind, and this, at least, a portion of us tried to do," Dr. Roberts said.

After the Ostend convention, which was attended by King Albert of Belgium, who is a Rotarian, adjourned, Dr. Robert and Rev. Mr. Boney toured together a number of the countries of Europe, finally separating, Mr. Boney going into the Holy Land and Dr. Roberts visiting other places.

The hope of Rotarians for universal peace may yet come, but it is yet far in the distance, Dr. Roberts believes. "I believe that the surest and quickest way to universal peace among the nations of the world, is to convince the rulers and leaders of the nations that war is unprofitable," Dr. Roberts declared.

"I made it a point to study the peoples and their habits and customs of the countries I visited, and I found them very much like ourselves in many respects. It was the leaders in Germany and not the common people who wanted the late world war, I am convinced since my visit to their country," Dr. Roberts said.

Dr. Roberts spent much of his time visiting the art galleries, museums, etc. He spoke on several occasions at clubs in London and other places, witnessed processions headed by the nobility and met personally many of the prominent people of the towns in which he stopped.

"I was impressed," Dr. Roberts (Continued on page two)

### Only \$10,000 Bills In Texas Are Held In Federal Bank

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 16.—The only \$10,000 bills in Texas are to be found in the vault of the Federal Reserve Bank here, according to an official of the bank.

The bills, which are the largest denomination made by the government, resemble any other greenback but there is no demand for them as legal tender.

The bank official explained that these larger bills take up less room than a quantity of smaller ones and are used to comply with the reserve bank law that a certain amount of cash must be kept on hand.

### Taking Stock



When a girl really makes up her mind to be beautiful, it's surprising what she can accomplish. Take the case of Vee-Vee Cameron. Vee-Vee, a private secretary in a large business concern, gave so much thought to her job that she had no time for romance. But suddenly she fell head over heels in love, and then she began to take stock of herself. She was plain, she decided, unattractive, too severe looking. Perhaps if she discarded her spectacles, got a bob and took a course of beauty treatments, she'd improve things. Turn to page two.

### Borger Stages Beauty Contest Handsome Men

BORGER, Texas, Aug. 16.—Borger, once known as the frontier oil town, has gone in for beauty contests, and masculine contests at that.

Ten Borger business men, including three physicians, are entered in a male beauty contest sponsored by a Borger newspaper. The contestants explained the situation, "we got tired of seeing beauty shows which are for women only."

### Health Officer At Fort Worth Will Take Treatment

FOR WORTH, Aug. 16.—Dr. L. H. Martin, city health officer of Fort Worth today will take the serum treatment he advocates for cure and prevention of infantile paralysis, he has announced.

Dr. Martin has been picked by Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York to take ten afflicted persons to Warm Springs, Ga., to receive free treatment there in hopes of curing them of effects of the dreaded disease. Dr. Martin has been giving a treatment here with a serum taken from the blood of convalescing patients which has been declared to be successful.

### Jeremiah Denny Noted Baseball Player Is Dead

HOUSTON, Aug. 16.—Jeremiah Denny, 68, often called the greatest third baseman of baseball before the days of the glove, died here early today at the home of his daughter, Mrs. N. A. Carroll.

Death was due to heart disease. Denny was perhaps best noted as the "one-handed" third baseman. Playing bare-handed, he would catch drives down the third base line with either hand.

### Sacco-Vanzetti Juror's Home Is Bomb Wrecked

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 16.—A dynamite bomb wrecked the home of Lewis McHardy, a juror at the Sacco-Vanzetti trial in suburban East Milton early today. McHardy and four others of the family were hurled from their beds by the blast but all escaped serious injury.

### KANSAS TOWNS THREATENED BY MUDDY WATERS

Damage From Floods Over Western Sections of State May Run Into Millions of Dollars.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 16.—Muddy water charged a dozen Kansas towns and cities today threatening to sweep through with resultant destruction running into millions of dollars. A vast inland sea stretched over western and southwestern Kansas reaching out as far as the eye could see. Rain continued falling today bringing further anxiety to residents in towns along dozens of small streams.

### Supreme Court Hears Plea Of Condemned Men

COURT HOUSE, Boston, Mass., Aug. 16.—With a new trial for Nicolo Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti as their principal goal defense attorneys went before the full bench of the Massachusetts Supreme Court today in another eleventh hour move to block the executions scheduled for next Tuesday. Only four of the seven supreme court justices were on the bench. The hearing was on exceptions from Justice Sanderson's denial of a writ of error and from trial Judge Webster Thayer's denial of motion for new trial, revocation of sentence and stay of execution.

### Junkers Won't Try Cross the Atlantic Again This Year

DESSAU, Germany, Aug. 16.—Another Junkers attempt to cross the Atlantic by air is improbable this year, it was announced today after a conference between Junker, his engineer, and the pilots of the two planes, which failed in Sunday's attempt.

### Blue and Gray Meet at Last



When the civil war came Jonathan and Henry Roten left their home in Huntington, W. Va., to enlist—but they chose opposite sides, Jonathan joining the federal army while Henry served with Lee's men. They never saw one another again until a few weeks ago, when Henry learned of Jonathan's whereabouts and traveled from his home in Fort Worth, Texas, to Huntington, where they were re-united. They are shown together here, with Jonathan on the left.

### Urge Physical Examinations Before School

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 16.—Physical examination of children before school starts in September is urged by Dr. J. C. Anderson, state health officer. He suggests that parents see that small defects of tonsils, teeth, eyes or other organs be corrected before the children start to school. Vaccination against small pox and typhoid and use of the toxin-antitoxin immunization against diphtheria is urged.

### J. Ogden Armour Packer Head is Dead In London

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—J. Ogden Armour head of the vast Armour packing interests died today in London, his offices in Chicago announced this afternoon. Armour whose career in the packing business and financial organizations in the middle west has been spectacular ever since he came to the head of the firm which his father founded, had been ill for weeks in London. He was suffering from typhoid fever with complications, the exact nature of which his office was uncertain.

### SAVED LIVES OF ROAD CREW, GETS TWO WEEKS PAY

AUSTIN, Aug. 16.—Rollin Richmond, state road maintenance worker, will get two weeks sick pay as his only reward for saving the lives of a road crew near Kyle. Richmond seized a blazing can of gasoline and threw it away from a group of workmen before it exploded. He is painfully burned and is under treatment at his home.

### LEADER LABOR PARTY SCORES IRISH GOVERNOR

Johnson Votes No Confidence In Government Wm. T. Cosgrave and Explains Views.

DUBLIN, Ireland, Aug. 16.—Tom Johnson, leader of the labor party in the Dail today moved a vote of no confidence in the government of William T. Cosgrave. The motion was seconded by another of the labor party. President Cosgrave immediately obtained the floor and in a speech said he was ready to support any coalition government for the good of the country. The text of Johnson's motion was that the executive council had ceased to retain the support of the majority of the Dail. He explained that the motion was designed to test the views of the Dail regarding the government continuing in office.

### General Claims Convention Is Extended 2 Years

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—An agreement extending for two years, the United States-Mexico general claims convention of 1923 was signed today by Secretary of State Kellogg and Mexican Ambassador Tellez. Under the new agreement which must be ratified, the claims commission must examine and decide claims arising between Sept. 8, 1923, and Aug. 30, 1927, in addition to all earlier claims now arising from revolutionary activities.

### FOUR PLANES RETURN, 4 LEFT IN RACE

#### Dallas Spirit Among Four To Return After Starting The Race

The monoplane Oklahoma with Bennett Griffin at the control and Al Henley in the navigator's seat took off from here at 12:01 Pacific Standard time starting the great Dole race across 2,420 miles of ocean to Hawaii.

The silver monoplane, El Encanto piloted by Norman A. Goddard started next at 12:02 p. m. The ship was unable to leave the ground and rocked from side to side down the course of the runway. The left wing snapped in the middle. Neither Goddard nor his navigator Hawkins was hurt.

Livingston Irving "lone wolf" of the contest who was to fly alone started down the runway at 12:09 p. m. He stopped one minute later. The plane was unable to leave the ground.

Irving left the pilot's seat and stood waiting by his plane for a tow car from the head of the runway.

Jack Frost in the monoplane "Golden Eagle" started next on the great adventure.

Gordon Scott was with him as navigator. Frost started down the runway at 12:30 p. m.

Peddler started down the runway at 12:31 p. m. Jensen started down the runway at 12:33 p. m.

Goebel started at 12:34 p. m. Goebel took the air one minute after starting.

Captain William P. Erwin started at 12:36 p. m. He rose successfully a minute later.

The Michigan entry "Miss Doran" returned to the field at 12:44 p. m. Auggy Peddler pilot, brought the ship to a safe landing.

Peddler said his motor had been backfiring. Irving's plane was returned to the head of the runway at 12:46 p. m.

Irving started down the runway at 1:20 p. m. on a second attempt to take off.

"Lone Star" Bill Erwin returned his monoplane "Dallas Spirit" to the field at 1:10 p. m. He made a safe landing. The fuselage of his monoplane was torn loose in the air.

The "Oklahoma" first ship to take off returned to the field two minutes behind Erwin. It also made a safe landing.

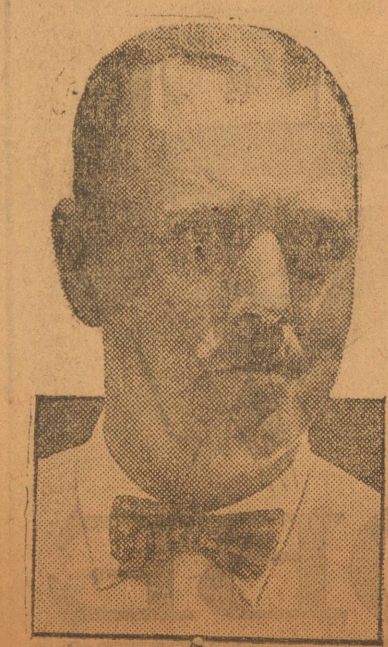
Irving came back to the field after his second take off at 1:22 p. m.

### HUNDRED THOUSAND PRESENT.

Intense activity reigned in airport camps of nine Dole fliers as time sped toward the start of the epochal race for the Hawaiian islands. Three hours before the scheduled take-off, the last of the nine planes was wheeled into the half-moon formation at the head of the two-mile runway.

It was the biplane of Charles Parkhurst of Illinois, which twice in two days had been erroneously withdrawn. The planes were ready for the 2,408-mile hop, but activity continued unabated as aviators, navigators and (Continued on page 2)

### Some of Flyers In Great Air Race



JACK FROST



ART GOEBEL



MAJOR LIVINGSTONE IRVING



LIEUTENANT N. A. GODDARD



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SOCIETY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

WEDNESDAY. Matinee Bridge club meets at 2:30 with Mrs. Mickey Sloan. Organization of Order of the Rainbow Girls at 7:30, Masonic hall.

BRIDGE CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THURSDAY AND FRIDAY. The Thursday Bridge club will meet with Mrs. A. N. Harkrider on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

PERSONALS. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Maxwell and daughter, Gerald Blanton, of Fort Worth, were over-night guests at the R. B. Campbell home.

REPORT OF CENTRAL BAPTIST W. M. U. CIRCLES. Circles of the W. M. U. of the Central Baptist church met Monday afternoon with Mmes. Newell, Weir and McFatter.

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT. The Tuesday Bridge club will meet Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock with Mrs. Ray Brooks at Acorn Acres Tea Room.

RANGER PERSONALS. S. C. Swift and wife of Los Angeles, Calif., are the guests of Mr. Swift's brother, Wade Swift.

Will Form Order Of Rainbow Girls Wednesday Night. Ranger girls between the ages of 13 and 18 will have an opportunity Wednesday evening to join the Rainbow Girls which will be organized at that time at the Masonic building.

Stock Market Is Given Powerful Support Today. NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Powerful support for important stocks was present on the New York stock exchange again today.

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.

CITY COMMISSION OF RANGER MEE'S TONIGHT. The city commission will meet in regular weekly session tonight at the city hall at 8 o'clock.

Things Are Looking Up



Here you see Vee-Vee minus the specs and plus a bob and a beauty treatment. She seems to be thinking about something, though. Perhaps it's clothes, for a few glad rags are about the only things needed to complete the transformation of the plain little secretary into a real vamp.

Nash Company At Eastland Opened Formally Monday

The Eastland Nash company, Eastland county distributors of the Nash automobiles, formally opened its doors to the public Monday. All day Monday and until 11 o'clock Monday night people of Eastland and other parts of the county passed in and out of the show rooms and other departments for an inspection of the new Nash cars, a complete line of which were on display, and of the various departments that are to be operated.

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Texas History Is Being Compiled At University

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 16.—History of Texas during its connection with Mexico and in early days of the Republic is being gathered in documentary form by the University of Texas. In the collection at the library there has been for years Santa Anna's diary, together with a literal translation.

Four Planes Return, Four Left In Race. WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—As a last minute recreation the navy today sent an additional destroyer, the La Vallet to cover the line of the Dole California-Hawaii flight.

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MURCHESON FUNERAL TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY. Funeral services for "Uncle" Nick Murcheson, who died in Dallas Sunday, will be held from the First Christian church in Eastland Wednesday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

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Dallas Man Says Bees Are Ardent Prohibitionists

DALLAS, Aug. 16.—Bees are the most ardent prohibitionists thinks Hugh January, Dallas real estate man, whose hobby is bee keeping. Noticing a commotion about one of his hives the other day January investigated.

Prodigal Son To Be Sermon Subject Of Green Tonight. Taking his text from the fourteenth chapter and eighteenth verse of Luke, "And They All Made Excuses," Col. Guy W. Green, conducting the union revival services on the Eastland High School grounds, last evening delivered another of his masterful addresses before a large and appreciative audience.

Farmer Youth Is Found Shot At Home Near Gorman. Arland Clements, about 20 years old, son of Walter Clements, farmer, residing four miles east of Gorman, was found about 6:30 o'clock this morning at the home of his parents suffering from the effects of a gunshot wound in the region of the heart.

Motor Caravan Of Chevrolet Trucks Visits In Ranger. Twenty-one Chevrolet trucks, one and one-half ton capacity and equipped with different types of bodies, arrived in Ranger last night and staged a parade through the business district.

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Ranger's First Bale Of Cotton Is Due This Week

H. L. Stewart, manager of the Moss gin, Ranger, was in the Times office today and stated that he was expecting the first bale of cotton here the latter part of this week.

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### Holland Keeps Close Watch On Flood Problems

By United Press.  
AMSTERDAM.—The appeal by secretary of commerce Hoover in the United States, urging that steps be taken to check the destruction of the Mississippi River is being watched with keen interest in Holland.

Because this country is itself tackling a little problem of its own in its attempts to drain the Zuyder Sea and thus gain 555,975,000 acres of fertile land, Holland has a particular interest in the work of flood prevention across the Atlantic Ocean.

When the work here is ended, the acreage of the country will have increased by one-tenth and Holland will have 12 provinces instead of 11 as hitherto.

The work will cost about 200 million dollars and is being carried out under the supervision of a prominent engineer. He successfully carried out various engineering works in South America and other places.

The entire work, started two years ago, will take about eight years. Everything is progressing satisfactorily and when it is finished the value of the newly gained land will surpass the total costs by about \$20,000,000.

This is the most extensive drainage work ever attempted in Holland though all through the ages the Dutch have been reclaiming land and fighting the sea and the rivers. Tourists remark that the river Rhine runs meekly in Holland in between the mighty dykes the Dutch have built it.

"God made the world, but we made Holland," is a proud saying in Holland, but there is some truth in it. And it is said that during the great war when the whole of Europe was fighting for the possession of land and more land, some bright Hollanders pressed his finger to his forehead and said "there seems to be a lot of money in land since the whole world is fighting over and for it. We can't fight our neighbors, for that would mean that they would refuse our butter and cheese and bulls in the future, but we have a nice stretch of sea; let's have a go at that."

And, as everybody agreed, they started work.

### The Job's all Done



The job's all done now, and Vee Vee's dressed to kill, in a green evening gown to match her eyes and a beautiful Spanish shawl to protect her from the cool breezes. All ready for her vacation now, and pity the poor man who looks into those eyes. Doesn't she look like a princess? To be sure, she's only a penny princess, for she blew in every cent on the wardrobe. You'll want to read about Vee Vee in Anne Austin's newest serial, "The Penny Princess." It starts tomorrow in this paper. It's a vacation romance with a big kick.

### Next Congress To Be Dawes' Opportunity

By RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer.  
WASHINGTON.—Theoretically, the sessions of the seventieth congress ought to be one long series of taxi rides to the senate chamber for Vice President Charles G. Dawes.

It will be recalled that when the senate voted on the appointment of Charles Beacher Warren as attorney general, the failure of Dawes to arrive in time to cast the deciding vote resulted in a bitter defeat for the administration.

It's a safe bet that Dawes will break a leg or two before he lets himself in for such an embarrassing incident during the next session, for another such occurrence probably would be fatal to the Dawes presidential ambitions. He is a strong candidate for the republican nomination, but not strong enough to stand up against the ridicule and loss of confidence which would surely follow a late arrival on the job.

Party Lines in Senate. Although, theoretically, Dawes will have to use his privilege of breaking tie votes in the senate almost every day, on account of the precarious political lineup in that body which may result if Smith and Vane are barred, actually he will seldom be required to cast a deciding vote. So many republicans vote so often with the democrats and so many democrats vote so often with the republicans that hardly anything is ever decided on strict party lines any more. The Dawes vote may be required to help the party organize the senate at the outset, but it will not be much in demand thereafter.

Nevertheless, the fact that the vice president—assuming that Senator Shipstead plays ball with the republicans—holds a theoretical balance of power in the next senate will be bound to enhance the importance and prestige of his position. Dawes himself has never been slow to take advantage of any and all opportunities for such enhancement and he will undoubtedly continue to build up his political fences from his splendid vantage point.

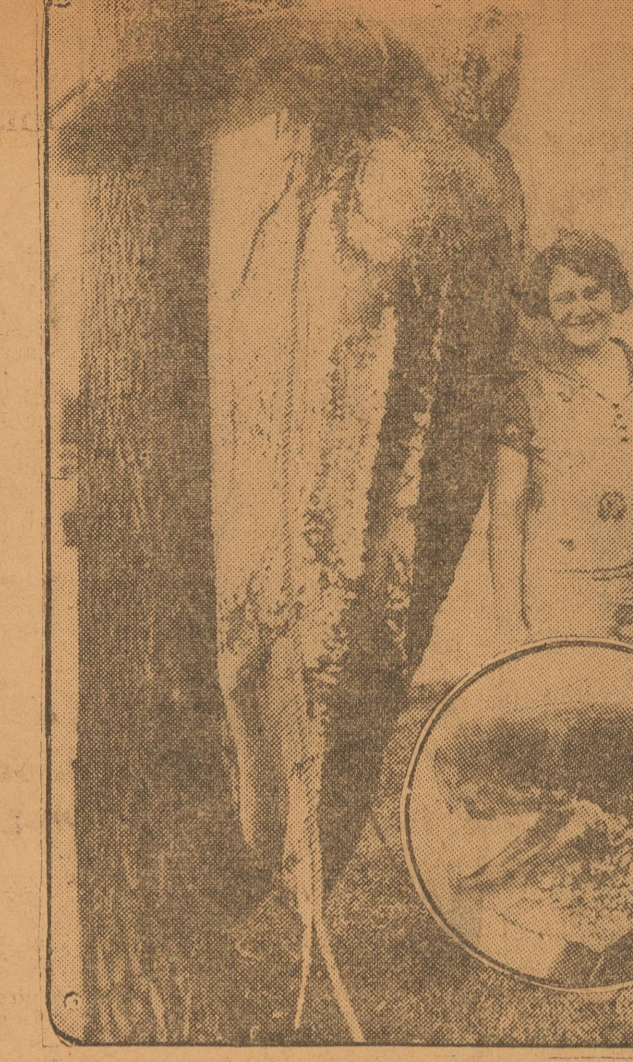
It does no harm to reiterate that, with Vane and Smith out, the senate lineup will include 46 republicans, 47 democrats, and Shipstead, the farmer-laborite.

Dawes Due for Razzing. It seems reasonably certain that Dawes will come in for considerable criticism from the floor during the next session. But most of it will come from the progressives and the democrats and thus have little effect upon his chances for nomination.

The progressives furnish the principal opposition to Dawes within the party. To them he is the ranker of reactionaries. His bold one-man campaign to gag the senate and his declarations against the direct primaries are examples of Dawes policies which enrage the party liberals. But this bloc, despite its balance of power in the senate, is not powerful in the party politics. Furthermore, it does not seem likely that they will be satisfied with Lowden and would not endorse any of the men who have the ghost of a chance at the regular nomination.

The judges of Scotland gave no death sentences to convicted criminals last year. This is carrying frugality to extremes.

### Soup For a Century



Soup for a hundred years and no mock turtle either, probably could be made from this mammoth sea tortoise. After a long struggle, it was harpooned and landed in the Great South Bay off Shore, Long Island, by Captain W. D. Hatch, Miami, Fla., swordfisherman, shown here with Mrs. A. Ruhfel, one of those who were with him. Its 7 1/2-foot shell and 2-ton weight make it the largest ever captured, according to curators of the American Museum of Natural History in New York where it is to be made a permanent exhibit. Inset is a close-up of the reptile's gigantic head, larger than a man's.

### NATIONALISM IDEA IS ADOPTED BY NORTHERN CHINESE FORCES

PEKING.—Nationalism has become a word covering a multitude of ideas and an even greater multitude of sinners in China. Any survey of the present situation must at least make an effort to differentiate between the various residents under the "nationalist" mantle, because indications are that soon there will be no non-nationalist Chinese extant.

The cause of nationalism is, in short, suffering from its own popularity. Whereas a few short months ago "nationalism" was synonymous with "radicalism" in the minds of millions, it has now become not only respectable but universal. True-blue nationalists of yesterday are "communists" of today, and the newly-made conservative nationalists rally together in virtuous indignation to throw the radicals out.

Not only does General Chiang Kai-Shih break off from the Han-chow nationalist government and start his own Kuomintang government at Nanking; miracle of miracles, Pan Fu, erstwhile minister of communications in Peking, organizes a new Chang Tso-lin nationalist government designed to bring about cooperation between capital and labor, equality between all classes of people, cultural development and the overthrow of communism and class conflict!

Moreover northern military leaders are reported to have decided that Dr. Sun Yat-sen's famous three people's principles relating to nationalism and government are not enough, and not only are the three principles—formerly considered the exclusive property of the southerners—to be endorsed, but a fourth is to be added to care for the urgent matter of "the people's morality."

In such an apparently mad situation, the spectator must take the view either that matters are running in a very complex course or in a very simple one. Superficially, the first is true; actually it is the second. Political expediency rules here as everywhere. If a catchword appeals, why not appropriate it in Peking just as in New York?

Nationalism started out the exclusive property of the south, but in the very nature of things it could not be kept exclusive. It took in too much. As soon as any military leader endeavored to formulate a program which was not avowedly a program of one-man domination, he could call himself a nationalist—and nowadays he does. In such a situation the only touchstone can be that of sincerity and integrity and these things must be searched for by the student of China above all other things.

The Kuomintang is the Nationalist party simply because it has, up to the present, been the only political party in all China. Obviously, if the northerners can form anything warranting the name of political party and if this new organization wants to call itself nationalist, the Know-

### BRYAN C. OF. C. BELIEVES IN ADVERTISING

By United Press.  
BRYAN, Texas, Aug. 16.—The value of newspaper advertising is realized by the Bryan and Brazos county Chamber of Commerce.

### Fifty-five per cent of Holland's windmills have been demolished since 1926. Probably too great a menace from trans-Atlantic flyers.

**BODY WORK**  
Yes we can repair wrecked bodies and do it right. Telephone 265. We'll do the rest. CITY PAINT & TOP SHOP 217 N. Rusk Ranger

### BIG SAVINGS IN SUMMER CLOTHING

"STYLE ALL THE WHILE"  
**E. H. & A. DAVIS**  
Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes  
219 Main Ranger

### ERIGIDAIRE

A small first payment puts it in your home.  
the price is only **\$205** INSTALLED  
WIRING EXTRA

FRIGIDAIRE saves the money you spend for melting ice. It stops spoilage. It prevents the unseen mold that endangers health. And now it is priced within the reach of every family that has electric current.

Here's a genuine Frigidaire electric refrigerator that is priced at only \$180 f.o.b. Dayton. It maintains cold storage temperatures, without ice, without attention—and at low operating cost. See it at our display room today.

**TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE CO.**  
PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

**BLACK BOTTOM Chiffon Hose**, all new colors. Regular \$2.95 value **\$1.75**  
**S. & S DRY GOODS CO.** Ranger, Texas

**OUR SOFT WATER METHOD SAVES YOUR LINEN**  
One Day Service  
**RANGER STEAM LAUNDRY** Phone 236

Our Name is Our Aim  
**Paramount PHARMACY**  
Main at Austin, Ranger.

**BOYD MOTOR CO.**  
has USED CARS priced according to condition, service and model—they also have a liberal time Payment plan.  
N. COMMERCE, RANGER

Phone 370  
**Bourdeau Bros.**  
GENERAL BUILDERS ARCHITECTS  
Nothing Too Large, Nothing Too Small

**O. H. Miller, M. D.**  
Practice Limited to EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT  
Glasses Fitted  
516-524 Guaranty Bank Bldg. Phone 28 Ranger

**McDONALD'S Little Plumber**  
HERE'S A FACT THERE'S NO DENYING—HERE'S A SERVICE SATISFYING!  
**Wm. N. McDonald** 115 North Austin Ranger

**FORTY-SIX ARRESTS MADE FIRST HALF AUGUST**  
Chief Jim Ingram of the Ranger police force, will turn into the city commission at its meeting tonight, the following report: Collected in fines \$254, from August 1 to August 15. Arrests made, 46, six turned over to county and two out of county of ficers.

**MISS ROMA MYERS IS MOVED FROM HOSPITAL**  
Miss Roma Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myers, of Ranger, who was injured in an automobile accident almost two weeks ago, that cost the life of her girl companion, Billie West, and injured the two young men who were with them, has recovered sufficiently to be removed from the Strawn hospital to her parent's home on South Austin street Ranger.

### GOOD WOMEN MAKE REAL HOMES

"Every woman owes it to herself and family to keep healthy, for the reason that it takes strength and energy to successfully manage a home," says a well-known social worker.

No one realizes the truth of this more than the mother in the home. That's one reason you find such an ever-increasing number of weak, run-down women now using St. Joseph's G. F. P.

In Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. Ed Bradford, who lives at 1117 Garland Ave., says, "I was weak and run-down when I started using G. F. P. The first bottle helped me so much, I kept right on using it. Now I'm on my fifth bottle and I feel like a new woman. I have plenty of strength and energy and am always on the go."

In many instances St. Joseph's Antiseptic Powder used externally in connection with St. Joseph's G. F. P. will be found very soothing.

Women have used **St. Joseph's G.F.P.** for over 50 years!

Cause No. 2280  
**NOTICE OF CONSTABLE'S SALE**  
The State of Texas, County of Eastland: By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the justice court of precinct No. 2, of Eastland county, Texas, in cause 2280 National Cash Register, serial No. 2371364 levied upon the property of said defendants to satisfy an indebtedness due plaintiff in the sum of \$45.00 with interest and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this August 15, 1927.—C. C. HAMILTON, constable precinct No. 2, Eastland county, Texas, Aug. 16-26.

**CONSTABLE'S SALE**  
The State of Texas, County of Eastland: By virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable 88th court of Eastland county, on the 13th day of June, 1927, by Wilbourne B. Collier, clerk of said court, upon a judgment in favor of W. S. Adamson for the sum of Seventeen hundred and three and 03/100 (\$1703.03) dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 11714 in said court, styled W. S. Adamson versus W. A. Thomas, Barney Carter, J. M. White and L. R. Pearson and placed in my hands for service, I, C. C. Hamilton, constable precinct No. 2 of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 13th day of August, 1927, levy on certain real estate situated in Eastland county, Texas, as follows to-wit:

The east 1-2 of lot No. 4, block No. 21, of the original town of Ranger, Eastland county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said L. R. Pearson and on Tuesday, the 6th day of Sept. 1927, at the court house door of Eastland county, in the city of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m., I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. R. Pearson by virtue of said levy and said execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Ranger Times a newspaper published in Eastland county.

Witness my hand this 15th day of August, A. D. 1927.—C. C. HAMILTON, Constable Precinct No. 2, Eastland County, Texas, Aug. 16-23-30.

**COW FEED**  
\$1.75 per 100 lbs. and up.  
Prompt delivery.  
**A. J. Ratliff**  
Phone 109 Ranger

### Ma Buzz gets it in the neck

**MOSQUITOES**—a torture day or night! Kill them at once, with FLIT.

FLIT spray clears the house in a few minutes of disease-bearing flies, mosquitoes, bed bugs, roaches, ants and fleas. It searches out the cracks where insects hide and breed, destroying their eggs.

FLIT kills moths and their larvae which eat holes. It will save your clothing, furs and rugs. Clean and easy to use. Will not stain.

FLIT is the result of exhaustive laboratory research. It has replaced old ineffective methods. Fatal to insects but harmless to mankind. Recommended by Health Officials. Buy FLIT and FLIT sprayer today. For sale everywhere.

**FLIT**  
DESTROYS Flies Mosquitoes Moths Ants Bed Bugs Roaches

"The yellow can with the black band"



**Notary Public**  
**RENA B. CAMPBELL**  
 Phones 43 or 224, Ranger

**GOOD USED CARS**  
**Oilbelt Motor Co.**  
 Phone 232 Ranger.

**BILL'S DRY CLEANING PLANT**  
 Phone 498  
 Cleaners of delicate fabrics.

"Always a Few Pennies Cheaper"  
**PENNY CASH GROCERY**  
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**Fresh Cat Fish**  
**CITY FISH MARKET**  
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**WILL R. SAUNDERS**  
 LAWYER  
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**Ranger Cafe**  
 OPEN ALL NIGHT  
 Quality Foods, Courteous Service

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 Funeral Directors, Embalmers  
 Years of Experience  
 120 Main Street Ranger

**EAT Banner ICE CREAM**  
 "It tastes better"

**PLUMBING**  
 By plumbers who know how and snap into it  
**JOHN J. CARTER**  
 111 So. Marston  
 PHONE 27

**NOTICE**  
 If for any reason you fail to receive your copy of THE TIMES, phone the Circulation department, 224, before 6 p. m., and we will have a paper sent to you by our special delivery carrier.

We are now taking orders for the  
**NEW Ford**  
 THE UNIVERSAL CAR  
**LEVELLE-MAHER MOTOR CO.**  
 WHEELS, TEXAS FORDSON DEALERS PHONE 28

**George Sister Lively Golf Ball Home Run Parks**

(By BILLIE EVANS)  
 In what club's lineup will George Sister of the St. Louis Browns be next season?  
 The player, generally considered the greatest first baseman of all time, will be placed in the market this fall. Who will prove to be the highest bidder?

When Owner Phil Ball announced that only four members of the present club would be retained, he let it be known, while not naming the players, that Sister wasn't in the list.

Connie Mack was once eager to secure the services of Sister, but the poor luck that he has had with many of his veterans this season may cause him to act cautiously.

While George Sister isn't the peerless first-sacker he was five years ago, he is far from through. New surroundings no doubt would help. It could be expected that he would feel perfectly at home in St. Louis after having once managed that club.

A half dozen teams in the majors could use him to decided advantage, so I look for some spirited bidding.

It is baseball history that a playing manager who is deposed, seldom is a success in the role of mere player on the same club.

**Lively Ball in Golf**  
 I see where Bobby Jones has come out for standardized ball in golf for tournament play that would be much slower than the one now in use. Which makes it seem that golf has its lively ball as well as the diamond sport.

Unquestionably there is a thrill to a long drive from the tee such as comes from no other shot in golf. To get distance, it seems dynamite has been added to the golf ball as well as baseball.

It strikes me that the suggestion as made by Jones is an excellent one for major tournament play but it will never get the vote of the "duffers" of golf and they are greatly in the majority.

The "duffer" likes to get distance even more than the star amateur or crack pro and he knows the lively ball helps him get it. Many makers of non-regular golf balls in advertising their wares, have dwelt on the distance feature.

"More yards at the least cost," has been the slogan of most of golf ball makers in their publicity appeal.

**The Home Run Parks**  
 Despite a certain popularity that still goes with the home run, the powers that be in baseball must sooner or later reach the conclusion that the ball now in use is too lively, at least for some of the cigar box parks in the majors.

If all the parks had exactly the same size playing fields and the home run distance was 300 feet or more, then I would offer no objections to the lively ball now in use.

On the larger parks there wouldn't be so much wild swinging, particularly on the part of the batters not noted for getting distance. More territory for the outfielders to roam would make at least 50 per cent of the players go back to smart baseball.

Ruth's ability to outshine all others at making home runs has been a magnet, but if suddenly a number of players able to equal or better Ruth's deeds come forth as did Gehrig this year, the home run will have lost its Ruthian glamour and much of its kick.

I doubt if any slugger in the history of baseball gets anywhere near the public acclaim that has been heaped on Babe Ruth for his home run prowess.

**Telling Patients Truth Discussed At Doctor's Meet**

(By United Press)  
 LONDON.—The old but ever new problem: "Should a doctor tell?" was discussed at the annual meeting of the Medico-Legal Society here when Doctor Halliday Sutherland, a well-known London physician related some of his experiences.

Describing one case in which a comparatively young man was dying of consumption, Dr. Sutherland gave the following grim little dialogue:

"I said to my patient's wife, 'Who gets your husband's food?' She changed color and said: 'Why do you ask?' I said, because I don't think his food is agreeing with him."

"I came to the conclusion," continued the doctor, "that his death was being assisted by the administration of arsenic. It was a horrible position. Suppose one went to the police and one's suspicions were wrong! I saw the wife whom I suspected, I saw her alone. The sickness ceased, and, thank God, I was relieved of responsibility."

Sir William J. Collins said there might be cases where it was the duty of the medical man not to divulge to the patient what he was suffering from. It might be detrimental to the patient's welfare to tell him. Lord Justice Atkin, who presided over the meeting, said it was an implied term of the contract of employment that a doctor would not disclose to the disadvantage of the patient information he obtained in his professional capacity, but that plainly a doctor was under no obligation to withhold information obtained from a patient when a crime was about to be committed. In law he was obliged to disclose information if he was called as a witness.

Lord Atkin said he had often wondered how it was that medical men felt it was in their discretion whether or not they disclosed to a patient what he was suffering from.

"My own view," said Lord Justice Atkin, "is that if I ask a professional man to tell me what I am suffering from I am entitled to know, and anyone not telling me is taking a serious responsibility, even though he may think it is for my own good."

**Lary Will Net Owners Big Profit**



Here's Lynford Lary, sensational Oakland, Cal., shortstop, whose sale to the majors this fall will net the owners quite a large profit. Lary has been reported sold to the Chicago White Sox for \$100,000, but other clubs believe the rumor by continuing to bid for the Oakland youngster.

**NATIONALIZATION STILL IS DISTANT DREAM TO CHINESE**

(Written for the United Press)  
 Enthusiastic predictions that China was on the way to national rejuvenation have failed this time as in all previous times to find justification in results. Nationalization is a distant dream in China and there is no indication that the country is any nearer to being modernized now than before the present nationalistic propaganda began. Western rules for judging the Chinese have never worked and a revolutionary change in the Chinese temperament will have to occur before they can work.

There is no real proof that China wants to become modernized in the western meaning of the word. The West has wealth and elevator apartments. The Chinese have aesthetic enjoyments and the conviction that they are the wisest race the world has ever known or will know. They may be right in this opinion of themselves but whether they are right or wrong they show no tendency to change their judgment. To be able to get along as the Chinese do, with periodic famines and no modern improvements while keeping their sense of humor and enjoying nature, rain or shine, is to be very wise or very ignorant. The Chinese, having discovered everything in the world before anybody else, cannot be ignorant. So they must be wise.

But, it is possible to be too wise. This is the trouble with the Chinese. They are too wise. They see wisdom in contentment. They start everything new and finish nothing. People who are a little less wise are less contented, and through their discontent they increase their desire, and by increasing their desires they stimulate themselves to make progress in order that their desires may be satisfied. Then, however, new desires follow and at this point the Chinese say the people of the West are unwise because they have to go through the process of discontent and new activity all over again. Be wise and do not desire too much is the Chinese way of looking at life and accounts for the failure of their nationalistic aspirations.

Throughout the present so-called "renaissance" in China, no news has been given to the world of any reform leaders sending young Chinese abroad to study Western science and technique in sufficient numbers to accomplish lasting good for China. This is the way Japan rose to first class rank, but it is not the Chinese way. The most popular of the Confucian schools of philosophy in China taught for a thousand years that before doing anything, you must first know all about it. That sounds practical but it is the most impractical viewpoint in the history of philosophy. If it were the rule of life mankind would never have known anything. Knowledge increases by experiment and man starts to acquire information from initial ignorance, setting his knowledge little by little, through repeated tests, with a lot of wrong mixed with the right. It is much better to know you are right before starting.

That means there is very little starting in China, or when a start is made, it is not prolonged, the Chinese method is to wait and see instead of going ahead and finding out the reason for the trouble. This is why the Chinese battles are no more than parades of fighting and why the Chinese statesmen suddenly appear to be accomplishing miracles and then as suddenly disappear and a new set of names has to be learned by the students of international events.

China has been trying to meet Western scientific competition within Chinese territory with the help of Confucius which has lost its original meaning. Confucius was once asked by his disciples what he would do first of all for the people of a great city if he had the power. He said: "Enrich them." His disciples asked him what he would do next. "Con-

**BASEBALL**

**TEXAS LEAGUE.**

**Yesterday's Results.**  
 Waco 9, Dallas 4.  
 Fort Worth 4, Houston 3.  
 Beaumont-Shreveport, called off.  
 San Antonio-Wichita Falls, off day.

**Standing of the Teams.**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Wichita Falls	77	48	.616
Houston	69	57	.548
Waco	67	58	.536
Dallas	60	64	.484
Fort Worth	60	64	.484
San Antonio	57	68	.456
Shreveport	57	68	.456
Beaumont	51	72	.415

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

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

**Yesterday's Results.**  
 Boston 12, Philadelphia 11 (10 innings).  
 Only game scheduled.

**Standing of the Teams.**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	63	40	.690
Pittsburgh	63	45	.583
St. Louis	61	47	.565
New York	62	51	.549
Cincinnati	49	59	.454
Brooklyn	47	64	.423
Boston	44	62	.415
Philadelphia	41	68	.376

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

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

**Yesterday's Results.**  
 Open date.

**Standing of the Teams.**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	79	33	.705
Washington	65	45	.591
Detroit	60	48	.556
Philadelphia	60	51	.541
Chicago	53	58	.477
Cleveland	47	64	.423
St. Louis	41	68	.376
Boston	36	74	.327

**Today's Schedule.**  
 Washington at St. Louis.  
 Philadelphia at Cleveland.

**Want Ads Will Pay**

One hundred new designs of Tallies and Place Cards  
**OIL CITY PHARMACY**  
 Ranger

**AUTO TOPS, SEAT COVERS AND CURTAINS**  
 Duco and Lacquer Auto Enamels  
**Joe Dennis Auto Works**  
 Ranger, Texas

**WE MAKE LOANS ON HOMES PAY LIKE RENT**  
 Ranger Building & Loan Association

**WHY WAIT FOR SATURDAY?**  
 Phone us your order for groceries and meats. We deliver.  
**TRADERS GROCERY AND MARKET, Inc.**  
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 Permanent setting or finger waving by an efficient operator. Phone 47.  
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We are experienced in making over dresses.  
**Mmes. Van Camp & Roberts**  
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Latest designs in Tally Cards and Greeting Cards.  
**J. H. Mead**

**HATS**  
 Cleaned and blocked.  
**STROTHER THE HATTER**  
 306 Main, Ranger

**NOTICE**  
 I have returned to Ranger and will again be at Ranger Barber Shop where I'll be glad to have my many customers and friends call to see me.

**ED DIXON**

**MIROPRACTIC ADJUSTMENTS**  
 Removes the cause of headaches, rheumatism, asthma, stomach, liver and heart troubles, etc. Consult  
**G. G. and M. W. BRONSON**  
 Doctors of Chiropractic  
 Ranger, Texas

**Tex's Secretary**



Here's Miss Naoma Lewensohn, secretary to Tex Rickard, who is in Chicago to handle the sale of more than 150,000 tickets to the Tunney-Dempsey fight in September. She knows her fight business, don't think she don't.

**DR. SHEARER RETURNS HELD CARTHAGE MEETING**

Rev. George Shearer, pastor of the First Methodist church, Ranger, is home after holding a two weeks revival in Carthage.

Rev. Mr. Shearer reports a good meeting and announces that on Thursday night at 8 o'clock there will be a special called session of the quarterly conference, at the church. This is a very important meeting. Rev. Mr. Shearer states and all stewards and trustees of the church are asked to be present.

**Want Ads Will Pay**

Buy Groceries and Meats at  
**ADAMS & CO.**  
 A CLEAN STOCK—A CLEAN STORE  
 We Deliver Promptly  
 Phone 166 Ranger

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**SALES AND SERVICE**  
**TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE CO.**

*Get more for your money!*

WHEN you hear that there is "Plenty of Rubber" in U. S. Royal Cords, you may perhaps wonder why every tire manufacturer does not announce the same policy.

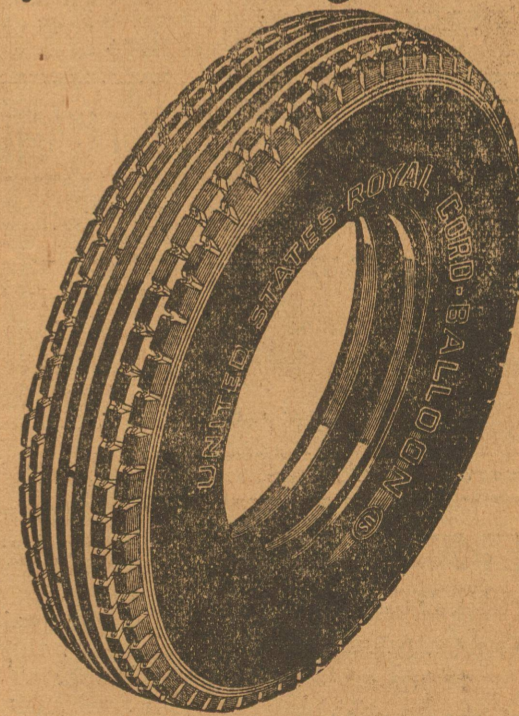
This Company holds a unique position. We own and operate enormous Rubber Plantations. One of them is the largest producing rubber plantation in the world.

We invented and control the process of making Sprayed Rubber—which is the purest and most uniform rubber known.

We invented and control Web Cord—the process for putting plenty of rubber between and around the cords of a tire.

From the planting of the trees, right through to the tires on your car—Plenty of Rubber in U. S. Royal Cords.

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 Trade Mark  
 UNITED STATES TIRES ARE GOOD TIRES



Question: What difference does it make to me that the United States Rubber Company grows and controls its own supply of rubber?  
 Answer: It makes a lot of difference to you. Good tires must start with plenty of the right kind of rubber. The right kind of rubber starts with the right kind of rubber trees. Among other methods for producing plenty of superior rubber latex, bud-grafting to make better trees—has been practiced on the United States Rubber plantations for ten years. If you ride on U. S. Royals you get the benefit. If you do not ride on U. S. Royals you are missing something extra good. Either way, it makes a lot of difference to you.

**PLENTY OF RUBBER IN U. S. ROYAL CORDS**

For Sale by

**FAT'S SERVICE STATION**  
 BANKHEAD HIGHWAY THREE MILES WEST OF RANGER



# SURVEY SHOWS BIG OUTPUT FOR GARAGES AND SERVICE STATIONS

By THOMAS L. STOKES (United Press Staff Correspondent) WASHINGTON.—The important place occupied by the automobile in American life is shown in a survey made by the labor department which reveals that more money has been spent during the past six years for erection of garages and service stations than for schools, churches or amusement buildings.

The statistics, gathered from the 257 cities having over 200,000 population, show in just what direction money for building of all kinds is being applied, and also furnish an interesting insight into the differences of people in various localities as indicated by the trend of their spending.

Boston, for instance, which in times past regarded itself as the seat of culture, spent only \$1.67 per capita for school buildings during the six years while it spent \$5.10 per capita for garages and service stations. For churches, it spent only 50 cents per capita. It stands close to the bottom among American cities in per capita expenditures for schools and churches.

In the 157 cities surveyed, there was an annual per capita expenditure of \$26.79 for non-residential buildings during the six years and \$47.99 for residential buildings. The per capita expenditure for all new buildings was \$74.78.

Of the \$26.79 spent for non residential buildings, nearly one-half or \$13,006 was spent in industrial and commercial construction, that is, for factories and workshops, stores, warehouses and office buildings. The automobile accounted for the next largest expenditure during the six years.

In most of the cities, more money was spent for amusement buildings than for churches. In New York City there was a per capita expenditure for amusement buildings of \$3.51 and for churches of only \$1.03. In Chicago, amusement buildings took \$2.23 and churches \$1.54. On the other hand, Baltimore spent only 42 cents annually per inhabitant for theatres, moving picture houses and other amusement buildings and Toledo, O., showed an annual per capita expenditure of only 33 cents for amusement buildings and \$2.02 for churches.

Baltimore spent \$3.55 for garages and service stations and \$3.90 for schools and libraries.

While spending a good deal for amusement structures, New York also spent a good deal for education, the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond in New York spending annually \$7.87 and \$6.81, respectively, for schools and libraries, New York, as a whole, averaged \$3.81.

The honor of leading in expenditures for educational buildings goes to Jersey City, which spent an average of \$6.34 per person, while Newark, its near neighbor, spent only 98 cents. The greatest per capita expenditure for non-residential buildings as a whole was in the Borough of Manhattan, New York, where \$52.44 was the average annual expenditure for each inhabitant during the six years. Dallas, Tex., however, topped the list, including New York City as a whole, with an average expenditure for non-residential buildings of \$38.34.

The highest per capita outlay for public buildings and public works was in St. Paul, \$8.43, and the lowest in St. Louis, nine cents. Washington, D. C., now full of formal white government buildings, spent only 27 cents annually for each resident for this type of structure during the past six years.

For residential buildings the per capita disbursement was highest in New York City, where the average for all boroughs was \$39.90. New Orleans showed the lowest amount for dwelling places, \$18.24. Among the cities which spent large sums for residential buildings were Washington \$71.88; Detroit, \$71.73; Dallas, \$68.12 and Chicago \$63.83.

Records for other cities are: Birmingham, Ala.—Amusement buildings, \$1.91; garages and service stations, \$1.58; churches \$2.24 and schools and libraries, \$3.76.

Cincinnati, O.—Amusement buildings \$1.63; garages and service stations, \$3.22; churches, \$1.15 and schools and libraries \$2.08.

Cleveland.—Amusement buildings \$1.53; garages and service stations, \$2.19; churches, 97 cents and schools and libraries \$2.99.

Columbus, O.—Amusement buildings, \$1.10; garages and service stations \$4.35; churches \$1.31 and

schools and libraries \$3.66.

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Kansas City.—Amusement buildings, \$2.30; garages and service stations, \$2.03; churches, \$1.92; and schools and libraries \$3.87.

## Out Our Way



## Tomorrow in the World of Fashion

By LUCILE BUCHANAN (Fashion Editor of Harper's Bazaar) (Written for the United Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Now that the Paris openings are on, no one can at this moment, tell you exactly what the autumn mode will be.

The smart Parisienne has not set her final seal upon the mode, so the mode is still uncrystallized.

The early openings have shown a tendency toward longer skirts with circular lines. This may or may not be the autumn mode. Mlle. Chanel appeared recently in a longer skirt. The chances are that skirts may become longer for all of us. But I would not venture to make that statement definitely now. Several past seasons have seen the longer skirt and the normal waistline presented at the openings only to have the smart woman appear blithely wearing her skirts at half-mast and her waist-line at her hip-line.

One thing is certain, and that has to do with the hips. Hip yokes, double girdles, wide sashes extend from the thigh, bands of fabric, defining the hipline and the line below the hips.

Some of the skirts treated this way are circular, others are straight and plaited, either in groups or straight across the front. Others are treated with a band of shirring across the front below the low hip-line. This movement is not entirely new. It has appeared earlier in the season on some of the sports frocks with bolero jackets.

The yoke treatment has made its appearance in several different ways. In fact there is a certain "dress-maker" quality about the way the yoke has sneaked up onto the shoulders of coats and bodies of frocks. Last season we would have shrugged our un-yoked shoulders at this new treatment as mere elaboration. Now sports frocks and coats both have rather intricately cut yokes, sometimes extending over the sleeves sometimes in back only or in front only.

This is one detail of the mode that shows which way the fashion wind is blowing. It indicates that a certain passion for detail, for actual detail of workmanship, a slight return to elaboration, is in the air. This may lead to a return of greater femininity in our clothes. Details as slight as these are often indications of a whole movement.

However, at this stage of the season flat Greek curls all over the fore-

son, neither I nor anyone else can tell you definitely what the autumn mode is.

Speaking of a return to femininity in fashions, it is true that the smart Parisienne is wearing her hair longer and in carefully coiffed "snail-shell" curls. This mode was launched at the opening gala night at Deauville, when several smart women wore their hair curled in this fashion of the Greek boy athlete. Harper's bazaar for August shows two pages of drawings of these coiffures sketched at Deauville. You will notice that some of these heads are curled all over while others have their hair brushed straight, with flat curls placed on the forehead and on the temples. Madame Agnes appeared at Deauville with her iron gray crinkled hair laid head and almost to the crown of the head, while in back it was brushed in crisp waves, to a little point at the nape of her neck. Madame Charlotte of Penet's wore her white hair frankly tinted an unmistakable mauve, and had it laid in little ringlets all over her head.

This type of coiffure is a relief after the seal-like and lacquered short haircuts that made you look twice to see if it really was a lady or just an impudent boy. Particularly for evening wear this coiffure is flattering, because it is in better harmony with jewels and chiffons than the extremely severe haircut. I always thought that absolutely close-cropped hair, well brilliantined was a bit comic with a pair of blazing diamond and emerald earrings and a river of diamonds running down the front of the gown. Perhaps what really is wrong with that picture is that fatal place in the back of the neck where most of these very short haircuts fail.

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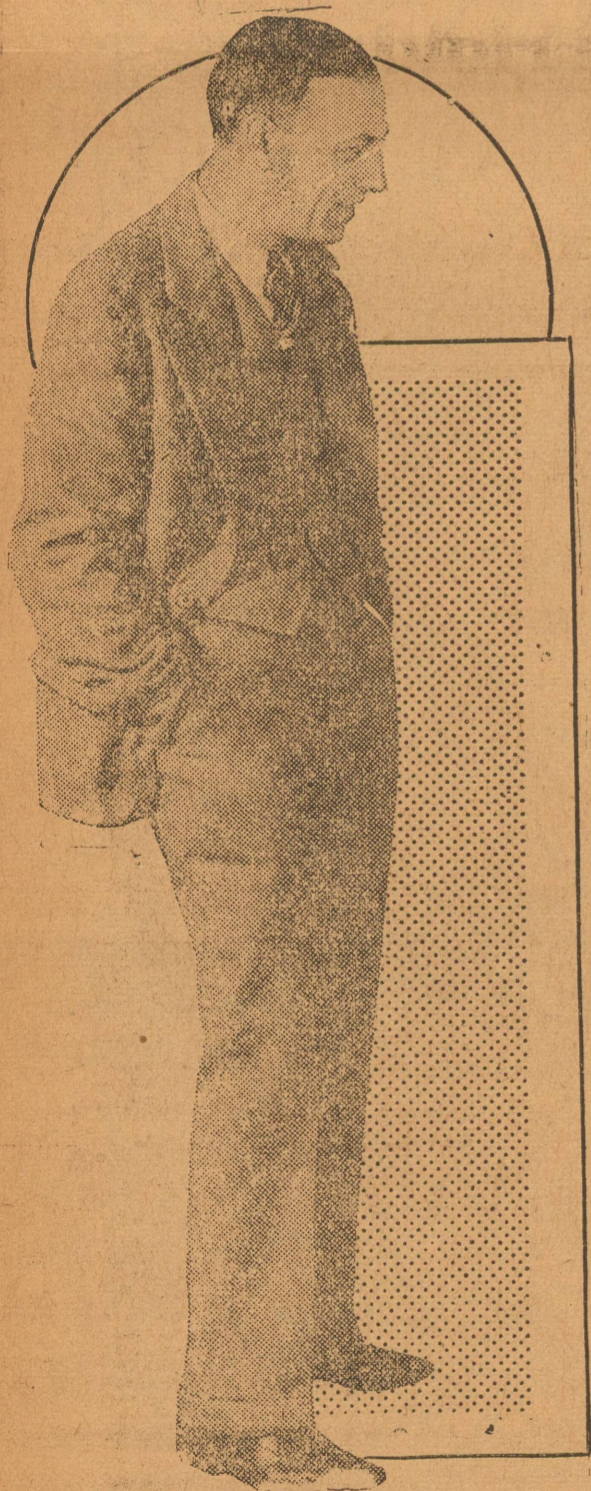
### INDEPENDENT TELEPHONE MEN TO MEET AT WACO

By United Press.  
WACO, Texas, Aug. 16.—Sessions of the district meeting of the Texas Independent Telephone Association to be held here tomorrow and Thursday are expected to draw 150 telephone men of this section. R. B. Still, Tyler, president of the state Association will preside over the meeting.

Here's this theory of evolution shot to pieces again. Archeologists have found the skull of a stone age high brow.

# "THE PENNY PRINCESS"

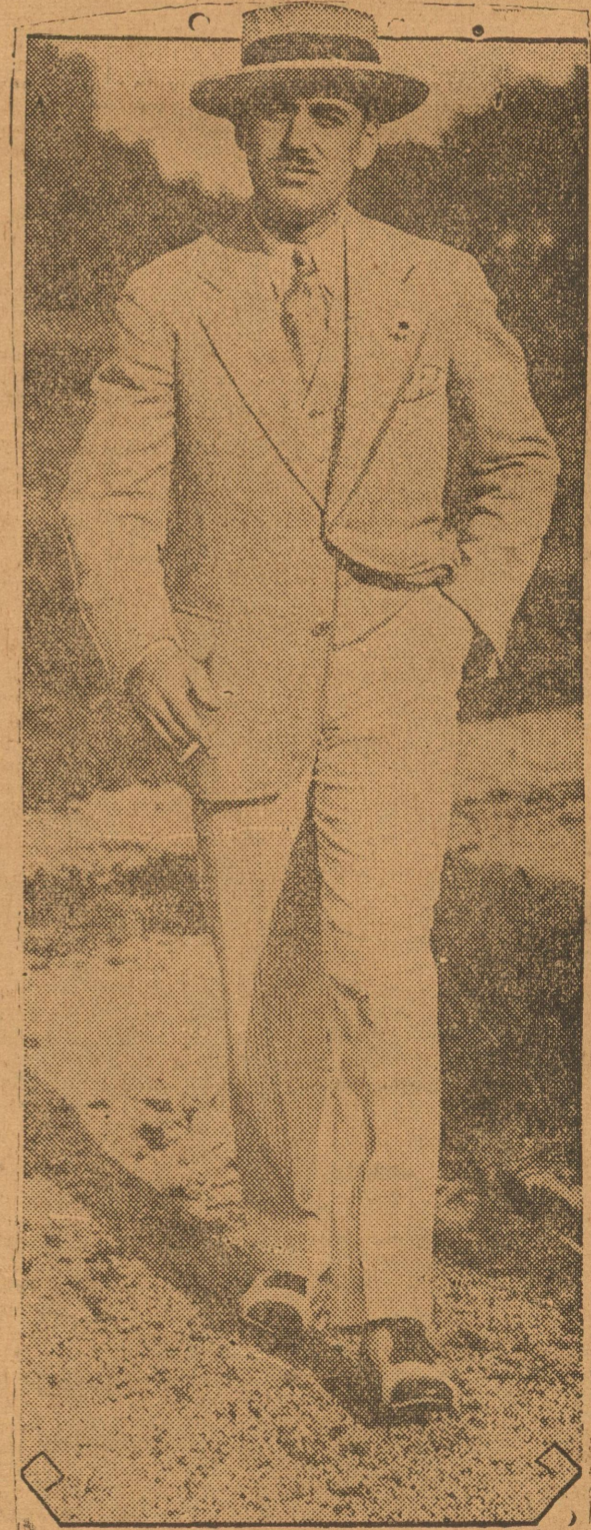
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### Battle Between Gehrig And Ruth Draws Queries

By BILLIE EVANS  
With the New York Yankees far out in front, the most interesting feature of the American league race at present, is the hectic struggle being waged between Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig for the home run championship.

What are Gehrig's chances to beat Ruth to the honor?  
Is there a possibility that either of the two will beat Ruth's record of 59 home runs made in 1927?

Should Gehrig assume a big lead over Ruth within the next month, would it affect Ruth's play in general and also that of the Yankees?

How much truth is there to the oft made statement that as Ruth goes, so go the Yankees?

How does the public and players view the struggle between the pretender for the crown of the king?

These are just a few of the questions, inspired by the battle between Ruth and Gehrig, that have been fired at me recently. Here is my angle on the various queries.

**Gehrig May Set Record.**  
Unquestionably Gehrig has an excellent chance to beat the Babe for the home run championship of 1927. However, I won't believe it has actually happened until I see it in figures.

Ruth has the habit of rising to the occasion and I am sure he will not go down to defeat without putting up a titanic struggle. Don't count the Babe out until the curtain has been rung down.

Gehrig has been far more successful on the Yankee Stadium than Ruth this year. Since a majority of the remaining games of the New York Americans are at home, this is a decided advantage to Gehrig.

I doubt if either Ruth or Gehrig come even close to breaking Ruth's record of 59. It strikes me that 50 home runs will come mighty close to winning the swat championship of 1927.

Ruth's 59 home runs made in 1921 is one of the few baseball records that should remain unbroken through many years. It has a good chance of holding up as long as the game is played under present conditions.

**A Few Answers.**  
There are some who believe that if Gehrig takes a commanding lead over Ruth, making it seem certain there is no chance to overtake him, the Babe will become careless.

While such a thing is a possibility, should Gehrig get a lead of from five to 10 home runs, I don't look for such a situation, simply because I do not believe he will ever get that far away from Ruth.

Granting he does, also that Ruth's play suffers because of carelessness, there is no doubt but that it will seriously handicap the Yankees. There is much truth in the saying that as Ruth goes, so go the Yankees.

However, Ruth likes his baseball so well that I am inclined to think intuition would cause him to put forth

### His Dizzy Day



his best effort, regardless of how strong Gehrig is going.

The public is unquestionably with Gehrig. The underdog always has the sympathy and best wishes of common people. And while Gehrig is just as popular with the players as Ruth, it is my thought most of them would prefer to see Ruth finish in front.

Their motive is purely a selfish one. They know what a great magnet Ruth is at the gate and Gehrig's drawing power as the home run king would remain to be established. Babe and his home runs have boosted salaries for every one connected with the game.

I feel the American League Home Run Derby is going to prove a whale of a battle between the game's premier sluggers, Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig, to the final game of the season.

Women of the country spend \$5,000,000 a day to keep themselves beautiful. Please can point to this as another reason why we should cancel her war debts.

### In The Courts

**Instruments Filed.**

Quit claim deed, Nolan Queen to A. F. Hartman, blocks 1 to 12 inclusive, 2nd McCleskey addition to Ranger, consideration \$180.

Warranty deed, J. T. McCleskey et al to A. F. Hartman, part of Marie Haley survey, \$100.

Bill of sale, West Adams Petroleum corporation to Edwin Larson, tr., part of NW corner of Ramsower lease.

Assignment, West Adams Petroleum corporation to Edwin Larson, tr., part of J. W. Richardson survey; also NE 1-4 section 38, block 4, H. & T. C., \$1.

Warranty deed, Graham National bank to O. N. Justice, lot 1, block 8 Burkett addition to Eastland \$1600. M. M. Lien, contract, C. S. Looney et ux to Burton-Lingo Lumber company, lots 5 and 6, block M, college heights addition to Cisco, \$1200.

Release deed of transfer, Ranger Building and Loan association to

Mrs. Katherine Potts, block 3, Erwin heights, addition to Ranger.

Royalty deed, M. M. Cooper et ux to O. V. Cooper, NE 1-4 section 121 block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, \$10.

Warranty deed, A. P. Barton et ux to J. A. Lee, NW 1-4 and W 1-2 of NW 1-4 section 2, Y. & N. O. Ry. Co. survey, \$150.

Warranty deed, T. B. Burks et ux to V. V. Preston, part of Francis Blundell survey, \$1050.

Release of deed of transfer, A. E. Hartman to T. B. Burks, et ux, lot 1 and W 1-2 of lot 2, block 9, Joe Young addition to Ranger, consideration \$750.

**AUSTIN PLANS AVIATION MEET. MOODY WILL JUDGE**

By United Press.  
AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 16.—Austin is planning an air meet to be held Sept. 4 and 5. Prizes will be offered for a list of airplane events. Governor Moody, who recently took to the air, has been invited to act as one of the judges.

### Gene Robertson Is Going Back To Majors In Fall

By BILLIE EVANS  
Gene Robertson is to come back to the big show as a member of the New York Yankees. That's a mighty good break for him.

Lest you have forgotten, Gene Robertson, after serving a half dozen years as a member of the St. Louis Browns, passed on to the minors last winter via the waiver route. In the spring, as I watched the 16 major league clubs prepare for the season, I couldn't help but wonder why Robertson was ever waived out of the majors. It struck me that a majority of the clubs could have used so capable a player, the St. Louis Browns in particular, the team that had sent him on to the bushes.

I expressed myself very forcibly on that point but the ways of baseball are often mysterious. Incidentally, I ventured the opinion that in the fall some club that had passed him up for the waiver price would be paying a fancy sum for his services.

Able to play any position in the infield, also do a turn in the outfield and boasting a big league batting average of .280, there wasn't a chance for Robertson to remain long in the minors.

**Best in that League.**  
About a month ago I bumped into four of the American association umpires. In Chicago, on an off day, they journey out to Comiskey park to see the athletes and arbitrators in action.

In discussing conditions in the association, I asked who was the best ball player in the league and in a chorus from the four umpires came the name:

"Gene Robertson! He's easily the best player in the league. How did he ever get out of the majors?"

I assured them it was tougher than a cross-word puzzle for me, for there didn't seem to be any logical way of explaining the deal that caused 15 clubs to waive on so versatile a player.

Empirical judgment on Robertson has already been vindicated without waiting for the fall sales in baseball. New York has secured his services for three players to be delivered next spring as well as \$20,000 in cash.

Manager Miller Huggins is certain to find Robertson a most valuable player because of his versatility in the field and his ability at the bat. He's a great pinch hitter.

**May Explain Release.**  
The only plausible explanation I have ever heard of Robertson's passing from St. Louis has the atmosphere of farce comedy. I am told it is the truth, but you can take it for what you believe it is worth.

Phil Ball, millionaire owner of the St. Louis Browns is of the rough and ready type. He has made his way through hard work and earnest effort. He doesn't believe in coddling anyone, a ball player least of all.

It seems Gene Robertson liked to have breakfast served in his room, which is not an uncommon habit in

these modern times. To this day, at one scrubbing, and his ears aren't as big as elephants' either.

Gossip flies fast in baseball circles. When the Browns hit a slump last season, in which Robertson went down with the rest of the club, the breakfast in bed habit of Robertson's was waived to Phil Ball's ears. "I don't want any of those pink tea guys on this ball club," Ball is reported to have said. "Any fellow who eats breakfast in his room should be in the movies. He's a heluva ball player. Get rid of him." That's just what happened.

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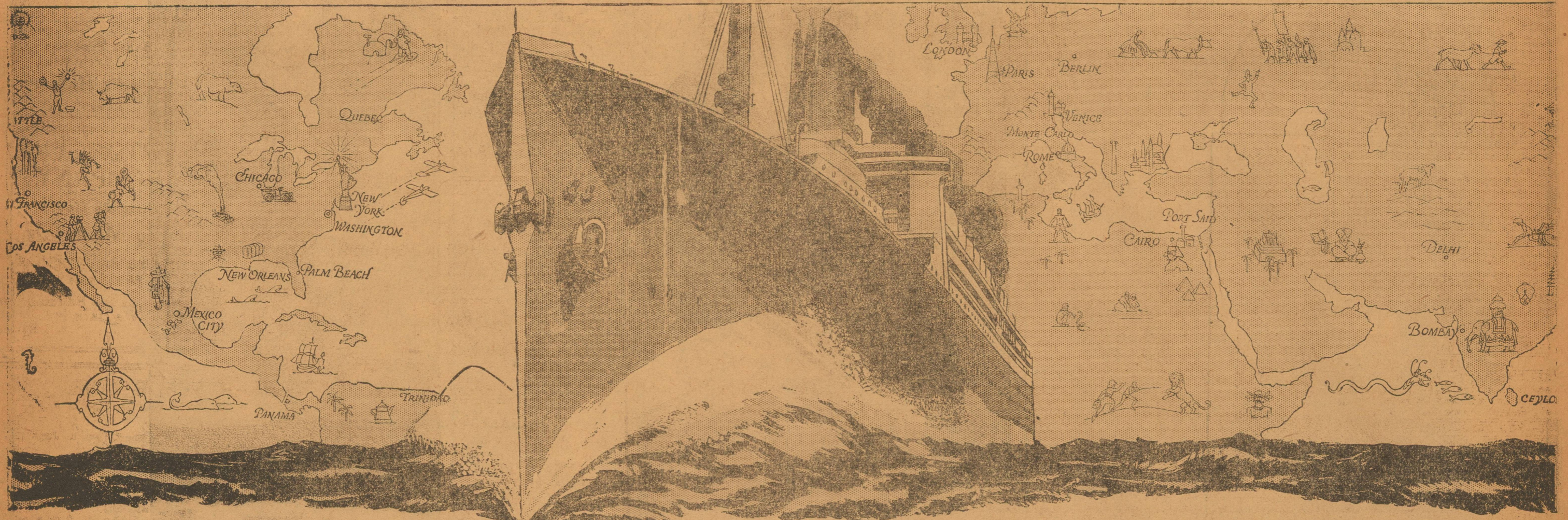
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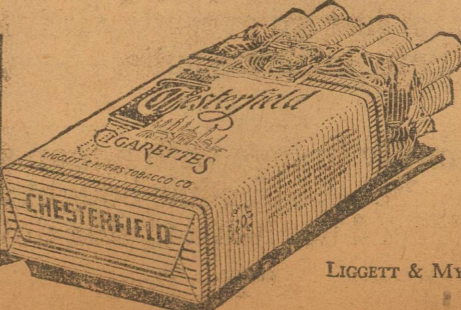
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### Grossly Offensive Language on Phone Costs Man \$10 Fine

By United Press.

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George Walker Cox, Witcherup street, New Cross, London, was fined \$10 and \$2.50 costs for using bad language on the phone.

More than 60 irate telephone operators at the New Cross exchange declared they had been annoyed for some time by "grossly offensive language" addressed to them from booths.

Cox it was said, was kept in conversation by an operator while a message was sent to a news agent near the booth, who followed Cox and took him to the police station.

He admitted having used the booth on several occasions and said he always used the same kind of talk, employing, however, that he had never employed "really obscene" language.

To add to his misfortunes, one of the allegations in the summons was "wasting electric current valued at four cents."

BUENOS AIRES (United Press).—During the first five months of 1927 a total of 65,624 immigrants entered Argentina, according to the Bureau of Immigration. Most of these came from Italy and Spain. This figure shows an increase of 23,094 over the number of immigrants that entered during the first five months of 1926.

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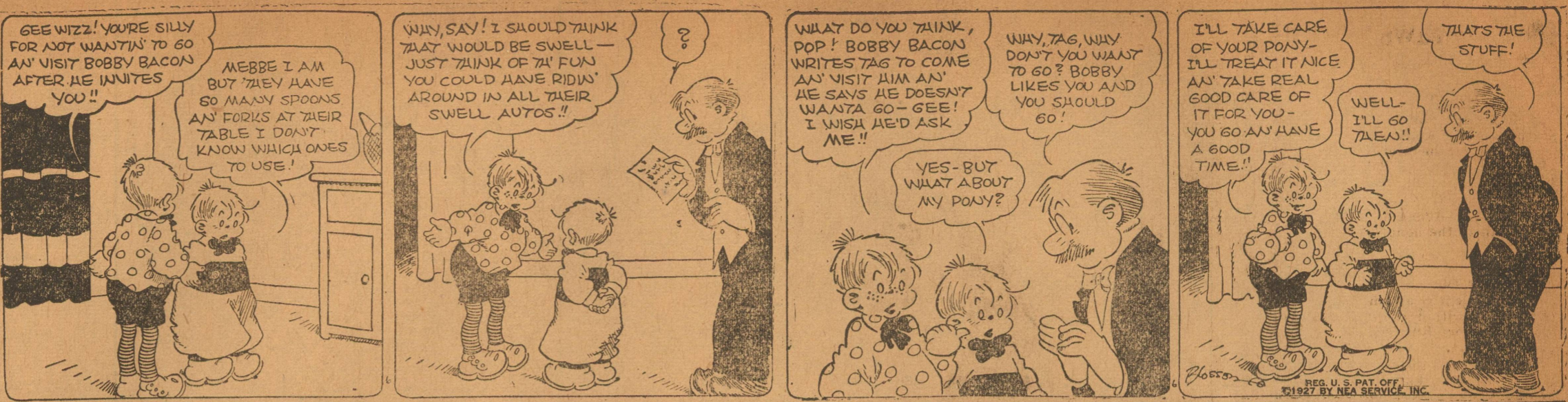
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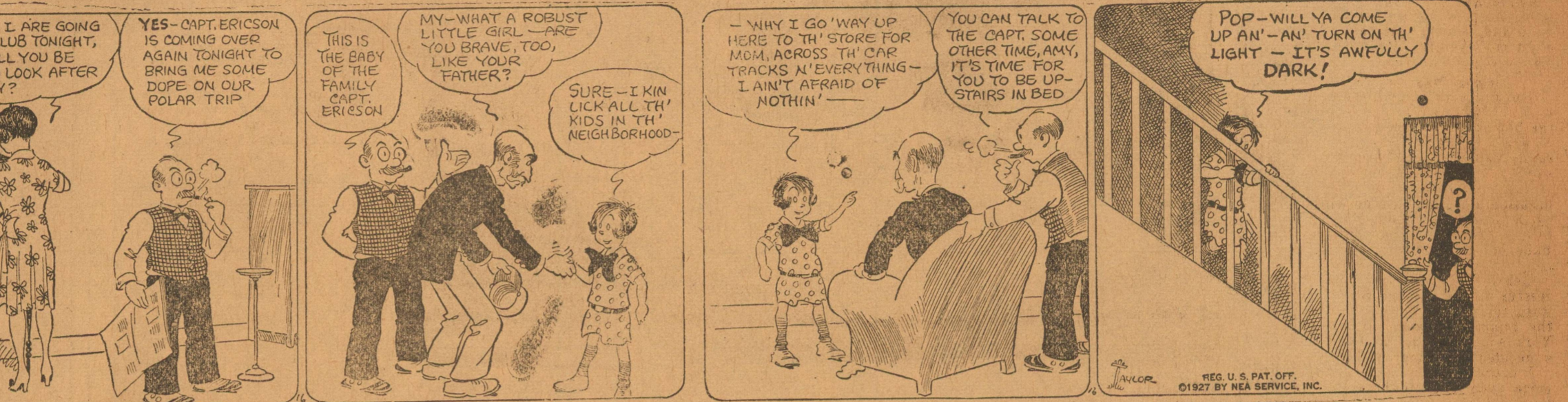
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### Mom'n Pop

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By Taylor



# Jungle Breath

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CHAPTER XLVIII

Vlak paused an instant while the droning of the priests took on a sharper, angrier note. "The rest you can probably guess. The night when we came to warn Prentiss of an attack, he hurried out to put the baby down into a stony part of the cellar where it would be absolutely safe from chance bullets. Then when I announced my plan to flood the fazenda, he realized of course that it would be drowned where it was, and went out to bring it to the tower.

"It was then that D'Albentara and a few of his men who were able to reach the house before the water struck them, caught him, having first killed the dog which was carried off by the torrent. His captors started off with him toward the jungle. But they had been on the way only a day when the baby, who had been quite sickly ever since its first terrific journey, died. This was a contingency on which D'Albentara hadn't reckoned.

"I'm beginning to understand," Elise said. "That's why Tinky disappeared, isn't it?"

"Yes. Up to this time, you hadn't entered his affairs, except for him to steal your rifles which he needed badly and to send you a note or two warning you not to try to help Prentiss. I really think he liked you very much. But seeing all his hopes of gaining part of the vast gold supply of Batalagos going glimmering unless he brought back a live baby for the sacrifice, he naturally thought of Tinky, whom chance had thrown in his way when he found it along the road.

"I am quite sure he wouldn't have done this unless he were fairly desperate. But after you stop to consider it a moment, it doesn't seem such a desperate undertaking at that. The dead baby was approximately Tinky's age and size and being light-skinned and of very fine aborigine stock, was in general appearance not unlike Tinky, who is, of course, pronouncedly dark. Besides, he could explain away any discrepancies by declaring them the work of time and travel. Though it was unlikely that he would have to do any explaining, for though Batalagos and the priests who were his friends undoubtedly know the difference, the general public wouldn't be permitted to know. So he had the child stolen in the same fashion as the guns. For obvious reasons, Tinky was taken care of on his trip and so didn't suffer the ill effects the other poor youngster did.

The angry chant became a dance. The priests began to leap up and down, shaking great gourd rattles.

"How did he—er—steal him and the guns?" the old man asked. "There were no footprints."

Merely by getting some of his men who were expert tree-climbers like these chaps we saw back in the jungle. If you remember there were trees by the shed where the guns were kept and trees shading the spot where Tinky was lying. They merely followed along the strip of woods which led to the road, let themselves down by vines or leather ropes which some of these Indians are expert handling, and with their burdens returned the same way. I felt fairly sure it was this when I found a bit of leaf on the floor of the shed which showed bruised marks as though a rope or vine had cut forcibly against it.

"I—er—see that now. But why were all those—er—Italians—and that Englishman, killed in that dreadful way? And how?"

"Tony's death was accidental. He got something which was intended for Prentiss. The other three were put out of the way because after Pasquale and Detto heard of the gold through the tortured Indian, they set out to get it. All of them were killed in a manner, Nanny, which you as a chemist should feel somewhat ashamed of yourself, as I do of myself, for not recognizing it sooner. It was curari."

Elise helped the child to crawl onto her khaki-clad knee. "What's curari?" she asked.

"A vegetable poison which occurs

spontaneously all over South America. Some natives use it to tip their blow-pipe darts in hunting."

The old man looked sheepish. "I am—er—ashamed of myself," he stammered. "Should have recognized it at once—yes—er—at once. Only poison of its kind in existence. Paralyzes all the muscles—yes—muscles—yet at the same time has no effect on nerves—er—no effect. So—er—tortured person can feel all pain acutely—er—acutely—and yet cannot make move to get away. Ashamed of myself—Quite ashamed. How did curari get into their blood."

"Thorns. There were a number of thorns in that thicket at the entrance to Prentiss' fazenda where Tony was killed which were smeared with it. They had been prepared this way on the chance that Prentiss would strike against them. But it happened to be Tony instead who brushed against them when Limey struck him and he fell. That's the way some of the natives were killed, too. Lucky for Prentiss that he went to town as seldom as he did. That's why I made you wear a rain-coat as a slight protection, for I imagined that there was something of the sort, though I didn't know just what and that's why I turned the thicket. The fingers of the idol are coated with the same poison. And so are the little points on D'Albentara's ring when you press a spring and release them. Which, of course, makes it a fearfully dangerous weapon."

The dance of the priests ceased. The worshippers began slowly drifting out of the courtyard. Prentiss stirred uneasily in his sleep.

It began to grow cool. The old man moved closer to the fire. "Er—Prentiss couldn't have told you all this. You must have known—er—much of it long before. Or you wouldn't have acted the way you did—How did you learn it? It's quite beyond me."

bone chopped in ritualistic fashion which I found in the fire, and the ring which clearly showed signs of some degenerate form of nature worship. So when Tinky's last kidnapping occurred the story in between wasn't hard to imagine."

The court was now deserted, except for four soldiers, humbly waiting to take them off to the chief's apartment for the night. Vlak stretched his long gaunt arms, and yawned.

"I don't know what anybody else is going to do, but I, personally, am going to bed. I'm pretty well worn out, and we've two or three busy days ahead getting ready to make a trek back to civilization. Prentiss tells me there's a way across the desert and mountains to Peru that's very quick and very easy once you know it, particularly if Batalagos helps. Which you can be assured I'll take care he will. You see, we've practically crossed Brazil, and in two weeks of good healthy traveling we'll be in Cuzco.

From there we can get a train to the coast, and then take a steamer to anywhere."

Elise glanced at him and shook her head in mock resignation.

"You're too clever," she said. "Much too clever to be tolerated. But I can't help being terribly grateful to you, and more than that, being awfully fond of you. I don't know what I'm going to do about it."

He yawned again, then rose to his feet, and surveyed her quizzically.

"Am I to consider that remark as cousinly, esteemed relative, or as rather in the nature of a proposal?"

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ed. "Take it anyway you like," she answered slowly.

He took a placid puff of his cigarette. "Thanks," he said suavely. "You've saved me a lot of trouble. I had just decided to do it myself."

THE END

It's a good thing Charles A. Levine had all his fallings-out before he actually started to fly back to America.

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Lv. Ranger for Breckenridge: 8 a. m., 11 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 5 p. m., 7:30 p. m. June 1.

Lv. Eastland for Breckenridge: 8:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 3:00 p. m., 5:30 p. m., 7:30 p. m.

Ar. Breckenridge: 9:30 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 4:00 p. m., 6:30 p. m., 8:30 p. m.

Lv. Breckenridge for Eastland and Ranger: 8:00 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 2:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m., 9:00 p. m.

Ranger Office: PARAMOUNT HOTEL, Phone 170 FARE \$1.00

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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., 11 p. m.

West—To Eastland, Cisco, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, 9:10 a. m., 11:10 a. m., 2:05 p. m., 6:10 p. m., 7:15 p. m., 10:50 p. m.

North—To Breckenridge at 9:15 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m. "The Direct Route."

Through Service to Abilene, Coleman

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NOTICE On and after Monday, August 15th We will be open Day and Night Central Storage Garage C. A. LOVE, Prop. Gasoline, Oils, Tires, Tubes Cars Washed and Greased

CORNS Quick relief from painful corns, tender toes and pressure of tight shoes. Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads As drug and shoe stores everywhere



### J. C. Penney Will Open New Store In Ranger Soon

Considerable interest is being manifested in the new mercantile concern soon to occupy the store at 119-21 Main street. The opening date has not been announced.

The new store will be conducted by the J. C. Penney company, operating one of the largest if not the largest multiples of department stores in the world. It has 885 stores, scattered in 46 states.

Mr. James Cash Penney founded the company in April, 1902, at Kemmerer, Wyoming, doing a gross business the first year of \$28,898.11. In 1926, twenty-four years later, the gross business amounted to \$115,632,737.86. We are told that the company estimates its business this year at approximately \$150,000,000.

Some people may receive a wrong impression of the kind of merchandise sold by the J. C. Penney company because of the founder's name. The name "Penney" is confused with the word "penny." The company handles dry goods, apparel for women, misses and girls, clothing for men, young men, youths and boys, furnishings and shoes for the whole family, notions and kindred lines.

It is plain to be seen that because of the enormous amount of merchandise required for 885 stores, their ability to buy from manufacturers is unexcelled and rarely equaled. Uniformly low selling prices are a natural outcome of the strong position the company occupies in the market.

The manager of each store selects his own goods from the stocks submitted by the company's buyers in New York, who are constantly in the market, thus being in a position continuously to provide the requirements of the people in his community.

In this respect and in many other ways, the J. C. Penney company differs from what are commonly called chain stores. Further individual efficiency is had, owing to the fact that the manager is a co-partner, owning stock in the company.

Our readers will be interested in the fact that the company never holds a sale of any kind. The selling price of an article or price of goods is fixed at the lowest possible figure the moment it is received, leaving a margin for further reduction in order to hold a sale.

The company has no charge accounts, selling for cash only and thus sustaining no losses. Another saving to customers is provided by their carrying home all purchases. Cash and carry save their customers many thousands of dollars in course of a year.

Mr. Roy W. Gilbreath, Los Vegas, N. M., will be the manager of the local store.

### Birds Destroy Boll Weevils Is Ousley Theory

If the people of this section would not destroy the birds they would not have so many boll weevils and other insects that do so much damage to cotton crops and therefore could raise more cotton, is the opinion of Judge Alvin C. Ousley of Denton, who was business visitor in Eastland Monday. Judge Ousley, expressed this opinion in conversation with friends.

Judge Ousley said that he had made considerable study of this problem, and had watched experiments where birds of all kinds were permitted to range unmolested on tracts of land, and that he had observed that the land where the birds were, produced much more cotton than similar land on which no birds were permitted.

Mule races in which the animals will be ridden by prominent Wichita Falls business men are to be a feature of this year's Texas-Oklahoma fair on Wichita Falls day, Tuesday, October 4.



C. H. DUNLAP Jeweler and Optometrist RANGER

### A New Lot

### FALL FROCKS

\$12.75 \$16.75 \$19.75



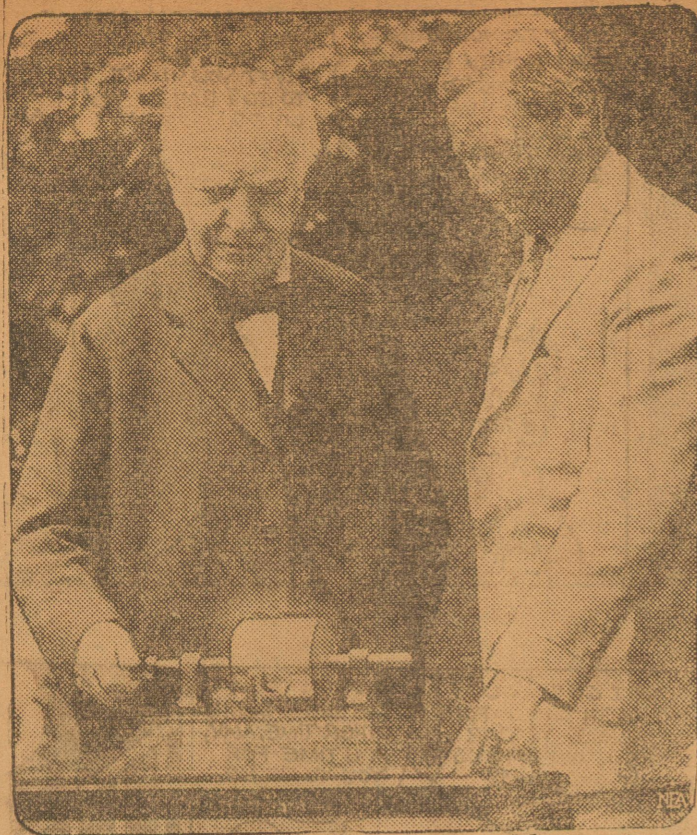
Smartly styled of satins, crepes, georgette and crepe back satins these Frocks are wonderful values at these three low prices. You'll find all the new styles and colors.

These Frocks look like much higher priced Dresses. An early selection is advisable.

### S & H STORE

Ranger, Exclusive for Ladies Texas

### Phonographer's Golden Jubilee



Thomas A. Edison explains the original phonograph to Governor A. Harry Moore of New Jersey during the celebration at West Orange commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of its invention. Edison made his initial talk over the radio on this occasion, reciting "Mary's Little Lamb," which constituted the first phonograph record.

### Dennis Auto Works Will Be Reopened For Business Soon

Joe Dennis, owner of the Dennis Auto Works, Ranger, which was almost totally destroyed by fire on Friday afternoon, announces that he will open up for business just as soon as the adjusters for the insurance companies come and make their inspections and the building is put in shape.

The adjusters are expected in Ranger today. Mr. Dennis said he had always heard that "when it rained, it poured" and he knew it was true, for last week he had an infected foot that made him have to resort to crutches and was also burned out.

### American Legion Plans Big Time At Abilene Meeting

Great pleasure is anticipated by the members of Carl Barnes post No. 69, who are planning to leave Ranger Thursday evening at 4:30 o'clock for Abilene to participate in a "feed" with members of the Ballinger and Stamford posts. There will be free transportation provided for those who do not have any conveyance and those who can furnish a car and make the trip are asked to communicate with Post Commander Felton Brashier, so that arrangements for transportation may be simplified as much as possible.

Your old wedding ring made over new, in white gold or platinum overed and engraved. See

### Pfaeffle

Made-to-Measure Suits Yes, we can take your order for a suit and guarantee a fit. See us.

POPULAR TAILORS 103 So. Rusk Ranger

SPECIAL SALE ON FANS Straight or oscillating at \$4.50 and up. Gas and electric appliances.

DANSKER GAS & ELECTRIC STORE 117 So. Rusk St.

### Fort Worth Will Enter Float In Ranger Jubilee

The Fort Worth Record-Telegram this morning gave Ranger's Home-Coming and Oil Jubilee a seven-column banner on the front page of the second section, and the following story:

"A delegation of Fort Worth citizens, a band and decorated float will represent this city in the two-day celebration of the tenth anniversary of the discovery of oil in Eastland county to take place in Ranger Oct. 21-22. A. B. Spencer, secretary-manager of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, announced yesterday.

"A committee will be appointed early in September to make plans for Fort Worth's participation in the band event, Spencer said.

"It is very probable that Fort Worth will be seen in the festivities in the form of a decorated float and a band," he continued, "although the band to be sent and the motif of the float have not been selected."

"Neighboring cities have been invited by Ranger to send delegations and floats typifying characteristic industries. The event is being planned by the Ranger Chamber of Commerce. It will commemorate the discovery of oil in Eastland county, Oct. 21, 1917.

"If the delegation of Fort Worth is large enough a motorcade may be formed here to make the trek to Ranger," Spencer said.

Ranger is already beginning to get quite a bit of newspaper publicity over its coming celebration. The Abilene Daily News recently played the event up most splendidly on its front page and a large number of state papers are carrying stories about it and manifesting an interest in the coming jubilee.

GENERAL CORD TIRES "Go a Long Way to Make Friends" Simmons Service Station Phone 42 Ranger

### Lifts His Wings



Captain Leslie Hamilton (above) and Colonel F. F. Minchin, British airmen, plan to take wing from Clifden, Ireland, to New York. On their return trip they plan to fly to Vienna, thus establishing a new distance mark. A plane escort will accompany the flyers from the Irish coast far out to sea.

ANOTHER VALUE Ladies' Felt House Slippers 45c pair All colors and sizes THE FAIR, Inc. "BEST VALUES FOR LESS" Main at Rusk Ranger, Texas

### SHOE FITTING

There are men who have sold shoes for years yet they can't correctly fit a shoe. Here you are fitted by men who have made a study of shoe fitting and know how to do it correctly. "Our Shoes Must Fit" is not merely a slogan, it's our liberal guarantee.

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### Automobile Stolen From Ranger Man Is Found Burned

The charred and stripped remains of a Chrysler car stolen from Tom Colburn, Spring road, Ranger, have been found in the brush off the old Desdemona road.

The car is said to be a total loss. Everything removable had been taken from the car before it was fired and it is reported to be a total loss.

Get a Eugene Wave at our Beauty Shoppe. STAFFORD DRUG CO. Ranger

Our Telephone Number is 40—call us if you want the best in cleaning and pressing. Modern Dry Cleaning Plant 309 Main St. Ranger

NUNN BUSH SHOES FOR MEN Ankle Fashion \$7.45, \$8.95 and \$10

J. C. SMITH Popular Priced Store Ranger, Texas

### 20 Dozen ALLEN A SILK CHIFFON HOSIERY

On Sale 75c pair

Silk extends well above the knee.



A lovely, pure silk hose for every frock and every occasion. These hose are ankle shaped, for trim appearance. With a silken sole, to go with low slippers. And the narrow garter hem has an invisible, positive run-stop. Truly, this is the opportunity for you to "stock-up" on hose for weeks of future wear. All the latest shades.

### THE COLORS

- BLONDETTTE ATMOSPHERE CHAMPAGNE WATER LILY ROSE BLUSH OPAL GREY PEACHBLOOM PASTEL AND SHELL

JOSEPH DRY GOODS CO. RANGER'S FOREMOST DEPARTMENT STORE RANGER, TEXAS

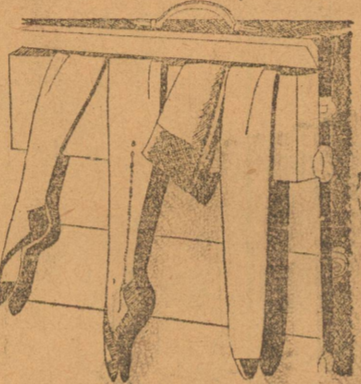
### LINDBERGH RESTING WITH ST. LOUIS PALS

By United Press. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 16.—Back home from his triumphant tour of the east in the interest of aviation, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh rested today among his former friends and army mates.

After a dinner and an informal reception Lindbergh will take off for Kansas City tomorrow.

### HOSE

We have one lot of "Black Bottom" Hose that we have reduced the price on while they last to \$1.59



\$1 to \$2.95

All the new styles and colors in Phoenix, Cadet and Nursing Hose.

The Cadet features the Van Dyke heel and toe and we are showing some mighty pretty numbers at

SIX BRANCHES IN TEXAS THE Boston Store THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER P. O. DRAWER 8 PHONE 50

### LAMB -:- CONNELLEE Ranger Eastland

Today and Tomorrow



The theft of a million dollar sapphire. The flight of the gallant "Beau" Geste and his two brothers under shadow of disgrace to Africa to save the honor of an English lady and her beautiful niece. The wild career of the Gestes in the Foreign Legion! Picture what's in store for you in this one!

### BANKRUPT SALE

The items here named are worthy of your consideration. They are priced far below their actual value. Nowhere can they be equaled.

LADIES CHIFFON HOSE—Pure thread silk from top to toe in all the wanted light colors of the season, specially priced

98c

AN EXCEPTIONAL VALUE IN SILKS—Extra weight and quality in fine flat crepes, satin back crepes in desirable shades. Shown in solids, neat figures and stripes. All 40-inches wide, values up to \$3.50 per yard, Bankrupt Sale Prices, per yard

\$1.95

GOOD VALUES IN TOWELS—Either Turkish or Huck, good weight and size, price, per dozen

\$1.98

SQUIBB'S TOOTHPASTE—Regular 45c tube, Bankrupt price, 3 tubes for

\$1.00

J. M. White & Co. Bankrupt Stock