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FLYER ARRIVES AT PARIS

LOUISIANA FARMERS IGNORE WARNING OF IMPENDING FLOOD

ENGINEERS SAY LEVEE SURE TO BREAK

Two Million Acres Of Rich Land Threatened If Levee Break Comes

By United Press.
NEW ORLEANS, La., May 21.—Fifty thousand residents of Point Coupee parish today ignored warning of flood engineers, refusing to leave their homes until the expected break in the Atchafalaya river levee actually occurs. Only 220 have left the threatened territory, most of them women and children, according to Red Cross headquarters at Baton Rouge.

Rapid evacuation of Cajon farmers is under way in the Teche country, reports said. Wagons piled high with furniture and household equipment are moving in endless procession toward Lafayette, La. Behind the teams driven by the farm women, follow the men with droves of cattle.

The levee at McCrae, on the Atchafalaya was still holding late today although engineers said it was sure to give way and inundate Point Coupee parish.

A fleet of 100 trucks waited to assist in the evacuation of residents who can be persuaded to move to safety.

The coast guard boats are concentrated on the Old and Mississippi rivers on the edge of the parish. They are ready to part water, which levee men expect to cover the farms of the valley.

Extent of the territory now threatened by floods is estimated at two million acres. It includes parts of five parishes. Lower St. Martin and parts of Iberville parish have already been flooded by waters creeping from Atchafalaya basin and engineers said nothing could stop the advance of this flood.

ANDREWS IS OFFERED BIG JOB, SAYS NO

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, May 21.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews today refused a \$15,000 a year job to head the association against impure liquor.

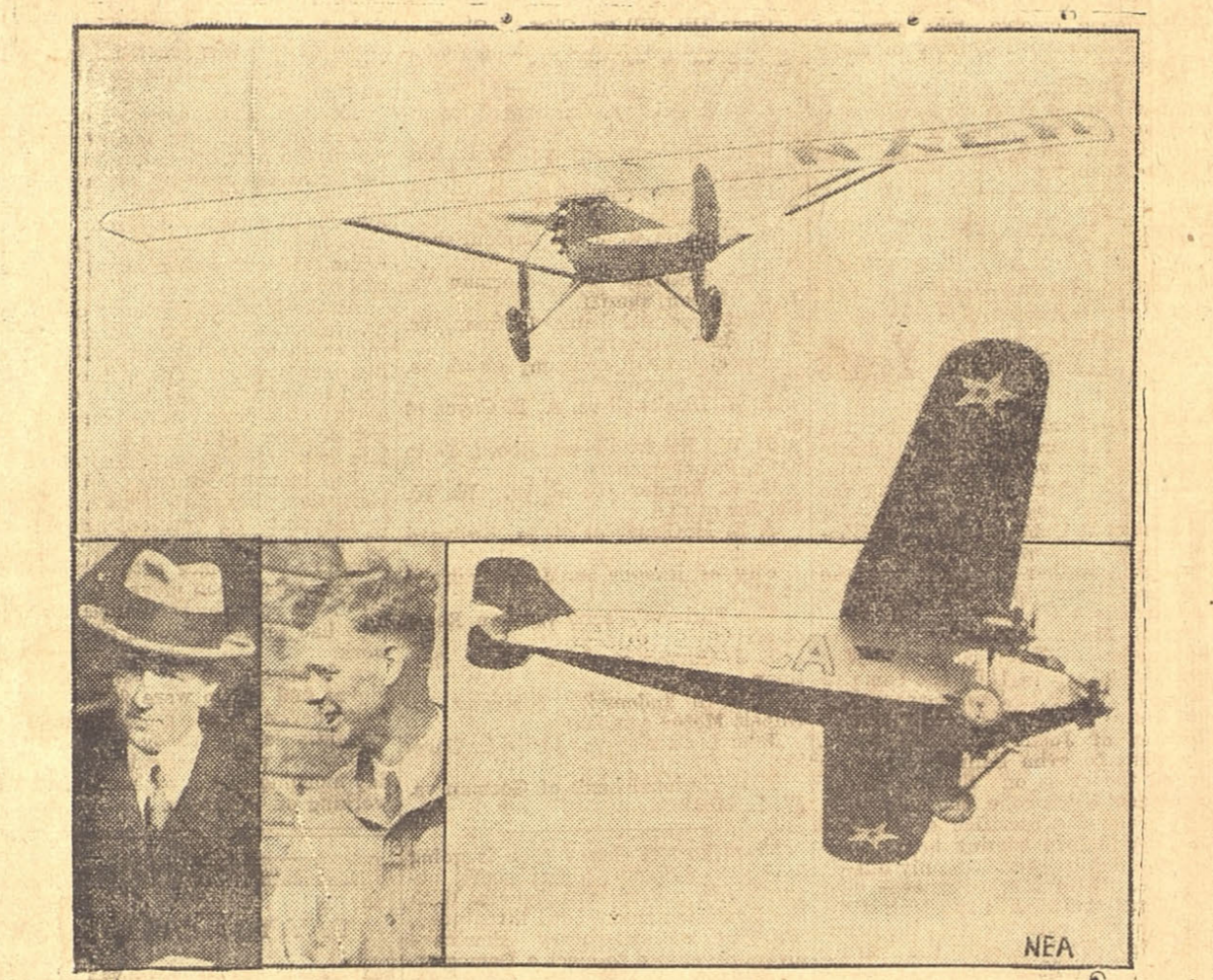
Andrews said Charles Capchart, president of the association had offered such a position but he did not even consider it seriously. He said that when he retires from the treasury post he has no desire to be with any organization involved in prohibition matters.

RAILROAD COMMISSION POSTPONES HEARINGS

By United Press.
AUSTIN, May 21.—The Railroad Commission has postponed from June 14 to July 12, the hearing to consider the matter of the revision of a minimum charge on less than carload shipments.

Postponement from June 14 to June 20 was ordered in the hearing to be held at Brownsville to consider the petition of the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce for the restoration of trains No. 119 and No. 120 between Brownsville and Mission.

Byrd and Lindbergh Spread Their Wings



Above is seen a picture of Captain Charles Lindbergh's Ryan monoplane in which he made his sensational and historical non-stop flight from New York to Paris. Probably no other flight in all history has attracted so much attention in America and abroad as has this one of Captain Lindbergh. And of course it required just such a colorful character as Charles Lindbergh to add interest to the adventure. Ten days ago this daring youth was hardly known outside of flying circles. But in the short space of less than thirty-six hours he has become known around the world.

Eastland County Federation Presents Retiring Head Gift

Mrs. Phillip Pettitt, of Cisco, retiring president of the Eastland county federation, at the final meeting of the federation at Cisco on Saturday afternoon, was presented with a lovely watch by the members of the federation as a token of their appreciation of her most successful administration.

Plans for placing a granite sign at the beginning and ending of Eastland county on the Bankhead highway, as a perpetual guide to tourists was discussed, and much other business of a constructive nature filled the closing program to brimful.

Miss Ruth Ramey was present and made a plea that the club women help make a market for the many things that the rural club women raise and make during the year. Miss Ramey reported that in addition to canned fruits and vegetables of the highest type, these women did Italian work, tanning and many other beautiful things in need of work, that should find a ready market. The club agreed to help market these things.

Working hand in hand with this idea, the federation then voted to pay the expenses of one boy and girl to the A. & M. short course this summer, and not satisfied with that, they gave a money prize received by them at Ozona for the best club report, to Miss Ramey, to be used as a prize in her club work.

The resignation of Mrs. A. L. Duffer as corresponding secretary was accepted and Mrs. R. H. Hodges was appointed to that office, and Mrs. J. M. White to that of vice president, in place of Mrs. Guy Cummings, resigned.

The program was on the American home and was led by Mrs. M. H. Hagaman of Ranger. The Ranger high school music club gave several pretty selections, which were followed by a most graphic account of the federation meeting of the Sixth district at Ozona, by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, the federation delegate. Mrs. Hagaman gave an address on the American home, which proved with out a doubt that it is the very backbone of the American or any other nation.

Mrs. Wilson of Cisco, told what labor saver electrical appliances are in the home, and in her address she made the assertion that in Eastland county alone 900 oil wells are pumped by electricity.

Mrs. Phillip Pettitt gave a paper on magazines in the home, and said that a survey of a number of the leading newspapers in Dallas revealed the fact that the American Magazine was the best seller in that city.

Mrs. Garvin Chastain of Ranger, talked on the influence of early home life on the child. The impressions that are made on the child and the necessity of parental example.

The meeting was well attended and brought to a successful close one of the best years the county federation has known so far.

The closing actions that were taken, launching several new projects such as helping club boys and girls, and rural women is conclusive evidence why the Eastland county federation brought home the prize for the best club report, inasmuch as its work is always constructive.

COOLIDGE GOES OVER VACATION SITES OFFERED

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, May 21.—President Coolidge conferred today with Senator Norbeck, republican, of South Dakota, on accommodations offered him for a summer White House in the Black Hills. The President queried Norbeck on arrangements he could make should he decide to accept the South Dakota offer.

The site offered the President is the state game lodge 14 miles from Custer and 30 miles from Rapid City.

Quantity of Beer Seized Near Pioneer, Friday

Members of Sheriff John Hart's department Friday raided a place near Pioneer, and took three or four hundred bottles of beer and a truck load of paraphernalia for manufacturing beer. A man was arrested and left with the officers at Pioneer for the purpose of allowing him to make bond.

Klan Meeting Is Interrupted By Threatening Note

By United Press.
DALLAS, May 21.—A piece of scrap iron with a note attached was hurled into the Ku Klux Klan meeting last night during a meeting in Fort Worth, Shelby Cox, grand dragon said today. The missile struck one of the members on the leg injuring him painfully, Cox said.

The note read, "We will give you 20 days to get out or we will use twice as much dynamite on this building as we did on the Klan hall. We are tired of your getting into other persons business."

"Signed: 'The Blacks'."

The Klan hall was bombed two years ago Cox said.

Sheriff's Wife Holds Prisoners At Point of Gun

By United Press.
CHILDRESS, May 21.—Mrs. John Compton, wife of Sheriff John Compton, held five negro prisoners at the point of a gun, after one of them had thrown pepper in her husband's eyes, thus preventing an escape today. There were two negroes held under murder charges among the five.

FORMER DRY CZAR TEXAS PROMOTED

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, May 21.—Steps to complete the new federal prohibition enforcement organization following the greatest shake up of the dry forces in Volstead history were taken tonight when the new commissioner of prohibition, J. M. Doran, named Major H. H. White as his assistant.

Appointment of White, former dry administrator of Texas and move recently for District of Columbia is expected to be approved without delay by Secretary Treasurer Mellon.

Meanwhile, assistant Secretary Andrews who organized the prohibition army reinforcement was making plans to revert his field chieftains from returning when he leaves the service for private business on Aug. 1.

LEVENSON OF SAN ANTONIO AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPION

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, May 21.—Lewis Levenson of San Antonio this afternoon was crowned new Texas amateur golf champion. He defeated Clarence Hubby of Waco 3 up and 2 to play.

Lucky Lindbergh Collapses As Ship Halts on French Soil

Thirty Thousand People thronged LaBourget Field to Witness Landing of The American. Many Were Injured in the Mad Rush to get to the Flyer, and His Plane was Picked up by the Admiring Crowds and Carried Across the Airdome. Men, Women and Children Rush Frantically by Guards Merely to Lay Hands on the First Plane to Make the Non-Stop Flight Across the Atlantic.

LA BOURGET, France, May 21.—Capt. Chas Lindbergh landed on French soil at 10:21 o'clock tonight. The young American, flying alone in a single motored monoplane had accomplished that never achieved by man before, crossing the Atlantic from New York to Paris without a stop.

The world was thrilled by the audacity of the 25-year-old mail pilot who staked his life on his one motor and sturdy little monoplane against the 3600 miles of land and seas.

Thousands of excited wildly cheering French and Americans gathered at La Bourget to pay homage to the American and the news was flashed by cable and wireless across continents and seas while millions waited for word of his success.

A crowd of nearly 30,000 swarmed out on the field when the silver gray plane came within range on the field lights and was seen swinging in circles over La Bourget preparing to land. "Lucky" Lindbergh's plane came out of the darkness without lights and steered unerringly for its goal as it bumped to the ground, aswelling roar went up from the crowds and thousands gazed excitedly up to it as it taxied to the far side of the airdome and halted. He was all in after his thirty-three and one half hours in the little cockpit of his plane and without sleep watching his instruments and listening to the beat of his motor across the stretches of the Atlantic.

His magnificent task complete he had no energy left. As the plane came to a stop, he released the control he had held so long and slipped to the floor of the cockpit exhausted.

The crowd cheering and fighting to assist the aviator began to push the plane toward the lights where he could be attended to. The scene was indescribable.

Men, women and children were hysterical as they swept past guards and broke down barriers to reach the plane. Even the privilege of touching the fuselage of the ship that had made the historic voyage was sought and the crowd fought to lay a hand on it.

Many were knocked down and trampled in the rush and many injuries were reported. Lindbergh, after the first reaction from his fall, recovered somewhat and raised himself, he smiled, perhaps for the first time since he said good-bye to his well wishers in New York and his mouth always ready for a smile, curved up as he essayed a grain, and said: "So this is Paris."

He looked at the throng of friends, faces and added simply, "I did it."

The demonstration continued unchecked and finally a hundred hands seized the plane and the crowd acting like people demented, raised the heavy monoplane from the ground, shouldered it and carried it in triumph across the field.

Lindbergh left Roosevelt field, near New York, at 7:51 a. m., Friday, and made the trip in 33 1/2 hours (unofficial time). He performed a feat that has tempted the world's foremost aviators for eight years and cost several lives.

Unlike those who planned the attempt after elaborate preparations and in multi-motored machines, the young Lindbergh started across the Atlantic with a nonchalance that the average man assumes in crossing the street.

When his plane was made in San Diego, he flew it to New York, stopping only briefly in it at St. Louis, where the monoplane was christened "Spirit of St. Louis."

When the weather was right he filled it with gas and oil, thrust a few sandwiches and hot chocolate and water into his seat with him and started across the Atlantic, announcing confidently, "I'll be in Paris tomorrow."

In America they call him "Lucky" Lindbergh, and tonight the name was on every tongue.

Lindbergh's farewell to the land of the western hemisphere, was just one more characteristic touch of the dramatic. It was at St. John's, Newfoundland.

The harbor is guarded by two great hills, separated by narrow canyons, scarcely 200 feet wide. Lindbergh swooped low over the harbor, and instead of topping these hills, headed straight for the canyon and down the narrow gorge not more than 100 feet below the peak of the higher hill. Then he turned eastward and was away at terrific speed. He had given St. John's its thrill.

While this act was theatrical it was reassuring. Some 1200 miles of flying hadn't disturbed the taught nerves of lucky Lindbergh. He still was his audacious self.

His motor was functioning. There was nothing wrong. From then on all the millions cheering this adventure could do was to assume that he was flying on and on, his feet and hands on his control, his eyes on his instruments, listening to the drone of his motor, ad fighting against his one great enemy, sleep.

Those who have fought sleep behind the wheel of an automobile, rolling along a clear smooth highway, lulled by the rhythm of a perfect motor, can realize in a small way what the aviator might be fighting. But there is a difference.

Lindbergh knew that in the lapse of a minute, sleep might gain the upper hand and that meant certain disaster. He had no passenger beside him to keep his attention, or arouse him should he nod.

Lindbergh Is Taken to Home Of Ambassador

By United Press.
PARIS, May 21.—Captain Chas. Lindbergh was taken secretly tonight to the home of Myron T. Herrick, American Ambassador to France. Rooms had been reserved for him at two separate hotels but it was feared nothing could assure him privacy from worshiping Paris crowds.

At Herrick's home he insisted on having a bath before he'd eat or sleep.

LINDBERGH WELCOMED TO FRANCE

By United Press.
PARIS, May 21.—French and American flags fluttering from every flag pole at Le Bourget field beckoned Charles Lindbergh to Paris this evening. Red and green signal lights surrounding the field were lighted shortly after 6 p. m. French time, 1 p. m. Eastern daylight savings time.

The crowd at the field was increasing again after having scattered before a brief storm. Workmen arrived and set up three powerful projectors brought from Paris to help Lindbergh find his way.

Hot Cognac, a little whiskey and the finest apartment in Paris awaited Captain Charles Lindbergh in Paris. Dr. A. L. Hipwell, chairman of the American Chapter of the National Aeronautical association, told the United Press of plans to minister to the flyer's physical comfort.

"Every little detail has been arranged for the comfort of this boy," said Hipwell. "We want to insure two things, first that his mother will be sure he is well cared for and second that his arrival will only strengthen Franco-American friendship."

Bellanca Flight Is Again Called Off By Pilot

By United Press.
ROOSEVELT FIELD, New York, May 21.—A hundred gallons of gasoline emptied from the Bellanca monoplane exploded here tonight. The Bellanca plane had just been hauled about 100 feet from the scene of the explosion, which was attended by flames and tremendous clouds of smoke.

"It's the Bellanca plane," shouted thousands of people there to see a trans-Atlantic take-off.

Police battled the crowd, which ran in all directions and the smoke covered the whole field of vision for a mile from the Fokker hangar.

The Bellanca flight was called off again tonight after all preparations had been made for the taking off at 8 p. m., Clarence D. Chamberlain, pilot, announced at the gangway, that he would not leave tonight and probably not in the morning.

BELLANCA STARTS TUNING UP, THEN DELAYS FLIGHT

ROOSEVELT FIELD, N. Y., May 21.—A flurry of excitement was caused here today when it was announced the Bellanca plane, Columbia would start for Paris at dawn. Mechanics started working on the plane which has been held to the ground by an injunction for several days. It was reported Lieutenant George R. Pond, U. S. N., retired had been selected to fly with Clarence Chamberlain.

LIKE TO SPEND THIS SUMMER IN GALVESTON? HERE'S CHANCE

A round-trip ticket to Galveston, plus Pullman fare, is the tempting bait that the Ranger Times and the Eastland Telegram is offering "go-getters." It will solve the vacation problem for those who will put forth a little effort, for all that is to be done is to turn in \$75 in new subscriptions to either of the two papers. Rural or city subscriptions will both count and the contest starts Monday morning.

The prize is well worth the little effort that it will take to get the coveted amount and the ticket is good for three months if so desired.

The contest is in charge of the circulation departments of the two papers, and those who wish to enter should not let any grass grow under their feet, but wade right in and go to work.

Both papers have large circulation and are well known not only in Eastland county but all over the state and out of the state, so it's not going to be hard to earn a prize in this contest.

See the circulation managers of the two papers early Monday and begin to buy a bathing suit, beach clothes and all the other good clothes that a vacation calls for, for what one saves on fare, can be put on clothes or on expenses while in Galveston.

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FROM THE BIBLE
 Our Inheritance—The Lord knoweth the days of the upright; and their inheritance shall be for ever. Psalm 37:18.

Prayer—My defense is of God who saveth the upright in heart.

ADVERSITY.
 Why is it that people complain so loudly and impatiently at adversity when it is the one channel through which so much of human progress and attainment is reached?

There are few people who cannot at one time or another be heard to complain about the adversities of life. Complaining over disappointment seems to be human nature for we are all given to the practice in greater or less degree.

The adversities of life should be met with a smile rather than frowned upon and complained about. But there are truly few of us who are able, few of us who are strong and brave enough to welcome even the slightest adversity.

It is adversity that builds strong human character, or that helps to develop such a character. Character building, which is the greatest task of any individual cannot be accomplished except through the experience of meeting and overcoming adversities. The road to a strong character, the road to highest accomplishment, does not lie along the rosy path. We must cross the slough of despond, we must fathom the ocean of disappointment, we must scale the mountain of difficulty.

No battle is won without a fight. A mountain that can be climbed without effort holds nothing worth while at its summit. An achievement that can be gained without a struggle has no sweet reward. The more difficulties overcome in scaling the mountain, the more pleasant will be found the view at the top. The more disappointments we leave behind us in accomplishing a purpose the sweeter will be the reward.

The path of least resistance never leads to the greenest fields—it never leads to the greatest rewards.

The development of character may be likened to the growth of plant life. A tender pot plant can be developed in one short season provided it is given plenty of care and attention and is not subjected to any setbacks. But it takes years of defying the tempests and drouths to develop the sturdy oak.

A man once accompanied his son to college and asked the president of the institution how long it would take to develop or educate the boy. The college head replied that it depended altogether what was to be made of him. He said they could make a squash of him in a few months but if a sturdy oak was wanted it would require years of hard work.

You no doubt have heard something like this from a fond mother: "I don't want my child to be a hot-house plant."

But why should such be applied only to children. Adults are confronted with just as much of a task in developing their own characters as will be found in directing the proper development of a child. By no means is a strong character developed at the end of childhood. It is a long, tedious process that ends with life.

A man or woman, at the age of maturity may be endowed with a strong character developed by parental direction. But the tensile strength of this character requires frequent testing, else it will weaken. If grownups will watch more closely the strengthening and development of their own characters they might find less difficulty in the development of character in children.

ANSWERS TO FRIDAY'S QUESTIONS:
 1. Hubert Work.
 2. Assistant secretary of state.
 3. Arizona, Delaware, New Mexico, Nevada and Wyoming.
 4. Department of agriculture.
 5. Finis J. Garrett.
 6. Morris Sheppard and Earle B. Mayfield.
 7. Tuesdays and Fridays.
 8. No.
 9. Two years.
 10. Yes.

"Dot" on Stand



Dorothy Mackaye, comedienne, is shown as she testified at the trial of Paul Kelly, movie juvenile, for the murder of her husband, Ray Raymond. Raymond died after a fist fight with Kelly. The actress testified that Kelly wrote her endearing letters, but that they were "just friends."

Girls Stranded In Shanghai Say Play Shy of China

SHANGHAI.—Shanghai in transition is the bunk, if you ask Tess Gordon, or any other member of the revue that came out to China three months ago to play in a night club in Shanghai and whose act has been crabbied by a lot of things.

Chief among these grievances is the war and on a par, they say, with the conflict is the attitude of the cafe manager who gave them nothing but notice they were through. "Stay home, girls," is the advice Tess and Bernie and Rena have to give. "If you insist on coming to see the Big World, get it in writing and c.i.f.—cash in fist. No foolin'."

"We thought we'd at least get passage out of it," Tess related her tale dolefully. "But the manager says nothing doing. So I guess we'll have to shift for ourselves. I could wire home for money—and may have to do it yet."

"We asked the American Consulate about it and they said they could do nothing about us. If we go absolutely something. But I guess we won't do broke, I suppose they'll have to do that."

Tess thinks she may go on down to Manila, where things are not so turbulent. Bernie and Nita have friends in Shanghai and they're sailing for home before long if the manager does not fix it up. So they are all right. The others are in bad way for the moment.

"Something will turn up, I guess," Tess added. "Bernie and Rita are all fixed up. But all I know is poor newspaper men." The laughter was general.

Leading Chinese Are Educated In U. S. Universities

SHANGHAI.—Returned students from American universities are playing a large part in the nationalist revolution, as evidenced by their numbers in the ranks of officials.

One of these has been made commissioner for foreign affairs in Shanghai. His name is Quo Tai-chi, a graduate of Pennsylvania university, an intimate friend of Eugene Chen, the Hankow foreign minister. Quo speaks perfect English. He is a young man—as most of these enthusiastic revolutionists are—being about 35 at the most.

T. V. Soong, minister of finance, is a Harvard man, and so is Dr. C. in Shanghai. C. C. Wu, son of the Yang, chairman of the Kuomintang former Chinese minister to Washington, is another. Wu was formerly foreign minister in Canton and, it is said, aspires for the same post in the new nationalist government, once China is unified under the banner of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen. Madame Sun Yat-sen, now in Hankow, was educated in America. She is a charming woman, yet in her thirties, who, they say, finds life not altogether free because she is regarded with such reverence as the wife of the man whose principles rule the Cantonese movement.

Short Skirts To Be Given Taboo At British Court

LONDON.—Short skirts and sleeveless and backless gowns will continue on the taboo list for the royal court this year.

The lord chamberlain has announced that the first two courts this year will be held on the 24th and 25th of May, while the final courts will be held on the 21st and 22nd of June.

Printed leaflets have been issued by the lord chamberlain's office for the guidance of new comers. Although no mention was made of short skirts and the length of sleeves or cut of the backs of the gowns at court, Queen Mary's tastes in dress have always been known to be opposed in the extreme to brief sleeves and skirts and it is improbable that anyone will venture to appear at the presentations in such dress.

The passing of the long train during the past few years was the greatest relief to many women who had even a heroic present in a dress that led to a constant fear of tripping at the moment one was before the king and queen. Now the train measures not more than two yards and must not extend more than 18 inches from the wearer's heels when standing.

Another latitude which will be allowed this year is that of the shoes and stockings. Previously no matter what color gown was chosen, white shoes and stockings had to be worn. The new rules which permit choice of footwear are, no doubt, welcomed by those who are not particularly anxious to draw unnecessary attention to nature's generosity in dealing out foot inches.

It is expected this year, as usual, that Americans will be the best represented among the foreigners. Many of the European nations have courts of their own to which they can be presented, while the republics of the Continent appear to take their democracy more seriously and foreign royalty with less curiosity than Americans.

WOMAN AND BABY DIE AT RANGER HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. H. Hawthorne and baby of Ranger died last night just before midnight at the City-County hospital in Ranger. At a late hour funeral arrangements had not been made.

LAREDO.—Construction of new 16-inch gas line from Refugio and Webb county gas field to start soon.

PLAINS.—\$400,000 bond issue is voted for paving the highway from here to Fort Worth.

Ranger Man Gets Copy Inter-Ocean From Editor Son

J. A. Coughlin, son of P. J. Coughlin of Ranger, who until recently has been editor of a Chinese paper in Shanghai, has sent home to his parents a copy of a very beautiful magazine named "Inter-Ocean."

The Inter-Ocean is a dutch East Indian magazine, covering Malaysia and Australia and is published with a view of interesting foreign countries more in the Malay countries in Asia.

It is intensely interesting and breathes the romance of Java, at the same time giving some splendid illustrations of building and rivers as well as engravings of some of the dark-skinned people who have their background a country of many yesterdays.

Mr. Coughlin Sr. said that he had not had a letter from his son for several months and did not know he had left China until he received the "Inter-Ocean."

Paris Sister of Mercy Stays In Prison 46 Years

PARIS.—Forty-six years in the prisons of France, not for punishment, but to give solace to the punished is the sacrifice which won the Cross of the Legion of Honor for Mademoiselle Gabrielle Claudine Chabot, better known as Sister Marie-Perpetue, mother-superior of the nuns ministering to the famous Saint Lazare prison for women.

Sister Marie-Perpetue served in the prisons of Doullens, Montpellier and Rouen, and in 1902 she came to Paris, or rather to Saint-Lazare, for her Paris is Saint-Lazare. When Minister of Justice Barthou personally went to grim Saint-Lazare and pinned the cross on Sister Marie-Perpetue's black robe, she only said: "I made the sacrifice of my life long ago before coming here. Since then there is no sacrifice, only duty."

It was Sister Marie-Perpetue who comforted the famous spy Mata-Hari and remained with her until the beautiful Mata-Hari faced the firing squad. Sister Marie-Perpetue knows only too well the other side of that "gay Paris."

Every morning at dawn unhappy women are unloaded at her door from the "salad basket" the French "Black Maria."

Civil Cases Set For Trial in 91st District Court

The following non-jury civil cases appear on the docket of the Ninety-first district court and have been set for trial by Judge George L. Davenport for the week beginning Monday, May 23:

Hagaman Refining company vs. Gustafson & Spencer.
 The Ranger Independent School District vs. County School Trustees.
 J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. Lionel Moise.
 J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. R. J. Hodges.
 City of Ranger vs. A. L. Talbot et al.
 Heid Bros. Mercantile company vs. Lone Star Gas company.
 The Texas company vs. J. D. Gholson et al.
 E. L. Woods vs. O. M. Rogers.
 National Supply company vs. Irving J. Sturges et al.
 Cisco Oil Mill vs. City of Cisco.
 Eastland Brokerage & Supply company vs. W. S. Hinds et al.
 Joe Norton vs. B. O. Todd.
 Root & Fehl vs. Cardinal Oil company.
 Perry Oil company vs. C. B. McBrye et al.
 First State bank, Eastland, vs. W. T. Scott Kretz.
 S. W. Ruff vs. J. D. Barton, sheriff.
 First National bank, Gorman vs. J. D. Barton, sheriff.
 J. D. Barton, sheriff, Gorman, vs. J. D. Barton, sheriff.
 Associated Oil company et al. vs. States Oil corporation.
 J. W. Blackwell vs. A. B. Cayce et al.
 J. W. Blackwell vs. Rotan State bank, garnishment.
 C. Bender et al. vs. W. W. Bender et al.
 J. E. McCleary et al. vs. Brainard Petroleum company.
 City of Ranger vs. J. E. Milford et al.
 The State of Texas vs. Dan Reese et al.
 B. J. Garner et al. vs. Joe L. Cullinan.
 Western Indemnity company vs. Oilbelt Motor company.
 John I. Chesley vs. Annie L. Chesley.
 First National bank of Gorman vs. W. L. Moats.

Now the strawberry crop is going to be 35,000,000 quarts short, according to government figures. With the Louisiana sugar bowl threatened, it's time we strawberry shortcake lovers organized to elect a Democrat.

CORPUS CHRISTI.—Bids requested for paving of Leopard street from Sam Rankin street westward to city limits.

THREE STORES AT EASTLAND BURGLARIZED

Burglars Friday night entered three places of business in Eastland, the three visits netting them only about \$150 in cash and a similar amount in checks, which will doubtless be of very little value to them.

The places visited were the Castleberry Feed Store, the Gulf Refining company's warehouse office and the Motors Specialty company.

At the Gulf office entrance to the building was gained by breaking in the front door. The safe, which had had the knob knocked off of it some weeks ago when the place was burglarized, was open and contained only a few cents in money. Fifteen cents of this was taken by the burglars who left eight cents in pennies on the floor.

At the Castleberry feed store, where most of the money was secured, the burglars entered the building from the rear by prying open a window. \$150 in cash and a like amount in checks was taken from the safe here after the knob had been hammered off with a heavy hammer and by the use of a chisel.

At the Motors Specialty company, a safe belonging to the Knight Printing company and stored in the building, was opened. The methods being used to knock the knob off as was used at the Castleberry feed store. There was nothing in the safe and the burglars got nothing for their work.

The manager of the Motors Specialty company stated that he worked in his place of business until after 10 o'clock Friday night and that the burglary took place after that hour. The safe had been moved to the center of the room by the burglars where they had plenty of room and light to work.

A hammer, chisel, pair of cloth gloves and a cap were found at the Castleberry feed store and were evidently left there by the burglars. Officers were notified early Saturday morning of the robberies and are working on the cases.

A Georgia scientist announces he has discovered the sex center of the brain. We thought the revelation had been made years ago on Broadway.

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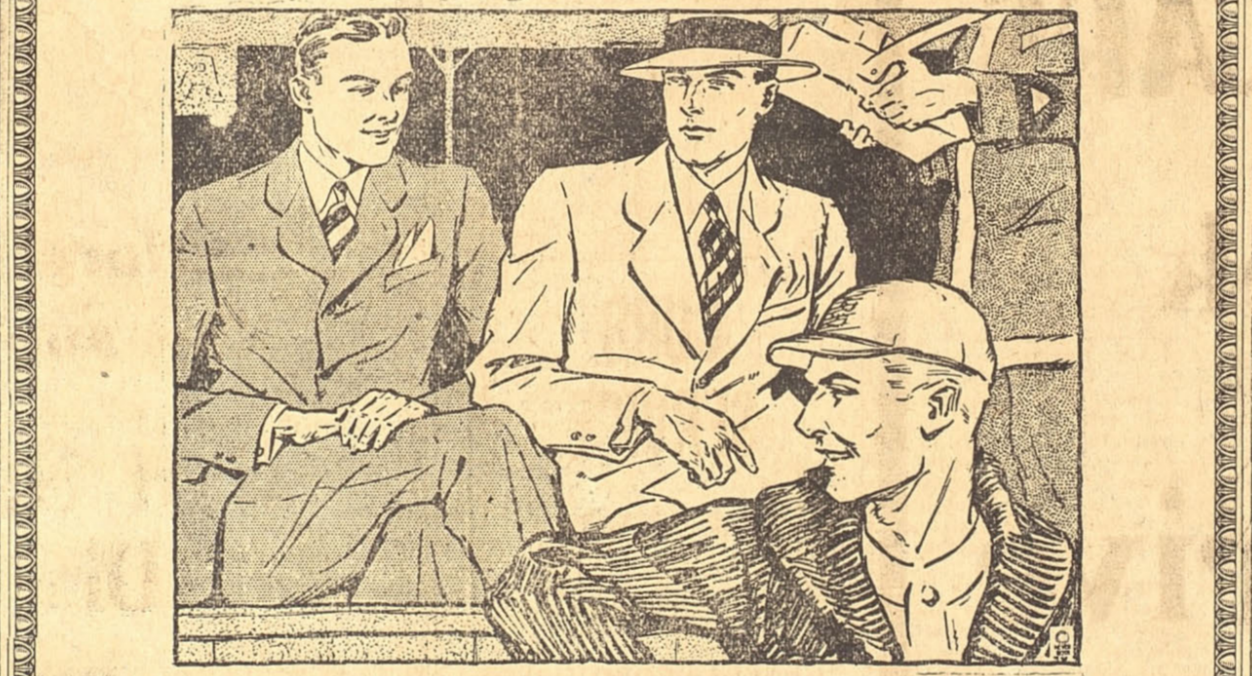
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Report Activity Is Increasing In Gorman District

GORMAN, Texas, May 21.—Not since the Westmoreland gusher came in near here three years ago, has there been as much oil excitement as has been caused by the drilling in a few days ago of the Mid-Kansas Oil company Waldrep well, near Leon school house in the Gorman trade territory. The Waldrep, in which the pay was found in the Desdemona sand, is in semi-proven territory and is reported making 125 barrels per day under difficulties. It is expected to do much better when it has been cleaned out.

The Texas & Pacific Coal and Oil company is working on a block of acreage in the vicinity of Duster, only a short distance east of here, and

in the vicinity of the Collins tract northwest there is a lively interest in leasing.

Between Gorman and Sipe Springs Eastland operators are working to block acreage for a number of tests. Both deep and shallow tests in this section are being watched with much interest and it is believed that some new pools are to be uncovered.

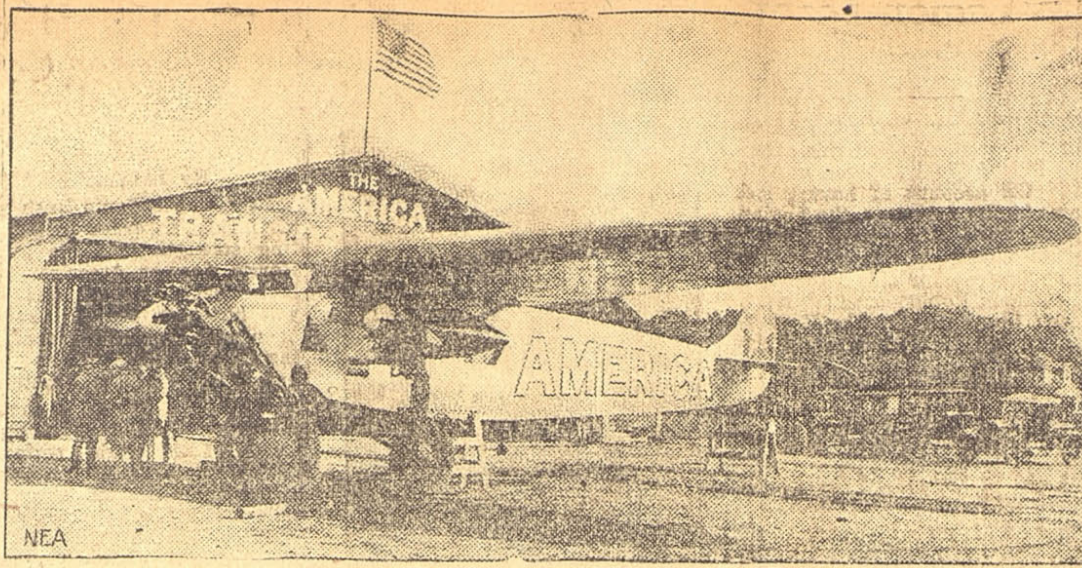
Ranger Legion Congratulates Chas Lindbergh

Carl Barnes post of the American Legion, Ranger, cabled congratulations to Chas. Lindbergh, valiant non-stop New York to Paris flier. The message was sent to Captain Chas. Lindbergh, care Commercial Cables company, Paris.

"Ranger, Texas, and all of America is proud of you. Signed American Legion, Ranger, Texas."

The message was filed with the Postal Telegraph company, Ranger at 4:42 Saturday afternoon and was sent direct to Paris.

Painters Give Byrd's Bird a Name



With its name blazoned along the fuselage for the first time and bedecked in new paint, Commander Richard E. Byrd's great Fokker monoplane receives final adjustments at Roosevelt Field, Long Island, for the New York-to-Paris flight. Every detail of its construction is clearly pictured here.

Office of chaplain, taken from the national defense act of 1920, are that appointment of chaplains shall be made from persons duly accredited by some religious denomination or organization, and of good standing therein, between the ages of 23 and 45 years. Under army regulations made in accordance with this provision to standardize the endorsement of chaplains by their religious denominations, a candidate must obtain the official denomination approval before he may be considered for an appointment.

Lewis says the opposition to chaplains has existed since they were first invented and that when the army got along once for a stretch of 17 years without any it was proved that they weren't necessary.

Mrs. Alice True, secretary of the Ranger association has issued a letter to that effect to all members of the association, and asks that they report to her office such propositions as are not entirely clear to them.

Vaccination is required at Harvard. The Princeton student's report that it was for rabies is being investigated.

Ranger Merchants Will Investigate All Ad Schemes

The Ranger Retail Merchants' association at a recent meeting requested and passed a motion that every member be asked to work together in investigating through the association all advertising schemes and collection agencies, as merchants are often called to contribute or patronize companies who are not worthy of help, and some of them are grafters.

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GORMAN NEWS BRIEFS

Special Correspondence.
GORMAN, Texas, May 21.—Malcom, the 11-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Boone, died suddenly here Monday of cholera infantum. He was one of twin boys and his brother is very ill at this time. A state engineer has been in Gor-

man looking over the work that is to be done toward grading the connecting link between the two highways leading in and out of the city.

Mrs. Clem will start work soon on a two-story business house in Gorman.

Texas ranks first in production of sweet potatoes.

Atheists Try To Oust Chaplains Of Army and Navy

By RODNEW DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer.
WASHINGTON.—If the American Association for the Advancement of Atheism achieves its purpose, which it probably won't, a considerable number of hale and hearty uniformed clergymen will be separated from their jobs as chaplains in the army and navy.

The A. A. A., which is the most militant of a half-dozen atheistic societies in the United States, brought a taxpayer-citizen suit to restrain the treasury from paying out money for the employment of chaplains in the army, the navy and the congress. The District of Columbia supreme court had first opportunity to sock the atheists and on request of the government, dismissed the case on the ground that the plaintiff hadn't sufficient interest in the money paid out for salaries to the chaplains. The A. A. A. then appealed to the district court of appeals. Both sides have filed briefs and the matter may eventually get up to the United States supreme court.

It is to be suspected that the atheists have no strong hope of getting all the chaplains fired and it is probable that their case will never even be tried on its merits, as the matter before the courts now is only one of jurisdiction.

Marx Lewis, counsel for the A. A. A., says that the chaplains should be turned back into the pulpits principally because:

1. Their employment is an abuse of the powers of congress.
2. The constitution expressly forbids it.

The constitution gives congress no power to hire chaplains, says Marx and congress isn't supposed to do anything except what the constitution says it may do.

"The constitution," he points out, "says that no religious test can ever

be required as a qualification for any office or public trust under the federal government.

"But the qualifications for the of-

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A variety of styles in the lot to choose from.

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Here are lovely straw Hats for now and mid-summer wear. A greater value than we can ordinarily offer because we have cut our selling price.

While you are looking at Hats see our new satin and felt Hats in pleasing colors and small shapes.

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Baird Team Will Play Legion Team In Ranger Today

Baird All Stars will play the American Legion baseball team this afternoon at Lillard Field, Ranger, at 3:30 o'clock. On account of having lost one game to the All Stars, the Legion team is going to play a hard game.

Captain Renshaw announced the following line up for this afternoon: Davis, catcher; Robinson, cf; Jarrett, ss; Eason 3b; Peacock, 1b; Harvey, lf; Cherry, rf; Koch, pitcher; Fairbain, pitcher.

Experts Believe Helen Wills Can Make Come Back

By BEN E. TITUS, United Press Staff Correspondent. SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Can Helen Wills come back?

Tennis experts here and in her home town, Berkeley, across the bay, believe that she can, and they look to her to bring back to America the English championship from the Wimbledon tournaments, June 20 to July 2.

For three solid months before she left here on her flying trip to England, "Little Poker Face" waged a scientific, deliberate battle to bring back her old style and form, speed and strength of the gruelling days last year just before she had to withdraw from competition and undergo an operation for appendicitis. She was on the courts here, or at Berkeley, every day, playing against men.

Particularly did she try to perfect her defense and offense against the style of steady playing of English women. To this end she played countless matches with Peck Griffin, who is a master at placing the ball in the most unreachable corners and in mixing up short drives with long ones.

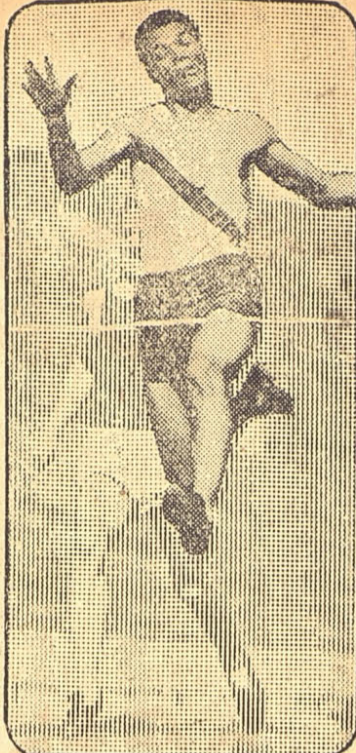
Miss Wills, it appeared to those who watched her, sacrificed none of her lightning speed which has characterized her steady march to the pinnacle of tennis honors, in meeting this style of play.

However, her ability to play tennis and to play it a little better than any woman in the world, with the possible exception of the temperamental Suzanne Lenglen, is well known. And in addition to her natural and developed game Miss Wills is taking with her into this summer's campaign two attributes, her friends believe, which she lacked last year.

The first is health. Right living, proper care and hard training appear to have entirely overcome the weakness and the shock of last year's illness and the former American champion will not go onto the courts a sick girl, as she did last year.

The second is grim determination. Her enforced defaults at Wimbledon and the American tournaments last year, due to which she lost her American championship to Mrs. Molla Mallory, have fired her with a determination never seen before and with this behind her driving game, California tennis players back her to win.

New Sensation



Pay homage to a new high school sprint champion. He is Frank Wykoff of Glendale, Calif., who set a new sprint mark by turning in a 9.8 run for 100 yards at Los Angeles. His finish was a regular Paddock finish.

LAREDO—Bids opened for construction of new Aztec hotel.

Pittsburgh Puts Punch in Hitting By Infield Shift

By BILLIE EVANS

I see where Donie Bush has shifted his infield in order to get more hitting strength into his lineup. Joe Harris, former American leaguer, is being used at first and Grantham, who has been playing first base, has been moved over to second, supplanting Rhyne and Cornin, both of whom had a whirl at the keystone sack.

If there is one thing that Joe Harris can do it is hit. His super-batting in the 1924 world series between Pittsburgh and Washington kept the latter team in the running, Harris being with the Senators at the time.

When Washington asked for waivers on Harris, Owner Barney Dreyfus of the Pittsburgh club apparently had vivid recollections of the way he had treated the Pirate pitchers and took him over.

Grantham began his big league career as a second sacker with the Chicago Cubs. An inclination to be erratic caused him to be shifted to first.

While the shift may not speed up the Pirates afield, it is sure to materially help the club's offense.

Getting back to Joe Harris and first base, reminds me of a wise crack that he once pulled at the expense of Umpire Dick Nallin of the American League.

Joe, to use the slang of the ball field, "puts down plenty of feet;" in other words wears a number 10

or better, in Joe's case, better.

While playing first for Washington, Umpire Nallin called a visiting player safe on a very close decision. Harris thought the runner was out and asked for information.

"Why wasn't he out?" said Joe. "Because you didn't have your foot on the bag," replied Nallin. "Any other alibi but that one would pass," answered Harris, "because any time I am in this infield, some part of my foot is always on that bag."

But Nallin stuck to his story and the man was safe.

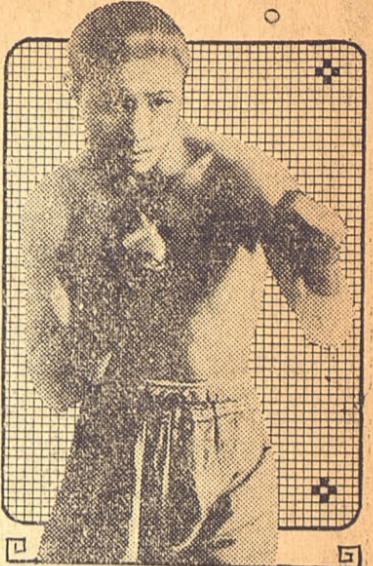
American League pitchers feared Joe Harris as much as any man in the league. How he can murder a curve ball.

Representative Hagaman Replies Lion Resolution

E. A. Ringold, president of the Ranger Lions club, received a letter from state representative Hagaman Saturday, in which Mr. Hagaman acknowledged receipt on May 14 of two resolutions by the Lions club; one with reference to tax reform and the other with reference to the \$15 per capita for public schools.

In his answer Mr. Hagaman said that the \$15 per capita bill had passed the house and the senate and is the unanimous consent of all representatives. Mr. Hagaman stated that he feels that the appropriation will be approved by the joint committee of the house and senate and will be fully attended to.

To Fight Here



Meet Fernandez, the Filipino. He's a bantam, and he's going to fight in this country, within a few weeks after his arrival late this month. If he's half as good as his advance ballyhoo says he is, he is a great fighter.

In speaking of the tax reform, the representative said that the governor had already appointed a committee to work on the tax reform problem, but that it would take some time to work it out, but it will in the course of a few years classify the tax system so it will put every department on a self sustaining basis and largely leave the ad valorem tax to counties, cities and independent school districts, he wrote.

USED CAR MARKET REPORT AND BUYERS PROTECTIVE GUIDE

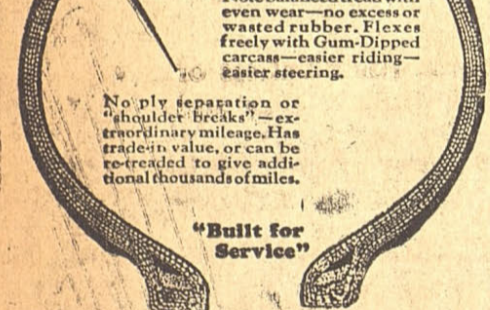
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ROADSTER	395	593	721
TOURING	395	593	721
COUPE		795	967
COACH	424	636	775
SEDAN	400	680	823
BUICK Standard	1924	1925	1926
TOURING		512	644
ROADSTER		512	644
COUPE		548	666
COACH		548	666
SEDAN		593	721
CADILLAC			
	61	63	314
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	23	24	26
ROADSTER	640	1050	1800
PHAEON	640	1050	1800
TOURING	600	950	1800
COUPE	850	1500	1800
SEDAN	950	1500	2000
SUBURBAN	900	1400	1800
CHEVROLET			
ROADSTER	85	245	308
TOURING	85	245	308
COUPE	125	298	363
COACH	125	286	348
SEDAN	147	328	400
OAKLAND			
ROADSTER		625	652
COUPE		629	607
COACH		607	659
SEDAN		659	
PONTIAC			
	1924	1925	1926
COUPE			448
COACH			448
SEDAN			512

CHRYSLER			
Model 58	1924	1925	1926
ROADSTER			476
TOURING			400
COUPE			453
COACH			442
SEDAN			496
Model 60			
ROADSTER			650
TOURING			614
COUPE			700
COACH			750
SEDAN			850
Model 70			
ROADSTER	462	693	843
TOURING	433	652	793
COUPE	612	734	892
COACH	615	725	850
SEDAN	625	754	917
DODGE			
	1924	1925	1926
ROADSTER	251	376	458
TOURING	251	379	460
COUPE	267	401	488
COACH	275	415	
SEDAN	282	424	515
FORD			
	1924	1925	1926
ROADSTER	123	180	224
TOURING	117	176	215
COUPE	154	231	281
TUDOR	156	235	286
FORDOR	170	256	311
HUDSON			
	1924	1925	1926
COACH	360	540	656
BROUGHAM	428	642	780
ESSEX			
	1924	1925	1926
COACH	237	356	433

You may estimate the value of your own car by the above figures and deducting necessary expense for reconditioning. Prospective purchasers can determine the market value of cars offered them by the above chart plus a small handling charge.

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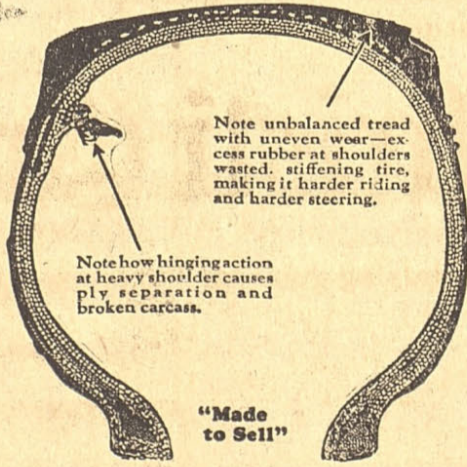
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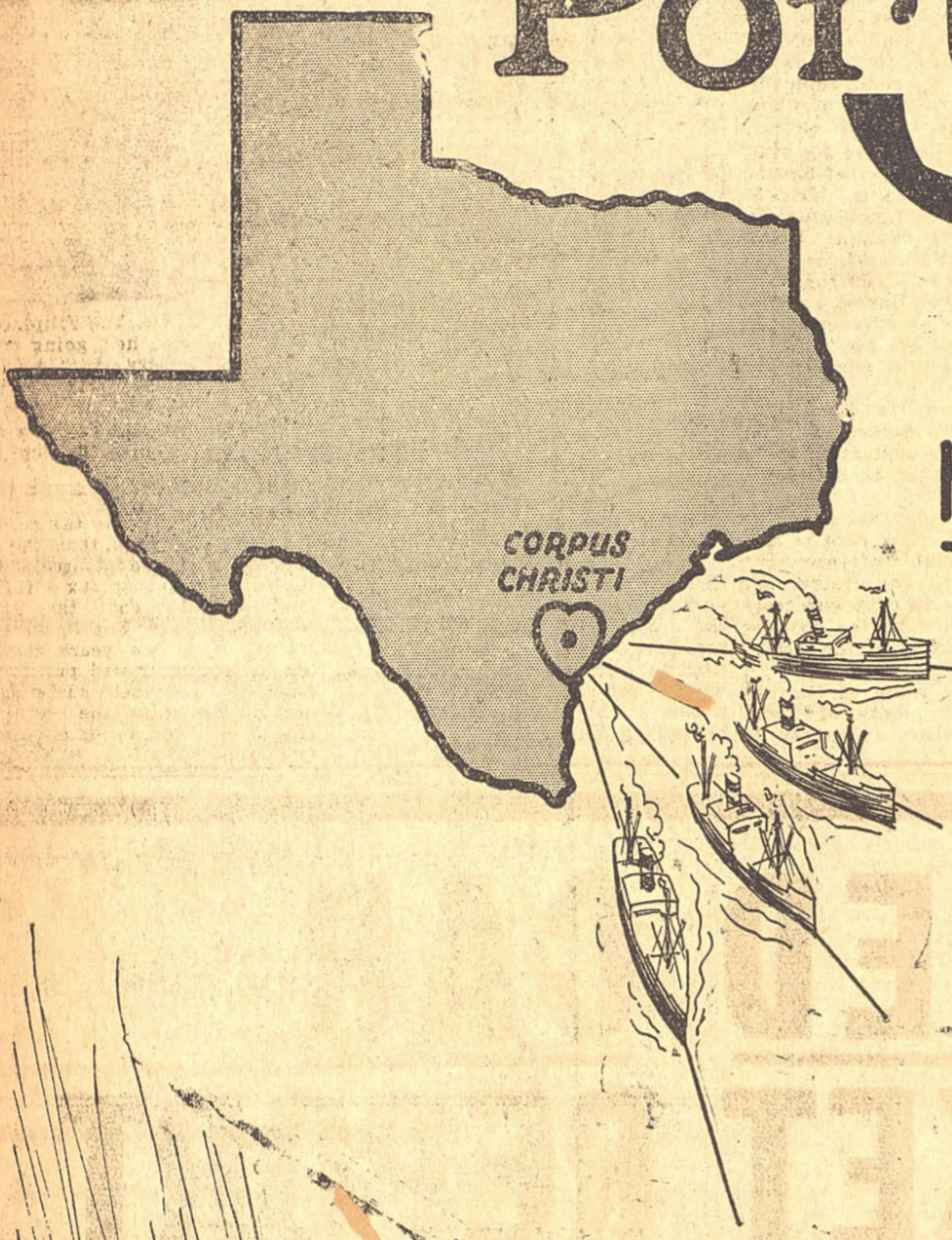
- 30x3 Fabric . \$5.85
- 30x3 1/2 Fabric . 6.85
- 30x3 1/2 Cord . 7.35
- 29x4.40 Balloon 8.40
- 32x4 Cord 13.40
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The Port of Corpus Christi, costing \$5,000,000 to build, will play an increasingly important role in the development of the South Texas empire, for it brings and gives the economies of transportation so pertinent to empire building. Although opened little more than six months ago, the Port today is in highly successful operation, and this summer and fall, beyond doubt, will see it take its place well up among the leaders of Southern harbors.

A Million Dollar high density cotton compress is now being built at port side to care for a large portion of the 800,000 bales of cotton produced annually in the territory that can be served most economically by the Port here. In a few years most of this cotton should move through this city. Bringing activity conducive to rapid development.

Corpus Christi and its territory are rich in other ways, too. The mild winters, and adequate rainfall, make year 'round production a fact. From this country alone several thousand cars of vegetables are grown annually for northern markets.

Water transportation centering at the Port: two main trunk railroad lines, the Missouri Pacific and the Southern Pacific, and a direct line to Mexico, the Texas Mexican Railway—plus soil resources, are but two of this city's guarantees for the future. The mild year-round Climate alone insures continued and substantial growth.

Industrial opportunities are tremendous. An unlimited supply of natural gas, distributed by the city, at low rates, with especially low rates offered new industries; the raw materials of manufacture; an intelligent and plentiful labor supply, and ideal laboring conditions are contributing, and will increasingly contribute, to prosperity.

Corpus Christi is growing. New construction valued at \$4,250,000, headed by a twelve-story office building, and including over 500 new homes, were built in 1926. The pace has not slackened. Population now is estimated at 26,000, nearly three times that shown by the last government census.

Municipal utilities have been greatly enlarged. Over \$1,250,000 has been spent improving the city's natural gas, water and sanitary sewer systems. Sixty-nine miles of new mains and laterals have been laid. The water system has been pronounced by the State Board of Health second to none in the state. The death rate is low.

Recorded real estate deals in 1926 totaled \$15,052,423.83. Activity, based on substantial and known value, is continuing.

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Corpus Christi invites you to come for business or pleasure, for in either event you'll want to stay and share in the wealth of this great city and land.

TEXAS CROP FIGURES (1926)
FROM "CROPS AND MARKETS"
PUBLISHED BY THE U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Cotton	\$351,000,000
Corn	92,310,000
Katirs	32,370,000
Oats	28,259,000
Wheat	40,814,000
Barley	3,750,000
Rye	1,440,000
Rice	8,540,000
Hay	25,200,000
Peas	1,785,000
Sweet Potatoes	8,450,000
Potatoes	3,450,000
Sorghum Syrup	2,700,000
Broom Corn	246,000
Peaches	3,400,000
Apples	382,000
Other Crops	296,886,000
Total Crops 1926	\$901,312,000
1926 Crop	\$901,312,000
1925 Crop	\$799,330,000
Gain over last Year	\$101,982,000

SPECIAL NOTICE
The figures above do not include the great revenue derived from the cattle, sheep, swine and poultry industries for which Texas is famous. Nor do they include such important items as truck, citrus fruits, nuts, wool and such like, which industries bring millions of dollars more annually. Nor do they include oil, the production of which brings in hundreds of millions of dollars annually.

If you desire information about Corpus Christi as a place to live and enjoy life, or about its industrial, commercial, or investment opportunities, write,

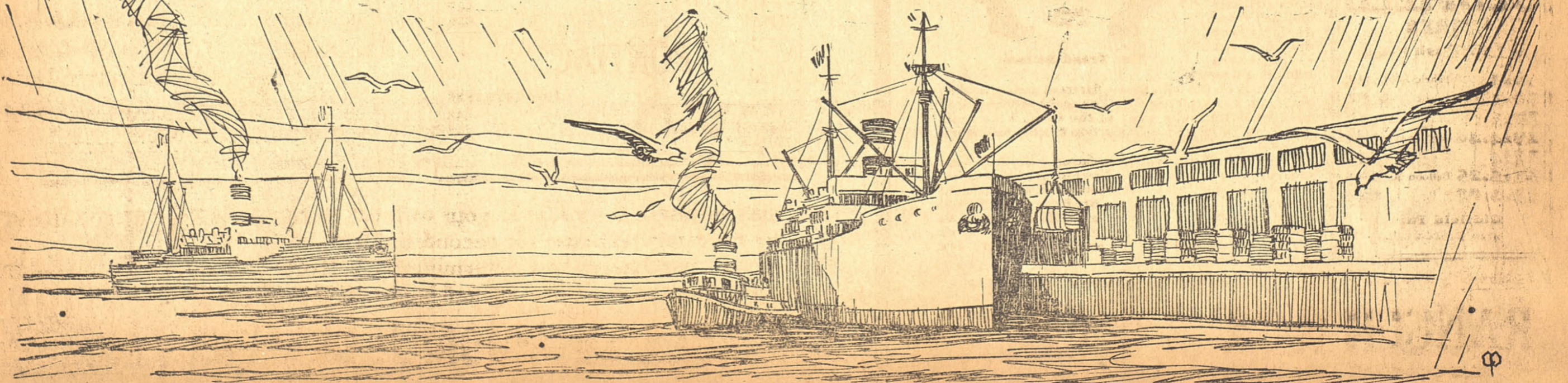
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Surprises Are Upsetting Dope In Major League

By BILLIE EVANS

Two surprises featured the first month of play in the major leagues and both of them were in the National.

The unexpected reversals of fortune had the Phillies and the Cincinnati Reds playing the leading roles. Philadelphia furnished the pleasing surprise; Cincinnati the distinct disappointment.

At the close of the first month of action in the majors, just about one-sixth of the championship distance, Cincinnati was a bad last, with the Phillies perched in a comfortable first division berth.

This was directly contrary to the predictions of the baseball experts who were unanimous in the opinion that Cincinnati would be a pennant contender from the start and that Philadelphia would be last from start to finish.

While class will eventually tell, Cincinnati is going to have a tough time making good all the nice things said about the Reds, because of a slow start.

Plays Havoc With Reds. One thing that has played havoc with the chances of the Cincinnati club from opening day to the present time has been an unsettled infield.

The trouble started when Critz, star second sacker, failed to report for spring training because of a salary difference. That necessitated a shift of the infield candidates and Manager Hendricks has been shuffling things around ever since.

Hardly a day passes without some change being made in the Cincinnati lineup. When a club is in a slump, a manager will resort to most anything to throw off the jinx that seems to be pursuing his team. Little success has greeted the strategic efforts of Manager Jack.

In the spring, it seemed the Reds had just about the best pitching staff in the majors, but it hasn't worked out quite that way. The pitching has been very fair, but some of the veterans have greatly disappointed the Reds' pilot.

However, Cincinnati has too much class to be last very long. I look for the team to get going most any time and again number itself among the select.

The Philadelphia club, under "Starfy" McNinnis, making his debut as a major league manager, has undoubtedly been the sensation of the early season play in the National League.

While pleased at the excellent showing being made by the former Mackian star, I cannot figure where the Phillies are strong enough to stay in front of several clubs that are now trailing them.

I wouldn't be at all surprised if Danny Murphy is proving of considerable help in the fine showing of the Phillies.

In all my connection with major league baseball I have never seen a smarter player than Murphy in getting the signs of the opposition.

Electric Timer Finds Mistakes In Running Time

By United Press.

NEW YORK.—Every track record on the record books is inaccurate by at least 1-10 of a second, if running time alone is considered, according to timing tests of runners at Cornell university by Professor A. V. Hill, noted English scientist and winner of the Noble prize in medicine for 1922, published in Popular Science Monthly.

Using a delicate electric timing device which caught every movement of the runners in periods of one-hundredths of a second, instead of the ordinary stop watch, Prof. Hill found that it took every runner at least a tenth of a second to transmit the word "Go!" from his mind to his muscles and actually get under way.

The tests and studies made from them, also indicate, according to Prof. Hill, that Charles Paddock's record of 100 yards in 9.5-10 seconds is not the limit of human speed.

Any time clipped from Paddock's and other sprint records in the future will be by margins so light that only the electric timing apparatus will register them, it is predicted.

Two factors, the scientist finds, will keep the sprint records close to the present marks for all time. One is that the faster a runner moves the greater is the resistance he must overcome in forcing his way against the air.

The second is that the runner's exertion quickly results in the manufacture of lactic acid, a product of muscular fatigue.

An ounce and a half of lactic acid is manufactured in the muscles of a runner covering 100 yards within 10 seconds and results inevitably in the falling off of his speed by requiring muscular tension, it was found.

The electric timing apparatus, which may replace the stop watch in track meets of the future, consists of wire coils hung beside the track at intervals of a few yards and connected with a needle which records on photographic paper the movements of the runner, who carries at his waist a light magnetized steel strip to induce a current into each coil as he passes it.

The resulting graph shows every minute deflection, even when the runner beats the gun by a fraction of a second which escapes the naked eye.

WOODMEN AND HUMBLE GAME IN CISCO TODAY

The Modern Woodmen of America's baseball team of Ranger, will play the Humble team this afternoon at Humbletown, Cisco, at 2 o'clock.

W. A. Hall, manager of the Ranger team announced the following lineup Saturday:

Wes Hodges, pitcher; Chas. Hamilton, catcher; E. McFadden, 1b; R. Holley, 2b; W. W. Watson, 3b; Jack Wright, ss; Pete Wright, lf; Chas. Pace, cf; Elmer Robinson rf.

The Ranger team is open to engagements, Hall stated Saturday.

BASEBALL

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Waco 10 19 2
Batteries—Payne, White and Tobias; Caldwell, Freeze, Bengel and Wolgamot.

Dallas 11 11 1
Beaumont 8 14 1
Batteries—Love, Hunter, Pence and Berry; Darrough, Robertson and Burns.

Game called in eighth, darkness.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburgh 6, New York 3.
Chicago 6-11, Brooklyn 4-6.
Cincinnati 6-6, Philadelphia 2-5.
St. Louis 5-6, Boston 3-2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington 6, Detroit 5.
Chicago 7, Philadelphia 5.
Cleveland 5, New York 4.
St. Louis 7, Boston 4.

Big Production Is Added in Brown County This Week

New production approximating 4000 barrels was added to the Brown and Callahan areas of the Central West Texas field by the bringing in of a flock of eleven wells by the Texas company on the Fannie Love lease in Brown county, two wells by the same company, one on the W. N. Pugh farm and one on the John Byler lease; two wells in Callahan county, the Montary Oil Company's Jack M. Flores No. 16 and John A. No. 1.

Following are the new producers and the amount of production for each:

Texas Company's W. N. Pugh No. 9, 9 barrels at 1354 feet; same company's John Byler No. 1, 89 barrels at 1293 feet; same company's Fannie Love Nos. 42, 150 barrels at 1329 feet; 450 barrels at 1264 feet; 44, 258 barrels at 1333 feet; 43, 337 barrels at 1311 feet; 41, 715 barrels at 1314 feet; 38, 400 barrels at 1336 feet; 37, 300 barrels at 1338 feet; 24, 592 barrels at 1316 feet; 17, 336 barrels at 1279 feet; 40, 855 barrels at 1320 feet.

Montary Oil company's Jack M. Flores No. 16, 50 barrels at 788 feet; John A. Flores No. 1, 30 barrels at 773 feet.

Applications for permits to drill four new wells in the district, two in Brown and two in Callahan county were filed with the deputy oil and gas supervisor May 20.

KOKOMO NEWS

Special Correspondence.

KOKOMO, May 21.—The singing last Sunday was very successful. It was attended by a large crowd and many splendid singers were present.

We had singing at Elis Jumper's last Sunday night. We had a splendid singing there. John McAlister from Gorman was our pianist.

Bro. Willie Skaggs preached here Saturday night and Sunday morning.

Flood Relief Dictator Veteran in Relief Work



HENRY M. BAKER

HENRY M. BAKER, American Red Cross national director of disaster relief, is in complete charge of relief operations in the flooded Mississippi River Valley, exercising all the powers of a general during war.

Assisted by liaison officers of the United States Navy, Army, Veterans' Bureau, Coast Guard and other branches of the government and backed by a special Cabinet Committee appointed by President Coolidge, Mr. Baker from the relief headquarters at Memphis is directing the movement of flood refugees to safe territory, housing them in tent cities and seeing that they receive food, clothing and medical care.

Mr. Baker has had more experience in disaster relief work than anyone in the United States and is recognized as an authority abroad. His methods are constantly being studied by other countries and a former member of his staff is now in Paris helping the League of Red Cross Societies devise a disaster relief system.

Since he came to the Red Cross in 1919, as a worker in the former Southwestern Division, Mr. Baker has personally directed relief operations in more than 140 disaster-stricken communities and has administered a total relief fund in excess of \$10,000,000. Mr. Baker became national director of disaster relief in 1922, at the age of 39.

When Mr. Baker came to the Red Cross, disaster work meant little more than giving emergency aid to sufferers in tornadoes, hurricanes, fires, floods and other calamities. The new director rapidly developed the system, co-ordinating Red Cross work with the government, developing a service that makes it possible to muster emergency service at a moment's notice through committees in all communities, building up disaster committees in chapters everywhere and enlarging operations of the service.

Often spectacular operations have included such astounding feats as housing houses, swept from their moorings by floods, and towing them back by motor-boats; replanting acres of valuable orchards that have been uprooted by storms, rescuing live stock and assisting farmers to get their crops planted. The airplane is playing a role of increasing importance in relief work, both for reconnoitering and transporting supplies.

Mr. Baker was educated in Australia and worked his own way through the university. Later he did post-graduate work in social economy at the University of Missouri and at the St. Louis School of Social Economy. He is the author of the only disaster relief manual ever compiled, revised by the Red Cross this year and distributed to its 3,500 chapters as a handbook for use in organizing for disasters.

He was also present at the singing Sunday afternoon.

The program last Friday night was attended by a large crowd, but we are expecting a larger crowd and a more interesting program next time. The next program will be on Friday night, May 27. All are welcome.

A large crowd attended the ceremony working last Saturday and put the yard in nice shape.

Jesse Hogan, Ralph Hogan and Quint Hogan were our musicians at the program here.

ADRIAN.—M. G. Lambert shipped four loads of cattle to Chicago recently.

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SUPREME COURT TERM IS MARKED BY MANY IMPORTANT DECISIONS

U. S. SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS STRANGE WILL

By United Press.
 WASHINGTON, May 21.—One of the most unusual cases to come before the United States Supreme court this year was an appeal from a decision awarding a child the \$10,000 war insurance of his alleged father, who died of pneumonia in France.

The soldier in a will left the insurance to the child, whom he acknowledged as an illegitimate son.

His lawful wife and three children sued to break the will, and the government veterans' bureau joined in the attempt, charging that the child was born before the soldier started associating with his mother. A district court upheld the wife's claim, but a higher court reversed the decision and held that it had not been affirmatively proven that the will was merely a scheme to prevent the estranged wife from getting the money, as charged by the wife.

The veterans' bureau and the wife must assume the burden of proof, the appellate court held. The supreme court denied the lawful wife a review of the decision.

By HERBERT LITTLE
 (United Press Staff Correspondent)
 WASHINGTON, May 21.—Decisions of many important cases are expected to be announced at Monday's decision session of the United States Supreme Court.

The court closed its hearings of arguments for the current term two weeks ago, and since then has been sitting in closed session to make decisions on the 375 cases still on the docket.

Some will be announced Monday, others on the following Monday, and the last decision of the term on June 6, after which the court will adjourn.

The highest tribunal has had 1100 cases before it since it convened early last October, 450 of which were carried over from the previous year. Approximately 725 have been disposed of, of which about 100 were decided on the merits with opinions which have the force of law. The rest were decided on merits without opinions and by denial of a full review after a study of the case as decided by the lower court.

The cases pending represent nearly every phase of public and national life which has a controversial question of a federal nature involved, and their decisions will have vital effects on the lives of thousands. Among them are:

1. The Teapot Dome naval oil lease case, appealed by Harry F. Sinclair's Mammoth Oil company.
2. Appeal by Charlotte Anita Whitney, social worker, from conviction under California's criminal syndicalism law, challenging constitutionality of the law.
3. A case attacking constitutionality of Kentucky's co-operative marketing act, which is similar to those of 41 other states, appealed by the Liberty Warehouse company.
4. An injunction suit by two Los Angeles citizens seeking to have that city's zoning ordinance held invalid because under it they were denied permits to erect business buildings.
5. The government's famous "sisal monopoly case" involving power of this government to restrain its citizens activities in alleged cornering of foreign-produced merchandise marketed in this country.
6. The federal trade commission's suit to compel the Eastman Kodak company to dispose of laboratories for the development of positive motion picture film.
7. A government attempt to have the courts order a new dissolution of the International Harvester company, on the grounds that the 1918 dissolution ordered by the courts in this famous anti-trust case has not been made complete.
8. A British citizen's appeal regarding that the refusal of the city of Cincinnati, O., to grant him a pool license, on the grounds he was alien, was a violation of his treaty rights.

9. A circuit court of appeals request ruling on whether or not prohibition agents commit a crime when they fail to report Volstead act violations to their district attorney, needed to decide a prosecution of John P. Donnelly, former Nevada dry enforcement director.
10. An appeal by the owner of a liquor ship, challenging constitutionality of the coast guard's custom of seize and search of American ships outside the 12-mile limit.
11. A government appeal from a federal judge's decision that a federal prisoner must give his consent to a commutation from a death sentence to one of life imprisonment, in order to be effective.
12. A government attempt to have reversed a circuit court of appeals decision holding that the incomes received from bootlegging are not taxable.
13. A case involving the constitutionality of the Harrison anti-narcotic act, which is charged with infringing upon the states' police power.
14. A petition by Juvenile Court Ben B. Lindsey, Denver, for a review of the Colorado Supreme Court decision ordering him ousted from his office.

Three decisions of such national importance that the historians will have to write them down, have been given by U. S. Supreme Court in its present term.

The rulings were given in what lawyers know as the Daugherty case, the Elk Hills case, and the Myers case. Each decided important powers of the government on matters dealing with the very life of its institutions. The decisions may be summarized as follows:

Daugherty case—Congressional investigating committees, acting with a view to legislating, may require production of evidence and attendance of recalcitrant witnesses.

Elk Hills—Only congress can provide for removal of the huge oil reserve held underground for the navy's necessity in connection with the national security; the present policy of the government is to retain this oil underground.

Myers—The President has power to remove officials he appointed (except those whose offices are created by the constitution) without the consent of the U. S. Senate.

All three of these decisions dealt with the fundamental conception of the United States government, the separate powers of executive, legislative and judicial departments. The Elk Hills and Myers cases dealt with conflicts between legislative and executive departments. In the Elk Hills and Daugherty cases, powers of congress were upheld, and re-stated more definitely; in the Myers case, a new definition of the President's power gave to the executive department a power over which lawyers had argued for more than century.

The Daugherty case came from the attempt of the special senate committee investigating the justice department in 1924 to secure records of the Midland National Bank, Washington Court House, Ohio, held by Mally S. Daugherty, brother of Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty. "Mal" Daugherty refused to permit the committee to see the books, and obtained an injunction blocking seizure action. Meanwhile it developed that the books had been burned, but the appeal was prosecuted and the supreme court, after considering the case nearly two years, upheld the committee.

The Daugherty investigation was closed in 1924, and no move has been made to force the Ohio banker to testify or produce the evidence demanded.

The Elk Hills decision cancelled the leases obtained by E. L. Doherty's companies on the 27,000 rich Elk Hills naval oil reserve in California, from Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall and Secretary of the Navy Edwin Denby. The leases were held to have been obtained by fraud and corruption, but more important than this from the national standpoint was the statement that the two executive departments involved, even with the consent of the President, had no authority to lease the land, taking oil tanks in payment, without express consent of congress. A \$102,000,000 navy project for obtaining great system of fuel-oil storage tanks by trading navy oil to oil companies for them, was held to be illegal because not authorized by congress, and it was stated the present policy of the government is to retain its huge national defense stores of navy fuel oil under the ground.

The Myers case arose from President Wilson's action in removing summarily the Portland, Ore., postmaster's suit for back pay allegedly due him aroused the court's attention, and Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania was called in to argue the senate contention that since the senate's consent was necessary to his appointment, it also was necessary for his removal. Examination of the proceedings of the first constitutional convention showed that the delegates from the first 13 states were unable to agree on what procedure should be followed in removing officials, resulting in the constitution's providing

only that such officials "shall be appointed by and with the consent of the senate." It was recalled that some senators had challenged the constitutionality of President Jackson's dismissal of a secretary of the treasury who had refused to resign.

The supreme court decision upholding the ouster was hailed by some critics as a reignment of the three-part system of government, under which the President was given wide power to control the bodies created by congress. Members of the interstate commerce commission, the radio commission, the shipping board and other independent bodies, and the comptroller-general, it was pointed out, could be summarily removed if their acts displeased the executive. These critics argued that too much power was given the President. The decision, however, pointed out that the President as chief executive was responsible for the actions of these officials, and argued that he should have power to control them.

Ranger Teachers Will Summer At Various Places

Ranger teachers will summer at various places, but very few of them will spend an idle three months. J. B. Preston, R. F. Holloway and Mrs. Warren Wagner will teach summer school at Ranger High school building.

E. C. Kennedy will attend State university at Austin. Coach Blair Cherry will attend T. C. U., Fort Worth, and will also act as life guard at Forest park, later going to Notre Dame for the month of August. Wallace Davis, assistant coach, will attend Ann Arbor in Michigan. Charles Berry will attend Baylor university at Waco. Miss Gladys E. Pinson will spend the summer at her home in Abilene. Miss Mattie G. Roberts will work on her master's degree at Columbia. Miss Mildred Mihills will spend the summer at her home in Houston. J. N. Mosely will be at the University of Texas during the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Halperin will motor to Boston, spend the summer there, and probably return to Oklahoma in the fall as Mr. Halperin has a fellowship in the University of Oklahoma.

Miss Christine Schmuck will leave for New York to spend the summer studying voice under Oscar Seagle. O. G. Lanier will summer in Ranger doing special school work. Miss Helen Howdeshell will attend Baylor university in her home town, Waco, and incidentally get her B. A. degree. Miss Edith Fletcher will study at State as she did last summer.

Now that unexpurgated editions of certain books have been admitted by port authorities of New York, the sale undoubtedly will be a total failure in America.

A man who beat his wife said the fool moon upset him. Maybe it was his cellar that was full of it.

The Classes Against the Masses



Phillip Snowden (upper left), labor party leader, locks horns with Sir Douglas Hogg, attorney general and sponsor of the Tory party's labor bill, against a background of bitterness and class hatred brought on by the general strike of a year ago.

TORY LABOR BILL MAY HURL BRITAIN INTO VERY COSTLY CLASS STRUGGLE

By MILTON BRONNER, NEA Service Writer.
 LONDON.—With America "sitting pretty" at the top of the business of the world, and with Germany sturdily working to come back to a place in the industrial sun, the British Tory die-hards are trying to make England commit business suicide.

Second—Picketing is forbidden, if it is calculated to intimidate a person by causing in his mind a reasonable apprehension of injury to himself, his family or his property.

Bar Union Levies.
 Third—At present most trades unions levy on each member a sum which is devoted to the political campaigns of the labor party. If a member does not want to contribute, he signs a paper so declaring and is then immune. Under the proposed law, no member is subject to a political levy unless he signs a paper specifically declaring himself in favor of it.

War was declared the moment the bill was introduced. Its first effect was to close up the ranks of the labor party, which had suffered a serious breach between its right and left wings. The Asquith and Lloyd George wings of the liberal party agitators against the wall and have them shot. That is not a method to

community or any substantial part of it. Penalties provided are anywhere from 100 pounds fine to two years imprisonment. Any workman refusing to take part in such a strike is protected by this law from being expelled from his union, or, in lieu thereof, the courts can give him damages.

For the bill regulating the trades unions, which they are about to jam through parliament, is a measure which should be properly labeled: "A bill to enhance the bitterness of political strife, to precipitate a class war, to arrest Britain's progress towards industrial recovery, and to bring about in the workers a mood in which they will loaf at their jobs, in contrast to the productiveness of American and German workmen."

Predicted Months Ago.
 Months ago, after the breaking of the general strike of a year ago, I predicted the Tory party would bring in such a bill, aimed at the trades unions. But Englishmen didn't believe it, relying on Premier Baldwin's gentle words about "peace in our time."

However, since then the die-hards have had their innings. The Tory party convention at Scarborough overwhelmingly passed a resolution demanding stern measures. The bill recently introduced in the commons by Sir Douglas Hogg, the attorney general, goes even beyond the fondest dreams of the die-hards.

First—it declares illegal any strike, if it has any object in addition to the furtherance of a trade dispute within the trade concerned, or if it is calculated to coerce the government or intimidate the com-

solve the problem of our complex industrial society. There is nothing so dangerous in politics as a combination of the iron hand and the feather head."

Predicts Class War.
 But the bitterest saying was that of John Wheatley, health minister in the labor government:

"They have declared war in favor of their class. That's all right. We will know what to do when our class comes on top in the elections and gets control of the government."

Already the political headquarters of all the parties are humming with intense activity. The Tories, with their immense majority in the parliament, feel confident of passing the bill. The labor leaders intend to bring home to the country that the bill sweeps away all labor legislation fought for and won in a hundred years.

They say the clause about political levies is a cowardly attempt to cripple the labor party in financing its campaigns, whereas the Tories can get all the money they want from their wealthy men. This will lead to a sharp debate in parliament in which the sale of peerages will undoubtedly be aired.

Liberal Elated.
 The liberals are happy. They look upon the bill as a Tory blunder which will revive the liberal party and sweep Baldwin out of power when the next election is held.

In the meantime, Britons of all classes are getting set for a parliamentary session and for a stumping campaign which will be the bitterest and the most vituperative this country has seen for 50 years.

Junior College And High School Services Today

Commencement services for the Ranger Junior college and High school will be held at the Methodist church at 11 a. m. this morning. There will be no evening program, on account of several of those scheduled to be on this program being unable to take part. The program will be given as outlined below:

Processional "O Mother Dear Jerusalem."
 Invocation, Rev. G. D. Robinson.
 Anthem, "Hosanna," Methodist church choir; J. M. Edwards, director.
 Scripture reading.
 Announcements, Supt. R. F. Holloway.
 Offertory, "Largo," string orchestra; Gillian Buchanan, director.
 Commencement sermon, "Man to Be Like God," Rev. H. B. Johnson.
 Benediction, Rev. George W. Shearer.
 Recessional.

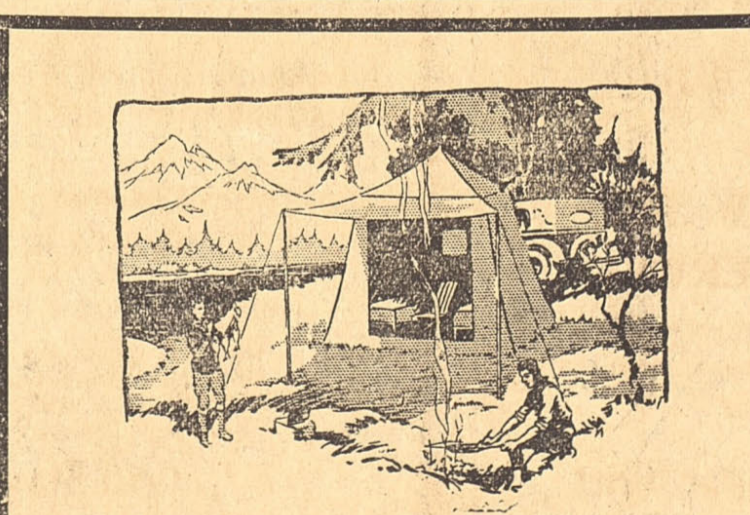
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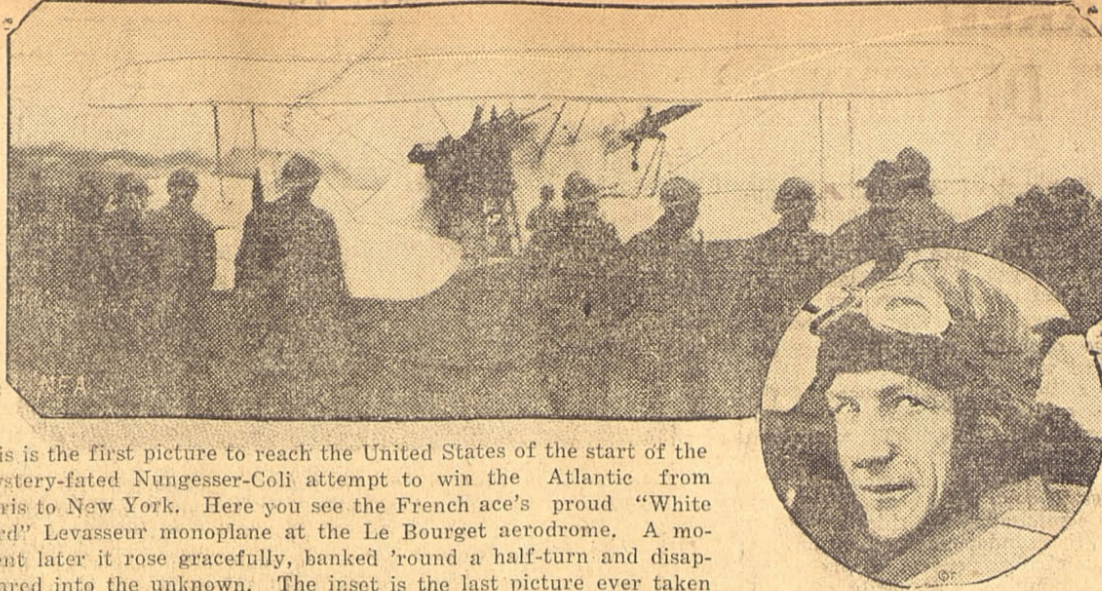


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MRS. TRUE LEAVES TODAY FOR CONVENTION

Mrs. Alice True, secretary of the Ranger Retail Merchants' association, will leave today for Port Arthur, where she will attend a joint meeting of the National and State Retail Merchants' associations. Mrs. True expects to be out of the office for about a week, but Miss Winifred Dunkle will be in the office during her absence and look after its affairs.

At Fort Worth Mrs. True will join Miss Ann Hardin, secretary of the Eastland Retail Merchants' association and they will make the trip together.

COMMITTEE MEETING

A called meeting of the Union Revival committee, will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Methodist church, Ranger. All members of the committee are requested to be present.

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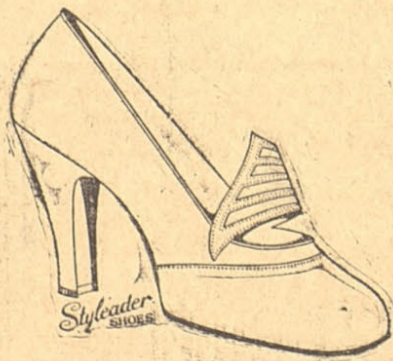
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Suits filed in District Courts:
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First National Bank of Rising Star vs. American National bank of Cross Plains, garnishment.
C. A. Massey vs. West Adams Petroleum Corporation.
H. S. McBee vs. Della McBee, divorce and custody of children.
Mrs. Lois Bennett vs. Clyde Bennett, divorce, custody of children, receivership, etc.
A. E. Mahres vs. Clow Manufacturing Co., et al.
Mrs. Maggie Green vs. A. L. Green, divorce.
W. R. Yates vs. J. L. Yates.
Cisco Banking Co. vs. Edgar T. Hart.
Cisco Banking Co. vs. W. O. Ash.
Cisco Banking Co. vs. S. H. Brummett, et al., suit on note.
Mrs. S. L. Reese vs. Western Union Telegraph Co., damages.
Suits filed in county court:
Hillard Mercantile company vs. Midland National bank, garnishee.
Marriage licenses:
W. L. Dennington and Mrs. Vida Dennington, Ranger.
George Morton and Mrs. Katherine Morton, Abilene.
Walter Mitchell and Miss Mabel Pope, Ranger.
Steve Edwards (colored), and Charles Zetta Hicks (colored), Ranger.

Former Resident Of Ranger Dies At Home in Abilene

J. W. Clappitt, a former citizen of Ranger, and father of Mrs. O. D. Dillingham of Abilene, died in that city at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon. Funeral services will be conducted in Ballinger Monday afternoon. Death came at the Dillingham home. The deceased and his family lived in Ranger several years ago and formed many friends to whom the news of his death comes most unexpectedly. It is probable that a number of friends of the family in Ranger will attend the funeral services.

Fort Worth Trade Trippers Plan A Return Visit

Eastland county is to have another visit from Fort Worth trade trippers in June. The party will visit in this section of the state on June 7, 8, 9 and 10, but it has not yet stated just when it will arrive. The itinerary list carries the name of Ranger and Eastland.

RANGER PEOPLE TO VISIT OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Seebach and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green of Ranger leave this morning for a five or six weeks trip to Ohio and Pennsylvania. They are driving through. Mr. Green is the driller who worked so long on the Barker et al. gas well, west of Ranger, to bring it back to life again, and finally succeeded. He drilled through steel for months before the well finally came in again.

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Miss Roma Riddle And Carl Echols Marry Saturday

Rev. H. B. Johnson, at his apartment in the Marston building, Ranger, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, performed the marriage ceremony of Carl Echols of Eastland and Miss Roma Riddle of Ranger. Mr. Echols is the son of Mrs. C. E. Echols of Eastland and an employe of the Consolidated Gasoline company of that city and Mrs. Echols is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Riddle of North Austin street, Ranger. The ceremony was witnessed by Mrs. Riddle and several young friends of the bride and groom.

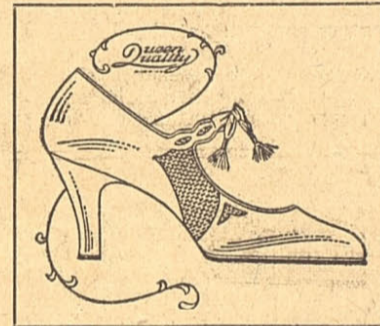
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RANGER DAILY TIMES

RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 22, 1927

Women who are studying international relations will be interested in a portfolio of World heroes of peace, prepared by the national council for the prevention of war.

The Summer Tourist Will Take the Road Now and Reign Until School Starts Again

Great Trek Cross Country Will Begin Since School's Out

By RENA B. CAMPBELL

The general trend is toward vacations. The old bus is being loaded up with bags, fishing poles, collapsible cots, coffee pots and the family, and the annual summer tour is starting. Of course the whole family swore last year that they had positively taken their last auto camping trip—but they're off again.

Pa has brought out his last year's palm beach, looked it over, and decided it was good for another year, but Ma doesn't like the fit of her knickers—possibly she hasn't been counting her calories lately and there's a bit too snug—so Ma with the spirit of '97 could hardly start off on a round of the various tourist camps with riding togs that breathed the spirit of '96.

Johnnie is glad that exams are over, for he hasn't been able to concentrate for a week on account of visions of the old swimming hole, the miles of highway that they would traverse on their summer tour and a mountain of hot dogs, that he would consume before he returned home, getting in between him and his books.

Some go east and some go west—some go with plenty of dough and some go almost penniless. Most everybody waits until school is out before beginning the annual trek, so Monday morning will find full many a Lizzie starting out—but they don't all go in Lizzies. Some travel in imported cars and others in the finest that America has to offer—but like the colonel's wife and Judy O'Grady, they are all sisters under the skin, and all have the same objective—pleasure.

A number of Ranger people will begin vacation Monday, in fact most of the teachers will leave for summer vacations, which will in a few weeks mean the returning to the school room, but elsewhere—Some Ranger people will summer in Europe, several in California and the usual number in Colorado and the Davis mountains.

DELPHIANS WILL STUDY FOUR NEW ENGLAND POETS.

At the meeting of the Delphian club on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the club will study four new England poets and the program will be led by Mrs. N. A. Jennett.

The text reports will be given as follows:

Longfellow's life and the general character of his works—Mrs. Anderson.

Longfellow's poems—Mrs. G. B. McClelland.

Evangeline—Mrs. Walter Harwell.

An American Man of Letters—Mrs. B. F. Granger.

Vision of Sir Launfal—Mrs. J. T. Gray.

Holmes, essayist and poet—Mrs. B. E. Rigby.

Whittier's Life—Mrs. J. A. Pitcock.

Whittier's poems of New England Life—Mrs. Mable Kimble.

The club will meet with Mrs. W. W. Housewright at 2:30. At their last meeting on Thursday, May 19, two new members, Meses. Suits and Stout were added to the roll.

MRS. F. L. CARROLL HONORS H. O. P. & A. CLASS.

Mrs. F. L. Carroll, assisted by Miss Helen Howdeshell, honored the graduating class of Hodges Oak Park, with a party on Thursday afternoon at her home at 425 Elm street.

The home was very pretty in its decorations of pink and white, the class colors, the dining table being laid in pink linen, and here was served pink and white cake, sandwiches and pink lemonade.

Miss Howdeshell directed the games and contests that were enjoyed. Mrs. Carroll's own little daughter, Martha, is a member of the 7-A class and was among those present.

MISS TIBBELS TO GIVE RECITAL TUESDAY NIGHT.

Miss Nell Tibbels will present her piano pupils in recital on Tuesday evening at the Methodist church. The program which will be announced later, will be held in the basement and is open to the public.

CHILDS STUDY CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Childs Study club will meet on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. J. Gilbert at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. W. A. Cox at 325 north Commerce street. Members will please take notice.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS PLAN MEMORIAL SERVICE.

At a meeting of the Royal Neighbors on Friday night, it was planned to hold a memorial service in June. At this meeting there were twenty-five present, among the number being the district deputy, W. H. Bryant.

LONE STAR SEWING CLUB GUEST OF MRS. CHAMBERS.

The Lone Star Sewing Club were guests of Mrs. E. L. Chambers on Thursday afternoon, enjoying a most delightful time.

After sewing for sometime, the members laid aside their needlework and enjoyed a number of contests, for which some valuable prizes were awarded.

Punch and cake were served to Meses. J. F. Trott, E. V. Dominick, Ed Sanderson, Roy Moore, F. W. Whitley, J. W. Perkins, F. M. Gamble, Edgar Huffman, Joe Moore, F. L. McCurdy, E. S. Covington and Mrs. Albert Duncan.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. V. Dominick, plant one, on Thursday.

MRS. LAURA MCCOY MAY SOON SING HERE AGAIN.

There is a possibility that Mrs.

MONDAY.

Circles of Central Baptist church. Circle 1 meets with Mrs. Williams on Oak street; Circle 2 with Mrs. Womble on Stevens avenue, and Circle 3 with Mrs. Rice on Cypress street. First Baptist W. M. U. meets at 1:30 at the church. Methodist Missionary society meets at 3 o'clock at the church.

TUESDAY.

Business meeting of P. A. L. club at the American Legion hall, 6 p. m. Child Study club meets with Mrs. E. J. Gilbert at 3 p. m. at Mrs. J. W. A. Cox's. Miss Tibbels' recital in basement of the Methodist church in the evening.

WEDNESDAY.

Ad Libitum club meets with Mrs. Jimmie Tollard, Acorn Acres, 2:30 p. m. Ranger Rotary club at 12:15, Gholson. Prayer meeting at all churches in the evening. Mrs. E. E. Crawford entertains for Oklahoma visitor.

THURSDAY.

Lone Star Sewing club meets with Mrs. E. V. Dominick at 3 p. m., plant No. 1. Thursday Bridge meets with Mrs. C. C. Craig at 2:30 p. m. Lions' club luncheon at 12:15, at the Gholson.

FRIDAY.

Twentieth Century Bridge club meets with Mrs. E. L. McMillen at 2:30 p. m. Delphians meet with Mrs. Housewright at 2:30 p. m. Mr. Edwards' recital at Methodist church at 8 p. m.

SATURDAY.

Child Welfare luncheon at Gholson, 1:30 p. m.

Laura McCoy may soon sing here again, if plans for a benefit concert that are now on foot go through. Mrs. Gifford Clegg has had a letter from Mrs. McCoy, in which she thought it possible that she could arrange a return date for Ranger, and in which she acknowledged most gratefully the receipt of a lovely gift from some of her Ranger friends.

CHILD WELFARE CLUB TO MEET SATURDAY.

The Child Welfare club will hold its regular monthly luncheon on Saturday at the Gholson hotel at 1 o'clock. Those who intend making reservations will please telephone Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn. All members of the club should make a special effort to be present at this meeting as a report of the State Nurses convention will be given by the school health nurse, Mrs. Ablard and a report of the sixth district federation meeting will be given by the club's delegate, Mrs. John Thurman.

BIBLE CLASS HAS SOCIAL MEETING AT DUNKLE HOME.

One of the pleasant events of Wednesday was a meeting of the Ladies Bible class of the First Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. John W. Dunkle on Melvin street.

There were fifteen members of the class present and three visitors, namely Meses. R. A. Disney, L. M. Davis and Burdley of West Vt. After an open table discussion of the various phases of the work was held and was followed by a pleasant social hour during which Mrs. Dunkle assisted by her daughters served a dainty lunch.

The next meeting will be in June and will be held at Big Bend, with Mrs. Crabb, a former member of the class, as hostess.

MRS. J. A. MARTIN ENTERTAINS TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB.

The Twentieth century club was entertained on Friday afternoon by Mrs. J. A. Martin at her home on the Blackwell road. Mrs. F. E. Langston made high score and received as a prize a pretty nightie, while Mrs. R. L. Hamrick received the low score prize, bath salts. The hostess served dainty refreshments to Meses. John Thurman, Saunders Gregg, Chas. Walts, W. C. Palmer, D. H. Barnett, H. A. Logsdon and R. L. Hamrick.



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CUSHING, OKLA., VISITOR HONORED AT SEVERAL PARTIES.

Ranger society has been much enlivened this week by the visit of Mrs. H. E. Layman of Cushing, Okla., who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Brahaney, as a number of social affairs have been given in her honor, the next week's calendar records several yet to come. Perhaps the most elaborate of these events was a bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Brahaney on Wednesday afternoon at her home, at which time she employed a lavender color scheme.

The guest of honor, with seven others sat at one large table, laid in a fillet cloth, centered with lavender larkspur, and further adorned with yellow tapers, while the rest of the guests were seated at smaller tables, similarly decorated. In this pretty seating the hostess served a three course luncheon, which was followed by an afternoon at bridge. Prizes were wrapped in lavender paper and were awarded to Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn who received a set of eight cups and saucers in quaintly decorated china, and Mrs. Paul Lacy, who received four ice tea glasses. Mrs. Layman was presented a handsome linen luncheon set.

These invited to meet Mrs. Layman and to spend an afternoon with her were Meses. E. E. Crawford, Paul Lacy, M. K. Collie, C. C. Craig, J. T. Gullahorn, W. R. Bowden, Roy Jameson, W. D. Conway, John Thurman, Chas. Milliken, Walter Cash, E. L. McMillen, Frank Champion, Ed Maher, A. N. Harkrider, Harry Logsdon, Jerome Mclester, C. D. Hartnett and Saunders Gregg.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Layman was given a theatre party at the Lamb theatre by Mrs. M. K. Collie, which event was followed by tea at Acorn Acres tea room.

On Thursday Mrs. Jerome Mclester took Mrs. Brahaney, Mrs. Layman and Mrs. E. E. Crawford to dinner at the Crazy hotel in Mineral Wells.

On Monday morning Mrs. Saunders Gregg will entertain for Mrs. Layman with a breakfast at Acorn Acres and on Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Crawford will have several in for bridge in Mrs. Layman's honor, at the former's home on Elm street. In addition to the special things arranged for her bridge club hostesses this week, have had the pleasure of extending their hospitality to Mrs. Layman.

YOUNG SCHOOL TEACHERS ARE HONOR GUESTS.

The Young School teachers had a delightful surprise on Thursday evening when Mrs. H. C. Jones entertained them with a dinner. Her cozy apartment was artistically decorated with spring flowers, and each teacher found her place at the prettily laid table by an attractive place card.

Those present were Meses. F. C. Lewis, L. M. Baze, Rex Outlaw, Mable Kimbel; Misses Elizabeth Cotton, Norine Maxey, Eva Long and Mittie Pettit. The other three teachers to Young School were unable to attend.

TEN PUBLICITY SCRAP BOOKS SENT TO OAKLAND, CAL.

Ten publicity scrap books, that would be a credit to any organization have been sent to the National Congress of P.-T. A. now in session in Oakland, Cal.

The ten books showed a great deal of originality, both as to general make up and as to type of publicity. The clippings show that Texas parents realize the news value of Parent-Teacher activities and have been generous with space. Articles from the big Texas dailies are found in some, in others clippings from the weekly and county papers predominate. Splendid articles are found in both types of papers, and each clipping is carefully marked with the name of the paper. Thus some county paper with a purely local circulation may furnish the article that is selected for discussion at one of the publicity conferences at Oakland, for the scrap books serve the very useful purpose of stimulating better and more publicity in parent-teacher

associations and to do this articles prepared by publicity chairmen will be under discussion while those prepared by editors and professional people will be studied to see where they conform to the rules for good publicity.

RANGER CHURCHES

First Presbyterian Church. Ranger Sunday school 9:45. S. B. Baker, superintendent. Commencement service at M. E. church, Young people's service 7:30 p. m., 8 P. M.; a report on the work of Reynolds Orphanage by Mr. Reed, special music.—G. D. ROBISON, pastor.

First Christian Church. Main near Marston, H. E. Johnson pastor. Sunday school 9:45. E. T. Walton superintendent. We want to begin Sunday school earlier this morning because we are to dismiss in time to be at the Methodist church in time for the morning services here. There will be no morning worship school but we will have our regular worship at 8 p. m. The Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:45 p. m., and the leader is anxious to have a good attendance. Don't miss your place in Sunday school. Mr. Holloway's class at Lamb theatre will meet this morning with Mrs. Holloway's class in the church.

Central Baptist Church. Rev. Sam D. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist church of Arlington, will fill the pulpit of the Central Baptist church on Sunday night. There will be no morning service. Sunday school at the usual hour.

Church of Christ. Rev. Homer Davis, pastor of the Church of Christ of Weatherford, will preach at the Church of Christ of Ranger this morning at 10 o'clock. Services were set at this hour so members of the congregation who wished to could attend the bacalaureate services at the Methodist church.

Methodist Church. Sunday school at 9:45. Walter Harwell, superintendent. Bacalaureate service at 11 o'clock by Rev. H. E. Johnson. Junior league at 6:30. Senior league at 6:30. Evening service in honor of graduates. Sacred concert. Woman's missionary society Monday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Choir practice Thursday night 8 o'clock.—REV. GEO. SHEARER.

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A swimming suit and life preserver combined in one garment is now being sold by a New York firm which specializes in sporting goods. The suit is of one-piece worsted type, constructed with rubber tubes filled with processed kapok which extends at the front and back of the bodice. The kapok keeps the swimmer afloat without adding much bulk to the appearance of the bathing suit. As one gradually learns to swim, tubes can be removed individually until the swimmer is assured of her swimming ability. When the entire tubing is removed one has the regular one-piece bathing suit. This suit comes

in children's as well as grown-up sizes and there is an assortment of colors.

Also worth mentioning are the brassiere and bathing suit combinations for the plump woman. The brassiere is made in one with the suit and is of the same worsted material which prevents it from showing beneath the suit.

Opinion seems to be that one-piece garments will be worn for swimming purposes only this season. It is hinted that the average woman has about come to the conclusion that curves

are better hidden than revealed when one lounges upon the beach or merely dips one's toes in the ocean waves. Most of the more costly bathing suits this season are made on dress wines, materials being taffeta, cretonne, velveteen, silk crepes or jerseys. Neck lines are not excessively low this year and many of them are V-shaped rather than rounding. Some of the most effective models are made of striped taffeta in overdress type with little bloomers which extend to the knee.

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WEATHER PROPHET SEES "SUMMERLESS YEAR"

SAVE THIS AND SEE IF IT'S RIGHT

Here are some of the amazing forecasts for 1927 given by Herbert Janvrin Browne of Washington, on which he stakes his professional reputation as a long range weather prophet:

"A severe cold wave will start in the Northwest June 2, sweep across the Corn Belt as far south as the Ohio and the Potomac and reach the Atlantic Seaboard by June 6. It will be accompanied by freezing temperatures and over a considerable portion of this area, it will be accompanied by snow. "The period from June 28 to July 2 will see heavy frosts in portions of this same area, while the week from July 7 to July 11 will represent a second very dangerous date. The two periods in conjunction will carry severe frosts and probably killing frosts through the great northern grain areas. "This will be a serious tornado year and one of the greatest hail-storm years ever known."

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Some time next fall, Mr. Herbert Janvrin Browne expects to be taking an advisable vacation in Tierra del Fuego.

Mr. Browne, the world champion long-distance weather forecaster learns from history that the people have always turned on prophets of disaster, and he has been saying for the past four years that 1927 was going to be a humdinger of a disastrous year.

Nineteen twenty-seven and its sun spots have begun to do justice by Mr. Browne. There have been tornadoes, floods and crop-killing cold waves, all predicted by this Washington scientist.

But the worst is yet to come!

No Summer.
For 1927, according to Browne's careful calculations, will be like 1816 historically known as a "year without a summer." Browne admits there will be some hot spells, but insists there will be killing frosts as late as July and then some early frosts, the combinations of which may almost produce a famine.

Said Browne, on April 26, last year:

"There are numerous indications which tend to sustain the forecasts which for the past three years have been identified with my work, of a return in 1927 in the Northern Hemisphere, of a year without a summer. There will be floods and droughts, dangerously late killing frosts in spring and even in midsum-



HERBERT J. BROWN

mer and a return of frosts unseasonably early in late summer, to the destruction, or at least to the serious reduction, of the great food crops of the world."

Browne's prediction seems to be running gruesomely true to forecast. Most importantly, the Mississippi floods, which he had also predicted when appearing before the house committee on agriculture, Feb. 6, 1923. He then advised the congressmen that the government should store grain and other crops against a famine.

A Costly Frost.
A cold wave from April 16 to 24-25, especially predicted by Browne on March 15, brought a frost which destroyed \$20,000,000 worth of fruit and vegetables over the country—an almost historic frost. It reduced the prospective strawberry crop 35,000,000 quarts according to the department of agriculture, and the Virginia apple crop from 40 to 50 per cent.

In Browne's January 1 forecast, part of his long range weather forecast service for which hundreds of concerns pay real money, Browne said "violent tornadoes will be one notable feature of the year."

Three major tornadoes already have come, taking hundreds of lives and great damage, and the "tornado season" is still far off. The Rock Springs tornado of early April took a death toll of about 60 and some 300 lost their lives in the recent southwestern tornado.

How Browne knows all this is too long a story to be told here. His elaborate system of forecasting is based on the long time variation in the sun's heat and its effect in producing changes in the surface temperatures of the oceans.

Sun Spots Cause It.
"Every maximum sun spot period," he says, "means violent fluctuations of solar heat. Radiation reaches the earth unevenly increasing tendencies toward earthly disturbances. The ancient Chinese knew that large sun spot years were notable for earthquakes. With millions of tons of

atmospheric pressure to the square foot of earth's surface, an alternation of high and low pressure or weak spots in the earth's crust pulls the trigger and sets off quakes. "This is only an example of my entire theory of causations. Causations are neglected in orthodox meteorological thought."

Browne and the U. S. Weather bureau have long been at swords' points. The weather bureau says it can't predict weather beyond four days at the very most. It admits that sun spots seem to cause slight weather changes, but takes every opportunity to discredit Browne and all but officially calls him a faker.

Browne replies that the bureau is in the hands of "an autocratic old fogey" armed with ancient instruments, who has propagandized the country against him. He accuses the bureau of pussyfooting, of costing the farmers \$100,000,000 a year and of altering official weather reports to eliminate actual occurrences previously predicted by Browne. The weather bureau, he says, "has never forecast a severe weather condition more than 36 hours ahead."

Time Will Tell.
Whether Browne or the weather bureau is to be discredited may well depend on the weather's actions and crop conditions for the rest of the year. Browne is perfectly willing to abide by this.

Meanwhile his clients are enthusiastic and he shows letters congratulating him on 85 to 100 per cent accuracy, including one from the Texas Wheat Growers association terminating his forecasts "remarkably right all along." Browne claims to serve 75 percent of all Washington and Oregon apple growers, many big vegetable and fruit growers, sportsmen, race promoters, convention com- mittees and a great variety of other interests concerned with future weather.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Instruments filed May 16

Royalty deed, H. J. McMullen to Rose and May Moran, 10 acre interest in 80 acres of north 1/2 of north-west 1-4, section 2, E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. survey, M. S. Bradford survey, \$50.

Assignment, Chestnut & Smith corporation to Smith Hanlon, north 100 acres of southeast 1-4 section 35 block H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$1.00.

Release judgment, Beth B. Newberry et vir to G. W. Bohning, part of lot 1 and 40 feet of lot 2, block 28, Ranger, consideration \$1.

Mineral deed, L. G. Adams to Chas. Pettit, 1-8 interest in part of S. J. Robinson survey, consideration \$10.

Warranty deed, Lon Bouldand et al to V. A. Thomas, lots 4 and 5 block A, National Highway addition to Eastland, consideration \$250.

Deed of trust, Wyley Ash to W. C. Harrell, lots 4 and 5 block 27, Gorman, consideration \$10.

Royalty deed, L. A. White et ux to Macel Williams, 7-640 interest in east 1/2 of John C. Owens survey, consideration \$1.00.

Royalty contract, N. G. Poe et ux to S. P. Rumph, southwest 1-4 of section 12 block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$4,000.

Contract and agreement, West Adams Petroleum Co. to Robt. D. Gordon, Ramsower No. 1, consideration \$1,000.

Surface lease, R. O. Goff et al to R. E. Ryan, 12 acres of G. W. Dakan survey.

Instruments filed May 17:
Warranty deed, J. G. Lanier et ux to Edgar Butler, lot 12 block B, Harrell and Klappers subdivision of Harrell and Sikes addition, consideration \$450.

Warranty deed, L. H. Hill et ux to W. H. Puetz, block B, subdivision of lot 4, block 60, consideration \$200.

Warranty deed, Homer Moorman et ux to A. A. Newell, north 1/2 of lot 1 block 111, Gorman, consideration \$3500.

M. M. lien contract, Henry Luehr to Burton Lingo Co. lot 3 block 127, Cisco, consideration \$1400.

Oil and gas lease, Jno. Gerhardt et ux to W. E. Tyler, part of Antonio Miller survey, consideration \$1,000.

Release of judgment, O. E. Ross to Alvie Crabb et al \$532.84.
Warranty deed, L. M. Sharatt et ux to Mrs. A. B. Barr, lots 7 to 10 inclusive, block 10, Olden, consideration \$175.

Extension, Texas State Bank to

G. A. Davison, south 1/2 of lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block B-2, Eastland, consideration \$10,000.

Warranty deed, M. G. Robertson et ux to J. F. Robertson, southeast 1-4 section 28, B. B. & C. Ry. Co. survey, consideration \$500.

Assignment, T. B. Busbee to J. L. Thompson, west 1/2 of 118 acres of part of Antonio Miller survey, consideration \$1.00.

Release of vendors lien, Joe F. Orr to Luther Bean et al, lot 3 block 7, Hillcrest addition to Eastland, consideration \$3,000.

Chevrolet Puts Out 111,937 Cars In Month of April

Spurred on by the greatest demand in its history, Chevrolet in April again set up a new production record with a total output for the month of 111,937 units. This exceeds by 4,037 units the best previous monthly performance in the history of the company and establishes an all-time record for the monthly production of gear-shift cars.

Equally as spectacular as the re-

markable monthly production feat, and dividing the spotlight with it was the mark established April 29, when in the short space of a day's working hours, the factories built 4,347 Chevrolet cars and trucks. This was 272 units in excess of the best previous day's record.

It was particularly fitting that the record day happened to be the same one that Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., president of the General Motors Corporation chose for a visit to the Flint plant. Mr. Sloan with C. S. Mott, vice president of the General Motors corporation, arrived at the factory early in the day as guests of W. S. Knudsen, president, and C. F. Barth, vice president of the Chevrolet Motor company.

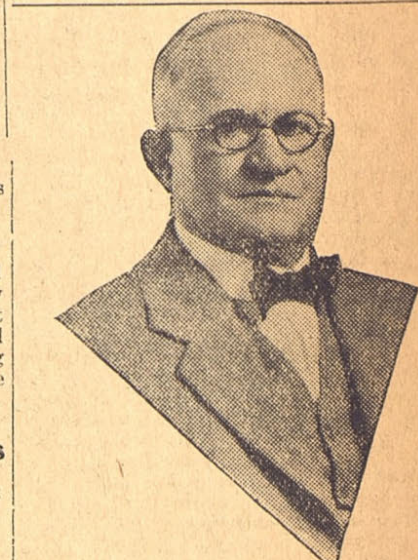
Before Mr. Sloan had completed his inspection of the big Flint plant, where men and machinery were combining to build the eight types of Chevrolet cars now available, it was evident that a new production record was in sight.

Mr. Sloan waited for number 5,317 to come off the line, congratulated Mr. Knudsen on the remarkable showing being made by the Chevrolet motor company and its product and rode off the line in the epoch-making model which again happened to be a coach.

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Texarkana, Texas

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Gentlemen:—

I wish to thank you for the check of \$1,007.20 just handed me by Mr. E. A. Smith, secretary of the association, as payment of policy held by my deceased mother, Mrs. Melissa Sawyer, of Old Glory, Texas.

My mother had been a member since 1914, always paying her assessments promptly and was a great booster for the association, knowing that she was aiding her acquaintances and friends in securing the best protection at the least cost.

Wishing for the association much success in the future, I remain

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SEE HOW SIMPLE THIS CONTEST IS. THE FIRST KEY, "TASTE," IS ILLUSTRATED AND PRESENTED ABOVE

Full details about this great contest are announced in The Saturday Evening Post, May 7; Literary Digest, May 14; Liberty, May 14; Collier's Weekly, May 21; Life, May 5.

Just to show you how simple and interesting this contest is to be, the first key, "taste," is pointed out—in the Coca-Cola story above. Watch for Coca-Cola advertising and you'll easily find all "six keys"—six outstanding reasons why everybody likes Coca-

Cola. The "six keys" will be illustrated and presented in Coca-Cola advertising between the first week in May and the middle of August.

For the correct naming of the "six keys" and the best answers to two simple questions, 635 cash prizes totaling \$30,000 will be awarded by The Coca-Cola Company, Atlanta, Ga. The first prize will be \$10,000. Contest closes August 25, 1927. Visit our plant and we'll be glad to give you further information about the contest.

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RANGER GIRLS TO GO TO NEW YORK AND MAKE MARK IN LITERARY WORLD

Going to New York a few years ago as "school ma'ams" and turning out to be authoresses, is the record made by Misses Hallie and Rosalie Jameson, daughters of D. L. Jameson of Ranger, who still call Ranger "home".

Hallie Jameson, the older Jameson girl, has just completed a text-book on English, which from all indications will be adopted by the New York state board of education, while Rosalie, two years ago a teacher at Central high school, Ranger is completing a volume on "Historic and Antique Handkerchiefs."

The Jameson girls were born in Waco but for the past seven years the Jameson family has made Ranger its home, with the girls coming back for vacations, and Rosalie teaching here one winter.

Hallie has been teaching in George Washington High school, New York, for the past two years or more. She took her master degree at Columbia, after teaching English at State university of Texas. Her book is one of a series of three, for seventh, eighth and ninth grade high school use.

Rosalie, whom Ranger people remember as a fresh young school girl, just bubbling over with life, struck out in her literary pathway, in a hitherto unexplored field as her book on "Historic and Antique Handkerchiefs" will be the first volume ever written on that subject.

Offhand it is said, it may appear uninteresting, but months of research in Europe and two years gathering

of data in America have resulted in a volume as fresh and interesting as the girl writer herself.

One chapter is devoted to the mention of the handkerchief in the Bible and in classic writings, bringing forth that in the Bible and in Shakespeare "napkin" and "handkerchief" are used interchangeably and that the holy relic, Veronica's veil, with its mysterious and vague impression of the fact of Christ, is actually what is modernly known as a handkerchief.

The book sets forth that the handkerchief was a most immodest thing in olden days and was accepted in polite French and English society in the sixteenth century. In France it was called a "tissue" and was used by Empress Josephine, to cover the defect of her very bad teeth when she laughed.

She has assembled photographic reproductions and histories of the most varied and interesting lot of handkerchiefs, all of which are woven in and out of her book in the most graphic and colorful manner.

In spite of compiling two books, and teaching their respective schools the Jameson girls each conduct a tour to Europe each year, carrying only the most select membership. They will sail for Europe in July.

The Jameson girls are just two more Texas women who have gone to New York and done something interesting in the literary world. Ruth Cross, Annie Austin, Dorothy Scarborough, 13-year-old Elizabeth Ben-

son, are among some who are in that great city making names for themselves and Texas, that bid fair to live for many a day in the annals of literary and cultural achievements.

Menjou Stars In Evening Clothes At Lamb Theatre

In "Evening Clothes" his newest Paramount starring vehicle at the Lamb theatre today, Adolphe Menjou creates another of his unforgettable screen characters. He demonstrates anew his versatility in the very opening scenes, when he portrays the French gentleman farmer, whose pleasures are the naive pleasures of rustic life. He is driven to become a boulevardier, when his marriage turns out to be a failure. Germaine (Virginia Valli) who marries him in deference to her parents' wishes, leaves him and his youth friends.

She has been brought up in the drawing rooms of Paris and is out of sympathy with the country life. Realizing their incompatibility, he allows her to leave home the night of their marriage.

Still hoping to win her, he goes to Paris. He becomes the polished gentleman but his troubles are not yet over. His opportunity to prove that he is not worthy of her love does not come. He embarks on a frivolous existence, and soon finds himself reduced to poverty.

Mississippi Flood Recalls War Time Executive to Direct Red Cross Headquarters



A marooned family of flood refugees with all their worldly goods, unloading at a Red Cross concentration camp in St. Francis County, Arkansas. Insets show George E. Scott, directing National Headquarters, American Red Cross, and Miss Elizabeth G. Fox, Red Cross Nursing Advisor for flood area.

VETERAN executives of the American Red Cross are directing its activities during the emergency created by Mississippi river flood.

George E. Scott, of Chicago, a member of the Central Committee of the American Red Cross and one of its war-time leaders, assumed charge of National Headquarters when Acting Chairman James L. Fisher was called into the field. Mr. Scott took over this duty as chairman of a special committee appointed by Judge John

Barton Payne, Chairman of the American Red Cross, prior to the judge's departure to attend Red Cross conferences abroad, this special committee being intended for service in event of emergencies arising during Chairman Payne's absence.

During the World War, Mr. Scott was General Manager of the Red Cross under the War Council, and as a member of the Central Committee, which is the governing body of the Red Cross, he is thoroughly familiar with present Red

Cross service. He is Vice President of the American Steel Foundries Company.

Miss Elizabeth Gordon Fox, Director of Public Health Nursing, American Red Cross, is Nursing Advisor for all nursing service in the Mississippi river flood area.

She is nationally known in nursing circles of the United States because of her work as National Director of the Red Cross Public Health Nursing Service as well as her activities in the general field of nursing.

The little girl next door who plays the piano every morning at 7 is one of those persons who doesn't believe in letting her left hand know what her right hand's doing.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scoggins of Cross Plains are spending the week with Mrs. W. R. Scoggins.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Sides are entertaining brand new sons this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harp were guests of Mrs. Harp's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harman the week end.

Ty Cobb and Alfred Tharp went to Strawn Wednesday on business.

The high school students enjoyed a wiener roast Thursday night.

J. W. Nicholas and C. A. Hines went to Ranger Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardman shopped in Ranger Wednesday.

Miss Lorene Scoggins was the guest of Mrs. A. M. Tharp Saturday night.

Mrs. Lee Harrison and children of Thrifty are spending the week with relatives here.

Mrs. Zeb Robertson and Mrs. R. Roberts spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Joe Herrington.

Roy Johnson is home from McCamey.

Mrs. J. O. Brown and son, Coleman came home Tuesday from Electra where they attended Mrs. Brown's son's funeral.

Ty Cobb was a supper guest at the W. R. Scoggins home Monday night.

Mrs. E. L. Chesnut and children spent the week end at Tiffin with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young.

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by Anne Austin

to share the surprise, remained in the drawing room.

"This was my—Clay's room." T. Q. opened the door into a room across the hall from his own bedroom. "Or, rather, his sitting room. His bedroom is just beyond. I haven't disturbed that. Well, Nyda, what do you think of it?"

The piano, the shelves of books and music had been removed. The walls had been tinted a pale, lovely apple green, and decorated lavishly with scenes from fairy stories. The three bears and Goldilocks, Little Red Riding Hood, the dwarfs and Snowwhite, all the beloved of children, marched in a deep frieze about the walls. A big sand table, an enormous cabinet filled with every apparatus for kindergarten work, another cabinet of toys, gave unmistakable evidence of the uses for which the room was designed.

"Your love for children, Nyda, and your desire to teach them and play with them, gave me the idea for fixing up a little kindergarten in my own home. The cook's little girl, Beatrice, and Mrs. Moore's little grandson, Tommy, named for me, by the way, will be your pupils. Bea is five and Tommy four. Do you like it, my dear?"

Nyda made a valiant effort. In the next minute she proved herself an actress of consummate skill. The blank, dismayed look which had be-

GERMANY PLANS RAID ON TRADING WITH CANADA

By FREDERICK KUH
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
BERLIN, May 21.—By proposing a system of reciprocal tariff concessions on certain products, Germany has been attempting to pave the way for an important commercial treaty with Canada.

It is an open secret that this is merely a link in a chain of German efforts to go over the head of the British mother-country and make serious inroads into England's trade with the Dominions. Rightly or wrongly, the German government evidently interpreted the trend of the last Imperial Conference as indicating a desire on the part of the Dominions to enter into closer trade relations with foreign countries, without depending upon Britain's commercial commitments.

Germany's first effort in Canada along these lines has collapsed. In this case, a German government commission, euphemistically called "non-official" visited Montreal recently. The Germans made certain proposals

to Canada which aimed to benefit Canadian flour exporters and producers at the expense of the United States, which has been doing a \$12,000,000 a year flour business with Germany.

Germany proposed to classify flour into two categories; luxury and commercial flour. The German scheme fixed a 0.61 percent ash-content of flour as the maximum limit for luxury flour. United States flour, which has a lower ash-content, would thus be classed as a luxury-brand and would be subject to higher German duties, while Canadian flour, with its high ash-content, would be marked as "commercial" and would be admitted to Germany under preferential tariff rates.

United States millers heard of this plan and protested vigorously. Their protests, I understand, were informally supported by the American embassy in Berlin, which informed the German government that the realization of the scheme would be considered a deliberate discrimination against the United States producers and exporters.

The negotiations between Germany and Canada broke down; the official reason given for their collapse was the inadequacy of present methods for ascertaining the ash-content of flour.

As a result, on April 1, the German government raised the tariff on all flour from 10 to 12½ marks per hundred kilograms.

But Germany is undaunted by this setback and is determined to revive the proposal in Canada at the earliest opportunity. This is merely one part of the German scheme to offer Canada special tariff privileges in return for similar concessions for German manufactured exports to Canada.

A similar proposal has been prepared for South Africa and Germany's policy of "peaceful commercial penetration" into the British Dominions has by no means been abandoned.

United States firms with branch factories in Canada will be obliged to divert their German export business from Canada to the United States as the result of a recent ruling of the German government. The amount of United States merchandise being produced in Canada for export to Germany and which is involved in this ruling, is estimated at many millions of dollars annually.

Following Germany's seizure of such produce on its arrival at German customs ports, increased negotiation became necessary regarding American manufactured goods, shipped to Germany from branch plants in Canada. Most of the United States factories in Canada are producing for export to Great Britain where, adorned with Canadian certificates of origin, they are granted preferential tariff rates. But large quantities of United States goods, produced in Canada, have been shipped via New York to Germany, accompanied by United States certificates of origin.

Thus United States concerns have been trying "to play" both ends from the middle; by exporting their wares as Canadian products to Great Britain, where they profit by Dominion preference, and by sending their goods to Germany as United States merchandise and thus benefiting by the United States' most-favored-nation commercial arrangements with Germany.

The General Motors Company, which has been shipping automobiles from Canada to Germany either through Canadian ports or via New York, has encountered difficulties and will probably be obliged to manufacture their automobiles for Germany on United States territory.

After German courts questioned the origin of such United States products, made in Canada, the German Ministry of Finance announced that if products are finished in free ports or bonded areas in Canada, they are

Out Our Way



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J.R. WILLIAMS
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Community Dinner At Merriman School Largely Attended

Almost 300 members of the Merriman community enjoyed a community dinner at Merriman school Friday, worked Merriman's million dollar cemetery, elected officers for the Merriman Cemetery association and took up a collection that amounted to \$87 which will be used for the benefit of the cemetery.

It was a great day at Merriman, and was the closing day of Merriman's ward school.

A called meeting of the Cemetery association resulted in an election of officers being held and the following officers were chosen to carry on the work of the association for the coming year:

Mrs. J. N. Poe, president, Earnest Webb of Eastland and John Clemmer of Ranger, vice presidents; ways and means committee, Mmes. F. O. Hise and Ethel Horton of Ranger, Wilm. Brasher of Eastland, Houston Brashers of Merriman, Newt Crowley of Staff, Tom Duncan of Eastland and Joe Fox of Olden.

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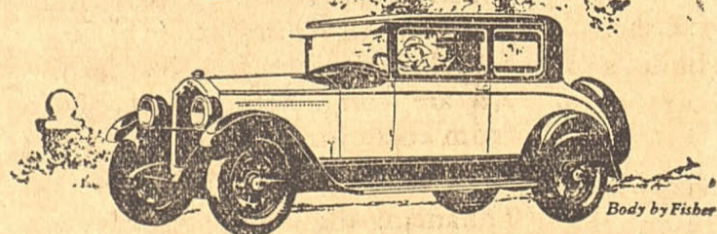
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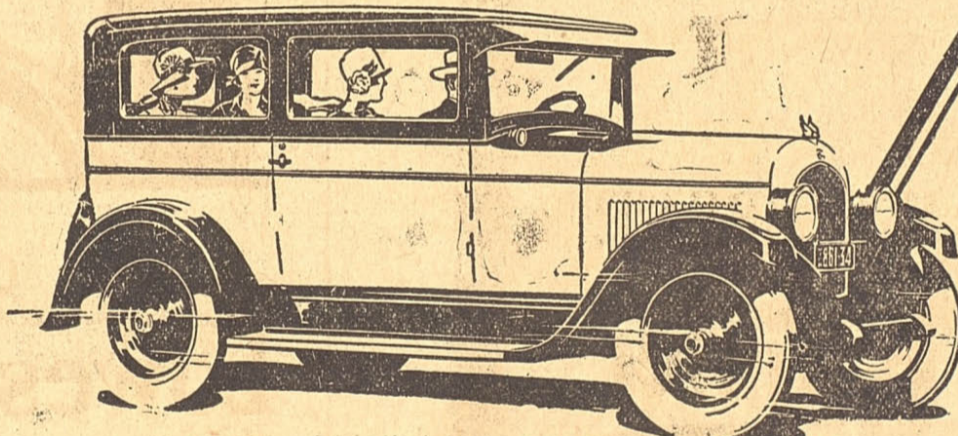
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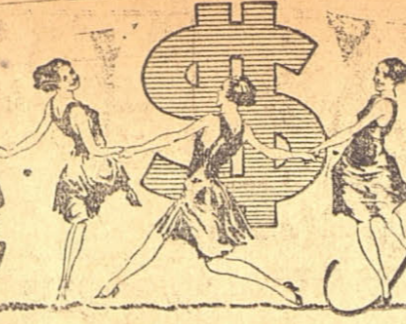
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DAUGHTERS of MIDAS

by Anne Austin



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THIS HAS HAPPENED
T. Q. Curtis, millionaire department store owner, selects three girls from his establishment to come into his home as wards for one year, because he believes that they have worthy ambitions which he wants to help further.

Billy Wells, who wants to become a concert violinist, is the only one of the three that is in earnest. Nyda Lomax and Winnie Shelton accept old T. Q.'s generosity under false pretenses.

A Mrs. Meadows is hostess for the wards. Her nephew, Dal Romaine, cleverly "plays" Billy, Nyda and Winnie, much to the despair of Billy, who is infatuated with him.

Billy overhears Mr. Curtis say he is going to adopt one of the girls for his daughter when the year is up, and in order not to have an unfair advantage, she tells the other girls what she has heard. A battle immediately begins for the prized place. Billy is disgusted with the obvious deceit of Nyda and Winnie and would drop out of the race but for her realization of the fact that to be adopted by old Curtis would give her an advantage with Dal.

Billy is in a hateful dilemma, she is infatuated with Dal, though there lingers the tender memory of Clay Curtis, with whom she has been deeply in love. Clay, son of her benefactor, has disinherited himself and is boarding with Billy's mother in the poor section of the town, working in an automobile factory in the daytime and writing music at night.

Because of her infatuation for Dal, Billy begins to lose interest in her music. One evening when old T. Q. dejectedly remarks that his temporary adoption of the three girls has caused a drop in morale in his store, Nyda suggests that the employees are jealous but with false sweetness asks what she can do to help "dear Daddy Curtis."

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXIX
"Have the girls in the store been talking about us, Mr. Curtis?" Winnie asked in a small, aggrieved voice. "I'm sure I for one have been the soul of courtesy to the girls who've waited on me. I wouldn't offend them for the world."

"I'm not blaming you—any of you," T. Q.'s stern face softened. "But I suppose it was inevitable that there should be jealousy and tale-bearing. I take three girls out of my store, set them up in what the papers call luxury, and leave the others to work for their living. I might have foreseen this, but a man always fools himself that his own money is his to do with as he pleases."

"What do they say about us, Mr. Curtis?" Billy cut in. "It happens that I haven't had much money to shop with, because of what I give to my mother and the high cost of becoming a violinist. But I noticed that the girls didn't seem any too pleased to wait on us. Not that I blame them," she added honestly. "I'd loathe it, if I were in their position."

"They apparently do," T. Q. said. "Miss Simmons says the general complaint is that you girls ritz them, high hat them, I believe their very expressive term is. I'd rather not go into unpleasant details but I believe all of you had better be seen at the store as little as possible. I never thought I'd be advising customers with cash in their pockets to shop elsewhere."

but I believe it's best in this case. You get another month's allowance tomorrow, and I suggest, just to save unpleasantness, that you do your shopping anywhere but in the Curtis store. Nothing to cry about, little girl." He chuckled. Winnie quivering chin with awkward kindness. "Now, let's forget it. Suppose you play for us after dinner, Billy. You've been putting me off with excuses too many evenings."

"Mr. Navratil has given me an inferiority complex," Billy explained aversively.

"Don't let the professor buffalo you," T. Q. chuckled. "You play plenty good enough for old T. Q. now. Bring your fiddle into the parlor after dinner." He always referred to the drawing room as the parlor.

She had been practicing that afternoon in the music room and when she obediently went to fetch her violin, Dal Romaine, who had arrived just as coffee was being poured, followed her.

"Not angry with me, Mignon?" he asked softly. As she reached to the top of a low bookcase to get her violin, his fingers trailed along her bare arm, in an electrifying caress.

"Don't do that!" she cried sharply.

"Didn't Winnie give you my message yesterday?" His black eyes brooded upon her with a shadow of hurt in them. "I telephoned, she answered the phone, and said you were not in, that you had left word that you would be at your mother's all afternoon. She asked if I would take her for a drive instead—and I did, wishing all the while that it was you, Mignon."

"I was in, waiting for you," Billy protested, her blue eyes wide with misery and doubt. "She simply lied, if she told you I was at mother's. Then when Ralph asked me to go driving with him, I accepted. I saw you drive up, saw Winnie get into your car. I—I didn't know what to think," she added, in a low, shaken voice. "Oh, sometimes I wish I were out of this house. Nyda and Winnie hate me, and they hate each other. The whole house seethes with intrigue. It's like a nightmare, with T. Q. being made a fool of—"

She stopped short, her eyes widening with a sudden, cold fear that she had told too much.

"Let's run away from it for just one day." He flashed that miracle-working smile of his. "We were cheated out of our drive yesterday. Let's make a whole day of it tomorrow, Mignon, please."

"I've got a music lesson in the morning," she forced herself to confess, though her whole body sang with joy at the thought of a day alone with him. "And I've really got to do some shopping in the afternoon."

"Listen, Mignon, cut your music lesson this once. You've been working too hard. We'll shop in the morning. I have excellent taste in women's clothes, though I suppose," he smiled at himself, "all men think that of themselves. And just today I saw a dress which you positively must have. It was made for you. No, I won't tell you where I saw it. Come, Billy, don't be such a conscientious person. We'll shop in the morning, drive to Clifton for lunch, then on and on, wherever our fancy leads us, until we find a little road-house for tea, then back in time for



It was only when she was dancing with Dal Romaine that she was at all happy

dinner, unless I can persuade you to give me the evening, too. Will you, Mignon?"

"Now what scheme have you got, buzzing about in your funny little head?" T. Q. twinkled at her affectionately.

"Pshaw, Child!" T. Q. protested, but he was enormously pleased and touched. "You don't want to devote your evenings to a cranky old man while these two gadabouts—he grinned at Nyda and Billy—"flit from party to party. You're a mighty popular girl with your new friends, and if I let you slave for me in the evenings, I'd be mobbed by a score or so of your admirers."

"You make me laugh!" Winnie gurgled. "I don't like any of them as well as I do you. Won't you let me help you two or three evenings a



"Not angry with me, Mignon?" he asked softly.

She gave in suddenly, her conscience deserting her as he took her hands in his, as if he knew that the magic of his touch could plead with her more effectively than words.

"Mr. Curtis is waiting for you," Nyda appeared in the doorway, her black eyes gleaming hatred.

Billy played surpassingly well that evening, for the ecstasy that quivered in every nerve was communicated to the bow and the strings of her sensitive instrument.

Nyda watched her sullenly. Winnie's eyes were cold. When Billy had played two selections, Winnie ran to perch on T. Q.'s chair, running her tiny fingers through his hair.

"I can't play the fiddle, Daddy Curtis," she told him in a sweet, wistful voice, "but I'm learning to play the typewriter like a real private secretary. Like this," and she thumped rapidly and lightly upon his head with twinkling fingers. "And I can take dictation if they talk real slow."

"I want you to let me be your private secretary here at home," she confided in a pretty rush of words. "No, don't laugh at me," she pouted as T. Q. chuckled. "I'm awfully serious. I love being with you in the evenings, and you're always fussing with papers and accounts and things, so you don't have any time at all to talk to me. So I thought," she confided, laying her cheek against his, "that maybe you'd dictate your letters to me and let me help you with the household accounts. And I'd get lots of practice to help me become a good private secretary."

When Shakespeare wrote that "all the world's a stage," he no doubt foresaw that all the women in it would dress like chorus girls.

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week anyway? There's always time after dinner before we have to go to a dance or anything—"

"Now, I ask you, is that fair?" Nyda could stand it no longer. "We shut him up in the library and have him all to yourself. We won't stand for that, will we, Billy?" She was forced to ring in Billy as an aid.

"I don't think Billy would mind," T. Q. gave Billy a keen look. "I don't see much of her as it is. The Bradleys and the Trumans and the Krugers seem to have taken a mortgage on her evenings. This is the first time we've had the pleasure of hearing her violin for more than a week. But I want all of you to have a good time in your own way. I'll be mighty glad to have your help, Winnie," he conceded with a whimsical smile, "if you want to donate your services to the old man. But I'll have to learn to slow up my dictation."

"If you don't care how your letters look, it ought to be a swell arrangement," Nyda thrust maliciously. "Winnie got 38 on a spelling test. I saw her paper—by accident."

"Oh, Nyda, you're jealous!" Winnie mourned, cuddling closer to T. Q. "No need for any of my girls to be jealous," T. Q. laughed gruffly. "I'm proud of all of you. But I've

got a surprise for you, Nyda. Reckon we better tell her now—show her, Mrs. Meadows?" He turned deferentially to Mrs. Meadows, who sat knitting placidly, with Dal Romaine on a hassock at her feet.

"Why yes, I think it's finished. The list of the workmen left today. Shall we go up now? Mr. Curtis has planned a delightful surprise for Nyda. I am sure she will be very nappy."

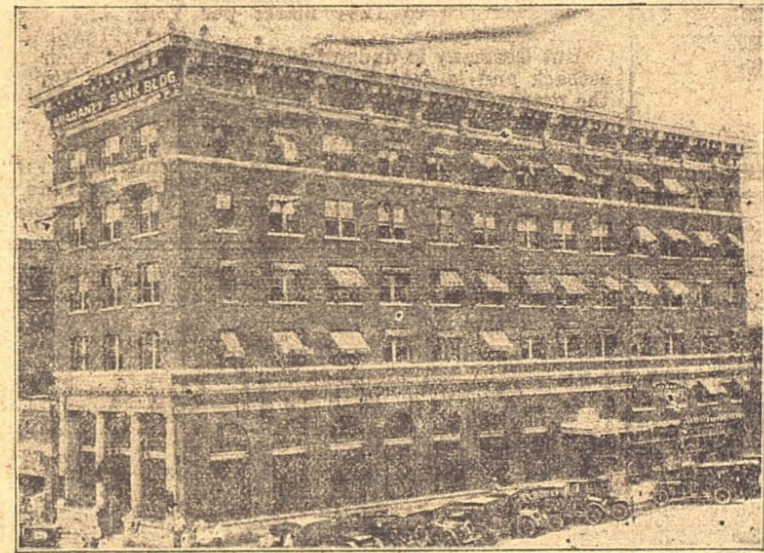
Wanderingly, the three girls followed T. Q. and Mrs. Meadows up the stairs to the second floor, on which T. Q. had his own apartment. Dal Romaine, smiling a little cynically at T. Q.'s failure to invite him

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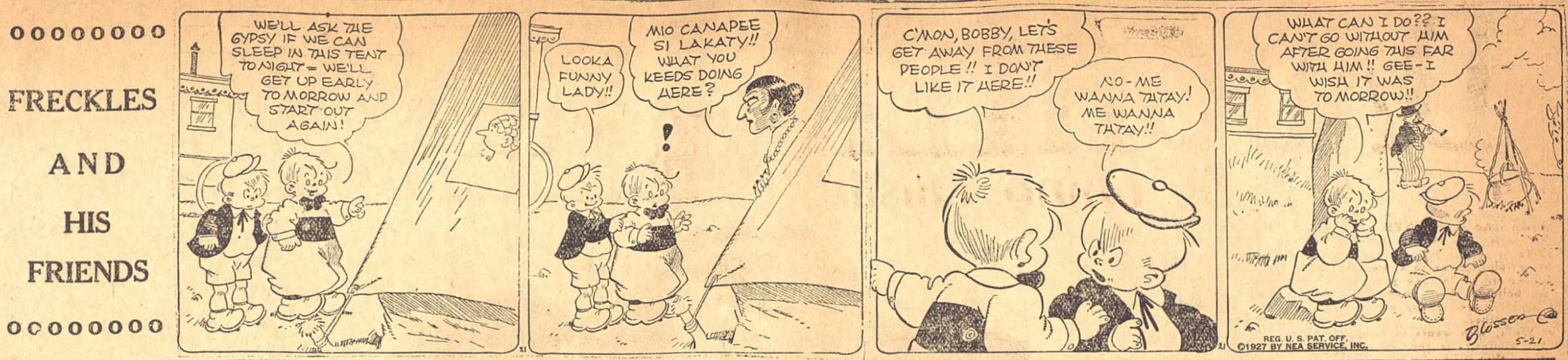
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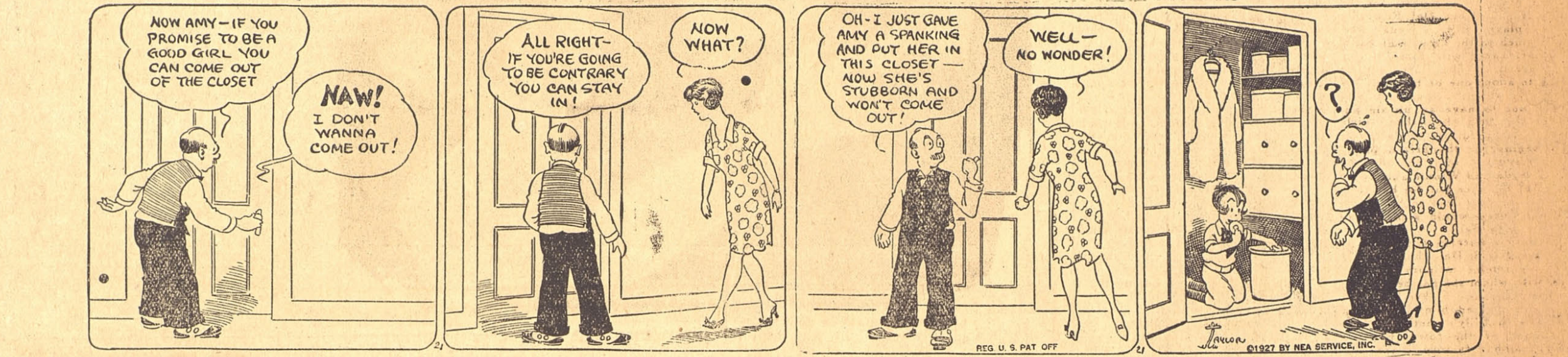
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BUSINESS WOMEN OF NATION OPEN CHICAGO CONVENTION

By United Press.
 By MAX BUCKINGHAM
 (United Press Staff Correspondent)
 CHICAGO, May 19.—A miniature city of women has been built here in the historic old Coliseum for the opening of the third annual Woman's world fair tonight.

In the grimy old building, whose rafters have resounded to everything from national political convention to livestock shows, successful business women will demonstrate that this is not a man's world. There will be present women who have won fame as road builders, as pie makers and as pottery manufacturers.

The Coliseum will be divided off into tented sections and various exhibits will be on display by successful women managers. Women inventors will show among other things a device guaranteed to stop "Jacob's ladder" in cobwebby chiffon hose; a safety guard for ear rings and a trick cake pan.

There will be one section devoted to mental hygiene and vocational analysis will be made of young people.

One woman architect will have a miniature model of a sanitary kitchen while eight interior decorators will collaborate on dressing up a suite of rooms.

Women even have gone into the so-called heavier works and one woman will demonstrate how easy it is to dismantle and rebuild an automobile. She claims she will do it in 50 minutes.

The fair is not alone devoted to American women. There will be foreign sections as well. Representatives from Finland, France, Czechoslovakia, Norway and Sweden will have a series of booths which will have all of the color of an old-country market-place.

One of the unique corners will be called "Place of People" in Petrograd. In this booth will be a series of small shop keepers displaying their means of making a livelihood. Among the exhibitors will be a woman who makes greeting cards, a woman who makes jewelry by hand, and creators of fashions and trills.

The feminine touch will be complete throughout. The printer, the florist, orchestra conductor and even the official insurance broker for the fair all are women.

The fair will formally open this evening with an address of welcome by Vice President Charles G. Dawes.

From tonight until the convention closes May 27 there will be a continuous round of activities for the women who are expected here.

One of the foremost affairs of the fair is the annual Famous Women's Breakfast, Tuesday. The outstanding women of each state, appointed by the governor of each state, will occupy positions at the speaker's table.

Among the women who have signified their intentions of attending the breakfast are:

Judge Florence Allen of the Ohio State Supreme Court; Congresswoman Mary T. Norton of New Jersey; Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, former president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs whose home is in Texas; Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith of Iowa; Dr. Sophonisba Breckenridge, dean of women of the University of Chicago, representing Kentucky; Margaret Kelly Cable, North Dakota; Dorothy Cunningham, a road builder, from Indiana. There will also be a number of nationally prominent writers in attendance.

War Department At War With War Prevention Body

By RODNEY DUTCHER
 NEA Service Writer
 WASHINGTON.—Any reputation Washington may have for neighborliness is likely to be shattered one of these days by a sanguine battle between the War Department and those people "across the street"—the National council for Prevention of War, which is housed on Seventeenth street, opposite the State, War and Navy building.

They're not neighborly at all. Battling between these forces is unofficial, of course, and physical conflict is only a possibility in which the peacemakers would have a hard time. But the people of the War department refer to the National council crowd as "militarists" and the National council yells back "militarists!"

The army officers hint that there is a strong red tinge "across the street," and the peace missionaries think their neighbors are a bunch of swashbucklers.

Frederick J. Libby, the salaried

executive secretary of the council, insists that the council moved into its offices "across the street" by merest chance, but you can't persuade the army folks of that and every time an officer gazes out a window on the Seventeenth street side he is filled with disgust or perhaps with anger at the big sign "across the street" and the evidences of activity within.

The army, while it may admit that it has no strong evidence linking the organization with Moscow, believes that the council seeks to have this country scrap its army and navy as an object lesson to the rest of the world. This charge was put directly to Mr. Libby by your correspondent. "You won't find anything like that in anything we have ever said or written," replied the executive secretary. "And we've put out 600,000 pieces of literature since the first of the year."

He accuses army officers of misrepresentation and said that the council must have been confused with the Women's Peace Union or the Women's Peace Society, both of which organizations were refused affiliation with the council because, Libby said, they were too militantly peaceful. The council's aims, he added, were progressive world organization for peace, a world-wide reduction of armament by international agreement, and world-wide education for peace.

While sort of an armistice is in force on Seventeenth street, the military is prosecuting the war in the field, Libby says, through activities of local reserve officers and a new group known as the Military Intelligence association.

EDWARDS STUDENTS TO GIVE CONCERT FRIDAY

Advanced students of J. M. Edwards, choir director of the Methodist choir of Ranger, will be presented in recital on Friday evening, May 27, at the Methodist church.

Mr. Edwards is planning a special summer course in vocal training which will begin May 24 and end on July 1.

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Program Monday Night Will End Eventful Week

After a week filled with splendid programs, given by the various ward schools of Ranger, and including the senior play, the commencement program on Monday night will bring the week's events to a brilliant close. Teachers of the schools will be released from their duties Monday.

The commencement program will begin at 8 o'clock Monday evening and be held at the High school auditorium. The program follows:

Overture, R. H. S. Music club orchestra, Gillian Buchanan, director.

Invocation, Rev. G. D. Robinson.

The Junior College, Gladys Maddocks, honor graduate.

Vocal solo, "Kajawiak" (Wimmanski), Olga Mitchell.

Salutatory, Lottie Watkins.

President's proclamation, Altt Bearden.

Class prophecy, Mrs. Lois Johnson.

Class will, Bobby Sanderford.

Vocal solos, "Just a Wearing for You" and "I Love You Truly" (Carrie Jacobs Bonds), Marjorie Maddocks.

Valedictory, Zada Walton.

Commencement address, Judge William Pannill, chief justice court of civil appeals.

Presentation of High school diploma.

Hodges Oak Park School Program On Friday Night

At the closing program of Hodges Oak Park school, Ranger, held at the Methodist church on Friday night, L. H. Flewollen presented the diplomas to the graduating class, and Mrs. F. L. Carroll, retiring president of the Parent-Teacher association of Hodges Oak Park, presented the grammar school faculty, Mrs. Mae Howell and Misses Helen Howdeshell and Wilma Simer, with a purse and boxes of handkerchiefs respectively.

Mrs. Suzanne Murray, of Mother's Fat shop, presented Mrs. Healer and Miss Howdeshell with beautiful bouquets of roses.

The church was artistically decorated in the class colors, pink and white, and the girls of the class wore white frocks and carried arm bouquets of pink carnations, while the boys wore dark trousers, and white shirts.

Place lamps, shaded in pink and white larkspur and ferns formed the pretty decorations.

Principal J. B. Preston.

Presentation of Junior College diplomas, Pres. R. F. Holloway.

Recessional, R. H. S. Music club orchestra.

"FIVE BIRDS GOING WEST"



Entertainment By Ranger Lions Booked for June 2

Six-bits, four-bits and two-bits will pay one's way into the biggest show of the year, which will be put on by Ranger Lions on the night of June 2 at the Liberty theatre.

At this time Ranger people will see for the first time that classic vaudeville act, entitled "Five Birds Going West." Their act always stops the show and they are said to have recently refused an engagement with one of the big vaudeville circuits. They are an aggregation of singing dancing, banjo playing comedians that are worth walking miles to see.

Thirty-five people will participate in the seven big acts that will be shown on the night of the big show. It's a real show—no foolin', and the Lions club of Ranger feels very fortunate in booking this big bill for the annual benefit.

If there are any people in Ranger or Eastland county, who are under physicians orders not to laugh, or who have had their face lifted and fear that a hearty laugh might make 'em slip, they had better not attend the Lions big show, for it'll be the laugh of the season.

The Five Birds Going West, have a skit that is deadly to blues and was originated in the lap of mirth. These five birds won't make known their identity at present, but suffice to say, they're some birds and their act is worth the price of admission alone, yet, besides them there will be thirty-five other fine entertainers and a number of unusual skits to make this the real hit of the season. Make a ring around June 2, for that's the night.

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LENIN'S WIDOW SEES PERIL IN CHURCH RITES

By United Press.

MOSCOW.—Peril in the beauty of church services is seen by Nadejda Krupskaya, widow of Nicholas Lenin, the former bolshevik leader. She warned the communists that the dramatic religious rites of the old Russian Orthodox church constitute a grave danger to the atheistic teachings of the communists because they attract the people to enter the churches.

"Church art is widely disseminated and it is often the only art accessible to the people," she said. "We must find something more interesting than church art and church drama to give to them, then they will stop going to church."

She told about a meeting in a village near Pskoff, when a traveling moving picture performance drew the villagers away from the churches during the sacred Passion Week. But when the moving picture show had gone, she said, the peasants with one accord went back to the churches to take part in the solemn and beautiful ceremonies of sanctifying the "kuli-chi" special Passion Week cakes.

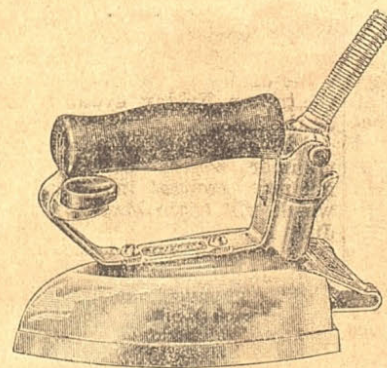
"The communist youth union," Mme. Krupskaya said, "is going right in encouraging accordion playing competitions and in devising other distractions, to satisfy the people's desire for beauty and art somewhere else than in church."

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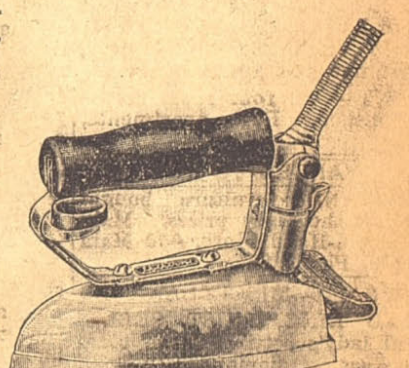


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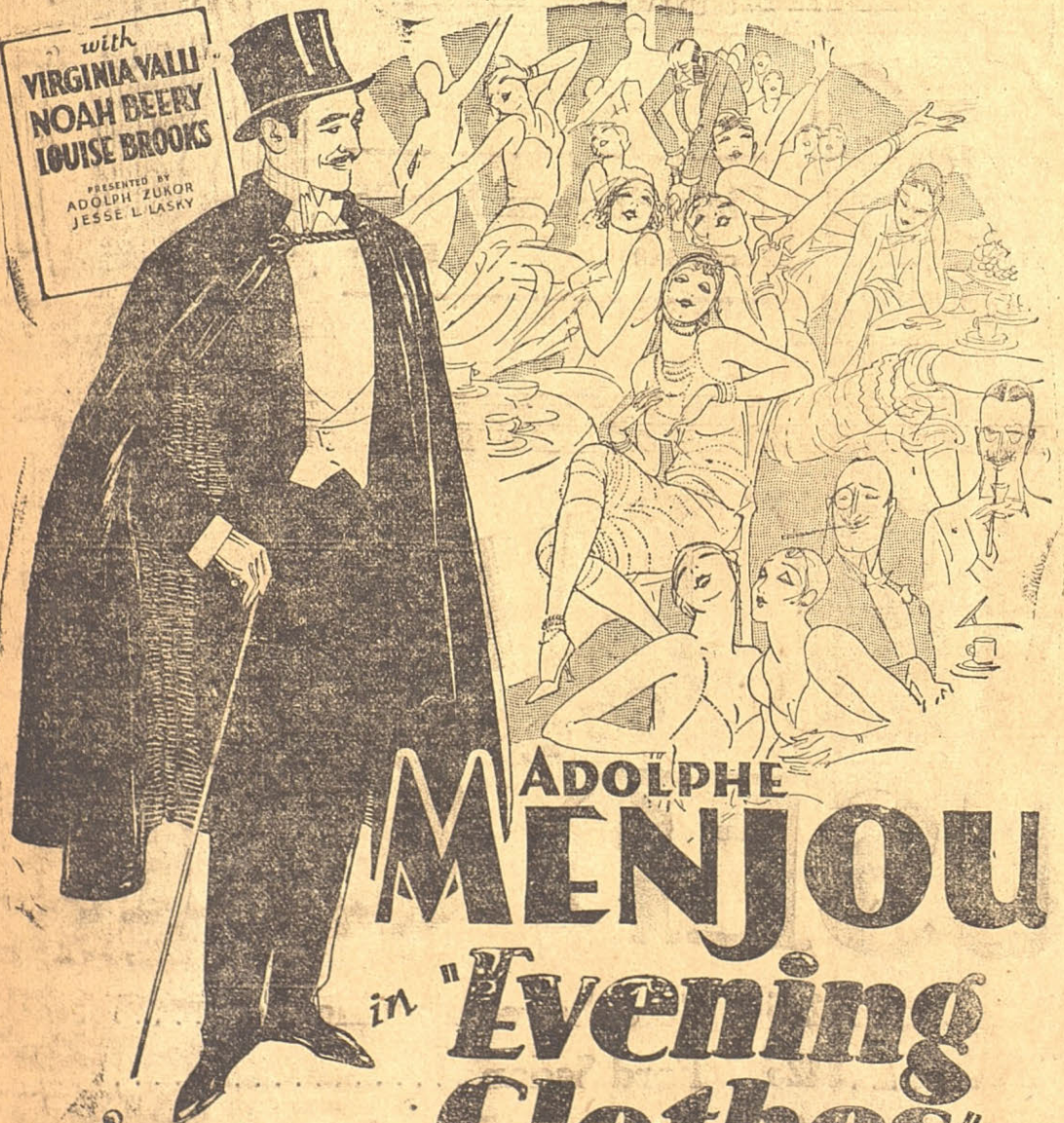
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