

BISHOP'S LETTER TELLS OF CHINA QUAKE

AMIEE SEMPLE MCPHERSON RESIGNS AS ANGELUS TEMPLE HEAD

WILL LEAVE CITY WHEN PASTOR NAMED

Stormy Session With Mother And Lawyers Precedes Her Action

By United Press.
LOS ANGELES, July 29.—Amiee Semple McPherson, flaming haired evangelist of world-wide fame, will resign as pastor of Angelus Temple and leave Los Angeles, it was learned here today.
The self-styled "admiral of the four-square gospel lighthouse," following a stormy session with Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, her mother and two lawyers last night, prepared her resignation today to become effective when a successor is appointed.
Preceding the meeting, Mrs. Kennedy and the evangelist staged a "watermelon party" for the benefit of the press—both eating a slice of watermelon holding hands and patting each other's cheeks and calling the attention of newspaper men to their love for each other.

Greatest War In All History Started 13 Years Ago Today

Lena's Dower Is \$1,000,000



On the eve of her wedding to James (Bud) Stillman, Jr., son of the New York millionaire and society man, Lena Wilson, "Cinderella of the North Woods," was given a bridal present of \$1,000,000, according to dispatches from Grand Mere, Quebec. Mrs. Stillman was a servant in the Grand Camp of Bud's mother, Pifi Potter Stillman. Here is the bride in her wedding gown.

First Gun Fired July 29 Cost the Lives of Nearly Ten Million People in Four Awful Years

By C. P. WILLIAMSON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, July 29.—Thirteen years ago today a shell whistled into the center of the terrified city of Belgrade. It was the Austrian empire's answer to Serbia's plea for peace.
Little did the happy young Austrian officer who pulled the lanyard of the gun that sent the shell into the city realize that it would throw the entire bloodthirsty continent of Europe into more than four years of misery and starvation.
A month and a day before the people of Serbia were awakened to the realities of war by that shell, the Archduke Franz Ferdinand, heir to the throne of the Austrian Empire, was assassinated by a Serb in the little village of Sarajevo, within the Serbian kingdom.
A few days later the Austrian minister at Belgrade delivered an ultimatum to the Serbian government. Forty-eight hours were given for a reply. The reply was made within the specified time, Serbia conceding to all of Austria's demands except two. At the end of the reply was appended a plea for peace and arbitration in the event the reply was found unsatisfactory.
That single shell was the ignition of the spark which cost humanity the following:
9,988,771 known dead;
2,991,800 presumed dead;
6,295,512 seriously injured;
14,002,039 otherwise wounded;
\$136,333,637,097 direct cost of the war;
\$29,960,000,000 property loss of the war;
\$33,551,276,280 capitalized value of the loss of life.
Hundreds of hospitals throughout Europe stand today as the only remaining monuments to the human wrecks of those four years from 1914 to 1918, which they house. In these refuges for the tens of thousands of insane, maimed, incurable and broken pieces of humanity there was no celebration today.
In the foreign offices and war and naval establishments of virtually every country in Europe there are few who today will so much as give a thought of what happened thirteen years ago, for Europe is silently and secretly, yet rapidly sharpening its (Continued on page five.)

He Can't Back Out Now



Mr. Gunn's younger daughter seems worried about the trip that Pop is planning to the south pole. Mom is worried, too, and feels that it's all her fault. If she hadn't plucked poor Pop with her hero-worship of sheiks and adventurers, he never would have signed for the expedition.
But Pop now is determined to go through with the plans that he and Captain Ericson, leader of the expedition, are making. They expect to sail from South America into the Antarctic ice fields—as far as the ship can carry them. Then—if they get there—they will trudge over the frozen wastes to the point where only two men ever have been before.
Consternation reigns in the Gunn household, but there seems to be no way of stopping the mad dash now. Pop already has signed an agreement, and he couldn't back out if he wanted to—and he does.
Follow the story every day on the comic page of this paper.

REPORT SAYS DISASTER CAME ON MAY 23

One Hundred Thousand Killed, Survivors Are Suffering Miserably

By United Press.
LONDON, July 29.—A 100,000 Chinese were killed in an earthquake on May 23, in the remote province of Kansu, China, Monsignor Stuylenbrock, vicar apostolic of the Stuylen Mission at Liangchow, reported in a letter to the Shanghai correspondent of the Westminster Gazette.
Broken telegraph communications prevented news of the disaster from reaching the outside world sooner.
The bishops letter gave the first details of the catastrophe. The letter said the cities of Sisiang, Liangchow and Kulang, were wiped out instantly and at least 10,000 persons were killed in Liangchow alone.
The city of Tumentse was buried beneath the moving mountain. He said the survivors were living in huts without food or clothing and their misery was indescribable.
The quake occurred during mass at Liangchow and dozens of the congregation including the mother superior and many children were buried when the church collapsed.

ONE DEAD, 1 WOUNDED IS FIGHT'S TOLL

Officers Searching For Still Claim Farmers Open Fire on Them.

By United Press.
BYERS, Texas, July 29.—Jake Thornton, young farmer near here is dead and deputy sheriff John Watson is seriously wounded as the result of a gun battle on the Thornton farm near here today.
According to Watson he and deputy sheriff Harry Simpson went to the Thornton ranch in search for a liquor still. He said Thornton and his brother, Ashur Thornton, opened fire on the officers.

Minister Is Shot Accidentally In Washington

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, July 29.—Senor Francisco Sanchez Latour, Guatemalan minister to the United States was apparently winning a battle against death at emergency hospital here today with a bullet wound below his heart.
His American wife at his bedside told United Press he had dropped an old pistol on a table in his study at 12:30 a. m. and it broke into pieces discharging a bullet into his breast.
"It was purely an accident," she said.

Eastland Man Is Bitten by Rabbid Dog Report Says

At least one case of rabies has been found in Eastland, according to information received by City Manager James H. Cheatham from the State health office at Austin.
A few days ago Mr. Bellos, formerly with the Crouch plumbing company, was bitten by a dog which showed signs of rabies. The dog was killed and his head sent to the state laboratory at Austin for examination for rabies, and Mr. Cheatham received a telegram stating that there was positive evidence of rabies in the dog's brain.
Mr. Bellos, the man whom the dog had bitten, left Eastland Thursday for Austin where he will take treatment.
While many dogs in Eastland were vaccinated during a campaign that has been in progress for some weeks, the city officials state that there are many others that have not been vaccinated for rabies and they urge that their owners have them vaccinated at once.

REALLY GOT HER MONEY'S WORTH

By United Press.
DALLAS, July 29.—When Edna Hall, 370 pound negress, fell and broke her leg she created a difficult task for ambulance drivers.
The stretcher in the ambulance would not accommodate her generous portions. It was necessary to put a mattress on the floor of the ambulance on which she could ride to the hospital.

Governor Moody Has Not Abused Pardon Power

By United Press.
AUSTIN, July 29.—Governor Dan Moody has granted one full pardon in his seven months as governor. That was to Lloyd Sheets, a 17 year old boy, given six years on a liquor violation charge in Rains county.
He has granted eight conditional pardons, 22 general paroles, and remitted jail sentences or fines in eight cases. He has restored full citizenship to 18 persons.
Three reprieves have been granted to men awaiting execution.
Most of his clemencies have been furloughs granted for periods ranging from five days to 120 days. These were usually because of family illness or expected visitations of the stork. In 21 cases, furloughs have been extended.
While granting these clemencies, Governor Moody has revoked former clemencies in 19 cases where terms of parole or conditional pardons were violated.
In no case has he paroled a prisoner on salary to any individual.
"I do not favor that kind of penance," he said.
During Governor Moody's absence from Texas, Acting Governor Barry Miller issued four pardons, four conditional pardons, 11 furloughs and four extensions of furlough. He remitted three jail sentences and issued one reprieve.

Lindbergh Asked To Visit Ranger While In Texas

W. C. Hickey, secretary of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce has written Colonel Chas. A. Lindbergh, inviting him to stop in Ranger on his way from Fort Worth to Abilene, and thence to El Paso. According to advices from Abilene the gallant aviator is expected in that city on September 26.
Mr. Hickey said that while he doubted if Colonel Lindbergh could stop here on account of his tour being under the control of the Guggenheim Air Fund, he, in behalf of the Chamber of Commerce and the citizenship of Ranger wanted to extend him an invitation to stop here and it might work out that he could.

Heavy Rains In Panhandle Help Crop Prospects

By United Press.
CHILDRESS, July 29.—Heavy rains were reported over the Texas Panhandle as far west as the Rocky Mountains today. Rainfall over this vicinity totaled 2 inches. Paducah Quana and Wellington all reported heavy rains today. The feed crops prospects are considered excellent over this section and the cotton fields and cattle ranges have improved materially as the result of ideal weather conditions.

ELECTRA MAN'S DEATH DUE TO SUICIDE

ELECTRA, July 29.—L. A. Haddonson, 36, died after taking poison at his home here today. A coroner's verdict held death due to suicide.

Ranger Will Have Fine Park and Bathing Pool

Work Already Underway on Pool Near Shamrock Park, Opening Planned for Aug. 25

A park and swimming pool project for Ranger that will at once involve an expenditure of \$6,000 is under way on West Main street.
A deal has just been closed between J. L. Johnson, formerly of the Hodges estate by which Johnson has leased a block of land that is bounded on the north by main street, on the south by Pine, on the east by Homer and on the west by the Eastland Hill road, and lies due east of Shamrock park, for the purpose of a park and swimming pool.
Construction of a concrete swimming pool 100 by 200 feet has been started and ten teams and a number of men are busy clearing the site and making excavations for the pool.
The pool will be from two feet to nine feet deep. A natural oak, venerable in age and mighty in shade, will form the center of a sand island near the center of the pool. Weeping willows almost touch the water's edge in several places and large hackberry, oak, mesquite and willows furnish ample shade for the pool and the park.
Toboggan slides, and other aquatic equipment will be put in the same place with the pool. The site of the pools and sand imported from Galveston will provide a bathing beach.
Rustic Scenes.
The bath houses will be constructed on one side of the pool and be centered by the office and check rooms. They will be equipped with shower baths, bathing suit dryers, and individual dressing rooms and a basket system of handling clothes and valuables will be used.
Work is being pushed rapidly and the management hopes to have an opening on August 25. The plans at that time are to have everything free and invite folks for miles around to enjoy Ranger's playground.
The park is of great natural beauty. A stream meanders through it and this will have rustic bridges across it at intervals and its banks planted with flowers. The park will be landscaped and its natural beauty lent an added charm by the hand of man.
The entire park will be enclosed with a cable fence and plenty of parking space for automobiles will be arranged as it is hoped to have the four streets bounding it chatted in the near future.
Near City.
It is within six blocks of the business district of Ranger and easily accessible by foot as well as by car. It has the advantage of natural forest trees and plenty of them, of a natural stream of water, of location and will answer a crying need of Ranger.
The new playground has not been named. Suggestions are in order and anyone wishing to win a season ticket to the swimming pool may take a try by sending to the Times office a name. The only name suggested so far is Sylvan Park.

TWENTY SEVEN BOAT VICTIMS ARE RECOVERED

Fifteen of Dead Are Small Children and Ten Are Women, Seeking Relief From Heat

CHICAGO, July 29.—Twenty-seven bodies of the victims of the tug, Favorite, were recovered today as officials sought to fix responsibility for sinking the small steamer. Fifteen of the dead were small children, ten were women and one man was drowned. Divers searched the bottom of Lake Michigan near the place where the vessel went down for additional bodies.
The little boat on which some 75 people embarked late yesterday afternoon had been raised today by derrick crews who worked throughout the night to bring it to the surface. A small steamer capsized in a squall midway on its run of half a dozen miles between the Chicago municipal pier and Lincoln park.
The crowd aboard was composed almost entirely of children and their mothers who had paid a quarter for the ride in the cooling lake breeze—a brief respite from the intense heat which gripped the city.

CLAIM IS MADE PRISONERS ARE ROBBED AT JAIL

By United Press.
TULSA, July 29.—Mrs. Mabel Bassett, state commissioner of charities and corrections said today she would not only recommend that attorney general Dabney start actual proceedings against Sheriff Bob Sanford but she will recommend criminal charges against certain county officers connected with the sheriff's office.
Mrs. Bassett has affirmed from county officers and county and Federal jail prisoners which declares prisoners were robbed of their valuables when they were placed in jail and the women prisoners clad only in their underwear visited the men's section of the prison with the consent of the authorities.

CHIROPODISTS WILL MEET IN DALLAS NEXT MONDAY

By United Press.
DALLAS, July 29.—More than 400 leading foot specialists of the United States will participate in the sixteenth annual convention of the National Association of Chiropodists, which opens here next Monday.

PROPOSALS NOT ACCEPTABLE TO U. S. AND JAPAN

Formal Action Will Await Plenary Session of Conference Set For Next Monday

By United Press.
GENEVA, July 29.—The new British proposals for the settlement of the cruiser program will hardly prove acceptable to the American and Japanese delegations and the early collapse of the naval limitations conference was generally predicted today.
No formal action will be taken, however, until the plenary session set for Monday. Meanwhile the American and Japanese will study the new proposals in more detail.
The proposals now before the conference submitted by the British on their return yesterday from London would allow the United States and Britain a maximum of twelve 1,000-ton cruisers and restrict gun calibre on all other cruisers to six inches.

Jury Servers At Beaumont Fail To Get Their Pay

BEAUMONT, July 29.—After earning money by serving on district court juries here, many persons since 1910 have failed to take the trouble to collect their \$3 a day fee, according to records of the district clerk.
A check of the records disclosed that 183 checks for jury service ranging in amount from \$3 to \$18 are awaiting claimants. The checks date back as far as 1910.
"I can't imagine a man working several days and then not taking the trouble to collect his wages, but that seems to be the case," said J. C. Saffley, deputy district clerk.

Looters of Bank Get Only Twenty Cents For Their Efforts

STREETMAN, July 29.—Burglars who looted the First National Bank here early yesterday received only 20 cents for their troubles, insurance adjusters who checked the banks accounts announced today.
They announced that the burglary was probably the work of amateurs. A safety deposit box containing \$20,000 in non negotiable securities also was taken.

Rev. Hogg Reaches Ranger For His Speech Tonight

Rev. Will Hogg, who will lecture tonight at the open air tabernacle at the corner of Marston and Pine Streets, Ranger, arrived this morning from Comanche, where he is holding a revival and was greeted by a number of the friends he made while in Ranger last summer.
Rev. Mr. Hogg's lecture on "A Christmas on the Rhine" will hold a message for everyone but especially for the boys who went over seas and fought the Hun. Rev. Mr. Hogg came home an invalid from France. He told the story from the pulpit last summer of his seemingly hopeless condition and his miraculous recovery and of how he told the Lord that he would give away Bibles as long as he lived in gratitude for his goodness to him. Tonight a free will offering will be taken which will go toward the Bible fund.
While delivering his last message here last summer, Rev. Mr. Hogg was stricken and had to be carried from the church. He endeared himself to hundreds of Ranger and other Eastland county people during the revival here.
The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock. In case of rain it will be delivered at the Methodist Church auditorium.

Terrell Opposes Tampering With Constitution

By United Press.
AUSTIN, July 29.—State Comptroller S. H. Terrell, in a statement today vigorously opposed adoption of the tax amendment to the constitution to be voted upon Monday.
All benefits claimed for the amendments Comptroller Terrell asserted can be secured by legislation without disturbing the constitution. He asserts without it the state can abandon use of ad valorem property tax.
"Tampering with our tax provision of the constitution is fraught with many hidden dangers and I earnestly ask that every voter give the most careful consideration to this unusual proposal before casting a vote for such an experimental measure."

INSURANCE COMPANIES MUST FILE SCHEDULES

By United Press.
AUSTIN, July 29.—Automobile insurance companies have until September 15 to file schedules of rates and such matters with the state insurance commission. Ninety days for such filing was provided in the law passed by the last legislature requiring state supervision.

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TONIGHT
Rev. Will Hogg's lecture at the open air tabernacle on Marston and Pine streets.
Dinner-Dance and reunion of the 1926 graduation class.

DINNER-DANCE AND REUNION OF 1926 CLASS BIG EVENT

The last decoration of purple and white has been hung. The dinner table has had the ok of the decoration committee. The hour for the reunion of the 1926 graduation class of the Ranger high school is fast approaching and old schoolmates are on tiptoe with anticipation over the nearness of the hour when they will renew old friendships once again and live over the days of '26.

Already fifty reservations have been made and the committee is expecting at least ten more before night. The class, which was a large one, the faculty and those teachers that are in the city will all gather round the dinner table tonight at the Gholson hotel in the first reunion of this class. After dinner the party will adjourn to the high school where a dance will be enjoyed. The high school gym has been beautifully decorated for tonight in purple and white and the floor made ready for dancing. All ex-students of the Ranger high school are invited to the dance.

AUXILIARY PLANS MONEY MAKING CAMPAIGN

Members of the Auxiliary of the American Legion, Carl Barnes Post No. 69, met in regular weekly session last night and decided that in order to furnish their club rooms in the newly remodeled Legion hall, they would have to put on a money raising campaign. A number of plans were discussed and while none were actually acted upon it is safe to predict that these rustling women will have a club room furnished as well as any in the state.

The meeting was fairly well attended but what is lacking in numbers is made up in enthusiasm.

PERSONALS

Frank Bush and family have returned from a five weeks' visit to Mississippi, Arkansas and Louisiana, traveling in all 3,000 miles. They saw the effects of the Mississippi flood on their travels.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Duffer and children are on a motor trip through West Texas.

Large Oklahoma Delegations To Be At Convention

By United Press.
CORPUS CHRISTI, July 29.—Several Oklahoma cities have made plans to send large delegations to the district Kiwanis convention to be held here September 5 and 6, according to work received by the convention committee here.

Muskogee, Okla., advised the committee this week that four Pullmans would bring the delegation from that city. Tulsa and Oklahoma City each will send 35 delegates. Delegations from Norman, Okla., and Wichita Falls, Texas, have announced they will spend several days vacationing on the beach here prior to the convention.

The Tulsa delegation will nominate Norris Henthron for next governor of the Oklahoma-Texas district.

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Evangelist Of Kansas City To Hold Revival



GUY W. GREEN
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Rev. Guy W. Green, evangelist of Kansas City, will arrive in Eastland this afternoon where he will begin Sunday night a series of revival meetings. Assisting Mr. Green in the Eastland meeting will be Edward Ziess of St. Louis, a noted singer and choir leader. Mr. Ziess will have charge of the singing.

The committee appointed by the Presbyterian, Christian and Methodist congregations of Eastland, who are sponsoring the coming revival, have virtually completed plans for the meeting. Services will be held in the open on the high school campus where seats and lights have been provided.

The services will begin each evening at 8 o'clock, and while the Christian, Presbyterian and Methodist churches of the city are cordially sponsoring the meeting, other churches are cordially invited to take part. This is also true of individual members of all churches.

Guy W. Green, for many years a lay worker in the Presbyterian church, is a successful business man, who uses business methods in conducting his religious services. He is the teacher of the largest Presbyterian men's bible class in the world, which has more than 600 members.

Edward Ziess, also an experienced business man, took up religious work because he liked it and felt that in doing so he could better serve his fellow man.

Those sponsoring coming revival in Eastland feel that with the assistance of these two splendid preachers and that of the church people of Eastland and surrounding communities, much good may be accomplished during the progress of the meeting to be held.

Chicago Honors Collins



EDDIE COLLINS, PAUL COLLINS AND TY COBB

When Eddie Collins decides to go places and do things, he can get going mighty fast now! Here he is sitting at the wheel of a highpowered automobile which was presented to him by admiring Chicago fans when those fans celebrated "Eddie Collins Day" at Comiskey Park recently. With Collins are his son, Paul, and Ty Cobb.

ANDY TARRANT DIES IN CLOVIS, NEW MEXICO

The body of Andy Tarrant, son of the late J. M. Tarrant, came in to Ranger this afternoon on the Sunshine and was taken by Killingsworth-Cox company's funeral car to Acker, where funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The deceased attended his father's funeral here early in June and it is said had never been well since that time. He died in Clovis, New Mexico.

A Minnesota town held a lawn-mowing contest. At least a chance to put young brother's hair grease to something useful.

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Defense Witness In Murder Trial Found in Texas

FRANKLIN, La., July 29.—Robert Turner, missing defense witness in the Lehouef murder trial has been arrested at Port Arthur, Texas, and is returning here in custody of officers, Sheriff Chas. Peot announced at noon today.

The announcement created a stir in the court room where Mrs. Ada Lehouef, Dr. Thos. Drehr and James Deadle, are on trial for the murder

of James Lehouef, husband of the woman defendant. Turner is expected to testify that Lehouef was carrying a gun and expected to settle his differences with Dr. Drehr on the night when he was shot to death while boating on a lake near Morgan City. His testimony will be the basis for a self defense plea defense attorneys have announced.

Women made books in the middle ages, says a headline. We saw a wedding the other day and are moved by the thought that there still are some pretty game gamblers among them.

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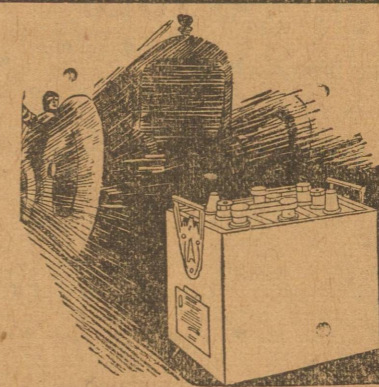
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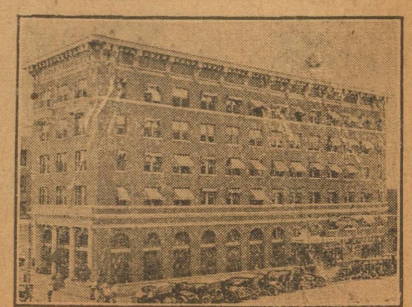
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We learn now that the death of King Ferdinand of Roumania has left Queen Marie in very difficult financial circumstances. It is reported that her annual income will be only about \$30,000. On this amount she must maintain the dignity of the Roumanian court and the big problem is, how can it be done?

There may be some inclined to scoff at the situation, but our sympathy is with the queen and we are not inclined to negotiate with the queen for an exchange of jobs. In the first place we regard it as worth more than \$30,000 a year to live in Roumania, having heard a lot about the country but never having seen it.

Oh, the joys of great wealth. Mother Stillman, according to press reports, is now very much puzzled over the treatment she is to accord her new kin. We would like to offer a suggestion, knowing full well it will not be acceptable.

But Mother Stillman might take her knitting and go over and spend the day with Mother Wilson and eat a few meals in the Wilson home. Such intimate contact might solve Mrs. Stillman's social problem without further delay.

Some one has suggested that Col. Charles A. Lindbergh be sent to congress. Is that an effort to bury our hero alive?

Certainly Congress is no place for a big man like Lindbergh. In the first place he could have no patience with politics and he could not bring himself to a compromise of the workings of a modern Congress.

Negro Fatally Shot By Local Merchant At San Benito

SAN BENITO, July 29.—A. H. Birmingham, local merchant was at liberty under \$3,000 bond today in connection with the fatal shooting of Dewey Lott, negro.

Lott was shot and killed on the streets of San Benito. Birmingham told officers that "Lott looked like the same man who entered my store the other night." Birmingham said he got a good look and fired four shots.

Lindbergh got lost in a fog while flying in the east. Maybe it's the same mist a few presidential candidates are trying to find their way out of.

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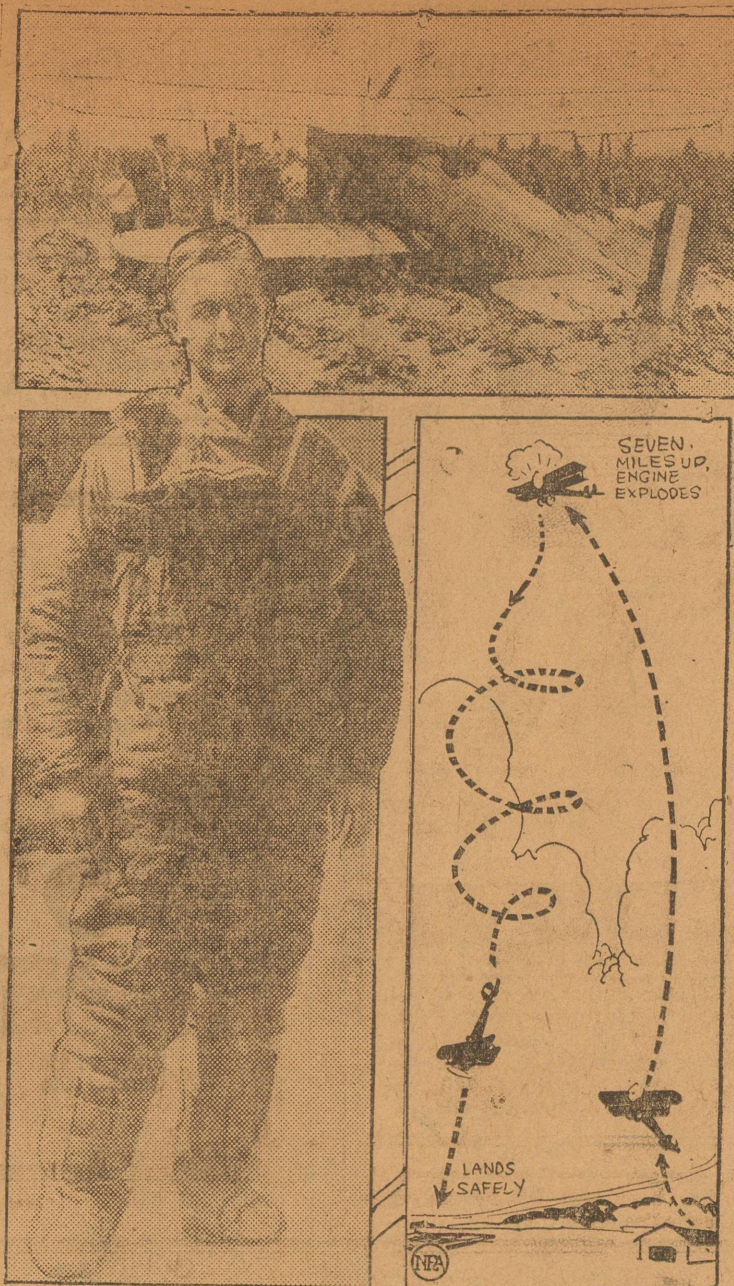
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Navy Airman Wins Death Gamble.



The end of another thrilling aviation exploit is pictured here. The tiny Wright Apache biplane shown above, resting in a cabbage patch near Washington, was landed safely there by Lieut. C. C. Champion, U. S. Navy flyer, after flames and an exploding motor had imperiled his life at an altitude of seven miles. At the left is Champion, still encased in the stuffy garb he wore as a protection against extreme cold. The sketch depicts just what happened. Champion had a parachute, but refrained from jumping because he wanted to save the instruments which recorded the height he had reached. Fire swept about the wrecked motor at times during Champion's descent, but he blew it out by side-slipping.

Big Time Had By Ranger Scouts At Country Club

Weiners and potatoes imu style were thoroughly tested out by three troops of Ranger Boy Scouts. Five scoutmasters, the scout executive and two women who were lucky enough to get in on the feed, at the Ranger Country Club last night. The food

cooked in mother earth received the entire crowd's stamp of approval and everybody wanted to know how it was done.

When the boys first arrived at camp after their hike from the city in charge of scoutmaster Bill Clardy, they wanted to know where the grub was and when the pit was opened and the weiners and potatoes in their nest of corn shucks was revealed, their curiosity and delight was unbounded. When they formed the bread line and were given their allotment of buns, weiners, potatoes, onions and celery their true appreciation of imu style food was expressed loudly and pro-

foundly and each one had a vision of a hole in his own back yard and the taking up of the study of Hawaiian cookery. After the first course a bushel of cantaloupes, a donation from the Hickey truck farm were served as dessert.

The various scoutmasters talked to the boys advising them how to live now so as to shape their futures. Songs were sung, the scout oath given and a fire making with two matches and water boiling contest was indulged in. Then Scoutmasters Clardy and Fletcher hiked back to town with the boys and the rest of the party followed in cars.

Scoutmasters present were W. W. Housewright, Ernest Fletcher, W. R. Clardy, J. T. Arant, and J. T. Walton. Scout executive Guy Quirl was chef and the general in chief of the affair and Mmes. Earnest Fletcher and Rena B. Campbell were the honor guests.

The scouts will hold their regular weekly meeting tonight.

DELEGATE TO NATIONAL ELKS CONVENTION BACK

J. B. Heister, delegate from the Ranger Elks Lodge to the National Convention in Cincinnati, Ohio, 14 home again and on the job. Mr. Heister reports a good time, an interesting convention and plenty of hot weather.

He said that there were 30,000 Elks present and 15,000 delegates and even a city the size of Cincinnati was hard put to take care of such a crowd. At least 300 were housed in boats on the river.

Rumors Force U. S. Steel and Dupont To Higher Levels

By United Press.
NEW YORK, July 29.—Rumors of an impending action between Du Pont interests and United States steel gained new strength today and frenzied trading on the stock exchange sent stocks of both E. L. Du Pont De Nemours and company and the United States Steel corporation to new high levels.

Steel which closed yesterday at 134 1-4 after a big spurt late in the session was pushed to 136 2-8 in the first hour of trading today and sales of 50,000 shares were recorded. Du Pont's activity was even more striking.

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Just arrived, regular \$6.00 light weight Felt Hats, intended for the opening of the early fall season \$4.65	Regular \$2.50 Faultless Pajamas \$1.85
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Gripings

by Gus

Yesterday we griped a few lines about a certain road. Another friend (name on request) came in and asked for a few well chosen words about Tiffin Highway, and if there's anything we like to do it is to gripe about things people want us to gripe about and especially that said road.

Having lived out in those outskirts where the daily traversing of Tiffin Highway is unavoidable we speak with authority and guile. When it rains that road is so slick that an eel would fall down and break his neck and when it is dry it is as rough as any plowed field you ever saw.

Raymond Teal has worn out a couple of city graders trying to fix it and then when it does get halfway passable somebody decides to dig a gas or water or some sort of a ditch either across it or down it.

It is only wide enough for a decent alley and is flat as a pancake from end to end, no drainage, bum culverts, and the water cuts across it in a dozen places every time it rains.

In case you don't know the road, drive out to the ice plant some time and see how you like it.

If they don't get it fixed everybody in that neck of the woods is going to move and get onto a street where they can get to town without breaking a spring or sliding off the road.

It should be paved. The next best thing is graveling. It will have to have some new culverts and be graded from end to end. The city will grade it, build their culverts, and spread the gravel but the users of the street will have to have the gravel hauled.

There have been any number of vicious threats on the part of various people out that way to the effect that they were going to raise the money and fix the road. In the meantime, if you don't live out that way you ought to be glad of it.

Once upon a time there was a guy who said he had the interest of the town at heart. He had. That is, that part of town where he owned property. His main hobby was divided between griping about other people spending money for cigarettes and telling you what a fine fellow he was.

He was a highly respected townsman and rightly so, because he improved property where others thought him foolish yet he prospered from the rents thereof, still there was none who did not pronounce him the very best when speaking landlords.

In improving his property he moved in houses of sometimes feeble construction. He said today that he would not sell a vacant lot to a guy if he was going to move a shack on it and wait a couple of years before fixing it. He is right. He always fixed his up immediately after the house-movers had taken their trucks and fled. He has taken a comparative swamp and made it into a very nice residential street. It's too bad there are not many more in the town like him. He will read this and give me a cussing.

NO SERVICE AT CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH TONIGHT

On account of Rev. Will Hogg's lecture in Ranger tonight, there will be no services at the Central Baptist church, as it was decided to forego the regular service so that the congregation might have the privilege of hearing Rev. Mr. Hogg.

On Saturday night Rev. J. E. Smallwood will preach on "Sin." It will also be dime night.

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Miss Saginaw



Here is one of Michigan's promising entries in the Atlantic City beauty pageant in September—Miss Saginaw. She is 20 and her name is Charlotte Elaine Bowman.

Masonic School Held at Eastland Friday Night

A large delegation of Ranger Masons will go to Breckenridge tonight to confer degrees there. Last night a delegation from Ranger A. F. & A. M. Lodge No. 738 went to Eastland to a large and successful Masonic educational meeting, which was conducted by Judge Marvin A. Childers, grandmaster of Masons in Texas, and Wilbur Keith, a representative of the grand lodge committee on service and education. These two are covering the state with similar programs to that given in Eastland last night, which C. E. May district deputy grandmaster of Ranger pronounced one of the most interesting programs of his life.

In addition to the educational features, Scottish Rite dormitory at Austin, Home for the Aged, the Gavel Club and Hospital for Crippled Children, relief for tubercular Masons, was stressed as the next move to be undertaken by the grand lodge.

Earl Roberts and James Hooks, two graduates from the masonic Home and School at Fort Worth, were there as living examples of "What Masonry is doing in Texas. Roberts made a talk.

AMERICAN LAWYERS LOSE PRESTIGE WITH CHINESE

By United Press.
SHANGHAI—American lawyers in Shanghai have lost "face" with the Chinese newspaper readers. Chinese requiring legal advice or defense are turning to British lawyers more than ever.

During the past six months three prominent Shanghai attorneys, all Americans, have been tried, convicted and sentenced on various charges in the United States court for China. "American lawyers [are] crooks," say some Chinese.

Last January William Chapman, lawyer and former clerk of the United States Court, was convicted on a charge of misappropriating funds belonging to the government. Two years for Mr. Chapman.

Leonard C. Husar, former District Attorney here, was next. The charges were bribery, larceny of a public record and destruction of same. Husar got two sentences of two years each, the terms to run concurrently, and was fined \$3,000. That was in May.

A fourth American attorney was called to court on a charge of illegal possession of arms.

BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Dallas 12-1, Beaumont 3-3.
San Antonio 2, Shreveport 0.
Wichita Falls 7, Waco 1.
Fort Worth 8-0, Houston 7-4.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Wichita Falls	68	37	.648
Houston	57	49	.538
Waco	54	51	.514
Dallas	51	56	.477
Fort Worth	49	56	.467
Shreveport	48	56	.462
San Antonio	49	57	.462
Beaumont	45	59	.433

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Brooklyn 7, Pittsburgh 5.
Cincinnati 11, Boston 6.
New York 6, Chicago 5.
St. Louis 10, Philadelphia 8.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	56	37	.602
Chicago	55	38	.591
St. Louis	54	40	.574
New York	52	46	.531
Cincinnati	43	53	.448
Brooklyn	42	52	.447
Philadelphia	37	53	.411
Boston	35	55	.389

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

As Child of God Snake Bite Can Do Him No Harm

DUNN, La., July 29.—Submitting himself to the bite of a water moccasin snake to prove that no harm can come to him as a child of God, the Rev. Williams, pastor of the apostolic church here is in a serious condition today.

The wound made by the snake is in the pastor's left hand and his arm is badly swollen. He will not call the assistance of a physician.

While Rev. Williams is sticking to his popt he has ceased demonstrations with water snakes.

Gotham-Bound



Here's Bill Walker, Denver pitcher, who is to report to the New York Giants at the end of the Western Association season. Denver owners realized \$25,000 on the sale of Walker to the Giants.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Boston 3-4, Cleveland 0-3.
New York 9, St. Louis 4.
Detroit 5, Philadelphia 2.
Washington 12, Chicago 2.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	71	26	.732
Washington	56	39	.589
Detroit	52	41	.559
Philadelphia	50	46	.521
Chicago	49	50	.495
Cleveland	40	57	.412
St. Louis	38	56	.404
Boston	27	68	.284

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

RAILROAD COMMISSION ORDERS REGISTRATION BONDS
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"I certainly agree with Nazimova"

Consuelo Flowerton is saying in her conversation with Frank De Weese as they rest between swims at Rockland Beach.



Photo by H. J. Carney

Nazimova, brilliant actress, writes:

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Indians Enjoyed Rolling Of Dice Old Relics Show

By United Press.
 OKLAHOMA CITY. — Historians may not chronicle the fact that the American Indians of old rolled dice, gambled and used rouge and powder, but the large Indian collection of Edward Snow, local collector, bears witness that they did.
 Snow has one of the largest Indian collections in the city, particularly in regard to stone relics, some rare, aged and of historical significance.
 Among the thousand or more items in his collection are Indian gambling stones used in the manner almost identical to dice.
 Snow also exhibits stones, thin and round, which speculation would have been recognized as Indian poker-chips. On this order, there are also larger stones, apparently used for lagging for a line, much in the manner of "pitching pennies," or as target for spears.
 Snow's oldest relics date back four centuries. The exhibit as it now is was collected from states. It includes arrowheads, hatchets, spears, knives, scrapes, hoes, grain mortars, and bits of pottery.
 Among the latter are the fore-runners of flapper's vanity case—the Indian paint pot.
 The collection also harbors a Mexican spear head dug from the walls of the Alamo after its fall, as well as a number of guns from past conflicts.

1—LOST AND FOUND
 WOULD THE TWO gentlemen (in Chevrolet roadster) who picked up my wife, bearing Oakland cover near Ford Garage, please return to Mrs. J. A. Rapp, 200 Homer street, Ranger.
LOST—Sunday night somewhere between Ranger and Cisco, a large Index Bible. Rev. McGanghey, owner. Please leave at Times or Telegram office.
LOST—Tuesday, a black suitcase containing baby clothes; lost between Leon river and Staff. Finder please return to Times office, Ranger, for reward.

3—HELP WANTED—FEMALE
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4—SITUATIONS WANTED
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9—HOUSES FOR RENT
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11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT
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FOR RENT—2-room furnished apartment over Dill's Grocery. See MRS. DAILEY.

12—WANTED TO BUY
WANTED—Old fashioned walnut bedstead. Spool bed preferred. Phone 43, Mrs. R. B. Campbell, Ranger.

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13—FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE—Thor electric washing machine. Dirt cheap. A. L. Lindsey, Bobo Hardware company, Ranger. Phone 569.

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FOR SALE—New beverage bottles, 50 cents per dozen, Ranger Iron & Metal Co., Hunt and Railroad avenue, Ranger.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Four room house and 3 lots on Eastland Hill with 19 bearing trees, all fenced. See Ratliff at Evergreen Cemetery, Ranger.

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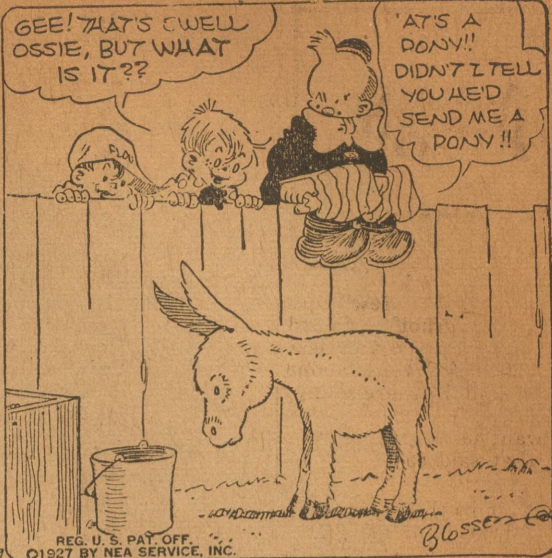
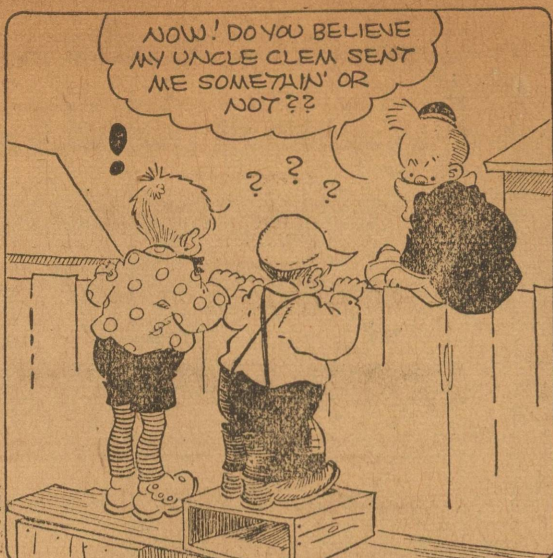
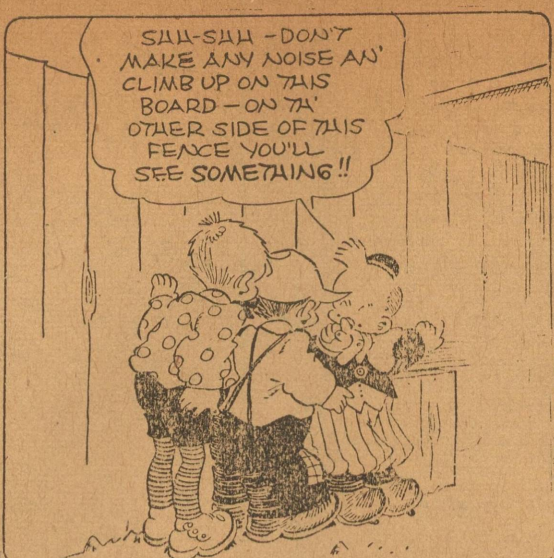
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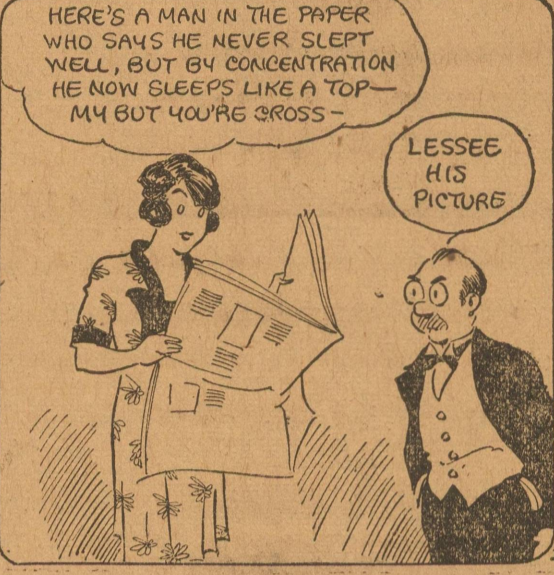
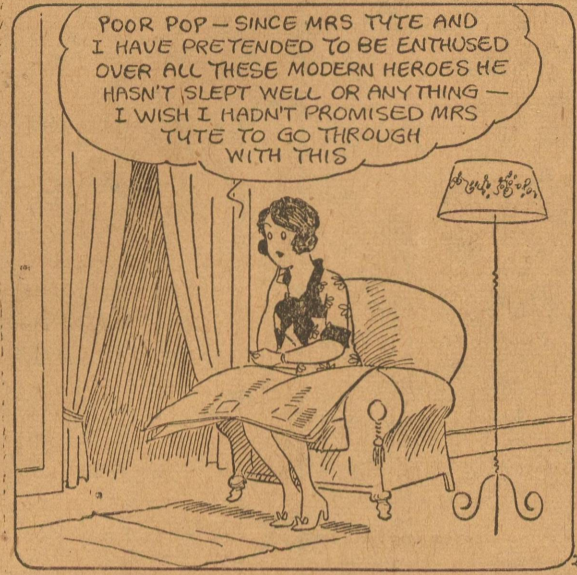
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Mom'n Pop



By Taylor

Greatest War In All History

(Continued from page one)
 knife for the next draw of human blood.
 With thousands of homes still mourning a father, a son or a brother whose life was lost in the last war, with all nations using all possible efforts to have the material debts of the last war cancelled, each is waiting for the first opportunity to exercise the lust to kill.
 Among the war-talking nations, Great Britain, the mainstay of the league of nations, the first great power to intervene in disputes between nations, ranks first.
 Even the slightest affront on British dignity in any part of the world brings a tirade of feeling in the British papers, against the offending nation and usually brings several British warships into the offending country's principal seaport.
 With aviation interest at its height and all countries making record flights except England, the English press began to ask: "What is wrong with the British Air Force?"
 The query was answered by the British air ministry with a "display" by the air force at Hendon. Air raids, bombings, villages set afire with "natives" shown fleeing from the menace of the air were staged for the edification of those doubting the readiness of the British air force.
 The only worry which the Hendon display by the British caused the foreign powers was a month's criticism in the French press of the presence of several German military officers at the display. The French believed that the Germans might have been there for "spying purposes."
 During the latter part of last month the French Premier, Raymond Poincare, delivered an address at Luneville in which he reopened many of the healing wounds of the war. Not only did the French Premier talk of political issues, but he also pried into the trivial problem of why the German nation still has a warship named "Alsace." Poincare grasped every possible pronouncement that has been made by German government of officials and others in Berlin to revive issues of the war. These included the Dawes Plan revision agitation in Berlin, the German military status, the status of the province of Alsace and what he claimed was a misinterpretation of the Locarno pact by the Germans.
 Meanwhile, throughout Russia there is continual war talk and all agencies of information are being used to spread war alarms.
 The graduating class of the Red navy academy at Leningrad was told telegraphically by the war commissar, Voroshilov recently, "A great naval

SEVENTIETH CONGRESS WILL BE AS USUAL, SCENE OF POLITICS

By HERBERT LITTLE
 (United Press Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON.—Politics seems destined to occupy a headline position in the legislative spotlight in this winter's opening session of the Seventieth Congress.
 In the light of previous congress activities, the signs are predicting it will bob up quite frequently to interrupt other important activities of law-making.
 Congressional leaders, however, are laying plans for an extensive program of legislation on important national subjects in the hope that political speeches and activities will not "halt the show" to the exclusion of legislation.
 Members of congress more devoted to legislation than politics foresee that only a comparatively small number of subjects will be acted upon finally in the six months available for sessions. Congress is scheduled to convene December 5, and custom and the desire of members to adjourn before the national political convention meet in June dictates adjournment during May at the latest.
 Some of the legislation that is passed—or defeated—may have a vital effect on the actions of the nominating conventions and the presidential elections the following November.
 Flood relief and rehabilitation legislation, tax reduction, farm relief, and foreign affairs are among the subjects out of which both Republicans and Democrats, from their opposite sides of the footlights, aim to make platform planks for the election campaign.
 There are more than a score of other national issues upon which action will be sought by various factions and regions of the country. Prominent among these, in public interest and attention, are aviation and radio. Plans for development of

senators, including Sen. Borah, Republican, Idaho, have evinced interest in the overproduction of petroleum, and attempts to curtail oil output to conform to consumption probably will come up for action.
 Railroad consolidation, which has been under consideration for several years without action, the alien property situation, immigration, public building programs, army and navy cisco request for permission to build the largest bridge in the world across its bay, are other subjects which will claim early attention.
 Deficits in governmental department budgets caused by failure of the second deficiency appropriation bill to be passed last March will have to be met by a new appropriation measure.
 Prohibition, hotly discussed and fought over in all recent congresses, will come up frequently, with both "wets" and "drys" clamoring for laws to carry or strengthen the Volstead enforcement act. A bill to re-

peal the federal government's limitation of liquor prescriptions, supported by many dry leaders and the American Medical Association, will be strongly urged, although the Anti-Saloon League has indicated it will oppose the measure. The bill would leave prescription limitation up to the states, some 30 of which have already legislated on the subject.
EASTLAND LAYING NEW WATER LINES IN CITY
 The city of Eastland is laying 5-400 feet of six inch and 500 feet of 12 inch water main, most of which is being placed under the brick paving now being laid.
 The pouring of concrete for the foundation of the pavement is under way on several streets that are now being paved.
 There are only twenty-three \$1000 bills in circulation, according to treasury officials. Guess the movies have got those, all right.

Now that Roumania has a 6-year-old king, politics probably will steam right up, with everybody taking a hand in the interpretation of the royal wishes. Ho, hum! We wonder how his highness likes bread and jam.

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The committee on preliminary arrangements for the Oil Jubilee and Tenth Anniversary of Ranger's first oil well, met yesterday afternoon and formed the following committees to serve in connection with the epochal event. If any names are omitted it is merely an oversight due to the fact that the short time between now and October 21, made the naming of various committees at once imperative.

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of Europeans to us. Can they pay them without more harm to us and than that advantage? Is there any connection between our agricultural depression and the debt payments? Will our trade and investments suffer for the same reason? We are not trying to appraise the situation from the point of view of danger spots in the world and how trouble may be avoided, but are asking what are likely to be the results for ourselves of certain features of our foreign policy."

The Conference program, which will close August 25, follows:

International Debts in Retrospect by Dr. Joseph S. Davis, Food Research Institute, Stanford University, California.

The Philippine Islands: Their Political Status by Prof. Ralston Hayden, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Present problems of the British Commonwealth of Nations Since the War. Prof. Herbert Hcaton, Queens University, Kingston, Canada.

Comparative Law as a Basis of International Law by Dr. Pierre La Paulle, Paris, France.

Foreign Interests and National Self Determination in Inter-American Affairs by Prof. William R. Shepherd, Columbia University, New York City.

Dictatorship Versus Democracy in Europe by Prof. Henry R. Spencer, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

An American Agricultural Policy by Mr. H. A. Wallace, Des Moines, Iowa.

A conference on the Situation in China will be set up, and announcement made later concerning the leadership of it.

The lecture courses are:

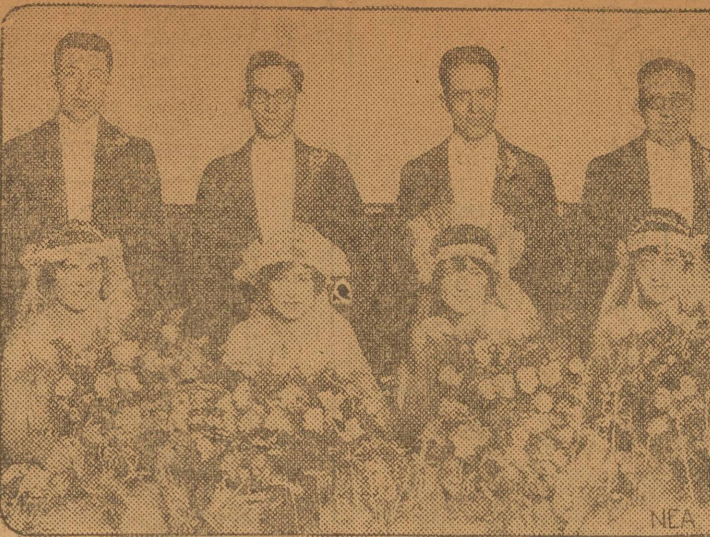
The New Spiritual Values in the Near East, Bishop Nicholai, Ochrida, Macedonia.

Foreign Policies of Europe Since the Peace of Versailles, Count Carlo Sforza, Rome.

Financial and Economic Policy of Germany Since the War, Dr. Peter Reinhold, Dresden.

Addresses will be given by Dr. Jacob E. Lane, of Denmark, Professor John A. Todd, of Liverpool, and Robert Michels, Professor of Economics at the University of Basle, Switzerland.

Talk About a Family Wedding!



You don't hear of many quadruple weddings but here is one in which three brothers and their sister were married recently at Birmingham, Ala. The principals were Dr. Lellias Kirby who was married to Miss Jean Harms of Anniston; Rev. Otis Kirby, whose bride was Miss Katherine Evans of Fairfield; Rev. Taylor Kirby who was married to Miss Lucretia Hope of Birmingham, and Miss Geneva Kirby, bride of Herbert Werner of Jersey City, N. J.

Short Course Will Be Held Early In August at Atlanta

By United Press.
LONGVIEW, July 29.—The extension service of A. and M. College, the East Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce are co-operating in sponsoring a farmers' short course to be held at Atlanta, August 3, 4 and 5.

Among the speakers engaged to speak at the session are A. K. Short of the Federal Land Bank of Hous-

ton; Ollie B. Webb, assistant to the president, Texas and Pacific Railroad, and Paul Huey, field editor of The Progressive Farmer.

GETS NOSE BROKEN WHILE SWIMMING IN RIVER

Tom Lee Fox, living south of Olden on a short distance, had his nose broken Thursday while in bathing on the Leon river. A party of which Fox was a member were on the river fishing and swimming. Fox dived under the water and was still submerged when another member of the party dived into the water and struck him.

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FARM POLICY AMONG TOPICS ON POLITICAL INSTITUTE PROGRAM

By United Press.
WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., July 29.—Lecturers from the United States, England, France, Italy and many other countries were gathered here for the opening meeting of the Seventh annual Institute of Politics held under the direction of Dr. Harry A. Garfield, President of Williams College.

An array of speakers of international reputation promises that this year's meeting will be one of the most successful ever held. While the question of international affairs will have a big place in the speeches and round-table discussions such domestic questions as the American Agricultural Policy also will come up for a share of attention. H. A. Wallace of Des Moines, Iowa, a son of the late Secretary of Agriculture, Henry C. Wallace, will lead a round-table discussion of this subject.

Count Carlo Sforza of Italy, a former foreign minister and an opponent of Premier Mussolini's policy of government, will be one of the leading speakers on international affairs, his subject being "Foreign Policies of Europe Since the Peace of Versailles."

Sir Arthur Willert, head of the American section of the British Foreign Office, will be another promi-

nent speaker. His subject, "British Foreign Policy Since the War" will hold an especial interest to Americans attending the meeting.

Prof. Ralston Hayden, of the University of Michigan, will lead the round table dealing with the situation in the Philippines. Prof. Hayden was a special correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor accompanying Col. Carmi A. Thompson, representative of President Coolidge at his recent investigation of conditions in the Islands. This round table will deal with the various island possessions of the United States, and the tropical colonies of Holland, Great Britain and Japan.

Dr. Walter W. McLaren, Executive Secretary of the Institute of Politics, in commenting on the forthcoming session said:

"New international problems arising in the world or problems of long standing entering upon new phases present difficulties that require discussion. The United States, owing to the spread of its commerce and growth of its lending power has made new contracts with the rest of the world. These facts have been mainly in mind in organizing the program for the seventh session of the Institute. We are taking stock of our present difficulties with Mexico, the Caribbean area, the Philippines and China, and seeking a solution of them."

"We want to know about the debts

BOLT STRIKES TWICE

By United Press.
SPANTEKOW.—Natives of this town were aghast at a coincidence which occurred during a local thunderstorm. A grave in the Spantekow cemetery bears the inscription: "Here lies Christian Froelke with his wife and three children. On August 11, 1802, lightning struck their home and they died as victims of flames."

During the storm of few days ago, a bolt of lightning crashed into the Froelke tombstone, splitting it apart and penetrating into the grave of the victims of the other stroke of lightning 125 years ago.

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THIS HAS HAPPENED

Attempts have been made on the life of Elise Marberry, an American girl who owns and manages considerable property near the little town of Porto Verde, in west central Brazil.

Several mysterious deaths have occurred, but so far she has escaped harm, due to the shrewdness of her cousin and protector, Vilak, who masquerades as her attorney under the name of Vilak. Vilak is a curious mixture of American and Oriental blood, and a student of criminology. He tries to persuade Elise to leave the country, leaving him there with his friend, Lincoln Nunnally, an elderly American chemist, to solve the mystery.

Her departure is prevented by the threat of floods. Messengers ride through the countryside warning the natives. Then Vilak decides to proceed to the house of one Gaylord Prentiss and warn him of the danger. Prentiss is a recluse and a forbidding man, as well as an enemy of Elise's. And she suspects him of some knowledge of the conspiracy against her. Nevertheless, she agrees that it is their duty to warn him.

Vilak learns that the flood warning is a ruse to get Prentiss out of his home. The party is besieged in a small stone tower on Prentiss' property. Vilak disperses them by dynamiting the dam holding a small lake in check and flooding the property. When the water recedes they go to join Prentiss in his house but he is gone.

NOW BEGINS THE STORY CHAPTER XXXI

Vilak strode outside once more. He bent over and began examining the ground around the stones which formed the structure's foundation. There was nothing.

"I confess I'm beaten," he grunted.



She made the bandage tighter. As she did so, the door opened cautiously. Vilak stepped inside.

ed to his companions, and shrugged his shoulders.

They started to descend the low slope to the creek, plunging through mud that came to their knees, forcing their way through a wild tangle of muddy, dripping branches. There was a suspicious crackle somewhere off in the brush. Nunnally silently pointed his small finger toward it and looked at Vilak questioningly.

His friend shook his head. "No you needn't worry. Just an animal or something of the sort. Whatever else I don't know, I feel fairly sure that our friends won't bother us here any more tonight. But what effect this affair will have on the future I don't know either."

Elise cast a quick glance at the house, with its many towers appearing in the mist like some gigantic many-headed beast.

She took his arm. "Let's get away from here," she murmured. "The place frightens me. I don't want to come here again. I know it's silly, but I feel instinctively that there's something wrong. Something sort of tainted—polluted—wherever Prentiss has been. The natives are right, Vilak. He is abnormal. All the time he was in the tower I felt it. A creeping, crawling sort of sensation. As if he weren't—quite human."

"When he was close to me, shooting, I could hardly keep from shuddering every time I looked at him. And all the while we were there together not a word of gratitude, not a word of confidence. He doesn't like me, Vilak. It took a number of painful lessons to learn it, but I've learned it now. And I think you've got to take that into consideration in explaining his disappearance."

"What do you mean?" Vilak's voice was interested. "Merely that he doubted the success of your plan to free the lake above, and then because he knew every inch of the fazenda, thought of a way of escape which was certain and didn't tell us because by the simple expedient of not doing so, he would be rid of me and my attorney as well, incidentally."

"A nice idea and one which would have appealed to his father. We drive off his enemies for him, whoever they are, then he lets us down and the claimants to his property are done for. After all, blowing up that dam was a rather desperate thing to do, very likely to fail. After you suggested it, and he pretended to protest, I saw him smile, that same cruel crafty smile he had when he tried to run me down with his horse and later set the dog on me."

"Humph," Vilak puffed meditatively. "Just when was this? I didn't notice."

"You couldn't. You were leaning over with your back turned, fixing the dynamite."

They reached the spot where only a little while before they had entered the fazenda. The gate and a large section of the wall to which it had given passage had disappeared. Vilak's flashlight showed part of the iron work snagged in the branches of a great tree forty feet down the creek. A deep gully now marked the course of the tiny stream, though its waters had subsided to their previous shallowness.

They crossed, stepping warily through welter of mud and vegetation, climbed to the lakes above and reached the end of the path at the thorn thicket where they had abandoned their horses. The animals were no longer there.

The old man, who had been walking along, absently gazing at the ground, looked up quickly. "They've

gone to their—er—stables. Do you

er—think, Vilak?"

"Undoubtedly, Nanny." "It's—er—just as well," He nervously toyed with the bandage on his arm. "Intelligent beast the—er—horse—But vigorous. I think I shall be just as—er—happy if I do not ride any more tonight."

They walked briskly to the fazenda, found it deserted except for the three horses, which were quietly nibbling in their stalls, then rode out to Chaos Hill to bring back the baby. They reached it and found the child safe in the care of the frizzly-haired Hannah, who placidly sat in the deck-chair a few feet off from a frightened huddled mass of negroes and half-castes who stood straining their eyes and ears for some sign of a flood which strangely did not come.

The cavalcade set off again as it had started in the afternoon toward the boat, Elise and the two men, preceding the light vehicle. The natives stubbornly refused to follow, shaking their heads in gloomy denial when Elise told them that the report of the bursting dam was false. They returned to the wharf, left the driver to stand guard and notify them in case of the steamboat's arrival, then Elise took the reins herself, and the cavalcade slowly wended its way back toward her home.

On leaving Prentiss' she had felt depressed, but as she rode in the cool night air, her spirits constantly grew lighter. By the time she was again on the steps of her dim-lighted veranda, she was buoyant.

"Why go to bed at all tonight, my children?" she asked, as one of her prize roosters in the far-off chicken yard began to sound its first salute to the morning. "The sun will be up in an hour or two. I think we rather deserve some sort of celebration. I'll make some sandwiches and coffee and we can see the sun rise. They're perfectly beautiful here. Worth sitting up for. We can play bridge or Canfield meanwhile. What do you say?"

"Sorry to be a kill-joy. I'd rather

not." She looked at Vilak reproachfully. "You're afraid I'll beat you and make up for what you've done to me all the other nights, aren't you? You know I can't help but beat you when I'm so full of energy. You're a slacker. Why won't you sit up?"

"I've got to work. It's absurd of you to be so intelligent and ambitious at this hour of the morning. Go to bed, please. I'll be happier."

"Very well, venerated captain. I'll sit up in my room and watch the sun rise alone." She stood in the door and threw a kiss from lips that still showed powder stains. "Intended for you, Mr. Nunnally, not for you," she called bitingly and disappeared.

A moment later Vilak bade good night to the old man. Going to his flamboyantly draped room, he donned his dressing gown, a garment of extraordinary beauty which had been given him by a grateful Chinaman in Peking. Of heavy, lustrous purple silk, it was profusely worked with thousands of tiny gold dragons, one single shining serpent forming the weighty hem. Then he opened one of his trunks, took out a small portable talking machine, set it on a grotesquely carved stand and put onto the turn-table one of those squeaky, wailing Chinese records which each night assail the ears of the slant-eyed dwellers in the pungent tenements of New York's Mott Street.

He closed the doors of his room tightly; the machine began to grind out its harsh piercing discord. He put a bit of betel in his mouth and began pacing the floor in great long



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strides. The music jangled, screamed, grated, clanged. It ceased. He started it once more, and recommenced his swift pacing, turning sharply as the wall barred his way like an angry lion in its cage in a zoo.

Time after time the machine rattled down and the shrill music ceased; time after time he would it. In the dim-lighted, shadowy room he appeared like some Oriental priest doing obeisance before his god.

Morning began to touch the horizon. He put away the record, lit a cigaret and stretched out on his couch to sleep a few hours. At eight o'clock he arose, ate a scant breakfast, then made his way alone to Prentiss' home once more and made a more elaborate search than the darkness had permitted.

He found the fazenda still deserted. He returned to Elise's plantation, obtained ten or twelve laborers and brought them to the parasol pine and thorn thicket which marked the entrance to the lands of the vanished archeologist.

Vilak directed the men in setting small fires in a wide area over the brush. Soon the flames were leaping fiercely, hissing and steaming as the tangled vegetation, despite its wetness, ignited. Nunnally, who had accompanied him, looked on wonderingly. "What are you—er—doing, Vilak?" he queried. "Trying to—er—drive some out of the brush?"

Vilak gave a curt order to a native. "Trying to prevent another tragedy, that's all."

(To be continued)

Tinky disappears again, and once more Elise and her friends begin a search for the child and his kidnappers.

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Of 36 Democratic leaders contributing signed opinions to the symposium, only one, Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas, declares unreservedly, "I stand on the Democratic platform calling for immediate independence."

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BEHEADING STILL BEST KNOWN MEANS OF EXECUTION IN CHINA

By RANDALL GOULD (United Press Staff Correspondent)
PEKING.—Living in China is a precarious job but it's no trouble whatever to be killed.

Chinese execution methods, like Chinese business are said by many experts to have gone into a period of decline. But this generalization applies to technique and if one is willing to put up with a bit of bungling, he can take his choice in China of a wide variety of more or less happy endings.

Decapitation is of course the best known method of execution here. In days of old, the executioner with his broad heavy sword was a man of real skill and he lopped off heads with the facility of an experienced artist who took pride in his work. In these decadent times the heads fall less neatly though even faster. There seems to be no real professional headsman class, though the growth of labor unions may build one up.

Nowadays when a few unfortunates are to be beheaded, the military commander in charge picks out the nearest husky soldier and orders him to fly at it. This the soldier does with more enthusiasm than skill, usually having to take several hacks at each neck and sometimes resorting to last to sawing. Chinese crowds enjoy this sort of thing but foreign spectators have been known to suffer from unexpected mal de mer.

MOVE TO BAN RIKISHAS IS OPPOSED IN SHANGHAI

By United Press.
SHANGHAI.—An abolish-the-rikisha movement has been started in Shanghai but is meeting with scant favor. Members of the rikisha coolies' union, as well as the foreign population, are opposed to the plan. "Abolish the rikisha and 60,000 coolies will starve," asserts Ho Ming-yuan, president of the union. It is claimed, however, that there are enough industries in Shanghai to absorb all of the rikisha coolies if the absorption were carried out properly. Opponents of the man-power vehicle point out that it is a slow means of transportation, constitutes a serious traffic problem and costs more than the street car or motor bus. The life of the average rikisha coolie, according to local statistics, is about 10 years. Most coolies can pull a rikisha for many miles without a halt, traveling at a fast trot. They seemed happier when going at their ordinary pace than when walking.

Sin Fu-kee, who has pulled one on the Bund for 24 years, is the oldest such coolie in Shanghai. Sing is 76 years old and is known to thousands of seafaring men. Sing "savvies." In other words, he understands English. Thirty-nine years as a rikisha coolie has taught the old man a few things about the "foreign devil." Old though he may be Sing can still travel at a brisk trot. Sing says the trouble in China is a fine thing. "Make plenty business rikisha man," he asserts.

alive, day-by-day gradual piercing by sharp stakes and other unappetizing methods of execution have been pushed out of the use by the hurrying rush of modern civilization in China. Experts agree that the days of aesthetic execution are over, and in their careless insistence upon this alone they have gradually driven all artistic elements out of what was once to Chinese eyes a high profession.

Marines' Battle At Ocotal Cause Of Ill Feeling

By RODNEY DUTCHER (NRA Service Writer)
WASHINGTON.—Pseudo-military experts have advanced many theories as to how great a percentage of casualties a unit of troops can sustain before it breaks and runs under attack, but all these theories have been revised since receipts of news of the battle of Ocotal, Nicaragua, in which one American and 200 natives were killed.

Behavior of troops under fire, the military theorists point out, varies with the training and equipment. Seasoned soldiers can stand heavy losses before they will break. Greener troops can be routed much easier. An average guess, perhaps, is that when one-fifth of a force has been killed in one engagement, that force will be routed. For this reason military men in Washington are surprised at the casualties of General Sandino's forces.

Sandino is reported to have attacked the Marines at Ocotal with some 500 men, losing more than 300 dead and an uncertain number of wounded. Military theorists, recalling the reputed low morale and raveness of Nicaraguan rebels, are astonished at this casualty ratio.

President William Green of the American Federation of Labor had many anxious moments when news of the Ocotal battle reached the Pan-American 2. of L. convention. Holding excited conferences with Secretary Frank Morrison, he undertook to stem the bitter tide of resentment which promptly arose. It was a thankless job.

Salomon de la Selva, the fiery poet and former American university professor accredited to the convention as secretary of the Nicaraguan federation, attempted to jam through a resolution demanding withdrawal of the marines as soon as he heard what had happened. Green shouted for adjournment as Luis Morones, Mexico's secretary of commerce and labor, acquiesced with the insistence that the question was so gravely important that it must be taken up first thing in the morning.

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and again Green kept the resolution from being railroaded through by referring it to the resolutions committee. But the Latin-Americans were roused to new passions by dispatches telling how their wounded racial brethren had crawled into the woods about Ocotal and died, and soon the committee had nine resolutions on its hands, all of them described as "hot." One of them was

bound to be adopted by the congress. Green and other American officials realizing the prospective embarrassment of passage of denunciatory resolutions right here on the government's home grounds, attempted to take the "b. shevism" out of them.

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CHENEY NEWS

Special Correspondence. Cheney, July 29.—Crops are looking fine. Most people on the black land are saving their corn tops now. John Cooper of Desdemona has been visiting relatives at Cheney. Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Browning and daughter, Minnie Belle, are visiting friends and relatives at Electro and in Oklahoma. They are expected to return soon. There is a Methodist revival going on this week at Cheney. Jim Howard has recently returned from the west and reports everything very dry and hot. Mrs. Dean Gentry is spending a few days in Mineral Wells with friends and relatives. Fern Wheeler spent last week with friends at Wayland. S. E. Thomas of Mineral Wells spent last week-end at Cheney. Most all the men folks of Cheney attended and enjoyed the ball game at Desdemona last Sunday afternoon.

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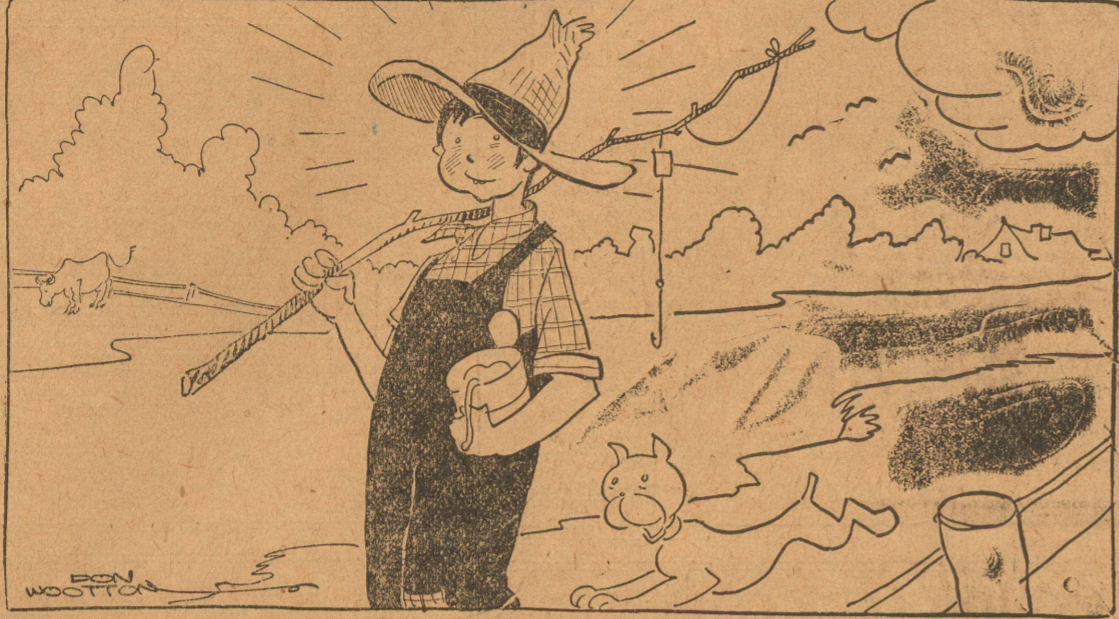
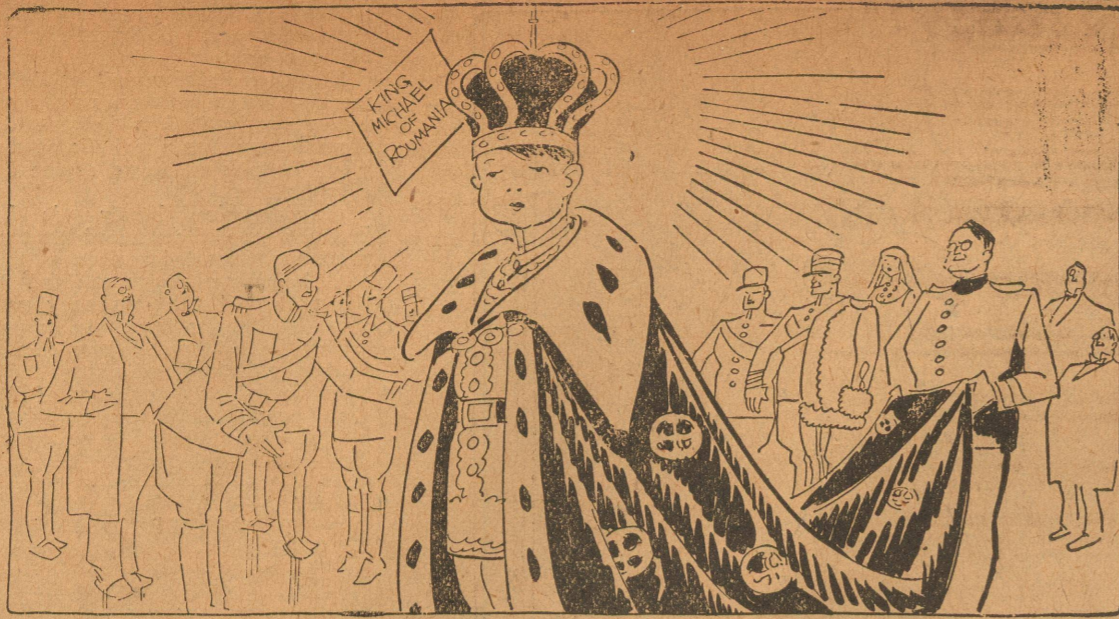
Mrs. Fowler says, "I hadn't been feeling what you could call real good for some time and just recently I got so I felt tired out all the time, and couldn't walk more than thirty yards without feeling exhausted."

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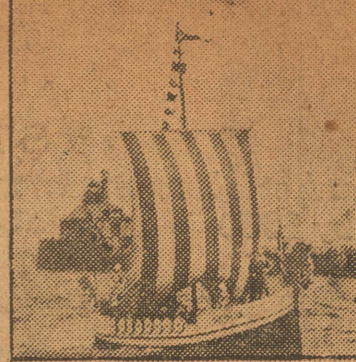
By United Press. WUCHANG, China.—Within the ancient walls of Wuchang, starting-point of China's republican revolution workers of the Nationalist Government are making "paper bullets" to win a Kuomintang revolution. Propaganda, most modern and most potent weapon in China as elsewhere, is in process of preparation here. Posters, pamphlets and personal solicitation have thus far laid down an irresistible barrage ahead of the Nationalist soldiers, and it is the hope of the Wuchang workers that this barrage may soon sweep all China. In Wuchang there are two general methods of propaganda work—one, the training of youths and girls so that they may slip in ahead of advancing armies and at grave personal hazard prepare the minds of the opposing armies and the people so that they will welcome Nationalist troops rather than fight them; two, the printing of a variety of posters and other material. A visit to this printed propaganda establishment is most interesting. Here one may see artists working on plans and engaged in sketching and coloring the great canvasses which are later, by thoroughly Occidental lithographic processes, to be reproduced many thousandfold in the form of paper posters. And here one may see the posters themselves—gay enough, at first glance, but far from gay when examined. Some are cubistic, some are along more conventional lines, some are all brim over with an intense quality which is most compelling. Gone are the days of dilittante art in China, if the work of these young Nationalist artists may be taken as a criterion. Instead there seems to have come a period reminiscent of, and doubtless colored by, revolutionary days in Russia, Germany and other European countries. Here is a portrait of Chang Tsung-chang of Shantung, with a scene of bloody slaughter just below; there is a gruesome depiction of the Fengtien military bayoneting civilians; again there is a rather amusing sketch of pop-eyed Northern generals fleeing before a mob of Nationalist soldiers, students, peasants and business people. Skulls and other ghastly details figure largely in most of the pictures. But it is interesting to note that these are true posters in technique, each carrying one definite message and hammering it home with a force which is aided by these horrible details but which is by no means solely dependent upon them. Li Ho-lin, director of the Central

discipline as the men workers. Director Li estimates that 3,000 varieties of propaganda are put out addressed to six specific classes—peasants, laborers, women, soldiers, student and the common people. On the average, 50,000 copies of each sort of propaganda have been produced. All told, the posters, books, pamphlets, leaflets, handbills and other varieties of propaganda thus far produced reach the stupendous total of 150,000,000 copies. Twenty thousand propagandists are at work, most of them acting as advance guard to the Nationalist military forces. So successful are they in what is more a hazardous occupation—as the Northern military leaders realize the potency of this activity, and takes steps to combat it—that time after time they have been the cause of large bodies of troops going over to the South bodily, without a struggle. Moreover, they cause the common people to welcome the incoming Southern troops instead of dreading their approach as is the case with the plundering lawless type of soldier with which China is most familiar. Warranty deed, Charlie M. Van Green to J. M. Herring, part of block B-1, Eastland, consideration, \$1550. Trust deed, J. M. Herring et ux to Eastland Building & Loan Association, part of block D-1, Eastland, consideration, \$10.00.

Public Records

Instruments Filed: Warranty deed, Wichita Falls Motor Co., to C. A. Forman, lot 1, block 1, Elferton Heights addition to Cisco, consideration, \$600.00. Oil and gas lease, W. A. Hale et ux to T. P. Coal & Oil Co., 80 acres of the NE 1-4 section 18, block 3, H. & T. C. Railway Co. survey, consideration \$2400. Warranty deed, M. E. Turner et ux to B. H. Peacock, lots 6 and 7, block 4, R. C. Stuard addition to Ranger, consideration, \$750.00. Oil and gas lease, Kokoma Petroleum Co., to Phillips Petroleum Co., SW 1-4 of section 11, block - H. & T. C. Railway Co. survey, consideration \$10.00. Deed of trust, Southwest Gas Co. to Chatham Phoenix National Bank & Trust Co., Part of the Jose Rubarth survey, also lands in other counties, consideration, \$3,000.00. Warranty deed, Minnie L. Durton et al to The Graham National Bank, lot 1, block 8, Burkett addition to Eastland, consideration, \$100.00. Assignment, O. R. Cooper to Hall Walker, lot 1, block 8, Burkett addition to Eastland, consideration, \$667.00. Assignment, Hall Walker to Graham National Bank, see Vol. 33, page 21, Deed and Transfer Records. Release of vendor's lien, B. B. Walker to C. Hurt, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, block 3, Nebettes addition to Eastland, consideration, \$500.00. Warranty deed, J. W. Bennett et ux to Mrs. Lee Mason, part of N 1-2 of survey 15, block 1, H. & T. C. Railway Co. survey, consideration \$1. Warranty deed, Calvin Woody to J. W. Woody, NE 1-4 of section 16, block 1, H. & T. C. Railway Co. survey, consideration, \$387.00. Warranty deed, Robert Woody to J. W. Woody, NE 1-4 section 16, block 1, H. & T. C. Railway Co. survey, consideration, \$333.33. Release of vendor's lien, E. W. Kimble to J. P. Carter, N 1-2 section 15 block 1, H. & T. C. Railway Co. survey, consideration, \$5,000.00. Transfer of vendor's lien, Mrs. M. A. Frost to R. E. Sikes, lots 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9, also 11, block 3, Daugherty's addition to Eastland, consideration, \$750. Deed of Transfer, C. Hunt et ux to W. E. McCleskey, lots 7, 2, 3, 4 and 5, block 3, Nebettes addition to Eastland, consideration, \$10.00. Lien Contract, N. L. Smitham et al to Pickering Lumber Co., lot 4, block 7, Hillcrest Addition to Eastland, consideration, \$950.00.

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FILIPINO POPULATION IN U. S. TRIPLES SINCE 1920

Claim Made that Immigration Act is Responsible, May Quadruple by 1930

By HARRY W. FRANTZ
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON—Filipino population in the continental United States has practically tripled since the last national census of 1920, and may be quadrupled before the census of 1930, the United Press estimates after inquiry in authoritative American official and Filipino quarters here.

The rapid increase has been stimulated to a considerable extent by labor requirements resulting from the restrictions against European labor under the Immigration Act of 1924. Employment of Filipinos on vessels of the United States navy and the influx of many hundred Filipino young men seeking an opportunity for high school and university education while self-supporting are other noteworthy factors in population growth.

The census of 1920 reported 5,605 Filipinos in continental United States, of whom 5,232 were males and 373 females. As many Filipinos in this country have not maintained a permanent fixed residence it appears likely that the number reported was not the maximum.

In 1920, the distribution of Filipino male population on the mainland was as follows: New England 66, Middle Atlantic states 733, including 471 in New York; Western North Central States 123; South Atlantic, 274, including 118 in the District of Columbia; West South Central States, 111; Rocky Mountain states, 143, Pacific Coast, 3,525, including 2,484 in California, 136 Oregon and 915 in Washington. Of the Filipino women, 239 resided in California.

The Filipino population of Hawaii was officially reported in 1920 at approximately 21,000. In 1925 the Director of Labor of the Philippines estimated the Filipinos in Hawaii to number about 40,000, of whom 5,000 lived in cities, and about 25,000 were employed on plantations of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association. The remainder were families of agricultural workers.

Officials here are not now able to give exact information on the present Filipino population of continental United States, but there are known to have been marked increases in the Filipino colonies in central California, in the state of Washington, at Chicago, at New York and vicinity, and probably in Louisiana. During the recent flood crisis in Louisiana, unofficial reports estimated approximately 2,000 Filipino laborers engaged in the sugar plantations of that state.

In fairness to the Filipinos, it might be said that their chief occupation here was self-education, as a large percentage are in attendance either at high school, college or night school. For example, of about 200 Filipinos in the District of Columbia, at least 100 are seeking college and university degrees or are attending high school. Industrial occupations of chief importance vary with the locale of the different colonies. In the Pacific Northwest the Filipino laborers are engaged chiefly in the fishing and canning industries. Recently they have been heavily employed in the summer fish catch and canning in Alaska.

The majority of the California colony is engaged in agricultural activities, although many are employed in the city of San Francisco. Commerce and miscellaneous industries engage more than a thousand Filipinos in the vicinity of Chicago.

Brooklyn is the rendezvous for a varying population of Filipinos, said to exceed one thousand, who are engaged on naval craft and other shipping. Filipinos naturally settle at Brooklyn for a change of occupation because of the existence there of the Brooklyn United States Navy Yard.

As previously stated, there are believed to be at least 2,000 Filipinos engaged on cane plantations in Louisiana. The remainder of the Filipinos in the United States are widely scattered, but every important city has at least a small representation.

Officials say that since enactment of the Immigration Act of 1924, there have been occasional inquiries concerning Filipino immigration, which is not restricted by law. Recently rumors circulated in the capital that western labor organizations were disturbed by the influx of Filipino workers, but inquiry in various quarters here reveals that no official representations on the subject have been made.

The only official statistic concerning Filipino emigration to the United States which are published here are secured from Philippines Government sources. These show that in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, Philippines citizens departing from the Philippines to continental United States and its insular possessions numbered 6,227 males and 97 females. In the same period there were admitted to the Philippines from continental United States and its insular possessions 1,574 Philippines male citizens and 78 females.

In the fiscal year 1925, Philippines citizens departing to continental United States and its insular possessions numbered 10,880 males and 758 females, while in the same year there returned to the Philippines 1914 males and 358 females.

In 1924 there departed from the Philippines 13,209 non-emigrants and 938 emigrants; and returned to the Philippines 9,363 non-immigrants and 7,139 immigrants. These figures did not show, however, how many of the emigrants were destined to continental United States.

Under the only ruling of the United States Supreme Court that has ever been given on the subject, Filipinos are held not eligible to naturalization as American citizens. There are exceptions, however, as follows: Filipinos who have performed three years' service in the United States Navy, Marine Corps or Naval Auxiliary Service, and who have made the declaration of intention to become citizens required of all aliens, or of Filipinos "who are white persons or of African nativity or descent" are held eligible.

The Philippine Republic, discussing the situation in June issue, says that the Supreme Court decision, made in the case of *Toyots* versus United States (May 25, 1925), does not effect the eligibility of Filipinos to continue to take examinations for or hold positions in the United States Civil Service. The Civil Service is open African citizens or persons owing allegiance to the United States, which includes Filipinos.

Prior to the Supreme Court decision in 1925, numerous Filipinos had obtained naturalization. Inquiries made by the Philippine Republic to

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Commissioner of Naturalization R. F. Crist revealed that the Bureau would vigorously oppose the naturalization of any more Filipinos, except those excepted under the law, but the Bureau will make no attempt to deprive citizenship of Filipinos to whom it already has been granted.

Recently cases have been reported where Filipinos have been denied right to take bar examinations, because of their non-citizenship.

In general, however, there seems to be very little discrimination against Filipinos in the United States, and their industriousness and ambition seem to have commended favor.

TASTE FOR VODKA FATAL TO SHANGHAI PICKPOCKET

SHANGHAI.—Charles Steglov's love of that powerful beverage called vodka has brought about his undoing. Charles, according to police, entered a Chinese liquor store a week ago and traded a gold watch for two bottles of the fiery liquid. When Charles appeared at the shop again on the following day and traded another gold watch for the same amount of vodka, the Chinese proprietor was mildly surprised.

On the third day Charles again showed up with a new gold watch. He wanted more vodka. The proprietor was astounded. Two more days passed and on each occasion Charles put in an appearance with a watch. The proprietor was first alarmed and then suspicious.

The police were notified. Detectives followed the watch-trading Charles to his room. There he arrested him, searched the room and found more than 300 gold watches, some diamond-studded, a portion of the lot obtained in a \$30,000 burglary recently.

Charles went to jail charged with burglary.

SEMI-LIQUOR SMUGGLING BIG PROHIBITION PROBLEM

By United Press.
WASHINGTON.—"Semi-legal" liquor smuggling into the United States has increased steadily during the last few years while illegal rum running has been curbed materially, according to prohibition headquarters.

Experts estimate that the annual volume of liquor leaving foreign ports for American entry would approximate \$40,000,000 this year.

The only official estimate of the yearly volume of smuggled liquor is contained in the Commerce Department's "balance of international payments." Estimates from 1922 to 1926 ran between \$20,000,000 and \$35,000,000.

Officials describe this type of smuggling rum as "semi-legal" as the rum runners declare their cargoes land

and this is all that is required by a number of foreign governments, thus making the shipment legal, as far as the foreign government is concerned.

Smuggling the liquor into the United States is illegal.

The amount of "semi-legal" liquor entering the United States is considerably larger than the value figure indicates, it was stated. At bootleg prices the sum would be estimated considerably higher as the Commerce Department, as the figure is based on the value of liquor when cleared from other countries.

Coast Guard officials, however, contend that liquor smuggling has virtually been broken up by the "dry navy." They point out that rum now has been smashed and that only an infrequent straggler now attempts to smuggle rum as "semi-legal" as the rum runners declare their cargoes land

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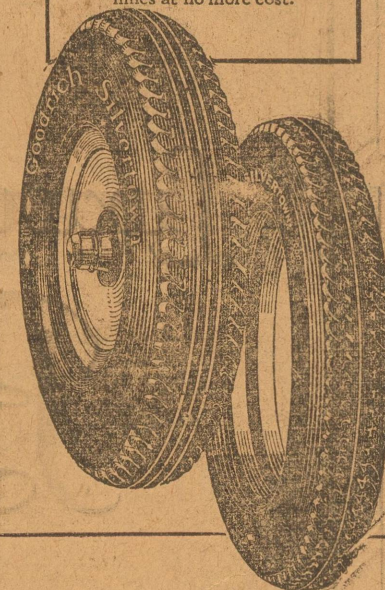
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BEST IN THE LONG RUN



In the recent weeks, according to Lt. Commander Stephen Yeandle, aid to the commandant of the Guard, not a single ship of the "black fleet" has been spotted along the North Atlantic coast.

The Guard still maintains its "war map" to keep tabs on rum runners but recently it has become dusty from non-use as the bulk of smuggled liquor is coming over the Canadian border.

Considerable liquor is being brought into the United States by what the Guard describes as "innocent looking pleasure yachts." It is the policy of the dry navy not to stop and search private pleasure yachts unless under suspicion and smugglers taking advantage of this opening to land cargoes of liquor from private appearing boats at secluded spots along the coast from Maine to Florida, it was said.

LILAC AND ORANGE RED LOBSTERS DISCOVERED

LONDON.—A fastidiousness in fish is not confined to human beings. Even fish, it would seem, endeavor to do their bit in brightening

things up generally. The lobsters, in particular, seem to have been impressed by the bright-colored frocks which make their appearance on the sea-fronts whenever the sun condescends to shine for a few minutes.

During the past few days lobster pots at Brighton, popular British southeast resort, have yielded a remarkable collection of lobsters, which have abandoned the conventional dress of their tribe—a dull slate-black. Their taste for brighter garb has certainly saved their lives, and they are now living in attractive glass tanks at the aquarium instead of providing one of the necessary ingredients for a nightmare-producing supper.

Here is a record of the local lobster's thirst for color as revealed by the lobster pots:

Three lilac lobsters; one sky-blue lobster; one deep cobalt lobster; and one orange-red lobster.

It is hardly necessary to add that all these lobsters are "ladies." The mere "men" who have been caught have been found to be carrying on with the time-honored dull slate-black. They have been eaten.

NOTICE!

At a Regular Meeting of the City Commission the Secretary was instructed not to issue any permits for sewer taps unless the plumbing fees had been paid according to City Ordinance.

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