

MYSTERY SURROUNDS CAUSE OF MABEL MORRIS' DYING CONDITION

Unconscious in Hospital, She May Have Fractured Skull or Be Poisoned.

With death approaching closer as each second slips into space, Mabel Morris is in the Ranger General hospital with her brain so befogged in stupor that she cannot tell attendants the exact nature of her illness.

There are three possibilities: Poisoned corn whisky, ptomaine poison or a fractured skull sustained by falling in a bathtub.

The latter is the belief of attendants now, though when medical aid was called four days ago she was suffering intense pain in the abdomen, which could be traced either to corn whisky she had drunk or chicken salad which she had eaten, or a combination of both.

Had "Party." A girl friend of Mabel's, when interviewed this morning, said that about four nights ago a crowd of them had lunch and later went out for the evening.

Late Sunday afternoon Mabel was carried to the Ranger General hospital. At that time, it is said that her condition was such that she could not be operated upon for the fracture, if one exists.

Physicians who have attended the girl will demand that an autopsy be made, it is thought, in the event of death.

4TH OF JULY TAKES TOLL OF 12 LIVES IN CHI

CHICAGO, Ill., July 5.—The Fourth took a toll of twelve lives in Chicago, five persons out of thousands who flocked to the bathing beaches to escape the intense heat were drowned.

R. E. Sherman, deputy sheriff, was accidentally shot and killed by his daughter, Mrs. Helen Hubbard, who was shooting at a target.

John Fifer was accidentally shot by Louis Woniak, who was celebrating the Fourth.

STRIFE IN SPANISH CABINET CULMINATES IN PREMIER RESIGNING

MADRID, July 5.—Cabinet Premier Allende Salazar resigned today. There has been dissension in the cabinet for some time and the situation was believed to have culminated yesterday when Manuel Arguelles tendered his resignation on the ground that the new tariff law and commercial treaties being negotiated by Spain are inimical to the interests of labor.

Mothers of Convicted Bandits—Sisters in Sorrow—Visit Cells of Sons Daily

DALLAS, Texas, July 5.—Daily, two mothers, united by the common bond of mother-love, make their way to the county jail here, where their sons are sentenced, one to death by the hangman's noose, the other to life imprisonment.

They met by chance, Mrs. L. P. Winn, mother of Charles E. Gaines, convicted of murder during an attempted postoffice robbery, and Mrs.

SOLUTION FOR IRISH TRIANGLE EXPECTED SOON

South African Premier Will Represent Empire in Talk With Sinn Fein.

LONDON, July 5.—Settlement of the centuries old Irish question appeared definitely in the making today.

Sentiment in favor of a quick definite solution was growing among the three groups constituting the triangle the Sinn Fein, the Ulsterites and the British government.

Jan Smuts, premier of South Africa, regarded as one of the strongest figures in the empire, arrived in Dublin today. While Mr. Smuts does not officially represent the British government, his recommendations will have almost unlimited weight, not only with the government, but with the counsel of dominion premiers.

Smuts' mission is understood to have been undertaken upon invitation of the Sinn Fein, presumably to advise with other Irish officials on the formula of settlement terms, and to continue in an advisory capacity during the progress of negotiations.

The highest hope is held for the conference of Eamonn de Valera with representatives of the unionists, which will be resumed Friday.

CRUISER AND GUNBOAT SENT TO TAMPICO TO PROTECT U. S. INTERESTS

WASHINGTON, July 5.—The cruiser Cleveland and the gunboat Sacramento have been ordered to Tampico to protect American interests in the event they are jeopardized because of labor troubles resulting from the unemployment situation, according to navy department advisers.

The Sacramento should reach Tampico from Galveston today. The Cleveland, ordered from Cristobal of the canal zone probably will not reach Tampico before Thursday. Both vessels were assigned to the American special service squadron in South and Central American waters, Rear Admiral Bryan commanding.

JAPS DENY TREATY WITH ENGLAND WAS AIMED AT AMERICA

TOKIO, July 5.—Denial that the Anglo-Japanese alliance can be construed as being aimed against America was made in a statement issued today by the Japanese foreign office.

"By no stretch of the imagination can it be honestly said that the alliance was ever desired or remotely intended as an instrument of hostility or even of defense against the United States," the statement said.

AMERICA PASSES SAFEST AND SANEST FOURTH IN HISTORY

AMERICA HAS PASSED HER SAFEST, SANEST FOURTH IN HISTORY in reports gathered today by the United Press from all sections of the country.

Deaths from drowning for the most part, explosion of firecrackers caused a few fatalities. Chicago and Boston led in deaths with twelve each. In Chicago five were drowned and the rest killed in auto accidents. In Milwaukee, eleven were dead, six being drowned. Three were drowned at New York; four were killed at Detroit; three drowned at Brownsville, Pa.; New Orleans reported three deaths; Pittsburgh two. Scores of other cities reported minor fatalities.

CARP HIT 'IM FIRST!

JERSEY CITY, July 5.—Details for plans for prosecution of public officials of New Jersey were discussed today by officials of the International Reform bureau in connection with the staging of the recent heavyweight bout. The bureau has already demanded the arrest of Jack Dempsey, charged with assault and battery upon the person of Georges Carpentier.

9 ARE KILLED; 42 INJURED IN OIL EXPLOSION

Property Loss Due to Terrific Blast in Indiana Estimated at \$2,000,000.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 5.—Casualties of the blast at the Standard Oil company refinery at Whiting, Ind., near here reached nine killed and forty-two injured today.

The explosion, which happened yesterday, was due to a small leak in a tank. Property loss is approximately \$2,000,000.

JUST A NUISANCE, HILL BILLIES' VIEW OF LIQUOR LAW TRIALS

SANDY HOOK, Ky., July 5.—Sandy Hook became the "moonshiners' mecca" today as gaunt hill-billies patiently plodded to town to be tried for practicing their age-old pursuit.

The quaint, grizzled men, 200 of whom will be tried before Circuit Judge A. N. Frisco tomorrow, charged with operating illicit stills, considered the trials as merely one of the inconveniences of modern life.

"If they start by convicting us they'll have to put most everybody in the county in jail," one old fellow remarked. "Making likker around here is about as old as these hills."

SEX OF CHILD MAY BE REGULATED SAYS JAPANESE SCIENTIST

PARIS, July 5.—A possible solution of the problem of repopulating Europe is made to replace the millions lost in the war is seen by French scientists in the announcement of Dr. Tu-Se-Ka Ri, one of the most noted medical men of Japan, that parents can positively insure the sex of their unborn children by a very simple means.

Several other "discoveries" of the same kind have been made in the past, but their expense was not men of sufficient prominence to give their statements much weight. The Japanese physician, who describes his method in the current issue of the French Revue Mondiale, was for a long time director of the College of Tokio.

He makes the positive assertion that by using his method parents can make certain that an unborn child will be either a boy or girl, according to their choice, in 95 per cent of all cases.

ENDEAVOR WORKERS FROM ALL OVER WORLD MEET IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, July 5.—Fifteen thousand delegates, representing 8,000 Christian Endeavor societies, gathered in this city today for their sixth world convention.

Delegations from the Old World and from some of the new countries born since the war, mingled with those from five South American nations and from every corner of the British empire as well as from thousands of towns and hamlets in the United States.

TWO LIVES LOST WHEN FIRE DESTROYS HOTEL

RIVERHEAD, N. Y., July 5.—Two persons lost their lives here today in the fire which destroyed the Canoe Place inn. One of the persons, a woman, lost her life because she refused to take a chance by jumping from a third-story window. Damage to the hotel is estimated at \$50,000.

CALL FOR NATIONAL BANK STATEMENT IS ISSUED

WASHINGTON, July 5.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of national banks at the close of business June 30.

S. J. COPELAND, OLD-TIMER HERE, BURIED TODAY

Funeral in Ranger at 3 p. m.; Died in Midland Yesterday.

S. J. Copeland, better known to older settlers as "Sol," who perhaps was one of the oldest inhabitants of Eastland county, died yesterday at the home of his son-in-law, Mitchell Matheny, at Midland, Texas. At the time of his death Mr. Copeland was 78 years old. Several children survive him, some of whom live in Ranger.

Funeral will take place in the family plot in the old Ranger cemetery, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Jones-Cox Undertaking company will direct funeral arrangements.

The dead man was the owner of the Copeland farm, four miles west of Ranger, which during the boom was the site of several gushers and has since produced much oil. It was on that farm with his family that Mr. Copeland lived for years—just how many could not be ascertained today, but it is beyond the memory of many of the oldtimers. Shortly after the county was organized, Mr. Copeland served it as sheriff.

1000 ARIZONA MEN BATTLE FLOOD WATERS

SOMERTON, Ariz., July 5.—The Yuma valley flood situation was reported unchanged today.

A weary-eyed throng of 1,000 ranchmen and laborers, pressed into service on government orders, believed today that a temporary levee system they have constructed since the main levee gave way Friday morning would hold back the waters until the 400-yard break in the main levee could be repaired.

The damage estimate remained unchanged at \$1,000,000.

UNIVERSITY LAND BILL WILL NOT BE CHANGED, OPINES SEN. DARWIN

DALLAS, July 5.—The legislature will not make any changes in the university land purchase bill, which would cut down the amount of additional acreage to be acquired for the extension of the university, in the opinion of State Senator H. L. Darwin of Delta county.

"That part of the additional lands north of the university, which it has been suggested be eliminated, is by far the most desirable," he said. "It will cost more, but will be worth more to the university than all of the other tracts combined."

SHIP'S CREW REFUSES TO WORK WITH 'HOODOO'

SAVANNAH, Ga., July 5.—The crew of one of the ships of the United States shipping board, now in port, threatened to walk out yesterday if John Eagle, a negro known as "Hoodoo," was given a job. Eagle got his first job with the shipping board two years ago on the steamer Barnstable.

The boat went ashore off Tybee. He came back to Savannah and landed on a wooden ship, which went on a reef off Cuba. He came back to Savannah and was booked for Key West. The ship he was on went aground.

During the recent labor troubles he went to Charleston on the steamship Brasher. All the strike-breakers received a severe drubbing from the strikers except "Hoodoo," who was sent back to Savannah.

He got a job on the steamship Lake Faubush. The boilers went bad after all hands were signed up and the Faubush was laid up for repairs.

So, yesterday, when "Hoodoo" came aboard a shipping board vessel to work the crew rebelled. Today "Hoodoo" is out of a job.

JESS WILLARD WANTS ANOTHER GO WITH JACK

LAWRENCE, Kan., July 5.—Jess Willard, from whom Jack Dempsey took the heavyweight fight belt, today declared he is "anxious" to meet "The Manikiller" again.

"I would only need about four months of training before being ready for Dempsey," Willard said. He declared he has always believed it was only a "lucky punch" by Dempsey that defeated him at Toledo. Willard said immediately after the fight Saturday that it was up to Tex Rickard whether the fight should be held.

DIVORCEE AND MODEL TRIED FOR DEATH OF PROMINENT OKLA. MAN

TULSA, Okla., July 5.—Goldie Gordon, artists' model, and Mrs. Jesse James, a divorcee, were placed on trial in district court here today for the death of Judge John Devereaux, former member of the state supreme court commission, who died here May 11 under mysterious circumstances.

HARDING BACK AT CAPITOL

WASHINGTON, July 5.—President Harding arrived in Washington this afternoon from his July visit at the home of Senator Frelinghuysen at Raritan, N. J.

LODGE WANTS REST

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Senator Lodge today introduced a resolution in the Senate for a recess from Thursday of this week until July 28. This was the signal for the agricultural bloc to open its fight to keep the Senate sitting until the agricultural program is passed upon.

Lodge and other Senate leaders intend to force the recess, they announce.

WATCH JULY 11 IS WARNING OF COUNTY CLERK

Penalty for Violation of Assumed Name Law Is \$25 Daily Thereafter.

Many Ranger firms have not as yet complied with the law requiring the filing of affidavits as to their ownership and such failure will subject them to a fine of \$25 a day after July 11 are the statements in a letter from County Clerk Earl Bender to the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

Blanks for the affidavits may be obtained tomorrow at the chamber's office on Austin street and all firms are urged to fill them out and send them to the county clerk before the penalty becomes operative.

Mr. Bender's letter follows: "Ranger Chamber of Commerce, Ranger, Texas.—Gentlemen: Quite a number of firms of Ranger operating under assumed names have not filed affidavits in this office complying with senate bill No. 110. These affidavits must be filed on or before July 11. The penalty for violation is \$25 a day as a minimum and \$100 a day as a maximum, and each day constitutes a separate offense.

Those who fail to file will do so unintentionally, because of the fact that they did not take the matter into consideration seriously. I wonder if your Chamber of Commerce could not impress it upon the minds of these firms the importance of complying with this law?

"All firms such as barber shops, cafes, theatres, auto supply houses, filling stations, paint shops, grocery stores, dry goods establishments and hardware stores do, in most cases, come under the ruling.

"Kindly give as much individual publicity to this matter as possible, and let's see if we can't get the majority or all of our business men to comply with this law before it is too late.

"At any time this office can serve you individually or collectively, command us.

"EARL BENDER, County Clerk."

MEXICO ORDERED TO PAY SUSPENDED MEN

MEXICO CITY, July 5.—Oil companies which censured operations in the states of Tamaulipas and Vera Cruz "without sufficient justification" have been ordered to pay indemnification to employees thrown out of work by their action in a decree issued by President Obregon last night. Cessation of work has been especially noted among American concerns.

FIVE FREIGHT CARS DITCHED NEAR WILES

Five cars of a Texas & Pacific freight train went into the ditch this morning at 10 o'clock a short distance East of Wiles. No one was hurt. Two of the cars turned over on their sides. The accident occurred at a point on the railroad where passenger trains could be put through a siding. Trains due at 10 o'clock were only delayed a few minutes. It is expected that the track will be cleared by night.

POSTOFFICE AT KLEBURG, NEAR DALLAS, ROBBED

DALLAS, July 5.—The postoffice at Kleburg, fifteen miles east of Dallas on the Texas & New Orleans railroad, was robbed Monday night, according to reports here today.

Only meager details of the robbery were given, and the amount of the loss was not known. The sheriff and deputies immediately left for the scene.

U. S. SWEET TOOTH IS GROWING YEARLY

WASHINGTON, July 5.—At the rate the United States is eating candy and ice cream, it could annually build a dozen super-dreadnaughts, and in two years could build another Panama canal. Our consumption of sweets has almost quadrupled in five years.

FRANK KETCH DENIES HAMON HOLDINGS IN TEXAS ARE SOLD

DOUGHBOYS ON RHINE TO BE RETURNED SOON

Must Be Withdrawn Within Month to Stay Inside Appropriation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 5.—American forces in Germany will be withdrawn within the next few weeks, as the result of the final enactment of the peace resolution, Representative Anthony, Kansas, in charge of army appropriations in the house, said today.

He declared that appropriations in the army for the current fiscal year are so limited that the war department will be forced to return the troops within a month or violate the Borch amendment to the army appropriation bill, which prohibits the incurring of any deficiencies.

'COPS, FIFES AND DRUMS STAGED PARADE'—PROS

NEW YORK, July 5.—Prohibition organizations are on watch lest sentiment favorable to the repeal of the eighteenth amendment be exaggerated.

The Anti-Saloon league announced today that it had employed accountants to make a careful tally of the number of persons who participated in the "wet" parade on Fifth avenue yesterday and accurate figures showed there were but 14,922 persons in line, including the bandmen and policemen.

INDUSTRIAL REVOLT URGED BY 'BIG BILL'

LONDON, July 5.—"Propaganda and agitation among the rank and file of the unions of the United States" for an industrial revolution is urged by "Big Bill" Haywood, I. W. W. leader. This work is being carried on in a limited way by the Industrial Workers of the World, he declared in an article in the "Moscow" and new Bolshevik organ.

Haywood, who forfeited his bail bond by going to Moscow while awaiting the result of his appeal from a 20-year sentence for violation of the espionage act, has announced that he will soon return to serve his sentence. "One single obstacle standing in the pathway of working class progress in the United States is the American administration of labor," Haywood declared.

GOMPERS FLAYS SOVIETS

"Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, speaking for that organization in its entirety, condemns the soviet Russia, referring to the Bolsheviks as 'savages' and their actions 'bestial.' "From the foregoing will be seen the urgent necessity for propaganda and agitation among the rank and file of the craft unions of the United States."

NEFF DECLARES STATE PENAL CODE NO LONGER TERRORIZES EVIL-DOERS

AUSTIN, July 5.—Declaring that during the past two years Texas has witnessed and is still experiencing the greatest crime wave in the history of the state, Governor Pat M. Neff, in an address before the Austin Rotary club today, spoke in defense of his law enforcement program.

The governor will present the program to the coming session of the legislature. The governor said the crime wave was the result of a complete breakdown in the administration of the criminal code.

"The law no longer is a terror for evil-doers," he said. "We have minimized punishment for crime until it has stripped the law of its powers. A traditional parasitic gloss of technicalities has sucked the life-blood out of the penal code."

DALLAS MAN WOUNDS WIFE AND KILLS SELF

DALLAS, July 5.—W. B. Lancaster, clerk in a local shoe store, shot and seriously wounded his wife, and then turned the gun on himself in a room at the Taylor hotel here today.

Lancaster died in an ambulance on the way to the hospital. Mrs. Lancaster, who was shot twice, is said to have a chance for recovery, although her condition is serious.

Police found the body of the woman lying on the bed, and Lancaster's under the bed. Roomers at the hotel declared that family trouble caused the shooting, and that the couple were separated, but not divorced. They have one child.

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MORE HOPEFUL. The effects of Oregon's export tax on Mexican crude may not be immediately apparent in the prices paid for crude oil in the Ranger field. Nevertheless, it should begin to have an effect at no late date, if press dispatches are true.

For the workmen, one cannot fail to have due sympathy. Having had the same condition here to a noticeable extent, because the prices paid did not make development profitable, one cannot help but wish their condition were otherwise.

These deductions may not be conclusive. They may be entirely erroneous, for not even the oil men claim to know anything about oil and what the market is going to do.

"As soon as we pass out of the war-time reaction stealing will stop," remarks an Iowa Methodist preacher. Yes, we suppose before very long the portable property will give out, anyway.—Houston Post.

There are, says a preacher, four ways to escape an unhappy marriage without getting a divorce. They are: no doubt cyanide, carbolic acid, morphine and drowning.—Washington Post.

Germany now has the skeleton of a future big army in her closet, but don't worry—she has also the skeleton of several past armies there.—Boston Transcript.

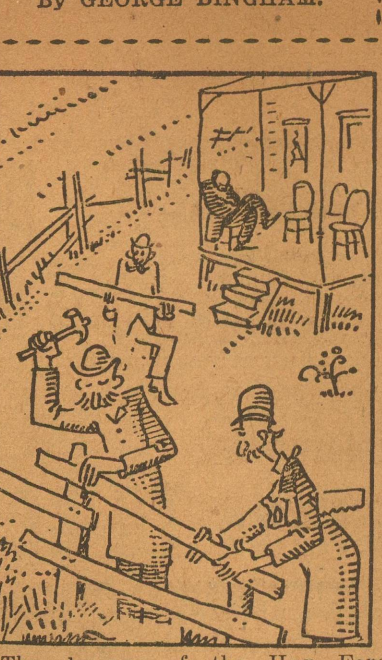
Spain is discussing whether it should spend money on roads or education first. Better try education and the roads will follow.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

One advantage of being secretary of the navy is that you can get a first-hand report on London—after dinner oratory.—Dallas Morning News.

In barring education among the Russians, Lenin betrays his knowledge that the only way to keep the people red is to keep them unread.—Washington Post.

If the Canadian government authorities succeed in getting Grover C. Bergdoll, they may arrange some way to lead him to the United States for 10 to 15 years.—Indianapolis News.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS By GEORGE BINGHAM.



The deacons of the Hog Ford church convened at the home of their pastor Monday afternoon, and after talking him to sleep, surprised him by repairing the front fence.

The Postmaster has figured up what business he has done with the postoffice during the past year, and finds that more mail is needed, as he has been unable to supply about half of his patrons who called for letters and papers at the general delivery window.

In order to show no favoritism in the enforcement of the law and in the performance of his duty, the Deputy Constable today placed himself under arrest.

CHIEF JUSTICE TAFT.

It used to be said of William Howard Taft before his election to the Presidency that the chief justiceship appealed quite as strongly to his ambition. But both of these most exalted offices in the republic have now been his and he is the only man that ever lived of whom this could be said.

It may have been true, as came yesterday from the feeble Senate opposition to Mr. Taft's confirmation, that in Charles E. Hughes the Supreme Court was robbed of a great lawyer to make an indifferent politician. But it is decidedly not true that President Harding in this case is trying to make a great lawyer of a politician.

No man ever went on the Supreme bench better equipped in learning and training and temperament. The only objection that can be raised is his age, which is only six years short of the legal age of possible retirement.

BRINGING IT HOME

Now and then some complacent citizen arises in a populous city to question the allegations that the government has not fulfilled its duty toward this nation's disabled soldiers. He deplores statistics and statements of facts as exaggerations. He will not believe because he does not wish to believe.

Perhaps the people of Robinson, Ill., were sceptical once of the tales of official injustice toward the disabled. But they are not now. The town is still thinking of Jesse D. Hedges, formerly of Co. E, 148th Infantry, 57th Division. Jesse Hedges, wounded and gassed in France, arriving home with a half-healed chest wound, adjudged totally disabled, first allowed \$80 a month, then raised to \$90, but finally, in spite of the fact that he had a wife to support, reduced to a compensation level of \$9 a month.

They took Jesse Hedges to a state hospital recently and they say he won't come back. Worry sent him there, the people of Robinson believe, and the Robinson Daily News makes this comment, which might well be dedicated to the unbelieving everywhere.

"While such things sound bad enough when we read of them among strangers, it is only when it comes to our own people that we begin to realize what it means, how much stark tragedy is covered by the little item in the city daily about another ex-serviceman dying or being taken to some public institution. Every time this happens, it means the heart-break of the loved ones left, and the less the government should do is to lessen the financial burden of those left. But how much better it would be to give the serviceman the care to which he is entitled before the calamity comes, that instead of a disrupted, heart-broken family, this country would have another home in which faith in the government would be supreme, and this is the strongest stone in the foundation of any government."—American Legion Weekly.

EL PASO, Texas.—Shipments of California fruits, vegetables and melons through here are very heavy. More than five trainloads pass through El Paso from the coast daily on the Southern Pacific railroad, according to the chief dispatcher's office.

TAFT APPOINTED CHIEF JUSTICE OF U. S. SUPREME COURT



A recent portrait of former President William Howard Taft, who was appointed chief justice of the United States supreme court by President Harding to succeed the late Chief Justice White.

PRISONER WANTED IN OKLAHOMA ESCAPES FROM THE CITY JAIL

C. B. Blagg, said by the police to have been wanted in Oklahoma, last night about 8 o'clock, made his escape from the city jail. Blagg with some instrument cut the heavy iron bands the cells in jail and forced the boards with his feet.

HORRORS! WOMEN TO DRIVE MEN OFF EARTH SAYS FRENCH SCIENTIST

BY NEWTON C. PARKE, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

PARIS, July 5.—Old maids are going to rule the world within another generation and when that happens all sensible men, looking for happy existences, will try to flee this earth and try out the planet Mars.

"This is the opinion of Professor Girault, probably the best known French authority in political economy, who has just addressed his beliefs to the University of Poitiers.

"Women are going to assume leadership, particularly in Europe, for the next hundred years," says Professor Girault. "This does not mean that civilization is becoming effeminate, nor does it result simply from the fact that women will be numerically stronger."

"But there are too many women for the marriageable males and hundreds of thousands of them are being compelled to make ill-sorted marriages in which the man in nearly every case, is the weaker partner.

CALL FOR STATEMENTS OF STATE BANKS ISSUED

AUSTIN, July 5.—A call for a statement of the financial condition of the 1,030 state banks at the close of business was issued today by Ed Hall, commissioner of insurance and banking. State banks have ten days in which to file the statement.

Japan boasts of 50,000 geisha girls whose yearly earnings amount to a total of more than \$30,000,000.

ITCHING BURNING ON CHILD'S FACE

Also Water Blisters. Could Not Rest At Night. Cuticura Healed.

"My child started with an itching and burning on her face and she would cry and scratch and water blisters would come. The blisters would dry up and her face would turn sore. She could not rest at night and would fret in the daytime.

"I sent for a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. It did so much good I bought two cakes of Soap and one box of Ointment, which healed her entirely." (Signed) Mrs. Mary Lue Williams, R. F. D. C., Box 9, Griffin, Ga., July 13, 1920.

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UNCLE SAM SOON TO POSSESS GREATEST OF AIR WAR-CRAFT

LONDON, July 5.—Uncle Sam will soon become the possessor of the British-built R-38, the largest right airship yet constructed in any country and a craft that represents the very "last word" in "aerial dreadnaught" designing.

Trim and smart as the quarter-deck of an admiral's flagship, the R-38, soon to be designated officially by her new American name, ZR-2, is claimed to be the most formidable craft ever to "take the air."

She is expected to be capable of 5,000 miles' flight at full speed—70 miles per hour—or 6,500 miles at a "cruising speed" of 60 miles per hour.

Her specifications call for an armament of 14 Lewis guns, a one-pound automatic gun, four bombs of 520 pounds and eight bombs of 230 pounds. The machine-guns are distributed at vantage points so that any form of attack, from land, sea or air, might effectually be combatted.

The ship's heavy armament serves as an index to her character. She is designed to serve, if occasion arises, as the general headquarters of a whole battle fleet, eyes, ears and, in emergency, an auxiliary "business end." From the compact, convenient "skippers" cabin close up under her nose to the neat little machine-gunner's "nest" at the very tip of her stern, ZR-2's arrangement and construction spells efficiency and "strictly business."

Without extensive alterations, ZR-2 could not accommodate comfortably a party of 65 persons as did the Italian-built, semi-rigid airship "Roma" after being taken over by the American government recently.

If a submarine were sighted, ZR-2 could maneuver into position, then mere pressing of a button in the captain's control would release a bomb, or a dozen bombs, if required, to "do in" the enemy undersea boat.

If enemy airplanes became bothersome during this procedure, they would not find, as was the case with the German Zeppelins, that there was an unprotected spot under the ZR-2's lower part aft where they could hover and pump machine-gun bullets into her gasoline tanks.

To meet just such a contingency there is the stern machine-gun nest, one situated some 50 yards ahead on the underpart of the ship, and one in each of four of the ship's engine cars, which are suspended at her sides. Should the attack come from above, a gunner, protected from the fury of high altitude winds in a cockpit at the top of the ship, would probably be able to do anything necessary with his one-pound automatic piece.

These represent some of the many improvements, indicated by examination of wrecked Zeppelins and other experience, which have been incorporated in the ZR-2. Seen in flight, the ZR-2 will be much like her sister-ship R-34 of trans-Atlantic fame. But her shimmering sides and clean appearance conceal a confusion of "interior workings" that, to one unaccustomed to such craft, is most bewildering.

As one proceeds along the narrow, "man-high" corridor which extends the entire length of the ship, he sees a complication of criss-crossed aluminum girders, rows of gasoline and water tanks, what seems to be, and actually are, acres of fabric gas bags, and a miscellany of guy wires, control valves, pipes, swivels, hinges and gew-gaws that defy understanding.

But after a guide who knows every inch of the gigantic bulk has made explanations, the handling of the ship is seen to be simplicity itself.

Thus, the "skipper," standing at the wheel in his cabin, just as a sea captain on a ship, has within reach a miscellany of buttons, switches and levers, electrically controlled, with which he can release ballast water, definite one or more gas-bags, empty his gasoline tanks, start a bomb toward an objective and, of course, steer the ship upward, downward, to right or left.

He can send orders through a telephone system which connects up the whole ship, for the starting or stopping of one or all of the ship's six propelling engines, advise his machine-gunners of the approach of an enemy or, through the operator at his back, send observations by wireless to a flagship or land base.

Comfortable bunks are provided for the off-shift of the crews—in all, 30 officers and men. During prolonged flight warm meals are made possible by a system of cooking from engine exhaust heat. Electric lights are provided wherever required. The ship can "tie up" to a mooring mast, replenish her gas, oil, water and fuel containers through "feed" pipes terminating at her bow and resume her journey with the loss of but a few hours' sailing time.

If adapted for transport, ZR-2 could carry 40 passengers and two tons of freight in a non-stop flight from England to Egypt in about 48 hours. As a result of the experience gained in building ZR-2, however, her constructors have designed a ship with a gas capacity of about 4,000,000 cubic feet which it is believed could carry 50 passengers and 13 tons of freight on the same journey in 40 hours.

RANGER SCHOOL OF MUSIC AND ART 113 1/2 N. Rusk St., Room 2. Now enrolling pupils on all instruments. Office hours for enrolling: 10 to 12 and 1 to 3 daily.

We have confidence in the people of this community and will accept your children, teach them and you may pay as is most convenient to you, we are here to stay, having bought our homes here and our aim will be to give every individual pupil our best attention.

C. H. ENDICOTT, C. W. ABEL. Orchestras Furnished for any Occasion.

FORMER GROCERYMAN OF CITY IN RANGER HOSPITAL WITH TYPHOID

William Peters, formerly in the grocery business in Ranger, is in the Ranger General hospital suffering from typhoid fever. The institution has one other case of the disease, the patient having been brought in from the country. One other case has been reported which is believed is the total of the disease existing in Ranger at this time.

No specific cause can be assigned for either of the three cases, beyond the fact that it is the season for the malady.

G. A. PELLERIN'S MOTHER DIES AT LOUISIANA HOME

Word has been received from Geo. L. Pellerin of this city that his mother died at her home in New Iberia, La., on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Pellerin has been at his mother's bedside for several weeks, and is expected home in a few days.

EASTLAND CELEBRATES WITH PICNIC AT LAKE

EASTLAND, July 4.—A big Fourth of July celebration was held at Lake Eastland yesterday under the auspices of the Rotary club.

The program opened with an address by Jim Grisham on "Why We Are Here," and Judge E. A. Hill spoke at 8 p. m. on a patriotic subject. Foot races, swimming and diving contests and other amusements were pulled in the afternoon interspersed with music by the Oil Band, and at night a band concert and pyrotechnic display closed the festivities of the day.

FREE DELIVERY IN TEXAS. Awnings, curtains, covers, bags and all kinds canvas goods made to order. Lowest prices on request. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 425. Jno. P. Yonker.

RANGER TENT AND AWNING FACTORY Young Rooms, 211 N. Marston St.

Advertisement for U.S. Army Shoe featuring an illustration of a shoe and text: 'The Army Supply Store 315 Main St.—Next to Ranger Garage'

EASTLAND ROAD WILL BE RUNNING PULLMANS SOON

EASTLAND, July 5.—Announcement has been made that within a few days the Eastland, Wichita Falls & Gulf railway will be pulling through Pullman sleepers from Fort Worth and Dallas into Breckenridge. Plans looking to the inauguration of this service have been worked out, and it is said that both roads in all probability will soon be using the Texas & Pacific station jointly as union depot.

Advertisement for Lucky Strike Cigarettes with text: 'Do you know why it's toasted? To seal in the delicious Burley flavor. It's toasted.'

Advertisement for Lucky Strike Cigarettes featuring the 'LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTE' logo and 'The American School Co.'

Advertisement for Coca-Cola featuring an illustration of a person at a soda fountain and text: 'DELICIOUS AND REFRESHING THEY all go to the corner drug store, where Coca-Cola is the perfect answer to thirst.'

Large advertisement for Frost Motor Co. with text: 'The Most Complete Auto Shop in Ranger THE MOST COMPETENT MECHANICS GIVE US A TRIAL—WE WILL SATISFY'

Large advertisement for Baum's Booterie Bankrupt Sale with text: 'WATCH Tomorrow's Paper for the Big Advertisement of Baum's Booterie Bankrupt Sale'

Business Directory listing various professionals: ACCOUNTANTS, CHIROPRACTOR, DENTISTS, HOSPITALS, INSURANCE, OSTEOPATH, PAINT & WALL PAPER.

# SPORTS

## NITROS OPEN SECOND HALF BY DROPPING TWO TO BALLINGER

### Errors Costly for Both Teams; Nitros Have Big Inning in Second Game.

**BALLINGER, July 5.**—Ballinger took both ends of Monday's bargain bill, 9-3 and 8-7, costly errors by the Nitros being largely responsible for their defeat. Ranger opened the first game with a screaming double by Clapp, who was sacrificed to third by York and scored on Singleton's safety. Ballinger came back with three in their half on singles by Speegle and Fuller and a double by King. Briscoe was safe on a fielder's choice and Knight's single counted King. More were added in the third on four hits, a walk, a stolen base and two errors.

Ranger scored her second in the fourth on Singleton's hit, Tate's walk and Speegle's error. Two more were added to the Cats' total in the fifth on singles by Lankford, Liles and White and York's error. Ranger made her third in the eighth when York singled, Singleton went out, Tate was safe on a fielder's choice and Lovelace singled. Doubles by King and Clapp were the only extra base hits of the game.

Ballinger opened the second session merrily, scoring three runs in the first and three in the second. A single by Speegle followed by a homer by King accounted for the first two. With two down, Tate fumbled, Murphy booted and Baldrige singled, scoring two down, Fuller singled, King doubled and Briscoe tripled. York dropped one and Knight singled, accounting for three more. Ranger got her first in the sixth on a walk, an error and a hit, followed by Robertson's sacrifice fly. The real fire works started in the seventh, when Clapp walked, York and Singleton both singled, Tate flew out, Fuller walked, bases full, Liles walked Lovelace and McDermitt, forcing in two scores. Edgar took up the burden, walking Allen, who batted for Hill, another score being forced in. Robertson struck out and Hamilton singled, three men scoring when Lankford booted the ball. With the score 7 to 6 for the Nitros, Edgar opened by striking out. Speegle singled. Fuller flew out to Lovelace. King singled, Briscoe walked, filling the bases. Robertson then missed a hard chance back of third and the winning runs for Ballinger raced across the plate. More than 1,200 witnessed the two games.

Murphy went out with a sprained ankle and Burch with a sprained thumb.

## BIG TOWN STUFF AT ABILENE: A. M. AND P. M. GAMES

**ABILENE, July 4.**—The Abilene Eagles started the second half of the season here today by taking both games from the Sweetwater Swatters, 8 to 3 and 3 to 0. The first game was played at 10 o'clock this morning and the second started at 5 o'clock, and both were witnessed by capacity crowds.

The Eagles broke the tie and annexed the morning game in the seventh when Byers heaved wild to first and Eberhede scored. He had got on on Whitney's bobble and advanced to third on errors. When Bechtol came up he connected for a circuit swat that scored himself, Hollis who took first on Zapalac's bobble, and Comstock, who got on on Byers' wild heave.

The local got off with three markers in the first on two singles, a double, an error and a couple of hits. No. 8 was put across in the eighth session when Hollis' double scored Eberhede, who had singled.

Pat Cronshaw was the winner of a pitchers' battle with Fleharty in the afternoon game. Comstock's triple in the third scored Lewis, who had walked. Milam stole home in the seventh after he had connected for a double and had been sacrificed to third by White, and Kizziar singled to left in the eighth scoring Bechtol, who had walked and stole second.

The score, first game: Sweetwater.....101 010 000—3 Abilene.....000 000 011—3 Summary—Two-base hits, Thrash, Bechtol, Hollis; home run, Bechtol; struck out, by Hollis 8, by Zapalac 6; bases on balls, off Hollis 1, off Zapalac 2; stolen bases, Obst, Neely, Comstock, Whitehead, Milam. Time 1:45. Umpire, Clemons.

The scores:

First Game.				
RANGER.				
Player	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.
Clapp, If	5	1	2	5
York, lf	4	1	1	4
Singleton, cf	4	1	2	0
Tate, 2b	3	0	0	1
Lovelace, rf	4	0	1	3
Hamilton, 3b	4	0	0	1
Murphy, ss	4	0	1	2
Allen, c	4	0	1	8
Johnson, p	4	0	0	1
McDermitt	1	0	0	0
xJohnson	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	8	8	24
xBatted for Johnson in ninth.				

BALLINGER.				
Player	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.
Speegle, 1b	5	0	1	10
Fuller, 2b	4	1	1	5
King, cf	3	1	2	4
Briscoe	4	2	2	1
Lankford, rf	4	1	1	0
Knight, 3b	4	1	2	2
Hill, ss	4	1	5	0
White, c	4	2	3	1
Cantrell, p	3	0	0	1
Totals	35	9	13	27
Score by innings:				
Ranger	100	100	010—3	
Ballinger	304	020	008—9	

Summary—Two-base hits, King, Clapp; sacrifice hits, York, King; struck out, by Johnson 7, by Cantrell 1; bases on balls, off Johnson 2, off Cantrell 1; stolen base, Briscoe; Time of game, 2 hours. Umpire, Price.

Second Game.				
RANGER.				
Player	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.
Clapp, If	4	1	3	0
York, lf	4	1	2	9
Singleton, cf	4	1	1	0
Tate, 2b	3	1	1	2
Lovelace, rf	3	1	2	1
McDermitt, 3b	3	1	2	0
Murphy, ss	2	0	2	2
Hill, ss	1	0	0	0
Robertson, c-ss	0	0	1	0
Allen, c	0	1	0	1
Adkins, p	1	0	1	2
Hamilton, 2b-3	0	1	0	2
Totals	30	7	10	20

BALLINGER.				
Player	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.
Speegle, 1b	4	1	2	7
Fuller, 2b	4	3	1	5
King, cf	5	2	4	0
King, cf	3	1	2	1
Lankford, rf	3	1	0	2
Knight, 3b	3	0	1	0
Baldrige, lf	4	0	2	4
Burch, cf	4	0	1	1
White, c	0	0	1	0
Liles, p	3	0	0	1
Edgar, p	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	8	12	21

Score by innings: Ranger.....000 001 6—7 Ballinger.....380 000 2—8 Summary—Two-base hits, Murphy, King; three-base hit, Briscoe; home run, King; sacrifice hits, Fuller, Robertson; innings pitched by Liles 6-2-3, Adkins 3, by Edgar 1-3, by Tate 4; struck out, by Liles 1, by Edgar 1, by Tate 2; bases on balls, off Liles 4, off Edgar 1, off Tate 2; hit by pitched ball, by Liles 1; wild pitch, Tate; stolen base, Lankford. Time of game, 1:30. Umpire, Price.

Eighteen blows wrecked Cruise in the first contest, while Baugh shaded Blains in a pitchers' battle, which was nard fought until Higginbotham roled a homer in the fourth. This blew up the defense of the visitors, who played in Broncs road uniforms and squabbled constantly with umpire and among themselves.

Score by innings: Orphans.....000 300 200—5 San Angelo.....143 130 308—15 Summary—Two-base hits, Lewis, Truesdale, Burleson, Williamson; sacrifice hits, Blains, Burleson; double play, Earnshaw to Flagg; innings pitched, Cruise 2, Hill 3; bases on balls, Cruise 5, Hill 3; hit by pitcher, by Cruise 1; passed balls, Lyall 3; stolen bases, Williamson 2, Lewis 3, Truesdale; left on bases, Orphans 3, San Angelo 5. Time of game, 1:55. Umpire, Davis.

Score by innings: Orphans.....000 000 0—0 San Angelo.....000 210 x—3 Summary—Two-base hit, Bratcher; three-base hits, Lewis, Williamson; home run, Higginbotham; sacrifice hit, Earnshaw; double play, Truesdale to Lewis to McKay; innings pitched, Blains 6, Baugh 7; struck out, Blains 5, Baugh 5; bases on balls, Blains 4, Baugh 3; wild pitch, Blains; passed ball, Earnshaw 2; left on bases, Orphans 3, San Angelo 7. Time, 1:30. Umpire, Davis.

## HOW THEY STAND

### WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Teams	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
San Angelo	2	2	0	1.000
Abilene	2	2	0	1.000
Ballinger	2	2	0	1.000
Ranger	2	0	2	.000
Sweetwater	2	0	2	.000
Orphans	2	0	2	.000

Monday's Results. San Angelo 15-3, Orphans 5-0. Abilene 7-3, Sweetwater 3-0. Ballinger 9-8, Ranger 3-7.

## MANY SCORES IN BOTH GAMES AT NITRO PARK

### Business Men and Oil Stars Lose to Eastland and Black Panthers.

Two large-sized ball games amused the congregation at Nitro park yesterday, with both home teams getting the worst of the battling after strenuous efforts had given them an even break on the pastime. Eastland trimmed the Business Men, 17 to 11, and the Fort Worth Black Panthers won out over the "Oil Stars," 16 to 11.

Eastland took their lead on the Business Men in the fifth, after the game had rocked along with a 2-1 score for the first three rounds. The Business men forged to the front in the fourth with three scores and Eastland came right back. They hopped on Pitcher Poole, who had held them helpless until that time, and counted seven runs. This encouraged Fairbairn, who had pitched the day before, to leave the box and substitute Sopena, left fielder. The new heaver faced four batters. Three singled and Dixon mopped up with a home run. Then Fairbairn went back into the box and stopped the scoring. The Business men tied it in the next round but in the eighth and ninth Eastland hit heavily and the Business Men erred with profuseness. Another substitute heaver worked for Fairbairn in the ninth, and walked in two runs.

Score by innings: R. H. E. Business Men 100 341 002—11 13 8 Batteries—Fairbairn et al. and Amos; Poole and Dixon.

In the second game of the matinee, the Black Panthers wasted no time. Including in their efforts the powerful drives of a lanky son of Ham named Gee, they counted eight times before the Oil Stars dented the rubber. Then the Oil Stars took their turn and in three innings knotted the count at nine-all. After that the Black Panthers inserted a left-handed heaver and he stopped the swatting while his teammates again began a pounding on Pitcher Harris that gave them a wide margin.

Score by innings: R. H. E. Black Panthers 253 100 601—16 18 7 Oil Stars.....003 330 011—11 10 8

### TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.			
Teams	Played.	Won.	Lost.
Fort Worth	77	52	25
Houston	79	45	34
Wichita Falls	78	40	38
Shreveport	79	40	39
Galveston	80	39	41
Dallas	78	36	42
Beaumont	80	33	47
San Antonio	79	19	50

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.			
Teams	Played.	Won.	Lost.
Cleveland	73	47	26
New York	73	45	28
Washington	76	40	36
Detroit	74	37	37
Boston	69	32	37
St. Louis	75	32	43
Chicago	70	29	41
Philadelphia	72	29	43

Monday's Results. Fort Worth 4-6, Wichita Falls 3-1. Dallas 7-3, Shreveport 2-7. Beaumont 9-5, San Antonio 7-5. Galveston 4-0, Houston 1-4.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS

### DAILY TIMES

Ranger, Texas.

One Time.....2c per word  
Four Times.....For the cost of Three  
Seven Times.....For the cost of Five

### 2—MALE HELP

WANTED—Man who owns auto or light truck who can inspect and see that public roads leading a short distance out of Ranger. We furnish all necessary material and pay \$15 for each inspection requiring a few hours of your spare time once about every ninety days. Box N, care Times.

### 7—SPECIAL NOTICES

WANTED—Washing and ironing, fine work on silk shirts; washed and ironed for \$1.50 dozen, 323 Alice st.

NOTICE—This will notify all persons that I will in no way be responsible for, nor will I pay, any debts contracted by Mrs. Thelma Macdonald, R. C. Macdonald.

### 8—ROOMS FOR RENT

YOUNG ROOMS—211 N. Marston. Summer rates; \$3 to \$4 week.

### 9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice cool 2 and 3-room houses, furnished or unfurnished next to Young school. 809 Young st.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Nice 5-room bungalow on South Hodge street and 6-room bungalow on Eastland Hill, on Annabelle street; gas, water and garage. See Dr. Tibble, 427 South Hodge. Will rent or sell.

FOR RENT—3-room house furnished; also 2-room apartment for light housekeeping, or bed room, for rent. 1 block west of postoffice. Call 220 S. Austin st.

FOR RENT—5-room house in Cholson addition; electric lights and gas; inquire Buell Lumber Co.

FOR RENT—One 3 and one 4-room house and garage. Inquire 709 McCleskey ave. U. N. Whitehall.

### 11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

MARIAN APARTMENTS  
Summer Rates—\$25.00; water, lights and gas furnished. 607 Main st.

TWO-ROOM Apartment, light, gas and water furnished, \$25 per month. \$3.50 per week; price of room and board. Phone 118 or call Weir rooms, 303 South Rusk st.

FOR RENT—South, light housekeeping apartments; bed rooms with bath; private home; paved streets; rates cut down. 417 Pine st.

APARTMENT for rent. Teal Hotel, 423 Main.

THE GREENWOOD APARTMENTS  
Three-room modern furnished apartments; one choice apartment now vacant.

### 13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

THOR Electric Washing Machine and Wringer. 419 So. Rusk.

FOR SALE—3-burner cook stove, cooking utensils, dishes, tables, dresser, beds, rocker, water cooler. 309 Cherry st., Worth Rooms; cheap.

### 14—REAL ESTATE

MISSOURI—\$5 down, \$5 monthly buys 40 acres truck and poultry land near town Southern Missouri. Price \$200. Send for bargain list. Box 216, Springfield, Mo.

WHAT WILL YOU PAY OR TRADE for Lot 16, Block 6, Byrens & Riddle addition? Address Box 1340, Eldorado, Ark.

### 15—HOUSES FOR SALE

HOUSE AND LOT on Eastland Hill, for sale or trade for good car. Box 1125, Ranger.

### 16—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—1920 Dodge touring car, in first-class condition. Call Crescent hotel.

WANTED—A 2 or 3-ton truck; will give pneumatic Ford truck as part payment. Box 373, Caddo Texas.

WHY put new parts in old cars? Langer Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk st., Ranger, Texas.

SPRINGS, gears, gas tanks, wheels, magnetos, carburetors, everything. Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422 N. Rusk St., Ranger, Texas.

WANTED—1st-class automobile, any standard make, roadster or touring, and must be a bargain. Box 1078, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Ford roadster with tool rack, or will trade it and cash for Dodge roadster; must be late model. No junk considered. Apply between 6 and 7 p. m. 714 Pershing st.

FORD TOURING CAR—Also Dodge, Maxwell and Ford used parts for sale. Guarantee Repair & Parts Co., 535 S. Oak st.

FOR SALE—Dodge touring body; also Dodge speedster, in fine shape. Young Garage, 325 Hunt st.

### 19—FOR TRADE OR EXCHANGE

A GOOD HOME—Modern equipped, to trade for automobile. See S. R. Black at 304 Pine st.

### 21—LEGAL NOTICE

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR OF SIDEWALKS WITHIN THE CITY OF RANGER AND REGULATING THE SAME AND FIXING THE SPECIFICATIONS THEREFOR.

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of Ranger: That no person, firm or corporation shall construct, reconstruct or repair any sidewalk within the City of Ranger without first obtaining from the Commissioner of Streets and Public Property a permit to do so, and same shall be done under the supervision of the City Engineer and in accordance with the specifications hereinafter provided for or such other specifications as may be approved by the City Engineer and adopted by the Board of Commissioners.

You are further notified by subdivision ( ) of section.....above recited, that if you fail to accept or to construct, reconstruct or repair said sidewalks within said thirty days you shall be subject to the penalty herein provided for which is any sum not exceeding \$.....

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Witness my hand this.....day of.....A. D. 19.....

THE CITY OF RANGER  
COUNTY OF EASTLAND.

On this the.....day of.....19..... came to hand the within described notice and the same was executed by me on this the.....day of.....19.....by reading said notice in the presence and hearing of.....and leaving a true copy thereof with.....

Witness my hand this.....day of.....A. D. 19.....

Art. VII. It shall be the duty of the owner or owners of property abutting on any street, avenue, public alley, place or square or section or part thereof along which sidewalks are ordered to be constructed, reconstructed or repaired to be repaired, or may merely direct the construction, reconstruction or repair of a curb alone or sidewalk alone.

Art. II. The Board of Commissioners shall have the power in their discretion by resolution passed by a majority vote to order the construction, reconstruction or repair of sidewalks along any street, avenue, public alley or square or part or section thereof within the City or in front of any property abutting upon the same. The said resolution shall in general terms describe the sidewalk to be constructed, reconstructed or repaired, and the materials of which it is to be constructed or repaired, according to the class hereinafter named, and the street, avenue, square, alley or place or part or section thereof any sidewalk is to be constructed, reconstructed or repaired, and the City of Ranger shall have the power to assess the whole cost of said sidewalk or part of same against the property abutting or fronting thereon and against the owner thereof.

Art. III. Upon the passage of said resolution, it shall be the duty of the City Engineer to forthwith prepare and present to the said Board of Commissioners specifications for the said sidewalks or repairs for same, detailing the manner of construction, reconstruction or repair thereof, and the material or materials of which same is to be constructed, reconstructed or repaired. If satisfactory the Board of Commissioners shall approve the said specifications and the same shall remain on file in the office of the City Engineer.

Art. IV. That unless otherwise ordered by resolution of the Board of Commissioners, the specifications hereinafter set forth, and prepared and certified by the City Engineer shall constitute the permanent and standing specifications governing all work of construction, reconstruction or repairs of sidewalks which may be ordered by the Board of Commissioners, and the respective classes of sidewalks referred to in said specification.

Art. V. That upon passage of any resolution by the Board of Commissioners for the construction, reconstruction or repair of any sidewalk, the City Engineer shall prepare and submit to the Board of Commissioners, a statement consisting of the name or names of the owner or owners of property abutting upon the avenue, street, alley, public place or square or part or section thereof where said sidewalk is ordered to be constructed, reconstructed or repaired, and briefly describing the property of each owner. Description may be by block or lot number or any other description which will be sufficient to identify the same together with an estimate of the cost of the said sidewalk or the repair of the same, in front of the property of the owner. Upon the filing of said statement, it shall be the duty of the City Secretary or such other officer as may be designated by the Board of Commissioners, to publish in a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Ranger, a notice to the owner or owners, of property in front of the sidewalk or sidewalks to be constructed, reconstructed, reconstructed or repaired, which said notice shall briefly recite the fact that said sidewalks have been ordered to be constructed, reconstructed or repaired by the Board of Commissioners and that the plans and specifications for such work have been adopted by the Board of Commissioners and are on file in the office of the City Engineer; and notifying said owners of property abutting upon the street to any point designated by the Engineer within a hauling distance of 1,000 feet. All spongy material must be taken out and replaced with good earth, and thoroughly tamped so as to make places in line with and compact like surrounding surface. Excavating will be paid for at the price bid by the contractor, estimates being made by the Engineer after trench is dug and forms are in place.

Art. VI. That in addition to the notice above provided for the Board of Commissioners may notify the persons by personal service upon the property owners, and such notice may be served by any police officer or other person designated by the Board of Commissioners to serve same, which notice shall be in the following form:

Dear Sir: You are hereby notified that at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Ranger, held on the.....day of.....1921, the sidewalk or curb in front of the property owned by you, or of which you are the agent, located at.....St., has been ordered to be reconstructed, reconstructed or repaired in accordance with class.....of the permanent and standing specifications adopted by an ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners on the.....day of.....19.....; a copy of which said specifications is hereto attached, and you are notified to have said sidewalk constructed, reconstructed or repaired within thirty days from the service of this notice, and same shall be done as provided by Section.....of Article.....and the subdivision thereof of said Section.....as is fully set out in the City Charter.

Bidders are cautioned to read carefully the specifications and examine drawings, plans and profiles. They will be adhered to, and the respective classes of sidewalks referred to in said specification.

GENERAL UNDERSTANDING.  
Proposals for all City work must be made on forms furnished by the City Engineer, otherwise bids will not be entertained.

Rejecting Bids: The right is reserved to reject any proposal submitted for deemed insufficient by the Board of Commissioners.

In all bids made by a firm the individual name of each member of the firm must be written out and signed in full. The place of residence must be signed after each individual name. Any work of reconstruction or reconstruction may be explained or noted in the proposal over the signature of the bidder.

All prices must be written as well as expressed in figures, and writing and figures must be perfectly clear. Bidders must state price for every item of work. Otherwise no allowance will be made for such work.

A failure to observe and comply with any of the above instructions will be considered a sufficient reason for rejecting any bid submitted, should the City Commissioners deem it advisable.

Should any disagreement occur between the inspector and contractor, the decision of the Engineer-in-charge, or Inspector, shall be final and binding on all parties.

The contractor shall furnish one man whenever called upon to assist the Engineer in setting stakes.

All material now in the street will remain the property of the City and be deposited as directed by the Engineer or inspector.

GRADING.  
The contractor will be required to excavate to sub-grade, as shown by stakes set by the Engineer. Contractor shall haul all earth excavated from the street to any point designated by the Engineer within a hauling distance of 1,000 feet. All spongy material must be taken out and replaced with good earth, and thoroughly tamped so as to make places in line with and compact like surrounding surface. Excavating will be paid for at the price bid by the contractor, estimates being made by the Engineer after trench is dug and forms are in place.

CLASS "A" COMBINED CURB AND GUTTER.  
This course shall be of a thickness and size as shown by plan, and ordered by the Commissioners, and shall be composed of either gravel and cement, or crushed stone, sand and cement; if gravel is used it shall be composed of one part Portland cement to six parts gravel. Gravel shall be bank gravel and shall be free from chalk, disintegrated pebbles, loam, earth and dirt. It shall contain more than 5 per cent of clay and shall contain no pebbles larger than 1½ inches in its largest dimensions. The ratio of the gravel to the sand shall not be more than 6 to 3 nor less than 5 to 4. The addition of acceptable stone or sand to make the required ratio will be permitted. Concrete made of broken stone shall be composed of one part Portland cement, two parts of sand and four parts of broken stone. The broken stone shall be of hard limestone of graded sizes not more than 1½ inches in its longest dimensions nor less than ¾ inch, and shall be free from dust, dirt, or disintegrated stone.

Art. VII. That upon the failure of any owner or owners of the agents of any owner to construct, reconstruct or repair any sidewalks or curb within thirty days after the notice has been given as hereinabove provided for, either by publication of personal service, said sidewalk is hereby declared to be a nuisance, and said owner or agent, as the case may be, shall be subject to a fine, upon conviction in the Corporation Court, of not exceeding \$.....

Art. VIII. That every day after the expiration of the said thirty days that said owner fails to construct, reconstruct or repair said sidewalk, as herein provided for, shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and the owner or agent, as the case may be, shall be subject to the penalty herein provided for.

Art. IX. That said sidewalk shall be constructed or reconstructed or repaired in accordance with the special specifications prepared therefor by the City Engineer. That the specifications for all sidewalks work shall be placed under the Board of Commissioners of the City of Ranger, which said specifications are hereby described as follows, to-wit: Specifications for Concrete Sidewalks for the City of Ranger—General Instructions.

Bidders are cautioned to read carefully the specifications and examine drawings, plans and profiles. They will be adhered to, and the respective classes of sidewalks referred to in said specification.

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Proposals for all City work must be made on forms furnished by the City Engineer, otherwise bids will not be entertained.

Rejecting Bids: The right is reserved to reject any proposal submitted for deemed insufficient by the Board of Commissioners.

In all bids made by a firm the individual name of each member of the firm must be written out and signed in full. The place of residence must be signed after each individual name. Any work of reconstruction or reconstruction may be explained or noted in the proposal over the signature of the bidder.

All prices must be written as well as expressed in figures, and writing and figures must be perfectly clear. Bidders must state price for every item of work. Otherwise no allowance will be made for such work.

A failure to observe and comply with any of the above instructions will be considered a sufficient reason for rejecting any bid submitted, should the City Commissioners deem it advisable.

Should any disagreement occur between the inspector and contractor, the decision of the Engineer-in-charge, or Inspector, shall be final and binding on all parties.

The contractor shall furnish one man whenever called upon to assist the Engineer in setting stakes.

All material now in the street will remain the property of the City and be deposited as directed by the Engineer or inspector.

GRADING.  
The contractor will be required to excavate to sub-grade, as shown by stakes set by the Engineer. Contractor shall haul all earth excavated from the street to any point designated by the Engineer within a hauling distance of 1,000 feet. All spongy material must be taken out and replaced with good earth, and thoroughly tamped so as to make places in line with and compact like surrounding surface. Excavating will be paid for at the price bid by the contractor, estimates being made by the Engineer after trench is dug and forms are in place.

CLASS "A" COMBINED CURB AND GUTTER.  
This course shall be of a thickness and size as shown by plan, and ordered by the Commissioners, and shall be composed of either gravel and cement, or crushed stone, sand and cement; if gravel is used it shall be composed of one part Portland cement to six parts gravel. Gravel shall be bank gravel and shall be free from chalk, disintegrated pebbles, loam, earth and dirt. It shall contain more than 5 per cent of clay and shall contain no pebbles larger than 1½ inches in its largest dimensions. The ratio of the gravel to the sand shall not be more than 6 to 3 nor less than 5 to 4. The addition of acceptable stone or sand to make the required ratio will be permitted. Concrete made of broken stone shall be composed of one part Portland cement, two parts of sand and four parts of broken stone. The broken stone shall be of hard limestone of graded sizes not more than 1½ inches in its longest dimensions nor less than ¾ inch, and shall be free from dust, dirt, or disintegrated stone.

The cement and sand shall be thoroughly mixed dry. Then only enough water shall be added to give the mortar such consistency as will permit a thoroughly incorporation of the stone; the stone having first been wet, shall be added and the entire mass be turned over and worked by laborers, until the broken stone and cement and sand are thoroughly mixed. The concrete shall be mixed on platforms provided by the contractor in batches containing not more than one barrel of cement and the requisite quantity of sand and stone.

The concrete shall be placed in position and there rrammed in layers if required, with proper rammers, until thoroughly compacted, and showing an excess of mortar on the surface; the surface being so graded that in its finished condition it shall present a contour parallel to and a distance from the surface of the surface of the proposed finish top coat.

CLASS "A" CONCRETE CURB.  
This course shall be of a thickness of six inches, as shown by plan; concrete shall be composed of same mixture as specified for curb and gutter.

CLASS "A" CONCRETE SIDEWALKS.  
The foundation shall consist of good gravel, or cinders, wetted and tamped to solid bed not less than four inches in thickness, top surface to be true and parallel to what will be the finished surface of the sidewalk. Where walks are laid on sandy soil this sub-foundation of gravel or cinders will not be required.

This course shall be three and one-fourth inches in thickness, using same materials as specified for concrete curb and gutter.

The ratio of the gravel to the sand shall not be more than six to three, nor less than five to four. The addition of acceptable stone or sand to make the required ratio will be permitted.

TOP SURFACE.  
Top surface shall be three-fourths inch thick and shall be composed of one part Portland cement and one and one-half parts of clean, sharp sand to be laid to a smooth and even surface. When curb and walk

—By Billy De Beck

### Program

**LAMB**—Eugene O'Brien in John Lynch's "Worlds Apart," also comedy, "Home Brewed Youth," and Pathe News.

**LIBERTY**—Roy Stewart in "Keith of the Border," and Educational comedy, "April Fool."

**TEMPLE**—Bebe Daniels in "The March Hare," also Universal comedy.

## DISTRICT GRAND JURY ADJOURNS ACTIVE SESSION

EASTLAND, July 5.—The grand jury of the 91st district court finally adjourned Friday afternoon after having been in session eleven days. Their report shows that they examined 318 witnesses and returned 76 indictments, 50 of which were felonies and 26 misdemeanors.

Among other things investigated was that of law enforcement concerning which there has been some complaint and in this connection they made several recommendations, to the effect that officers making arrests use all due diligence in securing names of witnesses and other evidence, that liquor when captured be labeled and turned over to the county attorney in order that it may be sent to the state chemist for examination and preserved as evidence; that the method of disposition of intoxicating liquors captured be agreed on by the sheriff and county attorney, under the supervision of the court; that when arrests are made for gaming that extra effort be made to ascertain the ownership of the premises; and that proper charges be filed against those carrying concealed weapons rather than charges alleging lesser offenses.

Investigation of road matters was looked into and recommendations made that salaries in the highway department be reduced; that members of that department be stopped from using cars belonging to the county, other than on county business, and that the committee use due diligence in seeing that employees of the county put in full time.

The following recommendations were made by the grand jury:

First, that in our opinion the expenses of this department should be curtailed by reducing the salaries of the engineers and other employees, it being our information that reductions have not been made heretofore.

Second, that the practice of employees using cars and vehicles owned by the county and maintained by the county, for purposes other than county business be stopped.

Third, that investigations be made by the honorable commissioners' court to ascertain whether all employees are diligently attending to their duties, and if not attending to their duties, that proper steps be taken to stop such abuses.

In order that the loss of cars by theft be reduced to a minimum we would submit the following recommendations:

First, that the owners of cars use due diligence in seeing that their cars, as well as their garages, are kept under proper locks, and

Second, that purchasers of cars require proper sales of bills of sales with the purchased car.

We have visited the jail and court house and find conditions therein satisfactory.

In conclusion we extend our thanks to the sheriff and county attorney's department and to the bailiffs for their efficient service during the session and to your honor for your courteous attention to our needs, and now we respectfully ask to be discharged.

Respectfully submitted,  
(Signed) M. H. SMITH,  
Foreman of the Grand Jury.

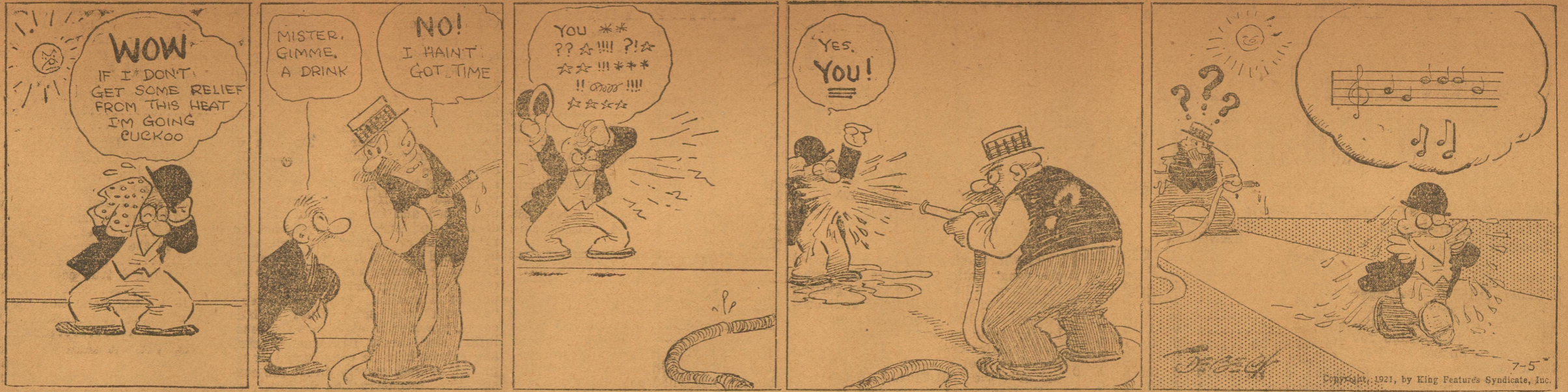
### FIRE DESTROYS CABOOSE IN RAILROAD YARDS

A caboose on a steam shovel was destroyed by fire last night about 2 o'clock in the yards of the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad. A second car was slightly damaged. No cause is given for the fire.

### BABE RUTH "PANNED" BY MASSACHUSETTS CLERGY

WORCESTER, Mass., July 5.—There is at least one coterie that refuses to get excited over Babe Ruth or his home run exploits. It is Worcester's clergy. In fact, the "Babe" is receiving no little "panning" here, it being declared he has little claim on the admiration of fandom aside from his wielding of his war club.

## Barney Cools Off by Making the Other Fellow Hot



### FOURTH OF JULY ALMOST POPULAR AS CHRISTMAS

Fourth of July celebrants were checking out at the police department's leading hotel this morning. Business was good. The standard price of \$15.70 was being paid. Behind the cold bars was "Red." The desk sergeant took Red's friend out to pay his bill and as he did a plaintive cry came: "Listen, Big Boy," he said, "don't leave me here." But he did.

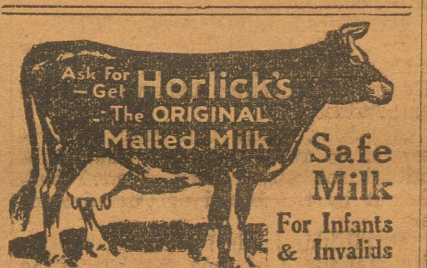
So far as could be learned, the only casualty that resulted from the Glorious Fourth showed up during the check-out process. One young man looked as though he had been interred with a giant cracker, a roman candle and a skyrocket all at the same time. And he wasn't cheerful.

### J. H. FINLAYSON ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL TOMORROW

J. H. Finlayson, of the Muskogee Tool company, who has been confined to his room at the Ranger General hospital, having undergone an operation, will probably be discharged tomorrow.

### HARDING'S DOG FOR "BONE DRY" REGIME

PARIS, July 5.—Etienne Grosclaude, the French humorist, upon his return here, gave his impressions of America through the medium of a fancied interview with Laddie Boy, President Harding's dog. He said Laddie Boy told him President Harding likes France, hopes for an association of nations, and favors a "bone dry" regime.



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### SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

Edited by MISS MARGUERITE COYLE

#### FOURTH OF JULY DANCE.

The Fourth of July dance given by Jack Jarvis last night at the Shamrock was well attended. The crowds packed the park and hall all evening. There was over a hundred couples dancing. Music was furnished by Kirkland's orchestra. The evening was well enjoyed by everyone.

#### BUFFET LUNCHEON.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese Blizzard, Jr., entertained a number of friends at their home last evening with a delightful buffet luncheon. The rooms were beautifully and appropriately decorated with a profusion of flags and flowers. Fourth of July hats were given as favors and were worn during the luncheon.

Guests who were present at this delightful occasion were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swicegood and daughter, Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Navrell, Jr., and daughter, Constance; Messrs. Miller and Durham, the host and hostess, and son, Dick.

### HIGH DIVE AND GREASY PIG AND POLE FEATURE SHAMROCK FUN CARNIVAL

With a perfect swan dive from the forty-foot tower and an eccentric springboard dive, Chuck Henshaw took two of the seven prizes given at the water carnival yesterday at Shamrock park. Other prize winners were Jimmie Olson, distance dive; Mrs. Olson, ladies' spring board dive; Rexford Alworth, climbing the greasy pole; "Fat" Fruit, catching the greasy pig, and Olin Bruce, for the fastest swimmer in the 100-yard dash.

The high dives made by Fruit and Henshaw gave a thrill to several hundred people who had gathered at the park. Fruit doubted before hitting the water and failed in the swan dive he attempted. Henshaw, who is about 10, was perfect in technique. He spread when he left the boards and hit the water at the correct angle.

In the 100-yard swim, out of twenty starters only Carl Thompson contested the exhibition to the last few feet. When about ten yards from the rope, with Bruce several feet in the lead, he quit.

Greasy Pole Mast Fun. The greasy pole probably gave the kids the most fun. Perhaps twenty of them tried to climb it. All failed in the first attempt and many made six or eight efforts before Alworth

placed his hand on the top. Among the contenders was Nina. Nina is 9. She was dressed in overalls below and the strap of the garment above. She was out after that prize but could not quite make it. Several other little girls made the effort.

Nearly a hundred boys lined up for the greasy pig chase. It only lasted a few seconds. "Fat" got a fair fall and it was "fall day pig."

Quite a little interest was exhibited by the crowd in all the contests. Prizes for each event was \$5 and was awarded on the ground. In the event won by Mrs. Olson there was no other entrants.

#### LIGHT CAVALRY OVERTURE

By International News Service  
LYNN, Mass., July 5.—Music may have power to soothe a savage beast, but its effect on a pair of nice tame milk-cart horses is not quieting. Miss

Elizabeth Mestor was seated at a piano at her home when a pair of horses drawing a milk truck crashed through the side of the house. After the animals were led out of the parlor the young woman resumed her playing.

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