

HARDING HAS SHELVED POLICY OF HANDS OFF

President's Ire Is Aroused When Congress Proposes to Side-Track Tariff.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—President Harding's patience with congress is about exhausted. He has decided to abandon his original policy of "hands off" on Capitol Hill, which has run his legislative program into almost hopeless confusion.

This is the explanation of Harding's sudden visit to the capitol and his insistence to senators that congress shelve the soldier bonus bill and down to work on the tariff and tax measures, for which the special session was called. He will formally recommend this in a message soon, perhaps today.

In adopting the leadership tactics used by Roosevelt and Wilson, Harding reverses his original policy, which was to allow congress to run its own affairs. He has waited for four months carefully avoiding the least show of interference in congressional matters. His ire was finally aroused by the taking up of the bonus legislation in the face of the protests of Secretary of the Treasury Mellon and other government fiscal experts.

IT'S ILL HEAT WAVE THAT'LL BLOW NO GOOD

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 8.—Oklahoma will harvest its greatest corn crop, as the result of the present heat wave, authorities at the state department of agriculture believe. The corn is just tasseling out, and needs hot weather, these experts explain. The thermometer registered 93 here yesterday, the hottest of the year.

HOT WEATHER DAMAGING WHEAT AND OAT CROPS

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Serious damage is being done to the spring wheat and oat crop by the hot, dry weather, the weather bureau reported today. No relief is in sight, it was indicated by the forecast for the next thirty-six hours.

ENGLISH KING TAKES HAND IN IRISH AFFAIRS

LONDON, July 8.—King George appears to have suddenly assumed the role of principal mediator in the present Irish negotiations. The king received Sir James Craig, premier of Ulster parliament at Buckingham palace today.

PEACE PROCLAMATION DRAFT SUBMITTED AT MEETING OF CABINET

WASHINGTON, July 8.—A draft of the proposed peace proclamation has been prepared by Attorney General Daugherty, and was submitted at the cabinet meeting today, it was learned.

Uncle Sam is Greatly Enriched by Demands of Americans for Luxuries

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—Approximately \$13,000,000,000 is now being spent on luxuries, recreations, movies and other amusements, and personal finery, federal tax receipts show.

Mexican-American Clash at Tampico

STARNES FAVORS "FULL, FAIR AND IMPARTIAL" ROAD PROBE

EASTLAND, July 8.—"If the proposed investigation of the road work in Eastland county is to be a full, fair and impartial one, I not only am in favor of it, but will take off my coat and aid in every possible way; however, if it is to be the result of malice and hatred and for the purpose of giving some man or set of men an opportunity to vent their spleen because of some supposed or fancied wrong, it would be highly improper or wrong, and in that event I would oppose it." Such was the statement of Judge C. R. Starnes, county judge, when approached upon the subject.

The proponents of the investigation say that various and divers rumors are in the air, and that they are of such a nature as to demand an investigation that they propose and desire only a full, fair and impartial investigation in order that the true facts may be developed; that this can harm no man or set of men, if road matters are as they should be; that the people of Eastland county should know and have a right to know the true state of affairs; that they are stockholders, as it were, in a supposedly going concern, and as such stockholders have a right to inquire into its affairs; and that an honest and thorough investigation of its affairs can hurt no right thinking person.

Much dissatisfaction and comment has been occasioned by reason of alleged proposed changes in some and suggested abandonment of others of the roads as originally planned and voted on, while others assume or declare that progress on the roads has been unduly slow, and that the old roads have not been kept in repair, as it is said is called for in the contract.

To this end a meeting has been called of interested parties who are in favor of an investigation, looking toward the proposed investigation and to provide ways and means, which meeting will be held in Eastland at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

TRUCK FATALLY CRUSHES CHILD IN FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, July 8.—Alvin Pitts 5 years old, was run down and fatally injured Friday morning at 10 o'clock at Bellamy and Grove streets by a truck of the Producers' Oil & Refining company.

PEGGY JOYCE AWARDED TEMPORARY ALIMONY AND COST ALLOWANCE

CHICAGO, July 8.—Peggy Joyce, Follies show girl, was granted \$1,350 a month temporary alimony by Judge Joseph Sabath today.

HEMP SILENCER APPLIED TO CONVICT WHO COULD CROW LIKE A ROOSTER

CHICAGO, July 8.—Antonio Lopez, convicted of murdering a grocer he robbed, was hanged here early today.

PROBE OF KU KLUX DOINGS IN FORT WORTH IS DEMANDED OF NEFF

AUSTIN, July 8.—Secret investigation of the operations of the Ku Klux at Fort Worth is demanded of Governor Neff in a telegram received today from Fort Worth, signed by a committee of "good Democratic friends."

SERIOUSNESS OF SITUATION NOT KNOWN

Feeling Has Been Running High Throughout Entire Oil Region.

MEXICO CITY, July 8.—Americans and Mexicans have clashed in the Zacamixtle district, south of Tampico, according to reports received here today.

No details were given in the advices and the Mexican government and American embassy were not informed as to whether there had been any casualties.

Feeling was said to be running high throughout the Tampico district.

FINAL DECISION BY TUESDAY ON ROUTE TO WEST

By Mirror Lake or Eastland Hill? May Mean Legal Fight; Contractors Ready.

Unless the good roads committee of the Chamber of Commerce recommends a change by next Tuesday, the Pleasant Grove highway will leave Ranger north of Mirror lake. The city commission in special session this morning made that ruling.

The contractors are ready, it is said, to begin construction on this end of the highway and will be ready shortly to start placing the crushed stone. The issue was raised again yesterday when Commissioner Sandford Dean was in Eastland.

Eastland hill folks have asked that the highway follow the present road up the hill. They have gone so far as to employ an attorney, who has threatened an injunction. The Chamber of Commerce committee decided some time ago that the Mirror lake route was the better and members of the committee have declared that just as many folks would be affected if it were changed and went up the hill along the present road.

HOWAT-DORCHY DRAW BIG FINE AND 6 MONTHS

COLUMBUS, Kan., July 8.—Alexander Howat, president of the Fourteenth district United Mine Workers, and August Dorchy, vice president, were today sentenced to six months in jail and a fine of \$500 each by District Judge Boss, in whose court they were convicted by a jury last week of violating the Kansas industrial law, by calling a local strike over a wage controversy.

AUSTRALIAN AVIATOR TO ATTEMPT FLIGHT OVER PACIFIC OCEAN

SYDNEY, N. S. W., July 8.—An Australian aviator, Lieutenant P. J. Parer has announced that he would soon attempt a flight across the Pacific ocean. Lieutenant Parer flew from England to Sydney some time ago.

PARIS, July 8.—Mme. de Guise Hite, 55 years old, the American "duchess" who drank poison with her son, George Harbough, 24, in a suicide pact, was believed today to have a chance for recovery, although she was still in danger.

Young Harbough died shortly before midnight, without recovering consciousness.

SERIOUS RIOT FEARED.

MEXICO CITY, July 8.—The situation in the Tampico oil fields, already critical as the result of unemployment, was regarded in semi-official circles today as having been aggravated by the presence of the American gunboat Sacramento off that port.

Trouble may be precipitated by the presence of the warship, it was pointed out. If so, any force the Sacramento could land would be insufficient to restore order.

Actual famine in the oil districts is considered imminent. The railroad has been cut between Tampico and San Luis Potosi by a wreck, attributed to a washout. This has had the double result of decreasing Tampico's food supply and completely cutting off shipments of fuel oil to Mexico City and other industrial centers, threatening suspension of work.

Oil shipments have fallen off 78 per cent since the new Mexican export tax became effective, according to unofficial estimates.

REVIVAL OF U. S. OIL ACTIVITY PREDICTED

HOUSTON, July 8.—Re-opening of activity in the oil fields of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, with increase in price of oil, was predicted here today by R. L. Dudley, editor of the Oil Weekly. Curtailment of shipments of oil from Mexico, because of the reasons for the indicated increase of activities in the American oil business.

Coastal companies especially will feel the effect of the tax with the competition of the Mexican oil gone, which has forced down prices and caused an over-supply, Dudley said.

Efforts by the Oil Weekly to learn of conditions in the Tampico fields have been nearly fruitless, according to Dudley. The latest report said 25,000 men were out of employment, Dudley said. Warnings for Americans to stay away from the fields have been issued by several companies. Officials of the companies operating at Tampico are refusing to discuss conditions, an indication, Dudley believes, that conditions are worse than known.

REPORT FROM OVERDUE SHIP ALLAYS FEARS

NEW YORK, July 8.—Wireless reports were received here today from the Munson liner Callao, which had not been heard from since June 20. A message to officials of the line stated the vessel had not been in distress and that she was proceeding slowly to New York and would reach quarantine Monday night.

There was no reason given for the delay. Fears had been expressed that the vessel had run foul of the "phantom pirate," as it had been out of touch of the wireless. The son of George B. Christian, secretary to President Harding is an officer on the liner which carries sixty passengers.

MARRIAGE OF FAMOUS SCREEN VAMP REPORTED

NEW YORK, July 8.—Theda Bara, vampire of the screen, today was reported to have been secretly married at Greenwich, Conn. last Saturday, to C. J. Bradin, Fox Film company picture director.

At the picture star's home the story was denied. Efforts to locate either Miss Bara or Bradin, proved futile.

JUAREZ, Mexico, July 8.—Mexican reformers have threatened to place a ban upon the shaking shoulders of señoritas in dance halls.

"naughty shimmy" is condemned in the southern republic.

WEATHER

Tonight and Saturday partly cloudy, probable showers in extreme west portion.

TWO MORE DEEP ONES TO GO DOWN NEAR FRANKELL

Sinclair Has Fine Well on J. B. Stewart; Will Deepen Another; Vulcan Offsets.

Two more wells in the Frankell pool will be deepened as a result of the Sinclair's success with its J. B. Stewart No. 3, which came in July 4 with 2,060 barrels initial production and is now making between 1,600 and 1,700 barrels. This well struck the sand at 3,571 and was drilled to 3,584.

The Sinclair will deepen its Stewart No. 1, which is an old producer in the shallow sand, and the Vulcan Oil company's Decker No. 3 will start down from the shallow production as soon as the rig can be overhauled.

These two wells are offsets, three and four locations west of the new Sinclair deep one, and it probably will be a race to see who gets down first. The Sinclair began drifting yesterday.

COMMISSIONER OF BANKING TO ARRIVE TONIGHT

State Banking Commissioner Ed S. Hall is expected in Ranger tonight on the Sunshine, to look over the situation here and make a decision on the merchants' scrip plan which Rangerites have been pushing. Ranger business men are hopeful that after Mr. Hall has reviewed conditions here and seen what the situation actually is, he will give his assent either to this plan or a similar one.

To date the board has made no decision either way, leaving the matter open for further investigation. The novelty of the suggestion has appealed to them and they are understood to have said it was workable. However, it is a radical departure from the banking board's rulings in the past, and they are averse to any innovation which would likely be copied to such an extent that the regular procedure of liquidating banks would be interfered with.

RENTALS IN BUSINESS DISTRICT IN BRECK MATERIALLY LOWERED

BRECKENRIDGE, July 8.—Reductions of as much as 50 per cent in business district rentals, have resulted from a campaign inaugurated by the Breckenridge Retail Merchants' association.

The campaign will continue, it is said, until reasonable rents are obtained for every merchant in the city. Counsel has been employed and the association will test the legality of several high rent contracts in the courts, if this step proves necessary to obtain adjustments.

PICNIC CROWD BEING TREATED FOR PTOMAINE

BRISTOW, Tenn., July 8.—Forty-six persons who attended the Salvation Army picnic yesterday at Beech Grove school, near here, were treated for ptomaine poisoning today, while physicians examined the food served at the picnic.

U. S. OIL MEN DENOUNCED BY MEX. OFFICIAL

Government Prepared to Unmask Producers in Republic, Is Declaration.

MEXICO CITY, July 8.—Secretary of the Interior Calles told Mexican newspaper men informally Wednesday that the Mexican government was "prepared to unmask American oil producers," whom he charged with "scandalous actions against the Mexican treasury and the United States."

CITY TO SHARE COST OF BRIDGE ON HUNT STREET

The construction of the Hunt street bridge over Palo Pinto creek on the Bankhead highway will probably start this afternoon or tomorrow and will be forty feet in width, including a five-foot sidewalk on either side. This was finally determined this morning when the city commission decided to pay its proportionate share of the cost of the bridge.

Until a conference can be had with County Judge C. R. Starnes and the county commissioners, the city's share of the cost will not be determined. However, it is certain that the county will not pay the entire cost of a bridge of that dimension.

L. L. Winans, the bridge contractor, has been waiting two days for the matter to be settled in order that he might proceed with the work.

With Hunt street the only avenue to the East Side, the city commission believed it no more than just that a bridge of sufficient capacity be provided. When it is completed the last bridge on the Bankhead highway east of the city will have been finished.

County Engineer Eccles and William R. Davidson, of the Fleming Construction company, were in the city for the arrangements of the final details.

FINANCE COMMITTEES GET DOWN TO WORK ON APPROPRIATION BILLS

AUSTIN, July 8.—The finance committees of both branches of the legislature met here today in joint session for the purpose of preparing the general appropriation bills for the legislature, which convenes on July 18.

A statement of the financial condition of the state was given the committee, signed by the board of control, the comptroller and state treasurer.

FEED PROSPECTS IN COUNTY GOOD, WITH COTTON IN BAD SHAPE

EASTLAND, July 8.—In a trip over all sections of the county it develops that boll weevils are numerous, and that while the cotton stalks are green there is but few blossoms or squares on them, and the prospects so far as cotton is concerned are nil. Corn and other feed crops are the best in several years and the county will make plenty of feed. People generally will be in better condition another year than this year.

GALVESTON LEADS IN GRAIN-COTTON EXPORTS

GALVESTON, July 8.—The port of Galveston now leads all other ports of the United States in grain and cotton exports, it was made known here today by records of grain exports for the fiscal year ended June 30.

S. P. ENGINEER IS MURDERED, BODY CAST FROM CAR

Train Runs Wild, Boiler Explodes; Rangers to Investigate.

EL PASO, July 8.—Engineer Bohman of Sanderson was murdered and his body thrown from the locomotive cab on the Southern Pacific railroad last night, according to advices received here. After four miles of uncontrolled speed the boiler of the engine-room exploded, seriously injuring Fireman Robertson of Valentine. The train, a freight, was wrecked ten miles west of Alpine.

RANGERS ORDERED TO LOOK INTO WRECK

AUSTIN, July 8.—State rangers have been detailed to make an investigation of the explosion of the boiler of a Southern Pacific engine near Valentine, Jeff Davis county, last night in which the engineer was killed and the fireman seriously injured.

Reports of the explosion reached here together with a request from Southern Pacific officials for an investigation. They declared they feared foul play.

CLUB WOMEN OPEN LIBRARY TO PUBLIC USE

With all the books classified and neatly arranged, the public library is now open to the public in the Marston building. Members of the 1920 club will be attendants.

Hours are from 9:30 to 11:30 in the forenoon, and from 2 to 4:30 in the afternoon. On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays the library will be open in the evenings from 8 to 10:30.

IRISH FACTION LEADERS RENEW PEACE CONFAB

DUBLIN, July 8.—The conference of Sinn Fein and unionist leaders, designed to reach an agreement preliminary to the London conference was in progress and cheered the arrival of each of the conferees.

CAR SHORTAGE BECOMES ACUTE IN GRAIN BELT

STAMFORD, July 8.—The car shortage throughout the grain producing sections of West Texas is daily becoming more acute, according to information received by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from the shipping points of the south plains and central West Texas. The traffic department of the organization has been called on by the towns of Goree, Weimert, Seymour, Crowell and other neighboring points for assistance in securing sufficient cars to load out wheat that has accumulated at the elevators. The matter has been taken up with the railroads direct and also with the car service department at Washington. Some relief has been secured but there is the possibility that the shortage will become more serious before sufficient cars can be routed into the Southwest to care for the crop.

ZIONIST WOMEN MAKE STARTLING ASSERTION NEW YORK IS WICKED

NEW YORK, Ill., July 8.—New York is a very wicked city, much worse than Chicago, according to the report of two Zion deaconesses who returned today after more than five months passed in the metropolis.

"All they think of is pleasure, money, movies and dancing," the two, Miss Schelhorn and Miss Buhmann, reported. "They are dancing all the time. Church members, too. They all dance."

They reported that during their stay they sold 12,500 pieces of Zion literature. They expect to make another effort to convert New York after attending Zion's annual Feast of Tabernacles.

TAIL LIGHT CASUALTIES
BLAMED ON TEN INCH,
TWO-COLUMN DISPLAYS

DENVER, July 8.—"D'ya know what's causin' ninety-nine out of a hundred of these petty larceny street corner accidents?" queried Big George, the hefty traffic cop. When he asked the question he waved a lamlike hand at a young man who sat waiting for the signal to go.

"This is one of 'em now," Big George grunted savagely. The young man failed to move his car and a dotted line from his eyes to the sidewalk would end at a pair of silk-clad ankles, their fair owner tripping along indifferently conscious of the gaze she attracted. Several more cars lined up in back of the young man's. It was late in the afternoon and Big George got pretty sore.

"Now there y'are—that's th' cause of these accidents," declared Big George. Then he bawled: "Come outta yer trance, an' move along there!" The young man drove by necky and Big George resumed his street corner study of lace-silk stockings and decollete and their relations to man and automobiles.

"A bird'll be drivin' along, absent-minded like, with both of his lamps fastened on some dame walkin' down the sidewalk. Well, this guy ain't payin' much attention to his drivin', all his attention goin' to the skirt, when bang he smacks into the back end of somebody else's wagon an' then traffic gets jammed, an' they argue about the right of way an' this an' that, an' sometimes maybe both of 'em land in th' city jug. Anyway, these abbreviated costumes the women wear is th' cause and they're causin' th' traffic cop more trouble than all th' machines an' parkin' laws that was ever invented."

"If all these dames would wear long raincoats, or gummy sacks, downtown, our trouble would vanish, but instead of that they go th' limit in dressin' everytime they do come downtown an' then there's about two hundred young fellas in our art lovin' community who parade th' main stem hour after hour, day after day, just fer th' sole purpose of observin' th' styles and breakin' other people's tail lights."

"A friend of mine named Joe runs a seein' Denver line. He loads up all th' tourists hungry fer sights, and hauls 'em out into th' country. Ain't th' work of nature grand, they gawk, an' then they get back to th' main drag and see the work of nature clear above th' knee, an' then write home an' tell their wives all about the climate. Wonder if they mention th' sight-seein' stockin's and waists? Yep, th' less the dames wear th' more there is to worry th' traffic cops."

NECKTIE PARTIES HAVE
TRIPLED IN NUMBER

TUSKEGEE, Ala., July 8.—There were thirty-six lynchings in the United States during the first six months of this year, twenty-four more than for the same period of 1920, according to a report issued today after a department records research at the Tuskegee institute. The lynchings include two whites and thirty-four negroes, two of the latter being women, the report said.

Since woman suffrage went into effect in England, three new colleges for working girls have been opened in London.

TWO AMERICANS ARE
REPORTED MURDERED
BY MEXICAN BANDITS

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—The state department today was awaiting further report of the killing of two Americans by highway robbers in the Tampico district in Mexico. The consul at Tampico reported the killings, but his cable was so garbled that details could not be learned from it.

PIONEER RESIDENT OF
COUNTY DIES AT BAIRD

EASTLAND, July 8.—Judge J. T. Hammond, a former citizen of Eastland, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Horace Terrell, in Baird Wednesday. Judge Hammond left here some five years ago and has made his home in Baird since that time. Judge Hammond taught school at Desdemona this county, some half century ago, and was later elected county judge, serving in that capacity in '86-'87, during the drouth when supplies were shipped into this section to feed the people. He enjoyed quite a reputation in his young days as an orator, and was referred to as "the young Demosthenes of the post-oaks."

FRENCHMEN TO SHED
TEARS OVER GEORGES
MIT. VOILA! OH SLUSH

PARIS, July 8.—La Belle France has the tomb of Napoleon where it can worship and shed its tears of sorrow. It has numberless monuments dedicated to its worthy sons. Now it will have a boxing glove to weep over—a glove that was worn by its idol, Georges Carpentier, when he fought Jack Dempsey last Saturday. Georges was vanquished. Before he fell hors de combat, Georges had hurled this glove with deadly precision and effect on the jaw of Monsieur Jack Dempsey. This glove staggered the world's champion and showed the world that Georges Carpentier was a man fighter. The glove will go to Gaston Vidal, minister of public instruction for the French republic. It will be worshipped by the youth of France.

DECREASED WHEAT YIELD
FORECAST AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The total wheat production for 1921 was forecast at 809,000,000 bushels by the department of agriculture today.

A forecast of a month ago was for 830,000,000 bushels. For 1920 the total production was 787,000,000 bushels. The winter wheat production was estimated at 574,000,000 bushels. The forecast was 578,000,000 a month ago.

HOUSTON, Texas.—With commencement exercises at Rice institute only a few weeks in the past, over 75 per cent of the available rooms in residential halls for men have been taken, according to Bursar J. T. McCants. Mr. McCants said that prospective students never before have shown such haste in securing living quarters.

EXCLUSIVE GARBAGE HAULING
CONTRACT VITAL TO EFFICIENT
SANITATION, OFFICIALS HOLD

Dr. R. H. Hodges, who has the contract for hauling the garbage in the city, this morning explained in detail his connection with the contract.

In substance it is this: About a year ago the garbage question was a nuisance to the city commission and others. The man who was hauling it charged cafe owners and others 3 cents a gallon for carting it away. The system was very unsatisfactory. Dr. Hodges and brother went before the commission and agreed to cart away all garbage that was available for hog feed without cost to anyone. Under an ordinance which covers all phases of trash removal, they were appointed official garbage officers. The ordinance prohibits others from hauling garbage.

Some Lack Sewers. Dr. Hodges said this morning that his wagons carried nearly everything away from cafes except swill which was unfit for hog feed. This, he said, went into the sewers at the majority of the restaurants but probably four or five had no sewer connection and necessarily had to pay to have the swill hauled away. Never at any time, he said, had his wagons charged for their services, and they would not. After being awarded the contract the Hodges brothers went to considerable expense in arranging pens, securing wagons and otherwise preparing to make use of the garbage which had before that time been wasted.

It is the opinion of Dr. Hodges and concurred in by the majority of the city commission, that if the garbage disposal was not officially placed in single hands it would result in general confusion, with the garbage disposed of a part of the time and at others allowed to accumulate, or else the burden would be on the owners to go out and employ someone to cart it away, to avoid paying a fine for keeping unsanitary premises.

The present system of cartage was entered into by a former commission purely in order that efficiency might prevail. The Ranger Sanitary company has the contract for removing other unsanitary debris, which includes the swill at restaurants which are not connected with the sewers. Decision Tomorrow. The first case to be tried under the sanitary ordinance came up for hearing yesterday before Judge Flewelling in police court. Decision was withheld until tomorrow. The complaint charged among other things that W. L. Holyman was hauling valueless garbage without a permit or permission of the garbage officer, which was in violation of the ordinance. It is thought the decision will hinge upon whether the garbage has value. If it had value, then it is believed the cafe owner, or others have a right to dispose of it in their own way.

WOLFE WELL FLOW, NEAR
EASTLAND, IS INCREASING

EASTLAND, July 8.—The well of P. S. Wolfe and associates in the Matthews tract, about four miles northwest of Eastland, has increased its flow and is now making about 300 barrels of oil per day, according to reliable reports reaching the city.

The well is of a semi-wildcat nature, being in the general vicinity of the Cardinal Oil company well on the same tract, which came in several months ago making a thousand barrels flush production. The Wolfe well was shot about a month ago in the Caddo lime at 3,200 feet and failed to produce any oil, fluid standing in the hole but without sufficient gas to force it out. A packer was set, and when the well was put into operation gas began to increase and with the above noted result. The Cardinal well, which is owned by John Ringling and associates, was at first supposed to be dry and later blew itself in after a shot was placed in the Caddo lime, and like the Cardinal, the Wolfe has been increasing its flow the past few days, or since the packer was set.

FREACHER'S GRIP STOLEN. EASTLAND, July 8.—Rev. A. E. Bradfield, while visiting in the home

of Clifford Reed, deputy district clerk, Thursday night, lost a grip, which had been left in an auto in front of the house. When the grip was missed a search was instituted and tracks were seen leaving the car and followed which took those in the party into and through "nigger-town" and to a box car on the tracks in which a Mexican was found asleep. The Mexican was detained, but so far at this writing, the grip had not been recovered.

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LEFTY ADKINS' 'DINKIES' PROVE SOFT PICKIN'S FOR EAGLE CREW

Seventeen Knocks Yield Sixteen Runs, While Nitros Annex Five Counters.

Special to the Times.
 ABILENE, July 8.—The Eagles hit Lefty Adkins all over the lot yesterday and ran up a total of sixteen counters on seventeen hits, while the best the Nitros could do with Hollis was to get five. The Eagles annexed six scores in the second on Bratcher's homer, a triple, a couple of singles, an error and a passed ball. After that there was no doubt as to the outcome of the afternoon's entertainment.

The Nitros got their first mark in the second when Tate went to first on Griesenbeck's error when he kissed the third strike, was sacrificed to second by Lovelace and scored on Brooks' single.

The Nitros got next to Hollis for two more counters when Tate was issued a free pass to first after Singleton had been thrown out at first by Liles. Lovelace singled, and Hamilton singled to left, Bechtel letting it go through him, and Tate and Lovelace crossed the plate. Adkins' circuit swat over the right field fence in the eighth brought in No. 4 for the Nitros, and No. 5 was not across in the ninth on Lovelace's single, and scoring on Robertson's single.

Brooks was signed up by the Nitros from the Orphans today. Abilene secured three of the Orphans, Bratcher, who played center field today, and Lyall, who held down second. Pitcher Johnson also has been secured from the Orphans by Abilene.

BRONCS COME FROM BEHIND AT BALLINGER

Special to the Times.
 BALLINGER, July 8.—Ballinger relinquished a six run lead Thursday when they allowed the Broncs four runs in the sixth on errors. Cantrell then weakened in the seventh and eighth, allowing his rivals to pile up a lead which the Cats could not later overcome.

Slugging featured the game, eight doubles, three triples and two homers figuring in the batfist. Two double plays enlivened the fielding.

Outfielder King has been sold to Jackson, Miss., and Plagg secured from the defunct Orphans.

The score:

SAN ANGELO.					
Player—	AB.	R.	H.	P.O. A. E.	
Truesdale, ss	6	2	2	1	0
Earnshaw, 2b	5	2	2	3	0
Lewis, 3b	5	1	2	1	2
Robinson, cf	3	3	2	0	0
McKay, 1b	3	1	0	12	0
Hirginbotham, rf	5	0	0	2	0
Kelly, c	5	1	1	5	0
Cruse, cf	4	1	1	1	0
Burleson, p	5	1	2	0	4
Totals	43	12	13	27	9

Score by innings:

BALLINGER.					
Player—	AB.	R.	H.	P.O. A. E.	
Speagle, 1b	4	1	2	7	2
Fuller, cf	5	1	1	5	0
Briscoe, ss	5	1	1	2	1
Langford, rf	5	1	3	0	0
Knight, 3b	3	1	2	0	1
Flagg, 2b	4	2	2	3	2
Liles, lf	4	0	0	3	0
White, c	4	1	2	6	0
Cantrell, p	3	0	1	0	0
Baldrige, p	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	8	13	27	6

Summary—Two-base hits, Robinson, Flagg, White, Briscoe, Lankford, Truesdale 2; three-base hits, Earnshaw, Burleson, Lewis; home runs, Burleson, Lewis; sacrifice hits, Speagle, Briscoe; double plays, Lewis to Earnshaw, McKay to Flagg to Speagle; innings pitched, Burleson 9, Cantrell 9; struck out, Burleson 4, Cantrell 7; bases on balls, off Burleson 7, Cantrell 4. Time of game, 2 hours. Umpire, Price.

NEW PULLMAN SERVICE FOR BRECK ANNOUNCED

EASTLAND, July 8.—J. E. Knightlinden, general superintendent of the Texas & Pacific railway was in the city yesterday in company with Roadmaster James, and while here made the announcement that through Pullman service over the T. & P. from Fort Worth and Dallas to Breckenridge would be inaugurated via the Ringling road July 10. Also that arrangements had been made for the joint use of the Texas & Pacific passenger station as a union depot, with S. B. Tunnell, joint agent in charge. The new schedule of the Ringling road will be announced Sunday.

PARIS, July 8.—From Brussels comes a grim tale of love and passion happening 1,500 years ago. It was uncovered by laborers who were digging in Escault street, when they found in an ancient cistern the skeleton of a man and a woman. Beside their bones were found two primitive daggers and an axe.

RUMANIAN CUP WON BY UNITED STATES ARMY RIFLE AND PISTOL TEAM



Another trophy won by a team representing the U. S. army in the Inter-Allied games at Paris in 1919 has been added to the list to be in perpetual competition under the direction of the National Rifle association of America. The cup was presented through General Gavanescu and General Bodalescu of the Rumanian army, as a testimonial of their appreciation of the courtesy shown the Rumanian rifle team prior to and during the Inter-Allied competition. In the presence of the Rumanian diplomatic contingent in Washington, the cup was turned over to the custody of the National Rifle association by General Pershing. It now takes its place with other famous shooting trophies which have done so much in placing Americans on a plane by themselves among the riflemen of the world. The photograph shows General Pershing presenting the cup to General Fred Phillips, secretary of the National Rifle association. Princess Bibisco of Rumania, is on the left.

ANGELO ABSENT, LEAGUE CAUCUS WAS POSTPONED

Game at Fort Worth on 17th, With Right of Appeal, Expected to Decide Race.

Special to the Times.
 A telephone call from Fort Worth is to the effect that the league meeting will be held here tonight, instead of at Abilene. No reason for the change was given, but it probably was for the purpose of having all the records at hand.

Special to the Times.
 ABILENE, July 8.—No definite decision was made in the Sweetwater-San Angelo controversy at a meeting of the West Texas league directors, held here Thursday. The meeting was called to decide the winner of the first half, which ended July 2. On account of San Angelo not being represented, definite action was postponed until Friday at which time another meeting will convene.

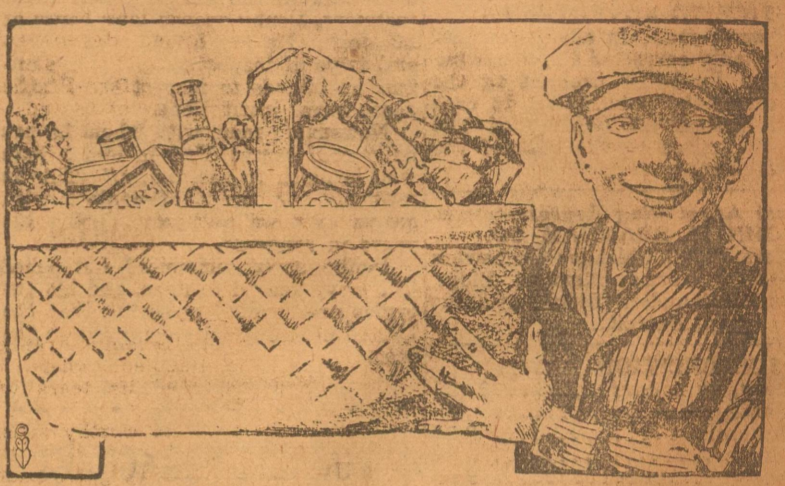
A resolution was drawn to present at that meeting, the substance of which is that the two teams meet in Fort Worth July 17 and play one game with the privilege of the loser protesting to the national commission. Walter Morris, president of the league, was not present at the meeting, but is expected here Friday.

ORPHANS DISBAND

The Orphans are no more. They disbanded after Wednesday's game and yesterday one or more appeared in the line-up of each of the four clubs now composing the West Texas league. Brooks played second base for Ranger.

LIQUOR LABEL LABEL.

By International News Service.
 LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 8.—Tidings of "red liquor" fail to receive the spontaneous response of recent days, following the discovery by revenue men of a "red liquor" factory in the barn of a negro taxicab driver. "Bonded whiskey" labels were confiscated in the raid. Store-rooms were filled with many jugs of "corn" with vast quantities of coloring fluid designed to change the transparent "first-run" color to the ruddy glow of old bourbon de luxe. Memories: "Old Crow," "Old Taylor," "Green River"—these were the labels.



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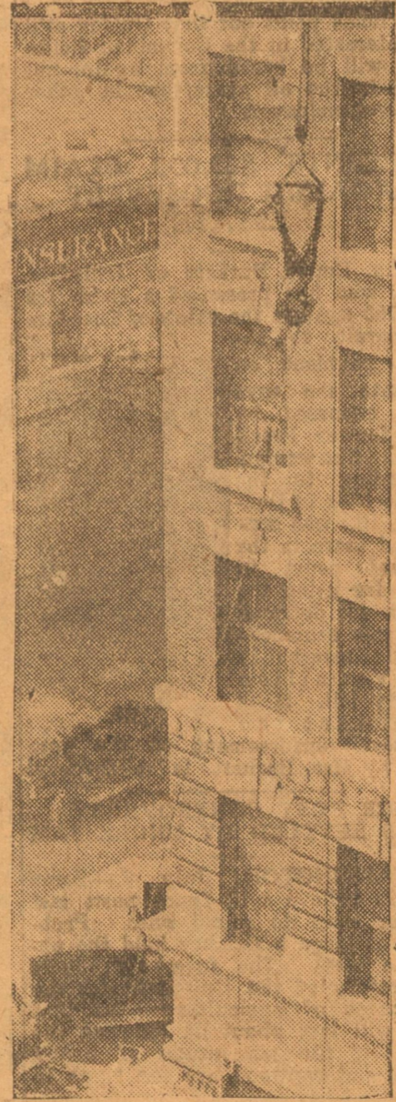
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DAREDEVIL MILLER TO SHOW HIS DEATH-DEFYING STUNTS IN RANGER

Will Release Himself From Straight-Jacket While Dragging Behind Motor Car.



Daredevil Miller, the sensational performer who releases himself from a straightjacket while hanging feet downward from tall buildings, while dragging behind an automobile and in other ticklish positions, will be in Ranger next Sunday. W. R. Jarvis met Miller in Fort Worth yesterday and obtained his act for Shamrock park. There, at 4 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, Miller will release himself from a straightjacket while being dragged at the rate of forty miles an hour behind a motor car. It is said that he can perform this feat and be absolutely free in less than fifty seconds.

Miller has appeared in many of the cities of Texas, and his performances have provoked amazement at their audacity and daring wherever he has shown his wares. The accompanying picture shows him releasing himself while hanging head downward on the Wheat building, Fort Worth.

BERNARD MUST HAVE BEEN A. W. O. L. WHEN THEY ISSUED BRAINS

NEW YORK, July 8.—George Bernard Shaw, who, since the meeting of the man and superman in Jersey City last Saturday, needs no introduction to fight fans, obviously is no believer in the verbal genuinities of post-mortem politeness. Either that or the author of "You Never Can Tell" has furnished pathetic proof of his undying belief in the sense of humor of a country that continues to celebrate Independence day despite the Eighteenth Amendment.

In a cable dated London, July 4, the eminent Irish vegetarian says: "I stand by every word of my article. Dempsey was morally knocked out in the first round, also in the second. Ask Corbett." Mr. Shaw, several days before the fight, warned "British greenhorns" against being humbugged into laying odds on Dempsey. It was a 50 to 1 shot, he said, that the "French genius" would prevail.

BRYAN FINDS MAN WHO GAVE HIM THREE VOTES

MEDINA, Fla., July 8.—"I think I ought to shake hands with you, I voted for you three times," ventured John Waldner, a loyal Democratic leader, as he approached W. J. Bryan here. "So you're the fellow, are you?" smiled Bryan. "I knew some one did, but I never found out who it was."

DR. W. C. PALMER ANNOUNCES THE INSTALLATION OF A TELEPHONE AT HIS RESIDENCE.

NO. 156.

\$200 NUGGET IS FOUND BY PROSPECTOR

PORTERVILLE, July 8.—Recalling the days of gold, T. F. Howland, prospector, returned from Howland flat with a nugget weighing 10 1/2 ounces. The gold was high grade and brought close to \$200, it was stated.

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NO TIME TO LOSE.

James Eschlinger, "Arkansas' Rip Van Winkle," has returned to this mundane sphere after a three years' siesta. He is now able to receive the condolences or congratulations of his friends. Which will be his portion depends upon their disposition and the general state of their liver, probably. A man remarked the other day, in all seriousness, "It would be fine business if the oil fields could go to sleep for six months or a year, then wake up, surround some ham and eggs, and go on about its business." That man was in some ways a pessimist, in others an optimist. He believes that oil is bound to go up and operations start anew. But he has an extreme dislike of the painful waiting for such eventuality and he would like to go away and forget it—except that there is nowhere else to go without being forced to hear hard luck stories.

Living is living, no matter whether hard or soft. It is pleasant to have money coming in faster than the porter can shovel it off the floor. That simplifies many problems. But with money, or without, there is something to be found to enjoy. The jazz fiends find their ankles refuse to be weighted down by monetary cares when the music begins its luring sway. The lakes are open to those who find pleasure in athletic endeavor and contentment in the rest that follows it. The moon is coming into its own again and the young fellow without an auto can surely find a girl who has a porch swing, while for the older generation, they can turn again to reading, to sociability, to enjoyment of Texas' splendid outdoors o' night. They have more time now than in the lurid days of the oil rush for the quieter, more intimate human relations which after all have much to do with making a life really full.

Sleep for a year? Not much.

A SUMMER RESORT.

The annual heat wave is upon the nation, with an intensity far beyond the average. From the gulf to the lakes people swelter and are uncomfortable in mind and body. And in the cities of the North people suffer in a way that Texans cannot comprehend. It is hotter here—slightly hotter—if one accepts the thermometer's verdict as final. But so far as relative comfort goes, Texas is far better off. For there is less humidity here, and there is nearly always a breeze, and there is a range in temperature which alleviates by comparison. In Kansas City, for instance, on Wednesday the mercury stayed at the same level throughout the twenty-four hours. In Texas, there was a difference of eight degrees. Usually the difference is greater.

Texas could well afford to advertise its advantages as a summer resort. At least, one can always sleep of nights down here, and that is half the battle.

The appointment of such a get-things-done budget director as Mr. Dawes must be rather disturbing to the easy-going congressional procrastinators.—Indianapolis News.

Canada wants Bergdoll for the forgery of a passport. His versatility may prove his undoing.—Washington Star.

HARDING'S CABINET

Secretary of the Navy.

In Edwin Denby the navy has as secretary a man who "was in the service." Denby was a gunner's mate during the Spanish-American war and served in the marine corps in the world war.

Denby's greatest achievement—so his intimates say—was his success in melting off about seventy pounds of surplus weight during his sojourn with the marines. When he enlisted his waist measurement ran up into so many inches that he couldn't see the tips of his shoes. Today he can see them without the aid of a peri-scope.

For all his bigness, great fighting jaws and trap-like mouth, Denby is mild and the owner of a rather shy smile. Like Secretary of War Weeks, Denby has first-hand experience in dealing with the legislative branch of the government, for he served as congressman from Michigan until some time before the world war.

Recognizing with other members of the cabinet that the country faces no easy task in the after-the-war readjustment, Denby spends long hours at his desk. He has already made several trips of inspection and this summer he intends to inspect the Pacific coast naval installations.

Newspaper men with whom he has daily conferences, find in him a man who is quick to see "news." This is probably the result of contact with scores of news gatherers during his years in congress.

Denby early announced his belief in a navy second to none, and his energies are devoted to seeing that the United States is fully equipped on the seas.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS

By GEORGE BINGHAM.



Sile Kildew says Dock Hooks, our tonsorial artist, is getting to be a real barber now, as he never fails to ask the customer who in the world it was that made such a blotch at cutting his hair the last time.

Raz Barlow wrote himself a long letter today. In it he expressed the hope that it found him well and doing well, and as soon as it reaches him he will reply to it.

Following a sharp decline in the price of dressed lumber, the manager of the Tickville hotel announces that he has again got to the point where he can furnish a toothpick with each meal.

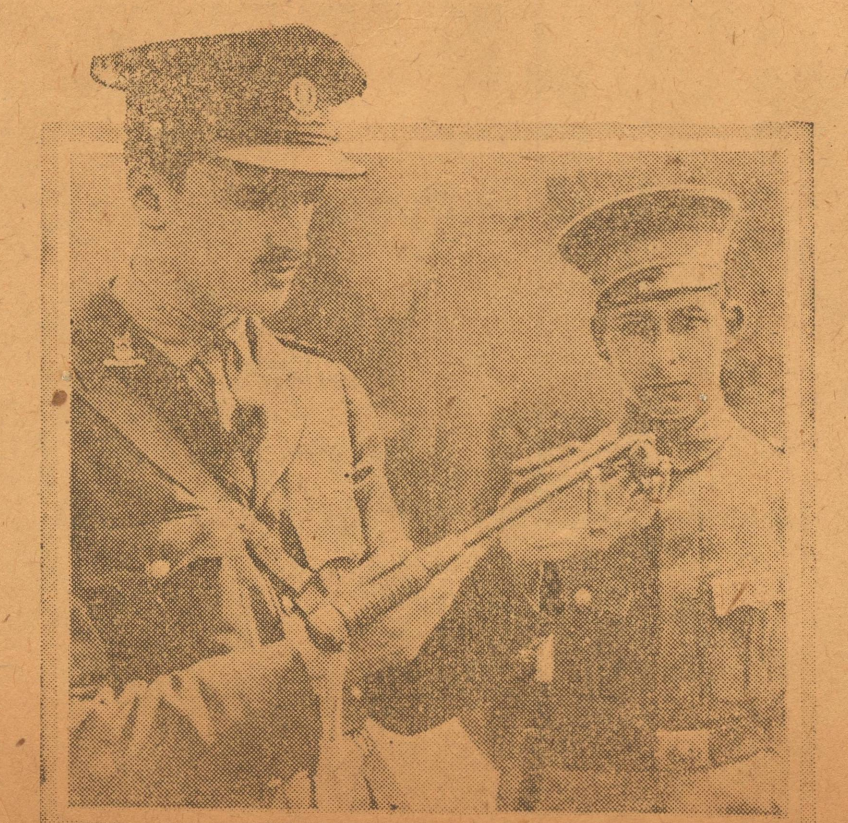
BRIDEGROOM HAS ALIBI FOR WEDDING DAY BLACK EYES

CHICAGO, July 8.—Anthony Jorgensen claims to be Chicago's only "black-eyed" bridegroom. Jorgensen was wedded to Miss Laura Hansen, of Evanston, while carrying two beautifully-decorated eyes. One was black and purple, the other purple and black.

Jorgensen tried to crank his "flivver" on the morning of his wedding. The flivver balked and biffed him between the eyes. "He looks good enough to me even with 'black eyes,'" said Mrs. Jorgensen as the knot was tied.

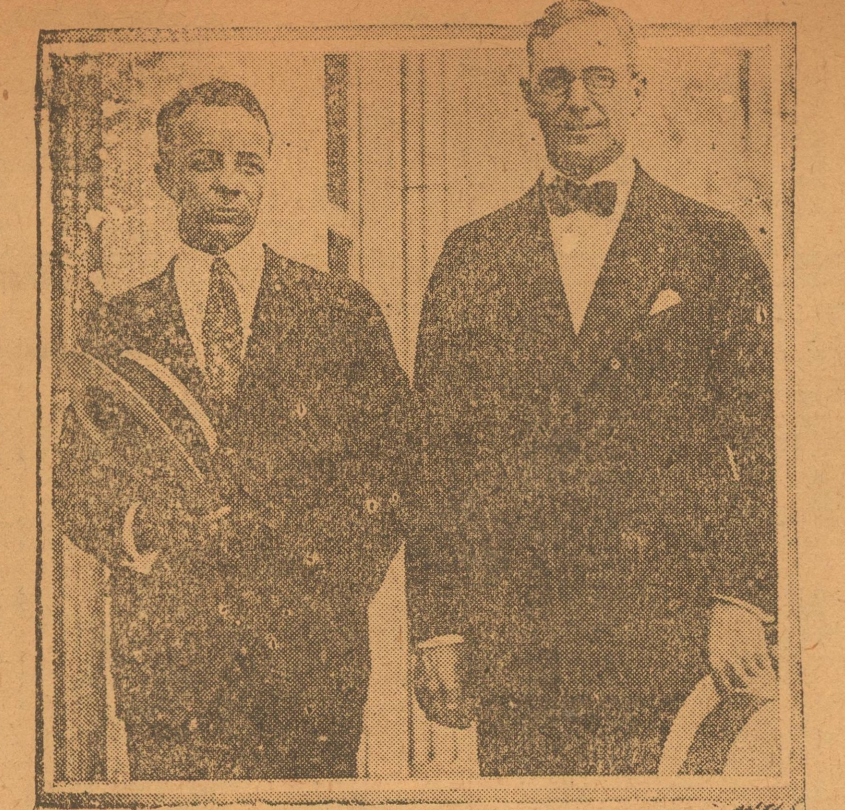
Though she is past 101 years of age, Mrs. Ann Sissons of London, England, has made three airplane trips.

THE "DEATH DEALER" USED BY POLES IN KILLING WOUNDED SOLDIERS IN SILESIA



Lieutenant Lowe, of the British plebiscite mission, with a German "A. P. O." inspecting a Polish "Tot Schlaeger," which the Poles have used in the quick dispatch of wounded Germans in the Silesia fighting. Note the sharp prongs on the iron ball attached to the end of the weapon.

AMERICAN LEGION COMMANDER CALLS ON PRESIDENT



Accompanied by Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt, John J. Emery, new national commander of the American Legion, called at the White House to pay his respects to the President. Mr. Emery succeeded the late Colonel Galbraith.

EXIT GUFFEY, OIL PROMOTER, DOWN THE STANDARD OIL MAW

Wall Street Writes Final Chapter to Picturesque Career of Daring Capitalist Who "Bit Off More Than He Could Chew."

PITTSBURGH, July 8.—Joe Guffey, as he is known to nearly the whole state of Pennsylvania, otherwise Joseph F. Guffey of Pittsburgh, is out of the Guffey-Gillespie Oil company, which was founded by him and held leases covering 220,000 acres in the mid-continent and Texas fields. And with Guffey's exit the Tidewater Oil company, a Standard Oil subsidiary, enters into control.

Guffey was born forty-nine years ago of parents of moderate means. His father's death recalled him from Princeton, and he obtained a position in the Pittsburgh postoffice. Shortly after he became secretary of the Philadelphia company, the Pittsburgh public utility concern, of which he later became general manager. Twenty years of this, and he entered the oil game with E. N. Gillespie of Freeport, Pa., as partner.

By 1918 the company had become one of the largest and most successful operators in the mid-continent field, and the two founders with other Pittsburghers, had acquired 125,000 acres of oil lands in Colombia. About this time "AGWI" organized the Atlantic Gulf Oil corporation to enter Mexico and elected Guffey president.

Guffey, at a time when Carranza was attempting to annul land grants to foreigners, was confronted with the choice of waiting for settlement of the difficulties or recognizing Carranza. He chose the later course, and thereby started this movement which terminated in his removal from his own company.

Carranza granted Guffey's company oil lands, formerly held by other companies. These latter refused to transport the Guffey machinery or make pipe-line connections. Millions of dollars were spent and valuable time lost. Friends of Guffey trace the recent bear raid on "AGWI" to the resentment caused by the company entering the Mexican field.

Guffey was one of the firm supporters of President Wilson for the nomination in 1912. On Wilson's election, Guffey became Palmer's choice for governor of Pennsylvania. He lost, but was later elected Democratic national chairman.

While Guffey was assisting Palmer, then alien property custodian in New York, the shares of the Guffey-Gillespie were placed on the market. The price at first ranged from 22 to 29. They eventually went to 40, and then Guffey got interested in booming Palmer for President.

When he returned to the East he

found bears hot after Guffey-Gillespie. He and friends formed a pool to hold the stock, but the bears proved too strong, and when the banks called Guffey's loans he had his back to the wall. The stock went as low as 10.

Then entered the Tidewater Oil, which secured enough of the stock to give it control. Guffey, Gillespie, and their directors were asked for their resignations. At first they refused, but finally, seeing the handwriting on the wall, left the company they had made.

Friends point out that Guffey still is interested in the Colombian fields, and will be heard from again, not only in the oil game, but in other lines of endeavor.

PRESENTS \$69,000 CLAIM AGAINST ROOSEVELT ESTATE

Mrs. Emma Burkett of Hillsdale, Ind., who has presented a claim for \$69,000 against the estate of Theodore Roosevelt to obtain payment on a note she says was endorsed by the former President. The woman, according to the authorities of Danville, Ill., was convicted there in the federal court in 1914 for using the mails to defraud. She was sentenced to six months in the Vermillion county jail. It is said that the Roosevelt endorsement on the note held by Mrs. Burkett is a forgery.

FENCE POST CONTROVERSY IS SETTLED BY UNCLE SAM

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Some people believe split fence posts last longer than do round ones. Probably as large a number hold the opposite view. The forest products laboratory of the United States department of agriculture says that one will last about as long as the other if the percentage of heartwood and sapwood are the same in both.

If the posts are to be treated with creosote or some other preservative the round post is preferable to the split, because of the comparative ease with which the sapwood can be treated.

REDUCING DAD'S TAXES

The end of the fiscal year and the publication of the national balance-sheet came when most people were looking the other way. The Borah disarmament amendment, the peace resolution and the pugilistic brush in New Jersey held attention, the least important and most spectacular taking the lion's share of the stage.

Yet it is not without a certain personal interest even to the average fight-fan that the cost of running the government last year was \$5,115,927,689—for this sum amounts to nearly \$50 per citizen. Assuming five persons in a family, the head of a household pays on the average not far short of \$250 to keep the federal government operating.

In 1914 the total federal expenditure was \$700,000,000, or \$7 per capita, and the head of a family chipped in \$35 to support the government. Truly times have changed.

They have changed so much that Mr. Hoover's expressed intent of saving \$1,000,000 a year in the department of commerce will not rouse high hopes in the taxpayer's breast. If every department head were equally sanguine and if the savings effected ran up to \$10,000,000 it would amount to no more than 10 cents for each citizen. There must be cuts in the big items, the items that come under military preparations, or the burden cannot be perceptibly lightened.—New York World.

AS JURORS, WOMEN ARE GOOD COOKS, SAYS BOLD LAWYER

NEW YORK, July 8.—In our country there is a bold challenger—no, not M. Georges Carpentier. Braver than that, even.

While the Gallic Georges invited trouble with only one strong man, consider the temerity of E. M. Ballard, Cincinnati lawyer, who calls all women merciless. He declares he will have none of them on the jury which will pass upon the case of his client, Walter Brockman, charged with first degree murder.

"I challenged off all five women peremptorily," he said. "No, I don't mind stating my reasons. The record thus far in criminal cases has shown that woman jurors always are for conviction.

"Women are merciless, much more so than men," he told the court.

This from the state of Ohio, where sits the only woman judge in a criminal court, Florence Allen, first of her sex to serve in a court of general jurisdiction.

Judge Allen's own views on the woman juror were brought to our attention by Mrs. Raymond Brown, member of the New York State League of Women Voters, who has commented upon the opinion of the Ohio lawyer.

Woman Jurist's Views on Jurors. "The best answer to this charge is contained in an article by Judge Allen in a recent number of the Woman Citizen," said Mrs. Brown, who is also managing director of that suffrage publication.

"She points out one phase of the woman jury question that is worth considering that it is difficult to get men of intelligence and education to serve on juries. They are absorbed in their business and try to make excuses.

"Such men feel they simply can't afford to give up their time to jury duty. But there is a large class of intelligent women who have the leisure for this service, and they should be given the opportunity for it.

"Women are usually suspected of being too lenient on juries, and Judge Allen brings up these points in these paragraphs," Mrs. Brown said, quoting the article as follows:

"There has been some question whether the women jurors would not be too sympathetic and let criminals go scot-free or allow them undue leniency. This doubt certainly has not been borne out in my experience. John Azarelo was tried for first-degree murder before me and found guilty; the only woman on the jury was steadfast for conviction. We have lately tried Frank Motto for first degree murder in my court. He was found guilty without a recommendation for mercy, which means that he received the death penalty. The foreman of the jury was a woman; in fact, she was the only woman on the jury.

From the first she demanded the death penalty for the murder, which was peculiarly wanton. The jury which has just given the death penalty to Purpera, an accomplice of Motto, included four women."

Mrs. Brown then called our attention to the following: "However, in the preliminary selection of jurors for these cases, many women were excused because they were opposed to capital punishment and would shrink from sending to the chair another mother's son. It is evident that generalizations cannot be made as to women jurors any more than as to men jurors, so far as leniency is concerned.

"Participation of women in jury service, both on the petit juries and on the grand juries, make for intelligent interest in the courts. The community has not understood conditions in the past, and because of that inefficiency, delay and injustice have crept into our judicial system. I am confident that the participation of women in jury service is an essential step toward the realization of that universal justice which is one of the noblest aspirations of our republic."

MAYOR RECEIVES PIG AS PRESENT BY AIRPLANE

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 8.—The cow that jumped over the moon lost her long-established place in the limelight when a live pig arrived here from Chicago by airplane.

Lieutenant J. O. Creech brought with him the live pig, which was sent as a present to Mayor Thomas C. Bradley by Morris & Co., Chicago packers.

SWITZERLAND'S PRIZE BEAUTY



Miss Martha Muller, winner of the National Swiss beauty contest recently held at Berne. Several hundred women from all parts of Switzerland were entered in the contest. Out of this number seven were chosen. Pictures of these seven were furnished to all the moving picture theatres, and the photos were shown on the screen. The public was then asked to vote for the girl they thought the prettiest. In this way Miss Muller was elected.

AIN'T THE HOME BREW SCAND'LOUS? F'RINSTANCE, WHAT MR. DAILEY DID

CHICAGO, July 8.—Much has been said of the peculiar effects of various brands of home brew and moonshine "hooch" being imbibed by Chicago lusers, but John Dailey, who is unable to designate his residence, is under the care of a surgeon at the Chicago avenue police station, after he staged an unusual performance.

Near the station, on a brick wall, is pasted a large poster in colors depicting a scene at the seashore, in which a number of girls, scantily clad and one lonely man are shown. Dailey, under the influence of various brands of "hooch" mistook the girls for living, breathing creatures and conversed with them, much to the amusement of the bevy of policemen watching his antics from the station window. Suddenly Dailey observed the lone man in the picture and resented his presence up to the point of fighting him with his bare fists.

Inasmuch as the picture was pasted on a solid brick wall, the poster continued to smile, but Dailey was carried into the station with a badly broken hand.

"CARBOLIC ACID GAS" WAS USED FOR GIRL AND NOT AUTOMOBILE

CORUNNA, Mich., July 8.—Lucy Wittum purchased the acid which caused her death under the belief that it was to be used to make noiseless the motor of the automobile in which she and Forest Higgins, her farm boy sweetheart, were to elope, according to testimony yesterday at the trial here of Higgins for her alleged murder.

Emma Wittum, 15-year-old sister of the dead girl, testified Lucy had shown her a dollar and told her Higgins gave it to her to buy "carbolic acid gas" to make the engine of his automobile run quietly when he came to elope with her.

Other witnesses have testified that the Wittum girl had planned to elope with young Higgins on the night of March 30 last.

It was the following morning that the girl was found dead at their trysting place.

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Program

LIBERTY—Hobart Bosworth in "His Own Law," also Al St. John in "Ship Ahoy."
TEMPLE—Thomas Meighan in "White and Unmarried," also comedy, "The First Honeymoon."
LAMB—Enid Bennett in "Keeping Up With Lizzie," also comedy and Pathe News.

FILM SMILES and so forth By Hi Speed

FASHIONS IN PHOTO PLOTS CHANGE WITHOUT BRAIN-FAG
 THE long leaves of bread, the tall bottles of wine and the pawned mattress of poverty that used to figure in films have become obsolete. Now we have the revolver-in-drawer, the handy telephone and the indispensable automobile as first aid to most photo plots.

Owen Moore observes that most men think they can tell time by watching the clocks on girls' stockings.

Photoplay based on "The Three Musketeers" comes to the screen "Fightin' Mad." Bet Dumas would be that way if he were alive.

"Should a Woman Tell?" questions a film title. Who or what can prevent her?

Here's Good Advice "Never shake your head or your friends," says Conway Tearle. "You may have need of them some time."

"Hail the Woman" is all right in film titles, but it's "Reign the Woman" in real life.

The electric sign in front of the theatre read: "The Daughter Pays." Bring Your Best Girl.

Must have been another "Invisible Divorce." The screen soon gives publicity to "A Private Scandal."

Constance Talmadge is soon to designate "Woman's Place." That's a job mere man would not dare attempt.

Observations on Films "Remorseless Love" is the kind pictured but never practiced. When "Too Wise Wives" see themselves in films they may be none the wiser.

English—the Great Unspoken—gets some rough treatment when sub-titles are flashed. When David Belasco revives "The Easiest Way" next season, Selnick's film version may take an encore.

LACK OF JOBS AND HIGHER LICENSE RATE ARE TOO MUCH

PHILADELPHIA, July 8.—Young Dan Cupid had a frown on his face as he boarded his first of July special. "Hi," said he, "something must be done about this. Last June, 3,113—this June 3,043. It will never do. I'll have to order more moonlight." But the more utilitarian clerk of the city's marriage license bureau says lack of jobs keeps the Philadelphia record for brides down. The total marriage licenses issued for June, 1921, show a drop of seventy, compared with those issued in June, 1920.

Lack of work is attributed as the chief cause of the drop. The new marriage license rate, which is increased from \$1 to \$1.50 is also in force.

BOSTON COUPLES DISREGARD HIGH RENTS AND FEW HOUSES

BOSTON, July 8.—More than 1,000 marriage licenses were issued by the city registrar during June. It was the largest number for that month in many years. In fact, romance is rising despite the housing shortage, as up to July 1, there have been 4,709 marriage licenses issued in Boston this year.

The average age is higher, according to E. W. McGlenen, who has been city registrar twenty-one years. He says the younger people are apparently more interested in their studies.

CHICAGO, July 8.—A quarrel over four cents brought about the domestic disruption that ended in Mrs. Carl Barak getting a divorce. Their troubles started eight years ago, she testified, because she had given a cent to each of their four children.

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
 —Orchestra Furnished for any Occasion.

Shave, Bathe and Shampoo with one Soap.—Cuticura
 Cuticura Soap is the favorite for safety razor shaving.

LITTLE MONACO HAS HAD CHECKERED AND INTERESTING CAREER

WASHINGTON, July 8.—What is the smallest country in the world? "That depends upon the angle from which you view the question. There are several principalities tucked under the wings of sheltering governments, republics which owe part of their suzerainty to a bishop, and grand duchies," says a bulletin from the Washington, D. C., headquarters of the National Geographic society.

Monaco, with its eight square miles of territory, perched 300 feet above the Mediterranean, in the heart of the Riviera, is the smallest principality. It is the best known and the most visited, for it contains the world-noted lure of Monte Carlo.

"The little country has a checkered and interesting history. Its beginning dates to the days of Hercules, almost 2,000 years before the birth of Christ. How paradoxical that this here, who accomplished well nigh insurmountable obstacles by sheer physical labor, should have been even the traditional founder of a state whose whole revenue is obtained from games of chance!

"Theodoric the Great seems to have been the only one of the great European conquerors who gave the little country any respite from wars which continuously harassed it. And his charm as a man may have been the influence which gave the people he conquered their tolerance for those who risk their all on a gamble, for it is said of him that he had the most delightful manners at dice. If Theodoric loses, he laughs; if he wins, he is modest and reticent if he wins!

"Modern figures show that the industries and trade of Monaco are unimportant in comparison to its revenue from the gaming tables. During 1913 there were nearly two million visitors in the principality for its 23,000 population to take care of.

"Until 1911 the prince of the country was an absolute ruler, but in that year he gave his subjects a constitution which provides for a national council elected by the people.

"Monaco has a close second in diminutiveness, and a rival in the claim of age, in the independent republic of San Marino, which is the smallest republic in the world. Surrounded by Italy, which respects its autonomy, this republic rears its thirty-eight square miles of territory to a point 2,500 feet above sea level. Its founder, San Marino, came from Arbe in the fourth century to aid the oppressed Christians build the stone walls of the city of Rimini. Born of his desire for peace, solitude and simplicity of living, these qualities in its national character, and for generations have been reflected in its history. The venerable saint taught his people that war should be resorted to only for self-defense.

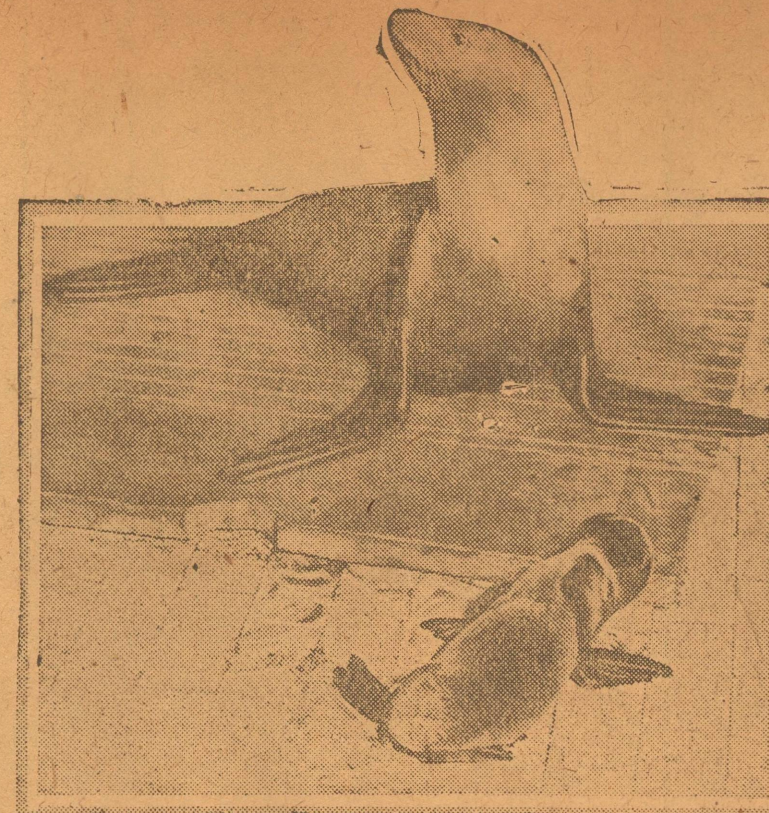
"San Marino is governed by a great council of sixty members who are elected by popular vote. Two

of these members are appointed every six months to act as regents, and in such capacity exercise the executive power. So tranquil is the little republic that it scarcely needs a police force—an atmosphere in contrast to that created by the frenzied and feverish players who sit at the tables in Monaco."

ONLY RICH OR IRRESPONSIBLE MARRYING IN INDIANAPOLIS

INDIANAPOLIS, July 8.—Marriage licenses issued in Indianapolis during June were 576 as compared with June, 1920, when 736 licenses

MRS. SEA LION AND HER NEW BABY



Mother sea lion and her baby, born at the Aquarium, Battery park, N. Y., received the admiration of thousands of visitors. The baby's arrival was unexpected by the attendants. As a consequence the little one was born in the water and the mother had a desperate time to get it out of the tank to save it from drowning. Strange to say, sea lions cannot swim until they are taught by the mother, when about one month old. When the little one was deposited on the shore the father attacked it, and the mother rescued her babe again only after a bitter fight.

were issued by the Marion county clerk. Decrease of 160 this year is attributed to economic conditions by Richard V. Sipe, county clerk.

DENVER COUPLES ARE AFRAID OF HIGH COST OF LIVING NOW

DENVER, July 8.—The number of marriage licenses issued in June this year is less by seventy-three than the number issued last year. Only 440 couples received marriage passports, as compared with 513 last June. One hundred and twenty of the applicants were making their second cruise on the matrimonial sea.

TWO JAILBIRDS PLAY "EXODUS" WITHOUT KEYS

CADIZ O., July 8.—Walter Scott, of Alliance, played steadily for several days on an organ placed in the

TEMPLE

HOME OF PARAMOUNT AND REALART PICTURES

LAST TIME TODAY

—Billy Kane always visited society—by the second story route. Until he inherited a cool million. Then he visited society via the front door—

JESSE L. LASKY PRESENTS

Thomas Meighan

in

White and Unmarried

A Paramount Picture

"Coolest Theatre in Ranger" Added attraction: "THE FIRST HONEYMOON" A Special Comedy TEMPLE PIPE ORGAN

THE ILLINOIS 5

have been engaged to play at

Shamrock Park

the rest of the season

Dancing every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

When She Stands This Way—

—it's hard on meat. But we never worry, it just means a little more work for a little willing worker, our ice machines. No matter what the temperature outside, it is always constant in our coolers. Your meats are always fresh when bought of us.

The Price of Meat Is Down on Saturday, We Are Selling

All Beef Loin Steak, lb.	30c
All Roast Cuts, lb.	20c
All Stew Meats, lb.	15c

And Real Barbecue, Hot and Juicy (Our Kind)

The JAMESONS

127-129-131 N. Austin On the Corner

DARKIES' "ARK," BUILT FOR PILGRIMAGE TO PROMISED LAND, BURNS

LOS ANGELES, July 8.—The Ark, a vessel constructed here by the Reverend J. E. Lewis a negro, to transport a religious cult, known as the Church of the Living God, to Liberia, Africa, has been destroyed by fire on the tidelands of Terminal Island, near here, thus closing the last chapter in the history of the boat, which for years has attracted attention from residents and tourists here.

Twelve years ago Lewis first became attracted to the idea of a pilgrimage to Liberia. An attempt was made to charter a vessel, but being unsuccessful, he suggested to his congregation that the church build a vessel to carry the prospective pilgrims to distant Africa.

After five years spent in building the boat, it was launched several days ago and rode the waves just long enough to give the pastor and his flock a glimpse of their anticipated transport to the "promised land" whereupon the unwieldy hulk right promptly sank to the bottom of the harbor.

A few days later the waterlogged Ark reappeared just as unexpectedly as she had disappeared, and again visions of the trip appeared for the church members. But so the story goes the moorings of the Ark were cut or became loosened one night and the current swept her into the harbor channel. The next day a passenger steamer was halted by the drifting hulk and the harbor department ordered it towed out of the harbor and beached. Fire came along the other night and sealed the fate of the Ark by burning her to the waterline.

LIBERTY THEATRE

TODAY
 HOBART
 BOSWORTH
 —in—
 "HIS OWN LAW"
 AL ST. JOHN
 —in—
 "SHIP AHOY"

PROGRAM 10¢
 CHANGED DAILY.
 25¢

corridor of the county jail by the Salvation army. One morning Scott and George Reed, of Byesville, were not to be found. An investigation by the prison officials disclosed that the organ had been utilized to deaden the noise created by using a section of a radiator in digging through the jail wall. The missing prisoners escaped through the hole in the wall.

KILL RATS TODAY

By Using the Genuine

STEARNS' ELECTRIC PASTE

The guaranteed "killer" for Rats, Mice, Cockroaches, Ants and Waterbugs—the greatest known carriers of disease. They destroy both food and property. Stearns' Electric Paste forces these pests to run from the building for water and fresh air.
 READY FOR USE—BETTER THAN TRAPS
 Directions in 15 languages in every box.
 Two sizes, 5c and 15c. Enough to kill 10 to 40 rats. U. S. Government buys it.

"TEMPLE OF THE PHOTOPLAY"

TODAY AND SATURDAY

Enid Bennett

—in—

"KEEPING UP WITH LIZZIE"

—also—

Comedy

—and—

Pathe News

No game is finished right 'til thirst is quenched.

THE COCA-COLA COMPANY
 ATLANTA, GA.

Drink Coca-Cola
 DELICIOUS and REFRESHING

NINETEENTH HOLE

SATURDAY SPECIALS

—AT—

Baum's Booterie

BANKRUPT SALE

SPECIAL FOR LADIES WEARING SMALL SIZES

200 pair of ladies brown and black boots, pumps, oxfords, straps, satin, suedes, very high grade turns and welts, values up to \$17.50, now going at \$1.95

Buster Brown boys' and girls' oxfords—black and brown, \$5 to \$7.50, going at ... \$1.95 and \$2.45

Boys Stitchdown Oxfords

\$4 and \$5 values, going at \$1.45 and \$1.95

Childrens Patent Mary Jane Pumps

Values up to \$4.50, going at \$1.95

Children's Sandals 95c and \$1.45

Baum's Booterie

304 MAIN ST.

WEEKLY PICTORIAL NEWS

Photos by International News Service



PANAMA SWIMMERS INSPECT POOL—Arriving in New York from the Isthmus of Panama, the little swimmers of the famous Red, White and Blue troupe of the Panama Canal Zone inspected the Madison Square Garden swimming pool, the largest indoor pool in the world, where they will give exhibitions. Under the guidance of Hunter Young, the

youngsters made the trip north on the steamship Carrillo, and enjoyed the voyage all the way. Among them are several noted swimmers and divers, probably the most prominent being Alma Mann, the eleven-year-old "Houdini of the water." The pool is progressing rapidly, and the managers expect to be able to turn the water in soon.



POLICEWOMEN GRADUATE—At the women's precinct in New York a class of twenty-five policewomen received diplomas. Mrs. George W. Loft, special deputy police commissioner, shown on the left, superintended the exercises, and the diplomas were handed to the candidates by the Rev. John Wade, chaplain of the Police Department.



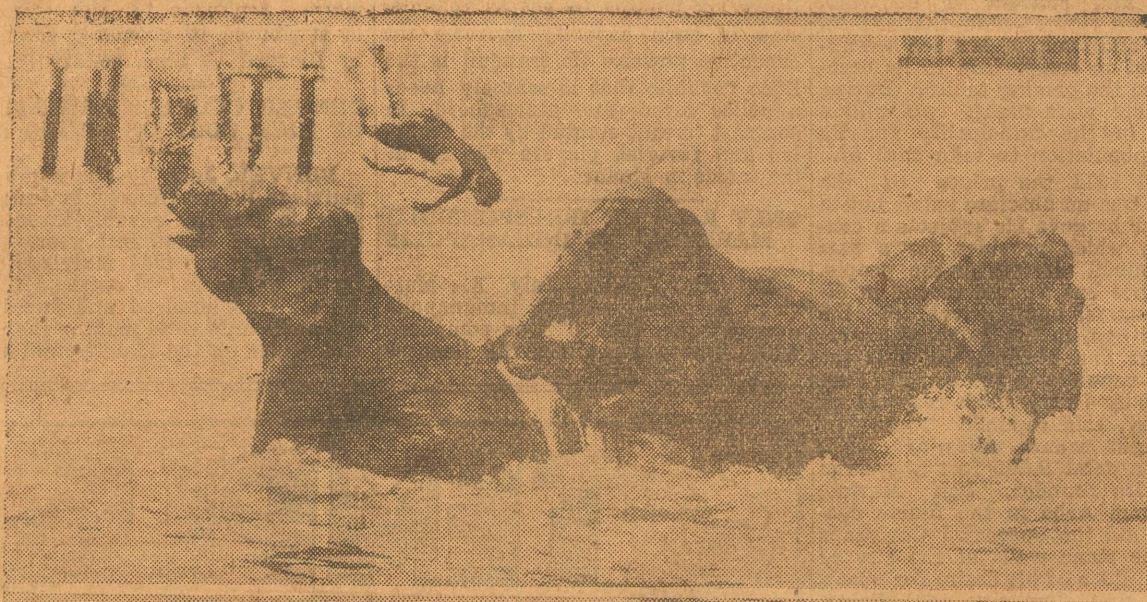
LEAPS OFF BRIDGE ON DARE—This fellow evidently refused to let Steve Brodie have anything on him. Because his friends called him yellow, George Koval jumped off the Williamsburg Bridge, Brooklyn, N. Y. He is in the hospital, but is expected to recover.



MRS. CARROLL STARTS THEATRE—Using a crowbar, Mrs. Earl Carroll began work recently on the site for the theatre Earl Carroll, song writer and producer, is to build in New York. Work will be pushed on e, which the owner expects to open about Christmas. The Mrs. Carroll at work, while Mr. Carroll directs.



NEW GOLF CHAMPION—Gardner White, who won the metropolitan amateur golf title of New York at the Garden City Golf Club by defeating Grant Peacock in the final round by one up at thirty-six holes. He won the title at the last two holes.

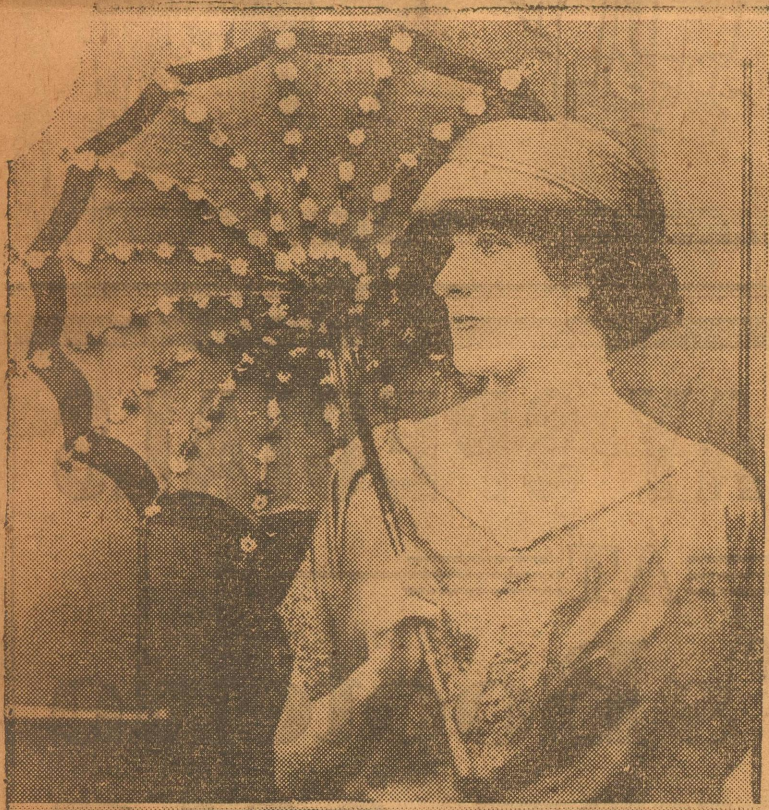


TOSSING THE KEEPER—A NEW WATER SPORT FOR ELEPHANTS—"Tossing the keeper" is the newest water sport with Julia, Roxey, Jenny and Lena, trick elephants at Coney Island, New York. Their

keeper took them into the surf for their annual bath and the elephants immediately started to toss him around, as the photo shows.



BETSY ROSS IN AMERICANIZATION PAGEANT—Miss Ida Lowe, as Betsy Ross, in the "Making of America" pageant, recently staged in Central Park, New York, by girl students of the Julia Richman High School.



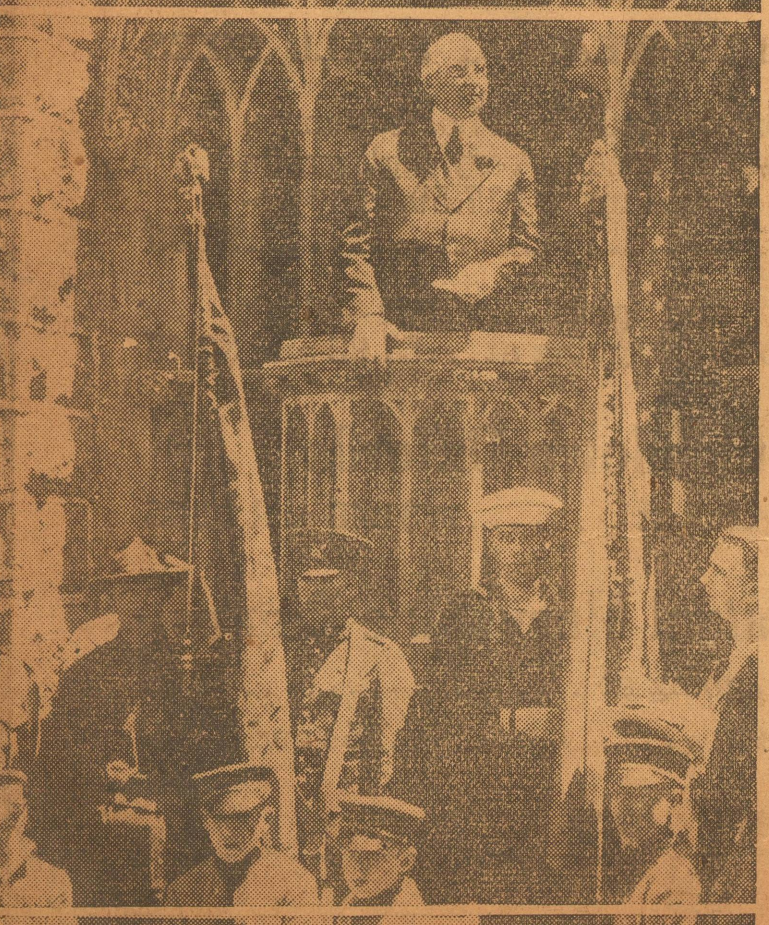
THE DAISY SUNSHADE—DECORATED WITH DAISIES—The "daisy sunshade," a beautifully designed parasol decorated inside with daisies, giving a wonderful effect, with a sunshade of brilliant color. The creation is popular in London.



\$100,000 OFFER FOR BROTHER OF MAN O' WAR REFUSED—Here is Playfellow, full brother of Man O' War, for whom his owner, J. F. Johnson, has refused three offers of \$100,000. One prominent horseman said Playfellow is worth \$100,000 as a stud horse, apart from any races he may win as a three-year-old. Turf followers are wondering if Playfellow will succeed to the title held by his immortal brother. Many think he will. Strange to say, last season he went through the year without winning a race. This year he has started in two races and won both.



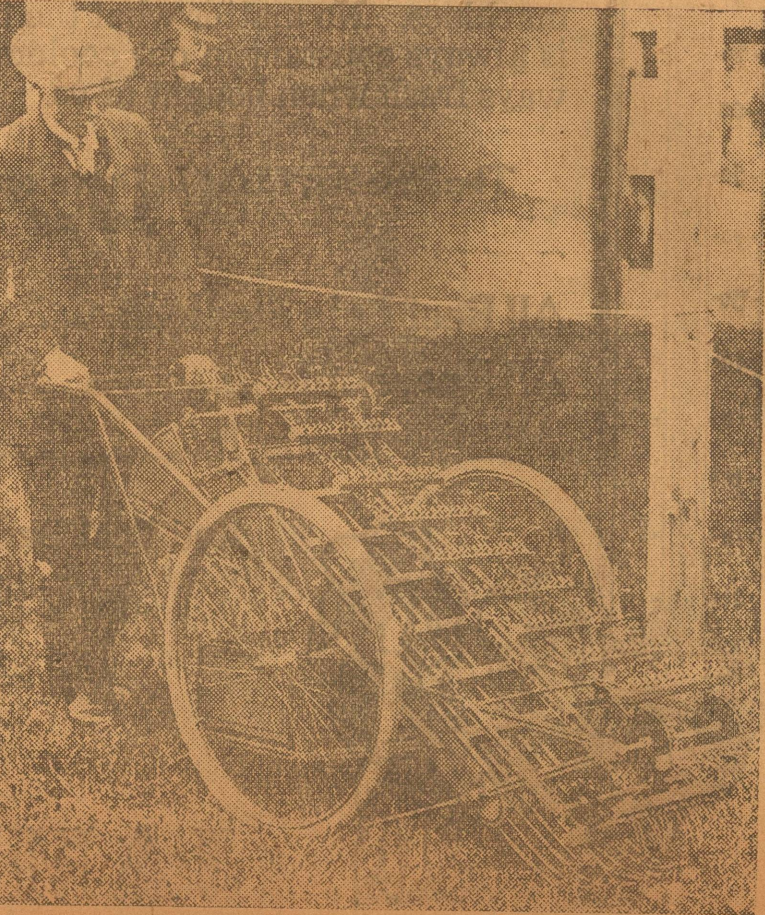
RIDES TO HER BATH IN SEDAN CHAIR—Mme. Valerius, famous French dancer of the Casino at Aix-les-Bains, is taking the curative waters at the famous resort. She created somewhat of a sensation recently by being carried from her hotel to the baths in a sort of sedan chair, with nothing but her pretty head showing from beneath the canvas.



PRESIDENT HARDING AT VALLEY FORGE—On a visit to the home of Senator Knox, at Valley Forge, Pa., President Harding and Mrs. Harding attended Sunday services at the Valley Forge Memorial Chapel, and addressed an audience from the pulpit. The photo shows President Harding delivering an address from the stone pulpit of the Church.



CHARMING WIFE OF CHINESE MINISTER TO ENGLAND—An exclusive photograph of Mrs. Wellington Koo, charming wife of the Chinese Minister to London, photographed at the Legation near Portland Palace.



A MECHANICAL APPLE PICKER—An ingenious invention for use in orchards is this mechanical apple picker. It can do the work of six men and is said to pick up forty pounds of apples in one and a half minutes.



ONLY FORTY POUNDS, BUT WALE OF A SWIMMER—Little baby Stamme is a mite of a girl. The fair Virginia only weighs forty pounds, but she is as good a swimmer as one can find anywhere. Virginia is a member of the Red, White and Blue swimming troupe now in New York.

—By Billy De Beck

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS in the DAILY TIMES

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

No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents. The above rates are for consecutive Daily and Sunday insertions without change of copy.

No advertisement accepted on a "till forbidden" order; a specific number of insertions must be given. Notice to discontinue advertisements must be given in writing otherwise we are not responsible. We reserve the right to place all classified advertisements under their proper classification and to reject unclear or objectionable copy.

1—LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—From W. F. Stanford lease night of July 5, span of black lease horses; weight about 1700. Notify Guaranty State Bank, Caddo, Tex. Reward.

2—MALE HELP

BOYS WANTED WANTED FIVE BOYS OVER 14 YEARS OF AGE, TO DELIVER DAILY TIMES ROUTES, GOOD PAY; APPLY, RANGER DAILY TIMES, CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES

\$4,500 WILL BUY 14 month lease, with two months paid; 4 buildings, and \$2,000 worth of furniture; 10 other buildings on property bring from \$35 to \$85 a month, net income of \$900 per month. Will consider \$1,000 in trade on deal. Located one block west Cisco depot. J. F. Johnson, 222 Baylor ave, Breckenridge. This is worth investigating.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

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

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two large east rooms, furnished, for light housekeeping or bed rooms; electric lights, gas and water furnished. One block west of postoffice. 220 S. Austin st.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

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

FOR RENT—Two-room house, furnished or unfurnished; electric lights, gas and water; one block from High school. Three-room house, gas and water. 220 S. Austin st.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

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

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

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

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Willard 6-8 battery, nearly new; three large jack screws; one triple jack; one 3-1x30 new tire. 453 Main st.

BOARDING HOUSE EQUIPMENT—Furniture and fixtures. Good condition; cheap. Jim Glass, at D. D. Wertzberger camp. Phone 103.

BARGAIN—Fumed oak dining table, chairs, rug, dresser, refrigerator, gas stove, beds and rockers; all same as new. 1219 Spring road.

FOR SALE—Baby carriage; reasonable. 457 No. Rust.

14—REAL ESTATE

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

FOR SALE—Two-story building, 10 rooms; furnished, \$398. 411 1-2 Pine street.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

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

16—AUTOMOBILES

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

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

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

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

BE SURE and call the Ranger Furniture exchange to sell, buy or exchange your second-hand furniture. 121 N. Rust st.

WANTED—Second hand furniture. We pay more and sell for less; New and Second Hand Store, 201 N. Austin st., phone 276.

19—FOR TRADE OR EXCHANGE

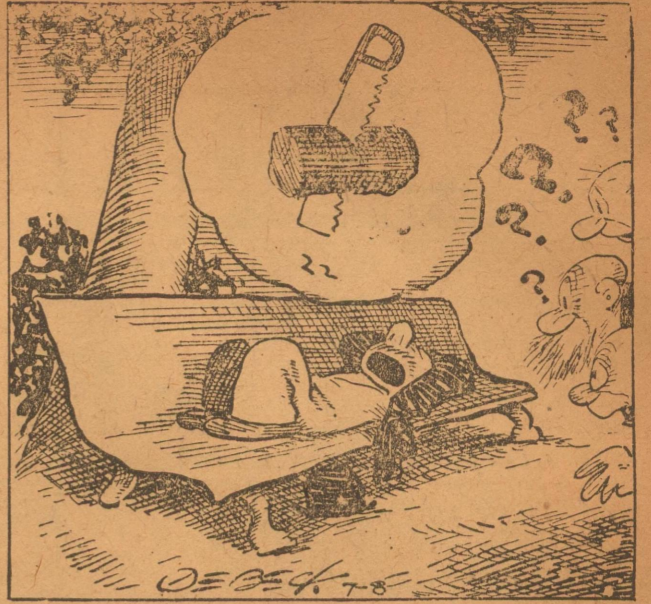
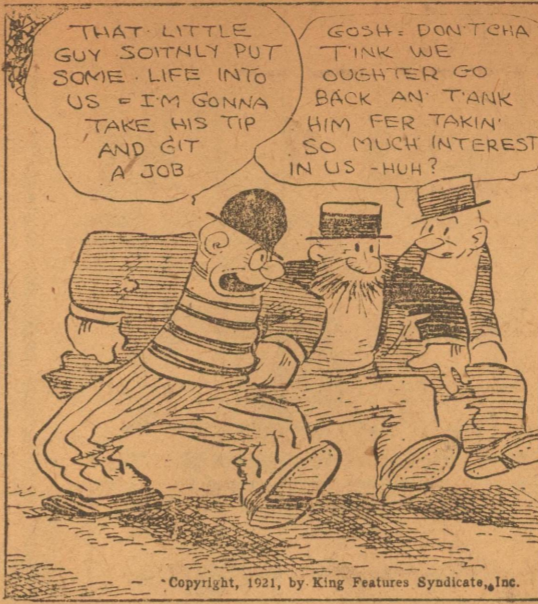
1918 MODEL STUDEBAKER — In good condition, to trade for house and lot in or near town. Must be good location. Joe Barnett, Box 1372, Ranger.

21—LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the City Commission till 3 p. m. on Tuesday, July 12th, 1921, for the disposal of garbage within the City of Ranger.

Said bids shall include the total cost to the City of removing and dis-

Giving Advice Is So Exhausting to Barney



MOVING FORTRESSES PLANNED AS MEANS OF COAST DEFENSE

Formidable Armored Trains Belching 16-inch Projectiles From 42-Centimetre Guns is Plan of War Department for New System of Railway Artillery.

By T. N. SANDIFER International News Service Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Moving fortresses, camouflaged-streaked, and belching 16-inch projectiles, may some day keep an enemy fleet at bay off a vital spot on America's shores.

These "fortresses" will be formidable groups of the "42-centimetre" type of gun, mounted on railway carriages, which will be used for the first time as coast defenses.

Realizing from European war experience that the powerful long-range guns now carried by battleships make permanent fortifications of questionable value in defending our coasts from an attack at sea, the war department is rapidly building up the long-contemplated system of railway artillery with which it is eventually hoped to girdle our coasts.

Our coast defenses are as strong as it is possible for such works to be, but the fact that they are in fixed position, and the fact that it is possible to locate them, make other defenses desirable, if not actually essential. The capture by Japanese and British storming parties of the powerful sunken turrets comprising the defenses of Tsing Tau, German China, early in the war, following bombardment from the sea, has demonstrated that this character of fort is not as secure as had been formerly considered.

Heavy Artillery on Hand. Accordingly, the war department conceived some time ago the plan of supplementing our fixed coast defenses with movable batteries mounted on carriages which could be hauled by rail from point to point. This would mean that, in addition to the stationary batteries making up the regular fortifications of a seaport, other groups of batteries, equally powerful and capable of moving to any advantageous point or to any threatened point, could keep

up a smashing fire on the enemy fleets, without having to wait there afterward while said enemy got the range and returned the compliment. This is the general plan.

It did not progress so rapidly until the close of the war found the war department holding in its hands more big guns, with movable railway mounts of the latest type, than they ever thought they would get. So they set to work, and a full report of their progress and a new list of the technical requirements for the new service have been made to Congress and may be made public later.

Camp Eustis, Va., Chosen. It is proposed to establish the first regular railway system adapted to the use of railway guns at a point within strategic distance of the area which military experts have calculated an enemy undoubtedly would pick if he sought to reach the vital spots of our Atlantic coast. For the purpose of the defense chain, war department experts have selected a former war camp, Camp Eustis, Va., and asked that it be held by the government from the general sale of camps and turned over to the military authorities. This camp, it is said, is the only one now ready which is adaptable to the peculiar purposes for which it is wanted. First, it is strategically located, so that it is desirable as a permanent area. Second, it already has twenty-two miles of track and is accessible to a main trunk line, so that it can be linked up with another area if necessary.

Third, its buildings, landings and other foundations were made specially solid, so that the camp is already in condition to receive the extra heavy loads. If this camp is turned over as desired, it is planned by the coast artillery to send units of the railway artillery there for training, after which they could be dispatched to other areas as they are ready. In the meantime the Eustis site would have a permanent garrison, with heavy movable guns, ready to respond in several directions to any threat, either from the sea or to support the hasty defense by the army corps in the attacked area, if the enemy should land.

Under order of Honorable D. M. Oldham Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy in the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas at Abilene:

I will sell the assets formerly belonging N. T. Thompson, Bankrupt, and known as Thompson Variety Store, at the site of said store in Ranger, Texas, on the 9th day of July, 1921, at eleven o'clock a. m., to the highest bidder for cash. Said assets consist of fixtures of the invoice value of \$275.00 and a good line of merchandise as commonly carried in a good variety store of the invoice value of \$3400.00.

E. L. HARWELL, Receiver. Abilene, Texas.

LOOK! FOLKS LOOK! BIG TOGGERY SALE CONTINUES —Low prices that are phenomenal. Folks it's our loss and your gain to take advantage of this great money raising sale. This is your opportunity to save money on the very best quality of goods on the market. —We have not the space to tell you of all the wonderful bargains. We ask that you cal and look them over—you will leave convinced that never before have you witnessed such price slashing as at the Toggery.

GET-RICH-QUICK PLAN OF VET AND "WIVES" IS UPSET BY REAL MATE

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Two fake wives, a real wife and a shell-shocked soldier converted the eternal triangle into a quadrangle that today amazed the Washington police.

Clarence Howard, formerly of the A. E. E., and two of his "wives" are in police stations here as the result of an ingenious and alleged successful attempt to defraud the war risk insurance bureau. The arrests followed the sudden appearance on the scene of the real Mrs. Clarence Howard.

She said her soldier-husband was unfaithful, and used the fake wives to obtain monthly compensation of \$150. Howard has been a shellshock patient at the Mount Alto hospital here. Two pretty young war workers, Gladys Dove, twenty, of Harwood, Md., and Helen Dennison, nineteen, of Washington, are held with Howard. After repeated and unsuccessful attempts to get money from her husband Mrs. Howard went to the war risk bureau, and asked why she was not getting compensation.

She was told that the money had been paid regularly, but she denied having received it. She was shown an affidavit, bearing her signature. Mrs. Howard declared it a forgery. Detectives, aided by the secret service, arrested Howard and the two girls. It is charged that Miss Dennison signed the affidavit that she was Howard's wife and obtained the \$150 allowance. Miss Dove is held as an accessory.

COLLEGE PROFESSOR'S BRAIN CURDLES OVER MR DEMPSEY'S VICTORY

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 8.—Prof. Harry H. McKee, an instructor in the Pittsburgh Academy, a fashionable preparatory school, was turned over to the department of charities today, following his sudden mental collapse last night, resulting presumably from nervous excitement over the Dempsey-Carpenter fight.

Clad in his underwear only, Prof. McKee suddenly dashed from his room and began to bombard the house with stones. Windows in that building and an adjoining one were smashed. "I knew Dempsey when he didn't have a pair of shoes," shouted the excited professor. "I lent him \$3 and he never repaid it."

WAITER HANDICAPPED BY NAME OF KAISER, WANTS DIFFERENT NAME

PARIS, July 8.—A Parisian-born pastry cook, handicapped by the name of Kaiser, has petitioned the French courts to be allowed to change his name to Ruvand. Kaiser recently took a holiday and was abducted in a motor car, stripped of his valuables and abandoned. He was found next morning. Asked what his name was, he replied "Kaiser." His rescuers took offense at this and ducked him in the lake and then took him to the lockup. In court he was fined \$6.

Miss A. L. Rogers of Tennessee has been granted a license as a stock broker in Arkansas, where she has extensive oil land holdings.

WIFE MAKES FUN OF HIS UNTHATCHED DOME; HE WANTS KNOT UNTIED

DENVER, July 8.—Effie O. Lund wouldn't be seen in public with her husband because he was bald, so Lund says in a complaint for divorce.

Lund accuses his wife of making fun of his personal appearance. "In that the plaintiff, through no fault of his own, is devoid of hair on the top of his head."

Lund takes the stand that nature is responsible for the barrenness of the upper part of his cranium and that his wife has no right to criticize the work of nature. Lund says his wife's objections, he believes, arise principally from esthetic prejudice against baldness, but he says it may be, too, that she objects to being deprived of the time-honored wifely prerogative of reaching into a husband's thatch and detaching therefrom a handful of shrunken, such as Lund admits he has long since been deprived of. Anyway, Lund charges his baldness

EXPLOSION IN TAILOR SHOP CAUSES DAMAGE

A gas and gasoline explosion in the Keep-U-Neat tailor shop on Marston street this morning resulted in a blaze which did damage estimated at \$50. The fire department was not called. The owner of the shop, Sam Gore, a negro, extinguished the flames with water. The cause of the explosion has not been ascertained.

ILLINOIS TOWN OVERRUN BY MILLIONS OF OAT LICE

PANA, Ill., July 8.—Pana is infected by millions of oat lice. Hundreds of persons stopped work to fight the tiny pests, which pass through window and door screens.

In some sections of the city were dense black clouds of the insects. Recent heavy rains caused the influx of lice.

Miss Dora Neun of Rochester, N. Y., is considered one of the most successful women chemists in the United States.

Don't Worry Over Bank Failures, Because It Will Not Help Matters. The best way out is to smile and be thankful that it was not an earthquake. Eat, drink and be merry, but be sure you eat the best. Take a squint at the following quality merchandise, priced right for Saturday:

A REAL SHIRT SALE at Way Down Prices Tomorrow we feature this Shirt Sale as one of the Big Things done in this BANKRUPT SALE For \$1.95 For \$3.95 —Three colors, brown, buff and white; plain and buttoned down collars attached —Pure silk pongee, with collars attached or without collars. The ideal shirt for summer wear. STOCK FORMERLY KNOWN AS CAWLEY BROS. P. & Q. Bldg. JNO. E. MORGAN, Mgr. L-Shape room

Two Doors North of Liberty Theatre

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

- 6 lbs. Crisco for \$1.00
- No. 2 Can Tomatoes 10c
- Morris Supreme Butter 40c
- Fresh Home-dressed Fryers, lb. 40c
- White Laundry Soap 5c
- Biston's Golden Grain Coffee, extra fine; special, lb. 35c
- Folger's Golden Gate Coffee, lb. 50c
- Star Naptha Wash Powder 5c
- All 20c Cakes and Crackers 15c

—Our line of fresh meats, fruits, cantaloupes etc., as complete as can be had anywhere.

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Or send us your order and we will deliver it for you

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CUPID OFTEN GARBED IN OVERALLS, SAYS WOMAN

By International News Service
DENNIS, Mass., July 8.—“You meet true love in a laborer's overalls quite as often as in a tailor-made suit.”

So declares Mrs. Lucy S. Royle Dickson, wealthy widow of fifty years, who has become the bride of Fred Dickson, twenty-four-year-old

Cape Cod laborer. “My ambition,” she says, “is to spend my time quietly here on Cape Cod, near to nature's heart, with work and play and love—and Mr. Dickson. “When a heart truly loves, twenty years, more or less, amounts to naught. As love laughs at locksmiths so does love laugh at years.”

Queen Mary of England maintains a staff of fifty maids at Buckingham palace.

ALLIES LET GERMANY PAY NEARLY ALL IN GOODS

By International News Service
BERLIN, July 8.—The inter-allied guarantees committee has decided that Germany will only be asked to pay 300,000,000 gold marks in money out of the second installment of 2,000,000,000 marks, it was announced here today. The balance, due May 2, 1922, may be settled by payment of goods and from the proceeds of the export levy.

WOMAN PREACHER IN VADES CHURCH OF ENGLAND PULPIT



Miss Maude Royden

Miss Maude Royden, leader of a movement to induce the church of England to admit women preachers to its pulpits, has conducted a week-day service in St. Paul's and St. Botolph's, despite the protest of the Right Rev. Arthur F. W. Ingram, the bishop of London. The appearance of the woman in the pulpit, an innovation in the Anglican church, brought crowds to the service, Miss Royden was attired in a surplice, and a close-fitting headdress of dark blue.

MEMORIAL IS ERECTED ON MOUNTAIN TOP IN BUFFALO BILL'S HONOR

By International News Service
DENVER, July 8.—The rustic museum building atop Mount Lookout, erected for the purpose of displaying the famous trophies of Buffalo Bill (Colonel William F. Cody), is nearing completion, and the structure, which will be called “Pahaska Tepee,” is one of the finest in the Rock Mountains. The memorial museum is close to the grave of the late “Wild West” idol and has been built “in the rough.” Giant lodgepole pines from the slopes of Mount Evans nearby form the foundation and principal supports of the big structure. Not a piece of planed lumber can be found in the building. Carpenters employed axes almost exclusively in building the tepee. Oregon redwood shingles split by hand, cover the rough exterior of logs. The building is 130 feet long and thirty-eight feet in width. The ground floor contains a large reception room, with one of the most magnificent and rugged fireplaces to be found in any structure in the mountains of the West.

The room that will be used for the exhibition of Buffalo Bill relics is located at one end of the structure on the ground floor.

A balcony surrounds the reception room, and the building has a number of artistic porches, the finest of which is a large veranda at the front. From this veranda a remarkable view of the surrounding mountains and plains below may be had, with the city of Denver within the range.

The memorial was built by the city of Denver, and the museum room will be presided over by “Johnny” Baker, foster son of the late Buffalo Bill.

IN THE COURTS

The following cases have been filed in the courts of the county:

- County Court.
- H. L. Greer vs. Guaranty State Bank of Olden, appeal from justice of the peace court.
- A. E. Nichols vs. Director General of Railways, damages.
- 88th District Court.
- C. I. Rogers vs. Chas. L. Sanger et al, suit and foreclosure.
- Gray Spencer Lumber Co. vs. Ross Kenyon & Leidecker et al, debt.
- J. T. Lawrence et al vs. Wade Swift et al, suit for injunction.
- John VanGeem vs. W. M. McGough et ux, suit for debt.
- 81st District Court.
- S. S. Dublin vs. Security Insurance Co., suit for injunction.
- Ida Williams vs. L. R. Williams, suit for divorce.
- L. B. Taylor vs. Mary Ellen Taylor, divorce.
- Mrs. Nettie Isabell et al vs. E. R. Tingold, foreclosure.
- Lillie Jewel Laury vs. George Laury, divorce.

SHIP IS HELD WHILE TRUNKLESS COUPLE SHOP

MONTREAL, July 8.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maize of New York wanted to dress for dinner soon after the liner City of London left port yesterday, but they found their baggage was missing. So the skipper sent the following radio to his agents here: “First-class passenger appeared in the dining room minus collar. Man and wife have lost all their luggage. Please arrange.” Result—A tender met the steamer at Quebec, and Mr. and Mrs. Maize went shopping while the City of London waited in the river. A store was especially opened for their benefit.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas.—Texas A. & M. college served a total of 1,045,633 meals during the last scholastic year which closed May 24, President W. B. Bizzell revealed in the annual report of the subsistence department. This was an average of 3,828 meals a day. The cost of food consumed was \$291,658.29, or an average of 26 cents a meal.

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FOR SATURDAY ONLY

- 36-in. figured cretonne in dark and light patterns; 4 yards for 95c
- 36-in. cool cloth, all leading shades; 65c 95c
- 36-in. silk stripe voile; \$1.50 values; special 95c
- 36-in. figured Marquisette, 75c value, 2 yds. 95c
- 33-in. kimona crepe; 50c value; 3 yards 95c
- 36-in. percale, dark and light patterns; 5 yds. 95c
- 36-in. bleached domestic; Fairyland brand; 8 yds. 95c
- 36-in. longcloth; Bookfold—20c value; 7 yds. 95c
- 18-in. gloss toweling; 35c value; 4 yds. 95c
- 19x37 Turkish towels; 25c value; 6 for 95c
- 9x4 bleached sheeting; special, 2 1-2 yds. 95c
- 18x35 linen towels; hem-stitched; \$2 value; special 95c
- 30-in. checked dimity; 50c value; 3 yards for 95c
- Misses' white hose; 50c value; 3 pair 95c
- Ladies' lisle hose, white, gray, brown; 50c value; 3 pair 95c
- \$2 and \$1.50 fancy combs; special 95c
- Van Raalte silk gloves; \$3 value; special, 95c
- 36-in. colored check nain-sook; 65c value; 2 yds. for 95c
- Bungalow aprons, amoskeag gingham; 95c
- Children's sox; 50c value; 3 pair 95c
- Child rompers in solid and stripe; special 95c
- One assortment of brasieres; \$2 value; 95c
- One lot of children's dresses; \$2 and \$2.50 values 95c
- Children's Munsing knit union suits; \$1.50 and \$1.75 value; special 95c
- Children's Seal-Pack dimity union suits; 95c
- One assortment of voile and organdy waists; special 95c
- Val lace edging and insertion; extra special, 20 yds for 95c

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People that want bargains in high grade groceries will get them here.

Sanitary Meat Market

115 South Marston St.

TIPSTER GAME PROVES BIG SUCCESS IN PARIS

PARIS, July 8.—Jean Bilgot, the itinerant rug salesman, who made \$20,000 in two days at the Paris races on a capital of \$10, has just been arrested for selling race tips. He explained to the police that he could not refuse to hand out “pipe lines” to friendly strangers who approached him and that when his selections finished in the money they generally gave him part of their winnings.

OH— PRICES SHATTERED LOOK! DOWN! DOWN! DOWN!

—Hot weather is here, heavy foods should be avoided— EAT MORE FISH, they are better and more healthful during hot weather.

SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

- Fresh Water Buffalo, lb. 20c
- Fresh Dressed River Catfish, lb. 25c
- Fancy Gulf Trout, lb. 25c
- Sliced Red Snapper Steak, lb. 28c
- Sliced Chicken Halibut Steak, lb. 28c
- Sliced Boneless Catfish Steak, lb. 28c
- Fresh Water Black Bass, lb. 35c
- Pike, Redfish, Flounders, lb. 20c
- SPRING CHICKENS, Full Dressed, lb. 32c
- DRESSED HENS (Nice and Fat), lb. 22c
- Medium Frog Legs, pair 25c
- Jumbo Frog Legs, pair 35c

—Our fish are strictly the choicest and freshest on the market. Our poultry is beyond a doubt the finest ever offered at any price in the city. We have an enormous supply, but come early for choicest selections.

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