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George Murphy Succeeds Buttomer As Fire Chief

Internal War at Station Results in Round Robin to Commissioner and "Irish" Resigns; Had Fine Fire-Fighting Record; New Chief Is Experienced.

A "round robin" signed by six firemen and presented to Police and Fire Commissioner Davenport asking that Chief Charles Buttomer be removed for negligence of duty was yesterday the cause of the resignation of Buttomer as the head of the fire department and the appointment of George A. Murphy to replace him. Murphy has been assistant chief of police for several months. He is also an experienced fireman.

The negligence of duty charged in the "round robin," arose because it is said he stayed away from the department for hours without his men knowing his whereabouts.

The "round robin" was presented to Mr. Davenport Saturday night and led to the discharging of six men by Chief Buttomer, all of whom had signed it. The request for Buttomer's removal was the aftermath of an earlier affair, Clint Barrett, at that time assistant chief of the department resigning and being re-instated by Buttomer. The men objected to the re-instatement. Barrett, Noah Moore and Red Penn went out with the retiring chief. Barrett resigned because of a difficulty with Homer Black of the department. It is said that Black slapped him in the course of their argument. Black was also one of the signers of the "round robin" to Commissioner Davenport.

When the matter came up yesterday Buttomer delivered an ultimatum from the effect of which he resigned and Murphy was installed.

The members of the department as it now stands are George Murphy, chief; H. D. Black, Frank LaCrosse, Joe Manichia, Felix McCurdy, John Berry, Glenn Talbot, C. B. Weeks and Ewlin Johnson. Weeks and Johnson are new men employed yesterday.

Among his experiences as a fire chief, Murphy was head of the department at Odessa, Kan., for two years. At many other places he has been a member of volunteer departments. About four months ago he was appointed assistant chief of police where he has been employed until his appointment of yesterday. Before joining the police department he was employed at the Texas Drug store.

Buttomer has been in charge of the department for little more than a year. He replaced Ed. S. Smith. During his administration the city has had some of its most disastrous fires all of which were efficiently handled under the direction of Buttomer. In many instances only daring work saved much nearby property.

The new chief of the department has not yet decided who will hold ranking positions. This probably will be done this afternoon.

TRAIN PLUNGES INTO MO. RIVER, KILLING THREE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 25.—Three men, the engineer, fireman and brakeman, were killed today, when a Burlington freight train fell from tracks weakened by high water, into the Missouri river, five miles south of Kansas City, according to reports to police and railroad officials.

The train, running in two sections of 144 cars, was en route from St. Joseph, Mo., to Kansas City. The first section passed over the weakened track safely. Official railroad reports state the locomotive and the first ten cars of the second section slid into the river.

It is unknown whether the casualties may be larger than the three trainmen killed. Kansas City police dispatched aid and divers to the scene.

DROUGHT AND ATTENDANT ILLS PERVADE EUROPE

LONDON, July 25.—All Europe burned today in a drought which brought with it forest fires, crop shortages, and threat of plagues.

Huge fires swept through forests in northern Britain, cutting a ten-mile swath. One fire in Aberdeenshire not only destroyed the woods, but threatened many famous estates.

There are fears that the harvest this year will fall far below the average. Wheat suffered especially. In a few sections there were light rains, but not sufficient to have any effect on the general situation.

Holland also suffered from forest fires breaking out almost daily in her tundry woods. Conflagrations raged today in the provinces of Drenthe and Limburg. In Amersfoort, hundreds of men were called to fight a fire covering twenty thousand acres. All crops were threatened.

German scientists were experimenting with dry farming, but with little hope of benefiting the present crops. Sweden suffered with Germany. Russia was regarded as a danger spot. Her great fields were blistered. Epidemics of cholera and typhus were breaking out.

Spain's crops withered in the field. Italy also was a victim of forest fires, brought on by the drought. One such fire started near Trieste when a powder house blew up, scattering flames into dry underbrush.

NEW U. S. AMBASSADOR REACHES ITALIAN PORT

NAPLES, July 25.—Richard Washburn Child, the new American ambassador to Italy has arrived with his family on board the steamship President Wilson from New York.

He was met by Franklin Mott Gunther, counsellor of the embassy, Homer M. Byington, the American consul here, and the staff of the consulate.

Hamon-Kell Lines Link Up Aug. 10

EASTLAND HILL ROUTE SELECTED FOR PLEASANT GROVE HIGHWAY

Will Connect With Main Street If City Raises \$1,000 for Extra Expense.

The Pleasant Grove road will go out Main street, turn to the left near Mirror lake and go up Eastland Hill, according to an announcement made this morning by County Engineer Eccles at a meeting with the good roads committee of the Chamber of Commerce. This decision was reached with the proviso that Ranger shall furnish \$1,000 toward additional expense of this routing, or build one concrete culvert. Otherwise, the highway will come into town on Pine street.

The commissioners, in deciding on this routing for the road, endeavored to as nearly as possible please all parties interested, it was said. The route selected will go near Mirror lake as well as over the hill. It will be 200 feet longer than to come into town by Pine street and two additional culverts will be necessary, thus making the extra expense toward which the city is asked to provide the \$1,000.

It was pointed out in the meeting that there would be delay in routing the road either down Pine street or around Mirror lake, as condemnation proceedings would have to be resorted to in either case, and the feeling was that all possible delay should be eliminated.

L. H. Flewelling, attorney for the Eastland Hill residents, was appointed a committee of one to see about raising the \$1,000.

CUMBY'S BODY FOUND AFTER LONG SEARCH

HOUSTON, July 25.—The body of Drue Cumby, who was one of the eight persons who lost their lives in the Gulf near Palacios last Thursday, was found Sunday evening eight miles east of the scene of the tragedy.

EXPERIENCES IN LAND OF BOLSHIEVKS CURES TOURIST'S ITCHING FOOT

WARSAW, July 25.—Bolshevik soldiers guard the Russian border and only certain persons are given permission to leave the country, yet by bribery and other means, great numbers of persons are crossing into adjacent countries each night.

Polish government officials have estimated that about 50,000 have been entering Poland from Russia every month, despite efforts of the Polish authorities to keep them out. Only a very small percentage of these people carry the proper credentials from the Bolsheviki.

A recent arrival in Warsaw from Russia was Ralph Rimar, formerly an art student in Detroit and Charleston, W. Va., who left America, via Canada, early in January this year, with 700 other Russians. Rimar went to the United States eight years ago from a part of Russia which is now included within the Polish republic where his parents reside.

Rimar says that when he last saw the emigrants whom he had accompanied to Russia all had enough of the Bolsheviki regime and wished that they were back in the states.

Rimar was in Russia three months, visiting Petrograd, Moscow, Kiev and other cities and towns. Conditions generally, he said, were gradually becoming worse, everywhere. He is eager to return to the United States but, without credentials, is unable to get a passport.

Rimar says he went to Russia, to satisfy his curiosity and for fun—but that he didn't have any pleasure at all, and that his curiosity is thoroughly satisfied. He was arrested five times, went without a square meal for 12 weeks and that if he is ever able to get back to the United States he will stay put there for all time.

JOE MURPHY WINNER OF GRAND PRIX RACE; DE PALMA IS SECOND

LE MANS, France, July 25.—Joe Murphy, driving a Duesenberg, won the 321-mile Grand Prix here today. Ralph de Palma finished second, two laps behind Murphy, and Joe Goux was third. Both drove French Ballots.

CONFESSIONS OF BLACK SOX YET MISSING

Gambler Reported to Have Paid \$10,000 for Papers; Cicotte Repudiates.

CHICAGO, July 25.—A new baseball scandal was brewing here today as the result of a frantic and unsuccessful search for the grand jury confessions of Eddie Cicotte, Claude Williams and Joe Jackson.

A New York gambler is reported to have paid \$10,000 for the papers after they had been stolen from files of officials here.

CICOTTE DENIES GUILT.

CHICAGO, July 25.—Eddie Cicotte, outlawed pitching ace for the Chicago White Sox, repudiated his confession of selling out to gamblers today.

Eddie, once the finest of the White Sox, stated he confessed to his part in "throwing" the 1919 world series after he was promised immunity by the state. The pitcher is one of the seven "Black Sox" charged with conspiracy to throw the championship game.

Cicotte, according to testimony already given at the trial, said he would lose the first game to Cincinnati, if he had to "throw the ball over the fence."

CATTLEMAN IS SHOT TO DEATH IN LEAGUE CITY

LEAGUE CITY, Texas, July 25.—A fusillade of shots, fired from the gun of an unknown assailant, snuffed out the life of N. C. Benson, prominent cattleman, here early today.

Benson was walking on the street when his assailant opened fire. Authorities were combing the countryside for the man responsible for the killing. He is believed to have escaped in an automobile.

WOMAN BREAKS GANG LAW BY TELLING WHO FATALLY STABBED HER

CHICAGO, July 25.—A woman broke the unwritten law of the political warfare in the "bloody Nineteenth" ward of Chicago.

Mrs. Virginia Esposito, widow of the first victim of the ward's warfare, which has now cost eleven lives, named her assailant as she lay dying from stab wounds in Columbus hospital. She was the first victim of the feud to ever tell authorities who had made the attack. It is the unwritten law of gangland that if a man is wounded, not to tell who inflicted the injury.

JAPAN INFORMED OF U S ATTITUDE REGARDING DISARMAMENT MEET

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Secretary of State Hughes has communicated directly to the Japanese government the attitude of the United States toward the Japanese inquiry as to the scope of the Pacific discussions in the Washington disarmament conference, it was announced today.

3,617,339 WAR RISK POLICIES HAVE LAPSED

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Information regarding war risk insurance policies was transmitted by Secretary Mellon to the Senate, answering a resolution by Senator Walsh, Democrat, Massachusetts. When the armistice was declared, Secretary Mellon reported, 4,439,664 war risk insurance policies were in force, 3,835,835 of which lapsed by May 21, 1921. Reinstated policies since May 21 were placed at 219,496.

WEATHER

Tonight and Tuesday, partly cloudy.

VALUE OF ECONOMY

United Press. WASHINGTON, July 25.—Federal taxes can be reduced by from \$500,000,000 to \$750,000,000 a year if strict government economy is put in force, Representative Fordney, chairman of the house ways and means committee, said today.

Fordney made this statement after coming from a conference at the White House, where he called to ask if President Harding had any suggestions for the revenue law Fordney's committee is now framing.

FORD ASSAILS ACTIVITIES OF ARMS MAKERS

Would Turn Spotlight of Publicity on Alleged War Promoters.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Henry Ford is heartily behind President Harding's disarmament program. The automobile manufacturer plans to assist the President in removing the causes of war with every resource at his command.

This developed as a result of a frank, informal talk of the two during the week-end camping expedition in the Maryland hills.

Ford outlined his disarmament views in an exclusive interview given to the United Press during a quiet hour at the camp.

Munition makers and international bankers, Ford believes, are trying to keep the war game alive. His plan is to turn the spotlight of publicity upon them, bringing public opinion to bear down on anyone who attempts to obstruct the disarmament program.

"Munition makers were responsible for Germany's arming to the teeth," Ford said. "Now they are trying to do the same thing with Japan. With Germany gone, they are trying to find another reason for keeping up the war business, and at present they are trying to use Japan as an excuse."

Ford was sitting on the edge of an old, broken down bed in a deserted log cabin in the camping enclosure. He had thrown off his coat, revealing a pair of striped, old-fashioned suspenders. His lean figure became tense as he talked.

"If we get anywhere with this disarmament business, every man has got to put his soul into it," Ford said. "I think the President is taking exactly the right course. I am for him absolutely in this."

Ford discussed the alleged "banking ring," but declined to mention names for publication. "But there is a ring of bankers, a world ring, that is causing all the trouble," he said. "They work in Washington and London, and all around the world. It was their kind of a ring around the kaiser that got Germany into trouble. They put up the money, munition makers made the guns and powder, and the people got killed and maimed."

Ford took the opportunity to indicate that he felt his views regarding the Jewish race had been misstated.

"I have hundreds of Jews working in my plant in Detroit," he said. "I am not talking about those kind of people. It is those who are in the international banking ring that I am fighting."

NEGRO SLAYER GLAD TO "SCAPE WITH MAH LIFE"

FORT WORTH, July 25.—"Judge, just what will they do if they reverse mah case?"

"You will be tried again," answered Judge Hosey Saturday in the criminal district court in reply to the question from John Robertson, negro, who was given twenty years for killing Richard Walker, alias, Kelley, alias Mulhall.

"Then Ah don't want no appeal," the negro declared. "Ah escaped this time with mah life. Ah'm ready to serve them twenty summers and twenty winters."

Judge Hosey then pronounced sentence.

Robertson, in the custody of Bud Russell, Texas penitentiary agent, Sunday morning will depart for the state penitentiary. Russell, in charge of thirty prisoners he "picked up" between El Paso and Fort Worth, reached here Saturday night.

Walker was slain near his home on the Stove Foundry road. Robertson was alleged to have shot him because Walker threatened to remove to another location a whisky still in which both of the men were alleged to have been interested.

KU KLUX KLAN ON TRIAL IN LEGISLATURE

Courts Hogtied by Technicalities, Shouts "Attorney" for Defense.

AUSTIN, July 25.—"Trial" of the Ku Klux Klan in Texas officially opened on the floor of the house of representatives today when the present day Klan's operations were vigorously defended by Representative O. D. Baker of Milam county.

Speaking to a question of personal privilege, Representative Baker opened discussion in the legislature of the problems which in recent weeks have drawn nationwide attention and discussion.

"As long as the black hand of the Senegambian reaches forth to defile the fair daughters of this Southland ne power in hell or out can stop us from protecting our girls," Baker shouted in opening his address. The representative said he desired that message to go forth to the President at Washington and the governor of Texas.

When Baker declared "I was born under the invisible empire," Representative Crumpton made the point of order that Baker was speaking against the courts of the state and asked that he omit such remarks. Speaker Thomas promptly sustained the point of order, bringing his gavel down heavily with his ruling.

Resuming, Baker attacked Colonel William J. Simmons, Imperial wizard of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, headquarters, Atlanta, Ga., declaring that Simmons was "the head of a small fraternal insurance society and had no right to send emissaries to Texas to rule the Ku Klux Klan of this state."

Baker's statement came just as Representative Wright Patman of Cass county was preparing to introduce his resolution denouncing the Klan. Answering a question from Patman, Baker said, "I was born under the fiery cross of the invisible empire."

Baker declared that the Klan need no defense by "that charlatan," referring to the Imperial wizard. "No one has asked Simmons to send his representatives into Texas to purify the Texas Klan," he said.

The charge was made by Baker that the courts were hog-tied with technicalities and that the peace officers were lax in their enforcement of law. Praise was given the Klan for "the honest purpose it had been demonstrating in its acts against those who have been violating the majesty of the laws."

Representative Patman's resolution signed by several others, condemning and denouncing the Ku Klux Klan, was read in the house this morning. Before action could be taken on the measure, time for consideration of resolutions had passed. Consideration of the matter went over until tomorrow. This resolution was not called up until after Baker had made his remarks on a question of personal privilege.

Representative Moore of Hunt county will introduce as a substitute to the Patman resolution, a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee of five to make an investigation of the Ku Klux Klan. The committee under this resolution would be appointed by the speaker of the house. The Moore substitute provides for an investigation to ascertain if the Ku Klux Klan exists in Texas.

COMPROMISE BILL ON LAW ENFORCEMENT IS INTRODUCED IN HOUSE

AUSTIN, Texas, July 25.—A new law enforcement bill, which is said to represent a compromise between opposing factions which appeared on this subject, was introduced today by Representative Johnson, of Ellis county.

Opening the second week of the special session, called essentially for the purpose of such legislation by the governor, Representative Johnson said his new bill is not the governor's. It is different, in that it provides only for removal of officers who do not enforce the felony statutes. The governor has recommended that a bill be passed both to felony and misdemeanor statutes, which would authorize removal of officers for failure to enforce the law against Sunday motion pictures.

Another feature of the Johnson bill, as introduced today, is that trial is to be had in any county adjoining that in which the accused officer resides. Complaint is brought on the initiative of the attorney general, and not by the governor.

District judges are not included in the terms of the bill.

THROUGH TRAIN SERVICE NORTH ARRANGED SOON

Trains From Ranger to Wichita Falls Will Fill Long-Felt Oil Field Need.

Linking up of the north and south ends of the Hamon-Kell railway will be completed by Aug. 10 and trains will begin operating from Wichita Falls to Breckenridge on that date. This announcement was given out this morning by J. H. Fraser, vice president of the Hamon line, who says it is the assurance given him Friday by Mr. Kell. The Kell construction forces have proven accurate in their promises in every instance heretofore, reaching both South Bend and Eliasville on the date set, and unless something entirely unforeseen interferes, they will make good in this prediction also. The grade and bridgework between Eliasville and Jimkurn have been completed and only the final step of laying the rails remains. With the track-laying machine, this can be done at the rate of a mile and better a day.

Great Benefit With the tying together of the two roads, the dream of direct connection between the two great pools of the North Central fields—Ranger and Burkburnett—will have materialized. Heretofore all communication between the two points has been by way of Fort Worth, which doubled both the distance and the time required to make the trip. Rail connection with the South Bend territory also will be of great benefit to Ranger.

While arrangements have not been perfected, Mr. Fraser says he expects it to be but a short time until through service is established between Ranger and Wichita Falls. Until that is arranged for, close connection will be made at Breckenridge.

Eliasville tomorrow will stage a big celebration over the coming of the railroad to that town. Representatives from all the leading cities of North Texas are to attend the festivities.

BILL RAISERS' GANG IS BROKEN UP; EIGHT OF MEMBERS ARE JAILED

FORT WORTH, July 25.—The well organized gang of bill raisers who recently passed spurious \$50 bills in Fort Worth, Dallas, El Paso, Orange and El Dorado, Ark., has been broken up and eight of its nine members are in the hands of Federal authorities, Henry Zweifel, United States District Attorney, said Saturday.

Two members of this gang operated one night in Fort Worth, passing four of the raised bills on local theaters. This pair is now under arrest in El Paso and their Fort Worth victims have identified them by photographs. One man was handing out one of the bad bills in El Dorado when he was caught by an officer, according to the district attorney. Others were arrested in various parts of the State. All eight have made statements implicating each other, it is said.

The system of the gang was simple according to officers. A \$10 bill, with the \$5 figures torn from a \$5 note, was converted into a \$50 bill with a little paste and ink. The work was skillfully done and almost invariably deceived the person to whom the bill was offered, officers say. Scissors, pen, ink and paste were all the equipment necessary.

THICK WEATHER HALTS McMILLAN'S ARCTIC TRIP

HALIFAX, N. S., July 25.—The schooner Bowdoin, carrying Donald B. McMillan and companions on an exploration trip to the frozen north, was detained here by thick weather. She put into Halifax harbor after a speedy run from Wiscasset, Maine.

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CHEAP PAVING POSSIBLE.

There is an interesting experiment in roadbuilding going on in Dallas county, and its success bids fair not only to revolutionize highways, but the streets of smaller cities as well. Briefly, it is a system of mixing asphalt with the natural dirt, without the expensive process of first preparing a base. The inventor of the process declares that smooth and durable highways can be thus constructed at a cost of \$12,000 to \$15,000 per mile. This experiment might well be watched with interest by Ranger people. The permanent highways of Eastland county are going to "spoil" a considerable number of the citizens. It is going to ruffle their feelings when they return from an evening of rolling up and down hill without jar or jolt, and turn off into the bumpy street that leads to their homes. They are going to want more paving; they are going to demand it. Yet Ranger, widespread as it is, can hope to put standard asphalt paving on but a few of its residence streets until it at least quadruples in population. The cost would be prohibitive. However, a surfacing that makes a good road would make a good street, for the average residence street is used but little more than are the roads from town to town. Now at \$15,000 a mile, that would mean \$150 for each fifty feet—and with the cost divided in the usual manner—\$50 to the property holder on either side and \$50 to the city. Nearly everyone would be willing to pay \$50 for such an improvement, and the cost to the city would be \$7,000 a mile allowing for crossings. Say Ranger built five miles of such streets. That, in addition to the paving now laid and the county highways, would make it fairly well off in the way of paving. The cost would be less than \$40,000. That is about one-fifth of the city's income, and it could be paid for in one year with an additional 30-odd cents on the tax rate. By doing the work with three or five-year warrants, this improvement could be added at a barely noticeable increase in taxes. All this, of course, provided the new system is a success. The Times believes it will bear watching.

WE'RE CONSERVATIVE.

If anyone doubts the ingrained conservatism of the people, all he has to do, in order to settle his doubts, is to put a constitutional amendment before them. Especially is this true if it calls for an added expenditure of money. The election held Saturday appears to have upset no precedents in this respect. Of the five amendments, one involved a slight expenditure for increased aid to Confederate veterans. Indications are that it passed, probably because the commonwealth felt it could not afford to be niggardly in performing its plain duty. On the other hand, the governor and other state executives will have to content themselves with the same salaries the offices have paid for half a century. The legislators will have to do the same thing. And that is what looks so peculiar. Mr. Average Man, when approached on the subject, will say the governor should draw more than \$4,000 a year, because that amount of money does not befit the dignity of the office. He

also will say that there should be a raise in legislative pay, in order that a more capable class of men will aspire to the offices.

Then Mr. Average Man walks across the street and casts his ballot against both propositions.

Mr. Average Man is probably wrong in his belief that the character of candidates would be bettered by more pay. Take it by and large, the best citizens of the community are elected to offices. But executives and legislators certainly should draw enough pay to provide for their living expenses. To rule otherwise is rank injustice. If political preferment must be paid for by the highest bidder, it might as well be sold at auction. That way, there might be some revenue not derived from taxation.

Cotton growers are elated over the discovery of a new insect that destroys the boll weevil. But they may soon be searching for some insect to destroy the insect that destroyed the boll weevil.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Zion City has abandoned New York to its fate, much to the delight of visitors from the provinces, who never would go to New York if it were as dull as Zion City.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

In order to meet on neutral ground it might be well for De Valera and Lloyd George to speak Scotch; or if they can't speak it they can drink it over there.—Indianapolis News.

No, dear, this heat wave is not a permanent wave, but it may be that there is one coming bye and bye that will be.—Journal and Tribune, Knoxville.

A wage scale without a job to go with it does not weigh much.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

If war is hell, the peace that follows is sifting the cinders.—Boston Herald.

NOW WE UNDERSTAND WHY WE DIDN'T GET A LETTER FROM NELLIE

A small boy was busily engaged in the task of opening the Times' morning mail yesterday when he was rudely interrupted by Assistant Postmaster Gray. Mr. Gray at first politely inquired if the boy had been employed as a new secretary of the Times. He then took charge of the mail both opened and unopened. The boy was working in a shack near the postoffice. Several letters addressed to the Times and others that had been opened at some past date were also found. Entrance was easily made at least to the postoffice box of the Times, because it was left unlocked. Four boys have been identified with the theft of mail from boxes. Their names are in possession of the local department and the matter has been referred to the federal authorities.

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BONE FRAGMENTS ARE REMOVED FROM KNEE OF DETECTIVE AMES

Part of the kneecap of J. B. Ames, who was shot Friday has been removed by Dr. W. C. Palmer, the attending physician. Several pieces of bone were removed from the knee, but it is the opinion of the doctor that he will escape permanent lameness. Ames was shot while in his apartment at the Legion hotel. Mrs. Ames was charged with aggravated assault following the shooting.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS By GEORGE BINGHAM.



Cricket Hicks was offered a position and a job all in the same day but he decided not to accept either, as the position didn't pay enough and the job was too hard work. The Postmaster has not been giving the very best of satisfaction to the public here of late, and there is strong talk of a stock company being organized to start another post-office. Frisby Hancock has been elected school trustee for the fourth time. If he had started climbing soon enough he might have been elected President some day.

WORLD WAR LINES REVIVED



The nationalistic ambitions of the Ruthenians have been encouraged by the defeat of the Polish irregulars in Silesia (1), and they are now occupying the old German battle lines between Minsk and Vilna (2). Revolt is reported in Vilna and Grodno (3), while the entire peasant population in the regions round about are against the Poles. Numerous attacks on Polish troops are reported.

UNCLE SAMUEL'S HOUSEHOLD EXPENSES INCREASE RAPIDLY, DESPITE G. O. P. PROMISES

By B. N. TIMMONS, Times Special Correspondent. WASHINGTON, July 25.—If the appropriations made thus far for the maintenance of the government during the year ending June 30, 1922 are any indication, the end of the year will show a considerably heavier expenditure than in the preceding year, in spite of the promised economy of this administration and the widely heralded efforts to keep expenditures within bounds. Some of the war expenditures have shown a decrease, but the civil expenditures are growing at such an alarming rate that even the promised saving of \$100,000,000 which General Charles G. Dawes expects to make in the expenses of government operation will seem small. With but a few weeks of the fiscal year gone, and no deficiencies for the year reported to Congress yet, the increased appropriations for the civil needs of the government have already increased more than \$100,000,000 above the same appropriations for last year. Each of the six big supply bills of the government, omitting the army, navy and fortifications measures, shows a considerable increase over last year's appropriations, in spite of the boasted economy of the new administration. The appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, for example, have grown from \$31,712,784 for the last fiscal year to \$36,404,259 for the current year, an increase of \$4,691,475. Because of the reduced size of the army, following the ending of the war, the reduction in the naval building program and the cutting down of the fortification work; and a reduction in the sundry civil appropriations, which may be increased before the end of the year, there is an apparent reduction in the regular appropriations so far in the year, compared with the completed fiscal year of 1921, of a little more than \$41,000,000.

The cutting down of interest payments on the public debt, and the sinking fund for the payment of this debt, together with the elimination of the \$104,000,000 appropriation of the preceding year for public roads and other reductions on miscellaneous and standing appropriations, have made a paper showing a reduction of \$871,047,300.89. The total appropriations for the year ended June 30, 1921 amounted to \$4,780,829,510.35. The total appropriations for the year 1922 so far made, amount to \$3,909,782,209.46, a reduction from last year's appropriations of \$871,047,300.89. But the appropriations made so far are not all which will have to be made for the current fiscal year, and so it is too early to make comparisons for the two years.

There are claims against the government amounting to many hundreds of millions of dollars now pending in courts or, in many cases, in process of settlement by special committees or departments," said Senator Warren, chairman of the Senate committee on appropriations. "For instance, in the Department of Justice I believe there are now pending claims amount-

FORD AS RAILROADER.

An American railroad voluntarily raising its wages and lowering its freight rates is as interesting as a two-headed calf. One road—the Detroit, Toledo, and Ironton—has actually taken these extraordinary steps. The new freight rates, which have been filed with the Ohio State Utilities commission, are 20 per cent below those formerly prevailing, and the minimum wage will be \$6 day. When it is added that no Sunday trains will be run, except those necessary for carrying babies milk, the hand of Henry Ford will immediately be recognized.

The Detroit, Toledo, and Ironton, whose main line carries traffic between the Ohio River and Detroit, is indeed controlled at present by Mr. Ford, and these are the doings of the infant terrible of American business. Out of the bounds of decency in journalism, a hopeless failure as a diplomat, outmanoeuvred in politics, Mr. Ford is always refreshing when he sticks to business. Probably the Detroit, Toledo, and Ironton is not a representative railroad; probably if it is representative it will be hard hit by Mr. Ford's extraordinary generosity toward his public and his employees yet the incident makes one wonder if American railway history would not have been different if more railway executives in earlier days had seen that it was good business not to damn the public, but to serve it, and not to beat down the employees, but to pay well for willing and intelligent service.

Even if Mr. Ford fails to make the new plan a success the experiment will have been worth while. To have had one railway man, for even a very short time, who was not holding out a hatful of red, white and blue pencils and protesting himself the most miserable of God's creatures, will be something pleasant to remember.—New York Globe.

ing to nearly or quite \$300,000,000, growing out of the use of patents. The claimants have been injured, as they state, by the government during the war issuing orders to make use of certain patents without regard to the question of infringement, the claims for damages to be afterwards adjusted."

Senator King called the Senate's attention to the fact that there was also claims against the Shipping Board amounting to more than \$300,000,000, all or part of which may have to be paid.

In addition to these possible additions to the appropriations for the fiscal year 1922, a year never goes by without calls upon Congress for deficiency appropriations, and it is not likely that this year will be an exception.

The Norris bill, providing a method of selling farm products in foreign markets, and calling for an appropriation of \$100,000,000, is under discussion and may pass, which would add that much to the appropriations.

The main point is that while war expenditures have fallen off and army and navy appropriations have been cut, the civil appropriations have been increased and there are in sight enough extraordinary appropriations to more than make up what Senator Warren has reported to the Senate as a saving from last year's expenditures. And there is every reason to believe that the appropriations for the year will far exceed those for last year.

While the appropriations so far made are listed at \$3,909,782,209.46, estimates of persons experienced in the work of Congress are that the total for the current year will reach between five and six billion dollars before the end of the year. So there does not seem to be much prospect for a letup in the swelling of expenditures, in spite of the administration's effort to hold them down and to make a record for economy.

NEW LEAD WORKED IN EFFORT TO APPREHEND ROY WARD'S ASSAILANT

Roy Ward, who sustained a fractured jaw, and other wounds when attacked Friday night by an unidentified man, was examined with an X-ray this morning. The examination failed to reveal a fractured skull. Ward is suffering intensely from the jaw wound.

Yesterday Chief of Police Reynolds closely questioned T. Hicks and Nellie Blevins, both of whom were in a party with Ward the night of the attack, but neither could throw any light on the happening. However, the investigation gave the police a new lead on the affair.

Nellie Blevins was in company with Ward when attacked. Hicks and a second girl were a short distance behind them.

Nearly 90 per cent of our prosperous women have flat feet.

HOTEL CHEF WHO COOKS IN FOUR LANGUAGES REGULAR ALGER HERO

FORT WORTH, July 25.—Twenty years ago Alex Egger, then a cook in Bohemia, received the equivalent of 25 cents a week for his services. Next month, Egger will become chef of a hotel in Fort Worth, with pay, including wages and upkeep, approximating \$7,000 a year.

The chef, who comes to Fort Worth from Joplin, Mo., where he was a hotel chef for eleven years, cooks in French, German, Russian and English styles, having been a chef in those countries before coming to America fourteen years ago.

"The foreign cook coming to this country, finds it hard to succeed because he is not a business manager," Egger said. "Business is mixed with cooking in this country as in no other."

"American hotel owners demand that quality food be produced, but they look at their ledgers to learn how much it is costing and if it is too much—la! la!—a new chef comes on the job. Quality must not be obtained at the expense of economy and economy is not permitted to oust quality.

"European chefs are accustomed to produce quality without regard to economy and in striking the high plane of quality at reasonable cost the Americans excel. That's the sole reason foreign cooks do not chase the American chefs out of their own kitchens."

The chef was a boy of 16 years when he began to cook. His father took him to a hotel without much

ceremony and said they desired to make a chef of him and his future for three years was thus decided. His father purchased his clothing and the hotel gave him 25 cents a week as spending money. Before the three years' apprenticeship was served, Egger had learned to spend the 25 cents for cigars he smoked on Sundays.

Egger had no idea how many dishes he could prepare.

"Hundreds," was his answer when questioned. "But I have no record—I threw the cook book away years ago and when I begin to cook I know just what to put in to get the result I want."

During the late war Egger turned out "slum" for a cavalry organization.

LONDON, July 25.—Arthur Pilkington, millionaire glass manufacturer, whose will is going through probate, has left to his widow all his airplanes and aircraft. This is the first time on record aircraft have been bequeathed in a will.

Fine Suit Cases, Handbags and Trunks. Values for less.

H. FAIR JEWELER AND BROKER

So. Rusk St.—Across from Majestic

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between W. P. Delaney and Clarence Britton of Fort Worth, County of Tarrant, State of Texas, under the firm name of Delaney & Britton, was dissolved by mutual consent the 17th day of June, A. D., 1921.—Adv.

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MR. AND MRS. KODAKER— If you cannot call, mail your films to us for first class work and 24-hour service. Eastman Kodaks and films always in stock. RANGER STUDIO 215 SOUTH RUSK ST. RANGER, TEXAS

One Born Every Fourth Minute A lady who had a family of three children didn't want any more because she had heard that every fourth child born in the world was a Chinaman. As ludicrous, perhaps, as an old misconception some skeptical folks used to have about advertising. There was a time, when some advertisements had to be taken with a grain of salt. A few misguided advertisers thought they could sell their goods better by misrepresenting them. Those advertisers have long since gone out of business or mended their ways. Hard experience taught that untruthful advertising didn't pay. Other advertisers proved that the only way to advertise successfully, make regular customers, and build up good will was to tell the absolute truth about their goods in their advertisements. You can depend on the merchant or manufacturer who advertises. The concern that tells you frankly what it is doing is a good concern with which to do business. The store that advertises is a progressive store that has something really worth while to say to you. And companies that advertise their products or their service have confidence in them. You can safely share their confidence. Inferior merchandise cannot masquerade in the quality clothes of advertising. Read the Advertisements

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1-LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Female Airedale, underbit in left ear, skin torn on left thigh, black collar braded on neck; \$2.50 reward for information leading to recovery.

7-SPECIAL NOTICES

OILFIELD PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING at reduced prices. Geo. Mulligan, manager. Hunt st. Phone 256.

HEMSTITCHING and piecing work at 10c per yard; mail orders given prompt attention. Singer Sewing Machine Co., Ranger, Texas, 110 N. Austin.

FORD CARS FOR RENT—\$1.25 per hour. R. M. Todd, 230 N. Marston.

WE HAVE T. B. tested Jersey and Holstein cows and can supply fresh sweet milk daily. Midnight Dairy, H. L. King, Route 4.

8-ROOMS FOR RENT

ONE LARGE, cool, nicely furnished bedroom; private family; close in. 414 Hodges st.

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9-HOUSES FOR RENT

TWO NICE BUNGALOW houses for rent; also 4-room furnished house. Call 427 South Hodge st.

ONE 3-ROOM furnished cottage for rent. Gas furnished. One-half block from paved street. Bourdeau Bros. Planning Mill, 429 South Rusk.

COTTAGE FOR RENT—With sleeping porch and garage; \$18.00. Black, Sivalls & Bryson, 904 Blackwell road.

11-APARTMENTS FOR RENT

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

THE GREENWOOD APARTMENTS 3-room modern furnished apartments. Summer rates.

13-FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

SECOND-HAND LUMBER, doors and windows; first-class condition; and very cheap. R. M. Todd, 230 N. Marston.

FOR SALE—No. 1 milk cow with heifer calf; also white leghorn pullets. Leaving Ranger; will sell cheap. Inquire at Cornelius grocery on Eastland Hill.

15-HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good four-room house nicely furnished at a bargain. Come make me an offer. Paige addition, 401 Berthalee St.

ONE 2-ROOM HOUSE for sale. Apply at the Teacherage.

FOR SALE—House and lot in Burk addition; will consider car for part payment. 636 Sumner ave.

FOR SALE—Owner wishes to sell home in Hodges Oak Park. Will take good car as part payment, or will sell on payment plan to suit purchaser. Graveled road to paved street. Sidewalk. Plenty shade trees. City water, cistern water, sewerage, gas, servant's house, children's play ground, and garden. Most desirable residence district in Ranger. 909 West Cypress St.

16-AUTOMOBILES

WHY put new parts in old cars? Ranger 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.

NEW, COMPLETE differential assembly and pinion for Dodge; complete differential assembly and pinion for late model Buick; new and second-hand parts for Dodge and Buick cars; new and second-hand 32x3 1-2 casings. Texas Garage, Walnut st.

FOR SALE—Dodge tool car, cheap for cash; also Dodge, Maxwell and Ford used parts for sale. Guarantee Repair & Parts Co., 625 S. Oak st.

REAL BARGAIN COLE SPEEDSTER, good tires and good running order, for sale extra cheap; Chaney Repair shop, Ranger Garage bldg.

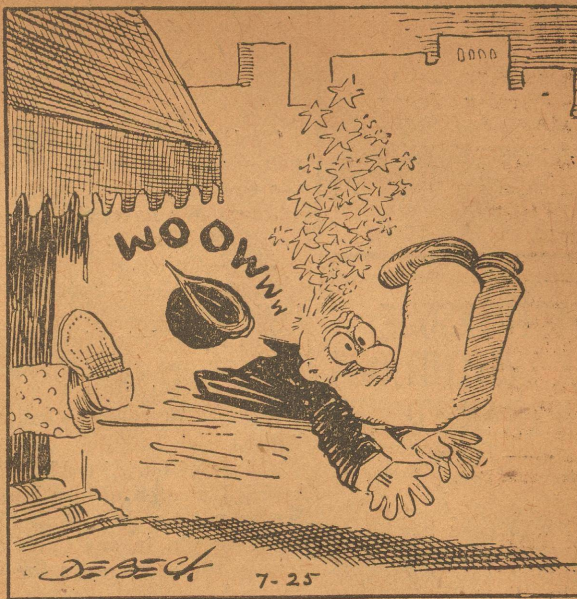
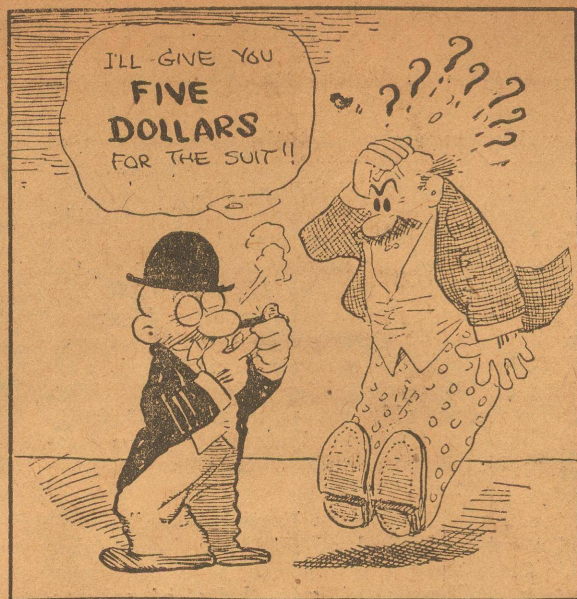
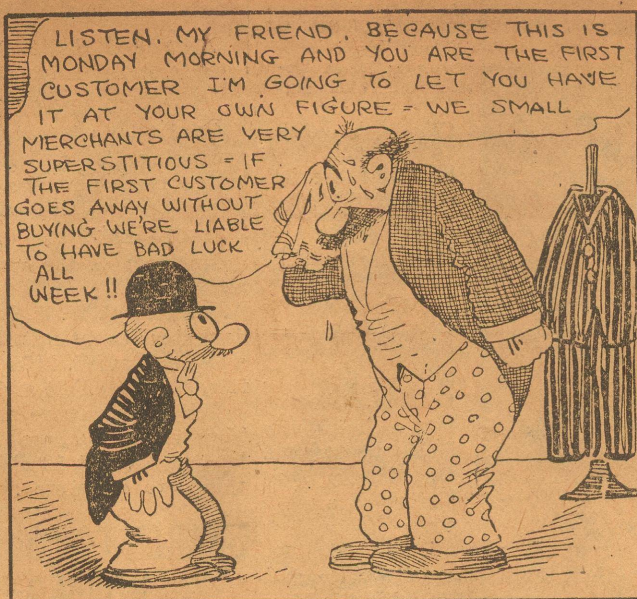
FOR SALE—Seven-passenger Hudson Super-six, \$550.00; Studebaker roadster, \$450.00; Dodge roadster, \$400.00. Texas Garage.

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 may move and sell for less; New and Second Hand Store, 201 N. Austin st., phone 276.

Barney Couldn't Overlook a Chance Like This



—By Billy De Beck

SPORTS

BUSINESS MEN LOSE WHEN THEY GANG GIFT RUNS

Breckenridge Comes From Behind and Takes Game at Nitro Park, 9 to 7.

Delaying their assault in force until the Business Men's fingers had become slippery with perspiration, Breckenridge baseballers came from far behind yesterday and won, 9 to 7. For six innings they trailed or expended their best efforts in tying the score, and when they came to bat in the seventh, they were four runs behind. In that round they tied it up, and in the eighth they went three to the good—enough to not be worried by a last ditch rally which netted the Business Men one run.

Until the seventh, with Keck piling up a strikeout record and his cohorts taking advantage of loose fielding, the Business Men had looked like sure winners. Then came Ranger's fall from grace, half of it with one man down and the other half with two, and the score was tied. The three runs in the eighth came with two down and were out and out gifts.

Table with columns: Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Lists stats for Breckenridge players like Cahill, Hunter, Fagg, Minnehan, Barbee, Starr, Thompson, Witt, Young.

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Totals: 38 9 11 27 14 6

Score by innings: Breckenridge .011 000 430-9 Ranger .110 121 001-7 Summary—Two-base hits, Bloodworth, Cowsert, Barbee, Starr, Poole; home runs, Poole, Cahill, Starr; sacrifice fly, Lemma; stolen bases, Barbee, Starr; struck out, by Keck 13, by Young 3; bases on balls, off Young 3; hit by pitcher, by Young 3; wild pitch, Keck; passed ball, Thompson. Umpires, Cole and Sudderth.

CISCO VOTES INCREASE IN SCHOOL TAX RATE

CISCO, July 25—The school tax election Saturday was almost a landslide, the total vote showing 318 for adopting the \$1 maximum and 131 against raising the tax. The total vote was 455.

CLEVELAND, July 25—Eva Catherine Kaber has been taken to the Women's Reformatory at Marysville, Ohio, to begin serving a life sentence for the murder of her husband, Daniel F. Kaber, Lakewood publisher, two years ago, for which crime she was found guilty last Saturday.

21-LEGAL NOTICE

FOR SALE—At city pound, Thursday, July 28, one black horse mule, branded horse shoe on jaw and cross on left shoulder. One blue pony, hack and harness. L. E. Davenport, pound master.

HOW THEY STAND

WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Lists stats for West Texas League teams like Sweetwater, Abilene, San Angelo, Ballinger.

Sunday's Results.

(No games scheduled.) Monday's Schedule. Sweetwater at Abilene. San Angelo at Ballinger.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Lists stats for Texas League teams like Dallas, Galveston, Fort Worth, Houston, Wichita Falls, Beaumont, San Antonio, Shreveport.

Sunday's Results.

Fort Worth 4, Houston 3. Wichita Falls 4, Galveston 3. Beaumont 12-1, Shreveport 10-2. Dallas 3-8, San Antonio 2-0.

Monday's Schedule.

Houston at Fort Worth (2 games). Galveston at Wichita Falls. Beaumont at Shreveport. San Antonio at Dallas.

TEXAS-OKLAHOMA LEAGUE

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Lists stats for Texas-Oklahoma League teams like Paris, Ardmore, Mineral Wells, Sherman, Bonham, Cleburne.

Sunday's Results.

Ardmore 10, Cleburne 2. Mineral Wells 11-4, Sherman 2-0. Paris 7-1, Bonham, 0-0.

Monday's Schedule.

Sherman at Mineral Wells. Bonham at Paris. Ardmore at Cleburne.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Teams, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Lists stats for American League teams like Cleveland, New York, Washington, Detroit, St. Louis, Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia.

Sunday's Results.

New York 7, Cleveland 3. Washington 14, Detroit 6. Boston 10, St. Louis 2. Philadelphia 10, Chicago 6.

Monday's Schedule.

Open date. NATIONAL LEAGUE. Teams— Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Pittsburgh .90 59 31 .656 New York .88 55 33 .625 Boston .87 51 36 .586 Brooklyn .92 46 46 .500 St. Louis .88 42 46 .477 Chicago .88 40 48 .455 Cincinnati .88 36 52 .409 Philadelphia .87 25 62 .287

Sunday's Results.

Boston 6, Brooklyn 5. New York 4, Philadelphia 3. Cincinnati 7, Chicago 1. Pittsburgh-St. Louis, not scheduled.

Monday's Schedule.

Boston at Brooklyn. Chicago at Cincinnati. Philadelphia at New York.

A YEAR AGO TODAY

Ruth got his thirty-fifth home run off Hoyt, Boston. In the same game Boston pulled off a triple play, McNally to McInnis. Detroit made twenty-two hits and twenty-one runs against St. Louis.

League Batting Leaders

These figures, which include the games yesterday, are compiled in the office of the Times and while not official they are believed to be reliable in every respect. Only players who have appeared in at least fifty games are included.

Table with columns: League, Player, G, AB, R, H, Pct. Lists batting leaders for Texas, American, and National Leagues.

NEW LEAGUE FORMED IN WEST TEXAS; SEASON STARTS AUGUST FIRST

STAMFORD, July 25.—The Central West Texas Baseball league was organized here Friday, and the season, though late, will start Aug. 1, according to managers of the four teams which will become members. The league will be composed of Stamford, Anson, Haskell and Hamlin. The schedule of games will be arranged in a few days.

All four of the teams are strong independents, some of them having professional players drawing salaries considerably in excess of the limit allowed in the West Texas league. The Stamford team has already played about seventy games this season, winning about sixty. The Anson team is also a strong one. Haskell and Hamlin have been playing ball only about fifteen days, but have strong nines.

Manager Webber of the Hamlin team, came to Stamford Thursday to enter his club in the league. He made the trip in airplane. All members own large baseball diamonds, parks and grandstands.

NICK AND JODY WIN GAME FOR NITROPEPS

CLEBURNE, July 25.—Ardmore defeated Cleburne here yesterday by a score of 10 to 2, evening the series. Nick Carter pitching his first game for the Peps had the locals guessing throughout the contest with the exception of the sixth inning when Cleburne ran in their two runs.

Aside from Carter's pitching, the batting and base running of Jody Tate and Webb and Beard featured the contest. Tate hit safely twice out of three times at bat, scored three runs, stole one base and figured in a double play.

SEVERAL INJURED IN AUTO SMASH AT CISCO

CISCO, July 25.—What came very near being a serious accident happened at the corner of Main street and eighteenth street Saturday night when an auto driven by J. W. Penn and one driven by Fielding Lee collided. Mr. Lee suffered two broken ribs; Mrs. Lee, who accompanied him, some serious bruises, and his two children were painfully hurt. One of the children was thrown twenty feet out of the car. Mr. Penn and Miss Mae Kimbrough who were in the other car both suffered scratches and bruises, but neither was hurt seriously.

RHEUMATISM SHOULD BE TREATED THRU THE BLOOD

Medical authorities now agree that rheumatism, with its aches and pains, is caused by germs that pour poison into your blood stream. Rubbing will not give permanent relief. Thousands of rheumatic sufferers have stopped their agony with S. S. S.

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COLLEGE GIRLS HOBO ACROSS THE CONTINENT

NEW YORK, July 25.—The last domain of man has been invaded by woman. The widening sphere of woman's activities has encompassed pounding the pavements, serving them across the mahogany bar, chauffeuring a street-sweeping broom and myriad other functions in days of yore accredited to male endeavors. Hitherto women have omitted only one profession, that of mounting the chassis of a freight car and sliding with it over stretches of geography.

And now that last fort of man has fallen to woman's attack. Miss Rebecca Brownstein, twenty-three, of Brooklyn, and Miss Miriam Levine, also twenty-three, of the Bronx, returned yesterday from a trip across the country, in which most of the miles found them draped across freight car rods.

College Too Dry. A while ago they waved adieu to Syracuse University, proclaiming it too old-fashioned for girls with nerve. They rode to California on a train, paying their way. They eked out their three meals and lodging as factory girls, salesgirls, chambermaids and waitresses, working in these capacities as they went from city to city seeing the sights. Often they hiked from one town to another. Sometimes they managed to get an automobile "lift."

Several weeks ago they started for New York. They walked 160 miles of desert through Nevada, quaffing mud puddles to quench thirst. Until Chicago automobile rides were as infrequent as dusts of cloud on the ocean.

Travel by Freight. Occasionally they had to hop aboard the "bumpers" of freight trains and travel that manner, though that mode of transport lacked finesse and involved blisters. From Chicago they managed to get automobile rides most of the way. They are now planning to go to Europe, provided they can find a steamship equipped with "bumpers."

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM tobacco makes 50 good cigarettes for 10c. Includes image of a bull.

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MUSICIANS GIVE SECOND CONCERT AT ELKS CLUB

Although the concert was not announced in advance, a good-sized audience enjoyed the renditions by an orchestra of local musicians, given last night at the Elks' club. Chairs had been placed on the lawn and cars almost filled the street.

Two cornet solos, Schubert's "Serenade," and "The Rosary," by Max Ludine, featured the recital, which was largely made up of classical music.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Mike and Tom Gibbons, brother boxers of St. Paul, began training each other here today for coming bouts. Mike will meet Augie Ratner Aug. 1 and Tom will fight Georges Carpentier in October. Each will be in the other's corner.

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PROGRAM

MANHATTAN—"The Servant in the House," and comedy, "A Monkey Hero."
 TEMPLE—Wesley Barry in "Dinty," and comedy.
 LIBERTY—Hobart Bosworth in "Below the Surface," also "The Invisible Ray," and Mutt and Jeff comedy.

MANY OF PICTURESQUE NEW YORK INSTITUTIONS HAVE BEEN TRANSFORMED

NEW YORK, July 25.—The ubiquitous soul who does his bit toward the settlement of world problems by writing letters to newspapers has been regaling New York editors with observations on changes that recent years have wrought with Broadway and life along that thoroughfare.

Regards, he says, how the movie shows have shoved articulate actors into the side streets. See what has become of the famous old restaurants. They have gone, and uninteresting shoe shops and drug stores have taken their places. The table d'hote resorts where dinner and laughter and liquor kept patrons happily enraptured around the tables until bedtime are now closing at 10 o'clock, and even earlier. The good old crowds have vanished, he writes. Diners seem to regard eating as a duty. And it used to be an experience, not without an occasional thrill.

One hotel has done away with its jolly hunting room where the boys used to get together, and the space has been rented to bourgeoisie merchants. And those virile chop houses where banquets robed themselves in huge white aprons and fraternized over juicy beef steaks are now admitting women to their tables. The midnight shows have closed, and the electric signs lure one only to a white goods sale, cosmetics, a movie show or chewing gum.

And the clubs—oh, how they have changed. The cafe is deserted, the wags have forgotten how to jest and make merry. The stewards say they have as many diners as before, but only because men want company at dinner. Even the new night time traffic regulations in the theatre district have kept the crowds away.

Meanwhile the men who conduct business in this great hotel, shopping and theatrical district have banded together "to help bring about a fair and proper municipal regulation of the district which will not be detrimental to business interests, the life and happiness of the New Yorker and the visitor, and to perpetuate the name and fame of the world's greatest money-spending center." Their organization was incorporated as the Heart of New York Business Men's association, and includes those whose interests are embraced in the district between Thirty-fourth and Fifty-ninth streets and from Madison to Fifth avenues.

CAMPAIGN IS PLANNED TO MAKE CITIZENS OF MILLION NEW YORKERS

NEW YORK, July 25.—Representative Isaac Siegel of this city, a member of the house immigration committee, estimates that in greater New York there are 1,032,000 adults not citizens of the United States. This, he says, is a dangerously large proportion of aliens in a city whose total population is approximately 5,600,000.

To offset this condition it is planned to conduct an intensive drive this fall to gather these aliens into the United States fold and civic, state and national bodies will assist in speeding up naturalization.

Early in October, President Harding will be invited to address a gathering of 15,000 new citizens in this city. A systematic campaign is under way in Brooklyn to enroll new citizens. Judge Cropsey will sit practically all summer in the naturalization court and under present arrangements will turn out a daily average of 500 new citizens.

All told, it is estimated that in greater New York there will have been added by the end of October enough new voters to increase the nation's electorate by at least 80,000.

Miss Sarah Sheridan, who has been made vice president and general manager of the Detroit Edison company, will have supervision over the spending of more than a million dollars a year, besides directing the activities of 500 men. She started her business career when 17 years of age.

CAPTAIN KIDD EXECUTED FOR MURDERING GUNNER, NOT FOR HIS MANY ACTS OF PIRACY

Clerk of the Court—Gentlemen, have you reached a verdict in the case of the Crown vs. Capt. William Kidd?
 Jury—We have, sir.
 Clerk—What is your verdict?
 Jury—Guilty.
 Captain Kidd—Gentlemen, it is not justly done.

Clerk—Look to him, keeper. (From the trial of Capt. William Kidd and his crew for murder and piracy. Fifth volume of English state trials.)
 Visions of buried gold. Fierce, black-bearded pirates of the high seas. A leader with a dagger in his teeth, a baying pin in one hand and a cutless in the other, says the Ohio State Journal.

A three-masted frigate beaten down with the wind, overhauling a little ketch, the crew of which put up a futile struggle. And then a mock trial for the captured crew.
 Blindfolded, men are made to walk the plank, to step off into the bottomless sea, to go down, down, down to "Davy Jones' locker."

These are the pictures brought up in the minds of many persons when the name of Captain Kidd is mentioned. The name of this bold pirate is a byword with American children (and adults) when piracy is mentioned.

Treasure Hunts.
 From time to time rumors of searching parties being organized for the purpose of digging up tons and tons of earth at points all the way from Long Island to the Barbadoes, seeking hidden chests of gold, which Captain Kidd was supposed to have buried, find space in the newspapers.

Once, too, there came a report that "con" men were organizing a gigantic party to seek the captain's gold. Circulars with enticing language were sent out to many hundreds of people. The public generally were invited to invest in shares of the "Treasure Development company." The circulars stated the company was in possession of maps and documents which pointed out the exact location of Kidd's treasure.

And the odd part about it was that the company did find treasure.

Shareholders Provided.
 But the shareholders never got any of it. They furnished it—for the promoters.

Robert Louis Stevenson's "Treasure Island" and thousands of other sea tales of lesser merit, all have influenced the imagination of the average

OKLAHOMA MAN FEELS GOOD TO HIS FINGER TIPS

"I want to say a good word for Tanlac, too, for it certainly has been a good friend to me," said Wm. B. Chilton, Box 4, R. F. D., 4, Muskogee, Okla.

"There's something about Tanlac different from anything I ever tried, for it does what they fail to do. For two years I didn't know what it was to eat a meal without being bothered afterwards by gas on my stomach. Sometimes this gas would rise and press against my heart and made it beat like a trip-hammer, and then sometimes it would rise to my throat until I would gasp for breath. I got so nervous that I was restless day and night and just didn't know what it was to get a good sound, night's sleep. I was miserable all the time, especially in the morning.

"Tanlac benefited me in every way. In fact, I am feeling like a new man now. I eat three big meals a day and never feel the slightest distress afterwards. As soon as Tanlac put my stomach in good condition my nerves got quiet and I began to sleep all night long just like a boy. I have gained several pounds in weight and feel good clean to my finger tips. I am willing to go on record any time and anywhere in favor of Tanlac. It beats any medicine I ever saw or heard anything about."

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DEATH REVEALS DUAL LIFE OF THIRTY YEARS

For almost thirty years Arthur A. Irwin, noted baseball player, manager and scout, had two families—one in New York City and the other in Boston. He successfully kept from each any hint of the existence of the other household. This amazing situation was revealed after an investigation into his drowning recently.



Instead of gold, the items taken from ships include bales of pepper, barrels of salt, bolts of calicoes, of muslins, spices and even just plain kegs of water.
 The chief grievance the English government had against Kidd, according to the trial testimony, was that he was no respecter of the nationality of ships. The prosecution in his trial pointed out in a horrified manner that he plundered "even English ships."

Records do show that Kidd was a real "double-crosser." He was sent out by the British government in 1696 with a fine ship, the "Adventure Galley," and a commission to clean up all pirates on the seas. Instead of cleaning up the pirates, Kidd evidently decided it wasn't a bad game to be in, so he proceeded to New York, discharging his original crew, enlisted as fine a bunch of "blacklegs" as man ever set eyes on, and set out to be a "world-beater" in the piratical line.

Attacked Fifteen Vessels.
 Kidd divided all spoils into 100 shares, took forty for himself and apportioned the remaining shares among his crew according to individual rank. He wasn't afraid of an enemy which had the advantage of numbers, having been known at one time to attack a fleet of fifteen ships.

But his downfall was ignominious. The captain walked the deck one day and entered into a conversation with his gunner, William Moore. It seems the gunner was dissatisfied with the action of Kidd, who had refused to plunder a certain ship a few days before.

In the argument which resulted, Kidd lost his temper and called the gunner a "lousy dog."

And the gunner, who no doubt had a suspicion that Kidd's charge was true, but hated to have it rubbed in, reiterated with the declaration, "If I am a lousy dog, you made me so."

Whereupon the doughty captain picked up a bucket banded with iron hoops and stove in the skull of one favorite gunner. And it was the murder of this man, not piratical activities, that "got Captain Kidd's goat."

No report that the captain used the popular outdoor method of getting rid of obnoxious persons, namely "walking the plank," is given in the trial proceedings. His most cruel diversion, testimony showed, was to tie a man up by his heels, and stroke him gently with the sharp edge of a cutlass.

When Kidd was captured all England heaved a sigh of relief. And it's a good bet Lloyd's marine insurance rates took a sudden drop with his death. His operations covered a period of five years, from 1696 to 1701.

He was hanged about October, 1701.

SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

MOONLIGHT PICNIC.
 Good things to eat, moonlight, and swimming is a combination that brings much pleasure, according to a picnic party which enjoyed them all Sunday night.

Members of the party were: Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Moffett, L. C. Rhodes, A. H. Kinard, W. H. Burden and little daughter Jean, Coott Hill, J. H. Kellar and son Russell, Miss Elizabeth Moffett, Jerry Moffett and Charles Wells. The party drove in cars to the Thurber lake where they enjoyed a long swim. At 10 o'clock many good things to eat were spread.

SEARCH FOR MEN WHO ROBBED CRATT VAIN

Robbers who entered the room of Erve Cratt Friday night and robbed him of \$43 and a quantity of Ranger scrip, while his room-mate slept undisturbed, have not yet been apprehended and the police department have no clue upon which to work.
 Chief of Police Reynolds declared the department was doing all it could to locate the men.

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SIX-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS STRUCK BY AUTO

Susie Finster, six years old, was the victim of an automobile accident yesterday morning near the Bon Ton Bakery, on the Strawn road. The car

was being driven by J. H. Lonsdale. The accident, it is said, was unavoidable.
 The little girl is in the Ranger General hospital. According to Dr. W. C. Palmer, who was called in, she has cuts and bruises on the head but is not seriously injured.

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