

## MOODY FLAYS FERGUSONISM AT DALLAS

### ANDREWS PLANS TO CLEAN NATION OF BOOTLEGGING IN YEAR

### A AMERICAN AMBASSADOR LEAVES MEXICO

#### ARCHBISHOP TO BE LEFT ALONE NOT ARRESTED

Oil Situation Is The Cause Of Call Of Sheffield Home

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 14.—Archbishop Mora y Del Rio, venerable head of the Catholic church in Mexico, will not be arrested as a result of a declaration made in a newspaper article by him appearing in the United States.

Attorney General Ortega visited President Calles yesterday and conferred with the president regarding the article which had been considered by some to contain alleged seditious utterances.

It was decided, however, that the article did not warrant the arrest of the churchman.

Sheffield Visits Calles  
Ambassador Sheffield visited President Calles yesterday to say farewell before leaving for Washington. While the visit presumably is for the purpose of conferring with Secretary of State Kellogg on affairs in general in the republic, it is general belief here that the call home is but an excuse to withdraw Ambassador Sheffield from Mexico City and that he will not return to his post until the department has (Continued on Page 2)

#### HELEN WILLS NOT TO PLAY TOURNAMENT

FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Miss Helen Wills, national tennis champion, will not defend her title in the national championship tournament starting Monday at the West Side Tennis club.

"I have been asked by my father and mother and Dr. Robert Kennedy not to imperil my health although I feel that I am in condition to play. I am going to take their advice," Miss Wills tonight told the United Press.

"I have examined Miss Wills and found her of low power physically," Dr. Kennedy said, "and she is in no condition to play through a tennis tournament and won't be for at least three months."

#### Barnes Names Grady Owen As An Assistant

Grady Owen, of Eastland, has been appointed assistant county attorney by County Attorney W. J. Barnes, to take the place that has been held by Gilvie Hubbard for the past three years. He entered upon the duties of the office Saturday morning. Mr. Hubbard, it is stated resigned to accept a position with the legal department of the Humble Oil & Refining company.

Grady Owen was reared on a farm near Carbon in Eastland county. Attended college and later taught school, a number of years of his teaching experience being in the public schools of Eastland.

#### Archbishop's Last Service in Mexico Tumult



Archbishop Jose Moray del Rio (in dark robes) conducted the last service in Mexico City Cathedral prior to government control of the Mexico churches as this striking picture of him was made. As head of the Catholics in the republic he directs opposition to the government policy.

#### LEAGUE FACES REAL CRISIS OF ITS EXISTENCE

GENEVA, Aug. 14.—Twenty-four nations today have accepted the invitation to meet Sept. 1 to discuss the propriety of America's reservation in agreeing to join the world court.

France was the twenty-fourth nation to accept today.

By HENRY WOOD, United Press Correspondent.  
GENEVA, Aug. 14.—With the meeting of the seventh annual assembly of the League of Nations on Sept. 6, the league will begin the most important and the most critical period of its existence.

In addition to an unusually full agenda of international questions and problems, embracing everything from disarmament to white slave traffic, the league will have the two most vital internal problems to settle that it has yet faced. These are the admission of Germany, and the reorganization of the council, which carries with it Brazil's resignation from the league and Spain's threat to do likewise.

Overcome Crisis.  
It is only when the September assembly will have been able to overcome successfully this internal crisis that it will be able to take up the agenda of outside, international questions.

#### Black Cat Found In Woman's Auto Fails As a Jinx

Friday the Thirteenth up to ten o'clock had resulted in nothing more serious to a business woman of Ranger, than her discovery late in the afternoon that she had worn a hose that weren't mates all day—one having a shadow clock on its shimmering side, and the other lockless and she was thinking that the jinx was off as far as she was concerned—but when she went out to get into her car, after a visit to some friends in Eastland she found a black cat asleep on the cushions.

#### FAST TRAIN ROBBED BY 2 BANDITS

RAWLINS, Wyoming, Aug. 14.—The fast mail train, No. 5, of the Union Pacific was robbed early today, by two bandits, who boarded the train here and effected the robbery between here and Wamsutter station. All mail packages containing registered mail were ransacked, but amount of money and valuables secured by the bandits is not yet known.

The two bandits concealed themselves in the mail car at Rawlins. When the train was out a short distance, they came out of concealment and covered the two clerks with their guns.

#### BUSH TENDERED BETTER SALARY AND WILL STAY

R. H. Bush, who has been county agent in Eastland county for the past several years, has been tendered a position with the Extension department of the State A. & M. College, which offers a greater field of work and an increase in salary over that which he is being paid by the Eastland county commissioners' court and the various chambers of commerce in the county.

When it became known, however, that Mr. Bush was considering the offer made him by the Extension department, and that Eastland county stood to lose his valuable services, a meeting of representative citizens of the county was held and it was decided that an effort should be made to keep Mr. Bush in Eastland county.

Following the meeting, in which the following resolutions were passed, Mr. Bush tentatively agreed to accept the offer made by Eastland county and remain on the job that he has been on for the past several years.

Whereas, Mr. R. H. Bush, county agent of Eastland county, by strict attention to duty, and through efficiency and skill, has been of valuable assistance in building up of the agricultural interests of this county.

Be it resolved that this meeting of citizens go on record as commending his work in highest terms with the request that he decide to remain as county agent.

#### RESIGNATION TALK TABOOED BY DRY CZAR

Highly Elated Over The Outlook Since He Visited Great Britain

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Elated over his success in creating a new anti-smuggling agreement with Great Britain, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Lincoln Andrews, made it plain today that he intends to remain in office as Federal dry leader, for at least a few more months.

He refused to discuss the subject further but stated he would hold his post until after the election or until after congress meets.

Congress expects to decide about his resignation date after Secretary Mellon returns from Europe, about September 15.

The dry czar is in an entirely different frame of mind than before he was prior to his trip to Europe. At that time he was frankly discouraged and near resigning. Today he talked freely of his plans and about what he intends to do and predicted that bootlegging situation would be entirely in control of the government within a year.

He was questioned about a number of other matters including the appointment of a successor to Col. Green, who was suspended following the denouncement on the Pacific coast. However, he freely discussed his nationwide drive planned to clean up bootlegging and rum running.

#### WATSON WELL WEBB PLACE, IS WATCHED

Very little oil news was breaking Saturday in or around Ranger. It was reported that the Watson No. 1 on the Webb place near Oakley, is drilling around 2800 feet, and that a slight showing of gas was encountered at 2246 feet. They do not, however, expect to reach the pay before 3300 feet. This test is being watched with much interest.

The Harris No. 12 of the Magnolia, at Olden, has a good showing of gas, and may be given a shot of nitro. Around it in several directions are derricks, telling their own story of success or failure, with the Canway Brothers Butler getting ready to spud in. The Harris well is rather unique in its situation, lying as it does at the foot of Magnolia avenue, which is lined with the pretty cottages and lawns of the Magnolia employees.

The Cisco wild cat near the city has been the subject of much discussion during the past days and will doubtless result in a drilling campaign in the vicinity of this particular wildcat.

#### WHIRLWIND CAMPAIGN PLANNED

AUSTIN, Aug. 14.—A whirlwind campaign in the runoff primary of the democratic gubernatorial nomination is to be made by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson and James E. Ferguson, Guy Holcomb, campaign manager for Ferguson announced Saturday. He did not hint, and has not as yet dropped any hint as to when and where the opening speech will be delivered.

#### Osborne Wood



Osborne C. Wood, son of the governor general of the Philippines, who "cleaned up" \$800,000 in Wall street a few years ago, spent it all and returned from a trip abroad dead broke, is working now, for \$125 a month, in a refrigerator plant at Evansville, Ind. He says he is proud of the fact that he is working, because it enables him to tell his critics to "go to hell." The picture was snapped on his way to work.

#### BRYAN'S DEATH MAKES CHANGE IN DEMOCRACY

By CHARLES P. STEWART, NEA Service Writer.  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Will the fact that no William Jennings Bryan will be present make a difference at the next democratic convention?

Many politicians in Washington think it will make a great deal.

That his wing of the party will have any such leadership as his is deemed altogether unlikely. Lacking it, the natural conclusion is that it won't be so formidable.

Bryan, even when he couldn't have his way, could prevent others from having theirs. Without him, can his erstwhile followers keep it up?

That's the argument, questions and all.

The consensus of opinion seems to be that Bryan's death means a stronger Al Smith.

Just back from a western tour for the democratic national and congressional committees, Raymond R. Angell—a pretty good political investigator—doesn't appear to think much of Senator Caraway's prediction that the democrats' next presidential nominee will be a dark horse.

#### 5,000 PRESENT AT OPENING OF NEW CAMPAIGN

Mayors Of Three Big Cities Present; Lynch Throws Him Support

DALLAS, Aug. 14.—Declaring that the gathering present was representative of the disgust and resentment which Texas had for the Fergusonism, and that the basis of the runoff primary was the same as the first primary, "Fergusonism," Dan Moody opened his campaign here this afternoon before a crowd estimated at 5,000, including several hundred political leaders from over the state.

Moody was apparently in good health and showed no strain from his strenuous activities of the first campaign.

Cone and Lynch.  
Cone Johnson, who was to have spoken, sent word from Fort Worth that his wife was ill in the hospital there and he was unable to attend.

Lynch Davidson, who ran third in the first primary, sent word that he could not attend, but asked all who had voted for him to throw their support to Moody.

Mayors of three of Texas' largest cities were in attendance—Holcomb of Houston, John W. Tobin of San Antonio, and Blaylock of Dallas.

Miss Ovita Culp, head of the Moody organization in Houston, promised that the women would be (Continued on Page Two)

#### NUNS WEAR BOBBED WIGS ESCAPING

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 14.—The ingenuity of fifteen nuns donned bobbed wigs and colorful peasant costumes, enabled them to escape persecution in their flight from an orphanage at Santa Telo, Mexico, the refugees claim here today.

They told a story of the persecution of a sister of their order at Guadalupe, by Mexican officials, claiming that children between fourteen and sixteen years of age, under the jurisdiction of these sisters, were placed in immoral resorts.

#### MAN INJURED WHEN STRUCK FALLING IRON

DALLAS, Aug. 14.—R. L. Mayor, 36 years old, was seriously injured when struck by a 15-pound iron bar which fell from the fifth floor of an office building here.

The building was undergoing repairs, but the workmen could give no explanation for the fall of the bar.

He is head of the jewelry department of Shuttles Bros. & Lewis, Inc.

#### Noted Irish Tenor Makes His Debut As Tennis Player

DEL MONTE, Calif., Aug. 14.—John McCormick, famed Irish tenor, made his debut in tournament tennis plays and won his first round match here today.

Paired with him, was Maurice McColloughin, one of the game's greatest players, of a few years ago, who was staging a comeback.

The tenor and the former court wizard were entered in the annual Del Monte double championships.

Noticeable stage frightened in almost half of the game, McCormick admitted after the game, that he had never gone through such an ordeal.

"I have appeared before some rather large audiences but never have I suffered such stage fright, as today," the tenor declared.

#### Another American Woman To Attempt To Swim Channel

DOVER, Eng., Aug. 14.—Clara Belle Barrett of New Rochelle, N. Y., tonight planned to begin an attempt to swim the English channel at 6 o'clock Sunday morning.

Storms which began yesterday were subsiding and the weather conditions were improving.



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**FROM THE BIBLE.**  
 The Lord our God be with us, as he was with our fathers; let Him not leave, nor forsake us.—1st Kings, 8-57.

**PRAYER.**  
 Guide us in the paths of righteousness so that we may serve Thee and our fellow man.

**QUIT TALKING AND DO SOME BUILDING.**

Now is the time for all good citizens to take a hand in developing the resources of the county. Let's quit talking so much politics and raise more hogs, more sheep, more goats and more feed and food stuff. Let's let politics rest for a while and figure on how we can manage to make the most out of the great bumper crops that our farmers will harvest this fall. Let's discuss how best to market the great crop of corn, milo and kaffir that will be gathered. Let's discuss how best to market it, and can and save the surplus vegetables and fruits made, so that cotton can be marketed only as needed, and the best price obtained for it.

There is a shortage of pork and pork products. Soeolum and other grains marketed on the hoof of pigs mean money. Let's discuss ways in which we can export instead of having to import pork and pork products.

Let's quit talking so much politics that breed nothing but hard feelings and talk about diversified farming and the use of intensive methods. Let's discuss the best methods for marketing our products so as to add to the riches of the county.

While discussing the farming questions, let's also consider the school question. Let's discuss the best way in which we can improve the school facilities, lengthen the term, and add to the curriculum by teaching agriculture and other vocational subjects.

We should remember that what was good enough for us, when we went to school is not good enough for our children. We live in a progressive age and must train our children to battle life in an age where competition is keen and brains bring a premium.

The raising of more hogs and supplying the world with more food and feed is of more importance than who is elected constable of the precinct or any other political office.

**ARE YOU READY?**

The advent of the automobile as a means of transportation together with the motor buses that now ply their trade between city and town has made it possible for the big business man and others in the city to enjoy the luxuries of the smaller towns as a place of habitation.

The motor vehicle has made the country preferable for living. It behooves the smaller towns along the national paved highways to bid for the city dweller. Persons living within a radius of 125 miles from the city are practically living in town. Within a few hours after leaving home they can be at their place of business and their families can enjoy the fresh air of the country. The modern home refrigeration and heating plants have made it possible for the ruralite to have all the comforts of the city, and many of them are taking advantage of it.

To attract this class of citizens it is necessary for the smaller towns and rural communities to make many improvements. There must be good schools. The schools must have a curriculum that will compare with any in the city. Junior colleges must be established. Streets must be paved; streets must be well lighted, and parks must be made attractive. Recreation centers must be established. These civic improvements will not only attract the city business man, but also industrial plants.

However, in addition to all these, there must be good houses constructed. Houses that are homes. Not apartment houses, because when a family moves from the metropolitan cities to the rural towns and smaller cities they want to live in a house and

left the city because of not wanting to be a cliff dweller.

It will behoove the towns along the Bankhead highway to make preparations and attract the new class of citizens. It will behoove the towns along the highway to get their house in order and make the civic improvements and attract the numerous industrial plants that are seeking new sites.

**NECESSITY FOR JUNIOR COLLEGES.**

Educational institutions are big assets to a state, county, town, village or neighborhood. The better the educational advantages offered, the better the section is to live in. In rural sections where you find good people, you will find progressive farmers. Farmers who diversify and raise all they can at home and can all the surplus products after realizing as much from them in the open market. In rural communities where you find good schools, you find modern homes, well equipped farms, good barns and a diversity of livestock.

Good common schools are the backbone and sinews of the state, nation, county and town. It was the good school system of Germany that prepared that nation to battle the world for four years.

The rural schools of the state should be as good and as well equipped and manned with as good teachers as any in the city. The rural child needs as much and as intensive training as does the urban boy or girl. So much for the common schools.

There is need for high schools. Since the construction of good roads, paved highways, the high schools of the towns have been placed at the disposal of the rural child who wants to continue preparation for life's battles after completing the grammar grades in the country. The average town in Texas is well supplied with adequate high school facilities.

However, the child should not be handicapped with seeking further knowledge after having finished the high school, especially, the rural child. Every farmer and rural dweller, cannot afford to send his child to college at a distance. The expenses are too heavy, but with a good junior college established in every town, there is no reason why that child should not continue its studies. The first two years of college life are the hardest for the child in every way. The first two years of college life are used to lay the foundation for the work of life, and the last two are used in specializing. Junior colleges established in every town will afford the rural child the opportunity to obtain the first two years in college at a minimum cost. They can live at home and help their parents and practically make their expenses while obtaining an education.

There is a necessity for more junior colleges all over Texas. There is not a town where there is situated an educational institution, especially a junior college that does not attract the highest class of citizenship. There is no need to mention what the towns, where the higher institutions of learning are situated, how they have prospered.

We want to see a junior college established in every large town in the oil belt, because we know that all will prosper, and the institution will help develop all the resources of the section.

**Archbishop To Be Left Alone Not Arrested**

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 been assured that the Mexican government will give consideration to its notes.

In his absence, the interests of the United States will be cared for by a charge d'affaires in the American embassy.

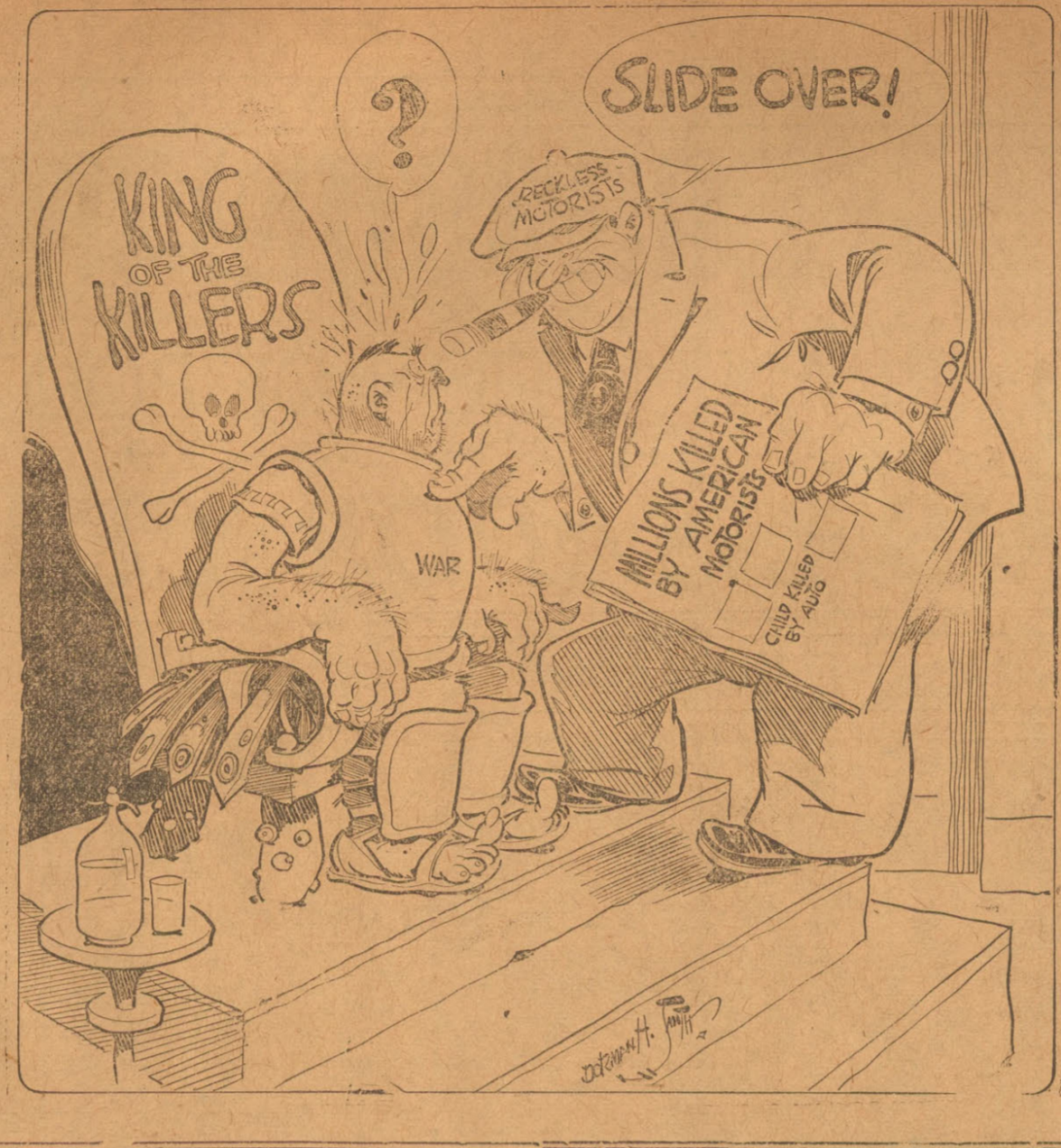
**No Replies**  
 Since announcement by the Mexican Government that it intended to enforce its retroactive oil laws, a large number of notes have been presented by the State Department through Ambassador Sheffield in protest, the administration contending that the Mexican attitude is directly contrary to the understanding reached when the United States formally recognized the present Mexican Government. Few of these notes have been given any consideration, but President Calles has reiterated his intention of enforcing the laws.

The recent religious troubles in Mexico have accentuated the situation, many groups in the United States believing that this Government should register a protest, but it is not believed that the administration would go so far as to take any definite action in such a delicate matter so long as the rights of American citizens were not interfered with.

**No Arrests Made By Police Late Saturday Night**

"Unless things change after midnight tonight, I have broken a record," Chief of Police Davenport said late Saturday night, for the chief admits that only one fine has been collected this month, and such a thing has never happened before in the history of the Ranger police court. It puzzles the chief—he can't decide if it's the weather, or that the bad men have all gone or reformed.

**The Dual Throne**



**5,000 Present At Opening Of New Campaign**

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 gotten to the polls on Aug. 28.

**Hobby is There.**  
 Former Governor Hobby recalled the fact that he had defeated Ferguson in a campaign by 250,000 votes and predicted Moody's victory would be even greater.

J. P. Holloway, a trainman of Cleburne, pledged the support of the trainmen to Moody.

Dan Boyle of San Antonio made a motion that a meeting be called in every courthouse in Texas next Wednesday in behalf of Moody.

**Colquitt Presides.**  
 O. B. Colquitt was master of ceremonies at the huge rally and said due to the large crowd of out of town men that no Dallas speakers would be called on except F. E. Knight.

Speakers were free in their predictions for Moody. Some estimated Moody's majority would run a half million.

Moody replied to Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson's recent statement, at Austin, in which she declined to withdraw from the race in compliance with her election wager.

**Refers to Jim.**  
 Moody's references were directed toward James E. Ferguson, who he claims, holds the governor's chair, through proxy. He described the Ferguson document as "perhaps the weakest which ever fell from his pen" and added, "I never line his statement is his own answer. He has sought to justify his defiance of the will of the people by a character of sophistry which has never before been seen in any document purporting to have been issued in the name of a governor."

**Answers Charges.**  
 Moody answered Ferguson's klan charge by saying:  
 "He attempts to renew the klan question, in hopes that he might reopen the history of 1924, by engendering bitter hatred and prejudice, and further hoist themselves on the people of Texas. He would inveigle me into a discussion of that question by making unsupported charges, which have as their purposes the creation of an impression on the public mind which he knows to be false."

Moody declared Mrs. Ferguson's refusal to withdraw from the race "is not the first revelation of deception by James E. Ferguson. Two years ago he caused the governor to state to the people of Texas, that in event of her nomination and election, the Fergusons would seek no new lease on power, but would be content with a single term."

**Enforced the Law.**  
 Further answering the klan charges the attorney general said:  
 "As county attorney I enforced the law. As district attorney I enforced the law, and as attorney general I have sought diligently to enforce the law. One of the duties of the governor's office is to see that laws are faithfully executed. I believe in and stand for fair and impartial enforcement of the law, through orderly processes and not otherwise. I believe in freedom of religious worship and those guarantees of liberty declared for in the bill of rights, and in our constitution."

Moody declared "Ferguson knows this to be true" and charged the spokesman of the governor had made representations merely to deceive the public mind.

**War Declared.**  
 "Ferguson has declared that war is on. He has laid down the gauntlet of battle and thrown defiance in the face of the people of Texas. We accept his challenge," Moody declared.

"For more than a year and a half, we have had in Texas, a species of irresponsible government, a fundamental principle of free government has been ignored," Moody said.

"In the discharge of my duties as attorney general it became necessary for me to refuse on more than one occasion to permit my official conduct to be dominated by the proxy governor and early in the administration he declared war on me," Moody said.

**League Faces Real Crises Of Its Existence**

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 crisis.

The assembly itself will then convene on Sept. 6 for what will be at least a four weeks session.

Finally at some time during the course of the assembly, an international conference will be held for launching the league's new international convention for the world-wide abolition of all forms of slavery. All of the nations of the world have been asked to send delegates to the assembly with plenipotentiary powers for signing this convention.

**Full Agenda.**  
 The full agenda of the seventh league assembly is as follows:  
 Election of the credentials committee.  
 Election of president (probably Foreign Minister Ninchitch of Serbia).

Examination and adoption of the agenda.  
 Nomination of six general committees and election of chairmen.  
 Election of six vice presidents of the assembly.  
 Report of the council to the assembly on the past year's work.  
 Pacific settlement of international disputes.  
 Arbitration, security and disarmament with report on all treaties thereon to date.  
 Protection of women and children in the Near East.  
 Admission of Germany to the league.  
 Reorganization of the council.  
 Report of the league's economic and financial committee, especially on the reconstruction of Austria and Hungary.  
 Preparation of international economic conference.  
 Report of the league's commission on communication and transit, including fixing a permanent date for Baster and the reform of the calendar.  
 Report of the league's international health commission.  
 Report of the league's commission on white slave traffic, including experts' report on present world-wide status of the traffic.  
 Report of the league's commission on international intellectual co-operation.  
 Adoption of budget for 1927.  
 Election of non-permanent members of council.

**24 Airplanes In Ford Flight In Kansas City**

(By United Press.)  
 KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 14.—The twenty-four planes in the Edsel Ford Reliability tour were safely housed at Richards field here tonight, after completing flight from Wichita, Kansas, this morning. They left Wichita at 10:01 a. m. The first pilot was by Ray Collins left at 7:43 a. m. and arrived at 9:15.

**Moody Forces Are Organizing For Bitter Fight**

(By United Press.)  
 DALLAS, Aug. 14.—More than 300 supporters for Dan Moody for governor, representing every part of Texas and every political complexion, decided that the one and only issue will be a fight against "Fergusonism" in the run-off campaign of the next two weeks, in a meeting held here Saturday morning.

Men who supported Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson in past campaigns, and supporters of Lynch Davidson, the third candidate in the first primary, pledged their support of the attorney general in a campaign declared to be a fight to restore the good name of Texas and forever end the rule of the Fergusons.

Dan Moody attended the meeting and in a closing speech made an appeal to the voters "to retire James E. Ferguson so far in his private life that he will never arise to blight this state again." He announced that 500 voluntary speakers would be available to go to any part of the state to speak during the next two weeks.

O. B. Colquitt, former governor, presided at the organization meeting this morning. He called on a score or more of persons for brief speeches, and he said the meeting represented 170 counties from Lubbock to Texarkana, and from the Rio Grande to the Panhandle.

"It is an uprising of the people in indignation at the bad traits of the Fergusons," Mr. Colquitt said.

**Gorman Operators Plan To Drill On Meirs Tract**

Kirk & Wolf, Gorman oil operators, are assembling material for a well on the Meirs tract near Gorman. This well is in proven territory.

Kirk & Wolf have closed down their well on the Mauney lease awaiting a shipment of casing, which should arrive any day. The well is now down to a depth of 2250 feet.

The Magnolia Petroleum company's Thurman, near Desdemona, has reached a depth of approximately 2,500 feet with drilling still in progress.

A depth of 3,000 feet has been reached by Wolfe, White et al on the Sipe Springs well in which they have a fishing job.

**Coolidge Works On Farm Relief Legislation**

(By United Press.)  
 PAUL SMITH, N. Y., Aug. 14.—President Coolidge is formulating farm relief legislation that is expected to be satisfactory to congress at the coming session, turning from international affairs.

**BETTER BE SURE.**  
 Wise owners of used cars will see that their property goes to the service station for the particular make during the first thousand miles or so of service during the second lease on life, if for no other reason than to be sure that everything is receiving proper attention.

**EASTLAND PERSONALS.**  
 County Attorney W. J. Barnes is spending his vacation with relatives in Bentonville, Ark. He will be absent from the county for several days.

Deputy Sheriff Virgo Foster and family are visiting relatives and friends at Big Spring and other points in West Texas.

Justice of the Peace Sam Day has just returned from a several days vacation spent in South Texas.

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### Robert Takes Lead In Olney Field For a Producer

Special Correspondence. OLNEY, Aug. 14.—Once more the Robert Oil corporation of Breckenridge has provided the outstanding feature of the week in the Olney field. The 150-barrel well at 809 feet of this company establishes the fact that there is a rich pool near Farmer where two weeks ago J. J. Morgan brought in a 60-barrel well. The new producer is a west offset of the discoverer well. Both wells are on the Graham P. Stewart land. Genuine activity is fast unfolding in the Farmer pool since the bringing in of the new well.

It was only three months ago that the Robert Oil corporation opened up the Rogers pool four and one-half miles southwest of Olney in a territory fringed by dry holes. During the past week the Rogers No. 10 of the Robert Oil corporation was completed for 50 barrels and the company hopes to bring its producers on the lease up to an even dozen within a few days as the Nos. 11 and 12 are almost in.

The Pandem Oil corporation's No. 5 Whitehead in the Rogers pool will prove a good producer. Bridwell and Heydrick have completed their No. 9 Reardon for 75 barrels in the 1,100-foot pay.

The Markley pool has been given an extension of three-quarters of a mile by "Doc" Collier's well on the Collier land. The hole is full of oil but the amount of production has not yet been determined. The well is a mile and one-half northeast of Markley.

### Summer Class Of Graduates At A. & M. College, 31

Special Correspondence. COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 14.—A. & M. College of Texas will graduate its largest summer session class on August 23 when degrees will be conferred upon 31 candidates. Two candidates in agricultural education and three in agriculture are candidates for Master of Science degrees and 28 students in the various schools of the college seek Bachelor of Science degrees.

Candidates for M. S. degrees are: E. K. Alexander, College Station; Clyde Vernon Reed, Wortham; Edward Hobbs, College Station; Irvin Marion May, Jacksonville, and James I. Moore, Calvert.

Candidates for B. S. degrees are: Charles E. Bolding, Palo Pinto; Louis H. Hampton, Bryan; J. F. Hembree, Honey Grove; Jacob R. Hildebrand, San Antonio; Maurice R. Jennings, Martindale; Taro Kishi, Terry; Thomas L. Miller, Coleman; Jack Williams, San Antonio; Juddy M. Martin, Bryan; Richard C. Miller, Orange Grove; Donald McKenzie Park, Dallas; William A. Fox, Ferris; George E. Egan, Lubbock; Thomas H. Wallace, Granburg; Carl Pine, Charlotte, N. C.; William H. James, Greenville; Perry A. Deering, New Urm; Frank H. Patterson, Carbon; Raymond W. Arnold, San Antonio; Albion S. King, Lake Charles, La.; Perry A. Stigler, Morgan Mill; Charles S. Ware, Temple; Henry W. Litt, San Antonio; Francis V. Irwin, Corpus Christi; Albert T. Krueger, San Antonio, and Joseph C. Rudd, Beaumont.

### THE FOLKS BACK HOME



OVERALLS—THE VERY NEW AND THE NOT VERY OLD. J. R. WILLIAMS

### 1370 Assurance Fees Already Paid By C. I. A. Students

Special Correspondence. DENON, Texas, Aug. 14.—Advisees from the office of the registrar of the College of Industrial Arts report the effect that 1,370 assurance fees have been paid by 300 students in the state who expect to attend the next regular session. This preliminary enrollment does not include Denton students are those who will occupy rooms in Smith Hall dormitory.

The fall session at C. I. A. is scheduled to begin on September 29. A faculty meeting has been called for Saturday morning, September 18, in the college library. The present summer session will

### Young Week-End Guests Paint House Of Their Hostess

LONDON—The close of the London season has been marked by a sudden tendency of the younger set to indulge in elaborate hoaxes. One of the most startling was exposed when a hostess awoke one morning to discover her young week-end guests had completely painted her house in varied and startling colors. A favorite prank of the volatile younger set when returning from parties is to gather about an acquaintance's house at dawn to sing funeral diriges.

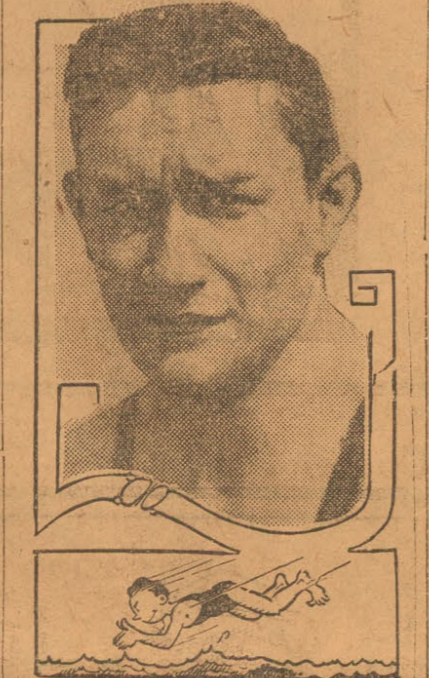
### Heavenly Home Pastor's Subject Chestnut Smith

Entering on the second week of the community services, in the Chestnut & Smith yard, Blackwell road, Ranger, Rev. W. H. Johnson will preach tonight on "Our Heavenly Home."

The largest crowd was present Friday night of any night during the meeting and there were 30 in the junior choir.

All members of the choir are asked to be on the platform early tonight and the congregation is asked to gather early so as to get a good start.

### A Famous Fish



Walter Spence, famous Brooklyn swimmer, has been cutting quite a few unusual capers in the water this summer. One of his most recent feats was the setting of a new world record in the 440-yard breast stroke event in the A. A. U. championships at Philadelphia. He made the distance in 5 minutes 14.5 seconds, defeating no less a competitor than Bob Skelton by three feet.

**IN THE COURTS.**  
Warranty deeds: May White et al. to B. W. Brewer, part of lot 26, block -G3, Hill addition, Eastland; consideration, \$2,250.  
Mrs. Mattie A. Pitcock et vir. to T. R. Kilcrease et ux., part of lots 1 and 2, block 40, Ranger; consideration, \$700.  
O. P. Kuhn et ux. to J. S. Ballew, all of block 17, Lackland addition, Ranger, and all of block 18, except lots 23 and 24, Ranger; consideration, \$425.  
Dick Gray and Maud Gray to Mrs. B. L. Higginbotham, portion of the Juan Salinas survey; consideration, \$1,500.  
Suits filed in district courts: Nora C. Vaughn et al. vs. M. B. Bryant.  
Is it cats that have nine lives or is it flies?

### "DANCING MOTHERS" SHOWS FAST SET

If you're just a little tired of comedy; if "westerns" bore you the least bit; if spectacles no longer make you leave your comfortable seat by the



CONWAY TEARLE AND ALICE JOYCE IN "DANCING MOTHERS" A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

fringes; if you are one of that large army who have one, or many of the above symptoms—then you're going to enjoy the new Herbert Brenon Paramount picture, "Dancing Mothers," which is at the Lamb today.

For the benefit of those who did not see the Selwyn-Goulding stage play, it might be wise to explain that "Dancing Mothers" is described as a "society drama." But it is much more than that description would seem to imply. "Dancing Mothers" is the tale of a pretty woman who was almost cheated out of life by a heartless husband and a thoughtless daughter. As the mother who started out in order to save her child from throwing herself at a notorious bachelor, and ended by falling in love with him herself, Alice Joyce gives the finest performance of her career. And Conway Tearle in his role as the bachelor, rises to new heights. Clara Bow, known as the screen's perfect flapper, does her stuff as the child, and does it well. Taking the picture as a whole, "Dancing Mothers" has been characterized by those who have seen it as "perfect entertainment."

### Roads To Tudor Furnish Jinx To 2 Auto Parties

It does not take Friday the thirteenth to bring out all the bad places in the Tudor road; it just emphasizes them. A subscriber to the Times writes: "Mrs. Simmons had a real Friday the thirteenth when she started for a drive and got on the Tudor road, and the big Marmon car she was driving got in one of the big holes in the road and the car broke down and there she and a car load of her friends sat until George Bryant, who was attempting to pass through, came to her aid, but finally had to come to Ranger and send out a wrecking car from one of the garages to her assistance. Bryant, too, was pretty well worn out and sick at heart, for he broke his car down, on this road, and lost the battery out of it.

Some of the citizens of the Tudor community say they would like to bring their families to Ranger once in a while to shop, but they would have to tie their children in with a rope, to keep from losing them, and when they did get to town they would be so mad they wouldn't enjoy spending a cent and would have to hurry to get home so they could cover the road before dark.

It would be a good thing for Ranger if some of the newly elected commissioners to take a trip over this road and see if they could not better it, so that more people could visit Ranger.

### Gelignite Caps Placed in Stove Failed To Keep

By United Press. SYDNEY—A new British immigrant settler in Western Australia placed a quantity of gelignite caps in a disused stove for safe keeping. His wife lighted a fire in the stove. The settler's wife, his mother, and a neighbor's wife were killed in the explosion.

### Swims Channel In Her Dreams During Training

By United Press. DEAL, Eng.—Mrs. Clemington Carson of New York is swimming the Channel each night in her dreams. She is waiting for a chance to try the perilous long-distance swim from England to France, but her imagination already has put her successfully across many times. Experts on the spot declare her chances of completing the swim are as good as any of the women swimmers training for the test.

"In my sleep," Mrs. Carson said, "I keep dreaming of swimming your Channel. My dreams, of which I have had many, are so remarkably realistic that I actually see myself doing the swim sure enough and walking out of the water and up the sandy shore at the other end."

Her two children, Clem, aged three and a half years, and Marjorie, aged two, appear in her dreams, she said, and seem to beckon her on. She looks upon her dreams as a good omen.

Mrs. Carson's speed in practice swims is increasing, her trainer said, and her swimming style is improving rapidly.

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### Average Life Of a Texa Book C. I. A. 4 Years

Special Correspondence. DENON, Texas, Aug. 14.—The average life of a text book at the College of Industrial Arts has been found to be about four years. They are supplied to the students through the C. I. A. bookroom. Each student is required to pay a book fee of \$3.00 at the beginning of the year and at the end of that time, if the texts are still in good condition, the money is refunded in full.

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# BILLY EVANS SAYS

### Yanks "Kayo" Dope

If the Yankees win the American League pennant, and they certainly appear to be on the way, it will be a "kayo" for expert opinion.

In the spring, the New York Americans were given little consideration in the pre-season pennant talk. The Yankees have just weathered a tough slump. They came out of it by putting over a big winning streak. Ability to win games in large clusters has been one of the outstanding reasons for the team's success.

### Subs Fill Breach

When Bob Meusel was put out of it for two months with a broken foot, Babe Ruth handicapped by a "charley-horse" and Pitcher Hoyt and Catchers Collins and Bengough suffering with bad arms, it looked as if the tobbogan might be greased for the Yankees.

However, the club had enough reserve strength to tide it over the rough days and proceeded to prove its courage by a great comeback.

One reason why expert opinion appears to be in for a jolt because of the fine showing of the Yankees, is the fact that it really is a much better ball club than any one rated it.

And best of all, it has a punch at the bat that carries plenty of wood for the opposition at all times.

### Sheely Real Star

First Baseman Earl Sheely of the Chicago White Sox performs with such ease and grace in the field that he has never received the credit due him. His only handicap is lack of speed.

"Sheely is the greatest first baseman I have ever seen when it comes to handling a thrown ball," remarked Empire Bill Dinneen to me the other day.

When you consider that Dinneen has been associated with the major leagues for 30 years, as one of the game's greatest pitchers and an equally good umpire, you can appreciate the compliment he is paying Sheely.

### None Is Barred

"I don't bar Fred Tenney, Hal Chase, George Sisler, or any of the other great first basemen of the past or present," continued Dinneen, "when it comes to handling a thrown ball."

"Sheely is a wonder on high throws, his height, of course, being a decided help, but he is just as skillful digging up the low ones."

"And on balls thrown into the runner he has no equal. It is uncanny the way he can grab them with that gloved hand."

To all of which I say, "Amen."

### Rookie Looks Good.

If his first two starts are a criticism of his ability, the Washington club appears to have picked up a jewel in Pitcher Crowder, recently

secured from Birmingham of the Southern Association.

Detroit beat Crowder 2-2 in his debut, bunching all its runs in the first inning on four hits. After that the Tygers couldn't do a thing with the "rookie" right hander.

I called balls and strikes in Crowder's second appearance and it has been some years since I have been more favorably impressed by a recruit's staff.

I am ready to go on record that he will make good.

### Plenty of Staff

Crowder didn't receive credit for his second start against Chicago since it went into extra innings and was a tie when he made his exit for a pinch-hitter, yet he showed me enough to make me feel positive that Washington has dug up a great possibility.

Crowder gave 10 bases on balls, which doesn't read like good pitching, but he was just missing the plate. Really the 10 bases on balls which doesn't read like good pitching, but he was just missing the plate. Really the 10 bases on ball offered a chance to judge his real worth.

In trouble almost every inning because of his wildness, he always had enough stuff in reserve to pitch himself out of difficulty. Ability to twirl with runners on is a true test of a twirler's greatness. Crowder appears to possess it.

## Amsterdam Plans Great Plant For Olympic Games

By HENRY L. FARRELL  
By United Press.

NEW YORK—Amsterdam is planning to erect the most ornate plant that has ever been built for the comfort and convenience of Olympic athletes and spectators.

The United Press has been favored with a drawing of the stadium through the courtesy of G. Van Rossem, general secretary in the Netherlands Olympic committee, which is to act as the host to the world's greatest athletes who will compete in the 1928 games.

Although the program and the dates have not been decided upon by the international Olympic committee, the Holland officials have gone ahead with their financial arrangements and have funds sufficient to erect a plant they feel will be the best looking and the most comfortable that ever has been used for the Olympic games.

### Great Layout.

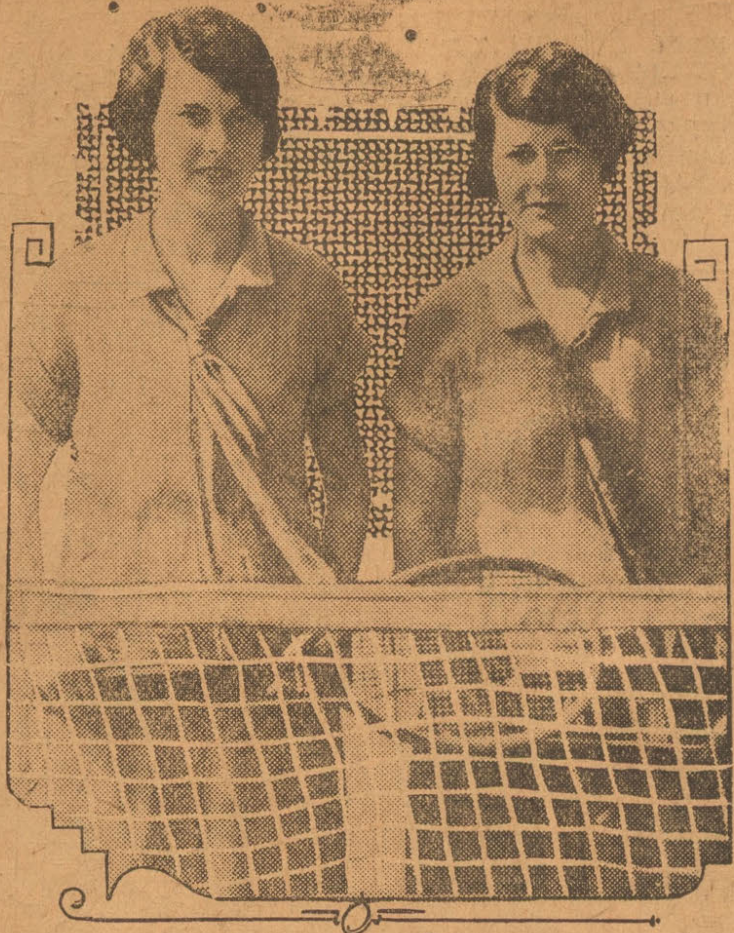
The drawing shows a most extensive layout and architectural style equaled only by the tiny stadium at Antwerp, which may have had some short comings but certainly lacked nothing in beauty.

Plans have been drawn for a huge stadium for the track and field games, a big pool for aquatic events, a field for polo and the equestrian games, a large field for cricket and football, a track for the cycling races, a large tennis plant and a village for the athletes. Near the plant is also a course for rowing and yachting.

In Paris the games were spread all over and around the city but Amsterdam has decided upon having the entire program conducted practically under one roof, a great convenience alike to trainers, athletes and spectators.

The tennis plant is to be made very complete, with a center court surrounded by stands and including three courts and ten courts outside. The completeness of the plant and the thoroughness of the plans probably will come as a surprise to some

## These Twins Tennis Queens



Presenting Jeannette and Jessie Fitzjarrall, twin tennis champions in the University of Arkansas summer school. They recently won the doubles title in tournament play while Miss Jessie also copped the singles crown. The twins are members of the varsity basketball team and very popular around the campus.

## Loss of One-Armed Champion Gives De Paul Set Back

CHICAGO—De Paul University's prospects of maintaining its football, golf and wrestling supremacy in the Interstate Conference were given a setback by the graduation of Al Griggsby and Raymond McCarthy, two athletes who have been in the lime light among the smaller college stars more than a little because both of them have only one arm, and yet have turned back more fortunate opponents in impressive fashion.

Griggsby, who was graduated from the law school, was a regular guard on the De Paul football squad for three years and twice captained the Demons' mat team. He tips the scales at 240 pounds, and has won six major amateur wrestling championships, including the National A. A. U. heavyweight, the A. A. F. heavyweight and the International Gymnastic Union title. In addition he collected some fifty odd medals. It was his work that enabled De Paul to hold the University of Chicago's Big Ten champions to a tie score on two occasions.

McCarthy, a graduate of the college of commerce, twice captained the golf team—each time leading it to a conference championship. The loss of his left arm seems no handicap for he has displayed his prowess by winning the Florida Southeastern, the Illinois State and other amateur titles outside the field of collegiate competition. In the De Paul-Notre Dame match in 1925, played over the difficult Riverside course here, he was the only man on either foursome to turn in a perfect score. The uncanny accuracy and power that he gets into his strokes is one of the marvels of the local golfing fraternity and has earned him the title of "single-barreled siege gun."

STAMFORD—President Arthur P. Duggan of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and his party, made up of chamber of commerce officials will tour the southern districts and two New Mexico sections of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce territory within the next two weeks. Tax revision, diversified farming, and the work of the West Texas organization will be discussed before all local commercial clubs.

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"You don't know those Dutch people," a prominent member of the committee said. "They don't make much noise when they are doing things but they do them and do them right."

As far as advanced arrangements are concerned, the Dutch surely plan to do it right, and no doubt will do it.



Chief H. D. Doucet, of the U. S. battle fleet's air squadron at San Diego, has designed a 50-foot parachute for airplanes which, he believes, will let a disabled plane float down easily and prevent crashes. A pilot will test it soon, stalling his motor 5000 feet up and giving the parachute a chance to do its stuff.

### A Fishing Cat

Policeman Joe Burke, who patrols a bathing beach on the outskirts of Pensacola, Fla., has a cat that goes fishing. Burke tosses a bit of bread in the water, a fish sneaks up to eat it—and in dives pussy to catch the fish. The cat, which is named Jimmy, is shown here with Burke and a fish that Jimmy has just caught.

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### RANGER TIMES EASTLAND TELEGRAM



# BASEBALL

## HOW THEY STAND

**BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.**

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Lions	3	2	.600
Legion	3	2	.600
Leveille-Maher	3	3	.500
Modern Woodmen	3	3	.500
Oilbelt Motor	2	3	.400
Salesmen	2	3	.400

**TEXAS LEAGUE.**

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
San Antonio	68	52	.567
Dallas	69	54	.561
Beaumont	64	59	.516
Fort Worth	63	60	.512
Shreveport	59	50	.500
Houston	59	66	.468
Wichita Falls	55	65	.458
Waco	50	72	.410

**Yesterday's Results.**  
 San Antonio 8, Dallas 5.  
 Shreveport 5, Houston 4.  
 Fort Worth 4, Waco 3.  
 Wichita Falls 14, Beaumont 1.

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

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	73	43	.630
Cleveland	64	51	.557
Philadelphia	62	53	.539
Detroit	60	56	.517
Washington	58	56	.508
Chicago	57	58	.496
St. Louis	48	54	.429
Boston	36	77	.319

**Yesterday's Results.**  
 St. Louis at Cleveland, rain.  
 Detroit 4, Chicago 2.  
 Philadelphia 1-8, Boston 3-2.  
 Washington 2-10, New York 4-5.

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

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	61	45	.575
St. Louis	61	50	.555
Cincinnati	62	51	.549
Chicago	58	52	.527
New York	57	53	.518
Brooklyn	53	60	.469
Boston	46	64	.418
Philadelphia	42	65	.393

**Yesterday's Results.**  
 Chicago 3, St. Louis 2.  
 Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, rain.  
 Boston 4-5, Brooklyn 3-2.  
 Philadelphia 4, New York 3.

**Today's Schedule.**  
 Chicago at St. Louis.  
 Philadelphia at Cincinnati.  
 Boston at Brooklyn.

## Ranger Loses Good Citizen; Houston Gainer

Dr. Carl Wilson and his mother, Mrs. H. B. Wilson will leave Ranger for their new home in Houston the latter part of this week. Dr. Wilson and his mother were in Houston last week at which time he rented an office in the Post-Dispatch building preparatory to opening up his practice there.

Their household goods will be shipped from Ranger this week, thus closing the association of many friends with Dr. Wilson and his mother, both of whom have been here since 1918. In that year, when Ranger's boom was at its height, Dr. Wilson had an office in the Terrill building with Dr. J. A. Martin. When the McCleskey Hotel was completed he moved there, and later to the Cole building, still later moving to his present location in the Bobo building where he has had his offices on the second floor of the building, and maintained a handsome apartment for himself and mother on the third floor.

Dr. Wilson is a member of the Methodist church of Ranger, a member of Ranger Lodge No. 738 A. & M., of the Dallas Consistory No. 2, of the Moslah Temple Shrine and of the Eastland county and Texas State Medical societies. In all of these he had taken an active and prominent part, contributing both his time and his money.

Mrs. Wilson has her own place in the hearts of Ranger people, and while not affiliated with clubs, as she does not care for club membership, she has always had a choice circle of friends around her and taken an active part of the social life of Ranger.

## Legion to Play Salesmen Again This Afternoon

For the third time the Salesmen and the American Legion teams of the Business Men's League of Ranger, will attempt the play off of the tie that existed between them when the first half of the schedule closed. Twice they have made the effort and twice there has been a tie, but this afternoon at 4 o'clock they will meet for the third, and they hope, a successful attempt to break the tie that binds, but irks. The team that wins this afternoon will be the champion team for the first half.

The Legion line up is as follows: Battle, 3b; Taylor, ss; J. B. Peacock, 1b; Gallagher, 2b; Henry, cf; Brashier, lf; B. H. Peacock, rf; Line, c; Judah, p.

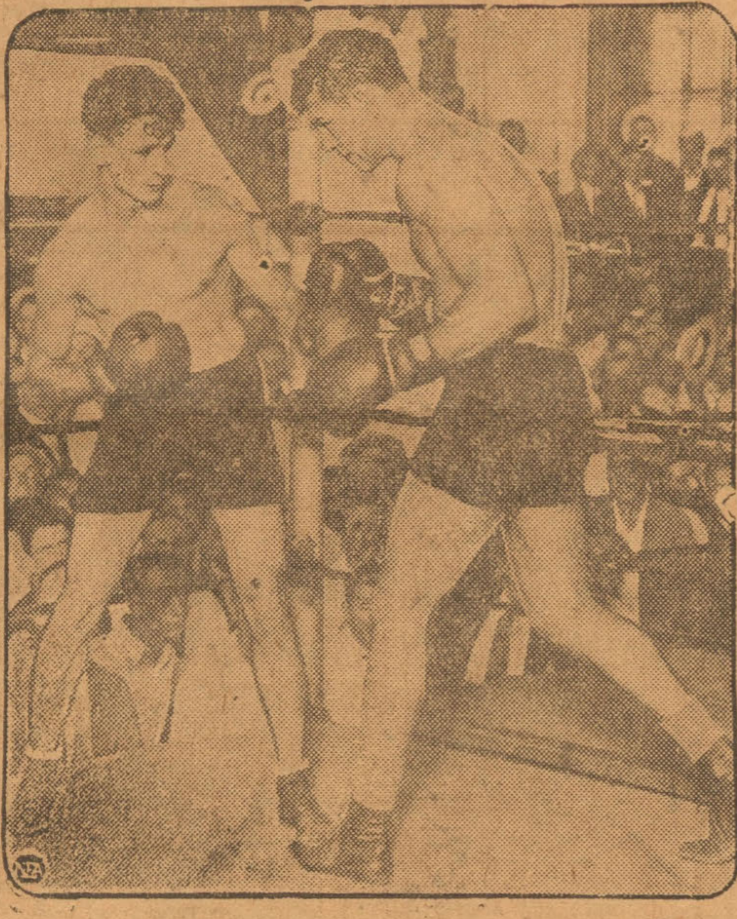
The Salesmen's line up was not obtainable.

## One of Chicago's Best



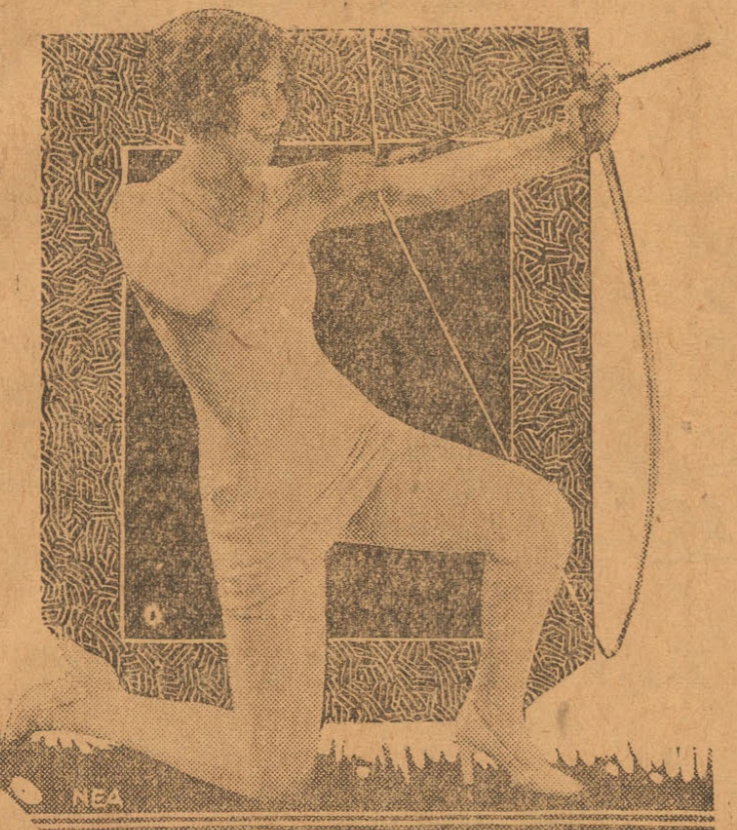
One of the veteran major league hurlers pitching winning ball this season is "Red" Faber of the Chicago White Sox. Faber has been one of Manager Ed Collins' biggers winners and has done much to keep the pale hose in the first division. Faber came to the Sox in 1913 and has been with them ever since. The crafty John McGraw, pilot of the Giants, helped to get eber started in the main tent.

## Dempsey Starts Training



It's a heavy grind—back into fighting trim after three years—but Jack Dempsey starts in pretty good shape. Here he's mixing things with Sid Terris, lightweight contender, before a crowded symposium in New York.

## Taking a Shot at the Title



Miss Aloha Porter, of Venice, Calif., is "Miss California" for 1926 and will compete in the national tournament at Atlantic City. This shows her getting out her bow and arrows—competing with Cupid, or just taking a shot at the title?

## Famous Walker Weston Is Found By Police Dazed

By United Press.  
 BROOKLYN, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Edward Payson Weston, the once famous walking champion, was found by a policeman today dazed and exhausted. Weston, who is 88 years old, was reported missing by his relatives after he left Philadelphia Thursday by bus for New York.

## Future Tennis Champs Cause Some Comment

By CLARK B. KELSEY  
 (United Press Staff Correspondent)  
 CHICAGO.—As the years roll by, and the tide of time wishes W. T. Tilden, W. M. Johnston, R. Norris Williams and Howard Kinsey into the veteran class, who will step in to represent the United States as tennis players of international caliber?

This question, put to Leo Lunn, midwestern "father of junior tennis," brought out the names of Ed "Bud" Chandler, now wearing the colors of the University of California; George Lott, Jr., Chicago; Cranston Holman, Stanford acc; Berkeley Bell of Austin, Tex.; John Doeg, Santa Monica, Cal., and "Junior" Coen, Kansas City.

Two other names would have been included in the list, according to Lunn, if "the boys could only afford to take enough time from their work to develop their game. But I doubt if they can." They are Wray Brown of St. Louis and John Hennessey of Indianapolis.

Litt and Chandler are picked to go farthest because "they can rise to heights and play over their heads" when they are caught in pinches. On the tennis court they constantly "talk to their racket," a term denoting that the player is so keyed up to win that he keeps urging himself on aloud. Holman, while possessing quite as competent a game, seems to lack "temperament."

Chandler is big, powerful, husky; Lott is not so sturdy but plays best when the game depends on his next point. He has the faculty as has Tilden of putting over a winner when to lose it means a lost match.

Both Chandler and Lott possess good forehands, play a good overhead game, are wonderful volleyers, and can vary the strokes to maintain a change of pace that is killing to the average opponent.

Coen, while young, possesses what Tilden calls "perfect style." His form is so good now as to presage future greatness. He has played all summer with Tilden, and has developed greatly under the old master's tutelage. However, the brawny-shouldered, loose-muscled Tilden's game is not one for a little man to copy.

In the next five or ten years these lads may be playing Davis Cup matches according to Lunn. It is believed that Vincent Richards has about reached the peak of his game, and he should maintain his present skill, with his youth for some years to come. But according to Lunn, within that period the collegiate youths are apt to replace the older internationalists now playing.

## Sixth Victim Of Long Island Wreck Is Dead

By United Press.  
 RIVER HEAD, N. Y., Aug. 14.—The sixth victim of the wreck of a Long Island railroad express train near here last night, died in South Hampton hospital today.

She was Mrs. George A. Shuford, of Ashville, N. C., who died of shock and injuries, after having been pinned in the debris five hours. She was released when the steel wreckage was cut away with an acetylene torch.

Her two children were killed in the wreck. Mrs. Shuford died without knowing they had been killed.

## Minor League Owner Sometimes Sells Man Too Soon

By United Press.  
 KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 14.—Great are the vagaries of baseball as concerns the minor league owner who happens to own a much-sought "star," as is shown in two incidents in the American association in the last few years.

One was in the case of Glenn Wright, now one of the leading shortstops in the major leagues. He was the property of the Kansas City baseball club, having been developed after coming out of the University of Missouri, and was sold to the Pittsburgh Pirates.

But the story of his "going up" is the story of loss for George Meuhlebach, owner of the Kansas City Blues.

Wright was a good prospect with Kansas City in 1922 and major league scouts watched him closely. Finally the Pirates took an option on him at a price reported to be \$40,000.

In 1923 Wright starred. The Blues won the American association pennant and the brilliant young shortstop was the backbone of offense and defense. Then the major league clubs started bidding and the price offered for him shot to \$100,000.

But the Pirates exercised their option and Wright was sold at a loss of around \$60,000 to the local management.

This year there is a parallel example in the association with Otto Borchert, president of the "Home Breds," taking the loss.

Milwaukee has a young outfielder, Fred Schulte, who is setting the league afire. He roams freely in the center garden and is hitting well over .400.

Early in the season the St. Louis Browns' scouts took a liking to Schulte and made an option on him at a price reported to be \$50,000. At that time fans thought Borchert had made a good deal.

Since then, however, Schulte has developed and major league scouts have started bidding on the services of the young Milwaukee gardener. One major league team, known for its high-priced players, offered Borchert \$100,000.

Another club offered the Milwaukee owner \$10,000 more than the highest price offered.

But the Browns have the option to buy at \$50,000 and the American association owner stands to lose \$60,000 on the deal.

## Red Sox Tot



Bill Regan, rookie second-sacker with the Boston Red Sox, has broken into big time with a vengeance. Not only has he been playing a great game afield, but his work at the bat has been one of the features of the Fohl team's play of late. Regan has been playing professionally several seasons, getting his start in the Michigan-Ontario League.

## Dreyfuss Turns Loose 3 Pirates, Including Carey

By United Press.  
 PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 14.—The three oldest players in point of service on the Pirates' team wear missing when the team opened a series against the Cincinnati Reds today.

At a dramatic 10-minute session held in the Pirates' clubhouse last night, it was announced by Treasurer Sam Dreyfuss that waivers had been asked on Max Carey, captain and center fielder of the Corsairs; also that he was suspended without pay until disposed of; "Babe" Adams, a pitcher, and Carson Bigbee, outfielder, were unconditionally released.

The action followed charges that the three worked quietly together to have Fred Clarke, vice president of the club, removed from the bench.

**A BARGAIN HUNTER.**  
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Second: A faculty composed of **MASTER DEGREE** teachers with strong personality, broad experience and thorough training, has been employed.

Third: The Requirements for recognition, classification and affiliation by the State Department have been met. The required grade of teachers, and the necessary laboratory and library equipment, have been provided.

Fourth: **TWO DEPARTMENTS OF THE COLLEGE** call for special mention. **OUR EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT** has a very strong man in charge in order that proper certificate courses may be offered for those desiring to teach. Two college credit courses in **BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION** will be offered furnishing training for real business experience or credits for university accounting and business.

Fifth: We urgently invite prospective college students in this territory to communicate with us with the view of securing the best advantages in the first two years of college work at one-third the expense of going away.

Sixth: **A LOAN FUND** is being raised by the citizens of Ranger to aid worthy students who need assistance in getting a college education.

Seventh: While stressing a real two years scholastic college training, we are not overlooking the matter of getting ready to meet the strongest competitors in **ATHLETICS.**

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# ONE IS DEAD ONE WOUNDED FREE FOR ALL

By United Press.  
TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 14.—Because Arthur Page, a farmer, was too attentive to Joseph Morris' daughter, he lies here dead tonight, and Morris is in a local hospital with a bullet in his abdomen.

The affray in which Morris shot and killed Page took place this afternoon at Page's home north of here, when Morris accused Page of being too attentive to his daughter.

A fight ensued and Page was killed. One of Page's sisters interfered and shot Morris, injuring him slightly. Officers from Topeka were summoned and when they arrived were fired upon by Morris.

Wayne Horning, an undersheriff, received a wound in his arm. Edward Rooney, deputy county prosecutor, ended the melee by shooting Morris.

# U. S. Is Looking For Capable Men For Inspectors

WASHINGTON.—Uncle Sam is looking for capable men who want to earn from \$2,400 to \$3,000 a year and in addition get 30 days sick leave and 50 days annual leave a year.

The jobs are open at the Agriculture Department. Secretary Jardine needs several assistant warehouse examiners to inspect cotton warehouses and to determine their suitability for the storage of cotton and other agricultural products.

The Civil Service Commission reports that the "jobs are going begging."

# Elks Announce Special Dance On Next Thursday

Ranger Elks announce a special dance at their club rooms on Thursday night, at which time the California Red Jackets of Los Angeles, will furnish the music.

This is the first time this orchestra has been away from "Los" and they are said to be the "candy kids" of the Pacific Coast.

Invitations will be mailed Monday.

# Oldest Member Of Sherman Bar Answers Call

SHERMAN, Texas, Aug. 14.—Judge E. C. McLean, 81 years old, the oldest member of the Grayson county bar, died at his home late Friday afternoon.

Judge McLean was a prominent member of the Elks lodge. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon.

# Belled Buzzard Has Been Seen Near Longview

LONGVIEW, Texas, Aug. 14.—A belled buzzard has been seen in the vicinity of Uzman's Mill, twelve miles north of here and a trap has been set for it by mill workers. The bird is said to have a silvery tone and it is hoped that some mark of identification will be found on the bell.

# University Expects Good Increase In Number of Students

AUSTIN, Aug. 14.—A 10 percent increase over the enrollment of the past long session is being prepared for by Registrar E. J. Mathews of the University of Texas. Although the registration will depend largely on crop conditions of the state, present indications point to an enrollment of possibly 5,000, Mr. Mathews said.

# GAVE ARMS TO SCIENCE, HONORED BY ASSOCIATES

LONDON.—Dr. Hall Edwards, of Birmingham, who lost both arms as a result of X-ray experiments, was honored for his heroism and devotion to science by election as an honorary member of the British Medical association at its ninety-fourth annual meeting.

His health has been permanently undermined and he has had to give up his medical practice on account of his crippled condition.

# GERMANS CHART AIRWAY ACROSS NORTH ATLANTIC

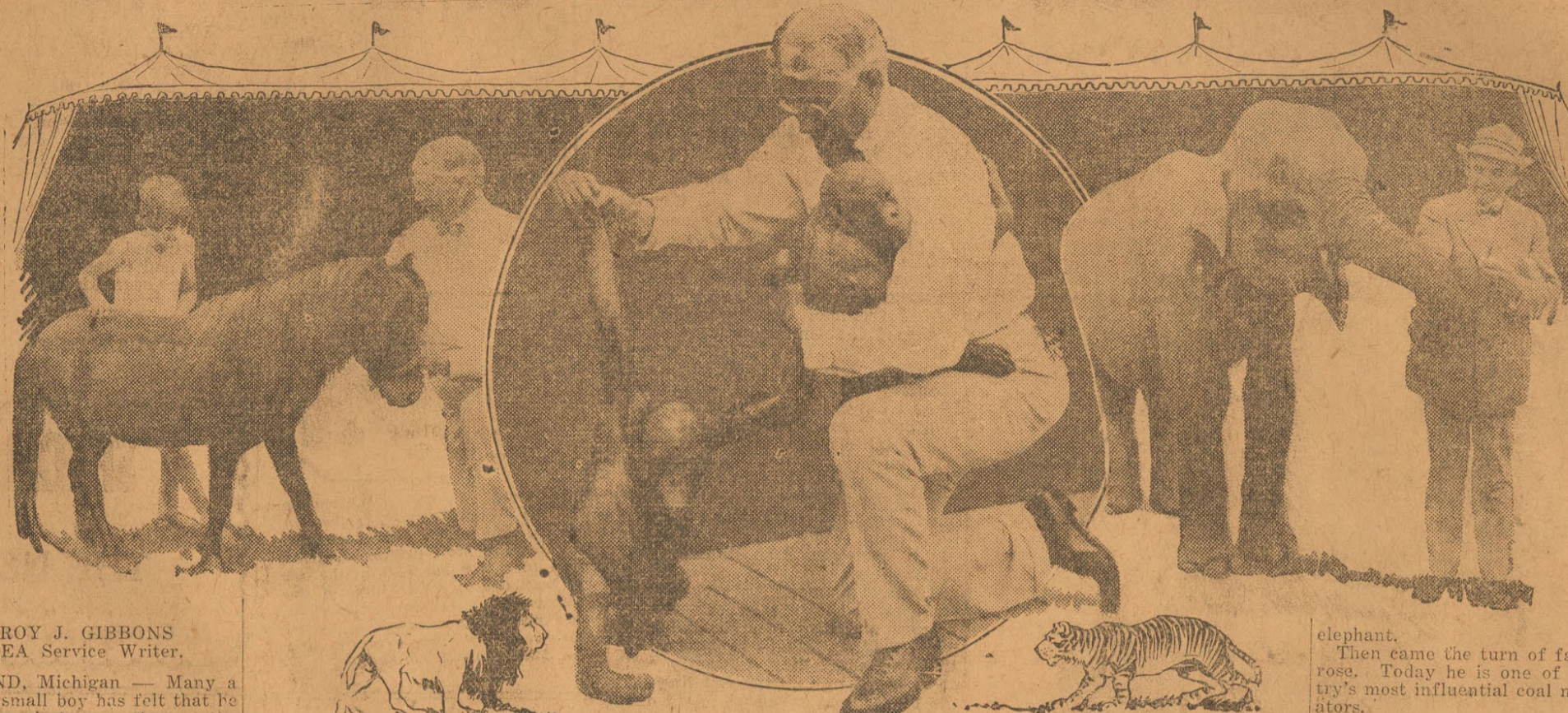
REYKJAVIK, Iceland.—A German expedition, headed by Doctors Danmeyer and Georgie of Hamburg, has arrived here to study meteorological condition in southern and western Iceland.

It is understood that the expedition has in view a possible establishment of a transatlantic airway from Hamburg to New York by way of Seaplay, the Faroe islands, Iceland and Cape Farewell, Greenland.

# CROSS PLAINS FORD STOLEN AT EASTLAND

A Ford coupe, belonging to J. H. Fuller of Cross Plains, was stolen in Eastland Friday night from where it was parked on West Commerce street. Theft of the car was reported to the officers who are working on the case.

# HIS BOYHOOD DREAM WAS FOR A MENAGERIE ALL HIS OWN His Millions Have Made That Dream Come True



By ROY J. GIBBONS  
NEA Service Writer.



These pictures show George F. Getz of Holland, Mich., exhibiting some of the animals in his private zoo. At the left he appears with a diminutive pony, said to be the smallest in existence; center he is shown playing with two orang-utans, and right with one of his elephants.

HOLLAND, Michigan — Many a barefooted small boy has felt that he would be happiest youngster on the earth if only he had a circus all his own.

George F. Getz felt that way when he was a lad of 6 on a Pennsylvania farm. Circuses came to town seldom, and when they did come Getz often didn't have enough money to go to them. But he vowed that some day he would own one—or at least own a lot of wild animals.

Owns His Own Zoo.  
He has established his own private zoo on his beautiful "Lakeside farm" near here, and has filled it with all the strange animals he wanted to have when he was a youngster.

And he keeps the place open to the public. He even holds big barbecues to give an added treat to the people who come to see his collection.

He's doing it all to satisfy the yearning that tormented him when he was a kid.

The zoo consists of some 75 animals. These range in size and kind all the way from a pair of 24-foot Python snakes up to an elephant. Scattered in between are a melange of tigers, a lion, varieties of monkeys, jaguars, the smallest pony in the world and what not.

Getz loves his animals. They remind him of poor kids. He was poor himself once and knows the value of a little kindness.

And he loves people. That is why he has his informal parties at which he has had as many as 20,000 guests.

"I'm getting too old to go to other people's celebrations. I want them to come to mine instead," he says.

He doesn't say much more because he isn't much of a hand at talking. He laughs most of the time because his dream has come true.

When he was a lad of 6 he went to work on a farm near Mechanicsburg, Pa. He had to work hard.

He recalls when he first saw a circus poster, depicting some of the jungle denizens.

There was a picture of tigers and an elephant on a cross road sign board.

"What are those?" Getz asked. "I'll get some like that to play with," he said when they told him.

But wages for a 6-year-old 50 years ago were not sufficient even for the purchase of a dog that Getz craved, to say nothing of a grown tiger or elephant.

Then came the turn of fate. Getz rose. Today he is one of the country's most influential coal mine operators.

He has the menagerie coveted during his boyhood and he is sharing his happiness with the world.

With his two sons he lives between his farm here and Chicago, driving back and forth as fancy dictates.

Gave Steeds Away.  
Some time ago he despatched a commission to Arabia when the nation seized him to have a herd of pure-blood Arabian horses.

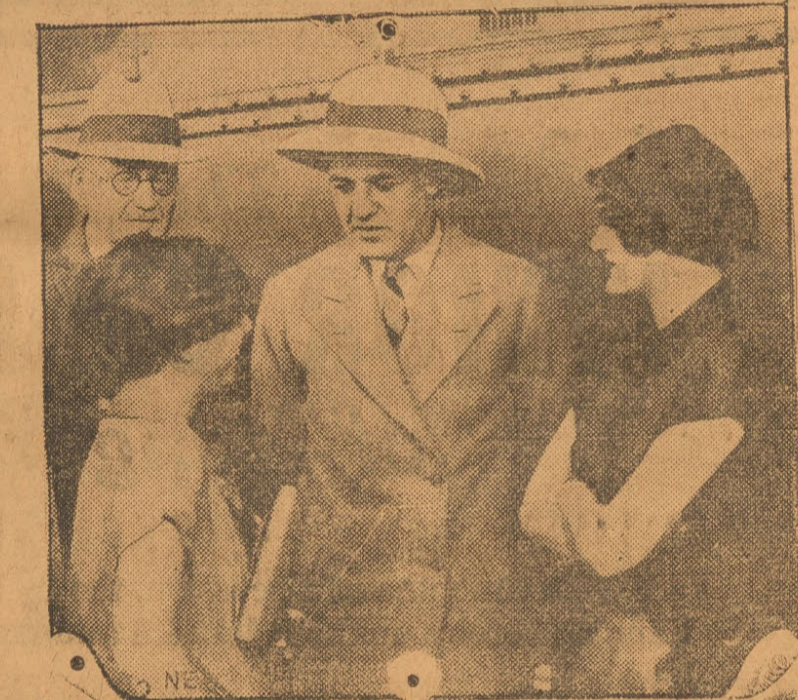
When the animals arrived Getz gave them all away to friends. Why? Because his friends admired them so much.

"I wanted them to have some fun, too," he says.

His zoo and farm are constantly open to the public.

The rich man's money is buying back his lost childhood.

# Disillusioned, Red Comes Home



Disillusioned by the sham of Hollywood's famous love-making, Red Grange, famous football star, is back home in Wheaton, Ill., ready to take up his old job on the ice wagon. This picture shows him wearing a marvelous new hat, on his arrival. The girls, it is to be noted, still find him interesting.

# WHAT CONSTITUTES SUCCESSFUL CHANNEL SWIM, AND RULES ON SAME ARE OUTLINED

By United Press.  
CAF GRIZ NEZ, France.—While widespread international interest is being attracted by channel swimming, many questions are being asked about the rules and regulations of this sport.

Actually, there are no rules and regulations officially stipulated and channel swimming. From a sporting point of view the test is to swim from one shore to the other without any assistance in moving through the water. Sportsmen agree that the swimmer must walk into the water on one side and walk out on the other.

Assistance such as feeding in the water, protection from the wind and rough water by motorboats and tugs, and advice from experts during the swim, but as necessary for any successful channel swim. But the swimmer must not be touched, and must not receive aid in propelling him forward.

These conditions have grown to be accepted through the countless channel attempts, but there is no board of regulations. Usually the swimmer has reputable witnesses, such as disinterested newspaper men, to testify to the legitimacy of the attempt.

Webb feat.  
When Captain Matthew Webb swam the channel in 1875, and became the first man accredited with a successful performance, he took the water from the end of a long pier on the English side and climbed aboard a boat on the French side as soon as he was able to touch bottom. No other person swam the channel for thirty-six years, when Bill Burgess succeeded. Bill started from the English coast in September, 1911, and came ashore near here. When his feet reached for land off the beach he was still a couple of hundred yards from the water's edge. After over twenty hours in the water, his muscles would not support him in an upright position, and friends caught him when he fell backwards into the water. He was assisted ashore, but

# one side and out on the other without assistance.

Channel Club  
Some years ago there existed in England the Channel Swimming Club, which attempted to lay down rules and regulations. But this club is now out of existence, and the judgment of its best members is that the sports must prevail in any swim. The swimmer must, however, have proper witnesses.

There have been some fake channel swims, but not one that has survived criticism. The most notorious was done by an English woman who succeeded in getting engagements in London music halls, but the truth finally came out and she was completely discredited. She only swam a few hours, and spent the rest of the time aboard a boat, until she had to go in for the finish. She is still dishonored in the swimming world, and so will be any swimmer who attempts to win by trickery. Men who have spent years in trying the channel and following the game will not stand for any crooked swimming. They only insist that the swimmer walk in, swim all the way, and walk out.

# 'Grandma' Hallmark Holds Reunion On Her 101st Birthday

"Grandma" Hallmark, who resides with her son, Joe Hallmark, near Desdemona, celebrated her 101st birthday a few days ago at which time a reunion of the Hallmark family was held, and 52 attended.

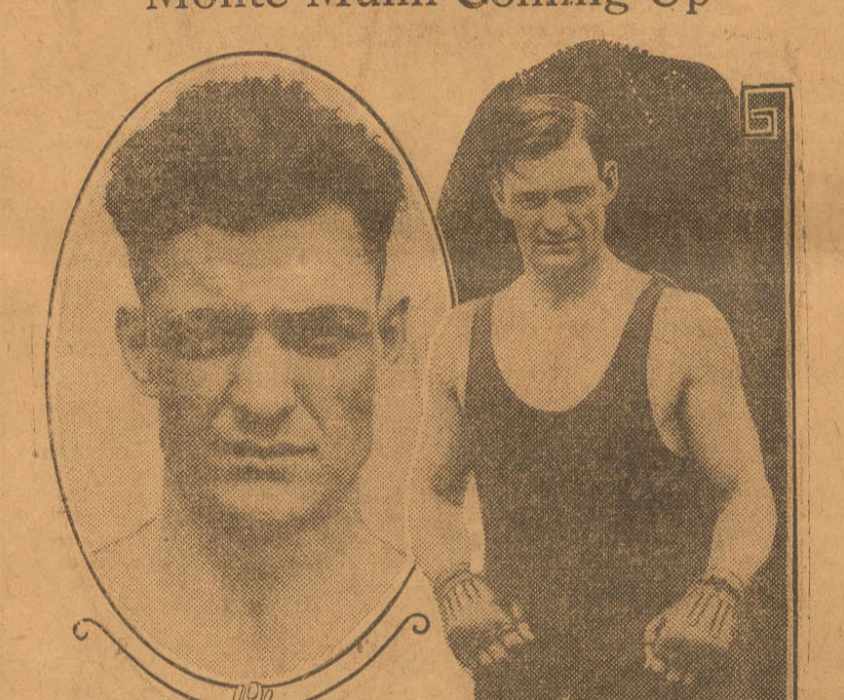
"Grandma" Hallmark is still hale and hearty and able to do the things women like to do. She has been a resident of this section about fifty years.

Among those who attended the reunion and dinner were: Joe Hallmark and family, Gorman, Dick Hallmark and family, Desdemona; Bob Little and family, Lamesa; Arthur Hallmark and family, Flatwoods; Herbert Chilton and family, Lamesa; George Hallmark and family, New Hope; W. L. Wood and family, Gorman and J. W. Clarke and family, Gorman.

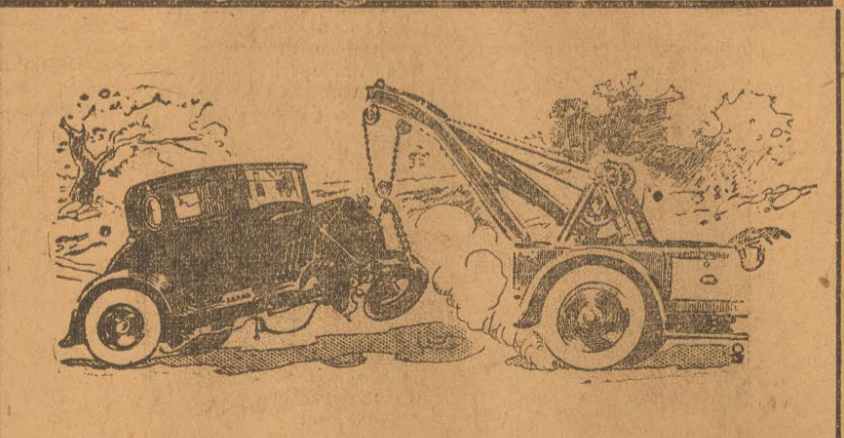
# Officers Raid Alleged Joints Find "Choc" Beer

Eastland officers, including Justice of the Peace Sam Day, Constable Marion Seaborn and Policeman Tom Jones, made a number of raids Friday and Saturday on alleged "beer joints" and captured a quantity of what is said was "choc" beer, at each of the places visited. Owing to the fact that no complaints have yet been filed, the names and locations of the places raided were not named.

# Monte Munn Coming Up



One of the latest pugilistic sensations, is Monte Munn, brother of the former wrestling champion, Wayne "Big" Munn. Monte, who is comparatively new at the ring racket, has been cutting down opponents in reckless fashion, winning most of his battles on knockouts. Some optimistic critics see him as a contender for Dempsey's laurels. That may be a bit far-fetched, of course, but he must at least be given credit for making a good start, and unless he's rushed too fast should go pretty far.



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The "juice" will be turned on some night early in the week and show Main street, just how its newest electrical sign shows up.

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**1—LOST AND FOUND**  
 LOST—Brindle Bull dog named "Bob" LOST—Brindle Bull dog named "Bobbie." Wears rabies vaccination tag. Notify 517 South Connelley, Eastland.

LOST—Friday afternoon, on Main between Fountain and Teal Apartment. Small brown coin purse containing small change and key. Please return to this office.

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 WANTED—Experienced dining room girl. Apply DeGroff Hotel, Ranger. LADIES: Earn \$1.00 an hour at home in spare time. Experience unnecessary. Send stamp for particulars. Heigex Products Company, 3749 N. Halsted St., Chicago.

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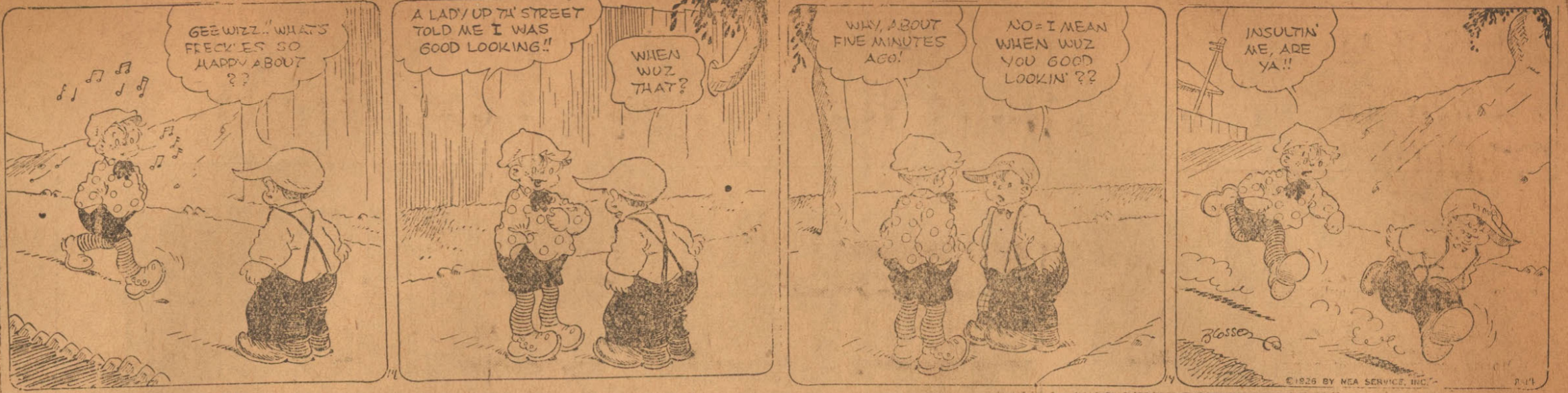
**4—SITUATIONS WANTED**  
 WANTED—A few sets of books to keep. Cox Accounting Co., phone 675, Ranger.

**5—AGENTS AND SALESMEN**  
 A wonderful opportunity. "Sell Christmas Greeting Cards." Beautiful Sample album free. Make five hundred dollars before Christmas. Write Rochester Art Co., Rochester, N. Y.

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 WANTED—Good business men with \$1500 to \$2000. Exceptional opportunity for live wire merchandising with this amount of capital to establish in their own business. The proposition is a staple food in large demand—made by a new method which pays large profit. Write Leroy, Room 1119, 1170 Broadway, N. Y. City.

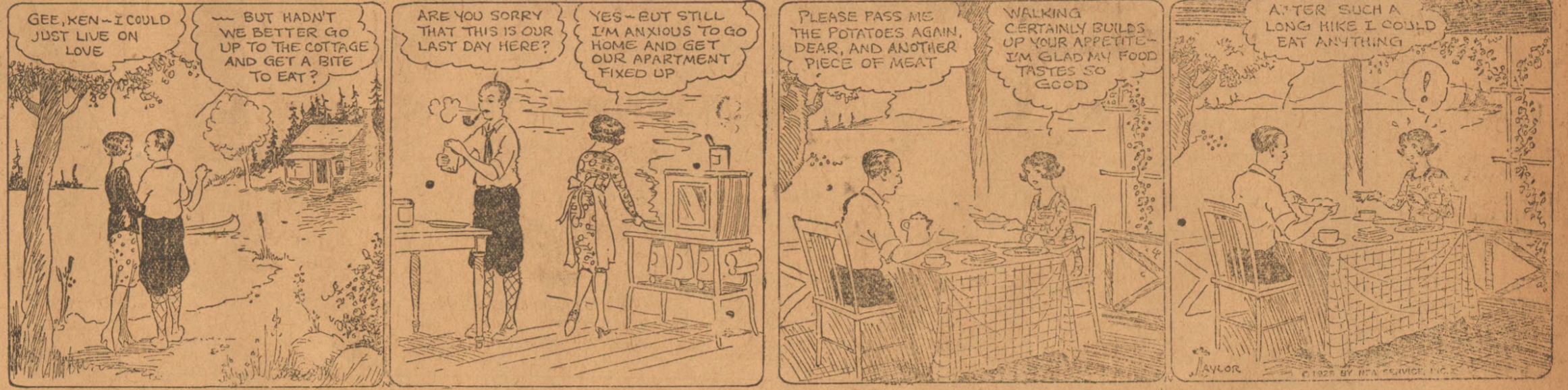
Filling Station For Sale—One of the nicest filling stations in Eastland, located on Bankhead Highway, for sale. Station doing nice business and making money. Call telephone 190 or 481, Ranger.

**FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS**



**Mon'r Pop**

By Taylor



**7—SPECIAL NOTICES**  
 FILES CURED—No knife, no pain, no detention from work. Dr. E. E. Cockrell, rectal and skin specialist of Abilene will be in Ranger at the Gholson Hotel every Thursday from 12:30 to 5:30 p. m.

ROGERS BROS. TAILORING CO.—Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00; ladies' dresses \$1.00 and up. The best for less. Phone 541.

FURNITURE refinished, repaired, upholstering, stoves fixed. Bob Lee, 116 N. Austin, Ranger, formerly with Tharpe Furniture Co.

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MARCEL, 50c; water wave, 75c. Phone 550. 214 N. Marston, Ranger.

SECOND-HAND goods bought and sold; stove repairing. W. H. Treacott, 209 N. Austin st., Ranger.

**9—HOUSES FOR RENT**  
 MODERN House for rent. Mrs. John Dunkle, South Austin st., Ranger.

**11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT**  
 MODERN furnished apartment in my home; Caddo highway. Mrs. Nannie Walker, Ranger.

SEE MRS. YARDLEY at Wier rooms for furnished apartments; Ranger.

FURNISHED apartments and rooms for rent. Tremont hotel, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Three-room modern apartment in private home. 309 Cherry st., Ranger.

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FOR RENT—Two-room apartment, first house south of high school. Phone 549, Ranger.

**12—WANTED TO BUY**  
 WILL buy your cattle. John Ames, Ranger.

SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main st., Ranger. Phone 95.

**13—FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS**  
 FOR SALE—Three nice hogs. See Joe Lawrence at Magnolia Petroleum office, Olden.

**14—REAL ESTATE**  
 FOR SALE—40 acres of land with part royalty, 3 miles northwest of town, about half in cultivation; house and barn; \$1,000.00; take good car as part payment. W. A. Williams, Weatherford.

**15—HOUSES FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Well improved, modern home with all conveniences, just off Burkett boulevard and S. Seaman; bargain for quick cash sale. 1306 Mulberry, phone 669, Eastland.

FOR SALE—Nine-room house; two baths. Mrs. H. L. Ice, Sun Camp, Ranger.

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**16—AUTOMOBILES**  
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STUDEBAKER Coupe, Motor A-1 condition. New Duce paint; priced to sell.—Boyd Motor Co., Ranger.

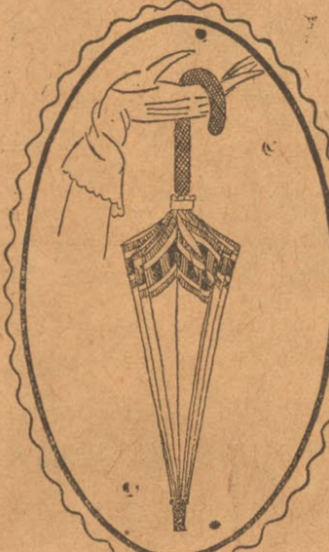
Good used cars, a good range of price and class.—Boyd Motor Co., Ranger.

**Funeral Services For Drowned Lad Held Saturday**

Funeral services for Sol Roberts, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roberts, who was drowned in the Davenport lake just outside the southwestern limits of Eastland Friday afternoon, were held Saturday morning, followed by burial in the Eastland cemetery.

Sol Roberts was drowned in Davenport lake when a boat in which he and his brother and sister were riding, sprung a leak and capsized. Two Mexicans, employed by Jay Phillips in his mosquito work in Eastland, rescued Sol's brother and sister and got his body out of the lake, but too late for him to be revived.

**Umbrella Shade**



Very new is the crook handle covered with leather in the shade to match this brown silk umbrella, bordered in different tones of brown and beige.

**UNION SERVICES**

Rev. G. D. Robison, will deliver the sermon at the union meeting tonight on the high school campus, Ranger. The band will give several special numbers, their concert beginning at 7 o'clock. The sermon will begin at 8. Everybody is cordially invited to attend this open air service.

**Shrewd Wife Uses Hairpin to Trail Recreant 'Hubby'**

By United Press.  
 BUDAPEST.—Returning from her vacation, a Budapest woman found on her dressing table a short piece of wire which had been bent in the middle. This bent wire she identified quite easily as a hairpin.

For more than a year she had worn her own hair very short. The hairpin was bronze in color; she herself was a decided brunette.

Confronted with the hairpin, her husband said that he could offer no explanation. She questioned the cook. The cook swore that no woman had entered the apartment since her mistress had left. She questioned the butler, the maid, and the house porter. All with one accord pleaded ignorance.

Finally she invested in a bag of candy and invited the porter's little 5-year-old daughter to partake of it. "Oh, yes," the beautiful woman with golden hair came here with your husband several times."

Little by little the woman elicited a description of this golden-haired rival from her informant. Also she learned that the rival often came to a cafe just across the street.

Next morning she went to the cafe. There she found a blonde who tallied exactly with the child's description. Walking up to her, she said, "Pardon me, but I think that this hairpin belongs to you."

The blonde replied by removing her hat and revealing a freshly bobbed head—a fluffy mass of titian gold.

Stumped but not beaten, the self-appointed brunette detective excused herself and departed. Next day she filed a suit for divorce based in general on the ground that gentlemen who prefer blondes are not suited to be husbands to brunettes.

In the meantime she had visited her husband's favorite barber shop. The barber, caught off his guard, informed her that the day after the lady had returned home her husband had brought him a customer who left his shop with her blond hair in her handbag.

**WATCH YOUR STEP.**

When driving in rainy weather, keep at least 15 feet behind the car ahead at all times. This avoids the wheel spray from the tires of the car in front.

**De Molays Tender Banquet to Cecil Cole on Birthday**

Cecil Cole, representative of the Ranger chapter of De Molays at the annual encampment of De Molays at Bear Lake, Colorado, was the host or guest Friday night at a banquet tendered him by the other members of the chapter, at the Gholson hotel.

A double honor was conferred on Cecil, as it leaked out that it also was his birthday, so a big white birthday cake, with nineteen candles, was presented him between the salad and desert course. Despite the surprise, his response was most eloquent.

Dr. Carl Wilson was toastmaster, and John Thurman, another of the Masons present made a talk to the boys. Each boy present toasted their departing member.

Around the banquet board were gathered the following De Molay members: Duncan McRae, T. J. Melton, Clayton Long, Chas. Dean, John Stacks, Jack Galloway, Rigby Valiant, Trust Wier, Jack Sandford, Cecil Cole, Harry Heath, Victor Short, Clyde Alworth, Bill Knight, Ernest Shelton and Dr. Carl Wilson and John Thurman.

**10,000 Americans Plan Attending Geneva Institute**

By United Press.  
 GENEVA.—The third annual session of the Geneva institute of international relations opens here tomorrow and will continue in session until after the League Assembly closes towards the end of September.

Not less than ten thousand American tourists and an equal number of English are expected to attend various lectures and courses of the institute during the present session.

Since its inauguration three years ago the Institute has now become a European summer Chautauqua for students of Nation's activities.

The institute was founded and is maintained jointly by the League of Nations Nonpartisan Association of the United States and the League of Nations Union of Great Britain. These are the two largest organizations in the world now that are working for the interests of the League of Nations.

Regular daily lectures will be given to all American and English tourists, students or others who happen to be passing through Geneva or who come especially for the purpose on all of the leading international questions in which the League is interested. Many of the best international authorities in Europe as well as leading officials of the League of Nations and the International Labor Bureau give their services as lecturers before the institute.

**SWIMMING.**

HONOLULU.—Interest in swimming is again at a high pitch in Hawaii, following the visit of a swimming team from Japan which took honors away from the local splashes. A return meet in Tokio will be held in a few weeks to which the best swimmers in the territory will go.

Warren Kealoha and Johnny Wood, two Hawaiian swimmers who represent Hawaii at the Philadelphia sesqui-centennial will return from the mainland in time to go to Japan with the Hawaii team.

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**Conductor Halts Train to Search For False Teeth**

By United Press.  
 ALLIANCE, Neb., Aug. 14.—When Burlington passenger train No. 43 arrived here several minutes late, Conductor William Zollinger handed in the following report of the delay at "Ten minutes delay looking for false teeth."

Zollinger's false teeth fell out a

window when he sneezed. Stopping the train by a sudden jerk of the air cord, Zollinger searched 10 minutes in vain for the lost molars.

**FADS OF THE FAMOUS**

By United Press.  
 Politics and chess, two closely allied games, fill the life of Fieldmarshal Ludendorff. As a leader of the anti-Semitic movement, Ludendorff has now taken up a new hobby and is busily conducting researches among the pedigrees of ancient Nordic families. The anti-Semitic, fascist leader Hitler, is a frequent player in the chess games at Ludendorff's villa near Munich.

**CUTS OFF WIFE'S EARS WHEN SHE BUYS EARRINGS**

By United Press.  
 Peking.—A Chinese resident of a suburb is in jail here charged with cutting off the ears of his wife after she had submitted to him the bill for a newly purchased pair of earrings.

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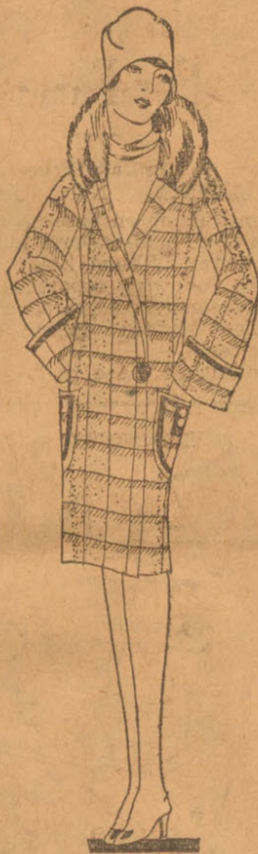
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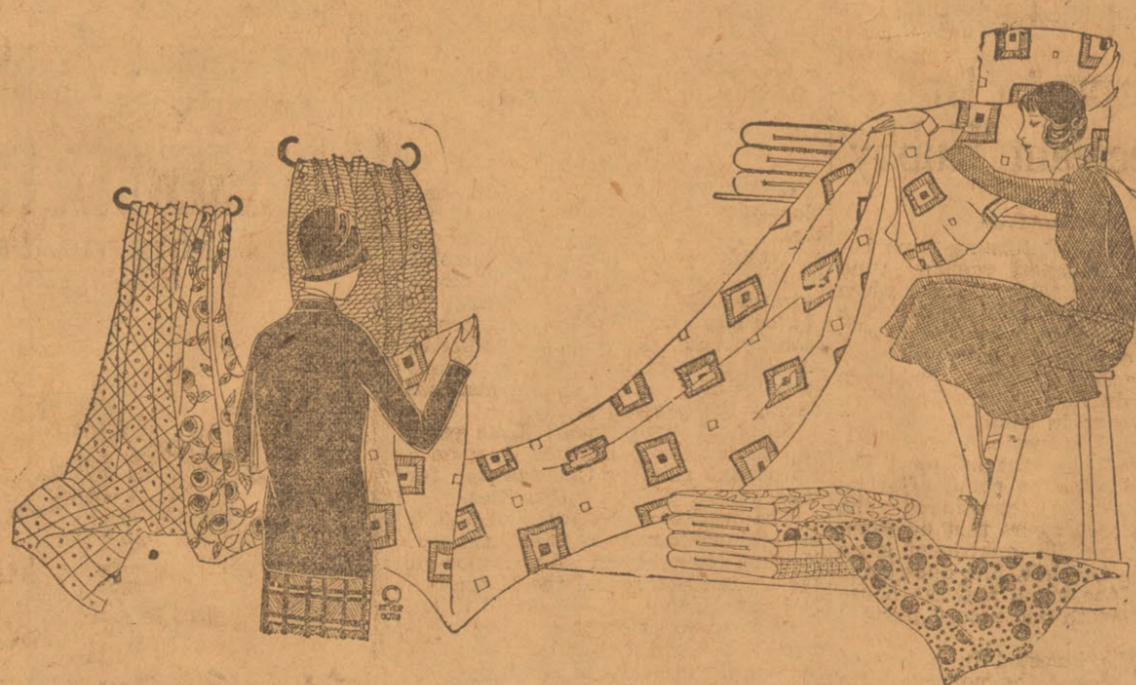


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# Love Must be Blind Judging from the Selection Some Women Make In Taking Husbands

## TO PREVENT WORRY.

Philosopher: "Always make light of your troubles."  
Dead Beat: "I do. Whenever a grocer sends me a bill I burn it."—The Progressive Grocer.

# RANGER DAILY TIMES

RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY MORNING, AUGUST 15, 1926

HON AND DEARIE.  
"You are like a peach." The maiden hung her head.  
"I'd rather be a pair," she answered. The invitations are now out.—The Progressive Grocer.

## Keeping House Aids Woman To Become Slender

By RENA B. CAMPBELL.  
If I were a beauty specialist, I would advise my beauty seeking patients to go back to housework, for after all there is nothing that contributes to beauty of face or form more than the daily duty sweetly done, in one's home.  
The woman who has spent years at a desk, and gets very little, if any, housework as her daily portion, finds quickly that the woman who stays at home is much more supple than she is. Housework brings into play every muscle in the body. Sweeping, mopping, dusting, scrubbing bath tubs and sinks, making beds, setting tables and the thousand and one things that the daily routine of housework calls for all are good for the exercising of the human body.  
When washing and ironing are added to these, it is needless to say that a housewife does not have to seek a gym for development of her figure. Most women who do their own housework are inclined to slenderness. Of course there are some fat housewives, but usually they are ones who do not work hard, but read and rock and eat.

The art of housekeeping is just as important in the scheme of things as the art of making a living. A woman who runs a man's home as if should be run, who does not phone him at the eleventh hour, or to be absolutely, at five minutes to 12, noon, "to bring a loaf of bread and some barbecue," is doing her part of the matrimonial bargain, in a 50-50 manner. It is her place to do her part just as well as the man does his—and then some—for one always expects more of women than of men, for they are supposed to be a little nearer the angels.

An old Scotch woman was one time asked her secret of happiness and content and she replied: "There is no happiness like daily duty sweetly wrought, nor any peace like God's will be done," a formula that is well worth emulating.

- MONDAY.**  
Church societies meet as usual.  
American Legion play Lions at 5:30 at Nitro park.  
Eastern Star birthday party at the Masonic hall at 8 p. m.
- TUESDAY.**  
Tuesday Bridge club meets with Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell at 2:30.  
Leveille-Maher and Salesmen play at Nitro park at 5:30.
- WEDNESDAY.**  
Rotary luncheon at the Gholson at 12:15.  
Prayer meeting at all churches in the evening.  
Oilbelt and Legion game at 5:30 p. m.
- THURSDAY.**  
Lions club luncheon at 12:15 at the DeGroff hotel.  
Leveille-Maher and Lions play at 5:30 p. m.
- FRIDAY.**  
Oilbelt and Salesmen play at 5:30 p. m.
- SATURDAY.**  
Public library open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

**FLOWERS FEATURE THURSDAY BRIDGE.**  
A great mass of lovely summer flowers, including roses, zinnias, goldenglow, and other summer favorites, featured the meeting of the Thursday Bridge club, when it met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn at her home in the Gholson addition. These flowers were showered on the hostess by several friends.

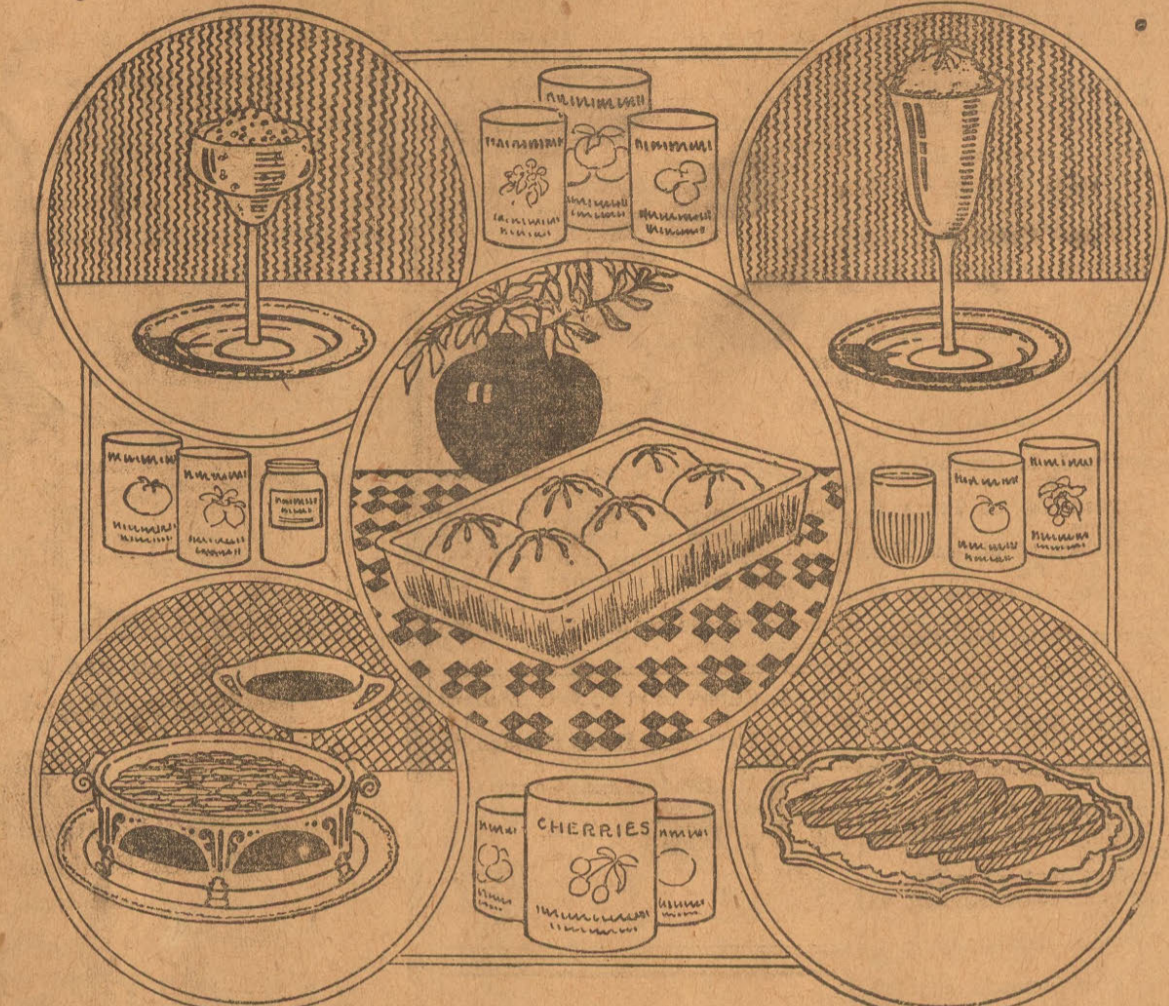
On account of a large number of the club members being out of the city on vacation trips, there were several guests present to fill their places.  
The prizes were all "hankies" and went to Mrs. R. B. Waggoner of New Mexico, who won high guest prize, Mrs. Roy James, who won high club prize, and Mrs. Davidson, who made low score.

After the game refreshments in keeping with the season were served to Misses Ed Maher, E. E. Crawford, Frank Brahaney, A. N. Harckrid, S. A. Lillard Jr., Ross Hodges, Roy Jameson, Davidson, J. D. Gholson, Quinn, Gus Coleman, and R. B. Waggoner.

**EVENING BRIDGE PARTY.**  
Misses Oreta Smith, Opal Fouts and Eleanor Alworth, entertained a number of their friends at bridge, at the home of Miss Smith, Thursday evening. The high score prize, a lovely sandwich, cheese and cracker tray, went to Miss Douschka Bobo while the low score prize, a dainty powder puff, went to Mrs. Tom Yonker. At the close of the game an ice course, carrying out a yellow and white color scheme, was served to those making up the four tables at bridge, who were Misses Mamie Ruth Langston, Lois Mangum of Henrietta, Marguerite Navakovich, Louise Baker, Douschka Bobo, Winifred Dunkle, Helen Stafford, Clara Haden of Fort Worth, Anna Seymour of Strawn, Dorothy Taggart of Eastland and Misses Tom Yonkers, Earnest Fletcher, George Rogers, Cliff Moore, Earl Brewer of Eastland and the hostesses.

**PERSONALS.**  
Miss Roma Jackson returned this week from a ten weeks visit with Miss Nona Hunt, at Santa Rita Camp near Big Lake. She also visited in Del Rio and New Mexico.  
Mrs. J. C. Michael and little daughter, Jean, have returned to Ranger, after a visit of several weeks to Mrs.

## Delicious Warm Weather Desserts



**THE** jaded warm weather appetite is apt to take on a new edge when the dessert is one of the many varieties of fruit or frozen fruit concoctions. To an unusual extent the housewife who plans and prepares the meals can make an appeal to the eye by means of these remarkably colorful and dainty looking dishes.

When prepared with the aid of canned food, the work attached to making these fruit desserts is cut in half. The cooking in many cases is entirely finished and only the packing and freezing remain. The housewife has no need to stand over a hot stove and immolate herself in the cause of attractive foods for the family. With the use of electric or crankless freezers, the freezing, too, is greatly simplified.

Double use of canned food may be obtained by using the fruits themselves in one dish and saving the juice for sherbet or for delicious summer drinks, fruit lemonade, or iced tea. Besides the many varieties of fruits, the berries prepared in cans are blackberries, red raspberries, strawberries, loganberries. There are also cherries, red sour cherries, and muscat grapes.

One of the very simplest of desserts can be prepared by freezing fruits in the can. This can be done with any kind of fruit in mixed fruits. Pack the can in a bucket of ice and salt, one part salt to three

of ice, leave for three hours. Immerse the can in hot water for a moment. Then use an improved can opener which will take the top off the can and the firm cylinder of frozen fruit is ready for use.

Here are recipes for sherbet, and for Bavarian Cream, either of them to be made with any fruit or berries.

**Sherbet**  
One can fruit, one cup sugar, two cups orange juice, two tablespoons lemon juice. Press fruit through sieve, add sugar and fruit juices, freeze and serve.

**Bavarian Cream**  
One can fruit, half cup gelatin, one pint cold water, one pint cream. Soak gelatin and whip cream. Press canned fruit through colander. Add gelatin which has been dissolved in a little boiling water, turn into bowl. Stand on cracked ice, stir till it thickens, add whipped cream, stirring well. Turn into a mold and serve with whipped cream.

**Pineapple Cherry Freeze**  
Boil one cup white sugar with two cups boiling water for ten minutes. Cool, add one cup crushed canned pineapple, one cup red sour cherries, juice of two lemons and an orange. Freeze in ice cream freezer.

**Grapefruit Appetizer**  
One cup canned pineapple, one can grapefruit, juice of one half lemon,

maraschino cherries and syrup. Drain and break up grapefruit, blend with pineapple, add lemon juice and maraschino syrup and set aside for one hour.

**Pineapple Butterscotch Parfait**  
Boil one half cup white sugar, one half cup brown sugar, two tablespoons butter with one half cup water until it forms a soft ball in cold water. Beat two egg whites, pour syrup over them. Chill, fold into one half pint whipped cream with one and a half cups drained crushed pineapple and one teaspoon vanilla. Soak one and a half teaspoons gelatin in one quarter cup cold water, melt over hot water, add to mixture. Beat, put in icebox for two hours.

Canned strawberries, raspberries, or any other kind of berries can be used for an exceptionally tasty sauce for cornstarch pudding, cottage pudding, or with sponge cake and whipped cream as a short cake. Canned peaches too make an excellent short cake.

**Fruit Dumplings**  
Drain canned fruit or berries from syrup. Put fruit or berries in center of six inch square of pastry, sugar, butter, and spice to taste. Brush white of egg on edge of pastry, bring four points to top. Brush surface with white of egg. Bake, and just before taking out, sprinkle with powdered sugar to form glaze. Make a sauce of fruit or berry syrup.

Michael's parents and other relatives in Pennsylvania and Ohio.  
Mrs. R. B. Waggoner, of Albuquerque, N. M., has been a visitor in Ranger for the past week, spending time with several of her many friends here.  
Mrs. John D. Gholson and children, accompanied by Mrs. Gholson's sister, Mrs. Quinn, have returned from a visit to relatives in Kansas and Missouri.  
Mrs. J. B. Stackable sends a card to the editor of this page in which she says, "Am in the mountains of Virginia visiting my sister. Sleep under double blankets every night and wear coats as soon as the sun goes down. Swim under shade of big sycamore trees in the afternoon. Going to Norfolk, Va., next week. All getting fat."  
Mrs. Mabel Lewis, writes from Houston that she is enjoying her summer trip and thinks the immense trees with moss hanging from them and the flowers in that city are beautiful.  
Mrs. Ed Elier of Panama City, Fla., is in Ranger visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Pitcock and other relatives.  
Harry Curry, clerk at the Gholson hotel is taking a short vacation and while he is away, Miss Lola Terry is holding that position.  
After an extended auto trip which included stops at Carlsbad, a trip through the Cavern, Ruidosa Springs, Amarillo and other interesting places Mrs. R. J. Norman and daughter, Miss Madeline are home again. Miss Norman has been away since early in the summer, when she and Miss Sue Dean motored through to Boulder, Colorado, where they attended school. Mrs. Norman met her in Amarillo and their visits to points in New Mexico started from that city.  
Mrs. Uriel Pearson has for her guest for the next two weeks an old school mate, Miss Rena May Colbath, of Waco.  
B. G. Boyd, of E. H. Davis and company has been joined here by his wife and baby, and will make their home in Ranger.  
S. W. Thompson, of Florida, brother of J. L. Thompson, is now located in Ranger, stopping at the Gholson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cull Moorman and daughter and Clarence Love and mother, Mrs. M. B. Love, left Saturday for an automobile trip through the Plains country of Texas and into New Mexico. They will be away ten days.  
Little Lila Ann Love, daughter of Virgil Love, is on a visit to her other grandmother in Waco, while her grandmother Love, is enjoying an auto trip to New Mexico.  
Miss Mable Wood is on her vaca-

tion and is spending part of her time in Mineral Wells with her father, who has been ill, and the other part in Mexico with her sister.  
J. A. Brunson, local salesman for Jacob E. Decker Packing House, went to Dallas this week end to attend a salesmen's meeting of the firm.  
**DELPHIAN SOCIETY PROGRAM.**  
The Delphian society will meet in the green room of the Gholson hotel Thursday, Aug. 26, at 2:30 p. m.  
Roll call to be answered with current events. The following questions are to be discussed and the answers will be found in the January quarterly with the exception of the second question.  
From the reports of the British campaigns in Mosul and the French in Syria and Morocco, what claims have these countries to moral superiority? Mrs. Carroll.  
What is the root of China's troubles? Give the provisions for tariff revision recently secured in China, and tell America's part in this. Define exteriority, and tell how it has operated in China. (See Delphian quarterly for April, 1925). Mrs. O'Donnell.  
Why can our government not have subject people or colonies such as European nations possess? What differences in policies arise from these differences of governmental tradition? Mrs. Anderson.  
What are the advantages of such conferences as those held at Rochester, Cleveland, Huntington, Shreveport, and Flint? Mrs. Jenett.  
What are the seven secrets of the Gate City chapter's success? Comment upon the Norton chapter's historical-personage banquet. Mrs. Dreinhofner.  
Discuss the benefits of presenting amateur theatricals, as exemplified in the Panther chapter or at Shreveport conference. Mrs. Granger.  
Comment on the work of the Centerville Beta in art, the Cleveland Gamma in drama, the Mendon in art, the Austin in civic improvement, and the general fellowship in study displayed in other chapters. Mrs. Chapman.

**PASTIME CLUB MET WITH THE LOGSDONS.**  
While there were not many of the members of the Pastime club present at the regular every-other-week meeting of the Pastime club Tuesday evening, on account of so many of them being out of the city, it was a very happy affair. Dr. and Mrs. Harry Logsdon, at their home on the Strawn road, were host and hostess, and at 7:30 o'clock served a supper of chop suey and watermelon to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Roy

Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gullahorn, and Mr. Gus Coleman. Bridge followed and luck was with the Crawford family, as both of them took home the high score prize. Mr. Gullahorn won the low score favor.  
**NOON DAY LUNCHEON PRETTY AFFAIR.**  
One of the prettiest affairs of the week, was the noonday luncheon given by Mrs. A. L. Duffer, at her home Saturday. Guests assembled at 1:30 and found their places at Zinnia bedecked tables, by means of gay prints dressed girl place cards, whose gay dresses almost rivaled the gray of the predominant flower. Other late summer flowers were used in house decorations. This luncheon, which also included Mrs. Duffer's sisters, Mrs. Earnest Fletcher and Miss Lois Mangum, was not given solely in their honor, but was a pretty courtesy to all who were grouped around the luncheon tables.  
After luncheon the guests adjourned to the living room and enjoyed an hour's conversation, with music interspersing.  
Those enjoying this pleasant gathering were Mrs. R. H. Hodges, Steve A. Lillard Jr., C. E. May, Mr. R. Newnam, R. F. Holloway, Garxin Chastain, J. F. Riehnhofer, Roy Jameson, I. L. Lauderdale, Ed Maher, Rex Outlaw, J. F. Champion, S. P. Boon, M. H. Hagaman, C. D. Wood, Joe Driskoll of Eastland, Earnest Fletcher, Miss Mangum and the hostess.  
**P. N. G. CLUB MET WITH MRS. KELLEY.**  
The Ranger P. N. G. Club met with Mrs. F. L. Kelley Wednesday afternoon, with eight past noble grand present. Refreshments were served at the end of the business and social session.  
The next meeting will be with Mrs. Camille, at 535 Byrnes avenue on Wednesday, August 18.

**A BREAKFAST COMPLIMENTS TWO SISTERS.**  
Mrs. A. L. Duffer on Thursday morning, at her home on Eastland Hill, compliments her two sisters, Mrs. Earnest Fletcher, a recent bride, and Miss Lois Mangum, of Henrietta, her house guest, with a charmingly appointed breakfast at ten o'clock.  
Tables were lavishly decorated in garden flowers, and place cards depicting dainty little ladies, were found on the top of the tea goblets at the respective places, marking places for Misses Aubrey Jameson, Ross Hodges, Joe Driskoll of Eastland, Eddie Horrigan of Cisco and Misses Helen Stafford, Sue Dean, Gillian Buchanan, Lucile Buchanan,

Mayme Ruth Langston, Douschka Bobo, the honor guests and the hostess.  
Mrs. Duffer graciously presented Mrs. Fletcher with a handsome serving tray and Miss Mangum with a water service set, as a remembrance of the occasion.  
After breakfast, the guests spent some time in conversation and in getting acquainted with Miss Mangum, for of course, they needed no introduction to the other honor guest, who prior to her marriage this summer, was Miss Belle Jean Mangum, a most popular Ranger teacher.

**TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
The Tuesday Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at her home 708 South Austin street. Members please take notice.

**NEW ERA CLUB BOOKS READY.**  
The New Era Club Year Books for 1926-27 are now ready and they are very charming as to looks and to contents, and the year book committee composed of Misses A. H. Allison, O. L. Phillips and W. W. Housewright, deserve much credit for their work in compiling such a smart looking year book.  
The covers are of gold, tied with purple, the club's colors, and bear the club name, town, date, district and course of study, "The Contemporary American Novel." On page 3, the Little Theatre Movement is given as special work, which reminds one that last year the New Era Club had the Ranger Little Theatre given their annual play instead of outside talent and found it a paying proposition from a monetary standpoint, as well as from the satisfaction they derived from promoting home talent.  
The club will open its year's activities in an opening reception on September 29. The first program will be on October 13, with Mrs. L. C. G. Buchanan as leader. During the year a number of American novels will be discussed including, "Huckleberry Finn," "The Rise of Silas Lapham," "The Age of Innocence," "O. Pioneer," "Rose of Dutcher Cooley," "The Common Law," "Babitt," "Java Head," "The Magnificent Ambersons," and "Alice Adams."  
This is the first year book to reach the editor's desk and the New Era Club must feel justly proud that this part of their work is done.

## CHURCHES

- FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.**  
You are invited to attend the Methodist church services today. Sunday school at 9:45 promptly, and will close at 10:45.  
The pastor will preach at the morning hour. New members will be received at this time. We have hundreds of Methodists in Ranger who ought to be in the church. Better come on and join now and be a worker in the revival campaign rather than stay outside and have to be worked on.  
Church services on High school grounds where the last service before the revival meeting begins, at 8 o'clock. Senior league meets at 7:15. A. W. Hall, pastor.
- FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
Corner Marston and Walnut streets. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. S. B. Baker, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m. Subject of sermon by pastor, "The Story of Sampson and Its Lessons." Y. P. S. C. E., 7:15 p. m. Union service on school grounds, 8 p. m. G. D. Robison, pastor.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Walter Murray in charge. We want every member there and on time. Preaching at 11 a. m. Service one hour. Come where it is cool, clean and comfortable. Ceiling fans make a breeze. B. Y. P. U. at 7:15. Be there to get to the community service on time.
- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Main, near Marston.  
H. B. Johnson, pastor.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., E. T. Walton, superintendent.  
Preaching at 11 a. m., but no worship at the church at evening service as we will all go to union service at high school grounds at which time Brother Riberson will preach.  
Don't forget the Golden Rule Bible Class will meet at the Lamb Theatre at usual time. Mr. Holloway will be here and all will study sixth chapter of Mark.  
Remember the union revival will begin next Sunday and we hope every one will make plans to attend these services. Rev. Mr. Hog is a great preacher and great good is expected. Come and worship with us this morning. Special music.
- CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday school, 9:45, N. O. White, superintendent.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Christian Success."  
B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m., Wm. Cross and Mrs. Hamblen are the sponsors for the young people.  
Evening worship, 8 p. m. We will all attend the co-operative meeting at the high school grounds.  
W. M. S. All three circles will meet at the home of Mrs. O. Hemblens, 452 Pine street, Monday afternoon at 2:30.  
Subject, Cuba.  
Song: "The Light of the World is Jesus."  
Devotion by Mrs. W. Waggoner.  
Special Hawaiian music by three young ladies.  
Topics, on Fans.  
Missionary talk by Mrs. Poe.  
Reading: "God Let Me Give," by Miss Ruby Nell Poe.  
Adjourn with prayer.

## RANGER WATER SUPPLY GOES THROUGH MANY PROCESSES FOR USE

By RENA B. CAMPBELL.  
After a visit to the city water plant near Hagaman lake, Ranger, one concludes that water goes through as many hands before it reaches the ultimate consumer, as milady does when she turns herself over to a beauty specialist and tells her to go the limit. While the water at Hagaman lake is not exactly shampooed and marcelled, it goes through many a kink, and is tossed about, treated with chemicals, settled in concrete basins, filtered, and passed before it goes into the big sealed basins, where it is not touched by human hands until milady turns the faucet on in her bathroom or kitchen. It is as scientifically clean and pure as water can be made. It is tested and tried, and constant fork is under way for its improvement.

The average Ranger citizen has a very vague idea as to where Ranger's water supply comes from. Hagaman lake to them is a place that is, and its location just about as clear as mud. Few know that out beyond the Hagaman home on Tiffin road, is a beautiful lake, and a pretty two-story pump house, of red brick, with the lower story whitewashed, all surrounded by bits of landscaping that would do any city proud. It is true the engineer, W. C. Blackmond, has not had much money to work with, but he has a talent for coaxing things to grow and knows how to plant to an advantage. Given some cement for walks, a lawn mower, and a few other necessary tools, Mr. Blackmond could work wonders.

Finished 1913.  
The Hagaman lake was finished in 1913. It was built by M. H. Hagaman on his farm, by damming up the waters of Palo Pinto creek, which ran beside his farm, and was to furnish the irrigation necessary for his crops. There were a number of permanent water holes in the creek and these added to the volume of water usually in it, soon filled up the dam. The Hagamans had no idea when they conceived the idea of the big lake that it would ever be used for industrial purposes other than their own, nor for municipal use. When the boom came on they sold the farm to the Prairie and water from the lake was used to drill half the wells in this country.

Franchise 1919.  
In 1919 they got a franchise and put in the present waterworks system, which was later sold to the city

and improved, but the lake remains the Hagaman property. Its capacity is 400,000 gallons of water.  
The original pumping house is still intact with a Foss engine ready for use in case of emergency. The old irrigation plant had three Gould plunger pumps, 600 gallons per minute capacity, with two 25-horsepower Fairbanks-Morse engines for power and any or all of this machinery can be used if necessary.  
Chemically Dosed.  
A deep channel, some 14 feet in depth, brings the water from the lake to the pumping station, and there its trouble begins, for it is slapped and beaten around most fantastically when it comes in contact with the big aerator and power wheel which looks like a many flanged fountain, which is calculated to not only aerate it but to remove bad odors, and taste, and is also brought in direct contact with the oxygen of the air which neutralizes the iron content of the water. It also thoroughly diffuses and mixes the chemical dose with the raw water, which in turn coagulates with the suspended matter in form of dirt, silt or any form of bacteria that might be present in the water. Then it is precipitated to the bottom of a 12-foot basin with a 500,000-gallon capacity, or more than 24 hours supply.  
After the water is chemically treated and settled, it is carried by means of large pipes to the filter beds, where it is allowed to find its way down through about five feet of sand and gravel, where it is emptied into a clear well basins, which is sealed, and cannot be contaminated from any outside source of corruption and from there pumped by means of an electric pumping unit to the city's mains for distribution.  
The reservoir in the city acts as a reserve, and has a capacity of 500,000 gallons, and assures a constant pressure at all times.  
The aerator is triple in its action, as it aerates, oxidizes and drives a specially constructed machine which automatically controls the chemical doses. This machine was conceived, constructed and installed by Mr. Blackmond.  
Testing for bacteria is carried on daily. "The guardian angel," as the chlorine gas machine is called, is using for sterilizing many remaining matter that might be left in the water after its filtered and treated, and is the very last precaution taken. No germ can live exposed to the gas.

## Charming Hat



This new velvet hat has the crown caught at one side with a knot. The trim has an unusually charming line.

## Tourists Visit Nation's Capitol Though Closed

WASHINGTON—An unending line of tourists file each day through the deserted corridors of the capitol where a few weeks ago the Senate, the House and the Supreme Court were busy at the business of the nation.  
There are not more than ten Senators in Washington this summer and less than 50 Representatives. That average will be maintained during the recess. Some will leave but others will return to take their place.  
Workmen are busy on the Senate floor tearing up the old boards to replace them with new and better wood. The big doors of the House chamber are locked. Dust cloths are spread over the benches of the Supreme Court.  
Washington is no summer resort and senators and congressmen usually relinquish their employes a short time after adjournment. They spread from coast to coast. Statisticians estimate that the population of the city decreases by perhaps 5,000 during adjournment time.  
The few senators and congressmen who have remained in town this summer in most instances were required to remain here because of their health. Newspapers tramping through the office buildings have little to inquire about except the health of the legislators who remain. As soon as the Senate, the House and the Court go, the news goes with them.  
But two weeks before convening time to bustle will begin again. Senators and congressmen will return from their homes full of new ideas. Their employes will return. The House and Senate restaurants will reopen. The snuff boxes in the Senate will be refilled and thousands again will be busy making history for the nation.  
**Boyle's Village Of England Is Now Rejoicing**  
LONDON—The "boyle's village of England" has a boy at last. Beaworth, in Hampshire, northeast of Winchester, was known because it did not boast of any boys in its population. The parish vicar had to content himself with a choir of girls. Now he soon can have a boy soloist, since Mr. and Mrs. Knight have a son.  
The trouble is said to be a lack of cottages. None have been built in Beaworth for more than 50 years, so when the young men want to settle after marriage, they must usually find homes elsewhere. The young Knight boy has a slightly older sister, but the next in age among the young men of Beaworth is sixteen years old.

J. L. Chapman, commissioner vs A. M. Wilburn.  
Benjamin D. Wilmer vs L. Kleiman et al.



### Chrysler Sees Big Demand For Roomy Auto

A tremendous undeveloped market in the small car field for an automobile that is larger, more roomy, much better riding and exceptionally

durable, is seen by Walter P. Chrysler, president of the Chrysler corporation. In a statement on this question, Mr. Chrysler says: "Fully aware that there are today nearly 20 million motor cars owned in the United States—or one to every six persons—it seems to me that there are almost unlimited possibilities in that market. Such a car must, of course, combine in it these qualities no other car in that field possesses, if it is to register the success

of which I speak. "There is no question in my mind but what the people who prefer a low-priced, quality automobile are desirous of having built into that car certain features that heretofore have not been made available to that field. The industry has not given sufficient attention to the man who drives a small, low-priced car. It simply has gone on the assumption that the same measure of comforts that must be incorporated into every car of higher price, if it is to be successful, could not be built into the smaller cars. "I disagree most emphatically with that assumption. The person who prefers to drive a small car is entitled to every consideration that can be given him. It is impossible to build the qualities of comfort, roominess, easy riding and long life into a small car. The possibilities with such a car are so tremendous that it can actually be built in great quantities at remarkably low cost, if the manufacturer has the capacity and organization to do it. "Medical authorities have definitely established the fact that the man who continuously drives a small car suffers from abnormal and excessive fatigue and nervous strain because of the noise, jolting, bouncing and excessive vibration he has always undergone to date in that type car. He has been compelled to put up with these discouraging conditions because up to the present no one has gone about the task of designing a small, low-cost car that remedied them. "Whenever he has had opportunity to take his family for a long weekend drive or for a tour across several states during his vacation, the entire family has been forced to tolerate the same condition. "Better designed cars, built to a single standard of higher quality, with modern space engineering, improved springs and generally improved riding comfort, are bound to remedy this and are bound to enjoy a conspicuous success for their producer. "There is a ready-made market of 100,000 cars the first year for the company, which produces that type of car. We are going to do it. Unless we are far astray in our judgment of what the American public wants in the so-called small car field, it will appreciate such a car to the extent that it will make it an outstanding success from the first day it is given opportunity to ride in that type of car."

### 37 Cases Set For Trial In The September Court

The September term of the 88th District Court, Elzo Been judge, opens Monday morning, September 6th, at 10 o'clock. The first week has been designated as non-jury civil week. Tuesday, the second of the term, is appearance day and docket will be sounded at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Thirty-seven cases have been set for trial during the first week of the terms as follows:

- Monday, September 6.**  
 American National Bank vs Alamo Oil & Refining company.  
 Guaranty State Bank, Ranger, vs E. B. Reid.  
 G. W. Williamson vs James C. Barker.  
 Oilbelt Motor Co. vs S. E. Austin, Sec. State Bank & Trust Co. vs E. E. Wyrick et al.  
 Federal Reserve Bank, Dallas vs E. E. Stephens.  
 M. G. Carpenter vs Gillman & Simmons.  
 J. C. Dysart vs J. L. Lancaster et al.  
 Burdett Oxygen Co. of Texas vs J. L. Lewis et al.  
 G. H. McCleskey et al. vs Mrs. Myrtle Sherwood et al.  
 Ed Hall, commissioner, vs E. L. Lewis et al.  
 J. C. Brewster vs O. W. Blanebecker et al.  
 Guaranty State Bank, Ranger, vs R. B. Wheeler.  
 Guaranty State Bank, Ranger, vs S. F. McCarty.  
 W. R. Fleming vs Ralph G. Stockman et al.  
 Robt. Harruff vs M. A. Wogan.  
 Geo. M. Easley & Co. vs Ranger Fishing Tool Co.  
**Tuesday, September 7th.**  
 J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs R. D. Lavery.  
 J. L. Chapman, commissioner vs R. A. Hodges.  
 J. L. Chapman, commissioner vs R. H. Hodges, et al.  
 C. H. Fee vs Morris Jouvenant.  
 J. L. Chapman, commissioner vs L. L. Rector.  
 J. L. Chapman, commissioner vs R. G. Stockman.  
 Homer Proper vs James Miller et al.  
 First National Bank, Gorman vs G. A. Davison et al.

### Two Eastland Boys Know How It Feels to Be Broke

Oscar Fisher and Claude Dabbs, sons of Sim Dabbs and George Fisher, living a few miles North of Eastland, know what it means to be away from home, short of funds, and under suspicion of being automobile thieves.

Recently Oscar and Claude purchased a Ford and started out through West Texas on a motor trip. Last Friday they were at Post where they decided a little cash and attempted to pawn their Ford for \$10. The small amount they sought to obtain on the Ford, aroused the suspicion of the party they were offering it to, that the car had been stolen and he notified the sheriff of Garza county.

The Garza county officer took the boys in charge and telephoned Sheriff Bob Edwards of Eastland, giving him the name and description of the boys, the number of the car and the story told him by the boys as to whom they were and where they got the car. Sheriff Edwards was quite sure they had not stolen the car, but he drove out to the home of the boys North of town and learned that the boys were away from home and that they were driving their own car. He then telephoned the Garza county officer to release them which was immediately done.

- C. A. Gillam et al vs J. C. Manard et al.  
 First National Bank Gorman vs R. L. Hess.  
 First National Bank, Gorman vs R. L. Hess et al.  
 W. H. Lay vs J. B. Rose.  
 G. F. Tate vs W. G. Bull.  
 Thos H. Quinn vs A. A. Hutton.  
 E. G. Hafele vs J. T. Burrows.  
 J. L. Chapman vs W. Lander.

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### Hudson-Essex New Cars Are Now on Display

With a more colorful appearance and pleasing lines, a new line of Hudson Super-Six cars went on display today at the establishment of White-Hampton Motor Co., Hudson-Essex dealers.

Under this arrangement, the standard line of Hudson cars consists of but three models, all enclosed. They are the coach, now of all-steel construction, and the brougham and sedan. It is understood that Hudson is still building open cars for the export market, and that they can be had on order. But the short list of cars now announced is in line with the Hudson-Essex policy of specializing on enclosed cars of obtaining highly economical manufacture through limiting efforts to those cars which have a broad popularity.

Prices have advanced on the cars, but the Hudson selling organization is more than offset this in the eyes of buyers. This is the first Hudson-Essex price increase announced for several seasons.

**Motor Changes**  
"In addition to the cars being more beautiful," said Mr. Hampton,

"the motor has had some slight changes which result in a better standard of gasoline consumption than we have had for the past few seasons. These alterations are in the manifold, and so improve the distribution of fuel to the cylinders that all the pick-up and power of the Super-Six is retained while the mileage of gasoline is substantially improved.

"We are now prepared to show buyers that the Hudson is an excellent economical car to operate. We feel that it is unmatched in any automobile which can approach its general standard of performance. The Super-Six motor has been under development for nearly 11 years now, and it is interesting to note that it

has had from the start many features which are just now being generally adopted and announced on other cars. Its patented Super-Six crankshaft remains today the only shaft which is inherently balanced to prevent vibration. The general idea of antivibration devices, even the newer ones, is to dampen out the effects of vibration, rather than to prevent it before it starts, as is the Hudson idea.

"The new all-steel coach is a remarkable development of the coach idea. The body itself is literally 'as rigid as a steel building,' while the color combination outside and the upholstery inside is particularly attractive. Mounted on the Super-Six chassis, it provides an unusual impression of stability and safety under all riding conditions.

"The brougham and sedan are built of aluminum sheets over a frame of selected hardwood. This is in line with the Hudson policy of several years' standing. The color combinations are handsome, while the interiors are more roomy, comfortable and rich in appearance.

### County's Balance In Treasury All Funds \$356,938.74

The monthly report of County Treasurer J. T. Sue of Eastland county shows a cash balance on hand of \$356,938.74 in all funds.

This amount is divided into deposits in the various banks, with the Texas State Bank, Eastland, holding \$168,703.37; the Hanover National of New York, \$13,089.00; Central Commercial National, Chicago, \$16.51; Continental State Bank of Gorman, \$174,568.11; W. S. Michael county auditor, \$500; cash on hand in treasurers office, \$61.75; money on hand in the Chicago and New York banks is for the purpose of meeting interest payments on outstanding bonds.

With the exceptions for the funds for roads and bridges in precinct 1 and 3, there is a credit in practically all the other funds. Road and bridges fund, precinct No. 1, shows a deficit of \$151.59 and in precinct No. 3 a debit of \$380.40. There is a small deficit in 1925 series No. 2 road warrants of 23 cents and the R. B. George Machinery Company warrants of 16 cents.

Credits in the various other funds follow:  
Jury \$10,826.21; road and bridge \$139.91; general fund, \$1,699.57; court house and jail, \$90.23; state highway and maintenance, \$4,728.69; road and bridges precinct 4, \$1,114.73; road bond \$159,438.61; special road and bridge fund, L. C. Hamilton, \$2,045; court house and jail, interest and sinking fund, \$18,145.69; road bond interest sinking fund, \$149,824.94.

The statement also makes mention of the fact that the total warrants now outstanding amount to \$3,058,40.

### Plans Complete For Eastland Co. Annual Fair

The Central West Texas Fair, which has been combined the Civic League Flower Show, and Better Babies Contest, the Eastland County Poultry Raisers' Show and the Fifty-First Anniversary and Home-Coming Celebration for the City of Eastland will hold its second annual exhibit at the Fair Grounds in Connelley Park Eastland, September 22, 23, 24 and 25, inclusive.

In the second annual West Texas Fair, you will find something larger and better than the first year. With the experience gained from the former fair behind them, the various committees in charge this year, have outlined plans that should make this year's show a much better one from every standpoint, than the first one. Instead of tents, which housed the exhibits last year, adequate buildings will house them this year. Other improvements on equipment are to be made so that both exhibits and the visitors will be better cared for this season than last.

Among the numerous features of the fair this year will be the Civic League Flower Show, the Eastland Merchants' Annual Style Show, and the Eastland County Poultry Raisers' Annual Show.

While it is not too early to list a complete program of amusements, entertainments, etc., it can be announced at this time that the C. A. Vernon Shows will be at the Fair.

There will also be football games, horse races, etc., during the four days.

### Car Thieves Again Active In The County

Car thieves are again becoming active in Eastland county as evidenced by the fact that three Fords were stolen in Rising Star Thursday night, and a Buick were taken from Cisco the same night.

Some months ago car thieves became very active in Eastland county, but the stealing was broken up when the officers rounded up several members of an alleged gang who were charged with stealing, or being responsible for the stealing of many of the cars that had been lost.

### Boxer Days Again Recalled by New Chinese Order


PEKING—"Hard Stomach Societies" featured by ritual and immunity beliefs reminiscent of Chinese Boxer days, are being formed in Hupeh province, according to reports received here.

The men belonging to these bands go through a course of Chinese gymnastics combined with religious rites. Finally they reach a point where their bodies are supposed to be impervious to sword or bullet. In various encounters with bandit bands these supposedly immune men have been hurt or killed, but the explanation is given that their immunity wears off quickly if the rites are not renewed.

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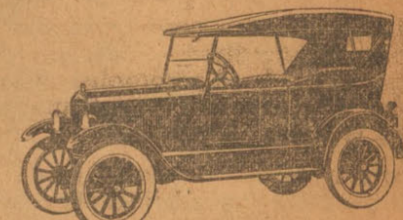
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### Oaklands First To Use Harmonic Balancer Spring

The Oakland Motor Car company, which has pioneered many important developments in the automobile industry, has taken another forward step through the refinement and improvement of the harmonic balancer which Oakland first adopted in its original form more than a year ago.

The harmonic balancer is a device attached to the crank shaft which counteracts and absorbs all tendency toward torsional vibration. Its principle is best compared to a pedestrian's action in automatically and unconsciously swinging his arm in a direction opposite to that in which his leg is swinging. A small bar, pivoted at right angles to the crank shaft and with its ends held by tension springs, sets up a counteracting force in the crankshaft opposite and equal to the forces created by torsional vibration. The crankshaft, like the body of the pedestrian, thus is freed from vibration or sway.

Oakland first adopted the harmonic balancer in July, 1925. This original type of balancer since has been adopted by several other motor car manufacturers.

In the new type recently pioneered by Oakland, two important changes have been made. First, the flat leaf springs which supported the ends of the original harmonic balancer have been replaced by coil springs which balance the arm more effectively. Second, the action of these new springs has permitted the use of a lighter and much more sensitive balancer arm.

The lighter harmonic balancer now used on the greater Oakland six has been found to excel greatly the performance of the old balancer because its light weight renders it more quickly responsive to any suggestion of torsional vibration. In other words, the slightest tendency of the shaft to whip or vibrate instantly sets the new harmonic balancer into action and the shaft remains quietly rigid.

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### Graham Trucks And Coaches Are In Big Demand

For the first time in the history of their trucks and motor coaches have been delivered in a single week at retail by Dodge Brothers dealers in the United States and Canada. The record of 1041 during the week ended July 31 follows closely the record of 896 delivered during the week ended July 3 and is more than twice the figure for the best week last year. Compared with the corresponding week of 1925, when 347 were sold the gain is 694 trucks or 200 per cent.

During five weeks ended July 11 deliveries of trucks and motor coaches totaled 4089. The increase over the preceding five weeks was 15.7 per cent and over the five weeks ended August 1 last year was 2408 units or 143 per cent. "The rapidly growing demand for a dependable transportation unit of 1-ton capacity," declares Mr. Rutherford of the Rutherford Motor Co., local Dodge Brothers dealer, "is evidenced by the increasing ratio of this capacity to the heavier trucks, 2139 or 53.6 per cent of the total deliveries of Graham Brothers trucks and motor coaches during July were of this capacity. The fact that prior to introduction of the G-Boy, Graham Brothers new 1-ton truck, less than one third of their output was of that capacity and that now over half are of that type shows clearly the constantly increasing approval of this sturdy little truck."

### Dodge Brothers Retail Deliveries Break All Records

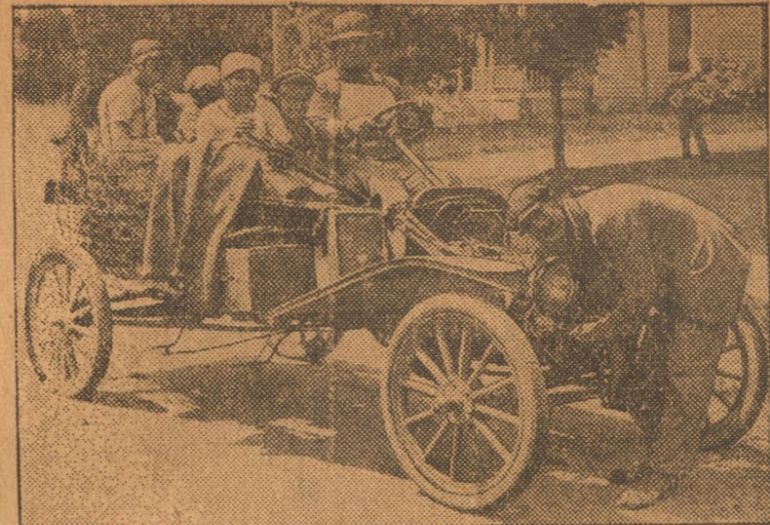
All previous records of retail deliveries by Dodge Bros. dealers in the United States have been eclipsed by the new delivery figures achieved during the last days of July. During the seven week days from the opening of business July 24 to midnight July 31, 12,015 new motor cars and trucks were placed in the hands of owners. On one day, Saturday, July 31, deliveries totaled 3,093, almost half of the number delivered during the whole of the best week last year.

During the period from June 24 to Aug. 1 41,886 motor cars and trucks were delivered. Compared with 35,700 during the previous five weeks this year the gain is 6,186 units or 17.3 per cent. Against deliveries of 23,245 during the five weeks ending Aug. 1, last year. The gain was 18,641 or 80 per cent.

"The records are nothing short of sensational," says Mr. Rutherford, of the Rutherford Motor company, local Dodge Brothers dealer. At a time when sales of many makes of motor cars are at low ebb due to the announcement of the expected announcement of new 1927 models, sales records surpassing those of the peak of the spring selling season are indeed evidence of the soundness of Dodge Brothers long established policy of constant improvement without yearly models and of public approval of their product."

Strong language usually comes from a weak mind.

### Who Wants Frills, Anyway?



There aren't any frills on this family caravan, but it covers the ground and everybody's happy—and what more can you ask? The picture shows how Fred Moore and his family are motoring from Lawrenceburg, Tenn., to Toledo, O.

### New Features Of Chevrolet Cut Vibration

New features and mechanical refinements adding still further to ease of operation and driving comfort, and striking new Duco colors characterize the "smoothest Chevrolet" just announced.

A motor even more remarkable for smoothness of operation and new colors that reflect the latest and most harmonious blending of smart lines and artistic hues are revealed in this car. The new features are announced in the middle of the greatest sales year in Chevrolet history.

Among the more important new features included are the following: A new cross member, strengthening the motor support at the transmission housing, thus still further reducing vibration and at the same time adding greater ruggedness to frame and chassis; a re-designed cam shaft with cams scientifically rounded to eliminate noise; gas and spark controls mounted with horn button on top of the steering column, affording not only easier control in driving but also giving a more artistic appearance; an improved universal joint with trunnions operating in separate bushings

to give longer wear and to afford easier access; a new battery and battery support, and a more sturdy tie-rod between the front fenders which permits a more rigid support of the headlights and their better focusing.

A notable feature is the ingenious stop-light switch which has no wire attached to the brake pedal and no pull-back spring on the switch, eliminating a frequent source of annoyance of failure to function properly. The new switch is of non-arcing, lever type and is operated by the brake rod.

The new battery is equipped with a solid rubber case and has the handles built in as part of the case, thus eliminating metal handles which are subject to corrosion. The new type carrier holds the battery in such a way as to eliminate any strains on the battery case and the consequent liability of breakage.

New, brilliant and striking combinations of colors in Duco appear on all the models. The sedan is finished in Algerian blue; the coach in Thebes gray; the landau in Alpine green; the coupe in Dundee gray; while all open models are finished in Biscay green.

All models have a rear view mirror and there is a handy pocket in right front door of closed cars as standard equipment. The landau, sedan and coupe are equipped with disc wheels. Balloon tires are standard equipment on all closed models. The wood wheels on the coach, touring and roadster are now finished in Duco.

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Now Chevrolet adds to the performance, beauty and completeness of equipment that have been winning the world to Chevrolet—

—by developing the smoothest Chevrolet in Chevrolet history, by enhancing its smart appearance and by adding features which increase the economy and satisfaction of Chevrolet purchase and ownership!

A triumph of engineering science and research, today's Chevrolet is the only low-priced car ever to offer every quality of smooth car performance.

Forty to fifty miles an hour as long as you like without the slightest sense

of fatigue! Remarkable smoothness at every speed! Acceleration that is a delight in traffic! Power that conquers hills and mud and sand—

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every one of the four lines—a common source of engineering skill—a division of overhead and operating costs—a combination of buying resources—a magnificent system of special machines and special processes devised to insure invariable accuracy in the manufacture of all four lines of cars—a positive protective process of guaranteeing the owner exactly the same basic quality no matter what price he pays or which Chrysler car he buys.

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CHRYSLER IMPERIAL "80"—Phaeton, \$2495; Roadster (with wheels standard equipment, wood wheels optional), \$2595; Coupe, two-passenger, \$2895; Coupe, four-passenger, \$2895; Sedan, five-passenger, \$3095; Sedan, seven-passenger, \$3195; Cabriolet, \$3495; Sedan-Limousine, \$3595.

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### Booze and Tobacco Cause Blindness Declares Expert

By DERRICK T. VAIL, Sr., M. D., Member Gorgas Memorial Institute. (Written for the United Press.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Shakespeare in "Othello" puts these words of keen remorse in the speech of Cassio who, in a drunken frenzy, has stabbed his friend: "O God, that men should put an enemy in their mouths to steal away their brains."

Had he lived in these days of prohibition and blue laws when the religion of many men and women seems to be free license to poison their bodies with home brew, moonshine, tobacco and poisonous drugs, he may have aptly written: "O God, that men and women should put in their mouths that which steals away their eyesight."

When nicotine and alcohol cannot be assimilated because of a jaded, over-stimulated and undernourished body, they act as poisons and are apt to produce inflammation of the optic nerves resulting in gradual blindness. A person who is "fall run down" needs food and rest, not poisonous stimulants.

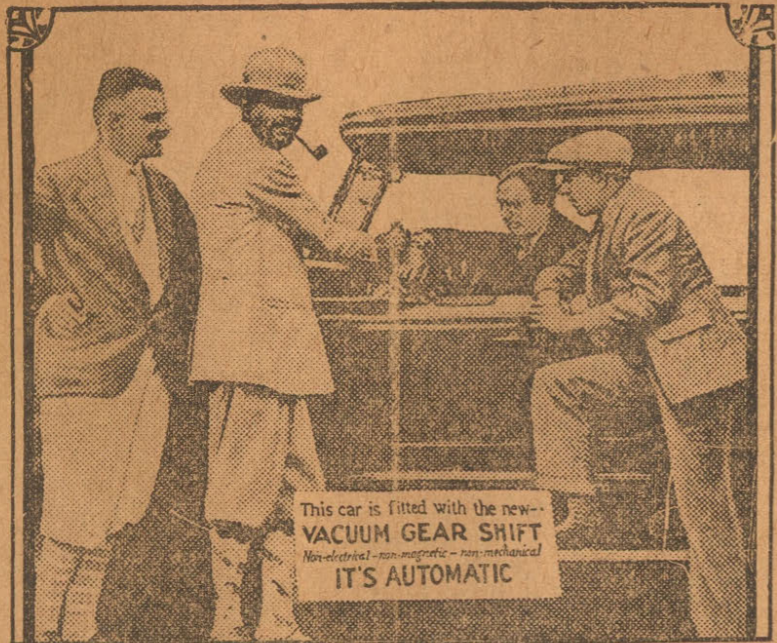
Large doses of quinine, taken when body nutrition is low, will sometimes produce blindness and deafness. Wood alcohol acts still more tragically, causing death or hopeless blindness, depending on the amount consumed.

In blindness from wood alcohol, the optic nerves are so paralyzed that in a few hours' time they are "dead as Caesar." The optic nerves appear cadaverous and white as snow. Their nourishing blood vessels have all dried up. Such optic nerves will shrivel to be nothing but fibrous cords. Stygian darkness results and no remedy will bestow sight.

In optic nerve poisoning with alcohol and tobacco, alone or combined, the blindness is much slower in developing; so slow indeed that the victim does not notice failing vision for some weeks. He first observes that colors do not appear so bright and he cannot see to read as before. A blind spot forms in the center vision which gets larger and denser.

A cure is possible in tobacco and alcohol blindness if the cause is discovered in time. The remedy is simple: just stop the use of tobacco and booze in every manner, shape and form.

### Automobile Safety in One Finger



Ira Vail, national dirt-track champion, demonstrating the new safety vacuum gear shift to Harry Hartz, winner of the 120 mile race at Speedway, N. J., and to racing drivers and officials. Left to right: E. L. Thompson, Chairman Contest Committee, A.A.A., Fred Wagner, starter at the big races, Ira Vail and Harry Hartz.

AFTER four years of rigid test an important safety device for automobiles has been perfected in the vacuum gear shift which makes the shifting of gears as simple as retarding the spark. By the use of a partial vacuum obtained from the engine all faults of electrical, mechanical and magnetic gear shifts are avoided.

For beginners and those nervous when driving in traffic the vacuum gear shift removes their great handicap since no complicated coordination of leg and arm movements is necessary. The full braking power of the engine may be used descending steep dangerous grades. Left hand turns and stopping and starting in dense traffic becomes a simple question of moving one finger.

The gears can be shifted by this finger without taking either hand from the wheel. It is only necessary to move the speed selector just under the rim of the wheel and then throw out the clutch as usual. A special latch makes it impossible to

go into reverse and gears cannot be stripped.

A final test of the new device was recently made. Three cars equipped with the shift started from Larchmont, N. Y., and made the trip to Boston with the driver of the test car manning the wheel. His right hand was made fast by a handcuff which was not removed until the car reached the automobile speedway near Atlantic City. This trip was continued from Boston through Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York and New Jersey to Philadelphia and then to Atlantic City.

During the return trip the test car was driven by Ira Vail, champion dirt-track driver, who was manning the first driver had been. At Larchmont, N. Y., the handcuff was unlocked by the Chief of Police in the presence of other town officials and of George L. Sexton representing the inventor. Driven by day and by night and through two very severe storms the entire journey was without any mishap and a new safety record was made.

### Australian Fighters Are Comig to U. S.

By United Press.

SYDNEY—Two Australian boxers are shortly packing up for the United States. One is Billy Grime, lightweight and featherweight champion, who has had a long succession of victories against local, Filipino, French, English and American boxers. Ring experts class Grime as the cleverest of ring craftsmen reared in Australia for a long time.

The second boxer who has his eyes on the States is Harry Collins, welter and middleweight champion, who though still a young man, is considered beyond the peak of his ability. There was a time when no fighter here was good enough for him, but his last two fights have resulted in defeats.

Last February, Len Johnson, a Manchester (England) negro and formerly British champion, beat him pointlessly and last week Sunny Jim Williams, an American negro, beat him badly in eight rounds.

### New Cancer Serum Is Found To Cure Immune Rats

By United Press.

LONDON—A cancer serum making rats immune is described in the annual report of the British Empire Cancer Campaign, Dr. Thomas Lumsden of the Lister Institute, performing experiments on fifty rats successfully, according to the report.

Injection of the appropriate serum in malignant tumors in the feet of rats, the report indicates, caused the tumors to disappear. Temporary stoppage of circulation in the part affected is a part of the procedure. It was found, the report declares, that two tumors in different feet of a rat could be made to vanish by treatment of only one and that rats which had been subjected to the serum treatment were immune to subsequent attacks of cancer.

### DONALD PAYTE JR., INFANT, IS DEAD

Special Correspondence.

CISCO, Aug. 13.—Donald Payte Jr., nine-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Payte, who live near Ranger where Mr. Payte is employed by an oil company, died here Wednesday at 6 p. m. after being brought here for treatment of an illness from which he has suffered for two weeks. The mother of the child is well known here, being formerly Miss Geneva Blount, youngest daughter of Mr. and

### For Canada



This is Sir Henry Drayton who is said to be slated for the position of Canadian envoy to the United States. This is under a recent British ruling allowing dominions to send their own representatives to foreign countries.

Mrs. S. G. Blount, 309 West Eleventh.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Blount residence, conducted by Rev. Acker Miller, pastor of the First Baptist church. Among those from out of town here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson of Ballinger, uncle and aunt of the child, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Payte of Carbon, grandparents, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kelley of Eastland.

### Holy Mackerel, Powdered Bare Legs New Fad

By United Press.

LONDON—Stockingless stockings have again become fashionable in London during the recent hot weather.

Special shades of powder are used on bare legs to give them the appearance of being clad with flesh colored stockings. One well-known society figure was recently observed to have painted a faint line down the back of her leg to simulate the seam of a stocking.

Week-ends are like Christmas. They come around again before you can pay the bills for the last one.

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CISCO.—The Bankhead Poultry Producers Association began functioning in April, 1925, with no assets \$1,800 was advanced by the Cisc chamber of Commerce to help the beginning of the organization. According to recent reports the association has \$1,600 cash, and equipment worth \$400 and no existing debts, although the organization itself was not established for the purpose of making money.

### John Davidson says "Beauty increases its value"

John says he keeps his house and garage painted not only because it looks better but because better looks means a better price should he want to sell. That's right, too! But in painting by all means use Acme Quality Paint—always desirable because of the 40-year reputation for dependability behind it.

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### Egyptians Pray For Plagues On Short Skirts

ANGERS, France.—The plague of Egypt was called down upon short skirts in a prayer published in a parish magazine here.

Swarms of wasps, flies and mosquitoes and other poisonous insects were invoked in the prayer, to punish the supposedly shameless women who display themselves with curtailed covering.

A more gentle punishment was asked for children considered guilty of wearing garments insufficiently covering them. The prayers asked simply that the butterflies of the fields might be directed to alight on these children to cover their shame. The diocese of Angers has long been noted for its strict puritanism.

### Religious Radio Program Are Popular Over U. S.

WASHINGTON.—Religious services are most popular for radio programs in Australia, according to the report of a poll among listeners there which was received by the Commerce Department today.

In the vote in all parts of the country, with men and women participating about equally, religious services received 91,102 points; band music, 83,720 points; orchestra music, 77,868 points; old-time programs, 74,861 points; instrumental music, 74,861 and broadcast news, 74,319. Children's hour, educational talks and sacred vocal renditions followed in order, and fashion talks came last with 21,411 points.

### Budapest Widow Causes Six Young Men to Suicide

BUDAPEST.—Charged with inciting six different young men to commit suicide, a young Budapest widow has been taken into custody by the local police.

A seventh, instead of yielding to her persuasive argument that "it would be beautiful to take poison and die in the arms of a beautiful woman," broke away from her embraces and rushed to the nearest police station.

The woman's mentality in wishing to have the young men die in her presence promises several weeks of interesting study to local psychoanalysts. The method which she employed was to induce her victims to commit suicide with her. To each she gave real poison while she drank a harmless potion of the same color.

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IT HAD TO BE GOOD TO GET WHERE IT IS





# The VANITY CASE



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### BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Mrs. Prentiss sees lights mysteriously appear and disappear next door in the Heath household one night, and the next morning Harbor Gardens, Lond Island, is agog with the murder of Myra Heath and the disappearance of her husband, Perry.

House guests of the Heaths are Lawrence Inman and Bunny Moore. Inman might have a motive because he is heir to Myra's considerable fortune, she having cut Perry off. Suspicion also points to golden-haired, vivacious Bunny, because of her refusal to answer questions at the inquest.

Myra Heath was peculiar. She never used cosmetics, never wore colors. She had a mania for collecting glass, and it was a rare old whiskey bottle from her collection that the murderer used to kill her. Candles were burning at her head and feet, and nearby was a card marked, "The Work of Perry Heath." Strangest of all, she was heavily made up and dressed with gay colors.

The peculiar thing about Heath's disappearance is the fact that all windows and doors had been locked on the inside the night before and were found that way by the butler in the morning. Finger prints of Bunny Moore and Inman were found on the bottle and physicians established that the rouge was applied to Myra Heath after death.

At the Country Club, the murder is discussed by Sam Anderson, Heath's rival for the club presidency. Al Cunningham, who is trying to solve the crime, and others. Some believe Heath the murderer. Others, including Anderson, disagree. Cunningham learns from Mrs. Prentiss of the mysterious lights, Todhunter Buck, her nephew, suggests that Heath also may have been murdered.

With Buck, Cunningham makes an inspection of the Heath home.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**

The bedroom was beautiful, done up in pale gray and silver, quite in keeping with the exquisite taste and love of simplicity that had characterized Myra Heath in life.

Carter sat by a window, doing a bit of mending, and she looked up inquiringly as the two came in.

"Where is Mrs. Heath's vanity case?" Cunningham asked, without preliminaries.

"She has several," the maid returned.

"Get them all out," was the order and from some cupboard and drawers, Carter produced three, all beautiful and costly, and all it was plain to be seen they had never been used.

Scanning the three, carefully, and noting their newness, Cunningham said, looking about, "Where is this one she used? These have never been even opened."

"Mrs. Heath never used a vanity box, sir," Carter told him. "She had this powder-puff box, here on the dresser, but she never used rouge or lip salve."

"Ah, yes, I see. Go and bring me one from Miss Moore's room. The one she habitually uses."

Carter hesitated a moment, and then catching the austere glance of the man's eye, she went on the errand, and returned with an elaborate gold affair, that had many dangling chains and accessories attached to the main box.

"This is the one Miss Moore uses?" Cunningham asked.

"It is the only one I have seen her use since she has been here," Carter returned.

"I'll keep it," Cunningham said.

When Cunningham and Toddy Buck came downstairs, they learned that Bunny had concluded to go home with Mrs. Prentiss and stay for a time. The combined persuasions of that insistent lady and Larry Inman had resulted in Bunny's acquiescence, and she was about to go up for a suitcase and some necessary belongings.

"I needn't take much," she said, pausing at the foot of the stairs, "for I can run back and forth for whatever I need."

She ran along up, and Cunningham, after a few words of farewell, took his departure.

A few moments later, Bunny came down from upstairs, followed by Carter, with a small suitcase.

"I'm ready," she said, slowly, to Mrs. Prentiss, "but I can't find my vanity box. It's the queerest thing—I had it in my room just before dinner. I usually have it about with me, but—I left it upstairs, and now I can't find it!"

Toddy Buck hesitated. He knew Cunningham had taken it away, but he was uncertain whether to tell that or not. He concluded to keep silent on the matter for he had told Cunningham he would not interfere with his detective work, and he felt he was not at liberty to divulge the detective's secrets.

Bunny said no more about it, though it was plain to be seen it worried her.

With a quietness unusual for her gay little self, she said good night to Inman and went with Mrs. Prentiss across the lawn to the house next door.

It was also unusual for Bunny to pay so little attention to a presentable and attractive young man, as she showed toward Todhunter Buck.

But Bunny was not herself. Small wonder, considering the shock she had sustained.

Once in Mrs. Prentiss' cheery if old-fashioned living room, Bunny stood, irresolutely, by a table and faced the other two.

Her big blue eyes were appealing. She looked baby-like and helpless.

But Bunny Moore was not helpless. If she looked so, it was nature's fault, not her own.

A more wise, canny, sophisticated little piece than Bunny could scarcely be imagined.

But she was troubled. And, if truth were known, she had reason to be.

"Mr. Buck," she said, speaking almost for the first time directly to Toddy. "I know perfectly well, you and Mr. Cunningham are shadowing me. I think that is the term the detectives use."

"Why—why, Miss Moore—" Toddy was dumfounded at this, "why, you must know if I could do anything to help you—"

"You would do just the opposite! Yes, of course I know that!" Bunny eyes blazed now, and her voice quivered. The poor child was all wrought up, her nerves were on edge, and she felt she must take it out of somebody.

But she looked so lovely, so like a misused blossom or a broken butterfly, that Toddy Buck forgot all about Cunningham and detective work, and wanted only to enlist in the service of Bunny Moore for the rest of his mortal career.

"Now, you just wait!" he exclaimed, eagerly, "I'm for you—all for you! And I'll put all my cards on the table. Al Cunningham did take your vanity case, or whatever you call it. And I'm expecting you to tell me why he took it, and why you care so much that he did take it."

Buck looked at her straightforwardly, and to his delight, Bunny returned the glance with equal calmness.

But Mrs. Prentiss, as she herself would have expressed it, could see through a ladder with a hole in it, and she realized that Miss Bunny, whether naive or sly, could wind Mr. Todhunter Buck round her adorable pink little finger, and that she was quite ready to proceed with and enjoy the process.

Also, Mrs. Prentiss had the somewhat unusual quality of a fine sense of relative values. And she sized up accurately and truly, Bunny's sudden little spurt of defiance and she knew that there was something back of it, more than a missing vanity case. She knew that Bunny had something to conceal, and that in her present mood, she would either blurt it out, or would tell some egregious lies.

And good Mrs. Prentiss wanted to save the pretty child from either contingency.

So she said, quite casually, "You clear out, Tod, go to bed, or go down town to the movies, or do whatever you like. Miss Moore and I are quite ready to excuse you."

Toddy, catching the gleam of his aunt's commanding eye, immediately said his simple good nights and left the room.

"Now, my dear child," Mrs. Prentiss said, after a moment of tactful silence, "you may go right to bed, or—if you choose, you may talk things over a bit first."

Bunny looked at her with the

most uncanny intuition, knew things. Toddy Buck, in his blundering but pig-headed way, believed things, and—had to find out.

So, to the rooms of the Co-operative Casket Co. he went, feeling sure that beyond the great palms and oriental vases of their entresol, he

would find the man he was looking for.

Nor was he disappointed. In a private room, of which there were several, he found closeted Al Cunningham and Detective Mott in earnest conversation.

(To Be Continued.)

EFFICIENCY. Grocer: "Those show windows are a disgrace! The insides have not been touched!"

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