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FIVE-YEAR OLD BOY MEETS DEATH IN LAKE

THE WEATHER.
West Texas—Tonight and Tuesday fair except probably showers and cooler in the Panhandle.

MEXICANS ARE DISTURBED BY KELLOGG NOTE

Americans in Mexico Believe It Foreshadows Ambassador Sheffield's Resignation

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, June 15.—The United States government shortly will send Mexico a formal note covering the disagreement complained of by Secretary of State Kellogg in this terse statement issued last Friday, it was learned officially today.

By United Press.
MEXICO CITY, June 15.—Many American colonists here today were saying they believed the only effect of Secretary Kellogg's message would be to irritate the situation and probably end the usefulness of American Ambassador Sheffield. It is anticipated here that he will return to Mexico and then resign.

As for the Calles' statement, it was viewed here as dignified and temperate, pointing out that Mexico was seeking to put its house in order, and had formed a joint claim commission, which had had the approval of the United States government.

Calles still remains the strong figure in Mexico, in the opinion of expert observers, who declare that a change in the situation now would not mark an advance. He is regarded the chief bulwark against the spread of radicalism. Some Mexicans are outspoken in criticism of Secretary Kellogg for mentioning in his statement the possibility of a new revolution in Mexico, which authorities here do not foresee.

Two Weatherford Women Hurt In Italy

WEATHERFORD, June 15.—Mrs. J. D. Baker and her daughter, Mrs. Joe Runney of Weatherford and Oklahoma City, were seriously injured in an automobile accident near Viareggio, Italy, and are now in a sanitarium in that place, according to messages received by friends here. Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Runney and son, left here several weeks ago for a trip through Europe.

ARGUMENT OVER MONKEY DESCENT CAUSES TROUBLE

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, June 15.—Two children, aged 5 and 7 respectively, who had become modernists at their young age, told other kids in their block that they were descended from monkeys, and started something.

The parents of the accused children objected to being called monkeys or having their ancestors accused either, and their dissension caused a hot argument between two sets of parents. The argument must have gotten pretty warm, for they took their troubles to court.

HUGE RATTLESNAKE KILLED ON HIGHWAY NEAR STRAWN

A rattlesnake eight feet long, eight inches in circumference and having ten rattles was killed Sunday afternoon near Strawn by a party of Ranger boys, including Bill Knight, Leroy and Phillip Shipp and S. R. Black. They were driving along the road just a stone snake was crossing it and fired five loads of shot into it. The snake curled up at the first shot, but the boys were taking no chances and continued to shoot it until sure it was dead. The rattles were brought back with them as a trophy.

RADIO PROGRAM

Radio programs are announced for today as follows:
Dallas, WFAA, 475.9 Meters. 6:30 to 7:30 p. m.—Honey Boys' orchestra in vesper recital.
8:30 to 9:30 p. m.—Cotton program, presenting Mike H. Thomas, operator; John Orr, president of the American Cotton Growers' association; music.
Fort Worth, WBAP, 475.9 Meters. 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.—Classical concert, presenting the following artists: Mrs. Irma Foslack Gray, piano; Wylbert Brown, violinist; Charles Lusk, flutist; Guy R. Pitter, pianist. (C. B. L.)
9:30 to 10:45 p. m.—Ward's "Trail Blazers," the Montgomery Ward & Co. orchestra, playing popular music. (The Hired Hand.)
11 p. m. to midnight—George C. Orun's Palace theatre orchestra. (W. E. B.)

TEXAS RANGERS STATIONED ALONG MEXICAN BORDER

By United Press.
AUSTIN, June 15.—Practically the entire force of Texas rangers has been stationed along the boundary line between the United States and Mexico, it was learned today, posted there to prevent any incursions by Mexican bandits.

History of the numerous differences between the United States and Mexico show that Mexican bandits have harassed the border.

REVIVAL AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH BEGINS

Evangelists Barrett and Jackson Brothers Have Large Audience at Opening

Evangelist Gordon Barrett and Jackson brothers were greeted by a splendid crowd at their first service last night at the First Baptist church. The Presbyterian congregation dismissed their own services through courtesy to the visiting evangelist, his singers, and the pastor and members of the First Baptist church, attending in a body to hear the evangelist.

The speaker and the singers were very fine and those in attendance were most optimistic over the outcome of the coming two weeks' services.

Services will be held twice each day, at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. Everybody is welcome at each and every service.

De Paolo and Not Tommy Milton Wins Altoona Auto Race

By United Press.
ALTOONA, Pa., June 15.—Following the claim of Frank Elliott for first place in Saturday's speedway race here, a reread of the sheet of the officials late Saturday night showed that Peter DePaolo had won the race, with Elliott in second place. Milton was given third place in the race and Harry Hartz fourth place.

YOUNG GIRL IN NEW YORK FACES MURDER CHARGE

Dorothy Perkins, Arraigned in Court, Tells of Her Life on East Side and Tragedy

By United Press.
NEW YORK, June 15.—Her pale face topped by its shock of blood-red hair standing out visibly in the half gloom of the general sessions court room, Dorothy Perkins, 17-year-old telephone operator the state accuses of murder, took the stand in her own defense today. The girl, the youngest ever tried for such a crime in New York, barely controlled her emotions as she related the story of her life on the lower east side that reached a climax when Thomas Templeton was killed in her home last February.

French Premier Says France Will Attack Rifians In Force

By United Press.
RABAT, Morocco, June 15.—France intends, according to impressions Premier Painleve gave in an exclusive interview with the United Press before winging his way back to Paris, to launch soon a big offensive against the Rifian chieftain, Abd El Krim. He let it be known France intends to drive the Rifian leader from the French zone in Morocco.

Premier Painleve today was en route by air back to Paris.

BARNEY CARTER BUYS TRUCK FOR USE IN GAS PLANT

Barney Carter has just purchased a two and one-half ton Mack truck with trailer and winch for loading, to be used in the gas department of the casinghead gasoline plant he is building adjacent to the Carter-Barkley pool, about seven miles northwest of Ranger, and it arrived from Dallas late Sunday. It was brought to Ranger by O. M. Padgett, representing Mr. Carter, and J. B. Herrington, representing the company selling the truck. They left Dallas at 8:20 Sunday morning and were in Ranger at 7 p. m. "We had a fine trip all the way," said Mr. Padgett. "We averaged about 15 miles an hour and could have come through quicker, but we stopped for short periods at several places."

EAST TEXAS TOMATO CROP BEATS RECORD

By United Press.
TYLER, Texas, June 15.—All previous records have been broken this season for the return from the tomato crop in this section, according to the figures on volume handled by the railroads serving the tomato belt.

A check shows that over 1,000 cars have already been moved to market, and at the price being paid, the growers have received approximately \$2,750,000 so far from the crop.

According to the Tyler Chamber of Commerce, land suitable for the production of tomatoes is getting higher every year, and most every farmer has a crop of tomatoes of some size. Some of them are giving the most of their time to it. Inquiries from all over the country are coming in, asking for information about land prices, etc. Tomatoes have come to be one of the chief sources of revenue in this section.

The Penalty for Being a Tricky Dog



Scouting Airplanes Ready to Start on Trip to Arctic Edge

By United Press.
SPITZBERGEN, June 15.—The two airplanes to scout the polar ice rim for traces of the Amundsen-Ellsworth arctic expedition are ready to hop off. Cloudy weather has delayed the start.

Flying Cadet Dies From Crash Injuries

SAN ANTONIO, June 15.—After lying for 128 hours in a coma, Cadet Roy A. Strickland died today. Strickland was injured last Monday in a Brooks field airplane crash in which Phil Searles Jr. was killed.

TROOPS ORDERED TO PROTECT CAPE BRETON

By United Press.
HALIFAX, June 15.—A special train with 300 troops of the Royal Canadian dragoons, 86 horses and 5,000 rounds of ammunition, was due today in Cape Breton, where continued rioting and incendiarism has added to the intensity of the coal strike situation.

Drilling Report From Sand City Is Record of Progress

Latest reports on the progress of drilling at Sand City, as Barkley-Carter pool is called:
According to reports received this morning the McLester Pritchard No. 2 is now down 3,000 feet.
Abilene-Cisco Oil corporation Pritchard No. 1 is down 2,300 feet.
Abilene-Cisco Oil corporation Pritchard No. 2 is down 2,100 feet.
Abilene-Cisco Oil corporation Pritchard No. 3 is down 3,000 feet.
Abilene-Cisco Oil corporation Pritchard No. 5 is nearing 900 feet.
The Pritchards Nos. 4 and 6 have rigups.
McLester-Langford No. 1 is down 800 feet.
Bob Sweeney Scott No. 1 is past the 1,400-foot mark.
Rig is building for the Bob Sweeney Scott No. 2.
Gholson and Disney Pierce No. 1 is down 1,600 feet.
Gholson and Disney Fambrough is down 1,400 feet.
Barney Carter-Pierce No. 2 is down 250 feet.
Barney Carter Langford No. 4 is down 1,400 feet.

Fire at Cedar Hill Attacks Three Stores

By United Press.
DALLAS, June 15.—Fire originating in the C. R. Keith dry goods store early today swept through three store buildings at Cedar Hill, near here, causing damage estimated at \$20,000. A passing motorist first saw the flames and gave the alarm.

By United Press.
LONDON, June 15.—A soviet message to the Central News today said Pantecho Michailoff, leader of the Macedonian autonomists, was assassinated in the streets last night, but his assassins escaped.

Wealthy Dentist Strangles His Beautiful Wife With Gas, According To Statement He Makes to Police

By United Press.
LOS ANGELES, June 15.—The state will demand the death sentence for Dr. Thomas W. Young, who is charged with the murder of Mrs. Grace Brogan Young, his wife and a millionaire club woman.

The district attorney has planned for a speedy trial of the wealthy dentist who is said to have made a confession of the scientific murder of his beautiful wife, claiming she was strangled to death by gas.

According to the dramatic confession Mrs. Young was strangled to death by somnifform, a dental gas, after a quarrel with her husband on the night of Feb. 21. The body was then taken by the dentist in a wheelbarrow and dumped into a concrete

County Agent Bush to Give Demonstration Of Culling Chickens

R. H. Bush, county demonstration agent, will be at the B. A. Meek poultry farm, Tuesday morning, at 8:30 o'clock to give a demonstration in culling. Folks interested are invited to attend this demonstration.

Shepherd Defense Trying to Break Down Witness for the State

By United Press.
CHICAGO, June 15.—William D. Shepherd, on trial for the alleged murder of his ward, Billy McCintock, won a partial victory today when his attorneys almost completely broke down the testimony of Dr. Amenato Rongetti, an important state's witness. The doctor said he was not sure that it was Shepherd who asked him about typhoid germs and a course in bacteriology.

HIGH TEMPERATURES LIKELY TO CONTINUE IN TEXAS

By United Press.
DALLAS, June 15.—No relief from the high temperatures that have prevailed for the last two days were in sight for Texas within the next 48 hours, according to the weather bureau. Cloudy weather may give relief in scattered sections.

RUSSIAN SOVIET LEADER REPORTED ASSASSINATED

By United Press.
LONDON, June 15.—A soviet message to the Central News today said Pantecho Michailoff, leader of the Macedonian autonomists, was assassinated in the streets last night, but his assassins escaped.

Thirty Negroes to Get Their Pardons Emancipation Day

By United Press.
AUSTIN, June 15.—Proclamations were being prepared in the governor's office today for the pardoning of 30 negro convicts from the Texas penitentiary. They are to become effective next Friday, June 19, Emancipation day. James E. Ferguson, husband of the governor, recommended the pardons.

CHINESE MOBS IN CANTON ARE BLOOD THIRSTY

Slaughter Fleeing Yunnanese With Frightful Feocity, Giving No Quarter.

By United Press.
HONG KONG, June 15.—Seven hundred helpless Yunnanese soldiers, unarmed and deserted by their fleeing comrades, have been slaughtered by Cantonese mobs, according to estimates reaching here today. Many were beaten and stoned to death after the victorious Cantonese forces had swept into the city and driven the Yunnanese into retreat.

For 24 hours the blood-thirst of the Cantonese vented itself against foreigners in the city and there were many shocking atrocities, far eclipsing any foreign cruelties that may have been imposed on the Cantonese. Crucifixion was reported in one case, drowning and beating in another. In one street alone the bodies of 100 victims of the mob spirit were found, while over the entire city it is estimated that 700 perished. The Yunnanese were hunted down by mobs of Cantonese and given no quarter.

MISSIONARIES IN CHINA APPEAL FOR PROTECTION

By United Press.
SHANGHAI, June 15.—Appeals for the protection of 600 foreigners, mostly missionary women and children, were received today from Kuling, near Kiu Kiang, the scene last night of anti-foreign rioting. The foreigners fear their supplies will be cut off.

Chicago Makes Raid On Gangsters, Putting Many Behind the Bars

CHICAGO, June 15.—More than 300 foreign-born gunmen and moonshine makers were herded in police cells here today in one of the most extensive raids of the Chicago police. The raids were ordered following the killing of two policemen and the wounding of another officer in a street fight Saturday night.

Mayor Dever, State's Attorney Crowe and other high officials announced their determination to rid the city of gangsters, who have killed four policemen within the last week. Orders of "shoot to kill" have been given the police.

Julius Kruttschnitt, Chairman of Southern Pacific Lines, Dies

NEW YORK, June 15.—Julius Kruttschnitt, retired chairman of the executive committee of the Southern Pacific lines and one of the outstanding figures in the railroad world, died suddenly at 3 a. m. today. He underwent an operation a week ago at the Presbyterian hospital and appeared to be recovering nicely, when heart complications set in.

Hawaiian Swimmer Rescues Victims of Yachting Tragedy

By United Press.
SANTA ANNA, Calif., June 15.—Duke Kahanamoku, famous Hawaiian swimmer, was the hero of today of a sea tragedy at Newport beach, in which five persons were drowned and 12 others rescued when nearly exhausted.

TEXAS UNIVERSITY GETS BIG ROYALTY DIVIDEND

By United Press.
AUSTIN, June 15.—The Big Lake Oil company today paid the state \$123,000 royalties on oil produced on Texas university lands in Reagan county in May, an increase of \$42,000 over the previous month.

KANSAS CITY REPORTS HOTTEST DAY OF YEAR

KANSAS CITY, June 15.—With temperature of 93 degrees here yesterday, the weather bureau reported the hottest day of the year thus far. Continued heat is predicted.

PAUL PLUMLEY GOES UNDER IN SHALLOW WATER

Taken Out In Three Minutes, But Efforts to Resuscitate Him Prove Futile.

Paul Plumley, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Plumley, 917 Spring road, Ranger, was drowned about 7 o'clock Sunday evening in the lake at the Chestnut & Smith corporation 101 plant. The family was spending the late afternoon at the lake, seeking relief after the hot day by swimming in the lake. This little boy was wading in shallow water and his father, near by, was keeping a watch over him.

The father's attention was turned momentarily to an older child swimming in the lake, and when it was turned back to the little boy he had disappeared, having got into water above his depth.

Body Quickly Found.
It required only a few moments to find and rescue the body, it being brought to the surface by 13-year-old Paul Higginbotham, a neighbor's son, who was spending the afternoon with the Plumleys at the lake. He found the body is less than four feet of water, not sufficient to have reached to his chin had he been standing.

The boy could not have been under the water more than three minutes all told, it was said. His father, watching him, had seen him throw up his hands and apparently dive and thought he was playing as he had been doing that for some time, and it was less than a half minute before he was seeking to find why he had not come up as he had before.

First aid treatment was given, the body being laid flat on the ground and rolled so the water could run out of the mouth. A hurried trip was then made to the city, the body being taken to the Clinical hospital, where Dr. T. L. Lauderdale worked over him with the pulmotor for about an hour and a half, but to no avail. Life was extinct.

Aid Given Immediately.
"Paul was under the water so short a time that it does not seem possible" he could have drowned," said Mr. Plumley. "When we got him out, we immediately rolled him so the water he might have swallowed would run out and within 15 minutes I had him at the doctor's office and the doctor was working over him."

It was thought by the father and the physician that the little boy did not really drown, but that death had been caused by a heart attack, although really was not frail. He was under the water such a short time, and that in water that would not have been over his head had he stood up, that it was felt death had crept up unawares and attacked some vital part such as his heart.

Paul is survived by his parents, a sister, Dorothea, and three brothers, Roy, Francis and Robert, the latter about two years of age. He was a boy whom all loved, full of fun and energy, a faculty for making friends and having a most generous and happy disposition. He attended the Methodist Sunday school.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Methodist church.

Waco Girl Drowns In the Bosque River

By United Press.
WACO, June 15.—Frances Heath, 15, was drowned in the Bosque river, near here, Sunday afternoon, the first bathing casualty of the season. The girl's body was recovered two hours later.

CROP PROSPECTS ABOUT DESDEMONA ARE PROMISING

By United Press.
DESDEMONA, June 15.—The outlook for a good crop yield in this section is very promising and business in general is good.

The city council is making preparation to grade and gravel all of the city that have not already been graded. It is also planned to grade and gravel the Desdemona-DeLeon road from Desdemona to the Eastland-Comanche county line.

JUDGE DAVENPORT EXCUSES HIS JURORS FOR THE WEEK

Jurors ha been summoned for each of the district courts and the county court for this morning. Judge Davenport of the 91st district court excused his jury until Wednesday morning.

UNIVERSITY ENTITLED TO ROYALTY FROM ITS GAS

By United Press.
AUSTIN, June 15.—Under a ruling by the attorney general today the Texas University is entitled to one-eighth of all gasoline produced from natural gas taken from university lands.

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RANGER BOYS TO ATTEN DSUMMER C. M. T. CAMPS

Eight Are Enrolled and Others Are Expected to Join Them.

Boys of Ranger between the ages of 17 and 21 are responding readily to the call for young men to attend the citizens' military training camp, to be held for one month this summer, beginning July 28. Boys from Texas can be sent to San Antonio, El Paso, Galveston, Fort Sill, Okla., or Denver, Colo. All expenses to and from camp are paid and when the boys reach camp each is furnished with a complete soldier's uniform, free of charge, and receive their meals and lodging gratis. The boys will drill for a certain number of hours during the day and after the drill they can play ball, go swimming or take part in any other athletics they may wish.

Boys from Ranger who have already signed up are: Jay Walker, S. R. Black, Buster Mills, Bill Dreinhof, Truett Wier, Bill Knight, Floyd Killingsworth, Arthur Jones.

LARGE DEMAND FOR PREFERRED STOCK RESULTS

Sale of Securities Shows That the Community Is Prosperous.

An interesting sidelight on the financial condition of residents of this section and their general desire to place their money in a safe investment paying substantial dividends is shown in the experiences of employees of the Oil Cities Electric company who are now selling preferred stock of the Southwestern Power & Light company. Although the shares were first offered to local people but a short time ago, a substantial amount has already been sold. With hardly an exception local residents have been eager to hear the merits of the stock and a surprisingly large number had money at their disposal with which to buy shares immediately.

The sale of the preferred stock is particularly interesting to local people because it introduces here a new principle which is playing an important part in the business of public utility companies throughout the country, commonly known as customer-ownership. To make this possible, J. E. Lewis, vice president and general manager of the Oil Cities Electric company, arranged to offer Southwestern Power & Light company preferred stock. The Southwestern Power & Light company owns the entire outstanding securities of 11 public utility concerns and a substantial share in two others, all operating in Texas.

Provisions have been made to meet every contingency which might face the investor. These include an easy payment plan, safeguards to the stock and dividends, and a means by which the securities might easily be sold.

The stock, which is priced at \$100 a share is sold both for cash and on a partial payment plan, calling for monthly payments of \$10. It is cumulative, making it necessary for the company to pay its dividends in full before a penny is paid on the common stock and is preferred as to assets to the extent of \$100.

Dividends of \$1.75 a share are paid by the company on March 1, June 1, Sept. 1, Dec. 1. For more than 12 years the company has never passed a dividend or been late in payment which gives full assurance of its dependability. Those buying shares on the partial payment plan will receive interest of 6 per cent on the regular dividend dates as the stock is paid for, at which time they will be entitled to the dividends of 7 per cent.

A resale department is maintained to aid investors in selling their stock. All of the operating concerns owned by the Southwestern Power & Light company are engaged in supplying every day necessities and the demand for their services is constantly increasing. Some of their properties, which are highly developed and worth millions of dollars may be seen readily by the local public.

All 11 companies are: The Oil Belt Power company of Eastland, the Oil Cities Electric company of Eastland, DeLeon, Gorman, Ranger, Breckenridge, and Graham; the International Electric company, and the Eagle Pass Water company, both of Eagle Pass; the West Texas Electric company, operating in Sweetwater, Big Spring, Colorado, Roscoe, O'Donnell, Lamesa, Loraine, Westbrook and Coahoma; the Sweetwater Ice & Cold Storage company, serving Sweetwater and adjacent territory; Wichita Falls Electric company, which serves Wichita Falls, Electra, Burkburnett, Iowa Park, Henrietta, Bellevue, Haysden, Seymour and Bomarton; the El Paso Gas company, which sells gas in El Paso, Texas, and Juarez, Mexico; the Galveston Gas company of Galveston; the Texas Public Utilities company, which operates in Annona, Lufkin, Bowie, Clarksville, Cooper, Crockett, Lamesa, Seymour, Sulphur Springs, Smithville, Lockhart, and Eagle Pass, and the Paris Transit company of Paris.

The Southwestern Power & Light company also owns a substantial interest in the securities of the Fort Worth Power & Light company and the Texas Power & Light company.

CAR CRASHES AND DROWNINGS TAKE TOLL OF LIVES
 ST. LOUIS, June 15.—The weekend brought a total of six deaths to St. Louis and vicinity through motor car accidents and drownings. A youth was drowned near Belleville, Ill., and a man drowned near Diecke, Mo.

Society

AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN IN RANGER

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TUESDAY EVENTS
 Columbia study club meets with Mrs. M. K. Collier at 10 a. m.
 Tuesday bridge club meets with Mrs. C. N. Ochiltree at the Gholson at 2:30.
 Child's Welfare club luncheon at 1:30 o'clock at the Gholson.
 Episcopal Sunday school picnic at 6 p. m. at Rotary park.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Henshaw have returned from a week's fishing trip to the San Saba river. They were accompanied on this trip by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nichols, of Bristow, Okla. They report that they caught plenty of fish and had a wonderful time fishing and bathing in the beautiful waters of the San Saba.

ANNOUNCEMENT COLUMBIA STUDY CLUB
 Through error the Columbia study club's meeting was given in the social calendar, as of Wednesday. The club will meet Tuesday morning, at 10 o'clock with Mrs. Marvin K. Collier. All members of the club are urged to be present.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC ANNOUNCEMENT
 The members of the Episcopal Sunday school will hold their annual picnic Tuesday afternoon at 6 o'clock at Rotary park. Each child is asked to bring one guest. The Sunday school will furnish the ice cream, but each child attending is expected to bring lunch for itself and guest. This promises to be a gala event for the children and the grown-ups of the Sunday school and a good attendance is expected.

PERSONALS
 Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Maddocks and daughter, Gladys and Marjorie, left last Wednesday for a fishing and camping trip in the San Saba country. They are expected to return to Ranger today.

Shag Floor of Breckenridge was a visitor in Ranger Sunday.

Mrs. B. D. Clark has returned from Houston, where she has been for the past month with her father, who was ill.

Mrs. Roy Curtis of Weatherford is the guest of her cousin, Miss Audrey Jones.

SWIMMING PARTY AND PICNIC AT LAKE LEON
 Among the many enjoying the pleasures that Lake Leon afforded to hundreds of visitors Sunday afternoon and evening, was a small party given in honor of Miss Thelma Jamison, the charming guest of Mrs. Walter Cash. After the swim the picnic baskets were opened and a delicious lunch was spread. The party included Misses Thelma Jamison, Pauline Lowe, May Williams, Messrs. Thurman Gholston, Billy Driehof, Glenn.

Coach Cherry Wants To Get Team Ready

A letter from Blair Cherry, athletic coach of the Ranger High school, states that he is anxious to get back to Ranger and start the grind that he hopes will crush Cisco on next Nov. 11. He says that his leg is not in the best of shape yet and the daily grind is telling on it. Cherry broke his leg while at T. C. U. and then when he went to Palestine this season he sprained his ankle the first day out and though he stayed off of it for nearly a week it hasn't healed sufficiently for him to gain his real stride.

Cherry wrote that the one-year rule in all probability will be passed and will be a serious handicap in the case of Ranger High in particular and West Texas in general.

DEFENDANT IN HOSPITAL SO TRIAL IS POSTPONED

By United Press.
 DALLAS, June 15.—Trial of Fred Skidmore, charged with driving while intoxicated and with negligent homicide, was passed indefinitely today when counsel advised the defendant was in the hospital. Two firemen were killed in a crash between Skidmore's car and a fire truck several months ago.

Quits Guard



Major General George C. Rickards will give up his post in Washington as chief of the militia bureau and return to his home in Oil City, Pa., for a rest prior to opening a campaign for election to Congress. He has been identified with the national guard since 1877.

Breckenridge Golfers To Play Next Sunday On Ranger Golf Links
 Members of the Breckenridge Country club will come to Ranger next Sunday to meet the Ranger club in a scheduled match of the Oil Belt Golf association. Ranger players are working hard, according to reports, in preparation for this tilt after having received a drubbing at the hands of the Eastland club last week and hope to send the visitors home defeated.

No match was held Sunday as the games are played only every other week.

PLAINVIEW CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ELECTS OFFICERS

By United Press.
 PLAINVIEW, June 15.—The Plainview Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture held its annual election of officers and directors Friday at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon meeting.

J. B. Cardwell, manager of the Royalty Motor company of Plainview, was elected president; D. C. Laird, first vice president; Moray McGlasson, second vice president; Z. L. Wright, treasurer.

Directors as follows were elected: Tom Shelton, E. W. Thomas, R. D. Gibbs, A. G. Hinn, C. S. Williams, T. C. Shepard, Winfield Holbrook, F. A. Hart, E. B. Miller and E. Q. Perry.

ENTOMBED MINER IS FINALLY RESCUED ALIVE

By United Press.
 GRASS VALLEY, Calif., June 15. Robert Hill, Grass Valley "Floyd Collins" is alive and well today following his dramatic rescue from the coal mine that had held him captive several days. He was freed after rescue workers had worked 48 hours to break their way through a mass of rock and debris.

AMARILLO.—New pipe line and oil refinery among improvements to be made in \$12,000,000 development program by Prairie Pipe Line Co.

PORT ARTHUR.—Contract let at \$51,000 for completion of Methodist church.

SAN ANGELO.—Big Lake Oil Co.'s well No. 19 producing 100 barrels per hour.

ELECTRA.—Contract to be awarded soon for construction of hard surfaced road through Weeks tract.

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Flag Day Observed By Ranger Elks In Appropriate Manner

Flag day exercises were conducted by the Ranger lodge of Elks Sunday afternoon with Frank A. Brown, exalted ruler, presiding. The ceremony was held in the Elks lodge room with Ranger Elks and some visitors attending.

Stations were taken as follows: Dr. H. A. Logsdon, esteemed leading knight; Wade Swift, esteemed loyal knight; Al True, esteemed lecturing knight; J. B. Heister, esquire; B. F. Gilmore, secretary; W. A. Leith, chaplain.

The history of the flag was read by Dr. Logsdon and the address on the flag was given by the Hon. Homer P. Brelsford of Eastland, being eloquent, instructive and interesting.

Instrumental music was furnished by a quartet composed of Leo M. Underwood, Paul Lacy, Henry Schmidt, and Mr. Brewster.

Fireworks Supplies For Fourth of July Celebration Ordered

Orders for all materials for the Fourth of July celebration in Ranger, including a number of special features, and everything is expected to arrive by June 28.

LELAND STANFORD WINS NATIONAL COLLEGIATE MEET

By United Press.
 CHICAGO, June 13.—A bunch of huskies from Palo Alto, Calif., today won the unofficial national collegiate championship for Leland Stanford university, coping 39 1/4 points in the M. C. A. A. Michigan was second with 33 1/5.

But the real honors of the day went to D eHart Hubbard, Michigan phenomenal negro athlete, who broke the world's record in the running broad jump with a leap of 25 feet, 10 1/2 inches, which was 4 1-16 inches farther than ever a human jumped before.

Reese, a sunburned youth from Texas, hung up a new meet record for the mile race. His time was 4:18 and 4-5 seconds.

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for an important announcement by Studebaker in this newspaper on Thursday next. It will interest everyone who owns or expects to own an automobile.

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JACKSONVILLE.—First carload of tomatoes shipped from here recently, from what is reported to be million dollar crop for this vicinity.

0—LODGES. Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., meets Tuesday night, 7:30 Work in E. A. degree. C. E. MAY, W. M. F. E. LANGSTON, Sec.

MASONIC NOTICE. Eastland lodge No. 467, A. F. & A. M., will be called to order on Thursday night, June 18, 1925, at 8:30 to the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. All members should be present and attend to this very important matter. T. H. LAMPSON, Master. U. HAMPTON, Sec.

1—LOST AND FOUND. LOST—Large brown suitcase containing ladies' and children's clothing between Weatherford and K. of P. home, on highway No. 1. Notify George E. Franklin, box 716, Eastland, Texas, phone 494.

2—MALE HELP. WANTED—A man of good character who has car to travel over North Texas and adjacent territory. This is a sales or canvassing proposition and is a wonderful opportunity for one who can qualify. Call for Professor Bolt, 704 S. Austin st., Ranger.

3—FEMALE HELP. WANTED AT ONCE—An experienced waitress. Apply Southland hotel, Ranger.

WANTED—for general housework, girl or woman; 009 Young street, phone 532, Ranger.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES. I HAVE a \$400 credit with Oilbelt Motor company; if you buy from them, see me. Earl Johnson, phone 619 or 363, Eastland.

—WANT TO SELL—vendor lien note (or contract) secured by nice home in Ranger being paid out by the month, bearing 8 per cent; well protected; 1-2 paid out; face value of not \$700; if interested write P. O. box 672, Ranger, for appointment.

FOR human being insurance you can't beat the Federal Life of Chicago. J. E. Burns, Ranger agent.

BICYCLE AND FIXIT SHOP—Keys fitted and duplicated; talking machines and typewriters repaired. 204 S. Rusk st., phone 592, Ranger. City Electric Co., Eastland.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms. 452 Pine st., Ranger.

LOST—One large, plain envelope with return of W. S. Michael, county auditor, containing two checks; Victory Service station, and John S. Burke; lost between Ranger and Pleasant Grove. Reward. V. V. Cooper, 1201 Desdemona blvd., Ranger.

WANTED—Room and board with private home. Call 4321, Ranger, between 2 and 3 Sunday afternoon.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Good house; six rooms and bath; modern conveniences; desirable location. Phone 468 or see Mrs. O. C. Funderburk, 501 Pershing st., Eastland.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT. APARTMENTS for rent. Carter Apartments, 325 Elm st., Ranger.

12—WANTED TO BUY. WANTED—Second-hand furniture. New & Second-Hand Store, 121 No. Austin st., phone 276, Ranger.

WANT TO BUY—A small, improved farm, on stream or lake, near Ranger. L. A. Whitehall, box 1403, Ranger.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture Wright Furniture Co., 218 Main st Phone 154, Ranger.

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

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous. JUNE RUMMAGE SALE—Just arrived from Abilene a lot of rummage clothing, men's ladies' and children's clothing, sold cheap; come and see my prices. I buy, sell and exchange. Sale opens Saturday, June 13, and closes June 30. Mrs. Eunice Sellers, 220 N. Lamar st., Eastland.

14—REAL ESTATE. SUBURBAN home for sale. A beautiful tract of 16 acres, improved. House, barn, sheds, fenced and plowed ready for crop. Price \$60.00 per acre. Maddocks & Son, Ranger.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE. FOR SALE—Well located house, five rooms, two porches, large lot; in one block of high school. Price \$750.00. C. I. Williams, of Ranger Shoe Co.

16—AUTOMOBILES. FOR SALE—Star sedan, in first-class condition; new paint job. Maddocks & Son, Ranger.

WHY PUT new parts on old cars. "We wear 'em up and sell the pieces." Ranger Auto Wrecking Co., 422-24 N. Rusk st., Ranger, phone 84.

21—LEGAL NOTICES. CITY POUND NOTICE—The following described animals are now in the city pound in Eastland, Texas, and unless taken out within the time required by law will be sold by me to the highest bidder at city pound in the city of Eastland, Texas, at 3 o'clock p. m., on the 19th day of June, A. D. 1925: One bay mare, about 4 years old, white spot in forehead, branded T on high; pound fees \$18.00. Date of posting this notice, June 13, 1925. H. E. Lawrence, Chief of Police.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK. FRYERS—40c each. Howell's Poultry-Ranch. Foot of Eastland Hill, Ranger.

EGG MASH SPECIAL—For a short time only we will sell H. J. B. egg mash at \$3.35 per 100 lbs. K. C. Jones Milling Co., phone 300, Ranger.

23—MACHINERY AND SUPPLIES. FOR SALE—One 45 H. P. Donevan boiler, one 12x12 Acme steam engine, one 6 H. P. Novo pump, complete. All kinds of supplies for Novo engines and pumps. Call Magnolia Filling Station, Gorman, Texas.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



No. 4171. SHERIFF'S SALE. THE STATE OF TEXAS. County of Eastland.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable county court-at-law of Eastland county, on the 13th day of June, 1925, by Ernest H. Jones, clerk of said court against J. C. Wilkins for the sum of Four Hundred Twenty-five & No-100 (\$425.00) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 4171 in said court, styled Agnes Harwood versus J. C. Wilkins et al., and placed in my hands for service, I, R. W. Edwards as sheriff of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 13th day of June, 1925, levy on certain personal property situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit:

1 G. B. gasoline pump, 1 50-bbl. lube oil tank, 1 Underwood typewriter No. 1089121, 1 Nat'l cash register No. S153955-N 582, 1 Burroughs adding machine No. 9 No. 146552 motor No. 15461, 1 safe cabinet safe, 1 National credit file, 150 accts., size 2 No. C 15782, 1 Protectograph check writer, 1 33x4 Miller Feb. casing, 24 car springs, asst. sizes, 1-2 doz. Goodrich blow-out patches, 4 Red Chief inn. tubes, asst. sizes, 16 Silverton inn. tubes, asst. sizes, 4 Goodrich inn. tubes, asst. sizes, 7 J. B. boxes, Texaco grease, 49 small tall light globes, 146 (approximately) auto light globes, asst. sizes, 30 pairs Weed mud chains, asst. sizes, 7 doz. (approximately) Goodrich tube patch outfits, 200 (approximately) asst. sizes piston rings, 1 cabinet asst. bolts and washers, 50 asst. sizes and kinds roller bearings. Said order of sale recites that the sale is the foreclosure of a lien on the above described property, and levied upon as the property of said J. C. Wilkins and on Monday, the 29th day of June, 1925, at the courthouse door of Eastland county, in the city of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said J. C. Wilkins by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for 10 consecutive days immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ranger Daily Times, a newspaper published in Eastland county.

Witness my hand, this 13th day of June, A. D. 1925.

R. W. EDWARDS, Sheriff Eastland County, Texas.

By E. E. WOOD, Deputy.

June 15-22.

No. 3607. SHERIFF'S SALE. THE STATE OF TEXAS. County of Eastland.

By virtue of a certain execution issued out of the honorable county court-at-law of Eastland county, on the 9th day of June, 1925, by Ernest H. Jones, clerk of said court against B. E. Lewis and W. J. Lewis, for the sum of Eleven Hundred Eighty-six & 62-100 (\$1,186.62) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 3607 in said court, styled J. L. Chapman, commissioner of banking of Texas, versus B. E. Lewis and W. J. Lewis, and placed in my hands for service, I, R. W. Edwards as sheriff of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 13th day of June, 1925, levy on certain real estate situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the N. E. corner of section No. 6, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys in the west line of the Theresa Tyler survey; thence north 360 varas to stone pile for N. W. corner this tract and the S. W. corner of a tract owned by Jobe & Neal P. O. mxd. X brs. S. 36 W. 22 varas; thence east 301.4 varas to stake for the N. E. corner of this tract, P. O. mxd. X brs. S. 15 W. 68.3 varas; thence S. 0 deg. 30' W. with plain mxd. line 1144 varas to the S. E. corner of this tract; thence west 286 varas to stone set in ground S. W. cor. this tract; thence north 784 varas, to place of beginning as surveyed by J. W. Wilson surveyor of Comanche county, Texas, Nov. 21, 1918, and containing 59 1-3 acres of land, and levied upon as the property of said B. E. Lewis and W. J. Lewis and on Tuesday, the 7th day of July, 1925, at the courthouse door of Eastland county, in the city of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said B. E. Lewis and W. J. Lewis by virtue of said levy and said execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ranger Daily Times, a newspaper published in Eastland county.

Witness my hand, this 13th day of June, A. D. 1925.

R. W. EDWARDS, Sheriff Eastland County, Texas.

By E. E. WOOD, Deputy.

June 15-22-29.

DALLAS.—Plans under way for erection of mail substitution here.

Billy Evans Says

GREATEST PLAYER IN baseball there is a difference between the greatest player and the greatest natural player.

No doubt if a vote were taken as to who is the greatest player in the majors at the present writing, Rogers Hornsby would be out in front.

Ten years ago, perhaps five, that honor would have gone to Ty Cobb unanimously. Cobb, however, after 20 years of campaigning, is beginning to show the ravages of time.

While the old batting eye still appears to be as keen as ever, the legs have lost much of their power and the arm no longer can get the great distance that once characterized Cobb's throws.

If Rogers Hornsby was elected the greatest player by popular vote of fandom, I would still rate Bob Meusel of the New York Yankees as the greatest natural player.

Bob Meusel has the physical assets to be as great a player as was Ty Cobb in his prime. Yet it is doubtful if Bob ever comes close to the crown once held by Cobb.

MEUSEL A MARVEL MEUSEL has the ideal build for the ball player; he is tall and rangy. He has great speed and is a wonderful slider.

At the bat Meusel is one of the most dangerous hitters in the game. If he cared to, he could increase his batting average at least 30 points by mixing up his style.

Knowing the power that Bob gets into his drives, opposing infielders always play him very deep. If he became adept at bunting, he could beat out scores of them each year, for he has the necessary speed.

In the field, Meusel is a marvel when he wants to be. He is an unassuming judge of fly balls and he covers with ease all the territory from the left field foul line to center field.

No player in baseball has an arm that even approaches that of Meusel. He gets great distance and is deadly accurate. When he fields the ball baserunners invariably stop in their tracks.

Meusel has one besetting fault, lack of initiative. He is not aggressive. He has one of those take it for granted temperaments. Nothing ever troubles Bob.

If ever a player ever deserved to be hailed as one of the greatest stars of all times, that individual is Bob Meusel. Lack of proper temperament has so far prevented it.

MAGNOLIAS WIN FROM THE ROCK ISLAND NINE

Blankenship and Jarrett, With Good Support, Get 10 to 1 Victory.

The Rock Island club of Fort Worth, reputed city champions there in 1924, took a 10 to 1 drubbing at the hands of Ranger Magnolias at Nitro park, Sunday afternoon.

The Ranger club led by Big Ox Rainey, the Magnolias mauled two Fort Worth pitchers for seventeen hits for thirty bases. Rainey had a perfect day with two slashing doubles and three singles out of five trips to the platter. Blankenship and Jarrett hit for the circuit and Dean wallpped on to deep left center for three sacks. Every man on the Ranger club hit the ball safely at least one time.

Blankenship was a mystery to the Cowtown sluggers and whiffed ten of them. He was stingy with base-hits and refused to walk men. Toward the latter part of the game he eased up behind a comfortable lead. White handled the lanky boy's delivery in faultless fashion and daintily picked Alred off second after Taylor whiffed in the seventh.

Table with columns: Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Ranger, Dean, Robinson, Rainey, Jarrett, Blankenship, Hornsbuckle, White, Hale.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows: Texas League (Ranger, Houston, San Antonio, Wichita Falls, Waco, Dallas, Shreveport, Beaumont) and American League (Philadelphia, Washington, Chicago, Cleveland, St. Louis, New York, Detroit, Boston).

Yesterday's Results. Waco 8, Fort Worth 6. Shreveport 5, Houston 2. Wichita Falls 21, San Antonio 18. Dallas 8-0, Beaumont 1-2.

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

Baseball Results

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows: Texas League and American League.

Yesterday's Results. Waco 8, Fort Worth 6. Shreveport 5, Houston 2. Wichita Falls 21, San Antonio 18. Dallas 8-0, Beaumont 1-2.

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

LAMB THEATRE

Today—Tomorrow. Philadelphia 34 18 .654. Washington 24 21 .529. Chicago 26 26 .500. Cleveland 28 30 .483. St. Louis 23 30 .434. New York 23 33 .411. Detroit 19 34 .358. Boston 20 21 .392.

Yesterday's Results. New York 8, Detroit 3. Cleveland 3, Philadelphia 0. Washington 9, St. Louis 8. Only games scheduled.

Today's Schedule. Cleveland at Philadelphia. Chicago at Boston. Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Standing of the Teams.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows: New York, Pittsburgh, Brooklyn, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston.

Yesterday's Results. Chicago 7, Boston 3. Brooklyn 12, Cincinnati 3. St. Louis 11, Philadelphia 7. Only games scheduled.

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

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kenship 10; hits off pitcher, Taylor 13, Blake 4; first on balls, Blake 1; double plays, White to Jarrett, Week to Rainey, Taylor to Martina; umpire, Snapp.

William Murdock, an English chemist, used gas for lighting in 1792.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Times Publishing Company will be held on Wednesday, June 17th, 1925, at 4 p. m., in the office of Ranger Daily Times, at Ranger, Texas.

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NOTICE WATER CONSUMERS. The City will begin flushing water mains about 11 p. m., Monday, June 1, 1925, preparatory to turning filtered water into the mains for general consumption. The flushing will be done at nights and will last about a week or ten days. Water consumers will please take notice and bear with the inconvenience occasioned by this work. City Secretary.

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MANGUM NEWS

MANGUM, June 15.—J. D. Gordon and family of Olden visited relatives here the past week. Mrs. M. Deaton of Eastland was a visitor in this community Tuesday afternoon. Mr. aBrnes of Rising Star was a guest at the W. E. Ellison home Tuesday night. W. F. Hagar and Miss Faye Hagar were Tuesday night guests of Misses Wildie and Lois Ellison. A community ice cream supper was given Friday night at the W. E. Ellison home. A large crowd was present and all had an enjoyable time. Mrs. W. E. Ellison attended a Rebekah meeting at Carbon Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mahouh of Richmond are visiting her mother, Mrs. Monroe Hagar, here. W. E. Ellison attended a meeting of Odd Fellows at Eastland Tuesday night. Robert Slaughter of Ranger visited his mother, Mrs. John Slaughter, here Saturday night. Misses Lois Ellison and Verlie Slaughter were guests of Miss Faye Hagar Sunday. Wildie Ellison was the guest of J. D. Gordon at Olden Friday night. Herschel Smith, Buster Key and Wildie Ellison were Ranger business visitors Friday. Frank Mangum and family visited at the Hagar home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellison and Mrs. M. J. Parks were Olden visitors Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Abe May and daughter-in-law were guests of Mrs. Robert Mangum Monday. Frank Mangum and family were visitors in the P. L. Mangum home Wednesday afternoon. Maurice Mancil of Putnam was a visitor here Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Oscar Hogg visited Mrs. W. E. Ellison Monday afternoon. Miss Lela Garrett was the guest of Mrs. W. E. Ellison Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. R. L. Smith visited Mrs. John Hagar Monday afternoon.

LEADING EDUCATORS ARE TAKEN AWAY FROM TEXAS

FORT WORTH, June 15.—A loss suffered by Texas schools annually has been called to the attention of the public in a striking way by the resignations of President W. B. Bizzell of the Texas A. & M. college and of Dr. Carl Hartman of the University of Texas. Not only do the colleges of the state suffer this annual loss, but the public schools face the same problem. New Mexico, Arizona, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana year after year take many of the best Texas public school teachers. Salaries paid the experts from these Texas schools are better in other states than Texas. Very little is said ordinarily about the public school teachers leaving, but the loss is hard to make up. Several Texas cities have stopped the exodus by raising salaries, but smaller cities and towns still pay heavily with small salaries.

MINER IMPRISONED DEEP IN CALIFORNIA MINE

By United Press. GRASS VALLEY, Calif., June 13. Robert Hill, 35, still lives after more than 40 hours imprisonment in the Baltic tunnel of the Alta Combination mine, near here. Encouraged by frequent tapping emanating from rails along which gravel cars run for the entire length of the tunnel, rescue crews worked unceasingly throughout the night to clear away the debris that has blocked the only means of escape. Through a long steel pipe driven through the loose rock and debris, Hill talked with the rescue workers at 10:45 a. m., and informed them he was in no immediate danger.

Menus for a Family

SISTER MARY. Breakfast—Halves of grapefruit, scrambled eggs, crisp bacon, crisp toast, milk, coffee. Luncheon—Chicken and spinach soup, croutons, fruit salad, graham bread and butter, ginger cookies, milk, tea. Dinner—Hot veal loaf, creamed peas, new potatoes in parsley butter, tomato salad, banana sponge, ginger cookies, whole wheat bread, milk, coffee. A meat loaf that can be served hot for one meal and sliced and served cold the next day is always worth making. The creamed peas are used as an accompaniment for the meat and at the same time furnish the extra vegetable. Ginger cookies add just the "pep" a banana dessert needs, and even if they were served for luncheon the combination makes them seem like chicken else.

Chicken and Spinach Soup One pound spinach, 4 tablespoons butter, 4 tablespoons flour, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 1 teaspoon sugar, 4 cups hot chicken stock, 4 tablespoons whipped cream, paprika. Wash spinach through several waters. Put into covered sauce pan with butter and cover closely. Place over a low fire and when wilted cook in the juice of the spinach and butter until tender. It will take about ten minutes for young spinach. Combine flour, salt, pepper and sugar and stir into spinach. Cook, stirring constantly for five minutes. Rub through a colander and add to chicken stock. Bring to the boiling point, stirring constantly. Serve in bouillon cups with a spoonful of whipped cream sprinkled with paprika topping each cup. (Copyright, 1925, NEA Service, Inc.)

MOM'N POP



Stewart's Washington Letter

BY CHARLES P. STEWART NEA Service Writer WASHINGTON—The Public Health Service claims great credit for medical science, on account of its success, during the last two or three decades, in stretching out the average human life longer and longer. Individual humans like to keep on living, unquestionably. When one of them pays a doctor to keep him hanging on as long as possible, it assuredly is the doctor's business to do his best and earn his money. If he does a good job he's entitled to feel proud of it. But as a broad general proposition, what's gained by prolonging the average human life? Ultimately people die anyway. What difference does it make, in eternity, to them or to anybody, at what average age they do it? THIS may sound like a ridiculous question, but when I put it up to the Public Health Service it kinda stumped 'em. Finally, "Well," they answered, over the telephone, "a human being's an asset to society, so it seems to us it follows, the longer he lives the more of an asset he is." There was no use arguing with so illogical an outfit, so I dropped it. As we all know, however, even young, husky human beings are assets only where society needs them, as in not too thickly populated countries. And right now economists and biologists are worrying about world overcrowding. In China, already, it's a misfortune when a new average human being is born. —a misfortune to him and a misfortune to the society he's born into. NOBODY but politicians and bankers need work up any enthusiasm over news that France and Italy have taken certain very short little steps toward "settlement" of the 6 billion and some odd—a mere matter of a couple of hundred millions hardly counts in such transactions—dollars of war debts they owe the United States. The very most France and Italy will or can do will be to say, "Yes, we owe this money," and give bonds for it. The politicians thereupon will report to the country that they've accomplished something wonderful—as it really will be, to get France and Italy to go even that far—and ask to be re-elected on the strength of it. And the bankers will have the bonds to unload on the public at about 30 millions profit for themselves. But it isn't likely this generation of Americans, and perhaps not the next one, will see much of the actual money—even the interest. "NOT worth what it would cost to keep them afloat." This verdict by W. B. Mayo, Henry Ford's chief engineer, sums up the entire reason why the government has so much trouble in finding private owners who will agree to keep its war-built merchant ships in operation. Nobody wants them even as a gift. And, as Mayo adds, they're "poor material" for the very junk man.

What the World Is Doing

(As Seen by Popular Mechanics Magazine) Automatic Cranker on Motor to Prevent Stalling. Attachable to any automobile that has a Bendix drive, an automatic cranker starts the engine the moment it stalls and also saves the ignition. It is actuated by magnetic force, throwing the starter into action as soon as the engine stops. In emergencies, such as being stalled on a railroad track, the cranker starts the motor immediately. It may be placed on the instrument board, behind the dash, under the hood with its two small buttons showing on the instrument board, or under the floor. In the latter case, the starter pedal is removed. All that is necessary to start the engine is to turn on the ignition, and as it must be turned off to stop the car, this scarcely will be forgotten. Drink of Ultra-Violet Light Aids Throat Treatment. Treatment of certain throat diseases is given at a London hospital with a special ultra-violet light apparatus. It has a long funnel-shaped tube, the small end of which the patient puts in his mouth. The rays are directed through it so that they fall upon the affected parts and little of their beneficial powers is lost. Patching Auto Tops. The application of a patch to a torn auto top without removing the covering from the frame is often a failure, as it is difficult to apply pressure evenly over the surface of the patch while the cement is drying. A novel method of overcoming this is practiced by a Wisconsin motorist. After the patch has been cemented and applied, a small muslin bag, filled with sand, is placed over it, and the car is left standing in the sun until the cement is dry. The bag of sand accommodates itself to the curved surface of the top with the result that the patch will adhere along all the edges. Loud Speaker Made from Paper Cone. A simple loud speaker, which gives a good tone and volume can be made by anyone from a disk of thin cardboard or stiff paper. The disk is cut radially and the edges of the cut drawn up to form a wide cone. A pin is fastened in the center and soldered to an ordinary telephone diaphragm, as shown. The cone may be pleated as shown in the illustration, but this need not be done unless desired. Oldest Child in the Family Most Likely to Succeed. Studies made by Prof. William Ogburn, of Columbia university, indicate that the oldest child in the family most frequently succeeds in life, the youngest ranks next, and intermediate children third. Three thousand names were selected at random for a survey: 1,000 artists, including doctors, musicians, authors and painters; 1,000 scientists of all grades, and 1,000 of a more general classification, including business men, journalists and men of "good mixing qualities." Questionnaires were sent to these individuals with the request that they indicate their position in the family. Replies were received from 1,700. Turning to "Who's Who" as a criterion of success it was found that of the 577 who were the oldest sons in the family and had brothers less than five years younger, 342 appeared in the lists of noted men; 155 out of the 398 who were the youngest children with brothers five years older were in the book, but of the 729 who were intermediate children, only 237

OLD FIRE TRUCK IN NEED OF SOME REPAIRS

A factory representative in Ranger to inspect the old fire truck with a view to making repairs, yesterday complimented the manner in which Fire Chief Murphy and his staff kept the fire fighting apparatus. The old truck has been used up to this time, but some of the parts have become so badly worn that repairs are necessary. PORT ARTHUR.—Contracts awarded to local company for construction of Hull and Daisetta schools at cost of \$35,000.

ROBERTSON COUNTY MAN SHOOTING NEGRO TENANT

By United Press. HEARNE, Texas, June 13.—Cal Davis was at liberty on bond today following the fatal shooting of a negro tenant last night. Davis told officers he fired in self-defense after the tenant opened fire with an automatic pistol. HILLSBORO.—Completion of Hills bore ice plant conceded to be one of most valuable assets to city from agricultural and industrial standpoint.

The Boston Store THE SHOPPING CENTER OF RANGER Quality First Courtesy Always Hosiery Insurance PHOENIX Buy the Best and Take No Chance The Little Tots Silk Half Sox In all the beautiful fade-proof colors, brick, orange, peach, pink, camels hair, cordovan, lavender, sky green, red and black. Sizes 4 to 7—Price 50c Pair See Those Phoenix Three-Quarter Sox Sizes 7 to 9—Colors camels hair, buck, black and white. For real service as well as looks this article of Hosiery has no equal at this Price \$1.00 Pair Men's Pure Thread Silk, Silk Lisle and Fine Gauge Mercerized Phoenix Half Hose All the beautiful new smart shades. A complete stock to choose from. Prices 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 The Home of the Nettleton Shoe

Handle for Small Cameras Serves as Tripod Holding small cameras steady without the use of a tripod has been simplified by a wooden handle which is screwed to the underside of the instrument and is held with the left hand while the shutter is pressed with the right. Further stability is gained if the top of the camera is lightly pressed against the operator's forehead. When not in use, the handle may be detached and carried in the pocket or case.

TOM SIMS SAYS Life reminds us of a checker game in which you must keep moving and taking the jumps. Marrying for money is about as ignorant as a fish looking for a dry place to sit. The only thing you can prove by arguing with a fool is that you are another one. There are too many people getting married on approval. Nice thing about having a family is you can think they are the cause of your being broke. A bachelor is funnier than any other single thing. He who says sweat is perspiration knows not what it is. Faint praise ne'er won fair lady. Germany lost the war several years ago. And France seems to think she is hunting it now. Summer seems hotter when times are so good we have nothing but weather to fuss. Milwaukee thermometers jumped 28 degrees in 20 minutes, and she no longer famous for what? London scientist says wasps are affectionate. We wouldn't enjoy one sitting in our lap. (Copyright, 1925, NEA Service, Inc.) DENISON.—Texas Electric railway starts operation of bus line here.

NARCOTIC PEDDLERS ARE SEIZED IN OKLAHOMA CITY By United Press. OKLAHOMA CITY, June 13.—Police arrested five alleged narcotic peddlers and confiscated more than \$1,000 worth of drugs today. LINDALE.—Year's blackberry crop for this district reaches \$500,000 valuation. SULPHUR SPRINGS GIRL TAKES HER OWN LIFE By United Press. SULPHUR SPRINGS, June 13.—Miss Wilma Worsham, 17, was found dead at the home of her parents late today with a bullet hole beneath her heart. She had been in ill health for several months, relatives said. BIG SPRING.—Christian church building under construction.

One-Man Graduating Class Melbourn C. Hosp was the only graduate at the Alken School for Boys at Kansas City. William Allen White, left, editor of Emporia, Kas., delivered the commencement address, urging Hosp to "hold back those changing too rapidly or speed up those who are holding back."

Making A New Frock Is One Way To Keep Cool! FASHION furls a gay and colorful fan of fabrics this Summer. Cool cottons abound in bold geometric patterns and graceful floral designs. When the thermometer has risen sky-high, it's coolest to remain quietly at home! But a little bit of Summer sewing—a new frock, for instance—is a splendid way to keep hands and mind occupied. Start one of some colorful tub fabric, work on it upon your porch, and before you know it, the hot afternoon is over and you're the richer by one dainty frock! Our Summer cottons are specially priced this month. PRINTS, sometimes polka dotted, sometimes in fanciful style, make the most charming of frocks 75c to \$1.75 LINEN of excellent quality in the lovely Summer shades is smart and exceedingly practical \$1.00 to \$1.75 BROADCLOTH, whether striped in dashing colors, or plain, has a silky sheen decidedly pleasing. 75c and \$1.25 VOILE sheer and yet wonderfully durable may be had in exquisite flower tints or in dotted patterns 65c and 95c Joseph Dry Goods Co. "Ranger's Foremost Department Store"