

Strikers Won't Move Brick, Gang Is Going From Ranger

Thousands of paving brick, the property of the McKenzie Construction company, paid for by them and purchased from the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil company for paving Ranger streets, lay piled in the open at Thurber Monday. Workers in the Thurber brick plant who are on strike have refused to load them into cars for delivery to the owners in Ranger, according to information given The Times Monday morning. The striking brick plant workers were offered a contract price for loading the brick onto cars, and after two days' deliberation declared they would not move the material. Plans are being perfected to send a gang of workmen Monday from Ranger to load the brick in order that the construction company may proceed with their contract of paving the city's street, it was made known.

"The material is here on the ground; to all intents and purposes delivered to the purchasers," said an official of the brick company Monday. "Offers by the McKenzie Construction company to the striking brick plant workers to load the brick for delivery to Ranger were refused, and I see no reason why the owners should not possess themselves of their property."

"Win or starve" was the motto adopted at a meeting of the striking brick workers several days ago, it is said.

AMENDMENTS TO CITY'S CHARTER VOTED ON TODAY

Sixty-six citizens had voted on the charter amendments at 11:30 o'clock today, in the election being held in the rear of the P. & M. bank. It was expected that the number would be greatly increased before the polls close this afternoon.

While there is no fear that the amendments will fail to carry, city officials are urging that a large vote be cast, as the number of ballots may have some bearing upon further negotiations with the Texas & Pacific company regarding the new depot.

The three amendments to be voted on are:

1. To empower the city commission to close, open, widen and alter streets and alleys. The primary purpose of this amendment is to give the city power to close fifteen feet of Commerce street to the Texas & Pacific in order to provide room for the station.

2. Making the employment of a city manager optional with the commission.

3. Empowering the commission to create, consolidate or discontinue any offices.

Y. V. Cooper is presiding judge of the election, and he is assisted by Paul Teal, W. Stiles and Ross Hodges.

CALIFORNIA-TEXAS TRADE COMMODITIES

GALVESTON, Texas, May 23.—The Pacific slope is going to exchange lumber, canned goods and dried fruits for Texas cottonseed oil and middle-western manufactured articles.

This announcement was made in connection with the establishment of a new steamship line, via Panama canal, connecting ports of the Pacific coast with Galveston. The first steamship to put out to sea in the new service is the Lake Gunn, a shipping board vessel, which is scheduled to leave Seattle, Washington, during the first fortnight in June.

The Lake Gunn will proceed down the Pacific coast, putting in at San Francisco, San Pedro (the port of Los Angeles) and San Diego, each port contributing a portion of her cargo. Shingles, lumber and sashes, doors, blinds, etc., the products of sawmills of Oregon and Washington, and canned goods, dried beans and dried fruits from California are expected to constitute the eastbound cargoes while hardwood lumber, cottonseed oil and its by-products and manufactured articles of the middle-west will be loaded for the westward voyage.

Operators of the Pacific-Caribbean-Gulf line plan to maintain regular sailings between ports of the Pacific and Galveston.

Opening Gun In Criminal Trial of Edwards Case Is Fired In Ranger Monday

The first gun in the trial of Annabelle Edwards under a charge of murder in connection with the death of her husband Billie Edwards whom she shot about two months ago, was fired Monday when state and defense attorneys began taking the depositions of Ranger witnesses.

The hearing began at 2 o'clock before Judge J. E. Ingram, appointed by the district judge of Oklahoma to hear the evidence. A number of witnesses will be examined who are more or less familiar with the actions of Edwards and his wife while they made their home in Ranger.

Forest Smith, county attorney of Oklahoma county, and E. G. Giddings of the firm of Giddings & Giddings are here for the state. Ben Williams,

THREE FIRES IN 24 HOURS; LOSS \$60,000

Damage to Parkersburg Rig and Reel Set at \$50,000; Others Small.

Every telegraph wire of the Western Union and the Texas & Pacific railroad east went down during the Monday morning fire. Commercial messages for Dallas and other points east are being relayed by the way of Sweetwater and Denver. Only one wire is open in this direction. Messages at the local office are being accepted subject to delay in transmission.

Long distance telephone wires, however, are in working order.

Three fires in twenty-four hours have caused a loss estimated at near \$60,000. The most disastrous was the burning of the better part of the building and stock of the Parkersburg Rig and Reel company Monday morning at 6 o'clock. This damage has been unofficially placed at \$50,000, fully covered by insurance.

Three married men with their wives and three single men lived in the second story of the building, and while they escaped unhurt, the majority of their clothing and other valuables was burned.

Earlier in the night a small Mexican house north of the Texas & Pacific station was burned. This loss is placed at several hundred dollars.

On Sunday morning the stock of the Reavis Brothers Clothing company at Pine and Marston street was damaged by fire, estimated at \$8,000. The cause of this fire is unknown.

The most of the damage was caused by smoke and water.

Fireman Hurt.

Clint Barrett, a member of the fire department, while cranking an engine for the run to the Reavis fire suffered a broken arm when the engine kicked back. One foot was broken and another fractured. His absence was felt by the department at the fire of Monday.

The Parkersburg fire is thought to have been caused by leaking gas underneath the kitchen. One of the men said that a gas leak has existed several days and a plumber had tried once to locate it but had failed. This is believed to have ignited when the fire was lighted to cook the morning meal.

An effort was made to extinguish the flames before the fire department was called and when it arrived the entire front portion of the wood and sheet-iron structure was a boiling mass of flames. Some delay was caused in getting water and the department was further handicapped by the combination truck from the East side station breaking down en route. It had to be towed in before its hose could be brought into use.

Stock Saved.

The stock of the company, which is stored in a shed against the rear of the warehouse is nearly all saved but the warehouse, office, sleeping quarters and stock contained in the warehouse is a total loss. Beyond some clothing of the employees, a National and a Ford automobile, nothing was rescued from this portion of the building. A service truck almost new, belonging to the Service Transfer company, was also burned.

T. F. McCarty, superintendent of the company, is in Fort Worth and accurate figures could not be secured on the loss but it is thought that the stock burned will exceed \$40,000, and that saved will total about \$30,000.

On buildings, furniture and fixtures the insurance company of Stockman, Gollie & Armstrong have a policy of \$24,000. It also has a policy of the stock.

SINN FEIN BOMBERS!

CORK, May 23.—Sinn Feiners way-laid four members of the staff of the Cork Examiner, as they were returning from work this morning.

One newspaper man had his leg blown off by a bomb explosion. The other three were seriously wounded by revolver shots.

Such legal talent arrayed on each side is evidence that every step and every advantage gained will be bitterly contested by opposing counsel when the case comes up for hearing at Oklahoma City shortly. Mr. Williams will be assisted by Norman Pruitt, said to be one of the most successful lawyers in the state of Oklahoma.

Annabelle Edwards was not present at the hearing Monday afternoon but will arrive in the city tonight.

In honor of the legal talent from the neighboring state Judge Ingram is arranging a dinner to which many of the leading men of the city have been invited. The dinner will be held Tuesday night.

AMERICAN SOLDIER OF FORTUNE HOME FROM WARS WITH HIS ENGLISH BRIDE



Colonel & Mrs. Joseph Stehlin.

"Joe" Stehlin, Brooklyn, N. Y., soldier of fortune and hero of numerous air battles, is home from the wars with a pretty English bride. Stehlin, who holds a colonel's commission in the Lettish army, married the new Mrs. Stehlin in Paris recently. She is the daughter of General Ewart, of the British army, and met her warrior husband while serving as a nurse in France.

Before the United States entered the war Colonel Stehlin went to France and joined the Lafayette Escadrille, winning several decorations for valor. When Uncle Sam took a hand in the conflict, Stehlin was commissioned a lieutenant in the U. S. air service and distinguished himself in aerial battles over the American front. After the armistice he went to Poland and joined the Polish forces. Following several months of service with the Poles, Stehlin was commissioned a colonel in the Lettish army and given command of the Lettish air squadron. He wears thirteen medals, awarded him by the various governments whom he has served in the past six years.

COP WHIPS 2 IN GUN FIGHT, KILLING ONE

Surviving Assailant of Officer Rushed to Hospital in Port Arthur Mortally Wounded.

By United Press.

PORT ARTHUR, May 23.—Charles Hutchinson, 40 years old, was dead today, Buck Carrier, 28, mortally wounded and Patrolman Frank Champagne, of the city police department, was slightly wounded in a pitched pistol battle down town here shortly before midnight. Hutchinson died almost instantly, while Carrier was rushed to the Mary Gates hospital, where he is suffering from two bullet wounds. Officer Champagne received a flesh wound.

The shooting was said to have been an aftermath of a raid on a card game. When the officer reached Houston avenue and Seventh street last night, Hutchinson and Carrier, who were waiting at the corner, opened fire. Carrier's condition was said to be critical.

BAPTIST PREACHER APPOINTED TO "REDEEM" STATE, IS FUGITIVE

PENSACOLA, Fla., May 23.—The Rev. Sidney J. Catts, the Baptist Minister whom the Prohibitionists made Governor of Florida in 1916, to "redeem the State," is now a fugitive from justice on indictments for bribery and peonage.

He is alleged to have held two negroes named Ed Brown and John Rodgers in servitude on his plantation in Walton County, after his pardon had released them from the State Convict Camp. He had previously been indicted in the State courts on charges of receiving bribes for pardons.

The whereabouts of Catts is not known, but it was reported in the Federal court room that he is in North Carolina. He could not be located in Walton County, where he had made his home since leaving the State House at Tallahassee in January.

Inquiry at Defuniak developed the reply that Catts had left there some weeks before the Legislature Committee had started investigating his past.

TARIFF BILL PASSED!

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Congress finally approved the emergency tariff bill today. Action necessary to send the bill to President Harding was taken by the house when it approved the conference report adjusting senate and house differences over the measure.

President Harding is expected to sign the bill.

Passage of the bill completes the first step of the republican revenue and tariff program.

WOMAN KILLED!

Special to The Times.

PORT WORTH, May 23.—Mrs. H. A. Leath 63, of Mansfield was killed and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. E. Leath, seriously injured, when their car turned over on the Port Worth-Mansfield road at 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

TWO FISHERMEN RESCUED AFTER 84 HOURS IN BOAT

KU KLUX KLAN ISSUES EDICT AND WARNING

Dallas Citizens Admonished to Support Law and Order and Be Good.

(From the Dallas News.)

The Star and Stripes and the flaming cross of the Ku Klux Klan were carried down Main street Saturday night—and up Elm—while downtown Dallas stopped to watch.

As if by prearranged signal, the street lights were extinguished over the route of the parade at 9 o'clock, at the minute the first whiteclad figure emerged from the old Majestic Theater building, bearing aloft the American flag. He was followed by a second carrying the burning emblem of the Ku Klux. By single file, and with ten feet distance between marchers, the long, silent procession wended its way into the hurrying Saturday night crowds, down Main street to Murphy and across to Elm, up Elm to the theatre.

Not a Word Spoken.

It wasn't a noisy demonstration. Not a word was spoken by the 759 shrouded figures in the line of march—and very few by the thousands on the sidewalks and in the streets who stopped to watch. It was a silent and serious-faced, wondering audience that greeted the weird procession.

Traffic was practically halted during the entire forty-five minutes occupied by the parade. Traffic officers at the principal intersections held their semaphores open to the east and west traffic while the automobiles crowding into the cross streets came to a halt. Before the first hundred men had passed the streets were lined on either side by pedestrians who had halted to witness perhaps the strangest parade Dallas has ever seen.

Many Banners Carried.

There were few comments and fewer jests. Most of the crowd the plain black and white banners held aloft at intervals of twenty men passed by.

The banners read:

"The Invisible Empire," "Here yesterday," "Here Today," "Here Forever," "White Supremacy," "Pure Womanhood," "100 Per Cent American," "All Native Born," "All Pure White," "Dallas Must Be Clean," "For Our Sisters," "For Our Mothers," "For Our Daughters," "Parasites Go," "Grafters Go," "Gamblers Go," "Thieves Go," "Degenerates Go," "Our Little Girls Must Be Protected," "The Guilty Must Pay," "Right Will Prevail."

As the procession wended its silent way the crowds grew. The newcomers, mostly threeparters who came upon the demonstration unawares, wanted to know what it was all about. "Aren't they funny looking?" ventured a 16-year-old girl in the crowd. "They may look funny, but they mean something to you," came from a gray haired man near by.

The signs, especially "White Supremacy," "Pure Womanhood," "Degenerates Go," "Dallas Must Be Clean," and "Our Little Girls Must Be Protected" brought loud cheers and hand clappings from many of the groups along the route. And then again silence.

At 9:45 the last man of the procession entered the rear door of the theatre.

Statement Received by News.

The following was received Saturday by The News:

"To the citizens of Dallas County. Greeting: This organization has caused to be posted the following proclamation:

"Be it known and hereby proclaimed: That this organization is composed of native-born Americans and none others.

"That it proposes to uphold the dignity and authority of the law.

"That no innocent person of any color, creed or lineage has just cause to fear or condemn this body of men.

"That our creed is opposed to violence, lynching, etc., but that we are even more strongly opposed to the things that cause lynchings and mob rule.

For Law Enforcement.

"That this organization stands for the enforcement of all laws without fear or favor. It recognizes, however, that situations frequently arise where no existing law offers remedy. It hopes to see such conditions remedied by the power of public opinion and the enactment and enforcement of proper laws.

"That this organization does not contend that it will not stand for the co-habitation of blacks and whites of either sex. It does not countenance and it will not stand for social parasites remaining in this city. It is equally opposed to the gambler, the trickster, the moral degenerate and the man who lives by his wits and is without visible means of support.

"The eye of the unknown hath seen and doth constantly observe all white or black, who disregard this warning. Whatever thou sowest, that shall ye also reap. Regardless of official, social or financial position, this warning applies to all living within the jurisdiction of this Klan.

"Your sins will find you out." Be not deceived. You can not deceive us and we will not be mocked. "This warning will not be repeated. "Mene, Mene Tekel Upharsian." "This organization further believes that the certainty of perpetuating American liberties lies in the solid support of our public school system, adding thereto love of country and veneration for the Deity. With this in view, it wants to see an

EGYPT REVOLTS!

By United Press.

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, May 23.—Five Europeans were killed here last night in an anti-British rioting. Seventy-two others, mostly tourists, were injured.

The rioters were beaten back by British troops. Additional military forces were brought in today to quell the Egyptians who were in an ugly mood.

BRITISH WILL SEND TROOPS INTO SILESIA

London Times Says Germans Have Been Preparing for Campaign.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, May 23.—The British government has decided to send troops to Silesia soon, it was announced today.

GERMANS BUSY.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, May 23.—The correspondence of the London Times in Oppen in reporting German irregular military operations in Upper Silesia, declared Germany has been concentrating forces and making preparations in the area for a fortnight.

Dispatches said indications point to a determined effort to recover possession of Upper Silesia from the Poles.

ASK CESSATION.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, May 23.—The allied high command in Silesia has sent delegations to intervene with both Germans and Poles in an endeavor to obtain cessation of all military operations in that territory, according to French official dispatches today.

HOLDS GERMANY LIABLE.

By WEBB MILLER.

United Press Correspondent.

PARIS, May 23.—France will hold Germany responsible for the fighting in Upper Silesia, it was made known semi-officially here today.

If the allies do not act to halt hostilities, between Poles and Germans, the situation will be serious, it was stated. Disregarding French protests, German volunteers by thousands are pouring into Upper Silesia, the foreign office declared today. In some places, from railway transportation is being offered to attract prospective fighters.

Heavy fighting was reported in progress around Katowitz where 3,000 German volunteers attacked Polish insurgents.

GERMANS WHIP POLES.

By United Press.

OPPEL, Upper Silesia, May 23.—German volunteers have routed Polish insurgents at Albrechtroff and Lowenschau.

The Germans charged in great numbers and overwhelmed the Poles.

PREACHER'S DAUGHTER FOUND DEAD, STATE SENATOR MENTIONED

By United Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 23.—County authorities today planned to investigate the death of Miss Virginia Lloyd, 20 years old, daughter of a Methodist Minister at Lula, Okla., who was found in a rooming house here Sunday morning with two bullet wounds in her breast. A discharged revolver lay near by. According to police, Miss Lloyd told Mrs. F. H. Moriarity, proprietor of the rooming house, shortly before she was found dead, that she intended to take her own life because Rep. J. F. Denny, of the Oklahoma legislature, with whom she claimed she had been living intimately had refused to see her any more.

FORMER "MILLIONAIRE KID" CANT HAVE WIFE'S \$4,600

SYRACUSE, May 22.—The reassignment to Simon D. Paddock, Jr., in his wife's name of a balance of an original assignment of a share of his inheritance, which won him the name of "The Millionaire Kid," was set aside by Surrogate Sadler today as invalid on the ground of forgery.

The finding was on petition of Mrs. Lillian M. Paddock in connection with reports on the trusteeship of the estate, now dwindling from \$1,000,000 to thousands only. The disputed assignment is for \$4,600 to Hogan, Bryne & Bryne, attorneys for the husband.

SWEETHEARTS' BODIES LYING SIDE BY SIDE

Girl's Father and Brother Brought to San Angelo Under Heavy Guard.

Special to The Times.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, May 22.—Elizabeth Dorothy Harris, 20 years old, and her fiancé, Nelson McNeill, 27, were dead today as a result of a pitched battle fought late Saturday on the Joe Wyatt ranch, eleven miles below Sonora, between McNeill, Richard Harris, the girl's father, and H. S. Harris, the girl's brother, all from Valley Mills, Bosque county.

Miss Harris was killed instantly. She was struck by four bullets, one of which broke her neck. Another went through her breast. McNeill's dead body was found shortly after daylight this morning seven miles from the scene of the shooting. It lay in a pool of blood, with the throat slashed and a bloody penknife near by. The only other mark was a bruise on the head.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris and their son are being held in the Verdell hotel in Sonora pending a verdict by Coroner H. B. Balch of Sonora, which is expected tomorrow. Judge James Cornell of the eighty-third judicial district was reported this afternoon to be en route home to call a special session of the grand jury to investigate the deaths.

Sweethearts in Years.

McNeill and Miss Harris had been sweethearts for several years, but the girl's parents strenuously objected to their marriage, according to the father. The girl left home Saturday for Waco, but when she did not return on time, her relatives started a search by automobile, suspecting an elopement.

At Waco, they say, they received a telegram that Miss Harris was in Dallas, but arriving there, they found the message had been a fake, sent, they presume, by a friend of McNeill. The latter was known to make frequent automobile trips to Del Rio and the searchers left Waco for that border city Friday morning.

Arriving in Sonora, seventy-two miles south of San Angelo, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, they were making inquiries for the couple when they saw McNeill and Miss Harris down the street. McNeill was changing a tire on his roadster.

Quitting the repairs, he leaped behind the wheel and the death race began, Miss Harris' relatives following closely in pursuit in a high-powered touring car. Eleven miles southeast of Sonora, on Joe Wyatt's ranch, the tireless wheel on McNeill's car gave way and the couple ran from the road.

Richard Harris alleges that McNeill began shooting with a pistol when he and his son approached, and they returned the fire. H. S. Harris says his sister started toward them, but was struck back by McNeill, who fired upon the girl, then turned the smoking gun upon himself. Richard Harris knocked down McNeill with the butt of his shotgun, according to H. S. Harris, and was about to shoot McNeill, who lay upon the ground beside his dying sweetheart, when his son grabbed his pistol.

McNeill Leaves Scene.

While relatives picked up Miss Harris, McNeill fled, without his gun. He left a trail of blood which thirty citizens headed by officers, followed until 3 o'clock Sunday. Exhausted, the posse stopped at a ranchhouse. At daybreak McNeill's body was found in a clump of mesquite bushes only 100 yards away.

Officers yesterday took charge of four revolvers and a shotgun at the scene of the shooting, all the members of the Harris family, it is said, having been armed. The guns carried by McNeill and Miss Harris were thirty-two. McNeill's hat had a bullet-hole through the crown.

Miss Harris' body was brought here today at noon and will be held until her parents and brother at Sonora are released or until other relatives can make funeral arrangements.

McNeill's body was being brought here this afternoon to be met by Dr. W. T. McNeill of Valley Mills, the father, who was due to arrive on a late train. Pct. families are said to be prominent in Central Texas.

A RUNNING BATTLE.

SAN ANGELO, May 23.—Under heavy guard, but officially at liberty under \$1000 bond each, Dick Harris and his son, H. S. Harris, father and brother of the dead girl, were en route here today from Sonora where tragedy and death terminated the elopement of Elizabeth Dorothy Harris, 20 and Nelson McNeill.

The father and brother of the girl killed in a shooting affray when the girl's parents and brother, who objected to the marriage overtook the couple, were charged before leaving Sonora with assault with intent to kill McNeill, whose body was found some distance from where the girl was killed, his throat cut with a pen knife.

The only other mark on McNeill's body were gunshot flesh wounds, on the forehead and a bruise on the bar of the head, apparently inflicted by a blunt instrument. He had a death from the pen knife wound.

Charges Filed.

The assault charges as Drug

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PROGRAM

TEMPLE—Wallace Reid in "The Love Special."
 MAJESTIC—Jen. Gladston's Merry Madcaps, and picture, Anne Luther in "Neglected Wives."
 LIBERTY—Lionel Barrymore in "The Copperhead," also Mutt and Jeff comedy, and "The Avenging Arrow."
 LAMB—Norma Talmadge in "Panthea," also comedy, "Don't Blame the Stork," and Bray Picograph.

PLAY MAKES RECORD RUN IN PARIS OF OVER TWELVE HUNDRED

PARIS, May 23.—With the disappearance of "Phi-Phi," a light musical comedy from the stage of the Theater Bouffes aresiens, which is believed to be a record run here for consecutive performances was brought to a close.
 "Phi-Phi" was put on November 11, 1918, "Armistice Night," and was produced nine times a week regularly ever since with extra matinees on holidays, making a total of more than 1,200 performances up to the end of April when it was withdrawn.
 Nine out of ten of the musical critics who viewed the show on opening night, pronounced it a failure and predicted that it would be taken off before the New Year 1919.

STATES OIL CORPN'S J. M. RADFORD NO. ONE MAKES THREE HUNDRED

EASTLAND, May 23.—The States Oil Corporation's J. H. Radford No. 1, which is north of the Ann Quiet lease is in and producing 300 barrels from the shallow sand at 1985 feet, according to announcement of officials of that company. The well is two locations north of the Ann Quiet famous shallow pool, also owned by the States Oil Corporation and is an important extension of that pool. The well was drilled to the producing level and only a short distance into the sand. Officials of the company are of the opinion that this will make a splendid well when drilled in. The States Oil Corporation is one of the largest independent concerns in this section, and owns a large block of leases in the country north of here and between this and the Stephens county line.

FAST WORK!

EL PASO, Texas, May 23.—nineteen years ago the state land office became the debtor of J. B. DuBose, of El Paso, to the sum of \$1. He put in a claim for it. After 19 years passed he received a check for the \$1. It was due Mr. DuBose on an overcomng assessment against land, he said.
 "I'm glad they found the error," he said, "even if it did take 19 years."

Now Barney's More Interested in Safety



By Billy De Beck

EVANGELIST TELLS OF CHRISTIANS IN APOSTOLIC DAYS

A very attentive crowd heard Evangelist Wallace in his presentation of "What it Took to Make Christians in Apostolic Days" Saturday evening. "New Testament Worship" was the subject discussed Sunday morning.
 "To a house filled to overflowing, Sunday evening, the evangelist delivered a very forceful discourse on the "New Testament Church." Excellent community singing was an important feature of the service. A special song entitled "What Next," sung by a male quartet, was well received by the appreciative audience.
 Services are conducted daily at 10:45 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

NERVY LAWYER!

AUSTIN, Texas, May 23.—"I hate to tackle the job of showing a judge of the court of criminal appeals where he is wrong in an opinion he has written, but I'll make a big attempt at it anyway," said a young lawyer to the presiding judge of the court recently.
 The young lawyer was trying to get a client, who was held awaiting extradition, out of jail on bond. An opinion written by a judge of the court of criminal appeals some years ago held that in such cases the confined party was not to be allowed bail. The opinion had been held valid by several judges in later cases and by the present court.
 The young lawyer said he saw a loop-hole in the opinion and that his client had a right to his freedom on bail. The presiding judge of the present court advised him to "go ahead; that's what makes good lawyers."

Be sure your camp fire is dead—then bury it.

BIG DANCE TONIGHT
Moose Hall
 Music by Lukin's Orchestra

AT THE HOTELS

PARAMOUNT
 John M. Burk, Dallas.
 J. E. Heck, Dallas.
 E. Otto, N. Y. City.
 Mr. and Mrs. Stan Laurel Majestic Theatre.
 Arthie Goulet, Majestic Theatre.
 Ed Prevost, Majestic Theatre.
 George Holt, El Paso, Texas.
 Jas. H. Crawford, N. Y. City.
 R. M. Thompson, Goldthwaite, Texas.
 E. P. Thompson, Goldthwaite, Texas.

MAJESTIC

George Walman, Wichita Falls, A. Otto, N. Y. City.
 Ernest Stewart and wife, Majestic Theatre.
 Frank and Adolph Stewart, Majestic Theatre.
 Harry Hearn and wife, Majestic Theatre.
 Jeanie and Minnie Hearn.
 Frank Lawler, Majestic Theatre.
 Midgie Roberts, Majestic Theatre.
 Estella Harris, Majestic Theatre.
 Billie Kent, Majestic Theatre.

J. Norris Melton, Oklahoma City, Okla.

T. S. Ratcliff, Dallas.
 Ernest Stewart and wife, Majestic Theatre.
 Frank and Adolph Stewart, Majestic Theatre.
 Harry Hearn and wife, Majestic Theatre.
 Jeanie and Minnie Hearn.
 Frank Lawler, Majestic Theatre.
 Midgie Roberts, Majestic Theatre.
 Estella Harris, Majestic Theatre.
 Billie Kent, Majestic Theatre.

J. B. Nelson and wife, Pioneer Girls Company.

S. T. Barton, City.
 J. O. Mara, Breckenridge, Texas.
 H. Billingsha, Breckenridge, Texas.
 M. S. Clark, Breckenridge, Texas.
 W. M. Reid, Breckenridge, Texas.
 John Reese, Oklahoma City, Okla.
 J. L. Irma, Dallas, Texas.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Marriage License issued by County Clerk Earl Bender Friday May 20, 1921.
 Guadalupe Parra, of Ranger and Miss Maire D. Perex of Ranger.
 Dudley King of Ellisville and Miss Doro Robertson of Ellisville.



Bill Wise sez

"When times are good we are worked to death, and when times are bad we are starved to death."
 It's true that it is usually hard to find a happy medium in most anything, but we feel sure that the well balanced program we have for you this week will fit in with your mood and make you feel that your hour is well spent.

Let Fatima smokers tell you



Ask the "fans"
 Next game you go to, just notice how many of the "fans" are Patima-wise—in grandstand and bleachers too. Made of fine tobaccos, perfectly blended.

FATIMA CIGARETTES

"Nothing else will do"

TWENTY for 25¢ -but taste the difference!

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

Remember Reid in a racing auto? Now watch him burn up the rails—

Wallace Reid with Theodore Roberts, Agnes Ayres, Julia Faye

"THE LOVE SPECIAL"

Also—UNIVERSAL COMEDY



MAJESTIC THEATRE

LAST TIME TODAY

"JEN. GLADSTON'S MERRY MADCAPS"

—On the Screen—Big Six-reel Feature—

"NEGLECTED WIVES"

Featuring ANNE LUTHER

With an all-star cast, including Claire Whitney and Charles Gerard
 Also Comedy—"HIS LYING HEART"

LIBERTY THEATRE

TODAY LIONEL BARRYMORE

—in—"THE COPPERHEAD"

—also—"The Avenging Arrow"

—and—Mutt and Jeff Comedy

PROGRAM 10¢
 CHANGED 25¢ DAILY.

ALL THE NEWS OF THE WEST TEXAS LEAGUE

TIMES SPORT PAGE

BASEBALL, TRAP-SHOOTING, ALL SPORTS

NITROS RUN BASES ON HIGH AND WITHOUT BRAKES, TAKE 10-7 GAME

Red Hill Pounded Hard But Good Support Holds Ballinger After Second Round.

Speed on the paths put runs across the platter for the Nitros yesterday, and they nosed out Ballinger in the first game of the series, 10 to 7. Twice our noble athletes stepped on the accelerator and came in home on high when by all the rules of stereotyped baseball they would have stopped at third without reprimand. And twice the play worked.

Boss Allen pulled it in the fifth, putting the Nitros ahead just three and three-fourths seconds after Teet Tolar had been squeezed in with the flying run. And in the eighth, Adkins and Lovelace scored on a high-bouncing slow one to second that Tolar beat out. Both times it caught the opposition asleep at the switch.

It was the kind of baseball that puts the Nitros way out in front during the early days of the season. Loose Start. What threatened during the early rounds to be another loosely played game tightened up in the latter stages. Red Hill's offerings were highly acceptable to the visiting crew.

Six of those passes were nicely timed for the Nitros. They were on the first two men up in the curtain-raiser, on the first two in the fifth, and the first man in the sixth and eighth. And the Nitros used them to advantage, as the spearheads of the run-getting attack.

Ballinger counted two in the first round, Langford hitting safely to left and Burch slugging a triple to right center after Liles had drawn the only base on balls issued by Red.

Ranger went one better in the last half when Clopp and York strolled on wide ones and Singleton hit to center for the round. It was a grass-cutter that bounded by Langford.

Coming back strong in the second, Ballinger staged a hit and run exhibition of the sort that has driven the fans delirious for the last week. O'Keefe, Ballinger's fast outfielder, beat out a bouncer to Murphy. Plumlee was brushed by one of Red's straight ones. Both runners moved to a notch when Sled dropped a pitch. With the infield drawn in Bricsee dropped a short fly back of Teet. Teet, after a neat run through and around Umpire Pillman, got one hand on the ball, but couldn't hold it, and O'Keefe counted. Knight's rap over second counted Plumlee and sent Bricsee to third. Knight stole second. Both counted when Liles bounced the ball off Hamilton's shin. Langford followed with a fly to left, too short for Liles to score. Sled's perfect show nipped his attempt to steal, but Liles made no effort to register, though Pillman was nicely placed to stop any return throw to the plate. Burch ended the inning by striking out.

Good Defense. After the second, the Nitro defense stopped Ballinger dead. Clopp threw O'Keefe out at the plate in the third, and in three other innings the key-stone combination made forecasts at second. Ballinger's last score came in the eighth, when Baldrige spilled two-and-a-half over the right field wall. Home runs are expensive, especially when made by guests.

The Nitros went to the front in the fifth, after inspecting Ballinger's heels for three innings. Crockett again set out to prove that he was wild. He proved it by walking Singleton and Lovelace. Well placed raps by Tolar and Allen drove the two across and put men on second and third. That finished Crockett and Baldrige brought out his left-handed bag of tricks. Hit walked, after seeming anxious to hit. Clopp counted. Baldrige on the squeeze play, putting it on the third ball. No attempt was made to catch Tolar, and Allen, steaming up, also counted on the play at first.

Squeeze Another. The squeeze put another over in the sixth, when a walk to Singleton was followed by Lovey's Texas leaguer back of third and sacrifices by Murphy and Tolar. It made three runs, or "the difference," that the hunting attack put across during the matinee.

Fast baserunning added two more in the eighth, after Hamilton had drawn four wide ones and O'Keefe had dropped Lovey's fly. With two down, Tolar hit to Plumlee and by fast running beat it out, and while all eyes were centered on the play at first, Ham and Lovey crossed the pan.

The score: NITROS 10, RANGER 7.

MEXICAN CUSTOMS GUARDS WANT PLANES FOR PATROL

JUAREZ, Mexico, May 23.—Rafael Ravila, commander of customs guards in the state of Chihuahua, with headquarters in Juarez, has petitioned the Mexican government for two planes to be used in patrolling the border, to look for smugglers, chiefly liquor runners, from Ojinaga, Chihuahua, to Pallas, Chihuahua.

Table with columns: BALLINGER, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Bricsee, Knight, Liles, Langford, Burch, Williams, O'Keefe, Plumlee, Crockett, Baldrige, Miller.

Table with columns: RANGER, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Clopp, York, Hamilton, Singleton, Adkins, Lovelace, Murphy, Tolar, Allen, Hill.

Table with columns: WEST TEXAS LEAGUE, Team, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows: Fort Worth, Houston, Galveston, Shreveport, Beaumont, San Antonio, Dallas, Wichita Falls.

Table with columns: AMERICAN LEAGUE, Team, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows: Cleveland, New York, Detroit, Washington, Boston, St. Louis, Chicago, Philadelphia.

Table with columns: NATIONAL LEAGUE, Team, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows: Pittsburgh, New York, Chicago, Brooklyn, Boston, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Philadelphia.

Table with columns: SUNDAY'S RESULTS, Game, Score. Rows: Cleveland 5, Boston 0; Chicago 6, Washington 2; Philadelphia 9, Detroit 6; New York 6, St. Louis 5.

Table with columns: TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE, Game, Time. Rows: New York at St. Louis; Washington at Chicago; Philadelphia at Detroit; Boston at Cleveland.

Table with columns: SUNDAY'S RESULTS, Game, Score. Rows: Pittsburgh 8, New York 6; Chicago 5, Brooklyn 4 (12 innings); No others scheduled.

Table with columns: TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE, Game, Time. Rows: St. Louis at Boston; Chicago at Brooklyn; Pittsburgh at New York; Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

BAGUIO, P. I., May 22.—(By Associated Press)—Their desire for continuation of American sovereignty over the Philippine Islands was described to the Wood-Forbes mission here today by delegations of Igorotes.

THIS TIME LAST YEAR

With the score 2 to 1 in favor of the Browns, Babe Ruth hit his sixth homer over the grandstand at the Polo grounds with a runner on, winning the game 3 to 2. Scott pitched a three hit game for Boston, beating the Reds 3 to 0.

80-MILE SPEED MAY DEVELOP IN BOAT RACE

Eleven Events Will Be Pulled at Detroit Powerboat Regatta in August.

DETROIT, Mich., May 21.—Speed that a few years ago was undreamed of, is expected to be developed in the Harmsworth trophy race which with the Gold Cup event, features the program for the powerboat regatta here late this summer.

Plans for the Gold Cup race are somewhat uncertain, owing to the reluctance of many previous contenders to enter into competition with the wizard, Gar Wood.

The Gulf Production nine trimmed the Eastland semi-pros in handy fashion at Eastland Sunday, 6 to 3.

The "Oil Stars" are back home after a trip to Abilene, where they beat the Black Eagles two out of three.

Five games are scheduled for the next week-end by the "Oil Stars," to be played at Nitro park.

CHICAGO, May 22.—The National convention of the Industrial Workers of the World today endorsed what it termed the "struggle of the Irish workers against world imperialism."

HUDSON SUPER-SIX AND ESSEX MOTOR CARS. Can make immediate deliveries on all models. W. H. ROGERS GARAGE, Ranger, Texas. Phone 199. 210 S. Rusk.

ERROR SAVES CISCO SHUTOUT AT SWEETWATER

SWEETWATER, May 23.—Before a fine Sunday crowd the Swatters defeated the Cisco club 7 to 1. The visitors, despite a switched lineup and new manager, were outplayed and out-hit.

Table with columns: SWEETWATER, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Obst, Ezell, Neely, Johnston, Thrash, Whitney, Pipkin, Byers, Richburg.

Table with columns: CISCO, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Flagg, King, Bratcher, Baird, Earnshaw, Westfall, Philpot, Lyall, Brooks, J. Brooks.

Score by innings: Sweetwater 0, 11, 0, 11, 3, 7; Cisco 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1.

SPANIARDS DO NOT LIKE THE BOXING GAME

MADRID, May 21.—Spaniards do not understand boxing—and do not want to, judging from some of the comments in connection with the recent exhibition given by Carpentier in Madrid, where he reproduced with Llenaers as his boxing partner his bout against Battling Levinsky.

"The secret of this 'frost' is not far to seek. Spaniards do not like their fists. They prefer smacks, Fists hurt the adversary and, besides, it hurts one's hands to hit with them closed.

"We are a people of open hands and our anger shows itself more in words than in muscles. Should Spaniards come to blows, the necessary preliminaries are a long string of insults for the adversary and two or three generations of his ancestors.

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CHARLEY CLOPP LEADS SLUGGERS FOR LAST WEEK

Charley Clopp, by virtue of two games when he hit 1,000, with four trips to the plate on each occasion, is leading the Nitro sluggers for the eight-day period beginning May 14 and ending with Saturday's game. He failed to hit in two games. Johnny Singleton is runner-up with .472 for the period, made by smacking out one or more hits in every contest.

Table with columns: G.A.B.R.H. Avg. Rows: Clopp, Singleton, Adkins, Tolar, Murphy, York, Hill, Lovelace, Allen, Harding, Boyer, Carter.

EASTLAND GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB WILL NAME OFFICERS TODAY

EASTLAND, May 22.—All members of the Eastland Golf and Country Club have been called to meet at the City Hall Monday night for the purpose of electing officers and entering into permanent organization.

IN THE COURTS

In The Courts. J. P. Court No. 1. Clem Lumber Co. vs. K. S. Lykins, suit on account. County Court. No. Cause filed. 88th District Court. Oil Well Supply Co. vs. Ballentine Oil Corporation, debt. 91st District Court. Elizabeth Kendall vs. W. D. Kendall, divorce.

GENERAL STRIKE CRIPPLES CAPITAL OF PARAGUAY

BUENOS AIRES, May 22.—A general strike has been declared in Asuncion, the Paraguayan capital, says a dispatch to the Nacion today from that city.

The movement is in sympathy with the striking street car employees. All industries are affected.

Reopening Announcement of the CRYSTAL CAFE. After being closed several weeks due to damages from fire, we are now in a position to serve the best foods and give the best service to our patrons. WE THANK YOU CRYSTAL CAFE. BASEBALL TODAY AND TOMORROW RANGER BALLINGER Game Called at 4 p. m. Two blocks from Marston off Main ADMISSION 75c Tickets on Sale at The Fountain and Texas Drug.

NITROS RELEASE AND TAKE ON MEN CHANGE IN SKED

To make room for the new men, Jim Sewell and Fred Adkins—Lefty's kid brother—got the pink slip Saturday night. Neither had had enough experience for this company, Sled thought. Sewell has been started three or four times. Young Adkins was slung into a tight hole in one game last week, and pitched several innings.

With Hamilton here and a new shortstop coming, there may be changes in the infield, though Sled is mum as to what he has in mind. He says, however, that somebody will have to be dropped before Thursday, as he does not care to run up expenses by carrying extra men around the circuit.

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ALARMS FIRST.

An alarm system is essential to first class fire protection. That was demonstrated this morning when the Parkersburg Rig & Reel company's plant burned to the ground and was ablaze from end to end and top to bottom when the fire department got on the ground.

It is only one of many instances of the sort.
Ranger's fire department is among the most modern in the country. It has won praise from all experts who have looked it over. It has shown a maximum of efficiency when it gets on the job. But it cannot put out fires before large damage is done unless it can be notified while the blaze is in its incipency.

A Gamewell system, which is universal in the larger cities, would cost about \$15,000 for Ranger, it is said. It would give instantaneous alarms, denoting the approximate location of the blaze. On the average, it would save at least fifteen minutes in getting water on a burning building. And fifteen minutes will often mean the difference between total loss and nominal damage.

An efficient fire department should have a chance to be efficient, and it cannot have if its work is delayed until every fire has a big start on it. The cost of an alarm system would be repaid in giving Ranger's present \$100,000 now invested for fire fighting purposes its full value. It would be repaid by the saving on one big fire.

It is said the city has already decided on such installation, and it would seem, with today's example fresh in mind, that the best time to do it is now.

In Utopia, everybody draws high wages and all commodities are cheap. Manufacturers lose; Government makes up the deficit and taxes wages to get the money.—Baltimore Sun.

The old-fashioned man who in his youth was condemned by the neighbors for his monkeyshines now has a son who is mudd sought after for his moonshines.—Baltimore Sun.

There is a big difference between a good administration that occasionally makes a mistake and a bad one that occasionally used to get a thing right.—Detroit Free Press.

Senator Pat Harrison opposes secret sessions in the belief, no doubt, that the public should not be deprived of a single speech he may make.—Indianapolis Star.

If Mr. Borah doesn't get out of the way of normalcy we may have to nominate him Ambassador to Yap.—Dallas News.

This country will be absolutely dry as soon as a new generation of non-consumers can be grown.—Toledo Blade.

Prosperity does not come from waiting for the other fellow to work hard and save.—Wall Street Journal.

Did the Haytian propagandists arrive in the United States via Germany or Japan? Boston Transcript.

Shortening the working hours often results in the lengthening the customer's kick.—Washington Post.

Greece is said to seek our aid. We've given it the Leeds falls; does it want more?—Philadelphia Record.

ALL FRIDAYS ON THE 13TH
IF NEW BILL BECOMES
A LAW.



Friday will always fall on the thirteenth of the month, if a new bill proposing a new calendar becomes a law. The bill has been offered in the house by Representative H. J. Drane of Florida. He would add another month, making thirteen in all, and would place it between June and July, naming the month Centre. Each month would have twenty-eight days, causing Friday to always fall on the thirteenth. Holidays would be switched around, January 3 being Christmas, December 3 Thanksgiving Day and March 7 Washington's birthday.

BASS MINNOWS
ARE ASKED FOR
TO STOCK LAKE

EASTLAND, May 22.—J. E. Lewis, general manager of the Oil Belt Power Co. is authority for the statement that he has made application for a large number of bass from the government fish hatcheries at San Marcos, with which he proposes to stock the Oil Belt Power Co. lake on the Leon river, about four miles east of this city. Mr. Lewis, who is an ardent disciple of the piscatorial art, when asked how many minnows he would ask for said: "Oh, about 100,000, but I expect to get about 10,000, and when they are put in the lake we expect to put a guard on watch to protect them until they get big enough to pass the game law, then we will give the people of Eastland and surrounding country who enjoy this sport, an opportunity to fish all they want to." In a short time Eastland will be the fisherman's paradise, as the Ringling Lake has already been stocked with black and rainbow bass. Lake Eastland will be stocked as soon as it is filled, and even a number of good sized cat, croppie and perch are being taken from the Oil Belt Power Co. lake.

ODESSA'S NEW HOTEL
TO BE READY JUNE ONE

ODESSA, Texas, May 22.—The new two story hotel which has been under construction for some months is about completed and will be furnished and ready for occupancy about June 1st. This modern brick building was constructed to meet the needs of the tourists over the Bankhead Highway from Central Texas to El Paso. \$230,000 will be spent by the country, state and Federal Governments on the 25 miles stretch of this highway that passes through Ector County. The Bonds have already been voted and the matter is now in the hands of the Highway Department. This road will connect up several of the more sparsely settled counties of West Texas and will be an important link in the Highway System of the State.

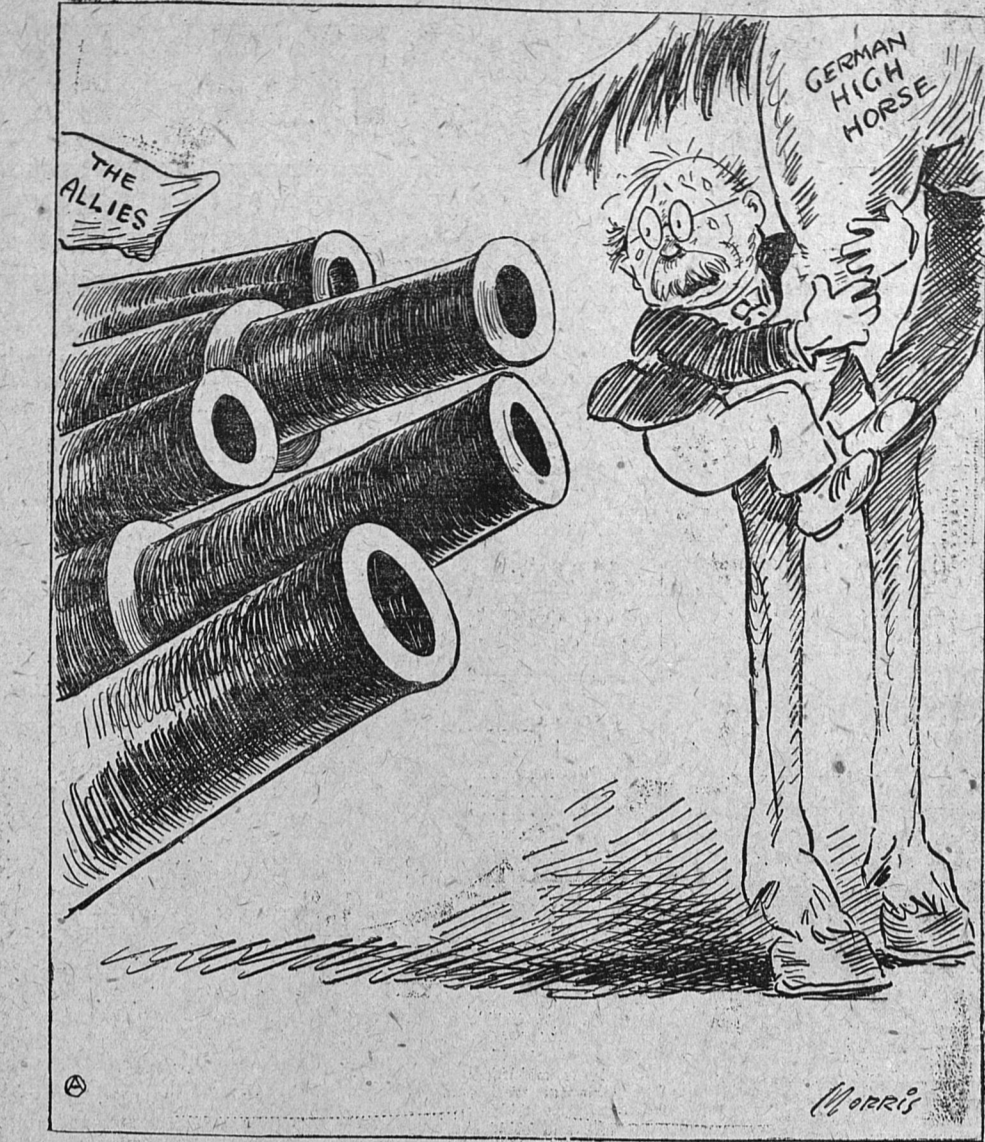
DERRICK ERECTED ON
SARAH BLYTHE TRACT

CRYSTAL FALLS, May 22.—Apparently not discouraged by the abandoned hole of the Fensland company drilled on the J. J. Robertson one mile south of this city, J. H. Guillot and associates have erected a derrick on the Sarah Blythe tract one-half mile south of the Robertson. The new well will be an off-set to Sharpe and Mahaney No. 1 well where they are now underreaming their eight-inch pipe and which is expected to be in within the next ten days. The Sarah Blythe land is on a ridge several hundred feet above the Fensland well which was abandoned due to water trouble.

SCORE MISS DEATH!

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, May 22.—A score of persons, including several children, narrowly escaped death today when a vacant four-story building in the heart of the west side tenement district collapsed. First reports were that several children who had been playing in the building were buried in the debris. Police investigation showed these to be unfounded. The building had stood vacant since the explosion of "moonshine" fireworks several weeks ago, wrecking several nearby buildings and causing six deaths. It was believed by the police that the explosion weakened the building which collapsed today.

ANOTHER VERSION OF "DON'T SHOOT I'LL COME DOWN!"



TINKER BOB STORIES
By CARLYSLE H. HOLCOMB.

JACK, THERABBIT, IN QUEST OF HIS SER NADER.

Tinker Bob and Silky, the Monkey, were walking thru the Forest looking at the wonderful thing when suddenly Jack, the Rabbit, made his appearance. "What are you doing out here this time of the day?" asked the King. "I supposed that you were asleep in a hole; or in the briar patch." "Not always asleep, Your Honor. Even sometimes in the middle of the day I come out into the Forest to see if every little thing is as it should be. While I was alone in the briar patch I began to think of some of my friends and wonder where they were. That is why I am out. I thought perhaps I might see some of them, for you know I cannot see many of them in the evening because they go to bed early."



Silky Climbed Into a Tree Near by and Hung Down by His Tail.

"Well, tell us who you were looking for and maybe we can tell you where they are? It may be they are not here yet. You know some of the dwellers do not come so soon as others," said Tinker. Bob sitting down on a log, while Silky climbed into a tree near by and hung down by his tail. "I've been worrying about that good singer who used to set in the early evening right above the door of my house in the briar patch and sing as though his life depended on it. I haven't heard him once this year. It seems to me it must be time for him to come back. Then too, I thought he might be afraid now to make his home near the briar patch for that's where Billy, the Sparrow has made his home. And then I thought again he might have gone to another part of the Forest or across the river." Jack scratched his ear with his two front feet and sat in silence. "I think I know who you mean, it is Mr. Song Sparrow. But why should he be afraid of Billy the old grouch, for he is a cousin of Billy's?" "Well, I didn't know anything about his relation to the other folks but I

do know that he and Billy never got along together very well."

"I think I can tell you where he is if you want to see him said Tinker." Oh, what a wonderful King the forest creatures had! He could tell them anything they wanted to know. Jack, the Rabbit, was so happy anyway when he met the King that he always liked to be near where he could see him often. That's the reason he built his home in the briar patch because it was so near the King's Palace. "If you will come with me I will take you to the place where you can see your old friend. I will tap the Stone of Knowledge and we will take a ride with the Wonderful Creature of My Desire to the place where Mr. Song Sparrow lives." Silky, the Monkey, and Jack, the Rabbit, and Tinker Bob, the King of the Forest, climbed into the Magic Basket and were off. Such a happy three you seldom see. (Tomorrow—An Old Song.)

Messin' With The Great Throbbin Heart
O' Humanity Costs Jasper Coin and Faith

"I got to messing with the 'great throbbing heart of humanity' the other day and the darn thing cost me \$5 in legal tender; three hours of my time, which is more or less valueless, and just a little more of the faith I had in the thing they call human nature." Jasper Jones told the reporter as the two stood on the corner of Main and Austin. Jasper and the reporter at that time were trying to decide where in all of this great city they could go and have a glass of near beer without having to "take it" a la jazz music agonizingly ground from a piano of the tinpany variety.

him up, he would take care of him. I sent him all right, and he went. He told my friend how very near the ragged edge of starvation he and his family were and my friend gave him a good job and an order on a grocery store for \$5 worth of merchandise. Grand Finale. "He got the groceries all right and from that day to now neither myself nor my friend has seen him. I kinder figure that he decided there was no use in working as long as he could eat. I don't know though, he might have connected with another job. Anyway that was a kinder cute baby."

"How do I figure that I am out \$5? It was me and not my friend that was messing with the throbbing heart of humanity. You don't think I would let him be loser do you?"

BRAZOS CLEAR FORK
RUNNING BANK FULL

CRYSTAL FALLS, May 22.—Due to the recent heavy rains on the plains country, the Clear Fork of the Brazos river has raised three feet at this point, giving a much needed water supply, the river almost having been drained by the numerous pumping plants which supply Breckenridge and several small towns to the south.

Owing to lower prices America will furnish Italy with her main supply of coal for the next five years.

CANADA WANTS
TO KNOW WHO
IS HER ENEMY

Called on to Prepare for Imperial Defense She Asks "Against Whom?"

TORONTO, May 23.—Who is the enemy that the British Empire must now guard itself against? The question is asked wherever in Canada imperial affairs and the approaching June conference of Premiers is discussed.

Thanks to the frankness of Premier Meighen in statements made to the Canadian Parliament during the last few days, the world for the first time knows in advance what the agenda of the imperial conference is to be, although from a speech several weeks ago by Lloyd George it was evident that he hoped discussions and decisions on profound issues would result. These profound issues, it now appears, have to do with defence. Apparently, some great new scheme of empire defence is to be pronounced and the dominions are to be invited to share in the scheme—share in responsibility for it and share in the expense.

And the first thing Canadians want to know is: Defence against whom? Who is the enemy?

Is it broken Germany? or helpless Russia? France, our bed-fellow? United States, our kinsman? or far away Japan?

It is hard to tell which of these suggestions strike Canadians as being the most fanciful. In the game of world affairs Canada is young and probably unopinionated, but most Canadians feel that with Germany disposed of we have not an enemy, real or potential in the world. Then why the haste to rush into fresh defence expenditures?

Sir Robert Borden who, now that he has retired from the Premiership and still supports the Government of the day, occupies a position which in its detached influence is unique in Canadian history, is no addict to emotionalism, but there was emotion in his voice as he exclaimed to a crowded House of Commons in a debate on the Imperial Conference programme: "Surely we have not passed through untold sacrifice merely to learn that there is to be no respite from the intolerable burden of armaments."

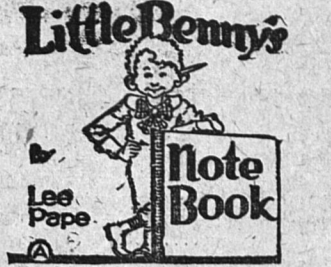
And in his next breath Sir Robert indicated that it was not alone on any possible decision of the British Cabinet or of the Imperial Conference that the peace of the world depended for he added: "Much depends upon the attitude of the United States towards essential co-operation in censoring the peace of the world. I am confident it will not be withheld whatever may be the final judgment of that country with respect to the covenant of the League of Nations."

Sir Robert Borden stressed the desirability of the Dominion making their influence felt on Imperial Councils right away. "At the present day," he said, "I think Great Britain might hesitate to engage in war against a strong public opinion in either Canada or Australia."

He next served notice on the Imperialists that as far as he personally is concerned, "I should regret to see the Empire engage in difficult commitments whether in Eastern Europe or Western Asia or elsewhere."

The first blood shed in the Civil War was in Broad street, Baltimore, Md., on April 19, 1961, when the Massachusetts Sixth Regiment was attacked.

SEARCH FOR BURIED LOOT IN
SEA ISLAND RIVALS STORY OF
QUEST FOR 'PIECES OF EIGHT'



I ran all the way home yesterday hoping I wouldn't be late for supper again on account of having bin late so often lately, and I opened the front door and peeked in, and everybody was back in the dining room eating already, me shutting the door again easy, thinking, Heck.

Which jest then Puds Simkins started to go past, me saying, Hay Puds, do me a favor will you, Puds? Ill hide and you ring my front bell and whoever comes to the door tell them I was unavoidably detained, and then they'll expect me to be late and then Ill go in a little later and it will be all right.

And I hid in the next store vestibule peeking out, and Puds rang the bell and ma opened the door, Puds saying, How do you do, Mrs. Potts, Benny is being unavoidably detained. Wats that, how do you mean, wats on erth is the matter? sed ma, and Puds sed, Nothing, he's jest inavoidibly detained, and he want help it. O, something drefill has happened to him. I know it, tell me immediately, tell me the worst, dont stand there gawking, speak out, wats happened to him? sed ma, shaking Puds by the shoulder hard as anything, and Puds sed, Nothing, he fell down a short hole but he expects to be out any minnit now.

O, is he badly hurt, this is terrible, wats hole, wats, dont stand there gawking I tell you, sed ma. And she kept on shaking Puds and Puds didnt say it, me thinking, G, heck, this is fearse. And I came out of the next store vestibule saying, Hello ma, heer I am. Wats were you doing in there, how dare you, wats do you mean by giving me sutch a scare? sed ma. And she gave me a fearse krack and I quick went in the house on account of being pushed in and had to go to bed rite after supper and rite before dizzert.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS
By GEORGE BINGHAM.

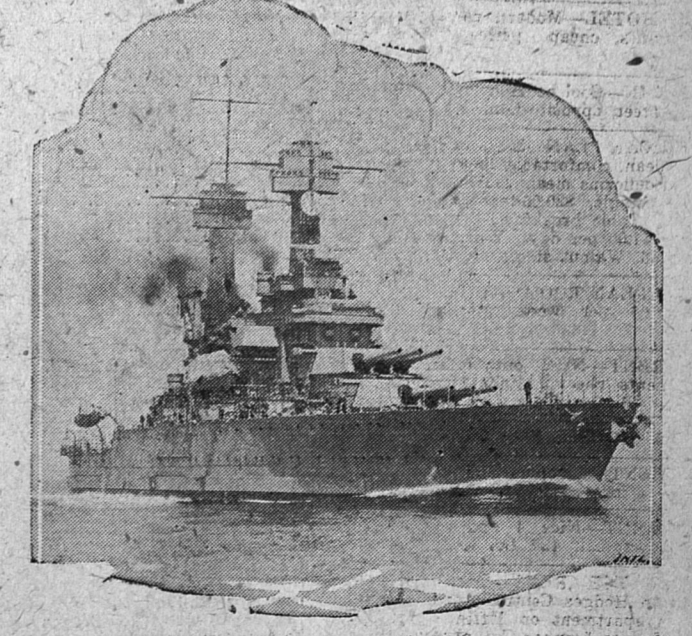


Sidney Hooks says thousands of ambitious young vocalists throughout the land have given up the task of trying to learn to sing as good as a phonograph.

Heavy firing was heard echoing through the Gander creek woods today. Upon investigation by a posse of determined citizens it developed to be Sim Flinders shooting at a squirrel, which made good its escape during the excitement.

Our home team opened the season Saturday afternoon with the Rounding Billows nine. The game resulted in a victory for the visitors, the score being 28 to 46. During the game the umpire got hit three times, once accidentally.

U. S. S. TENNESSEE PASSES SPEED TESTS
IN ITS TRIALS OFF THE COAST OF MAINE



The U. S. S. Tennessee, newest and greatest of our superdreadnaughts going at full speed during her trials off Rockland, Maine. The ship, which is electrically driven, passed the tests with flying color with an average speed of twenty-one knots an hour. She was recently commissioned at the Brooklyn, N. Y., navy yard, where she was built.

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I. O. O. F. Lodge meets Monday night at I. O. O. F. hall, 112-1-2 N. Rusk st. Third degree; visitors welcome. S. M. Shell, M. G., R. H. Cunningham, sec.

1—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—In business district, Friday, bunch of keys. Suitable reward if returned to Times office.

LOST—One pocket book. Memo book, red; check book on Texas State Bank. If found return to Ranger Water Works Office. Liberal reward.

LOST—32" double eagle, Masonic watch chain sometime Sunday, return to Jack Jarvis at Ball Park and receive reward.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER—Work guaranteed, prices reasonable. Mrs. Welte, 115 N. Marston st.

WANTED—General housework, prices reasonable, answer by letter, 1201 Desdemona st., Ranger.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES

A FEW LIGHT SUITS—While they last \$6.00 to \$10.00. Ogdin 119 S. Rusk St.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

L. SEYBOLD, cement contractor, 712 S. Rusk, P. O. Box 902. All work guaranteed.

DRESS MAKING—of all kinds, 318 North Oak street, Mrs. Carr.

DRESSES DESIGNED—and made. Work guaranteed; prices reasonable. See Mrs. Jones, 210 P. & Q. Bldg., Main and Austin streets.

FAIRMOUNT MATERNITY HOSPITAL for confinement; private; prices reasonable; may work for board; babies adopted; write for booklet. Mrs. T. B. Long, 4911 E. Twenty-seventh, Kansas City, Mo.

KINDERGARTEN NURSERY—\$12 a week per child; room, board and laundry. Kindergarten Nursery, box 847.

WILL TRADE—New piano for car. Write P. O. Box 1103.

WANTED to board and care for small children; \$1.00 per day. Rates per week. 415 S. Pecan st.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT

BIRD HOTEL—Modern rooms and apartments, cheap prices, Phone 423.

CLOSE IN—Cool bed rooms, 318 Cypress street, guaranteed laundry.

AMERICAN PLAN—Room and meals. Cool, clean, comfortable rooms; home cooked delicious meals \$1.00 to \$14.00 weekly single, \$20.00 to \$25.00 weekly double. Table breakfast, dinner and supper \$1.00 per day. Wilson Hotel, phone 88, Walnut street, city.

NICE CLEAN ROOMS—\$1.00 up per day, \$5.00 per week. Metropolitan Hotel.

FOR RENT—Nice South Room and apartments cheap; apply 210 Walnut St. Ranger Hwd. Co.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

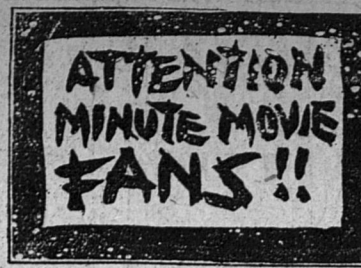
FOR RENT—2 rooms furnished for housekeeping; apply 703 S. Rusk st.

FOR RENT—Nice 4 and 5-room bungalows; call 427 So. Hodges st.

HOUSE FOR RENT—One 4-room house in Hodges Central Addition. 1 3-room apartment on Tiffin. Apply E. J. Barnes Lumber Co., phone 228.

COMPLETE FURNISHED HOUSE—to couple, \$15.00. Apply 639 1-2 N. Marston.

MINUTE MOVIE FANS!!



BEGINNING TOMORROW ED-UNELAN presents THE HEART OF TING LING

HAZEL DEARIE AS THE LOVELY CHINESE PRINCESS TING LING HAS ONE OF THE MOST UNUSUAL AND BEAUTIFUL ROLES OF HER ENTIRE CAREER

DICK DARE TAKES THE CHARACTER OF 'HO WING', A YOUNG GARDENER, WITH WHOM THE PRINCESS IS IN LOVE. IT'S SOME PART BOYS!



RALPH MCSNEER SCORES AS THE WICKED 'FANG WANG'. NEVER IN HIS LONG AND CHECKERED CAREER AS A VILLAIN HAS MR. MCSNEER HAD SUCH A MEAN AND CONTEMPTIBLE PART.



REMEMBER 5 BIG SENSATIONAL EPISODES—FULL OF ALL THE ROMANCE AND WITCHERY OF THE ORIENT. A PHOTO-PLAY REPLETE WITH THRILLS AND EXCITEMENT 'THE HEART OF TING LING.'

DON'T MISS THE TERRIFIC TYPHOON AND EVERYTHING!!!

FIRST EPISODE SHOW ON THIS SCREEN TOMORROW

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—5-room house, furnished well; cheap rent, 1007 Foch st. Young addition.

4-ROOM HOUSE, clean large rooms, reasonable price to men bachelors, 420 Mesquite st.

3 ROOM SHACK—On Strawn road \$8.00 or for small family washing. 639 1-2 N. Marston.

FOR RENT—Small furnished house close in; apply Mrs. Hazzard, Hazard hotel.

FOR RENT—Six Room House on Oak Street, \$30.00 per month. See J. G. Wikerson at Adams and Echols.

10—STORES FOR RENT

FOR SALE or lease—Store building, 37x90, located on Hunt street. Inquire Times office.

STORE TO LET, Marston bldg, 326 Main st., room 342.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

MARIAN APARTMENTS 2 rooms, furnished; rent reasonable. 607 W. Main St.

3-ROOM apartments for rent, modern, furnished apartments. The Greenwood.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

ONE-HALF PRICE, or less, restaurant, dishes, kitchen utensils, etc.; Underwood typewriter, adding machine and Universal lighting plant; Black Bros., Paramount hotel.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Beautiful five-room house, with all modern conveniences, located in Young addition. Garage, servants' room, cement walks. For other information apply 1116 Foch St., or Leveille-Maher Motor Co. Phone 217.

FOR SALE—Splendid house for small family, close to school and to town. One of the prettiest locations in Ranger. House is well finished inside, and has large screened sleeping porch. Price \$300 cash, or \$350 easy payments. Some furniture is thrown in at this price. See this place to appreciate it. Call at 207 Main st. We will show you. Moore & Freeman.

FOR RENT—Four two and three-room houses, completely furnished with modern conveniences. 223 N. Marston Street.

FOR SALE—Nice, well built house; 2 large rooms, large sleeping porch screened, location high, overlooking whole city. Price \$500.00. Will take part trade. Moore & Freeman, 207 Main St.

16—AUTOMOBILES

AUTOMOBILE PAINTING, Tops, cushions and seat covers built and repaired. Fenders and bodies straightened. Reasonable prices. Rhodes Bros., 2nd door from Western Union office.

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

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

WILL PAY CASH for used car if worth the money; owner only, 333 Hill avenue.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY, trade or sell cars, call and see us. Texas Garage.

17—WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—to rent, Warehouse. Ranger Hardware Company.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

FURNITURE bought, sold and exchanged. Ranger Furniture Exchange, Terrell Bldg., Rusk st.

WANTED—Two medium-size ice boxes, see proprietor McCleskey barber shop.

HEAVY HAULING of all kinds with 3-ton motor truck, M. M. Bird, telephone 423.

21—LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the limited partnership between Black Brothers, Brokers, and Laughlin McNeill has been dissolved and that neither party will any longer be responsible for bills contracted by the other. Black Brothers, Brokers.

FOR SALE—At City Pound, May 26th, one bay mare, branded R. O. left hip; brown mare branded X bar W, bay yearling colt, mouse colored mare mule, and one red bull yearling. L. E. Davenport, Poundmaster.

HARDING EULOGIZES NATION'S DEAD AS 5,212 CASSETS PASS

By RAYMOND CLAPPER, United Press Correspondent. NEW YORK, May 23.—There was a review of the nation's war dead by the president of the United States today. While a hand played a dirge, President Harding with bowed head, walked slowly through the long aisles formed by 5,212 rough caskets containing the bodies of American soldiers brought home from France.

The scene on the gloomy pier of Hoboken was very impressive, as the chief executive passed down the ranks of flag-draped coffins to the sombre beat of muffled drums.

"There are a hundred thousand sorrows cutting my own heart," he said in his eulogy, "and I hear the admonition ringing there 'this must not be again'."

After the speech the president placed a wreath on the casket of Joseph W. Geiger, of Hart, Mich., who was the first American killed on German soil.

"In the name of the republic," he said, "I bestow this tribute on the casket of the first American soldier who perished on the soil of the enemy."

As he laid the wreath on the coffin the sad notes of taps sounded and the battalion of the 22d infantry, which formed the guard of honor, snapped to "present arms."

President Harding and his party crossed the Hudson from New York shortly after his arrival there today on the yacht Mayflower.

Sympathy Must Go. "There must be utter sacrifice of all sympathy for the place-holder whose real reason for keeping his position is that he wants the salary. There must be constant examination to determine how in the process of evolving functions and methods forces may be reduced, and duplication of work eliminated."

"The fact that a thing has existed for a decade or a century that things have been done in a certain way for a generation must not be accepted as proving that it ought to be continued that way."

MRS. SOUTHARD'S PARENTS REFUSE DEFENSE FUND TWIN FALLS, Idaho, May 23.—William J. Trueblood and Mrs. Laura Trueblood will not contribute financially to the defense of their daughter, Mrs. Lydia Trueblood Southard. She was arrested at Honolulu last Thursday to be returned here for trial for the slaying of her fourth husband, Edward F. Meyer. Her mother said: "If she is guilty, she should be punished."

21—LEGAL NOTICE Notice is hereby given, to whom concerned, that the Texas Pipe Line Company, the postoffice address of which is Houston, Texas, did on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1921, file its application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which it applies for a permit to appropriate of the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, from Colony Creek a tributary of the Leon River, in Eastland County, Texas, sufficient water for mining and power development purposes, to be diverted by means of a pumping plant, said pumping plant to be located at a point which bears 1464 feet South and 1927 feet East from the Northwest corner of the E. Wilcox survey, Abstract No. 553 on the West bank of the Colony Creek, in Eastland County, Texas, and is distant in a Southwesterly direction from Ranger, Texas, three miles.

You are hereby further notified that the said Texas Pipe Line Company is to install a pumping plant, and divert therewith not to exceed one hundred acre-feet of water per annum, for the purpose of mining, and power development.

A hearing on the application of the said Texas Pipe Line Company will be held by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in the office of the Board at Austin, Texas, on Saturday, July 2nd, A. D. 1921, beginning at ten o'clock A. M. at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at the office of the said Board, in Austin, Texas, this 16th day of May, A. D. 1921.

W. T. POTTER, C. S. CLARK, JNO. A. NORRIS, Board of Water Engineers.

Attest: A. W. McDONALD, Secretary.

2 BIG GASSERS COME IN ON TOLLE LEASE

Spokane to the Times. EASTLAND, May 23.—Two big gassers were brought in on the Tolle lease nine miles north of Eastland Saturday, one by the Oriental Oil Co., and the other by Orr & Miracle. The Oriental Oil Co. well is making 12,000,000 feet of gas while that of Orr & Miracle is making 8,000,000 feet. The Oriental well came in with such force that it blew the tools out of the hole and blew the crown block off. The gas was struck at the top of the Ranger pay, and both are expected to make good wells when drilled in.

Webb T. Eby, President of the Dayton-Texas Oil & Gas Syndicate of Dayton, Ohio is on the ground and personally supervising the drilling of the well that is being put down by that company and the Cleo-Texas on the Owens lease, three and one half miles north of town. This well is on the tract adjoining that of the Eldorado Oil & Gas Co., on the Bobo, and just south of that of John Ringling, or the Cardinal Oil Company, on the Brown lease, both of which are splendid producers. Two locations have been made just north of the operations of the Dayton-Texas and the Cleo-Texas, one by the Cardinal people and the other by the Okech-Ranger, the Cardinal location being within five hundred feet of the Dayton-Texas hole. This well has been drilled to 3680 feet, passing thru 105 feet of black lime at from 3500 to 3605 feet, and then now have a small fishing job, after which they will put back to the black lime and place a heavy shot in the black lime, which is closely packed. This well is making a heavy flow of gas with a spray of oil, and it is thought a shot will bring her into production, as has been the case with other wells in this field. This pool which includes the Williamson, Brown, Bobo and other leases in the immediate vicinity has proven her very prolific, and one of potential production, the Cardinal well coming in for 1600 barrels flush production, while the well of the Eldorado people on the Bobo and the New Domain on the Williamson, did almost if not quite as well.

NEW MATTRESS FACTORY—New mattresses for sale. Old mattresses made new, 505 N. Marston. Three blocks north from Main. M. M. DIXON, Prop.

BIG DANCE TONIGHT Moose Hall Music by Lukin's Orchestra

I WILL TRADE—Ranger real estate, royalty, land or oil acreage for merchandise. Let's hear what you have. S. ROMICK 110 N. Rusk St.

METCALF CAFE "A Good Place to Eat" Opposite T. & P. Station Tables for Ladies

USED 50 YEARS S.S.S. FOR SKIN TROUBLES Write for booklet on skin troubles. Free. Swift Specific Co. Dept. U. Atlanta, Ga.

Times Want Ads Pay

SPANISH CONVERSATION CLUB Special Low Summer Rates

You are cordially invited to attend the opening meeting free of charge, Wednesday evening, May 25, 8 p. m. For information see KATHRYN WATSON, 210 P. & Q. Bldg.

FREIGHT MOVEMENT AT JIMKURN HEAVY

JIMKURN, Texas, May 23.—A great deal of freight is arriving daily over the W. F. R. & Ft. W. R. R., and the yards at Jimkurn are being lined with oil field and other construction material. The Sinclair Pipe Line company of Ranger have unloaded several cars of pipe used in constructing the pumping plant for the Breckenridge water supply about one mile northwest of Jimkurn, and are shipping crushed rock, sand and various other material, and the teams hauling this material makes the streets of Jimkurn lined with traffic.

GALVESTON SHIPPING COTTON DONATED BY TEXANS TO GERMANY

By Associated Press. GALVESTON, Texas, May 23.—Many hundreds of bales of cotton donated by citizens of Texas and neighboring states, are being concentrated here for shipment to Germany, there to be woven into garments which later will be distributed to thousands of poorly-clad children of Central Europe. Already 150 bales of "good will" cotton have arrived at Bremen. There the cotton is to be taken over by officials of the German Red Cross and distributed to textile mills for weaving. Approximately 3,000 bales of the donated cotton are now awaiting cargo space for the journey overseas. Central Europe's chief needs, according to members of the firm of W. L. Moody Cotton company, which is handling the gift cotton, are food, work and clothing. The donated cotton, they pointed out, not only provides clothing for the undernourished, anaemic children, but will also serve to keep German textile workmen busy at their trades. And, thus provided with work, they will

children were pictured to them. The Texas relief organization, it is thought, will be woven into winter garments for Central European children. Lack of sufficient, warm clothing, it was said, has been responsible since the beginning of the world war for an alarming increase in the death rate of children in the affected countries.

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BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Listed in alphabetical arrangement are herewith given the names of business firms and professions of Ranger. Consult this Directory for responsible and progressive citizenship. They want your business and are giving you a tending invitation to look them up—their addresses are for your guidance.

ACCOUNTANTS 417-419-421 Guaranty Bank Bldg. KARL E. JONES & CO. Audits Conducted Income Tax Reports Ranger Address: Box 786, Phone 58 Breckenridge; 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg.

DOCTORS DR. L. G. BUCHANAN Exclusive Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat and the Fitting of Glasses Office 4th Floor Guaranty Bank Bldg. Evening Hours 7 to 9

HOSPITALS RANGER GENERAL HOSPITAL Mrs. Alice L. Dailey, Supt. Open to all reputable physicians. Graduate nurses supplied for outside cases. Telephone 190

INSURANCE TEXAS EMPLOYERS' INSURANCE ASSOCIATION Workmen's Compensation Insurance at Cost Ranger claim office, 212 Marston Bldg Breckenridge office, Rosenquest Bldg

OSTEOPATH DR. GERTRUDE STEVENS Osteopathic Physician Office 424 Guaranty Bank Bldg. Telephone 317

PAINT & WALL PAPER HUBER BROTHERS Paints, Wall Paper, Glass Free Delivery Telephone 413 530 W. Main St.

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Graduates Will Find Our "Get-Acquainted" Sale a Most Opportune Time to Supply Apparel Needs

—Mothers of graduates will welcome our "Get-Acquainted" sale as a most opportune time to buy commencement frocks and other necessary items of apparel. The entire stock has been reduced including new summer frocks for misses, women and children. Lovely new dresses in the season's foremost styles, and materials of organdy and summer dress fabrics.



NAVY—TAN—MELON—BISQUE—WHITE

Regularly priced \$7.50 to \$29.50
Special for

\$5.95 to \$19.50

Children's Frocks Especially Priced for Our "Get-Acquainted" Sale



—The little tots will be delighted with one of these charming frocks and you will, too, for they are priced so reasonably. Our children's section is complete and offers rare values in quality garments.

Regular \$2.50 to \$12.50 values, special

\$1.95 to \$8.95

Special Sale of Summer Parasols
—Newly arrived are many of these summer parasols. Offered in a wide selection of newest shades and stripes. Strongly built and big values. Regularly priced \$8.50 to \$15; now—
\$5.95 to \$11.50



RANGER'S FOREMOST DEPARTMENT STORE

CENTRAL HIGH GETS 7 FIRSTS IN SPELLING

Young Is Second With Six While Cooper Takes Two, Tiffin One.

In a spelling contest held Friday afternoon in which all the schools participated Central school emerged with seven first-places and four second-places. Young school won six first-places and seven second-places. Cooper took two second places and Tiffin one first-place.

The results were:
Low First Grade—1. William Beckham, Young School; Mrs. McNew, teacher. 2. Preston Stevens, Central school; Miss Hair, teacher.

High First Grade—1. Alta Short, Central School; Miss Bowlin, teacher. 2. John Cassidy, Private school; Mrs. Cox, teacher.

Low Second Grade—1. Wilma Brewster, Young School; Miss Ratliff, teacher. 2. Lorie Hollingsworth, Central School; Miss Gilpin, teacher.

High Third Grade—1. Marguerite Palmer, Central School; Mrs. Loomis, teacher. 2. Reba Ramsey, Central Miss Smith, teacher.

Low Third Grade—1. Thurman Taliferro, Central School; Miss Cline, teacher. 2. Lucile Wiles, Cooper School; Miss Risher, teacher.

High Third Grade—1. Marugerie Smith, Central School; Miss Morse, teacher. 2. Celia Shaw, Young School; Miss Betzer, teacher.

Low Fourth Grade—1. Pauline Lowe, Young School; Mrs. McGee, teacher. 2. Mary Pearl Scrimshire, Cooper School; Miss Long, teacher.

High Fourth Grade—1. Tom Hanks, Young School; Mrs. McGee, teacher. 2. Brantley Cole, Central School; Miss Goodwin, teacher.

Low Sixth Grade—1. Nestor Zaranofetis, Central School; Miss Lyon, teacher. 2. Coreen Neeley, Young School; Mrs. Caldwell, teacher.

High Sixth Grade—1. Jack Galloway, Tiffin School; Mr. Hamilton, teacher. 2. Ethel Shaw, Young School; Mrs. Caldwell, teacher.

Low Seventh Grade—1. William Knight, Young School; Mrs. Caldwell, teacher. 2. Marie Hudson, Young School; Mrs. Caldwell, teacher.

High Seventh Grade—1. Dorothy Owens, Central School; Miss Everett, teacher. 2. Marjory Cauffield Young School; Mr. Caldwell, teacher.

The test covered the scope of the respective grades in the spelling book, in Ayers' Tests, and in the basal reading texts.

WESTFIELD, Mass., May 22.—With retail prices for milk between 13 and 15 cents a quart, production has so far outstripped consumption that producers in this vicinity are feeding milk to their stock or throwing it away.

Large dealers refuse to pay more than a small price for the surplus. The producers say that this price does not warrant delivery.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY PRESENTED TONIGHT AT YOUNG SCHOOL

"The New Co-Ed," the class play of the Ranger High school, will be presented tonight at the Young school auditorium. The play, a four-act comedy, pleased a capacity house Friday night at the Cooper school. Tonight will be the last appearance on the boards.

Eleven High school students compose the cast of the comedy, and under the direction of Miss Pratt, the expression teacher, have produced a commendable performance. Extra acts by other pupils of Miss Pratt also are on the program.

All money derived from the performance will be spent in adding books to the school library.

GOOD SCORES MADE AT GUN CLUB SHOOT

Five squads participated in an unusually good shoot at the Ranger Gun Club grounds Sunday afternoon. The shoot started at 1 o'clock and ended at 3:30 in order that those who wished might attend the ball game.

Grooms, Cook and H. Via were high guns with 24 out of 25 each. Conway was next with 23 and Jaarson, B. S. Via, and Smith broke twenty or better. Mrs. Cook, the only woman shooter, scored 17.

FREIGHT CAR GOES INTO DITCH ON T. & P.

A freight car went into the ditch on the Texas & Pacific north yards Sunday afternoon, when it rolled down a siding and struck the trolley. No one was hurt and traffic was not blocked, though the main line could not be used until the wrecker came from Baird and set the car back on the track.

TAXI DRIVER LOSES ROLL TO PICKPOCKET

A pick pocket stole \$295 from a Mr. Brewer shortly after he boarded the eastbound north train according to his statement to the police. Brewer did not miss his money until three or four miles out. He left the train at Tiffin and returned to Ranger and reported his loss. He said that a small man wearing a gray suit and a straw hat rushed up to him after he was on the train, saying that he was searching for something under his seat. Brewer, who is a taxicab line owner, had the money in his side trousers pocket, he said.

TICKETS FOR CHARITY BALL SELLING FAST

Tickets are selling rapidly for the charity ball for the relief of the starving in China, to be given at the Summer Garden Tuesday night, according to reports reaching committees Monday. Those in charge of the affair anticipate a generous attendance.

A plentiful supply of pop for the refreshment booth has been donated by a local bottling works, and the thirsty will be catered to adequately, it has been assured.

FOOD PRICES 2.7 PER CENT LESS IN APRIL, SAYS REPORT

WASHINGTON, May 23.—A decline of 2.7 per cent in retail food costs of the average family for April as compared with March was reported today by the Labor Department. On prices of forty-three articles from fifty-one cities, thirty-one showed a drop, ten an increase and two no change.

For the year to April 15, a combined decrease of 28 per cent was reported.

PACKED HOUSE GREETED MUSIC PROGRAM HERE

Ranger folk packed the Presbyterian church and automobiles outside last night to hear the musical program given by the Ranger Symphony club.

Vocal numbers, with Mrs. Wakefield as accompanist, were rendered by Mesrs. McCoy and Reid and Messrs. Louis Ducker and Jack O'Brien, and Miss Perry played the "Hungarian Rhapsody" as the only instrumental number of the first part of the programme.

The club then presented the cantata of the "Daughter of Jarius," and Rev. Mr. Stubblebine delivered a short sermon upon the subject.

At the close of the program, the audience expressed its appreciation by giving the chautauqua salute, in lieu of applause.

ARKANSAS MAN STATES MONEY CANNOT BUY IT

"I wouldn't take all the money in the universe for the good Tanlac did my wife," said Walter B. Erion, 4425 East 10th street, Little Rock, Ark. Mr. Erion is an inspector for the Iron Mountain railroad.

"For seven years she suffered almost trouble. She lost her appetite and just wasted away until she was not much more than a shadow of her former self and barely had strength to get around. I believe she was the most nervous person on earth and got little rest day or night. I was worried about her for years and had given up hope of ever seeing her well again.

"Tanlac was a revelation to us. It did what I didn't think was possible. My wife today is in perfect health and has been for two years, for it was two years ago Tanlac restored her health. She has gained forty pounds in weight, all of which she had lost during her long spell of ill health. She has the best kind of appetite, her digestion couldn't be improved and her nervousness is gone. Tanlac certainly brought the sunshine back to our home. There is no doubt in my mind that it is the best medicine ever made."

Tanlac is sold in Ranger by Phillips Bros. and in Eastland by Butler Drug Co.—Adv.

The Shopping Center of Ranger Dresses As Charming As These Make Graduation An Event Long Remembered

—A PRETTY DRESS can make graduation an even more delightful occasion, and one every maiden will recall in days to come. You'll be proud of your graduation frock if it comes from the BOSTON STORE. We are showing this week a number of cool summer-time organdies in pastel shades. Sizes to fit both women and misses. Wonderful values at—



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All Summer Frocks At 25 Per Cent Reduction

—Our entire stock of summer organdies, in fashionable shades of navy, melon, bisque, orange, white and others, 25 per cent off original low prices.

Cool Little Summer Frocks for the "Kiddies"

—The children, too, are well remembered in our dress section. Charming little garments are presented here in becoming little styles most appealing. Every mother who sees these little frocks will realize how modestly they are priced at—

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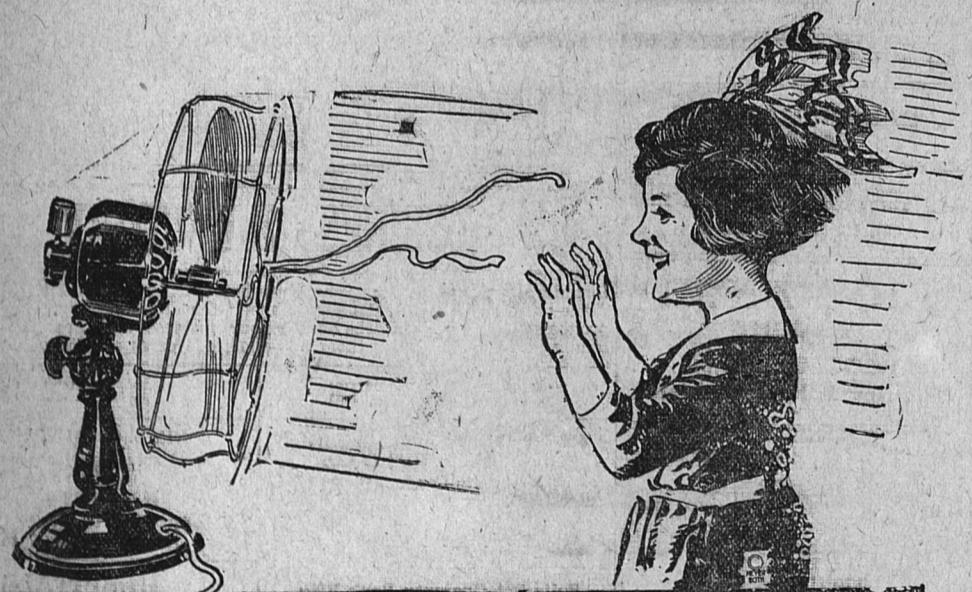
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RANGER STUDIO

215 SOUTH RUSK ST. RANGER, TEXAS

RUTHLAND, Vt., May 22.—Redfield Proctor, a laborer, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Thrall building on Grove street today. With a score of other lodgers, Proctor fled from the building in haste but returned for his clothing and was overcome.

The damage was estimated at \$25,000.



SOME BREEZE!!!

LET OLD SOL GO THE LIMIT

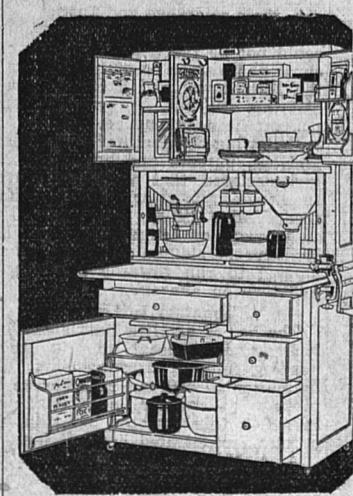
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