

BANK OPENING IS UP TO DEPOSITORS

Six Dead, Many Hurt in Chicago Blast

HEADS BLOWN OFF; BODIES ARE MANGLED

Coroner Says Toll Will Reach Ten When Debris Cleared Away.

International News Service. CHICAGO, March 29.—Six bodies terribly mangled, have been recovered and many persons were injured in a terrific blast of undetermined origin which today wrecked a four-story warehouse on the southwest side. Fire followed the explosion and firemen and police were at work this afternoon searching the smoking ruins for possible additional victims of the blast.

At 12:30 today Coroner Peter Hoffman issued a statement in which he said the death toll probably would reach ten, and the injured probably sixty. This statement was based on a partial unofficial check of those working in the place, and those known to have been in the vicinity at the time.

A special detail is investigating the report that a leaky gas main was responsible for the explosion.

Windows within a radius of many blocks were shattered by the terrific concussion and men and women, employees rushed from nearby stores and houses in a panic.

Identification of the bodies taken from the ruins has been impossible because of their mutilated condition. The body of a small girl about 3 years old was the last body taken from the debris. The other dead were three unidentified men, all about 30, two with their heads blown off and the other badly mangled.

The first connected story of the blast was told by Thomas Hable, a teamster employed in the neighborhood. He was in the building when the explosion came.

"There was another teamster, four helpers, a male bookkeeper and two girls in the building," he said. "Joseph and Jack Well, the owners, also were there. The explosion came with terrific suddenness. I ran from the building as fast as I could get to my feet. I don't know what happened after that, or what became of the others."

J. BURROUGHS, NATURALIST, IS DEAD AT 84

International News Service. BUFFALO, N. Y., March 29.—John Burroughs, world famous naturalist, died on a train near here today while en route from California to his home at West Park, New York.

Death occurred in a pullman compartment at 2 a. m. when the New York Central train, known as the New York, New England Express was passing through Kingsville, Ohio. Burroughs, who had spent the winter in California, has been in feeble health for a long time. He had been 84 years old. He was the most famous naturalist ever produced by America, and his nature studies along many lines have been accepted as authoritative.

John Burroughs was born at Roxbury, N. Y., April 3, 1837, received an academic education and after teaching school for eight years and serving as a treasury clerk and national bank examiner for the ten years following, turned to his natural bent—the study of horticulture, birds, flowers and the common wild animals of the temperate zone.

Billy Edwards Killed by Wife

OFFICIAL OF DUBLIN CASTLE IS KILLED

By Associated Press. DUBLIN, March 29.—Captain Rees, an official of Dublin castle, was shot dead today outside his hotel on Drury street here, according to an official statement from the castle. Four men comprised the party which did the shooting.

ROADS IN BAD FROM LACK OF MANAGEMENT

Employes' Envoy Says Trouble Not Anything National Agreement Can Fix.

International News Service. CHICAGO, March 29.—Inefficiency of railroad management rather than the national agreement fixing wages and working conditions of employes is responsible for the financial plight of the railroads, Jett Lauck, consulting economist of the railroad labor organization, declared today in a statement to the United States railway labor board. Lauck today began the presentation of labor exhibits before the board.

14 KILLED, 46 WOUNDED AT KRUPP PLANT

International News Service. BERLIN, March 29.—Fourteen persons were killed and forty-six wounded in a violent clash between police and communists at Essen in the Ruhr district today. Three of the dead were policemen. Essen is the seat of the great Krupp gun works and other iron and steel industries.

REDS PROPOSE TO TRADE PERFECTLY GOOD YANK FOR ONE COMMUNIST

International News Service. MOSCOW, March 29.—The soviet government is willing to release Emmet Kirkpatrick of Alabama, who was captured during the red drive against General Wrangel's army on the Crimean front on condition that James Larkin or Benjamin Gidlow, two American communists, are pardoned by the New York state authorities. It was learned in official circles here today. Soviet officials said they would regard this as a fair exchange.

FAR EASTERN REPUBLIC WANTS TO MAKE FRIENDS

International News Service. WASHINGTON, March 29.—The far eastern republic which claims territory in Siberia east of Lake Baikal, has made overtures to the United States for establishment of diplomatic relations, the state department announced today.

BANK ROBBERS FAIL AT MILES, RANNELS CO.

Fort Worth, March 29.—The vault of the safe of the National bank of Miles, Rannels county, were partly demolished by robbers last night. However, no cash was obtained. The inside wall of the vault, holding against the explosives.

WAS MAN WHO LOST BIG DIAMOND IN GAMBLING HOUSE HOLDUP HERE

Billy Edwards, well known in Ranger, was shot and killed by his wife this morning in Oklahoma City, according to telephone messages to the dead man's friends in this city. The details of the shooting could not be learned.

However, it is said here, that the woman was very jealous of Edwards and this is thought to have been the motive for the shooting.

It is remembered by his friends here that one time while the couple lived in Desdemona she cut him rather badly with a knife.

Edwards was among those who were held up in the Pine street gambling house several months ago by Charlie Mims and his companions.

GHOLSON EARNED RIGHT TO BE MAYOR, SPEAKERS AT CALLED MEETING DECLARE

Citizens' Candidate Responds With Short Address, Making No Definite Promises.

John Gholson last night was lauded as the man who had earned the right to be mayor of Ranger, at a meeting held at the Lone Star hall. This meeting, not exactly a caucus, nor exactly a rally, it was announced, was decided upon late in the afternoon and word of it was spread by adherents of the Citizens' ticket. Though intended principally for those who are lined up on this ticket, the meeting was open to all.

M. H. Smith presided and Ove Overson opened with a tribute to Ranger and its marvelous growth, and credited Mr. Gholson with no small part in that advancement. He spoke of him as a man who had ever kept abreast of the times and was ever in the forefront of civic advancement, and traced his career thirty years as farmer, merchant, oil capitalist and banker. He pointed out that the candidate was one of the few men through whose persistence oil was discovered near Ranger; one of those who decided on the building of the Hamon road; the man who had built Ranger's magnificent hotel, and the man who had a large part in the rebuilding of Ranger schools.

Mr. Evans in his address stressed the known qualities of Mr. Gholson, whereas, he said, his opponent was yet to be proved, though the presumption was that he is equally as straightforward and honest. However, he believed Mr. Gholson's record entitled him to the place.

The speaker stressed three points wherein he felt the Citizens' nominee especially merited the voters' preference. These were: Known character, interest in the community and no conflicting interests. He advanced in

support of these points an incident in the early days of the oil boom, when Mr. Gholson took a large and avoidable loss in order to back his word; he contended that the second was proved by the candidate's long stay here through the drought and the boom, when he might have moved away without criticism, and taken his interests with him. His third point dealt with the road contract, the speaker saying that the road work was a public trust and the contractor really a public officer and answerable to the taxpayers, though he was not such in name.

Gholson's Platform. Mr. Gholson then made a short address, in which he made no definite promises as to procedure, putting his platform as follows: "To meet the needs of Ranger in the most business-like way at the time they present themselves."

He based this stand on the fact that conditions changed and plans must change with them. The main building program of Ranger for the next two years—depot, high school and county-city hospital—was already decided on, and all that remained was to carry out the plans, he asserted.

COMMUNISTS ARE FORCED TO SURRENDER

By Associated Press. BERLIN, March 29.—Government troops and Security police today surrounded the hideout of a communist stronghold for the last five days and forced the insurgents to surrender.

CHILDREN NOT TO HEAR TRIAL OF LITTLETON

Case Opens in Eastland With Salacious Evidence and Big Crowds.

Special to the Times. EASTLAND, March 29.—Women were given permission to remain if they desired and children under sixteen were ordered from the crowded court room today during the trial of the State of Texas vs. John Littleton charged with the murder of his father-in-law, Cal Yancy, in this city several weeks ago. The women remained. Littleton and his wife were separated at the time of the killing, Littleton having gone to his father-in-law's home for the purpose of effecting a reconciliation. A special venire of 150 had been summoned in the case, which is attracting much attention.

Threats made by the slain man were testified to by witnesses when the case was opened for trial in Ninety-first district court. Homer Young, a teamster, who worked for Yancy three months, declared that in a conversation with Yancy regarding family troubles Yancy had voiced a threat against his son-in-law, declaring he would kill Littleton if he did not mend his ways. Young said he conveyed this information to Littleton.

Children Excluded. Mrs. R. A. Harbin, sister of the defendant, and Bud Littleton, his father, agreed in their testimony to the effect that the defendant's father-in-law had openly announced his intention of killing Littleton if the latter persisted in his policy of burdening Yancy's daughter with an ever increasing family of children. It was at this point in the testimony that the court ordered the children from the room.

The nature of the wound which caused Yancy's death was testified to by J. A. Copeland for the state, Copeland having assisted in dressing the body. Dr. L. L. Johnson, also for the state, gave expert testimony as to the nature and location of the wound.

Mrs. Lulu Guenther, who lived across the street from the Yancy home, heard the commotion at the time of the killing, she said, and hastened to the house, where she rendered assistance to the wife and daughter.

The state rested at 10:30 o'clock. It is said the trial will consume all of Wednesday.

The following jurors were chosen: W. C. Harris, W. E. Frost, J. J. Cranshaw, J. T. Gardner, Albert Yates, E. E. Daniels, L. R. Harper, S. A. Eison, Jack Blackwell, George Barton, J. E. Brewer and W. P. Armstrong.

ST. L. S. W. 'PROBABLY' VIOLATED WAGE AWARD, RAIL LABOR BOARD SAYS

CHICAGO, March 29.—The Railroad Labor board today held that the St. Louis and Southwestern railway probably violated certain sections of last July's wage award. Complaint was brought by the United States Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employes and Railway Shop Laborers. The board set March 31 for a hearing and requested the union and the railway to have representatives present. One allegation of the complaint was that the road has established the ten-hour day for unskilled labor, and is now paying a pro rata scale and overtime instead of time and a half.

'KING OF ABYSSINIA' SENTENCED TO HANG

CHICAGO, March 29.—Grover Redding, negro, and self-styled "King of Abyssinia," and Oscar McGarrick his chief lieutenant in a "back to Abyssinia" movement, were today sentenced to hang April 24. Redding and McGarrick were convicted of killing Robert Rose of Philadelphia, agent from the Great Lakes Naval Training station.

JUDGE STARNES HAS PERFECTED PLAN TO FINANCE FIRST NAT'L

Depositors Guaranteed Two-Thirds of Their Money and New Bank Will Try to Collect Remaining Third.

If the depositors will co-operate, the First National bank will reopen as a state institution and a large sum of money will be turned loose for the benefit of the community. That was the statement given the Times this morning by County Judge C. R. Starnes, who for some weeks has been working out plans for reorganization. The statement follows:

"If the people of Ranger and vicinity will co-operate with myself and associates, we will open the First National bank ready for business, and in a position to serve this community.

"We propose, with the co-operation of the depositors, to give the depositors a duplicate deposit slip payable immediately in cash, and for the payment of which the cash will be available, for 16 2-3 per cent of their deposits, and we will give a certificate of deposit, non-interest bearing, guaranteed by the guaranty fund of the state of Texas, for 10 per cent due in thirty days; 20 per cent in six months, and 20 per cent in twelve months (a total of 66 2-3 per cent), and in addition, we will propose to work out as agents and for the depositors 33 1-3 per cent from the assets of the First National bank. This to be done from the assets after the payment of the 66 2-3 per cent and the protection of the capital stock of the new bank.

"The full details and explanation can be had at an office which we are temporarily maintaining in the lobby of the Gholson hotel.

"C. R. STARNES."

State Bank Planned. Judge Starnes proposes that a state bank, with a capital of \$200,000, shall take over the assets of the bank for collection, guaranteeing two-thirds of the deposits and acting as agents for the collection of the other third. Half of the capital will be in the hands of Ranger people and half will be held by outside interests. None of the other Ranger banks will be connected with the new institution, nor will any of the members of the First National bank be associated with it. Names of the associates are withheld, but will be announced as soon as a sufficient number of depositors have signified their acceptance of the proposal.

The reorganization planned by Judge Starnes and associates has the approval of Federal Receiver Murphy, the larger depositors in the defunct institution, Ranger bankers and business men.

Wait on Depositors. Agreement of the depositors is the final step needed to re-open this institution.

While there have been many rumors as to re-opening of the defunct bank, this is the first concrete offer that has been offered. In speaking of it this morning, Judge Starnes said:

"We believe we have worked out a plan which is better for the depositors and for the community than any other that could be made under the conditions. If it is accepted, it will mean that much money will be immediately released to the service of the community. The per cent is not so large, it is true, but it means \$200,000 as soon as the new bank is

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FROST NIPPED TEXAS FRUIT THIS CRACK

DALLAS, March 29.—The Dallas weather bureau reports considerable damage to fruit and vegetables in north and west Texas by frost last night. Extent of the damage will not be ascertained for several days. There was a general freeze in North and West Texas and as far south as Taylor and Palestine. The bureau announced the frost extended to the fruit belt of Arkansas and Northern Louisiana.

EL PASO MAN PAYS BIG FINE; SALVATION ARMY GETS BENEFIT OF IT

EL PASO, March 29.—The highest fine ever assessed in Texas for violating a city parking ordinance, according to lawyers here, was assessed against E. Gordon Perry, an automobile dealer, when he was fined \$1,000 by Police Judge Charles Pollock, on a charge of leaving his car standing too long on a street. Perry wrote a check for the fine and presented it to the judge without a murmur, except, "It's all right, judge; I'm glad to pay it."

Mr. Perry was told, however, beforehand, that all fines in police court that day would be turned over to the Salvation Army.

PAWHUSKA, Okla., March 29.—Masked bandits today held up, robbed and shot a rural mail carrier on the Pershing-Pawhuska route, carrying with two pouches of mail. The robbery was staged on a secluded section of the road. When the carrier gave battle, the bandits shot him twice through the body. They then escaped with the mail pouches. The bandits are believed to have been waiting for payroll shipments and held up the carrier by mistake.

DAUGHERTY NOT READY TO PUT DEBS' CASE UP TO PRES. HARDING YET

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Attorney-General Daugherty announced this afternoon that he is not yet ready to make recommendations to President Harding on the appeal for a pardon for Eugene Debs, socialist leader. The attorney general said he is still studying the case but it will be some time before he is ready to make recommendations.

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opened, and \$130,000 additional within thirty days. If the bank is liquidated by a receiver, a much longer period will be necessary before there is a cash return.

Right to Work.
"Within ten days of the closing, when examination had revealed that the bank could not re-open, plans to reorganize the institution and save as much loss as possible were begun.

"Many difficulties were encountered.

"It was necessary to have the approval of the federal reserve board for any plan submitted, as well as the approval of the national and state banking departments.

"It was necessary to obtain the confidence of the big city banks, in order that the new institution might be financed against any sudden disturbance. It also was necessary to have the approval of Receiver Murphy and the local bankers.

Didn't Own Land.
"Another difficulty lay in the fact that the bank does not own the site of its buildings, on which it had placed furniture and fixtures costing \$140,000. For this lot it paid \$300 a month and in addition all taxes, paying charges and the like. This was too heavy burden, but a satisfactory arrangement with the owners has been virtually completed.

"Men with money had to be interested.

"All these and many other difficulties have been met and all have been overcome or have reached such a stage that consummation is assured.

"The final step and the key to the success of the whole plan, is the cooperation of the depositors."

While he recognizes that there will be some disappointment that the bank could not re-open its doors and begin where it left off, Judge Stammes has no doubt that under this plan the depositors will fare much better than under a receivership.

He pointed out that under the reorganization plan, depositors are assured two-thirds of their deposits, and a possibility of complete returns, whereas, if the institution is in the hands of a receiver, they will have only certificates of deposit, of uncertain value and indefinite duration, whose market value is what a buyer would choose to pay.

Furthermore the depositors and the community would have the benefit of an open, going bank, with the money available to the community, while under the receivership plan all money collected would be in government hands at Washington until such time as "dividends" were declared.

Another point was that with the notes in the hands of a going institution, there should be a larger percent of collections, as the moral obligation would be greater.

FIRST DELICATESSEN IS OPENED IN RANGER

The city will rest its first delicatessen today when Summers' Quality Market opens this new branch of its business to the public. The firm has secured the building next to its original store and has fitted it out complete with booths for customers and has stocked its display cases with almost every kind of cheese, cold meats and other articles of food found in shops of this nature.

The booths are curtained off and customers who come for lunches may have privacy if they so desire.

The partition between the two places has been removed and the delicatessen has been fitted out in keeping with the remainder of the store.

Absence Makes the Heart Grow Braver—

By BILLY DE BECK



IMPROVEMENT IN BUSINESS CONDITIONS SHOWN IN REVIEW BY DALLAS FEDERAL RESERVE

International News Service
DALLAS, March 29.—Evidences of improvement exhibited by business conditions in the Eleventh Federal Reserve district during February, by comparison with the previous month and as shown by statistics given in subsequent reports, are outlined in the following resume issued by the Federal Reserve bank of Dallas:

A 50 per cent increase in building activity.

A 40 per cent increase in orders received by wholesale dry goods firms.

A 20 per cent increase in business and department stores.

A 30 per cent decrease in commercial failures.

A 10 per cent decrease in outstanding loans of the Federal Reserve bank of Dallas.

The report states that the above resume sums up the more important features of business improvement for the month. Other phases of business development and conditions detailed in the report follow:

Collections and bank clearings declined in February. February clearings at the district's larger centers were smaller by 22 per cent than those of February, 1920, a fact which is partially attributable to a lower scale of prices and wages.

Our outstanding loans to member banks, which have been gradually decreasing since last October showed a net retirement in February of \$8,073,984.71. The amount outstanding at the end of the month was \$81,986,642.68, which included \$12,897,550 discounts with other Federal Reserve banks.

During the latter part of the month the district received benefit from a well distributed rainfall, which assured a good season for planting and livestock ranges.

A moderate marketing of cotton, wool, livestock, lumber and oil was a trade feature for the month and no radical changes in the market price of these products resulted.

Since the last report was issued the winter wheat crop in the district has benefited much through rains and snows which fell in the Southwest during the latter part of February.

Weather Favorable.

Weather conditions for gathering

the last of the 1920 crop remained favorable. Preparations for the next crop are well under way. Speculation concerning the probable decrease in the cotton acreage during the coming season has given rise to varying and conflicting reports. While the consensus of opinion seems to indicate a reduction of about 25 per cent in Texas, no definite and reliable information is available as to the state's 1921 cotton acreage. It will probably be thirty days before preparations for the next crop are far enough advanced to make possible a reliable estimate of the acreage reduction as compared with last year.

Reports from Southwest Texas are to the effect that the 1921 rice acreage in that territory will be 25 to 40 per cent smaller than last year.

Texas farmers are now finding a sufficient supply of farm labor, according to well authenticated reports. Wages are settling to normalcy.

An encouraging feature of the agricultural report in this district is the fact that there are good prospects that the southwestern fruit crop will escape frost damage. An unusually large fruit production is expected.

Observers attached to the United States weather bureau report that the spring crop in the Texas Panhandle and eastern New Mexico are greening nicely, and feeding thus far has been

the lightest in several years. February receipts of cattle at Fort Worth were the smallest recorded for that month in seventeen years. Not since 1912 has the February run of hogs been as light as the lot handled at Fort Worth during the past month. The supply of calves and sheep was also below the normal level.

February top prices on all classes of livestock except calves fell short of the January maxima. Bulk prices of beef steers pursued a fairly even course during the month. Although there were slight fluctuations, the month closed with values about steady on heaves, cows, heifers and bulls. The latter made up the bulk of cattle car of strictly choice fed steers commanded \$8.50, the medium grades cleared at from \$6 to \$7.

The February hog market displayed a very irregular trend, the first two weeks witnessing a decline of from \$9.35 to \$8 on heavy weight animals. Few transactions of sheep and lambs were recorded for the month.

Oil Production.
Eleventh district oil wells produced a total of 11,290,813 barrels of oil in February, which was 1,455,000 barrels less than the quantity recovered in January. While part of the decline was due to the fact that February was a shorter month, the average daily flow for that month showed a decrease of 7,928 barrels, as compared with January.

Reports from twenty-one of the leading wholesale houses in the district furnish evidence of an increased buying demand during February in all lines except drugs, furniture and farm equipment.

The most notable improvement in volume of sales is reported by the dry goods trade, dealers in that line having submitted statistics showing a combined average increase of 44

per cent in sales for February as compared with the previous month. This increase is partially attributable to seasonal causes incident to the approach of Easter. Another factor in the increase, no doubt, was due to the accumulation of orders which normally would have been placed in January, but which were held up on account of the uncertainty of the price situation.

It is evident from February figures submitted by the nineteen department stores in the district, showing

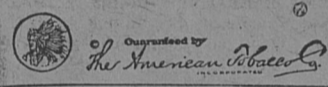
the dollar totals of their sales, that their business for that month, measured by monetary returns, fully justified the more cheerful sentiment that has recently taken form in retail trade circles.

Small increases were noted in the

sales of groceries and hardware during the month as compared with January sales, and in these lines prices have continued to show a slight decline. However, revisions are being made very slowly.



LUCKY STRIKE
cigarette. Flavor is sealed in by toasting



Something New For Ranger

We wish to announce the opening of a first-class Delicatessen in connection with our market. Where the tired business man can drop in and enjoy a cold drink and sandwich. Where the ladies can bring their company and enjoy a nice quiet chat unmolested and the best cup of coffee you have ever had in Ranger.

We are now equipped to carry a full line of fresh fish. Come in and see how comfortable we can make you.

Private Booths for Ladies and Gentlemen

Summers' Quality Market THE DELICATESSEN STORE

Charming New Arrivals in Newest of Springtime Dresses



All in all we consider this collection of Dresses the best we have seen anywhere this season at anywhere near the price. The styles, the materials and the tailoring are of the highest type.

Materials include dainty Georgettes, crisp Taffetas in popular shades of buff and navy; you'll find a dress for every type of woman at more than moderate prices.

Our Special Purchase Sale of Misses' Dresses

—continues all this week

Beautiful new taffeta and organdy dresses in the season's most wanted materials, shades and style effects. Dresses of taffeta and georgette in white, navy, lavender and yellow—sizes 12 to 16. Priced all this week—

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Outfitters for Each and Every Member of the Family.

J. M. White & Co. The House of Real Values

For the Best at the Lowest Prices Visit White's.

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—You'll think we are when you see the low prices we offer on our merchandise.

- Men's Union Suits \$.85
- Men's Khaki Shirts 1.25
- Men's Gray Work Shirts75
- Men's U. S. Khaki Breeches95
- \$12.50 Men's misfit Blue Serge Pants 4.45

—while they last. Men's Shoes Big Sacrifice. Now, Gentlemen, if you want Bargains, come in and see us.

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FORCE builds nerve-energy as well as physical vigor. It acts to dispel the effect of overwork and worry, to rebuild your body, refresh your spirits, and give you a new and vigorous grip on life. Especially good for men, women and children. Your druggist has it.

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Head Itched and Burned Badly. Cuticura Healed.

"I was troubled with dandruff and eczema for four years. My head itched and burned so badly that it was all eruptions where I scratched it, and I was unable to sleep at night. My hair started to fall out, and there was a bald spot on the right side of my head.

"I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. I bought more, and after I had used one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment I was completely healed in three weeks." (Signed) Fred Smith, 2111 McHenry St., Baltimore, Md.

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You can just tell by its healthy, stimulating odor, that it is going to do you good

THOUSANDS of men and women, when the least little rheumatic "crick" assails them, have Sloan's Liniment handy to knock it out. Popular over a third of a century ago—far more popular today.

That's because it is so wonderfully helpful in relieving external aches and pains—sciatica, lumbago, backache, neuralgia, overstrained muscles, stiff joints, weather exposure results. A little is all that is necessary, for it soon penetrates without rubbing, to the sore spot. No muss, no stained skin.

All druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.

Sloan's Liniment (Pain's Enemy)

Times Want Ads Pay

PROGRAM

TEMPLE—Douglas Fairbanks in "The Nut," also comedy and Selznick News.

BLONDE GIRL WEDS JAP THEN SLAYS HERSELF

NEW YORK, March 29.—A fair-haired American girl, who believed that her love for a Japanese would lead to a life of bliss amid the cherry blossoms of the perfumed East, lies dead here among the shattered petals of her dream.

For the marriage which defied race, color and conviction led not to joy, but to despair and suicide in a sordid New York flat.

When Kiyoshi Hosokawa, the Nipponese bridegroom of two months, returned last night to his apartment he found the body of his white bride, Elsie.

She lay crumpled in a chair, her figure clad in a silken kimono, her eyes of blue staring unseeing into his.

She had closed the windows, stopped the keyholes and turned on the gas. It was the end of a romance that began in January when Hosokawa met the girl, who was employed in a restaurant, and persuaded her that he could make her happy despite their difference in race.

The husband, who was a silk merchant, sometimes gambled. He had given her cause to be jealous, it also is said. These assertions were advanced as partial reasons for the girl's despair.

But the real underlying tragedy unwittingly was summed up by another young woman in the apartment house. She was asked what she and other tenants knew about the Hosokawas.

"Absolutely nothing," she replied. "I don't think any of us have spoken a single word to either of them since they came."

It is known that the young bride brooded over the fact that she largely had cut herself off from associations with her own race.

She learned too late from bitter experience that white people do not look with kindly eyes on mixed marriages.

To a girl whom she formerly had known she told, before the night she ended her life, of the tortures she had endured since her marriage.

She loved her husband, but love could not make up for what she suffered.

Whenever she walked on the street by her husband's side, whenever they entered a restaurant, wherever they registered as man and wife, eyes stared and eyebrows were raised.

Whenever she went into a store and ordered a package to be sent home

ATHLETES IN HIGH SEAS ROMANCE



Miss Alice Lord and Richard Jandora

A romance on the high seas which began when the Princess Matoika steamed out of New York last August with American Olympic athletes was brought to light recently with the announcement of the engagement of 19-year-old Miss Alice Lord of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Richard Jandora of Yale, present high jump champion of the world.

Miss Lord, one of the foremost of the world's high divers and divers that made the trip to Belgium was the high jumper. They had never met before and when introduced it was a case of "love at first sight."

Since that time they have been in each other's company much of the time. No date has been set for the wedding.

clerks looked at her curiously when she gave her Japanese name.

She thought of begging her husband to take her immediately to Japan, but she learned that there her situation would be even more painful than in America.

She found that, though her own husband loved her dearly, the Japanese as a race look with scorn upon white women.

Life was unbearable. In her husband's country it would have been worse.

And so, after two months of marriage, fleeting hours of bliss, long days of misery, she solved her pathetic personal "Japanese problem."

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IN THE COURTS

County Court. D. R. Murchison vs. C. D. Mason, debt.

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H. H. Ponton vs. F. & M. State Bank & Trust Co., Ranger, garnishment.

K. K. & W. Drilling company vs. Phil E. King, et al., debt.

A. B. Kirkpatrick et al. vs. William Peters, debt.

A. B. Kirkpatrick et al. vs. United Mutual Fire Ins. Co., garnishment.

Brooklyn, N. Y., and Richard Jandora of Yale, present high jump champion of the world.

Miss Lord, one of the foremost of the world's high divers and divers that made the trip to Belgium was the high jumper.

They had never met before and when introduced it was a case of "love at first sight."

Since that time they have been in each other's company much of the time. No date has been set for the wedding.

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SOCIETY

CIRCLES ENTERTAINED. The East and West Side Circles of the Presbyterian Auxiliary were entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. L. R. Sheppard at her home in Hillcrest.

After the sewing period, plans were discussed for a pink tea social to be given in the near future by the Auxiliary. Refreshments were served to thirty members and guests.

PASTIME CLUB MEETS. The Pastime club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Martin, 824 Blackwell road. The guests spent the afternoon at bridge. Refreshments were served.

Guests present were: Mesdames Brown, Pelfrey, Shouse, Lener, Driehof, Williams, Cyrus L. Hall, Whitbeck, Castellaw, Langston, Hise and the Misses Clover and Danschka Bobo.

MUSICAL TEA. The ladies of the East Ranger Baptist church will give a musical tea on Wednesday afternoon from 3:30 to 6:30, at the home of Mrs. J. M. White, 1121 Pershing st. An invitation is extended everyone.

PERSONALS. Mrs. W. J. Roach and children have returned from a visit to Mrs. Roach's parents at Wichita Falls.

GOT IT WRONG. Central school is up in arms because Cooner school got credit in Sunday's Times for Paul Dresser, the Ranger boy who won a first place for Ranger at the county interscholastic meet at Gorman.

Central wants the world to know that young Dresser goes to school there. So here's your correction.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN! DANCING TONIGHT

—AT— SUMMER GARDEN GOOD MUSIC Admission \$1.10—No Charge for Ladies.

MAYS & MAYS Lawyers Civil and Criminal Practice Offices Security State Bank bldg., Rooms 212 and 213, Eastland, Texas.

PROMINENT MAN IS SUING FOR DIVORCE

EASTLAND, March 29.—Suit has been filed in district court here by Fred S. Kinsley, for divorce from Florence Kinsley. The principals in the action are well-known, being the representative in the Cisco district for the oil and gas division of the state railroad commission.

MAN SUES TO RECOVER MONEY FROM LAWYERS Special to the Times. EASTLAND, March 29.—Recovery of a sum of money he declares he paid to Mays & Mays, attorneys, with the understanding that the attorneys were to procure his release from jail, has been filed in district court here by James Flattery. Flattery alleges in his petition that the attorneys were to procure bond for him, which they failed to do.

NEGRO PREACHER HAD STILL IN CELLAR, CHARGE YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, March 29.—Rev. William Anderson, a negro preacher of McKinley Heights, near here, was arrested today by federal agents, who say they found two stills in the cellar of his home.

Why don't the packers can their troubles?—Indianapolis Star.

Warranty deed, R. G. Moody et ux to Carl C. Sellers et ux lot 3, in R. G. Moody subdivision of lot 4 in block 89, town of Cisco, \$550.

Release of vendors' lien, Joe Young to E. K. Britton, lot 6, block 5, Young addition to city of Ranger.

Warranty deed, W. E. Ruttencutter to Maurice Rubin, tract of land, S 1-2 of lot 1, block 2, Burkett's addition to city of Eastland, \$1,500.

Warranty deed, J. D. Blacklock to Eunice Sellers, tract of land in Eastland county, being part of block 54, \$2,000.

Warranty deed, May Thompson to T. J. Carter, lots 5 and 7 in A. J. Thompson addition to town of Desdemona, \$2,000.

Warranty deed, J. C. Brewer et al to W. T. Little, undivided interest in tract of land in Eastland, being N 1-2 of SW 1-4 of section 62, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county, \$1.

Release of vendors' lien from R. H. Boon to F. E. Clark, tract of land out of SE corner of lot 1, block 99, city of Cisco.

Warranty deed, J. A. Snider to Magrie Smith, lot out of NW 1-4 of section 28, B. B. & C. Ry. survey, Rising Star, \$500.

Assignment, M. J. Brannon to J. Leroy Arnold, being W 8 1-2 acre tract out of 32-acre tract out of Geo. Hague survey, \$10.

Warranty deed, D. C. Gibson et al to Mary A. Garner, lot 6, block 2, May addition to Mangum, \$150.

Warranty deed, H. W. Perdue et ux to S. R. Jackson, lot 4, block 2, of subdivision of block 129, second R. R. addition to Cisco, \$300.

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RANGER GIVES VISITORS AGREEABLE SURPRISE

Mrs. Rufus Lackland of Fort Worth is here on a visit with her husband, Colonel Rufus Lackland. She is accompanied by her brother, John E. Scott, and her sister, Miss Kate Scott. This is the first visit of any of the three to Ranger and they have expressed themselves amazed at the enterprise and scope of the city.

Mrs. Lackland, who knows her husband as an auctioneer, was surprised at the rapid development of the Lackland Brothers' chicken farm, owned by Mr. Lackland and his brother Sidney.

Rufus Lackland, while calling Ranger home, alternates between this city and Fort Worth, where he maintains auctioneers' offices.

The desire of the ladies for equal rights will never induce them to covet bald heads.—Baltimore Sun.

METCALF CAFE 'A Good Place to Eat' Opposite T. & P. Station Tables for Ladies

PILES CURED Without use of knife or chloroform. No detention from work. Write for appointment. DR. THOMAS & PRESTIDGE Rectal Specialists Suite 601, Burnburnet Bldg. Fort Worth, Texas.

'LYING LIPS!'

—You cannot evade them, nor can you ignore them. In the emphatic words of Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy, "What Man calls the white lie soon produces a brood of black lies which engulf him!"

—And, from Lewis E. Lawes, warden of Sing Sing, comes the penetrating message: "The lie is the corollary to that condition created by the artificiality of our modern social system. Its strongest allies—false pride and ambition—form the compelling force that makes it the most destructive agency which, like a cancerous growth, has spread its malign influence throughout the universe."

—Remember these words, you men, women and children of Destiny, then—

Come, Let Us See What Causes Them!

—You may THINK you know just what elementary force or, perhaps belief, is responsible for the falsehood so commonly committed by Mankind, yet where is the mortal who can look upon the World, and say: "I know EVERYTHING!" So you who are willing to see, to live, to learn, to rip off the mask and peer deep—oh, so deep—into the pit of Humanity, have before you a great Revelation that will thrill your body and soul, growing, spreading in the marvelous Creation which it DOES reveal!

Let Us Take the Case of Nance Abbott!

—Here, gentle reader, is a woman. She is radiantly beautiful, with silken, superb features, great expressive brown eyes, like like figure, flowing hair of deep lustrous brown, with lips—lips that seem to call you on and on, to torment you—and tantalize you.

—Some may call her the Unusual Woman, the Gifts of the Gods, or the Dream of the Paradise.

—But no, gentle reader, she is not unusual.

—She is the Typical Woman of Everywhere, for she has a heart and a soul, and she is human, even as you and I!

And of Her Lover, Blair Cornwall

—Yes she has a lover. He is a tall, handsome, strapping chap with Faith in his eyes and Courage in his heart. He comes from Canada, land of tall timber and natural things, and his love is as pure as the babbling brook of a Midsummer's Night. But hold! Fate has sneered and jeered, and so—

They Spoke Their Own Betrothal and—!

—In the Sight of God, out there on a sinking raft, the sole remnant of the doomed ship "Vesta," they called themselves—man and wife!

—Turn back the Pages of Life if you must, look down upon the Tablet of the Ages, but, gentle reader, you will find no Romance so startling, so beautiful, so glorifying with heavenly Bliss as is this strange case of Nance Abbott, and of her lover, Blair Cornwall.

But hold again! Something has Happened! Look!

SÉE—SÉE—THEM!

'LYING LIPS!'

—Now, let us pause here, gentle reader, and speak in whispers, yet let us not lose Faith, for she is the Typical Woman of Everywhere, and she is human—even as you and I!

SHOWING AT LAMB WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

The LAMB

HAS THREE-FOOT MOVIE KISS GOT ENOUGH KICK? CORRECT!

CHICAGO, March 29.—Is the three-foot kiss long enough for the movies? Does film osculation of greater duration corrupt the morals of motion picture fans?

Should there be any time limit on the celluloid caress?

These questions form the basis of a controversy which arose among representative Chicago citizens, when a dispatch was received from Baltimore, declaring that, in the opinion of the Maryland Citizens' League for Better Motion Pictures, the "three-foot kiss" was long enough for any movie film.

A "three-foot kiss," it was explained, last exactly two seconds. Film kisses longer than that, it was declared in a petition by the organization to Governor Ritchie, are objectionable.

Here's what some well-known persons in Chicago think about it:

Edith Taliaferro, star in "Kissing Time"—"It depends entirely on who is doing the kissing. There are some movie stars who can kiss for 300 feet and are well worth watching, but I've seen others who shouldn't be allowed to kiss even their own wives and husbands, they're so clumsy at it. I believe that the three-foot kiss is long enough for the stage."

Max Ascher, of Ascher Brothers motion picture theatre proprietors—"The picture is just another ridiculous move on the part of reformers who haven't anything better to do. The length of a screen kiss should be determined by the requirements of the scenario. If a movie kiss is harmful, it can be so in one or fifteen feet—the time makes no difference. The kiss is a symbol of love, and is taught in the strictest and most respectable families from childhood."

Arthur Burrage Farwell, head of the Chicago Law and Order League—"Any kiss tending to arouse a passion should be eliminated. Personally, I am against depicting kissing on the mouth. I have known of two cases where death resulted from kissing in this fashion through transmission of disease. In 1888 my 3-year-old boy died of scarlet fever transmitted by a kiss of a playmate. The most innocent kiss can be fatal. The cheek or forehead is the proper place to kiss."

Albert Webster, head of the Juvenile Protective League—"Kissing in the movies is less dangerous than it is in actual practice. However, I believe that three feet is long enough for a 'soul kiss.'"

W. F. Willis, chief motion picture censor—"It depends entirely on the circumstances of the scenario. I think that a husband shown as leaving on a long journey should be allowed more than three feet to kiss his wife goodbye and the same would apply to a soldier greeting his mother on returning home from the war."

LIBERTY THEATRE TODAY Douglas Fairbanks in "AMERICAN ARISTOCRACY" Big Comedy "TOOTSIES AND TAMALES" PROGRAM 10c CHANGED 25c DAILY.

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TEMPLE PARAMOUNT AND REALART PICTURES FOLKS, HOWDY! —You had better make it snappy, 'cause this is the last day to see a bit of monkey business, interspersed with a lot of squirrel food. —The Original Joy-Boy and America's foremost exponent of Good Cheer— DYNAMITE DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS With Marguerite De la Motte in "THE NUT" Added Attractions: UNIVERSAL COMEDY and SELZNICK NEWS

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BASEBALL POINTS THE WAY.

"A fighting club is a winning club." That is a baseball axiom. Such a club, "playing over its head," often accomplishes miracles and wins pennants when it is not even credited with an outside chance. But a club which has no fighting spirit is almost certainly doomed to a place among the trailers, no matter how good its players may be.

Now cities are much like ball clubs in this respect. Their advantages may be mediocre, but if they have a fighting, acquisitive spirit, they are progressive and growing communities. And if they have good advantages, plus this fighting spirit, they are bound to forge to the front.

Such is the case with Ranger. It has advantages, better than most, excelled nowhere in this section; in fact, having the best of it by a pretty fair margin. Now if it is on its toes, bubbling with optimism and confidence and fighting spirit, those advantages are going to mean something. But if citizens lay back and say, we are too good; we don't have to fight, because things must come to us anyway, why, then, there will be a different tale to tell.

"We can build Ranger," might well be a motto graven on the mind and heart of every citizen. It is a motto which means a fighting spirit, a desire to work with brain and brawn to the attainment of an objective. A firm-set purpose to do this will bear results. Not overnight; that era has passed and the fruits of it have been obtained and retained. But just as a fighting team will not win the game in every inning, but tries in each, looking for the "break" and making many "breaks," so will a fighting town make a score here when some new enterprise is obtained, and a whole flock of scores in another inning when several enterprises or an exceptionally large one is obtained, and soon by consistent work the score will become so lopsided that the game might well be called on account of darkness, no matter if it has a thousand years to run.

Ranger has all the attributes needed. It has boundless fuel. It has central location. It has avenues of communication. If it has fighting spirit these things will show results as time goes on. Utah has a law against the use of tobacco. But if we had to live in Utah we wouldn't want any tobacco. A spoonful of strychnine would be all we'd ask.—Macon Telegraph.

Secretary Hughes is to do all the talking for the State department. There is ample assurance in this that the State department will not become garrulous.—Toledo Blade.

Altogether fitting was it that an Armenian "got" Talaat Pasha, but the assassination is not likely to make Turks easier on Armenians.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

The unrest in Cuba, at least, can not be attributed to prohibition.—Springfield Republican.

As we understand it, all that the railway workers want is all we have.—Columbia Record.

THE WOMAN WHO SAW

"Oh, New York is all right for a work shop," one of the Woman's friends had said carelessly, "but it has no heart, no human understanding. Everyone knows that nobody cares a hang what happens to him so long as he keeps out of the other fellow's way. We just make the best of it, but it does get lonesome sometimes.

At the words a tiny, prick of pain stabbed the Woman's Manhattan loving heart. Walking up the avenue she pondered. Was her friend right? As she paused to look at some lovely studies in the window of a famous photographer there came a soft voice at her elbow, saying matter-of-factly, as to an old friend: "I've heard of this place. Do you suppose they take good pictures?"

"The Woman gasped a startled 'Oh, yes, indeed!' and only then obtained a good view of the owner of the voice. She was fragile and her hair was silvered. The plain coat and skirt were many seasons behind the modish costumes proceeding up the most opulent street in the world but the eyes were bright with motherliness, and shone with a keen interest in all about.

"You see," the friendly voice went on, "I haven't been taken for more than twenty years, and it's for a surprise. Minnie, that's my daughter, you know"—and the Woman found herself nodding as if she and "Minnie" were old college chums—"and her husband are going 'round the world, and I have a notion," she said, a bit shyly, "that Minnie would like my picture to go with the children's."

Glancing at the Mother, the Woman decided that "Minnie" was undoubtedly a person of sense and feeling and then she realized that her new friend was anxiously waiting for her to say something.

"I beg your pardon, you were saying?"

"Why, I just wanted your advice. Would you wear a lavender silk, or something black? It's a surprise, you know, I'm just asking you as a friend instead of Minnie herself."

The Woman rubbed her eyes. Was that Fifth Avenue shimmering by? Hadn't she fallen asleep and dreamed herself back in her own home town? No, there was a fat bus waddling along, there was the famous photographer's name, and there was her new friend waiting her decision.

"Oh, black would be lovely," she heard herself saying, all the while exulting inwardly. "Manhattan has a heart, but she does not wear it on her sleeve. This little lady knew that she could ask a friend's advice in the middle of Fifth Avenue. The open sesame to the heart of New York is 'confidence!'"

Wild Animals She Had Known. As the Woman entered the vestibule of an early morning local she was aware of an altercation between a girl and the guard. Just before they ran into the next station the latter exclaimed in a weary tone, "Well, I s'pose I'll have to report it. Gimme y'r name and address—but the company ain't to blame."

After much scribbling on his part the girl turned with an air of triumph and resumed operations on a wad of gum. The Woman had sensed a "hold-up" and inquired, "Pocket-book stolen?"

"No," returned the girl with the light of battle in her eye. "Worse than that. See what the wild animals at Times Square done," holding up a large button attached to a long strip of cloth so that everyone might see. "My new sixty dollar coat. Can you beat that, huh?"

"Dear me," remarked a plainly-dressed woman standing near. "You should ride to work in your limousine."

Take Your Choice. The little librarian has trained herself to a splendid control of the facial muscles through a long course of varied requests, but she nearly disgraced her profession the other day when a young girl demanded, "Jane Eyre," by Henry or Dante, "she couldn't quite remember which."

THREE-BALL MAN SETS REPORTER STRAIGHT ON WAYS OF BORROWERS "Business is punk," said he of the three golden balls last night as the reporter stopped for a moment to pass the time of day.

"Say not so, Shylock," the reporter countered in his brightest manner. "Money is tight over the land and list to us: When the silver shekels and the doubloons of gold clink not in our banks then the rabble digs up their baubles of days of prosperity and hie themselves away to the doors of the moneylenders, who always extract their pound of flesh, and lay the above mentioned baubles away in soak to keep the wolf from the door—also the landlord. Don't we know? Isn't our best and only overcoat at this moment eating itself away at ten per cent in one of the leading three-ball institutions?"

"Nin—not-nix, you donna' val you talking, mine friend." If you did, you would know that when times grew tight folks who have things of value to place in pawn hang on to them until suffering is actually starting then in the face and here is the reason: When prosperity is wide and everyone has plenty of money, a man or a woman suddenly feels the need of some extra cash for an occasion. Nothing is more simpler than to take their jewelry or whatever they have to the pawnbroker and borrows some money. They argue to themselves that times are good, they are making good money and the articles can be redeemed shortly.

But when things grow tight the opposite argument is used. They tell themselves that jobs or cash are not very plentiful and if they place their valuables in pawn they may not be able to redeem them. The result is that when they do come to the pawn shop they come because it is the last resort.

THAT GERMAN EEL



"Tinker Bob" Stories by Carlyle H. Holcomb MR. LAGOS WANTS TO MARRY SUSIE

Tinker Bob was so happy to think the Creature of His Desire had taken him to the place where he could see a new forest dweller. Silky the Monkey was not so sure that he was happy about it for he didn't like the sound of the whine. "Look there, do you see that creature?" said Tinker Bob. "I don't see why you should be afraid of him. He doesn't look to me as though he was very dangerous."

Silky was really ashamed to think he had been afraid when he looked at the fellow and saw that he was only half as large as he sounded. "I've seen him before," he said. "But I didn't know he could make a noise like that. There must be something the matter." Then when he saw the other Creature he began to understand that there was something that caused the whining noise. He had been calling this one out of the forest.

"You said you knew who this fellow was. Tell me what his name is." "Why, that's Jimmy Lagos. You can see him about the forest most any time, and that other creature is Susie Ant Bear, but I don't see what he wants with her." Then Silky was interrupted by another whine.

"There do you hear that?" asked Tinker, and this is what they heard. "Dear little Susie," said Mr. Lagos, who really was Mr. Lagos, but Silky called him Mr. Lagos for short. "What did your father say?"

Then the shy little Susie Ant Bear came close to him and said, "O my dear Mr. Lagos, my father said you would have to learn to eat ants and you would have to take a bath every day in the Wonderful Spring." Then Mr. Lagos began to cry for he knew it would be impossible for him to learn to eat ants and that he would die if he had to take a bath in the Wonderful Spring every day, for he was not used to water.

"O Susie Ant Bear will you not run away with me and marry me without your father's consent?" This question brought tears to the eyes of dear little Susie and for a moment she could not answer.

These words made Silky the Monkey feel bad also for he had wanted to marry Susie at one time but Mr. Ant Bear would not let him till he had learned to eat ants. Silky tried to eat ants but they made him sick.

"O I dare not run away Mr. Lagos without my father's consent. Will you not take one bath in the Wonderful Spring and then try to eat a few ants? Then I can tell my father that you are an Ant-Eater and it will be all right."

"O Susie dear, I will try anything for you, but I know it will kill me. But let's go and I will take a bath in the Spring and eat some ants. They went away. Tomorrow we will see them at the Spring. Tomorrow—Mr. Lagos at the Spring.

SWINDLER 37 YEARS; SHE'S STILL AT IT

NEW YORK, March 29.—Mrs. Marion L. LaTouche, 69 years, an old-time swindler of women, pleaded guilty in general sessions of grand larceny in the second degree.

Marcy C. Hoke, of No. 202 St. Nicholas avenue, charged the aged swindler with accepting \$200 from her on two different dates last summer to invest in stocks, which she never did. Other complaints have been lodged against Mrs. LaTouche, who presented herself as an employee of large brokerage houses.

Mrs. LaTouche for more than thirty years, the police and district attorney's records show, has made a specialty of playing on the easy confidence of women. She is tall, well-preserved and affects stylish clothes.

First Conviction in 1884. Under the name of Carrie Morse she was first convicted in general sessions in 1884 and sentenced to two years in Sing Sing prison. In 1918 she was sentenced to one and a half years in Sing Sing by Judge McIntyre for grand larceny.

When arrested on the charge which resulted in her 1918 sentence Judge McIntyre, at the request of Assistant District Attorney Weil, demanded bail of \$35,000, which she was unable to furnish. At that time Mrs. Anna Fitzgerald, of No. 78 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn, accused her of taking \$200 to invest, which she never did.

A Dangerous Woman. Weil denounced her as one of the most dangerous women swindlers in the country, and said she had defrauded women out of hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Recent victims have written to the court, asking that she be given a severe sentence, one writer requesting that she be sent away for ten years. Judge Talley declined to make public any of these letters.

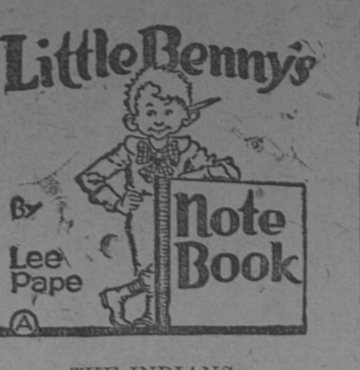
HERE'S HINT! LET NATURE FERMENT BEER TOLEDO, Ohio, March 29.—Common Pleas Judge Brough today ruled that a cafe keeper, who sell liquor which has fermented after being purchased from wholesale distributors, are not liable to prosecution under the prohibition laws.

The judge reversed a municipal court decision which fined a cafe keeper for having sold near-beer in which the city chemist found 2.62 per cent alcohol.

NO PLACE FOR A BEAR. Mr. Merrington had been invited to a children's party to help amuse the small guests.

"Must do something really funny," he reflected. "I know; I'll go as a bear. That'll make the little ones roar with laughter."

So he procured a bear's skin, wrapped himself up in it and set off in a taxicab. When the vehicle pulled up he sprang out, ran up the steps of the house and rang the bell. The moment the door was opened he darted into the hall and bounded into the drawing room on all fours, growling fiercely. But, alas, instead of the roar of laughter he had expected a rigid silence greeted him. He looked up. No children were there. Instead two very prim ladies were regarding him with icy amazement. He had gone to the wrong house.—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.



THE INDIANS. The Indians was a ery race With black hair and high cheeked bones, They had copper colored complexions But no electric lights or fomes.

They were good with bows and arrows And also fond of fishing, And if they wished they had hot running water They had to take it out in wishing

But still they had their pleasures, Including hunting for bears, And wen they sat down they sat on the ground Out of respect for the absents of chairs.

They called their children papooses And lived in home made tents, With a pole stuck up in the middle And no back yard and no fence

Wen their feet got tired they used a canoe Till a enemy Indian sank it, And a lady Indian was allways a squaw And went erround rapped in a blanket.

A bunch of tents was a village And a bunch of Indians a tribe, And a bunch of grunts was their language, Making them a snitch to discribe.

RIPLING RHYMES By WALT MASON

EVIL TIMES.

There is a crisis everywhere, and all the world is in despair. I read the news from day to day; from countries near and far away, and I'm discouraged as I mark our prospects, desolate and dark. Oh, anarchy and doom and wreck and countless evils are on deck; some crisis every day appears and humps its back and wags its ears and statesmen cry, as they've long cried, "The tail must travel with the hide." For six long years it's been the same; the crisis played its low down game, and filled us with the dumps and blues, and kept us shaking in our shoes. We had a crisis months ago because no prices then were low, and profiteers were on our trail demanding all our hard-earned kale. That crisis slumped, another rose, and now low prices are on foot; because the cost no longer soars, a thousand mills have closed their doors, and workless workmen walk the streets and clamor vainly for the eats, and soak the silken shirts they wore when t'other crisis had the floor. I'm tired of all this crisis stuff; they've fed me up—I've had enough. Let's drill along with sprightly tread and talk of happy days ahead, and practice thrift and do our stunts, and heave some smiles instead of grunts.

WIFE TRADING PRACTICED BY CULT IN UTAH SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 29.—The existence of a remote colony of 50 men and women practicing new religious beliefs, among them the doctrine of "wife sacrifice," whereby husbands and wives have been exchanged, has been revealed through excommunication from the Mormon church of five members and the imposition of ecclesiastical discipline on seven others.

Moses Gudmunson, former professor of music in the Brigham Young university at Provo, Utah, announced the doctrine of a divine revelation made to him by the Deity in person. The colony was established by Gudmunson two years ago on the strength of "revelations," in which a tract of land, high in the barren dry farming section of Junn county, was pointed out to him.

He persuaded neighbors and friends to sell all their worldly possessions and to join him in homesteading on the land. A pool was made of the company's belongings, which Gudmunson, as administrator, used in purchase of farm machinery and supplies. Rough homes were built, and a branch of the Mormon church established, with Gudmunson as presiding elder.

A year ago some men left the group because "there was too much praying and meetings and too little farming." The doctrine of "wife sacrifice" was not promulgated until about eight months ago, at which time it met with the instant favor of Gudmunson's disciples, save his own wife, the mother of 12 children.

Mormon authorities investigated and ordered a church trial, before which the offending colonists were found to be guilty of improper practices.

Today the sheriff of Junn county promised an investigation to ascertain whether the criminal code has been violated by the religious cult.

EASTLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IS COMPLETED

EASTLAND, March 29.—The new Presbyterian church on Walnut street has been completed, and Easter services were conducted there Sunday by Dr. Jno G. Anderson, pastor. No services were held at night due to a shortage at the Methodist church at which time a law and order league was organized.

Grocers Who Promote Advertised Products

When you go into a store and see ranged around on the shelves and counters various food and meat products with which you have become familiar through advertising, make up your mind that you are in the right kind of a store.

There are many such stores. You will find that they are always well managed and prosperous—there is invariably an air about them that invites your patronage.

If you have other wants than advertised staples, it is more than likely that you will be inclined to have them filled before you leave—that you will not question the integrity of whatever else you buy.

And, though you may not realize it, there is a very excellent reason for such an attitude of mind on your part.

Advertising, as you know, elevates the quality and lowers the price of goods. And here is the process:

When a manufacturer gives publicity to a worthy product, he creates a demand for it. That demand makes possible volume of production.

Volume of production reduces manufacturing costs as far as the individual article is concerned. Likewise it reduces selling costs.

In consequence the merchant buys at a standard price and sells at a standard profit per sale.

Advertising by increasing sales makes lower prices mean more money to the merchant—more money's worth to the consumer.

A certain degree of success in the face of advertising competition—that which affords every advantage of production costs and merchandising facilities—how much greater will be his success if he works with this mighty modern-day force?

Stores which employ newspaper publicity make their names stand as a guarantee of goods just as manufacturers do their trade-marks. Thus the consumer is often doubly assured.

So the road that is bordered by the advertising column rules of a newspaper is the safe road for the buying public. It leads to first quality and full value always.

If you will keep this one fact firmly fixed in your mind you will not be disappointed. On the contrary, your money will go farther and what you buy will give complete satisfaction.

Ranger Daily Times A QUALITY NEWSPAPER OF THE HOME Copyright by W. G. Bryan, Ranger Daily Times.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS in the DAILY TIMES
 Ranger, Texas
 One Time... 2c per word
 Four Times... For the cost of Three
 Seven Times... For the cost of Five

Use These Papers to Cover the Oil Fields
 ALL ORDERS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED WITH THE CASH.
 Orders not taken over the telephone unless advertiser has regular account.

THE FORT WORTH RECORD WICHITA FALLS RECORD-NEWS THE RANGER DAILY TIMES Combined Classified Rate.
 Consecutive insertions:
 Words— 1 Time, 4 Times, 7 Times
 15 Words... \$.85 \$ 2.55 \$ 4.35
 20 Words... 1.05 3.55 6.05
 25 Words... 1.25 4.25 7.25
 30 Words... 1.40 4.70 8.00
 35 Words... 1.55 5.55 9.45
 40 Words... 1.90 6.40 10.90
 45 Words... 2.15 7.25 12.35
 50 Words... 2.40 8.10 13.80
 55 Words... 2.65 8.95 15.25
 60 Words... 2.80 9.40 16.00
 65 Words... 3.05 10.25 17.45
 70 Words... 3.30 11.10 18.90
 Irregular day insertions charged at the one-time rate.

Forward copy to any of the three papers, with your remittance. Copy will be run first possible issue after receipt.

No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

The above rates are for consecutive Daily and Sunday insertions without change of copy.

No advertisement accepted on a "fill forbidden" order; a specific number of insertions must be given.

Notice to discontinue advertisements must be given in writing, otherwise we are not responsible.

We reserve the right to place all classified advertisements under their proper classification, and to reject unclear or objectionable copy.

1—LOST AND FOUND
 LOST—Wrist watch, square case; "Henry" engraved on back; reward, Box J. L., care Times.

FOUND—Good brown Jersey cow, dehorned; brown mottled faced heifer, short horns. Both have ear marks. Am giving cow proper care. J. W. Shook, Gorman road, opposite Prairie material yard.

3—FEMALE HELP
 WANTED—A competent housekeeper and cook; white woman preferred. Apply H. S. Cole, Lamb theatre.

WANTED—Housekeeper at the New Miller Hotel, Breckenridge, Texas.

WANTED—Girl to do light house work in small family. Call over Continental Supply company or address P. O. box 398, Ranger.

WANTED—Lady housekeeper, between 45 and 50 years old; no laundry. 203 Fannin.

6—BUSINESS CHANCES
 FOR SALE or trade—Grocery stock and fixtures. Stewart Grocery, 516 Riddle Ave.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES
 MADAME L. Osborn, Ranger's spiritual trance medium, has moved to permanent location over Ranger Drug Co., opposite Boston store. Hours 9 a. m. to 8:30 p. m. Reading by mail; satisfaction guaranteed.

CANCERS, tumors, sores, goitres, piles, fistula. Write for testimonials of cures. Box 517, Dallas, Texas.

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

APPLY 224 Cypress st for Dressmaking, where prices are right.

FOR CARPENTER, 536 Byron, Riddle addition; screening a specialty.

8—ROOMS FOR RENT
 FOR RENT—Rooms and apartments. Teal hotel, 425 Main st.

3 ROOMS furnished near high school, West Side, close in. J. Craven.

WILSON HOTEL—Summer rates, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$7 per week; all modern conveniences; tub and shower baths; your home. 314 Walnut st.

FOR RENT—Two newly papered, furnished housekeeping rooms. 703 S. Rusk street.

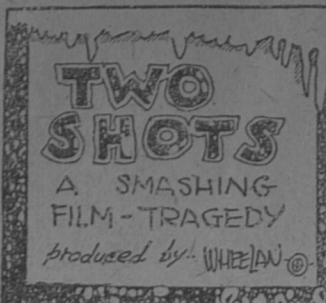
GLENN HOTEL—Transient rooms, \$1 per day; apartments \$30 and up per month; 315 Elm st. opposite fire station.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT
 THREE ROOM furnished house; gas furnished. Bourdeau Bros., 429 S. Rusk street.

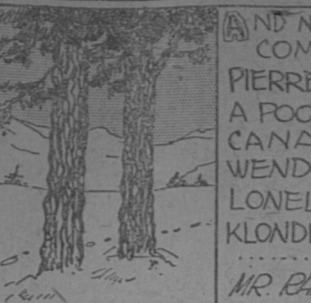
HOUSES for rent; Mrs. John W. Dunkle, South Austin street.

FOR RENT—Two-room house, partly furnished; also 4-room bungalow, vacant April 1st. Dr. Tribble, 427 S. Hodges.

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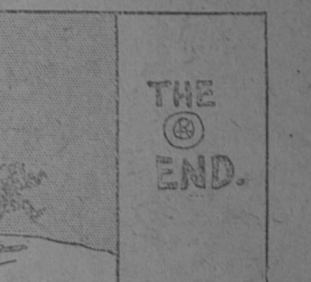
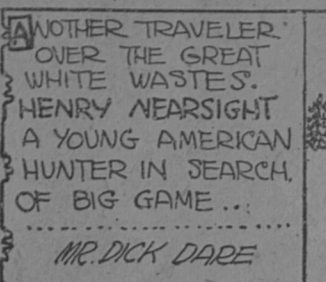
THE FROZEN NORTH WHERE MAN REVERTS TO THE PRIMITIVE AND THE GRIM LAW OF SELF-PRESERVATION ASSERTS ITSELF
 MR. RALPH HADFIELD



BY GAD, SHE EES COLD AN' I AVE JUST ONE LITTLE DRINK LEFT!



ANOTHER TRAVELER OVER THE GREAT WHITE WASTES. HENRY NEARSIGHT A YOUNG AMERICAN HUNTER IN SEARCH OF BIG GAME...
 MR. DICK DARE



11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT

MARIAN APARTMENTS
 2 rooms furnished; lights, water, gas, \$37.50 per month; 607 Main st.

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment.
 416 N. Rusk.

TWO-ROOM apartment on ground floor, nicely furnished. 411 1/2 Pine street, facing new Methodist church.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment with kitchenette; gas furnished; \$25 per month. Bourdeau Bros. Planning Mill, 429 S. Rusk.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments, electric lights, gas and water; close in; \$30 and \$35 per month; also 2-room house furnished. Apply 421 Mesquite st.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

HOUSEHOLD furniture for sale. Apply 415 S. Marston st.

FOR second-hand goods, try the New and Second-Hand Store, 201 N. Austin.

ELEGANT furniture for sale. Price \$500. 319 Pine street.

FOR SALE—Three Ford car delivery bodies; all new. City Planing Mill, 300 N. Rusk.

FOR SALE—Complete set restaurant fixtures, including cash register, coffee urn, etc., \$350 cash will handle. Apply 910 Blackwell road, opposite P. O. & G. plant.

ELEGANT furniture for sale. Price \$500. 319 Pine street.

14—REAL ESTATE

LOT FOR SALE—Not No. 17 in block No. 4, Byrns and Riddle addition, Ranger, Texas. Jeff Henderson, care Columbus R. R. Co., Columbus, Ga.

MISSOURI—\$5 down and \$5 monthly buys 40 acres truck and poultry land near town Southern Missouri. Price \$240. Send 1c. Bureau list. Box 169, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

MEXICO land for sale by owner; 30,000 acres, good ranch, fenced and watered. Close in; clear title; \$2.50 per acre. Address P. O. Box 425, Eagle Pass, Texas.

PEACHES AND CREAM—Those only who have no land, may apply for 10 to 40 acres in the pretty Ozarks, Missouri. Poultry, truck, fruit, berries, etc. Unimproved farms—low price and easy payments. J. J. Hamilton, Chanute, Kansas.

FOR SALE—One 3-room house; shingle roof sealed; or will trade for good team or car. Address W. J., care Times.

FOR RENT or sale—3-room house, 516 South Hodges st., Finster store.

FOR SALE—Two-room house, furnished complete; electric lights and gas, 224 Wayland road. Inquire at grocery store, 522 N. Rusk st., Ranger, Texas.

FOR SALE—Cheap 1-room shack, painted. 307 Fannin st.

16—AUTOMOBILES

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

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

FOR SALE or Exchange—Got it on a debt and will sell at big bargain. Duplex truck with wench and trailer; terms, or would consider trade; might add some cash on larger deal. Black Bros., Paramount hotel.

O. K. TRUCK, 115 South Rusk street.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

FURNITURE bought, sold and exchanged. Have moved to 403 Main st. Barker's Furniture store.

WANTED—A chance to buy your furniture and stoves. New and Second-Hand Store, 201 North Austin st. Phone 276.

FURNITURE bought, sold and exchanged. Ranger Furniture Exchange, Terrell building, Rusk street.

WILL BUY a few sets of used six-inch pig irons. Must be in good condition and priced right. Taylor Building Co., 108 1/2 E. Sixth st., Fort Worth, Texas.

WANTED—Bull dog, male, about six months; state price and description. Address Box B, care Times.

19—FOR TRADE OR EXCHANGE

FORD ROADSTER—Will trade for city property, royalty or wildcat leases. Apply chief engineer, Lady Huffman Station, Humble Pipe Line Co.

FOR EXCHANGE—Store house with four living rooms and lot; Erwin Heights; for a good car. See 801 Strawn road.

WILLIAMSON LEASE HAS ITS FIRST FAILURE

Okoh-Ranger Jolted Without Result; Some New Shallow Wells In.
 BY TOM BELL.
 Interest continues to improve in the Eastland county oil and gas field, and this week witnesses the beginning of what may prove to be a townsite drilling campaign at Eastland. The Alice Oil company has the rig up for its No. 2 in the south part of town, and it is said will spud in during the coming week. Lobauz and others are drilling ahead on the Davennort lease in the same vicinity. P. S. Wolfe and associates have a rig up on the north eighty of the Matthews tract, offsetting the well of the John Ringling interests, which came in for 1,000 barrels last week. Frank Day and the Okoh-Ranger Oil company are the cause of interest.

BIG SPRING DISTRICT TO RENEW WILDCATTING

Special to the Times.
 BIG SPRING, March 29.—The wildcat drilling campaign which reached its crest last year and subsided with the incoming of the financial depression, will shortly be revived throughout this section by the several operating companies. The Herald here has received a telegram from H. C. Becker, manager of the Omaha-Texas company which says that "men are on the way and operations on the Brunson test will be under way by the first of the week."
 This well is located on the Brunson ranch in Glascock county. When work stopped the drill was penetrating hard formations of various shades, with considerable showings of both gas and oil in the cuttings. Since the announcement was made interest in that section has been appreciably stimulated.

IATAN WELL REPORTED NEARLY READY TO PUMP

Special to the Times.
 BIG SPRING, March 29.—After encountering all the obstacles the ordinary driller has on a well that has been shot, officials of the Iatan well which was shot some time ago and bridged, are now optimistic that they shall soon be able to pump oil from the well. It is not a great distance from the Texas & Pacific Underwriter discovery well near Colorado, reported to be pumping about 200 barrels daily. In Martin county the S. E. J. Cox company well on the Wolcott ranch has set 20-inch casing and making progress.

SHORT-LIVED.

"What is meant by constructive criticism?"
 "As a rule," said the thoughtful citizen, "it takes the form of a set of resolutions drawn up with enthusiasm, adopted unanimously and forgotten the next day.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

UNDERGROUND WASTAGE OF OIL WILL BE STOPPED IN NEW FIELDS, U. S. BULLETIN GIVES METHODS

WASHINGTON, March 29.—In order to prevent in the new fields in Montana and Wyoming and subsequent discoveries in Texas, Oklahoma and other states the criminal waste of crude petroleum, such as occurred in the early days of the oil business in Texas and Oklahoma, the United States bureau of mines has issued a conservation bulletin.
 The bulletin is entitled "Underground conditions in the Oil Fields." It was prepared by A. W. Ambrose, chief petroleum technologist and contains a complete treatment of the subject of petroleum engineering as applied to drilling and producing problems.
 The bureau of mines has for years urged the conservation of petroleum and its products, and has pointed out that such conservation should start before the oil is brought to the surface rather than after it is in storage tanks. Losses of petroleum underground have undoubtedly been far greater than losses in storage, in transportation, and in refining. The quantity lost usually is indeterminate and hence difficult to express in terms of money, but by remembering that entire oil fields have been ruined by invading waters some idea may be gained of the importance of underground waste.
 Petroleum Engineer Latest.
 The petroleum engineer is coming to be recognized as an extremely important aid in the intelligent development of oil fields. In this paper an effort is made to outline for the engineer and producer a field of work whereby science and engineering not only can be but have been applied practically. The mining engineer has

RANGER OIL CONCERN ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

The Operators and Drillers Oil company, with headquarters in Ranger, met recently and elected officers. Two wells are now drilling on the company's property in Stephens county, on the Martin lease.
 The officers of the company are E. H. Clay, field superintendent; C. L. Brown, president, and S. A. Gregg, vice-president.
 The company has 640 acres east of Breckenridge and south of Ivan. They also expect to buy some production in the Ranger field.

STONE AGE TACTICS FAIL TO WIN BACK LOVE, K. C. MAN FINDS

International News Service.
 KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 29.—It cost Louis Hendrickson \$200 to try "cave man" methods in an attempt to win back his wife's love.
 Police found Hendrickson dragging his wife by the hair along the sidewalk in front of their home. He had previously thrown her off the front porch, a distance of ten feet.
 "I was trying to win back her love," police said he told them.
 Hendrickson told the same story in court.
 "Well, this isn't the Stone Age. You're out of date," said the court in ordering the \$200 fine.

LEATHER ORNAMENTS ON LONDON WOMEN'S VEILS

LONDON, March 29.—The new spring veils are ornamented with large leather and suede squares and circles sewn together, in gay contrasting colors that have a patchwork quilt effect.
 The suede and leather have been used to match the leather dresses and trappings that are now being worn.

AMERICA DOESN'T KNOW MEANING OF 'HIGHBROW'

CHICAGO, March 29.—America doesn't know what a highbrow is. This is the opinion of Sinclair Lewis author of "Main Street" and former editor of the Yale Literary Review.
 "Americans read fiction with complicated plots and call it good," he said. "They read simple, good books and reject them as 'highbrows.'"

OUIJA BOARD TELLS WIFE TO LEAVE 'SATANIC' HUSBAND

CHICAGO, March 29.—"Your husband is satanic. Leave him and go and live with your boarder."
 That is what Mrs. Eva Miller is alleged to have told her husband, Bruno Fritz Miller, that the ouija board told her.
 Miller filed an answer to his wife's divorce bill charging cruelty. He charges his wife took the board's advice literally, and is now with her former star boarder.
 Vicar. You should get a modern cycle, John. 'Twould be very much easier for you.
 John. Mebbe sir, but don't you see, I couldn't larn to ride one o' them tarnation things at my toime o' life.—London Mail.

CHIEF JUSTICE WHITE TO RESIGN, IS REPORT FROM WASHINGTON



According to rumors in official circles in Washington Chief Justice White of the United States supreme court, will soon resign because of failing eyesight and Secretary of State Hughes will probably have his long cherished ambition gratified of becoming chief justice of the highest court in the country. In event of Secretary Hughes being appointed to succeed Chief Justice White, the reports say, Secretary of the Interior Fall will be made secretary of state.

ELKS CONFER RIGHTS OF 'SACRED COW' VICTIMS SHUDDER; WOMEN SCREAM

The rites of the "sacred cow" were conferred on several candidates at the Elks' novelty dance last night at the Summer Garden. The high priests in their flowing robes of cheese cloth captured the unsuspecting victim and placed the sacred cow stuff on him whether or no.
 At the crucial moment when the smoke from the flesh of the victim filled the darkened hall with its acrid odor strong men shuddered, then laughed and women who did not know any better screamed in terror. Everybody but the poor devil who furnished the sport thought it was great stuff.
 However, even he forgot the indignity that had been heaped upon in the pleasures of the dance and those of the flowing bowl with its red, red—denatured grape juice.

YOUR CHANCE—

To get in with a live light Truck Manufacturer who will soon be producing the very Truck you will want to buy. The "Fulton Flyer" is a happy medium between a truck and a passenger car—having the speed of one and the sturdy hard wearing qualities of the other.
 "OUTPUT SOLD FOR THREE YEARS"
 Our output for the first three years is already contracted for—guaranteeing a big dividend for the investor. You can still buy this stock at par. Investigate—let us send you complete details. It won't cost anything to hear our story.
 Write Us At Once.
 FULTON AUTO TRUCK COMPANY,
 Phone P. 5524. Houston, Texas. 1310 1/2 Walker Ave.

CRYSTAL CAFE
 Opposite Majestic Theatre
 The Little Cafe With a Big Welcome
 You will get more for your money here than any other place in town.
 We invite you to try our food—Our prices will appeal to you.

C. W. HALTOM
 Your Jeweler
 Dealer in gift goods of quality Expert Repairing
 With Texas Drug Co. Main and Austin

Times Want Ads Pay

ECZEMA!

THIS isn't one of those fake free treatment offers you have seen so many times. We don't offer to give you something for nothing—but we do guarantee that you can try this wonderful treatment, entirely at our risk, and this guarantee is backed by your local druggist.
"HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) has been sold under absolute money back guarantee for more than thirty years. They are especially compounded for the treatment of Eczema, Itch, Ring Worm, Tetter, and other itching skin diseases.
 Thousands of letters testify to their curative properties. Mc Timberlin, a rough and tumble dealer in Durant, Oklahoma, says: "I suffered with Eczema for ten years, and spent \$1,000.00 for doctors' treatments, without result. One box of Hunt's Cure entirely cured me."
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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 standing 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 788, Phone 58 Breckenridge; 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg.

Suits 524 Guaranty Bank Bldg. WAKEFIELD, CLARK & PLUMMER Public Accountants, Auditors and Systematizers Income Tax Specialists Phone 356
 Dallas Waco Ranger Breckenridge Eastland TURNER, GAY & HARRIS Accountants, Auditors, Income Tax Consultants
 110 Main Street Ranger

AWNINGS
 AWNING TIME
 Auto Tents, Sleeping Porch Curtains A. CRONKEY, Box 1183, Ranger, Tex. Buy at Home

DENTISTS
 DR. DAN M. BOLES Dentist. Hours—8 a. m. to 6 p. m.; 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. Nights and Sundays by appointment. Office over Ranger Drug Store
 DR. CLYDE C. CRAIG Dentist and Dental Surgeon Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. Lamb Theatre Bldg.
 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

GARAGES
 TEXAS GARAGE
 We have taken over the Texas Garage and have the reputation of building your car from the ground up. We also do all kinds of welding and guarantee to satisfy and save you 25 Per Cent. Spring Rebuilding a Specialty.

HOSPITALS
 RANGER GENERAL HOSPITAL
 Mrs. Alice L. Dailey, Supt. Open to all reputable physicians. Graduate nurses supplied for outside cases.
 Telephone 190.
 CLINICAL HOSPITAL
 Mrs. Maude Clark, Supt. Open to All Physicians. Graduate Nurses Furnished for Outside Cases.
 Phone 213 Guaranty Bank Bldg.

INSURANCE
 Texas Employers Insurance Ass'n. Compensation Insurance at Cost W. F. MOORE, Dist. Mgr. Ranger Office McCleskey Hotel Breckenridge Office Old First Nat'l Bank Bldg.

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

STORAGE CO.
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Sports...

TY COBB HERE FOR SENATORS' FINAL MATINEE

With the Detroit Tigers—twenty-three of them—with Ty Cobb—coming in on the 1:26 train today, with many business places promising to close for the game, with the big farewell banquet set for tonight, pre-season baseball reaches its climax today and tomorrow.

After Wednesday, Clarence Rowland's Senators will be here no more. They will be tripping it back toward the East, where they open the Association season against Indianapolis on the 13th. They play every day en route—another game with the Tigers at Fort Worth, then to Muskogee, Okla.; Little Rock, Ark.; Nashville, Tenn.; and Terre Haute, Ind.

One long workout was staged yesterday, beginning shortly after 10 and lasting until 2. Brainard and Peehaus, who got in Saturday night, were sent right into the fray, Peehaus at short and Brainard at third. One or both may be used in today's game.

This morning practice started at 10 and lasted about an hour and a half, in order to allow the Nitro bosses to massage the diamond. Manager Sled proposes to sift all the pebbles out and have some sand placed around the bases before the game this afternoon.

BALLINGER GOES TO BAT WITH CHICAGO WHITE SOX ON HOME LOT THURSDAY

Special to the Times.

BALLINGER, Texas, March 29.—Business men of Ballinger have contracted for a game here on March 31 between the Chicago White Sox and the Ballinger Bear Cats.

As this is the farthest west in Texas that a major league team will journey this season, Ballinger is expecting visiting fans to attend this game for a radius of sixty or seventy miles to watch Dickey Kerr, Ray Schalk, Eddie Collins and other big-time artists in action. Various forms of entertainment will be provided for visitors, closing with a dance by the All Star Five orchestra in the rooms of the Ballinger club that night. Games are being arranged for the Bear Cats during April with Cisco, Abilene, Sweetwater and San Angelo of the West Texas league.

SAN ANGELO ANNEXES CATCHER BILL BYERS

FORT WORTH, March 29.—Catcher Bill Byers of the Mineral Wells West Texas league team last year, was sold today to the San Angelo club of the West Texas league.

HE SAID TOO MUCH.

Young Wife—The dentist pulled my wisdom tooth today, so you mustn't be surprised if you find me stupid. Hub—Nonsense! The idea that a wisdom tooth has anything to do with wisdom is absurd. Why, you wouldn't be any stupider if you had every tooth in your head pulled.—Boston Transcript.

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WOMAN TRAPSHOOTER BREAKS OWN RECORD



Breaking her own record, Mrs. Alfred G. Wilkes, wife of the president of the Pacific Coast Field Trial club of San Francisco, established a new Pacific Coast trapshooting record by shattering ninety-four clay pigeons out of a possible hundred. The record was established at the Lakeside traps of the Olympic club of San Francisco. Mrs. Wilkes also holds records as a wing shot and is a splendid swimmer, golfer and horseback rider.

AT THE HOTELS

- PARAMOUNT.
- E. H. Lathrop, Abilene.
 - David Fink, Fort Worth.
 - H. L. Caldwell, Breckenridge.
 - H. B. Allen, Waco.
 - J. M. Caruthers, Dallas.
 - Guy Nunnally, Dallas.
 - J. B. Watts, Breckenridge.
 - G. F. Patterson, Ivan.
 - Mr. and Mrs. Demas, Breckenridge.
 - Chas. Shaw, Ardmore.
 - J. A. Watson, Ardmore.
 - J. L. Carpenter and wife, Breckenridge.
 - David Murphy, Mexia.
 - T. B. Coker, Cisco.
 - F. J. Anderson, Cisco.

- R. F. Blackburn, Cisco.
- W. E. Newman, Waco.
- Ben Denna, Breckenridge.
- Frank Russell, Breckenridge.
- M. B. Sweeney, Dallas.
- John H. Canfield, Tiffin.
- A. W. Young, Dallas.
- Wm. G. McDermitt, Rochester N. Y.
- B. V. Raines and wife, Okadale, Cal.
- G. D. Calvit, Okadale, Cal.
- W. L. Hartman, Breckenridge.

- THEODORE.
- H. C. Johnson, Breckenridge.
 - E. Wood, Breckenridge.
 - A. P. Drury Jr., Dallas.
 - J. P. Wilkinson, St. Louis.
 - Geo. H. Baston, New York.
 - Trave Cline, Fort Worth.
 - W. H. Dolan, Breckenridge.
 - C. F. Kesterson, Dallas.
 - F. E. Meyers, wife and son, Caddo.
 - Mrs. Chas. Yandell, Breckenridge.
 - Sam Williams, Dallas.
 - C. Rosenfield, Fort Worth.
 - Harry Lippert, Robinson, Ill.
 - J. E. Buckingham, Harding, Texas.
 - E. I. Halton, San Antonio.

- GHOLSON.
- F. S. Young, Polytechnic.
 - J. M. Edwards, Cisco.
 - R. J. Hartman, St. Louis.
 - Larry Conley, Dallas.
 - Ham Crawford, Dallas.
 - Ray Mayer, Dallas.
 - Bob Blossingame, Dallas.
 - N. H. Murphy, St. Louis.
 - Clyde DeFate, Columbus.
 - C. R. Starnes, Eastland.
 - J. A. Gammaek Fort Worth.
 - C. T. Rowand, Springfield, Ohio.
 - W. Lee Wilson, Dallas.
 - R. V. Frost, Dallas.
 - H. G. Williams, Necessity.
 - Harry Katz, Houston.
 - R. B. McGee, Houston.
 - A. Weinstein, New York.
 - F. G. Lunt, Kansas City.
 - E. Tarrant and wife, Fort Worth.

- MAJESTIC.
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- Mrs. A. W. Hordford, New York.
- S. Jackson, Fort Worth.
- Mr. and Mrs. Moffett, Dallas.
- V. A. Noble and wife, Necessity.
- J. H. Crossland, Breckenridge.
- E. V. Malloy, New York.
- H. C. Alexander, Breckenridge.
- H. D. Salmadge, Breckenridge.
- E. Kavanaugh, Fort Worth.

- BERNARDO.
- C. C. Mameron, Dallas.
 - H. Johnson, Waco.
 - N. O. Huey, Mineral Wells.
 - Mrs. Joe Hopkins, Weatherford.
 - Miss Harley Miller, Weatherford.
 - C. W. Shaffer, Fort Worth.
 - V. A. Kennedy, Chattanooga, Texas.
 - S. E. Eakin, Pittsburg.
 - H. C. Walters, Pittsburg.
 - W. C. Bledsoe, Weatherford.
 - H. B. Finch, Weatherford.
 - S. V. Bragdan, Dallas.
 - Jewell Moore.
 - Frank Kammeidien, Oklahoma City.
 - Mr. and Mrs. Hills, Fort Worth.
 - Paul E. Vauns, Mingus.
 - H. H. Yates, Breckenridge.
 - Mrs. Ada Thorp, Dallas.
 - Clay Dunagan, Breckenridge.

LOUISIANA GROWERS MAY MAKE WINE FROM STRAWBERRIES NOW

WASHINGTON, March 29.—A permit to manufacture wine out of strawberries for non-beverage purposes was issued tonight to the Strawberry Growers' association of Louisiana by the bureau of internal revenue. Provision is made in the permit that no sugar shall be added to increase the alcoholic content of the product.

While no explanation was made by the bureau, officials said that the strawberry growers had appealed for permission to set up a winery to care for their surplus crop, estimated to be worth about \$5,000,000. Under the Volstead act, it was explained, it is legal to establish wineries for sacramental or medicinal purposes.

RANGER POLICE PASS ANOTHER QUIET NIGHT

Last night the sergeant at the police station sat in silence and in sorrow while the cold iron doors of the bastille changed not. At frequent intervals patrolmen on the beats would

phone in their "alls well," and the wickiest city in the state for the second time in a week went through twenty-four hours without a charge being made on the police blotter. Now and again the sergeant would yawn—read a few pages of pippy stories to keep awake and tell himself that the old "town is not what it once was."

And he is right. Capturing "jake heads" when there are any, is about the most exciting thing the "coppers" have to do.

The sergeant was sorrowful because a policeman is like any other man; he does not wish anyone trouble but he does love to see the business of the department flourishing.

ENCOURAGING A BARD.

"I can't use this poem of yours," said the editor of the Chiggersville Clarion.

"Why not?" asked the disappointed village poet.

"Well—er—I haven't room for it. But I'll tell you what I'll do, as long as you handed in a year's subscription with your manuscript, I'll put a little notice in our personal column stating that you have written some lines in which you show a firm grasp of spelling and punctuation."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Marriage licenses issued by County Clerk Earl Bender, Saturday, March 26.

B. Graffenreid and Miss Eugenia Finley, Eastland.

T. B. Thompson, Fort Worth and Miss Willie D. Jennings, Abilene.

Clint Cowser and Miss Thera Richardson, Leary.

Marriage licenses issued from March 21 to March 28:

Alvan Miller and Miss Grace Leona Gholston, Ranger.

C. A. Quiett and Miss Ruby Allen, Abilene.

Edward E. Brown and Miss Maude Grass, Ranger.

John B. Williams and Miss Mary Matten, Fort Worth.

Noey Nichols and Miss Isabel Aranda, Ranger.

S. R. Kidd and Miss Levenia Leavy (colored), Eastland.

G. DeGraffenreid and Miss Eugenia Finley, Eastland.

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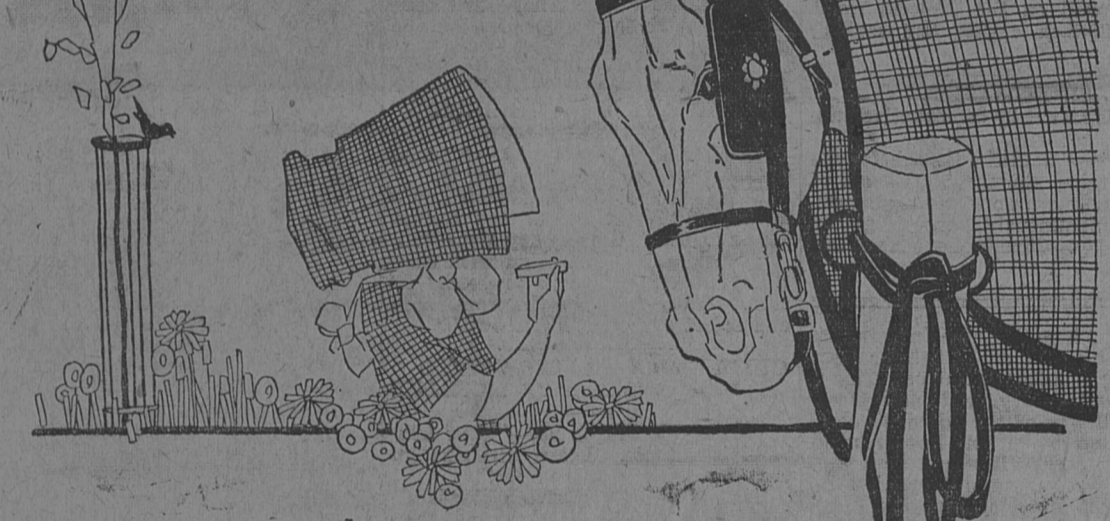
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Mary Jane and Old Baldface the Horse

ONE day the doctor came to see Mary Jane's mother and tied Old Baldface, his horse, up to the hitching post in front of the house. Mary Jane and Baldface were old friends, because he was with the doctor the night the stork brought Mary Jane in the big wicker basket. So Old Baldy said: "Have you anything good to eat left over from lunch?" And Mary said, "We had some wonderful, delicious corn bread for lunch—you wait here and I'll get you a piece."

together and sat there and visited until the doctor came out. Baldy told the doctor that Mary Jane was the best friend he had anyway, because nobody every gave him anything so delicious in all his life as that spread of corn bread with Mary Jane Syrup.

The doctor told Baldy that everybody ought to know about this, and it made people healthy, strong and ruddy—whether they were little girls and boys like Mary Jane and her brother Bobby, or whether they were grownups, like Mary Jane's mamma and papa and Grandma Susan.

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