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FIVE YOUTHS DIE IN CHAIR AT SING SING

Were New York Gangsters Convicted of Murder: Some Took it Easy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The state of New York today had taken the lives of five boys, who died in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison at midnight. One of them went to his death laughing, another smiling, the third protesting his innocence, the fourth calmly chatting to the guards and the fifth, wild with fright, his head banging helplessly.

10-YEAR-OLD BANDIT IS HANGED ON BIRTHDAY

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Nicholas Dianna, a member of the infamous Cardinale gang, which terrorized the Chicago North Side for many months before police broke it up, was hanged in the county jail here this morning on his nineteenth birthday.

AGED OKLAHOMA MAN SHOT DEAD BY HIGHWAYMEN

ATOKA, Okla., Dec. 10.—G. W. Bradley, aged 72 years, was shot to death last night by two armed highwaymen at Caney, ten miles south of here, while he was assisting a deputy sheriff in rounding up a gang of suspected men, who are believed to have committed a number of offenses here. One man was captured, but two others escaped, according to county authorities.

GRAND JURY CALLED TO PROBE WAR VET'S DEATH

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Dec. 10.—Circuit Judge Sorrells today called a special session of the grand jury to meet at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning to investigate the murder of William Chaney, an automobile salesman and overseas veteran, who was found dead of a gunshot wound near the scene of a collision between his automobile and another.

TEXAS U. STUDENT WINS PRIZE IN ARCHITECTURE

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 10.—First prize in a contest in architectural design conducted by the Beaux Arts Institute of New York City was won by H. C. Heath of Austin, a junior student in the department of architecture of the University of Texas. Practising architects and students from leading colleges of architecture competed in the contest, and for that reason considerable honor is attached to the award.

ROMANIAN SENATE BOMBED; TWO KILLED, MANY WOUNDED

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Minister of Public Works Greescu of Rumania and Bishop Radu were killed and two other members of the ministry were wounded by a bomb which was thrown into the senate chamber, said a Central News dispatch from Budapest today. The authors of the outrage escaped.

ANOTHER PROPAGANDA WAR

DUBLIN, Dec. 10.—Michael Collins, commander-in-chief of the Irish republican army, today defied the British government, declaring that Great Britain is trying to make peace through propaganda.

Tremendous Scope of Power Plant Creates Manufacturing Section

Three Hundred Visitors Awed By Magnitude of Enterprise; Largest of Kind in Southwest; Mayor Hagaman Speaks.

By ERNEST W. SPARKS.

"Poets dream and practical men build," was a statement made at the banquet yesterday given by the officials of the Oil-belt Power company at the formal opening of its plant on the Leon river, at which 300 citizens of the cities that will be served by the electric current generated were in attendance, as guests of the company.

The vision was written into the blue prints and from the prints has become a reality. Across rock strewn wooded hills, towers of steel have arisen that carry into Dublin, Ranger, Cisco, Eastland, Breckenridge and other towns, power to turn the wheels of factories and mills, and to run the pumps that will make the production of oil cheap and profitable.

DODGE CAR IS TRADE CARNIVAL GIFT TOMORROW

L. Cooper, an oil field worker, with the Pacific Oil and Gas company near Necessity, Friday noon was awarded the photograph which was the fourth weekly prize of the Holiday Trade Carnival, with the second number, 907,437.

TAFT WILL GIVE INSIGHT INTO U. S. POLICIES

When Ex-President Taft speaks here on next Thursday, Dec. 16, he will have for his subject, "Our Place Among the Nations," according to announcement from the bureau in charge of his tour.

WILLARD ADVOCATES CO-ORDINATION OF RAIL AND STEAMSHIP LINES

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Rail heads in the East were silent today upon the plan of co-ordinating all American railroads with other lines of transport, as advocated by Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

GARMENT WORKERS SCALE AGREED ON AT CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 10.—Present wages paid garment workers are to remain and steps are to be taken to assure every person employed in the trade a guarantee of forty-one weeks' pay for forty weeks' work each year.

FIRM FOR CONSTANTINE

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Greek government is recalling Constantine to the throne, said a dispatch to the London Daily Chronicle today.

RUTHLESS WAR WILL BE WAGED ON SINN FEIN

At Same Time, British Will Make Every Effort for Peace.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The British government has determined to wage ruthless warfare against the Sinn Fein extremists in Ireland but at the same time the widest possible effort will be made for peace, Premier Lloyd George announced in the house of commons today.

MARTIAL LAW IN COBK

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Martial law has been declared in Cobk and a number of other Irish cities.

RANGERS HAVE QUIET TIME ON CITY STREETS

No Arrests Made Since Arrival of Company Tuesday Night.

Ranger Captain Blackwell and his company of men have been in the city for three days and thus far have made no arrests.

BUSY NIGHT FOR RANGERS AROUND BRECKENRIDGE

BRECKENRIDGE, Dec. 10.—Rangers waged an active campaign against law violators here last night, as a result of which thirteen men are in jail.

HOUSTON NEWSPAPER SUES NATIONAL GUARD OFFICERS FOR DAMAGE

HOUSTON, Dec. 10.—Suit for \$25,000 damages was filed here today against Col. Bill Mayfield of the Texas National Guard and three lieutenants by the Houston Press on behalf of its editor, G. V. Saunders.

WILSON ACCEPTS NOBEL PRIZE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—President Wilson today ennobled his acceptance of the Nobel Peace prize. The President directed the American minister to Norway to accept the award of the committee on his behalf.

HEIFER BREAKS RECORD; SHE WINS WORLD TITLE

FARGO, N. D., Dec. 10.—A North Dakota heifer, Caranation Pioneer Searis, No. 451,370, has broken the seven days' world record for butter fat production in the junior two-year-old class, producing in seven consecutive days 24,377 pounds of butter fat, the equivalent of 31.09 pounds of 80 per cent commercial butter, it was announced today by officials of the North Dakota Agricultural college.

Palo Pinto Jailer Shot In Hand During Melee With Highway Bandits

Sheriff and Jailer on Way Here From Thurber in Quest of Brazos Bank Robbers; Had Abandoned Car.

Charles W. Leird, jailer for Palo Pinto county, is lying in the local hospital this morning with a serious bullet wound in his left hand as the result of an attempt on the part of highwaymen to rob him and W. G. Abernathy, sheriff of Palo Pinto county, about 8:30 o'clock Thursday night on the Thurber road, some two and one-half or three miles out of this city.

USED BANDITS' CAR

Both Abernathy and Leird drove to this city in one of the two cars that the bandits had used in the Brazos bank robbery. It was found three or four miles southeast of Santa Anita when the posse of citizens organized immediately after the bank robbery, had pushed them too closely.

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CONVENTION AT RANGER AMONG LARGEST IN U. S.

PORTER A. WHALEY EXPECTS MORE THAN 2,000 TO ATTEND WEST TEXAS MEET.

CONGRESSMAN CHARGES FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS DUMP RADICALS HERE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Charges to the effect that foreign governments were financing the movement of radicals from several European countries to the United States, were made today by Representative Knolson, Republican of Minnesota, who opened the debate in the house today, when the Johnson bill, which favors the placing of a two-years' restriction on European immigration to this country, was introduced.

TWENTY-FIVE EARTH TREMORS REGISTERED IN HONDURAN TOWN

SAN SALVADOR, Dec. 10.—Terrific earthquakes occurred at Choluteca, southern Honduras, according to reports received here today, but details are lacking.

CALIFORNIA MOB LYNCHES THREE MEN

San Francisco Hoodlums Shot Three Officers; Had Brutally Assaulted Women.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Dec. 10.—Disobeying to await the processes of the law, a mob of 100 men swooped down upon the Sonoma county jail early today and overpowering the guard, seized Charles Valloto, Tarrance Pitts and George Barron, alias Boyd, the confessed slayer of Sheriff James A. Petray and two of his deputies, and hanged them to the limb of a tree, three-quarters of a mile from this city.

CHINESE FEAR U. S. HAS LINED UP WITH JAPAN

GENEVA, Dec. 10.—Further dissensions have been aroused in the League of Nations by Japan and it was understood that the Chinese delegation is sending a note of inquiry to Washington regarding the future attitude of the United States towards China.

GERMAN REVOLUTION MAY BE FORECAST BY STOPPING OF TRAINS

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The British foreign office today was without official confirmation of reports from Versailles that railroad communications between Belgium and Germany have been suspended since Thursday noon.

CLARA SMITH BELIEVED TO BE IN FORT WORTH NOW

EL PASO, Dec. 10.—Local officers who have been searching for Clara Smith, wanted in Ardmore, Okla., in connection with the death of Jake Hamon, expressed belief today that she had gone to Fort Worth to see friends and her attorneys before surrendering.

PADUCAH STATE BANK SUSPENDS BUSINESS

FORT WORTH, Dec. 10.—The F. & M. bank of Paducah posted a notice on its door this morning that it had suspended business of account of general conditions.

OUT OF TOWN BUYERS ARE COMING TO RANGER. A REASON! READ THE ADS. ASK FOR YOUR TRADE CARNIVAL TICKETS

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE.)

TREMENDOUS SCOPE OF POWER PLANT CREATES INDUSTRIAL SECTION

a monument at all. In the staid heart of those whose blood does not race at the vastness of big enterprises it is nothing more than a smoke stack built to provide a draft for the gas that is used as fuel under the boilers.

But to Colonel M. A. Baker, president of the Oilbelt company, or to W. B. Head, his assistant, or to J. E. Lewis, its vice-president who are the builders, it is a statue to the romance of creating a great project.

Colonel Baker Toastmaster. At the luncheon which followed the inspection of the plant, Colonel Baker was toastmaster. Mr. Lewis welcomed the guests and Mr. Head, in behalf of the officials delivered the main address of the day. Other speakers were: Mayor M. H. Hagaman and H. E. Cole of Ranger, Joe Burkett, C. U. Connelley and County Judge C. R. Starnes, of Eastland; J. M. Cochran of German and B. J. Pittman of DeLeon.

Mr. Head declared that the builders of the Oilbelt power plant were not actuated wholly by the desire to make money, but the desire to create, to erect something where there had been nothing before was the urge which was responsible for the plant that is now serving current to many towns and communities. In this plant, according to the speaker, has gone many dollars of many persons' money, but it is there because the scheme is fundamentally sound. He declared that for months the project was gone over and the greatest expert in the United States was brought and his advice asked before a dollar was spent, and he knew, and his officials knew, that forty years from now his company would be supplying power to pump oil from the ground in this field.

Make Industrial Center. Mr. Head appealed to the people of all the towns to co-operate to make this the greatest industrial center in the state. He declared that only by co-operation could it be done and cited the fact that only man had that power to get together. The speaker said that he and his company were a part of the section and its people and stood ready at any time to do their full share to help the section grow.

From Mr. Head's speech, Mayor Hagaman declared that there should arise an inspiration that would forever cast out any doubt that here was going to be a community that would always be prosperous. With the coming of cheap electric power and with cheap fuel, that is already present in quantities, Mayor Hagaman said, he could see visions of cement plants, brick yards, cotton mills, and factories, to be erected and the produce from the country's natural resources. The speaker said that here was ample material for the making of brick and cement and that here was raised the cotton to provide mills with raw materials. Around the Oilbelt Power company's plant, he said, he had visions of seeing these things arise. Mayor Hagaman also asserted that co-operation was the keynote of progress.

"Hub" Buttons. With the idea in mind, as always, of letting folks know where they were from, the Ranger delegation was wearing the coat buttons of the Retail Merchants' association. No other visitors had distinguished themselves. Being something in the nature of a man without a home, E. S. Shannon, manager of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, was promptly given a badge by J. E. T. Peters, manager of the local Chamber.

The Ranger folks were taken in charge by Gifford Clegg, manager of the Oil Cities Electric company and were guided about over the plant under his personal supervision.

About thirty local men were in attendance at the luncheon, which was served in the mess hall that was used by the workmen building the plant and was cooked and served by the regular attendants.

CHRISTMAS SEALS WILL GO ON SALE MONDAY

Christmas seals will go on sale over Eastland county Monday, according to plans of Judge Temple Peters of the Chamber of Commerce, who is in charge of the distribution of the seals in this county. The judge is not worried over the success of the campaign, he being an efficiency expert in the matter of placing the little attachments for Christmas mail. In fact he says the county's quota is assured before the sale begins. The Eastland county quota is \$1,200, or 1,200 seals, which will be prorated \$300 to Ranger, \$250 each to Eastland and Cisco, and \$400 for the rest of the county. By placing the stamps in the hands of teachers and school children, they will be disposed of in one day, the judge expects.

Proceeds of the Christmas seal sale will be used in waging the fight against tuberculosis, as in former years. The custom of attaching these little stickers to Christmas packages has grown from year to year, until nowadays, nothing seems officially Christmasy without them.

SOCIETY

MRS. BURDEN ENTERTAINS.

The Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Burden at her home in Young addition. About fifteen ladies enjoyed an interesting and inspiring talk by Archdeacon Virden of Dallas. During the social hour which followed, dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Palmer.

The next meeting of the Guild will be at the home of Mrs. Conway. All members and friends are cordially invited to be present.

PERSONALS.

D. B. Wilner returned to Ranger from a trip to Breckenridge.

Misses Lydia Miller, Bobby Line, Selma Goode, June Hughes and Myrtle Weeks spent the week-end in Abilene.

B. Chastain of the C. & A. store returned today from Breckenridge from a several days business trip.

MERRIMENT ABOUNDS AT POLICE BALL

The opening square dance at the policemen's ball held last night at the Summer Garden became an intermingling of whirling folks, laughter, and John H. Moore's fog horn voice, that was only quieted by the violent noise of Chief of Police Cooper's cat-rise tie. It is said that the dance would have been a debacle—if you know what that means—if it hadn't been for that tie. Its very violence stilled the multitude as though a fairy wand had been waived.

But there was a reason for that adornment. The chief wanted to make a speech and he had to have

something that would hypnotize the dancers while he spoke. His scheme worked. Fascinated, the dancers gazed on the work of art around the chief's neck. They may not have remembered what he said—possibly didn't—but anyone of them can remember that tie. They couldn't forget it, for that matter. Things like that neckgear happen but once in a lifetime.

Square Dance a Scream. But that square dance—it was a scream—a scramble—and a laughing mixup that was enjoyed by the thousand or two dancers and guests that stormed the Summer Garden and tried to break in. It was while this was going on that Colonel Jim Hunt sneaked over in the corner and did his "Buck and Wing" solo for a few close friends.

"The selfish thing" was an indictment that was laid upon him. The colonel, however, had an alibi. He declared that there was not room in the hall for his feet and all those dancers, too. However, being a po-

liceman the colonel is entitled to his feet.

Hogged His Act. He also stated that a young lady in cap and overalls hogged his act. This may be a defamation, but at any rate the young lady entertained "those present" for several minutes with a real old buck and wing clog dance.

As an entertainment the dance was a success. Everybody laughed and lanced until they had enough. As a source of securing funds for the "coopers" uniforms it was a greater success. With the amount of money realized, together with the amount given them by the city commission, the new uniforms will be entirely paid for.

Cleveland distances Cincinnati in population, but Cincinnati is ahead in the matter of kick in its beer.—Minneapolis Tribune.

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PROGRAM

LIBERTY—"The Valley of Tomorrow," also "The Lion Man," and Snub Pollard in "Any Old Port."

LAMB—Louise Glaum in "Love Madness," and Bathie Review.

TEMPLE—George Walsh in "The Plunger," also "A Naughty Night."

MAJESTIC—Norton's Comedians present "Painted Lady," also "Forbidden Valley" and Country Store Attraction.

BAR OF SOAP NEVER FOUND ON REAL HOBO

But Workmen Who Ride on Freights Always Have One in Pocket.

A bar of soap, according to the police department, is the distinguishing feature between a virgin tramp and a man who is only saving his increment by riding freight trains.

The tramp never has soap in his possession when arrested, they say. He never has any desire to remove the dirt. But the other class is always found with a bar of soap. They may be without funds, tobacco, or other material assets, but they always manage to have the little cleaning agency. This, according to officers is because when they reach their destination the first thing they want to do is get clean. Other than the inherent desire for cleanliness, they know that a dirty face has a poor opportunity of connecting with a job.

Another thing, the police say that it is rare for a man to be arrested for vagrancy who has a clean face and hands. In nearly every case the arrest is made before a chance has been had to wash up.

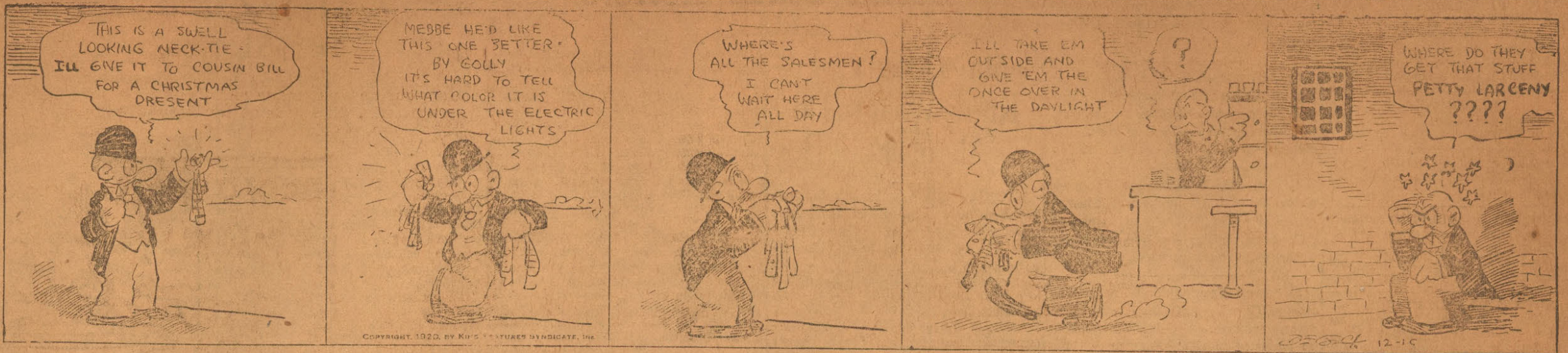
Since war has been declared on the drifters only one virgin tramp has been caught. He had no soap—didn't want any and had the appearance of considering it his mortal enemy, to be avoided as one would a pestilence.

Many of the other class however, have come to the police station and their collection of soap runs from the highly scented kind to the poorest yellow bar of laundry soap, and when they are released it is one possession that they always ask for.

FAME OF STREET GANG SPREADS, POLICE SAY

Arrests under vagrancy charges are growing less and less. Within the past day or two such charges have been very few. It is thought by the police department that this scarcity is caused by the fact that all men convicted on this charge are placed on the street gang and made to work out their fines. This fact spreads the police say, until it makes the drifters very careful as to how they stop in Ranger.

The Inside Is the Safest Side for Barney—



MORTUARY

MRS. EDITH MUNNELL.
Mrs. Edith Munnell, 30 years old, died Thursday in the Ranger hospital. The body was sent yesterday by the Milford Undertaking company to Cannonsburg, Pa., for burial. An infant, six weeks old, survives her.

The former German emperor has written a book, the closing pages of which are devoted to a defense of his own course, and placing the blame for the World War upon Great Britain.

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VILNA IS KEY TO EUROPEAN PEACE OR WAR

By Associated Press
DANZIG, Dec. 10.—Vilna, which the former Russian general, Zeligowski, recently occupied with troops of the Polish army, has figured in the aspirations of Polish expansionists for nearly 700 years. The Free State of Danzig is interested in the outcome of the campaign for possession of the city because it is felt here that Vilna is the strategic point upon which will always hang the issue of peace or war. (The League of Nations decided at its first assembly in Geneva to send an international force to Vilna to enable the people of that city to decide what their nationality shall be.)

What its possession means to the Poles is indicated by recounting some of its turbulent history.
700 Years Old.
 Vilna was founded by Prince Godimit of Lithuania, who reigned from 1315 to 1340, and, with Kiev, it formed an important part of Southern Russia. Godimit and King Wladislaw of Poland united in a war against the order of German Knights, but it was not until nearly 400 years later that the two countries established a common kingdom. This was at Horodlo on the Bug river and here the rulers of the two lands co-operated in deciding all important issues.

There was a complete union of Poland and Lithuania in 1569, as far as all state affairs were concerned, and this continued until the end of the eighteenth century. Although Lithuania was divided into six governmental subdivisions in 1795 and was under the rule of Russia, a writer in the Danzig Zeitung says, "Vilna's sympathies remained with Poland."

Vilna was occupied by Russian "red" troops in the summer of last year and twice changed hands during the Polish-Russian campaign this year. It has been called the capital of Lithuania but the writer in the Danzig Zeitung says the number of Poles in and around Vilna

probably would decide the issue in Poland's favor.
 In conclusion he believes there is no question but Poland will seek to re-establish the boundaries existing before Poland's first division in 1772. The state of Danzig is interested in an early stabilization of Poland's eastern boundary to give Danzig an opportunity to begin working out its economic problems.

GREEKS TO AID REFUGEES.

By Associated Press.
SALONIKI, Dec. 10.—Twenty thousand Greek refugees from Russia are on their way here and are to be cared for in a camp outside the city. The first shipment of 3,000 arrived recently and a like number will come each week.
 The refugees' work is in the hands of the American Red Cross. The Greek government will allot to these refugees land in Macedonia and will give them on credit livestock and agricultural implements for which they must pay in several years. The land will be free.

MEXICO EXPORTS SUGAR.

By Associated Press.
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 10.—Encouraging reports have been received here from the states of Sonora and Sinaloa, where the return of prosperity is noted by the announcement that these states expect to export 15,000 carloads of agricultural products to the United States within the next few months.
 It is said that the state of Sinaloa will have at least 2,000 tons of refined sugar available for export. The railroads of the region are making great effort to provide the necessary transportation facilities.

For Sale At a Bargain

One 2½-ton Highway Trailer, in good condition, only used about 4 months. See

BRINKLEY EVANS

Office No. 57, McCleskey Hotel.

ONE PLACE WHERE WAGES CAN'T COME DOWN MUCH

PORT AU PRINCE, Dec. 10.—There is no high labor market in Haiti. The man working by the day gets one gourd, which is 20 cents, and sometimes a gourd and a half. Cooks are to be had without advertising. Most of them earn \$1.50 a week, and in addition get six cents a day on which to feed themselves,

and their flock. You do not have to include car fare in the weekly wage down here.

At some points in the interior, wages for cooks are even lower. Many of them live in mahogany houses, at that.

Haiti's population is estimated around 2,500,000. Ninety-seven per cent of these people are classed as illiterate, which may account for the size of the pay envelope.

MISSIONARY'S SLAYER SEEKS SAFETY IN JAPAN

By Associated Press.
PEKING, Dec. 10.—General Chang Chingyao, whose troops murdered Rev. W. A. Reimert, missionary of the Reformed Church Mission, at Yochow, last June, and for whose trial and punishment the American Legation has been pressing the Chinese Foreign office, is reported to have escaped from China and gone to Japan.

In response to the Legation's representations, the Chinese authorities had ordered the arrest of General Chang, and he was alleged to be in the custody of General Wang Chan-ran, military governor of Hupeh, pending trial. He already had been required to pay over to the Mission an indemnity of \$45,000. The legation is now informed that General Chang has secretly left China.

NOTICE

To those who pledged to the First Baptist church on Dec. 5th, please fill out and forward to W. H. Johnson, 413 Walnut St., Ranger, Texas, the following blank:

In compliance with my pledge of Dec. 5th, I agree to pay The First Baptist Church,

Cash \$.....
 Jan. 5th, 1921.....
 Feb. 5th, 1921.....
 Mar. 5th, 1921.....
 Name.....
 Address.....



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We have arranged to distribute the famous Stone's Cake and will be glad to show you the line. One bite will make you a regular user. The price is 15c. See them on display in our window.

BUTTER

You only use a little each meal and you will use less Palfurrias, because it is made from pure Jersey Cream. Ask your neighbor if she ever got a pound that was rancid. She uses it. A few cents higher, 50 per cent better.

Saturday Specials

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- \$3.50 can Pure Maple Syrup.....\$2.75
- \$1.10 can Pure Maple Syrup......60
- 1 gallon Royal Syrup......60
- 1 gallon Mary Jane......60
- 20c can Sweet Corn......10
- 20c can Kraut......10
- 35c can Peaches......18
- 25c jar Sweet Relish......18
- 15c Del Monte Pork & Beans, 3 for......25
- 60c jar Pure Standard Honey......49
- 7 Bars Clean Easy Soap......25
- 6 bars White Laundry Soap......25
- 35c Bottle Tomato Catsup......24
- Genuine Country Eggs......80
- Extra Special, New Potatoes......15

COFFEE

- Hill Bros......65
- Chase & Sanborn......60
- 2 1-2 lb. King of Cup......96
- Our Standard, High Grade......35
- Fresh Ground, Restaurant Special......29
- Arbuckle, bulk ground......24

FANCY GROCERIES

- Sunshine Fruit Cake.....1.35
- Heinz Fig Pudding, large......80
- Heinz Plum Pudding, large......60
- Heinz Sweet Midget Gherkins......55
- Shelled Pecans.....1.40
- Shelled Walnuts.....1.40
- Shelled Almonds.....1.35
- Powdered Sugar......20
- Brown Sugar......20
- Maple Sugar......38
- Cross & Blackwell Tarragon Vinegar......60
- Candied Cherries.....1.15
- Candied Pineapple.....1.20
- Figs, White Washed, pkg......25
- Andy Gumps "Caviar," can......85
- Swiss Cheese, Fancy imported carton.....1.10
- Shrimp, wet or dry, 30c and......35
- Mushrooms, Genuine Buttons.....1.10
- Crab Meat, whole white......65
- Lobster, fresh Gaspe......65
- Purity Cross, 50c Chop Suet......40
- Purity Cross Creamed Spaghetti......35
- Purity Cross Welsh Rabbit......49
- Purity Cross Chicken a la King......35
- Purity Cross Plum Pudding......29

MEAT DEPARTMENT

The housewife should not worry about her Sunday dinner. We invite you in to inspect our Fancy Meats of all kinds. We also invite the public to inspect the Most Sanitary Meat Boxes in Ranger.

BEEF CUTS

- Beef Roast......25
- Spencer Roll Roast......35
- Beef Stew......15
- Round Steak......33
- Loin Steak......35
- Porter House Steak......40

VEAL CUTS

- Veal Loin......20
- Veal Roast......22½
- Veal Stew......17½
- Veal Cutlets......35
- Veal Porterhouse......40
- Veal Chops......30

LAMB CUTS

- Lamb Leg......35
- Lamb Shoulder......25
- Lamb Stew......20
- Lamb Chops......35

PORK CUTS

- Pork Sausage......28
- Pork Ham Roast......25
- Pork Chops......33
- Fresh Pork Hearts......15
- Pork Liver......12½
- Pork Melts......15
- Tongues......30
- Spare Ribs......25
- Pork Tendons......65
- Pork Brains......25

SMOKED MEATS

- Swift Premium Skinned Hams, small......35
- Swifts Premium Bacon......60
- Swifts Premium Bacon strip 4-6 lb......52
- Boiled Hams......65
- Good Smoked Bacon......35
- Cured Ham, sliced......50
- Compound Lard......17½

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What a beautiful kingdom he rules over at Valliant's Toyland. Thousands of toys to dazzle the eyes. You can't help saying at every step, "Gee, gee, whizikee, am I dreaming?"

You should see the autos, flexible flyers. Do they fly? Does a bird fly? More fun than a barrel of monkeys! Listen! Do you know they have 'em for babies? Cute and cozy. Wagons? Well, yes. All kinds of colors. Built for joy-riding. And games, oh, boy! Just look at this long list:

- Electric Tree Lights and Decorations.
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- Bicycle and Motor Wheels.
- Doll Buggies.
- Tricycles.
- Books of All Kinds.
- Automobiles.
- Dolls, Doll Dishes, Doll Furniture, etc.

- Mechanical Toys of Every Make.
- Toy Tanks with Guns.
- Kitchen Outfits and Pool Tables.
- Electrical Trains.
- Toy Phonographs That Play.
- Piano Players that Play.
- Guns of All Descriptions.
- Antiques, Chinese Souvenirs.

VALLIANTS TOYLAND

In New Hodges & Neal Bldg.

210 Main Street

West Texas League Meet to Be Held at Abilene Sunday

The meeting of club owners of the West Texas league, which has been called by President Walter Morris for Abilene Sunday afternoon, will be attended from Ranger by Rex C. Outlaw and W. E. Burke. It is expected that at the meeting new members will make an effort to get into the league in order that it will be an eight club circuit.

Amarillo and Lubbock have placed sufficient money in their local banks to guarantee any financial requirements if they are admitted, it is said. However, Mr. Outlaw is of the opinion that neither city's application will be accepted because of their inaccessibility. His opinion is that the two logical cities that should be admitted are San Angelo and Breckenridge, but he does not know whether either place has placed an application.

Stamford, it is said, has been asked to send a representative to the meeting with power to sign for a berth if the league is increased to eight clubs. It is expected that the circuit will be finally perfected Sunday. In the final details arrangements will be made to eliminate long jumps between cities because of the heavy expense that attaches to such moves.

President Morris will be in Ranger today, en route to Breckenridge, where he will talk over the matter of that city's entrance into the league.

SINCLAIR NEWS

A 500 party was given by Mrs. E. R. Johns in honor of Mr. Johns' birthday, at their home Wednesday night. Refreshments were served and prizes awarded. Those present were Maes, W. E. Morrison, N. A. Spencer, W. I. McCullough, H. F. Blackburn, J. L. Wheatley, G. T. Bowman, Miss Morine Bowman, Christine Coffey, Messrs. N. A. Spencer, W. I. McCullough, H. F. Blackburn and H. L. Hense.

Mrs. Dal Clark left Wednesday night for Oklahoma City where she will visit relatives. Mr. Clark will leave shortly to join his wife.

HEAVY FREIGHT MOVES FASTER BY WATER THAN RAILROADS CARRY IT

By Associated Press
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 10.—Two boats lashed to barges carrying more than 10,000 tons of steel from Pittsburgh to New Orleans are afloat on America's mightiest inland waterways—the Ohio and Mississippi rivers—indicating to a degree, rivermen say, the greatest revival of river traffic since 1887.

Curiously enough one of the reasons given for it is that it is a time saver, notwithstanding the greater distance than by rail. Favorable differ-

ences in freight rates and the shortage of railroad cars also enter into the situation, while completion of locks and dams are expected to give the traffic greater assurance of stability, and more ease of operation.

AUSTRIA MAY TAKE OVER SUGAR, OIL AND SPIRITS

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—Sugar, petroleum and spirits have been added to the list of commodities in which the government would hold a monopoly under the terms of the new finance measure.

Finance Minister Grimm estimates the present deficit at 25,000,000,000 crowns, as against 11,000,000,000 last year, and he declares it is necessary to increase the number of commodities under government control.

SPECIAL For Saturday

10 lb. Sugar for \$1.00

- Mistletoe Butter, lb.65c
- Seedless Raisins, box30c
- Seeded Raisins, box30c
- Fresh Pig Hams, 4 to 6 lbs., Per lb30c
- Pure Pork Home-made Sausage30c

Limited quantity of fresh country butter

—We have installed a Hobert Bone Grinder—green bones make hens lays eggs—give them a trial.

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Two Doors North of Liberty Theatre
Briston's Java and Mocha Coffee—Fleishman's Yeast

Hunting Bargains in Ranger

Bargains discovered in trips through Ranger shops and department stores are here presented briefly, for the benefit of Times readers.

The Poe Beauty Parlor is now being installed in the Agnes Dillard Shop and equipped with additional apparatus. Mid-season hats are here in new satin and broadened combinations. A clever turban of rich brown satin and broadened satin is trimmed with gray squirrel fur, which may be removed for spring wear without marring the appearance of the hat. Another good model is of gray satin with mole underfacing for the roll brim. This shop will make to order children's hats and baby bonnets of any design.

For today and tomorrow only at the Richardson-Brown company, high shoes in different styles and colors, as well as pumps in satin, suede and beaded kid will be sold for \$3.95 per pair.

The Silk Art Shop has some values in hand embroidered Madeira handkerchiefs at 75c each. A full line of bathrobes in velvet corduroy in all the bright colors are priced from \$6.95 to \$18.50. Also some camisoles in crepe de chine, satin and georgette are priced at 75c and up.

Saturday and Monday are the last days of the \$2.00 per yard silk sale at the J. M. White company.

OUR GREAT SALE OF MEATS

IS STILL GOING ON

Look at These Big Specials

- Potatoes, per lb.3c
- Eggs65c
- Butter60c
- Pork Roast23c
- Pork Chops32c
- Round Steak23c
- Spare Ribs23c
- Pork Hearts17 1-2c
- Spring Chicken38c
- Fancy Young Hens35c

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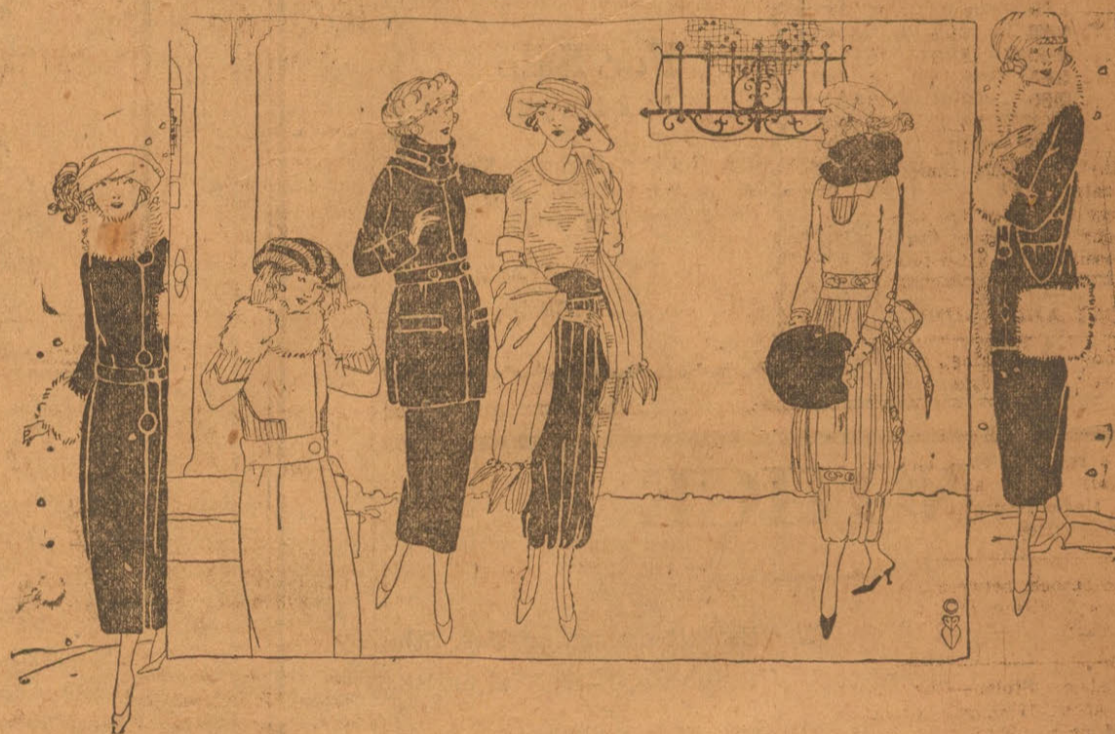
Main at Rusk Street

Opportunity Days Are Here at the Silk Art Shop's Great

CLOSING OUT SALE

Eager shoppers daily, are taking advantage of the splendid money-saving opportunities this remarkable sale affords. Everything in the house has been marked at very low prices to insure their prompt disposal. We are positively quitting business in Ranger. We ask you to compare values offered here with those anywhere in Texas. We know they cannot be duplicated.

With Prices as Low as These, You Can Well Afford to Buy That Suit---Now



—Charming Suits at prices such as we are asking are seldom seen, even in these days of lowered prices. Included are the season's most fashionable materials, cleverly adorned in beaded or embroidered trimmings.

Suits formerly sold at \$60, \$65 and \$75, grouped in one special group at— **\$32.95** Everyone a this season's arrival, carefully tailored of best materials and a big value.

Every Suit in Stock Must Go Regardless of Cost

You Can Buy Beautiful Dresses Here for \$11.95

—These dresses are selling at very much below what we paid for them. However, that doesn't matter. We are going to close out the entire lot at \$11.95 regardless of what that means to us. If you buy one you're getting a bargain.

Beautiful Silk and Wool Dresses, formerly sold as high as \$45. All must go now, for only **\$11.95** If you need a Dress, you can't possibly find a better place to buy it than this sale.

One of These Sweaters Will Make Some Woman a Most Acceptable Gift

You can afford to give your friends one of these sweaters, a gift certain to be appreciated. Every known shade, style and pattern is included in these groups. Here are the prices:



- \$17.50 Sweaters on sale at \$10.95
- \$9.50 Sweaters on sale at \$3.95
- \$12.50 Sweaters on sale at \$ 7.45
- \$8.00 Children's Sweaters, only \$3.25

Ideal Christmas Gifts Are These Drawn Work Pieces

—Genuine Mexican Hand Made Drawn Work, ideal gifts for Christmas and all on sale at the low prices listed here. Any woman will appreciate one of these dainty gifts, and you will save money by giving them.

- \$14.50 Table Cloths, now \$5.95
- \$2.50 Collars, now99
- \$7.50 Center Pieces, now \$3.95
- \$1.95 Collars, now89
- \$1.00 Center Pieces, now39
- \$6.50 Aprons, now \$2.29
- 25c Center Pieces, now10
- \$1.50 Caps, now49

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The Candy Store

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U. S. AGRICULTURAL METHODS TO BE MODEL FOR CZCHO-SLOVAKS

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—American agricultural methods, particularly co-operative marketing methods, will furnish much of the basis on which the Czech-Slovak republic will build its agrarian policy, according to two representatives who have just completed a visit to Chicago.

John Loebel, an agricultural expert of the Czech-Slovak department of agriculture, is making a tour of the United States securing information for use in his own country.

The first six months of next year will be spent at Washington, where M. Loebel expects to obtain much valuable information from the department of agriculture.

"The United States, even in war time, made remarkable progress in agriculture," M. Loebel said. "We are anxious to know how this country organizes its agriculture so quickly and so efficiently. Your business methods are wonderful. Here you make money—in Europe they raise crops only to feed their families."

EX-SOLDIERS SEIZE HOUSE PUT ON MARKET FOR SALE

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Scarcity of houses in the East Ham district has led the local branch of the National Union of Ex-Servicemen to take "direct action" in regard to empty houses marked "to be sold."

They have taken possession of one of these houses without consent of the owners, and two ex-servicemen and

their families are now installed in it. The seizure was made in conjunction with the People's Protection League and the East Ham Trades Council.

"All houses marked 'to be sold' shall be considered as being marked 'to let,'" said the secretary of the former servicemen's union. "There is no fear of eject-

ment because the applicants are willing to pay the rent, and further, in the event of any action by the owner, in court or out of court, we should have the support of the East Ham Labor Council.

"This is the third house we have taken, and we shall continue to take such houses until there is not one left."

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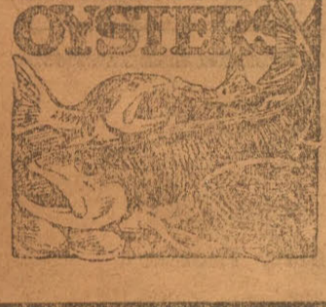
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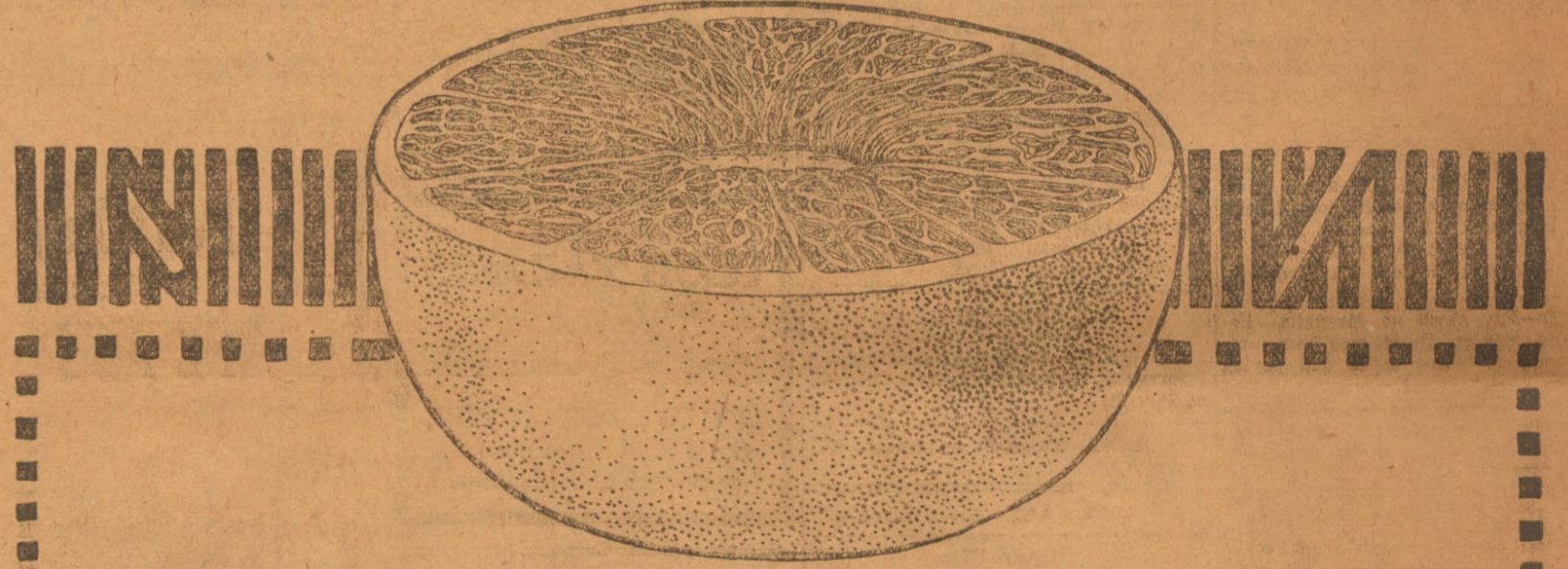
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No. 2 1/2 Del Monte Grated Pineapple .47
No. 2 Del Monte Grated Pineapple .38
No. 1 Del Monte Grated Pineapple .23
No. 2 1/2 Morris Supreme Brand Apricots .42
17 oz. Hirsch Chili Sauce .32
Heinz Worcestershire Sauce .31
Gallon Old Manse Maple Syrup 2.90
Half Gallon Old Manse Maple Syrup 1.50
Quart Old Manse Maple Syrup .80
Gallon Scudders Maple Syrup 3.10
Half Gallon Scudders Maple Syrup 1.60
Quart Scudders Maple Syrup .85
Pint Scudders Maple Syrup .45
Gallon Maple Karo 1.60
Half Gallon Maple Karo .82
Storage Eggs, per doz. .65
Fresh Eggs, per doz. .30
Mistletoe Butter, per lb. .63

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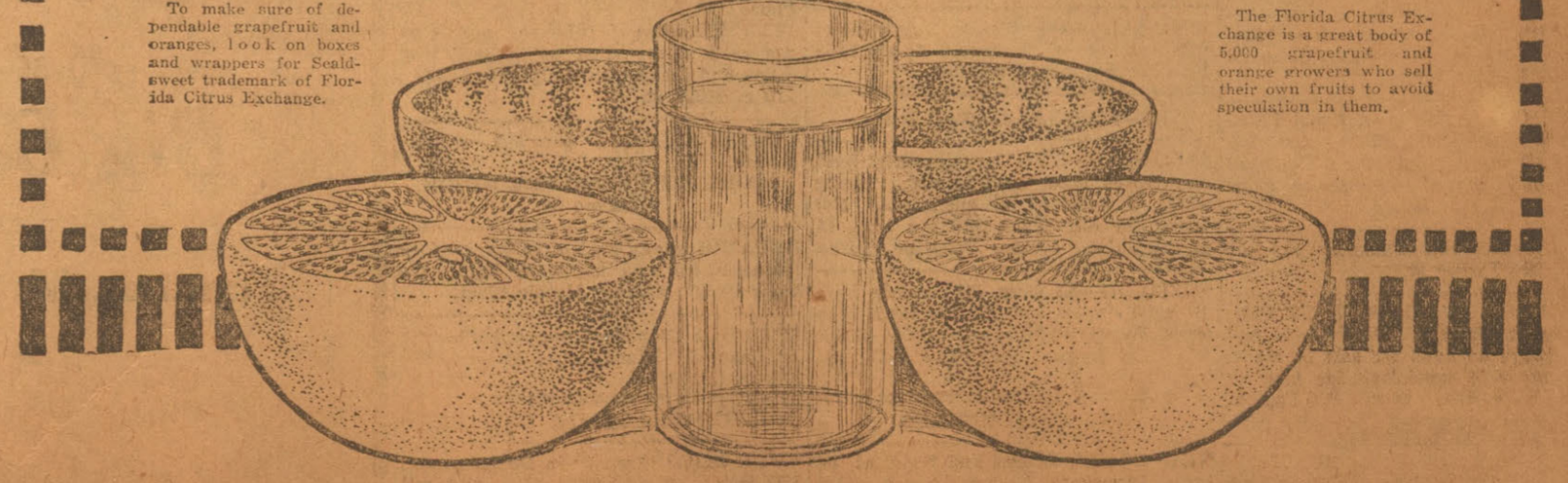
Cut crosswise a juicy, tree-ripened Sealdsweet orange; Squeeze out the juice with ordinary glass fruit squeezer; Add a few mint leaves or a cherry or two, if you wish; serve from a pitcher partially filled with cracked ice. This is a drink to refresh, cheer and strengthen—it will aid appetite and digestion. The food and health values of oranges are in the juice. Sealdsweet oranges are better because juicier. The greater weight tells.

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FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE



MAN SOUGHT BY DENVER POLICE COOLLY CHATTED WITH OFFICERS; NOW HELD IN EL PASO JAIL

DENVER, Dec. 10.—Did Fred Peterman, now under arrest in El Paso, Tex., awaiting extradition on a charge of assault to kill Joe Ferguson in Denver, Nov. 6, actually discuss his case with the Denver police while they were bending every effort to locate him?

Did he, through sending fake telegrams addressed to himself in other cities, lead the Denver police on a wild goose chase for three weeks?

Revelations which came to light Saturday indicate that he did.

But Mary Brown, 19 year old, pretty, and an inmate of the county jail, the only person who really knows, flatly refuses to tell.

"Did I send the fake telegram for him? And do I know whether he talked over his case with the police? Well, I won't tell—so there! It might incriminate me," she said when questioned at the county jail Saturday.

Refuses to Talk.

"The one thing I will say is this: That I am his wife. I want everyone to know it. But about the other things—well, there's no use asking me."

As Mary Brown, she was found guilty of vagrancy and sentenced to thirty days in jail Saturday, after Peterman's arrest. Letters she received from Peterman are believed to have given the police the clue by which they ultimately located him in El Paso.

The tale of the daring efforts of Peterman to befuddle the police in their search for him after the Ferguson shooting came to light Friday through the revelations of Attorney Omar Garwood.

"The day Ferguson was shot by one of two men who were attempting to rob his house," said Garwood, "I received a mysterious phone call from a man who asserted he was a relative of Earl Young, one member of the pair who had been captured.

"I told him to come to my office if he wished me to represent Young. He failed to appear, but on several occasions telephoned me about the case. He said that Mary Brown, a friend of Young, had been arrested on suspicion of being connected with the affair.

"I investigated and learned that the police believed her to be the wife of Peterman, Young's companion, who had escaped. Then they released her in the expectation that she would return at once to Peterman, and that they could find him by following her.

"The girl, I am told, discovered that she was being followed by detectives. So she went to the office of a telegraph company and sent a fake message to Peterman, addressed to Pueblo, Peterman, meanwhile, was said to have been in a Denver rooming house not a block from the telegraph office.

"The police intercepted the telegram and at once quit trailing the girl and sent a man to Pueblo to address given in the telegram. They discovered when they reached Pueblo that it was all a bluff.

"But it gave the girl the chance she sought, and she rejoined Peterman. Periodically thereafter the police received mysterious phone calls from a woman giving clues to Peterman's whereabouts which invariably proved false.

"Then the mysterious person who asked me to represent Young called me again by telephone. I told him I'd have nothing to do with the case unless he appeared in person and proved he had a legitimate interest in the affair.

"So that night an automobile called at my residence. A man who said his name was Brattan and who claimed to be Young's relative, asked to talk with me about the case. We started down to my office together.

"I asked to stop a moment at the Capitol Hill State bank. The machine halted in front of the Capitol Hill police station, next door to the bank. While

I was inside a patrolman strolled up to the car and conversed with the man.

"The man promised to come to my office the next day with a fee for my services. I never saw him again.

Conversed With Police.
"The other day I read in the newspapers of the capture of Peterman in El Paso. The story gave, among other aliases he had assumed, the name Brattan. Then it flashed over me that he and the mysterious stranger who had conversed with the police were one and the same man.

"He was located, I understand, through a letter she received from him. Immediately after his arrest she was arrested and sent to the county jail for vagrancy."

The girl, when questioned in her cell at the county jail Friday, refused to dis-

miss the methods by which the police were eluded.

"I don't want to say anything that would incriminate me," she said.

"But I want you to make it perfectly clear that I am Peterman's wife. The police have the records to prove it, but they don't know it. No, I won't say that Peterman is my husband's real name."

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Why Take a Chance?

—When you can go to a reputable concern where you are not only assured a square deal, but where you can buy for less than the so-called auction prices.

—For two years H. Fair has been selling diamonds in Ranger and is here to stay. I not only agree to save you money, but am willing to allow you full value in exchange on a diamond bought from me, and will loan you money on it at any time.

Just Taken Out of Pawn

—A wonderful selection of Diamonds, Diamond Bar Pins, Diamond Lavalliers, Diamond Ear Screws, as they come to me under market value, this saving I pass on to you.

—That's how I save you 25 to 35 per cent on the finest of diamonds.

H. FAIR

JEWELER AND PAWNBROKER.

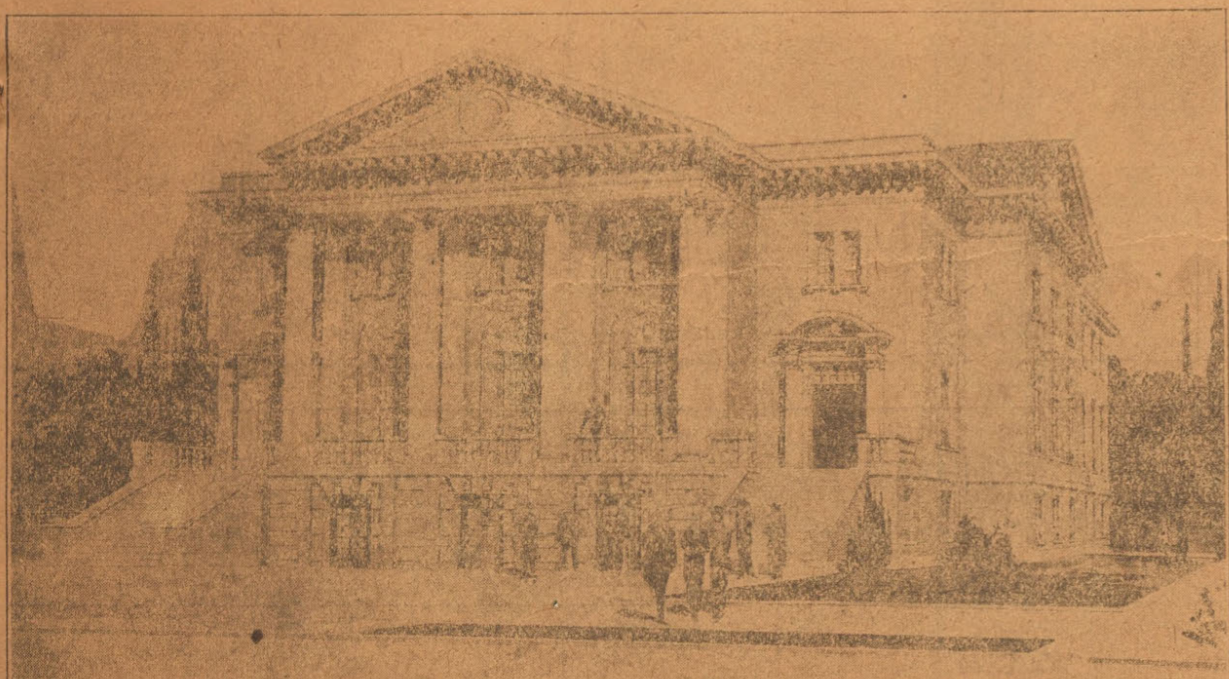
105 S. Rusk St. Opposite Majestic Theater.

METHODIST CHURCH

Ranger, Texas

When finally completed will be one of the finest church structures in Texas, costing approximately \$175,000.00

SERVICES WILL BE HELD IN THIS BUILDING SUNDAY, DEC. 12.



For the past six weeks it has not been possible to hold services in the new Church, but building operations have progressed to such an extent that services will be held

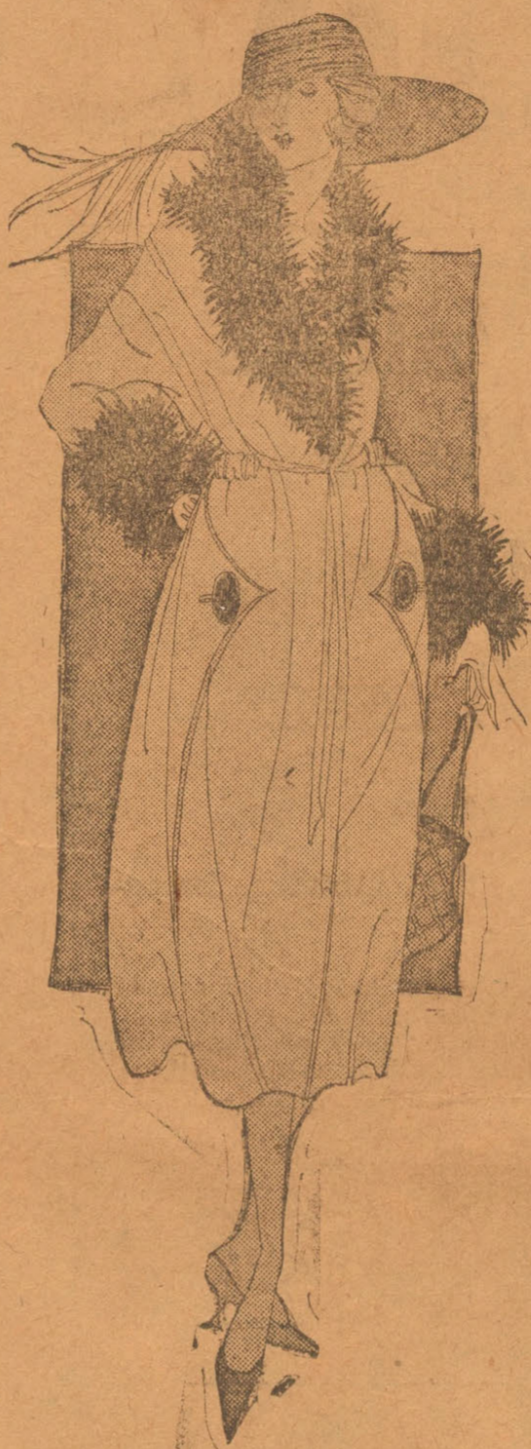
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beginning at 11 o'clock, and evening at 7 o'clock, and regularly thereafter at these hours, until further notice. Art glass windows have arrived and are in place, and the building can be comfortably heated. All Methodists are urged to resume church attendance, and other citizens of the community are cordially invited to worship with us.

Officers of the Church Are Urgently Requested to Be Present For the Installation Service

L. A. WEBB, Pastor.

Just When Every Woman Wants New Clothes Comes This Great Sale of Suits, Coats, Dresses At Half Price and Less



—Realizing that those who have put off their purchases until now are looking for something unusual in value, and feeling that just at the beginning of Winter is the right time for a sale, we have repriced our entire line of beautiful Suits, Dresses and Coats to less than cost.

Many women have been waiting for the lowest level that would be reached in suit reductions—well, here it is:

- \$32.50 Suits reduced to \$16.25
- \$49.50 Suits reduced to \$24.75
- \$75.00 Suits reduced to \$37.50
- \$125.00 Suits reduced to \$62.50

To say that these dresses are exceedingly low-priced is but to state a fact. The real truth of which you cannot fully realize until you see them. They are in every sense a collection of "Real Dresses." Serge, Tricotine, Velour, Satin, Charmeuse.

- \$24.50 Dresses reduced to \$12.25
- \$37.50 Dresses reduced to \$18.75
- \$45.00 Dresses reduced to \$22.50
- \$68.00 Dresses reduced to \$34.00
- \$94.50 Dresses reduced to \$47.25

This department's showing of new Coats embraces values that are incomparable. Of heavy, all-wool materials, in warm, heavy, roomy models; Velours, Silver-tones, Broadcloths and Fancy Coatings.

- \$25.00 Coats reduced to \$12.50
- \$39.75 Coats reduced to \$19.85
- \$47.50 Coats reduced to \$23.75
- \$67.00 Coats reduced to \$33.50
- \$80.00 Coats reduced to \$40.00

Ladies' Boots One-Third Off

- \$16.50 Boots reduced to . . . \$11.00
- \$15.00 Boots reduced to . . . \$10.00
- \$13.50 Boots reduced to . . . \$ 9.00
- \$12.00 Boots reduced to . . . \$ 8.00
- \$10.00 Boots reduced to . . . \$ 6.65
- \$ 9.00 Boots reduced to . . . \$ 6.00

Men's Shoes One-Third Off

- \$16.50 Shoes reduced to . . . \$11.00
 - \$15.50 Shoes reduced to . . . \$10.35
 - \$10.00 Shoes reduced to . . . \$ 6.65
 - \$ 8.50 Shoes reduced to . . . \$ 5.60
 - \$ 7.50 Shoes reduced to . . . \$ 5.00
 - Nettleton Shoes, black \$13.48
 - Nettleton Shoes, tan \$14.48
- All Sizes.

Everything for Men Reduced

Schloss Bros. and Styleplus Suits Made to Sell
Up to \$45.00

\$25.00

Schloss Bros. and Styleplus Suits Made to Sell
Up to \$65.00

\$35.00

HATS, SHIRTS, TIES, HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR—EVERYTHING REDUCED



Store open every evening until 9 o'clock until Christmas.

Richardson-Brown Co., Inc.

"The Place Where You Will Eventually Trade."

Outfitters to Every Member of the Family

GREAT PIECE GOODS SPECIAL

Complete line of Dress Goods, Beautiful patterns in Taffetas, Crepe de Chines, Satins, Georgettes, Messalines and all other silks at big, substantial reductions

\$5.00 Fabrics on sale at.....	\$3.50
\$4.50 Fabrics on sale at.....	\$2.95
\$3.50 Fabrics on sale at.....	\$1.75
\$2.50 Fabrics on sale at.....	\$1.50
\$1.50 Fabrics on sale at.....	\$.95

Silkline and Cretonne, regular 35c value for only.....	28c	Gingham, good quality 50c value, on sale at.....	25c
36-inch Percale, regular 50c values, per yard.....	25c	36-inch Black Muslin, good grade, only per yard.....	19c
36-inch Sheeting, good quality, for only, yard.....	14c	Good grade White Colored Oil Cloth, only.....	48c

After Months of Waiting, At Last It's Here, An Event

FREE, ABSOLUTELY FREE

—To the first fifty persons entering our store on this opening day, Saturday, December 11th, we will give a package containing from 35c to \$10.00 in merchandise. Santa Claus will give out the packages and will also have a present for every kiddie who attends. Be here when the doors open at 9 a. m.

JOSEPH DRY

"Ranger's Beautiful Nea

New Hodges-Neal Bldg.

GREAT "PRE-OP

Startling Big Values in Ladies' Wear

Fashionable New Fall and Winter

Coats, Suits and Dresses

At Extraordinary Low Prices

Best quality Tricolettes, Tricotine, Serges, Chamostine, Frostline, Broadcloth, Silvertones, Velours, Satins—

Our Buyer has just returned from New York where he purchased great assortments of Ladies' Wear at the new low market prices. These garments we offer in this sale at almost unbelievable low prices. Besides saving money on these garments you get the newest fashion creations from the East, fresh from the maker; up-to-the-minute in accepted styles; every garment bought exclusively for this Big Sale.



1-2 ONE-HALF OFF 1-2
OUR REGULAR PRICES

Large assortments of ladies' undershirts, made of best quality satins, jerseys, taffetas in all new shades and patterns; now on sale at—

33 1-3 Per Cent Discount

A Sale Out-Stripping by Far Any Value Ranger, Eastland Cour

Saturday, December 11th, we open our doors to the public, for the first time waited long months to make this announcement, and it is only due to the building is entirely completed. We are proud of this wonderful store and marks a great advance in the mercantile progress of the city. Folks who store between Fort Worth and El Paso. We have spared no expense in maintain to become one of the foremost cities of Texas and we are investing the store she may well be proud of. To our many friends who have witnessed at the Winner Store, we urge you one and all to attend this great "Pre-Opening" every department, whether you care to purchase or not.

In this "Pre-Opening" Sale we have made every effort to give you a visit and a visit to this sale will convince you of the truth of this statement. We L. Douglas and Friedman Shelby Shoes, Stetson Hats, Society Brand and coats, suits and very fine dresses for women. Everything in the store will

Be Here When the Doors Open

Read Every Word of This Circular, Then C

Ladies' and Children's

SWEATERS

—in all the newest styles and colors—
All sizes—all on sale at—

One-third Off

Large Assortment of

QUALITY FURS

—Chokers, Stoles, Scarfs, Fur Coats—
every kind of popular fur, all go at—

One-half Price

Complete

CORSETS

—for every figure—
ties to fit you—all

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Ladies' Shoes at Special Low Prices

RED CROSS AND FRIEDMAN SHELBY HIGH GRADE SHOES

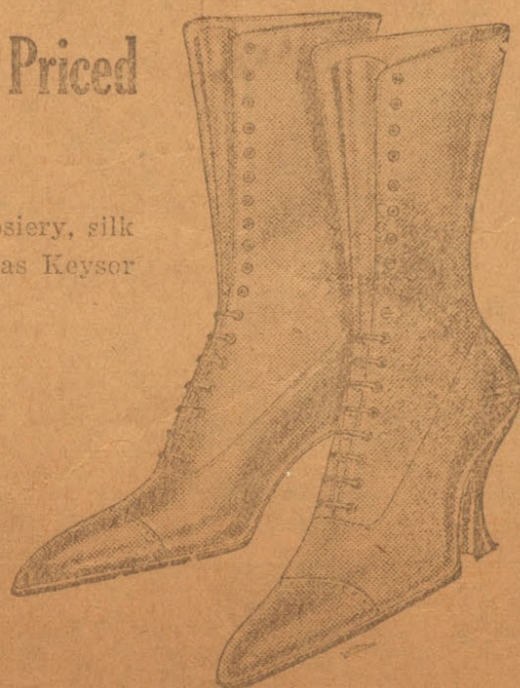
Experienced Shoe men will help you select the style, the last and size that suits you best. The stock is so large that you cannot help but find exactly what you want at a price you will be more than pleased to pay.

\$21.50 and \$22.50 Shoes for.....	\$13.95	\$12.50 and \$13.50 Shoes only.....	\$9.95
\$18.50 and \$19.50 Shoes for.....	\$12.95	\$ 9.50 and \$10.00 Shoes only.....	\$7.95
\$16.50 and \$17.50 Shoes for.....	\$11.95	\$ 6.50 Shoes on sale at.....	5.50

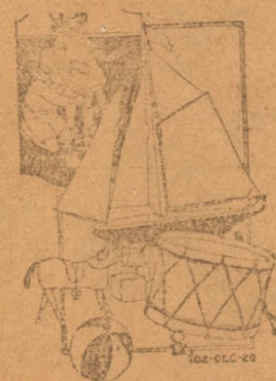
Ladies' and Children's Hose Priced Very Low

Complete stocks of Ladies and Children's Hosiery, silk and cotton, in such standard quality makes as Keyser and Onyx. All priced at very low prices.

\$5.00 Hose now.....	\$3.50
\$3.50 Hose now.....	\$2.50
\$2.50 Hose now.....	\$1.50
\$2.00 Hose now.....	\$1.25
\$1.50 Hose now.....	\$.95



Be Sure to Visit Our Toy Section Whether Young or Old, You'll Enjoy it.



Santa has designated our store as his Christmas Headquarters. Our buyer made large purchases of toys and Christmas articles while in the East, all to be offered in this sale at lowest possible prices. Come in and look over these wonderful stocks, whether you buy or not, you'll enjoy it.

Men's Overalls, heavy grade

\$1.95

Men's Work Shirts, blue and gray

98c

Men's Union Suits, ribbed

\$1.48

Boys' Overalls, Sizes 5 to 15

98c

Santa Claus V



Extra Special

Men's Leatherette Coats \$25.00 to \$28.00 values

for

\$15.95

Doors Will Open Promptly 9 A. M., Sat

We Give

Ranger Holiday Trade Tickets

with every \$1.00 purchase—
Save them, they are valuable.

Joseph Dry G

Ran

New Hodges-Neal Bldg.

Long to be Remembered in the History of Ranger

GOODS CO.

Department Store

208 Main Street

25 Salespeoples Wanted

We need extra salespeople for this sale. Experienced salespeople preferred, although not necessary, because the goods will practically sell themselves. If you have already left your address call in again, on or before Saturday morning, Dec. 11th.

SPECIAL MONEY SAVING ITEMS

FROM ALL OVER THE STORE

Low Prices on men's All-Wool Shirts—All Colors—All Styles—Sizes 14 1-2 to 19

\$2.50 Shirts now	..... \$1.50	\$5.50 Shirts now	..... \$3.95
\$3.50 Shirts now	..... \$2.50	\$6.50 Shirts now	..... \$4.95
\$4.50 Shirts now	..... \$2.95	\$7.50 Shirts now	..... \$5.95

Men's Dress Pants

—New patterns, big assortments, all sizes and on sale **1/3 Off**

Ladies' House Slippers

Felts in all colors, ideal for Christmas gifts and only, **\$1.95** per pair

Ladies' Hose

Good quality, regular 35c values, offered while they last **19c** for

Good Quality Sheets

Sizes 72x90, extra good grade sheeting in big values for **\$1.25** only

OPENING SALE

The Giving Event Ever Witnessed in History, or the Oil Fields

Come in our Beautiful New store in the Hodges-Neal Bldg. We have enormous stocks now on hand that we are forced to open before the citizens of Ranger are just as proud of it as we are. It is known, tell us we have the finest location, fixtures and stock of any making it such. We believe in Ranger, we also believe Ranger is certain thousands and thousands of dollars in giving Ranger a department and our growth and who have patronized us so liberally while located during this "Pre-Opening" sale, share in the wonderful Bargain Feast we offer and visit

big values, bargains you will long remember. A glance at this circular will handle only nationally advertised brands such as Stacy-Adams, W. Curlee Clothes for men, as well as Red Cross, Friedman-Shelby shoes, all on sale at very low prices during this "Pre-Opening" Sale.

Saturday, December 11, 1920

Come to the Sale, Big Savings Await You

Large Assortments of PETTICOATS —consisting of Jerseys, Satin and Taffeta in all popular colors—on sale at One-third Off	Beautiful Assortments of DRESS GOODS —Serges, Velours, Tricotines, Silver-tones—all on sale at reductions ranging— 25 to 50%
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Down Go Men's Clothing Prices

STRIKING REDUCTIONS MADE ON EVERY SUIT AND OVERCOAT IN OUR BIG NEW STOCK

Society Brand Clothes

AND OTHER STANDARD MAKES

Men's and Young Men's Quality Suits, made by Society Brand and other standard makers of Quality Clothes. All go at big reductions. All sizes, including regulars, stouts and slims. Any style may be found here. Come, men, and be fitted, it means money to you. You save from 20 to 25 per cent on your purchases.

All \$65.00 and \$75.00 Suits and Overcoats now	\$42.50	\$50.00, \$55.00 and \$60.00 Suits and Overcoats now	\$32.50
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All \$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00 Suits and Overcoats now	\$26.50
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Sam Peck Triple Service Suits for Boys, and other makes, now **1-3 Off**



Will Be Here

With a Nice Present for Everyone

Old Santa himself will be here Saturday with a present for every "kiddie" who comes to meet him. For the first 50 grownups who enter the doors he will have a package containing from 35c to \$10 in merchandise. Come early if you want to be sure of getting one.

Come and Bring the "Kiddies"

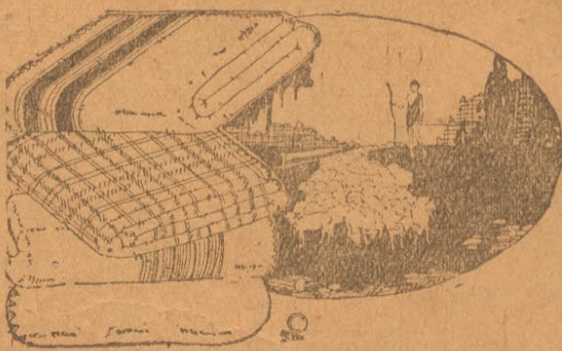
BLANKETS, COMFORTS, BEDDING ALL GO

At Greatly Reduced Prices

Don't buy bedding until you have visited this sale. Every blanket, comfort and quilt in stock will be on sale at a great big reduction of—

1/3 Off

Supply Your Christmas Needs at This Great Sale



Men's Corduroy Pants \$4.50	Men's Corduroy Suits, special \$15.95	Men's Light Weight Overalls \$1.48	Men's Hosiery, 35c values for 15c
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Saturday, Dec. 11th, Don't Forget the Date

Company

208 Main Street

We Give Ranger Holiday Trade Tickets with every \$1.00 purchase—Save them, they are valuable.

Extra Special

Ladies' Leatherette Coats Regular \$25.00 values for

\$14.95

Shoes for Everybody

Big Assortments for Men, Women or Children

To buy your shoes here, means that you buy from the largest and most complete line of footwear in the city. Our shoe men are experts in fitting shoes. You will be perfectly fitted and well pleased.

Stacy-Adams, Friedman Shelby W. L. Douglas Shoes for Men

All leather shoes, none better made. Buy shoes for the whole family from our big stock and save money on everything you buy.

10 to 50 per cent Reductions

All Bootees, big line in all style and sizes—
15 to 35 per cent Reductions



GERMAN WAGES BELOW COST OF NECESSITIES

Meat Cards Unnecessary Because People Can't Use Them.

By Associated Press
BERLIN, Dec. 10.—Gradually increasing prices for food in Berlin have caused a corresponding increase in the demands of women for higher wages and strikes, or the threat of strikes, hang over virtually every business in the city.

Approximately 1,000,000 persons are reported unemployed in Germany, the majority of them in reduced circumstances, some facing starvation. Four months ago 254,181 women were seeking employment, according to the labor ministry's estimate, and it was announced 300,000 persons shortly would be out of work or on short-time, the latter being unable to earn enough to support themselves.

Nearly every municipality in Germany is occupied with the problem of providing work for unemployed and adjusting wage difficulties, in an effort to forestall the spread of strikes and further discontent.

Shops Well Stocked.
The meat shops of Berlin are well stocked with choice cuts and have large supplies of imported cheese, oils, pickles, etc., but as winter advances, prices continue to go up and sales fall off. With nothing saved from summer wages, workers are facing the problem of expenditure for fuel for heat for warm clothes in addition to food and the fact that the pay of many fall short of meeting these expenses has caused a great unrest.

Spontaneous strikes already have occurred not only in Berlin but also in the provinces and, while there has been no evidence that a general strike is probable, the situation is causing state and municipal governments much concern.

Provisions of food shops are higher than they were a year ago when nothing was being imported because a vigilant watch is being kept on smuggling and import duties, now being paid, are necessarily added to the retail price of commodities. As a result they are only the very well-to-do and foreigners are able to buy imported stuffs.

Beyond Workmen's Reach.
Meat at twenty-six marks a pound and sausage at thirty to thirty-six, cheese thirty-eight, is still beyond the means of the average workmen. Meat merchants

say the average German can afford meat not oftener than once a week and he must buy cuts of the poorest quality.

With wages of skilled workmen ranging from thirty to forty marks a day, and for common labor at twenty-five marks, the food experts estimate the minimum cost of existence in Berlin at: For a single man at 145 marks a week; for a man and wife, 216 marks a week; for a man and wife and two children between 7 and 14 years, 296 marks. These prices have shown a gradual increase since February and it is expected will continue to rise during the winter.

While bread is still rationed, meat cards are no longer issued. It is said they are unnecessary because the people generally cannot buy meat at prevailing prices unless wages are greatly advanced. In spite of the well stocked shops, the meat supply is reported only half the amount on hand during the same months before the war.

COLLEGE STUDENTS NOT SO INTELLIGENT AS IN OTHER YEARS

By Associated Press
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 10.—The average intelligence of college students is lower than that which prevailed years ago, according to the annual report of Dr. Frederick A. Hall, chancellor of Washington University.

This conclusion, the report explains, coincides with that of authorities in other educational institutions, as ascertained through correspondence. The number of college students has been increasing steadily, the report states.

"If the present growth of numbers is indicative of what may be expected in the near future," continues the report, "the colleges will have to watch carefully in order to prevent turning out a lower type of graduate than that which has characterized colleges hitherto."

Earnestness Was Casualty.
"It is only fair to say that, so far as I can learn from the faculty, it is

thought that the work of the student body has not this year been as good as that of previous years; that contrary to the peoples' expectations that the young would be more purposeful and earnest by reason of war experience, they seem to be less inclined to serious labor, and that an unusual proportion of students had to be dropped because of the inferior quality of their work."

The report asserts that until two years ago the proportional increase by women in the college section of the university was gaining notably in the proportional increase in the number of men, but that in the last two years the proportional increase by men has been greater. Men, the report adds, usually are reluctant to continue in classes in which they are outnumbered by women.

SKELETON EXAMINED IN MURDER MYSTERY

ATHOL, Mass., Dec. 10.—In the hope of solving one of the greatest murder mysteries in the state of Massachusetts, medical experts are conducting an examination of a skeleton found in a sandbank between south Royalston and Winchendon and which may prove to be that of Frank J. Burns, a Marlboro jewelry salesman, who was robbed of \$800 worth of samples and slain Dec. 17, 1903, the body never having been found.

COOKING ART BECOMING LOST ART WITH PARISIANS

PARIS, Dec. 10.—The art of cooking in France and the excellence of the pastries are passing, say some pessimists.

Apprentices, said speakers at the recent convention of pastry makers, can no longer be found and "the art of pastry making is dead or will be soon." This is said also to be the case with cooks.

Women nurses with the American Army on the Rhine, who have been granted rights of officers' rank, wear bars for first and second lieutenants on their shoulders, and also "Sam Browne" belts.

HIS LIFE IS SAVED BY ROLLING IN SNOW

International News Service.
CASPER, Wyo., Dec. 10.—A thick blanket of snow on the ground here saved the life of F. E. Wagoner, World war veteran, who has been decorated for bravery in France.

An explosion resulted in Wagoner becoming a "human torch," when his clothing was soaked with flaming gasoline. Rushing from the building where the explosion occurred, the former service man rolled in the snow until the flames were extinguished. He suffered severe burns, but will probably recover.

It is reported that a large number of Germans from the occupied Rhine territories are enlisting in the French Foreign Legion.

BETTER THAN WHISKEY FOR COLDS AND FLU

New Elixir, Called Aspirinal, Medicated with Latest Scientific Remedies, Used and Endorsed by European and American Army Surgeons to Cut Short a Cold and Prevent Complications.

Every Druggist in U. S. Instructed to Refund Price While you Wait at Counter if Relief Does Not Come Within Two Minutes.

Delightful Taste, Immediate Relief, Quick Warm-Up.

The sensation of the year in the drug trade is Aspirinal, the two-minute cold and cough reliever, authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories; tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the common people as ten times as quick and effective as whiskey, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tried.

All drug stores are now supplied with the wonderful new elixir, so all you have to do to get rid of that cold is to step into the nearest drug store, hand the clerk half a dollar for a bottle of Aspirinal and tell him to serve you two teaspoonfuls with four teaspoonfuls of water in a glass. With your watch in your hand, take the drink at one swallow and call for your money back in two minutes if you cannot feel your cold fading away like a dream within the time limit. Don't be bashful, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

When your cold or cough is relieved, take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and babies, for Aspirinal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for infants and children.—Adv.

AFTER a baking falls — becomes tough or soggy, you can't make it tender and tempting. It can't be "fixed." It is like spilled milk—"wasted."

But, there is a way to prevent this waste — and every woman should use it—because a bake day loss these days is a real loss. When just an ordinary cake turns out bad—you are out the biggest part of a dollar.

Calumet Baking Powder positively prevents failure. It has been doing it for millions of housewives for a third of a century.

CALUMET BAKING POWDER

BEST BY TEST

Makes most palatable and sweetest of foods

The biggest selling Baking Powder in the world. Produced in the largest, most modern, sanitary baking powder factories.

Possesses only such ingredients as have been officially approved by United States Food Authorities.

Highest awards, World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago—Paris Exposition, Paris, France.

Full weight—fair price. Most economical in cost and use. You save when you buy it. You save when you use it.

A pound can of Calumet contains full 16 oz. Some baking powders come in 12 oz. cans instead of 16 oz. cans. Be sure you get a pound when you want it.

Calumet Jelly Roll Recipe
—3 eggs beaten separately, 1 cup sugar, 1 1/2 cups pastry flour, 2 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, 1/2 cup warm water—flavor. Then mix in the regular way.

A TIMES WANT AD WILL BRING RESULTS—TRY THEM

Oats 70C

W. L. COOK
Cor. Hunt and Pecan Sts.

LOWER RENTS
in Ranger mean
LOWER PRICES

NOTICE

Sometimes your lights are out and it is not your fuse or power supply.

Have You Paid Your Bill?

Lights Discontinued after the 10th of the month.

OIL CITIES ELECTRIC CO.

GLASS

Plate Glass, Window Glass, Windshields, Mirrors.

McElroy Plate Glass Company
115-17 N. Marston

"GIFTS THAT PLEASE"

The unlimited assortment offered you by the Texas Drug Co. of Ranger presents an opportunity to make permanent the love that prompts your gift.

Christmas Goods

- Of All Kinds
- CUT GLASS
 - IVORY SETS
 - HOLLY BOXES
 - MANICURING SETS
 - CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS
 - EASTMAN KODAKS
 - UNBREAKABLE DOLLS
 - BEAUTIFUL BOX STATIONERY
 - Fancy and Plain.

HIGH GRADE BOX CANDIES

Crane's, Huyler's, Appola and Quinby's Chocolates of All Flavors.

ACCURACY SERVICE COURTESY

Texas Drug Co.

PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

111 N. AUSTIN ST. RANGER, TEXAS

The Ranger Meat Co.

117 N. AUSTIN.

OUR MEATS ARE ALL OF THE SELECTED GRADE

We Should Like to Serve You

The Best in the Ranger Oil Fields.

This is what I saved on my first bill of groceries after becoming a member of the BASKET GROCERY CO. (BUY AT COST CLUB), Dec. 4, 1920.

I have four members in my family and paid dues of \$5.00, after figuring my bill at Retail and Members prices I find that I have saved \$14.42.

This is a list of the groceries I bought:

	RETAIL.	MEMBERS.
2 8 lbs. lard	\$ 3.80	\$ 2.80
3 3 lbs. Maxwell House Coffee ..	4.26	3.36
10 lbs. Navy Beans	1.00	.70
4 lbs. Sliced Bacon	2.60	1.92
8 lbs. Rice	1.60	.80
3 lbs. Salt Bacon .....	.90	.60
1 Bu. Potatoes, 60 lbs.	2.40	1.80
2 Bottles Catsup .....	.70	.54
6 Cans Apple Butter	2.10	1.50
1 Sack, 25 lbs., Meal	1.50	1.00
1 Bu. Sweet Potatoes	3.00	2.00
3 Pkgs. Large Oats	1.05	.84
3 Pkgs. Cream of Wheat	1.05	.78
Total	\$54.54	\$40.12

Although I am not personally acquainted with any of the heads of THE BASKET GROCERY CO., I heartily recommend their club to anyone buying groceries, as I bought most of these items cheaper than I could buy them at the Wholesale Houses in Ranger.

Yours very truly,
A. T. ROBERTS,
Ranger, Texas.

This is an exact copy of letter received at our office. Mr. Roberts has been in the habit of buying his goods in case lots from Wholesale Houses in Ranger.

Owing to our buying power we are able to give our members prices that any jobber will not compete with. If you are not a member of our club you can easily see that it is to your interest to become one as soon as you can.

The person in charge of either of our stores will gladly explain our club to any one not understanding it.

Basket Grocery Co.

115 N. Austin. Office at 109 S. Marston—Phone Either 290 or 291. 109 S. Marston.