

MEXICAN BANDITS SLAY TWO AMERICANS

FATHER AND LITTLE SON KILLED—MORE U. S. SHIPS GO TO GUARD CITIZENS

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Two American citizens, Eber Francis Greenlaw and his minor son, were killed by Mexican bandits yesterday, the state department was informed today by the American embassy at Mexico City.

The murders occurred at Palazadas, about 125 miles from Mexico City. Mr. Greenlaw was employed by a British lumber company.

The state department has requested the Mexican government to take effective measures immediately for the apprehension and punishment of the assassins.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—American destroyers have been ordered to Vera Cruz and Tampico to protect Americans there.

The navy department acted on requests of the state department where it was explained that warships would take aboard Americans there in the event that it became necessary.

It was said that the vessels would not intervene in Mexican affairs and that their dispatch was a precautionary measure only.

The cruiser Sacramento is on the east coast of Mexico.

No reports of disturbances in either Vera Cruz or Tampico have been received by the state department, but revolutionary outbreaks have occurred near both ports.

Advices to the government today said that the line between Mexico City and Vera Cruz had been cut, but the reports did not indicate the extent of the damage. This line runs through the northern part of Tlaxcala, the governor and military commander of which here reported last week as having joined Sonora revolution.

TROOPS MOVING NORTH

By Associated Press. AGUA PRIETA, Sonora, May 3.—The revolutionary troops were being moved south and east today. The former will join units forming in the mountains dividing Chihuahua and Sonora to invade Chihuahua. The others will reinforce General Angel Flores in march to Mazatlan, military headquarters announced today.

GOVERNOR APPROVES

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, May 3.—Governor Hobby today expressed approval of the reported action of President Wilson in refusing permission for Carranza generals to move across Texas en route to Agua Prieta.

WRESTLERS GATHER FOR U. OF T. CONTEST

AUSTIN, May 3.—Wrestlers and boxers from the University of Texas are at College Station today for contests in all standard weights with teams representing A. & M. college. This is the first intercollegiate contest of the year for the Texas mat men.

Interest in this sport at the university was spurred by the contests between the classes and the announcement of the probability of intercollegiate matches.

PARIS STRIKE HALTS MOVING OF TRAINS

By Associated Press. PARIS, May 3.—The strike situation in Paris is generally stationary at the north and east stations this morning. Only about 50 per cent of the usual number of trains are being operated. At St. Lazare station the traffic was affected most seriously. Virtually no freight trains were moving during forenoon.

PINK WORM CAUSES SPECIAL SESSION

AUSTIN, May 3.—Governor Hobby announced today that he will issue a call later in the week for a special session of the legislature to consider the pink boll worm. The special session will be held Monday, May 24.

OIL MANAGER BUYS RANGER HOME, SEEING CITY'S GREAT FUTURE

J. B. Owens, manager of the Sammie Oil corporation has purchased a home in Park Hill addition. His family has moved into the new home.

Mr. Owens expressed himself as being of the opinion that Ranger was destined to become the leading city of western Texas and he was preparing himself to stay.

LAST GAME OF OPENING SERIES THIS AFTERNOON

The Nitros and Abilene Eagles will stage the last of the opening series here today. Ranger has two games to her credit and Abilene one. Tomorrow the Nitros will be in Eastland for four games.

NEW RANGER WELL'S FLOW INCREASING

Davis No. 3 Producing More Oil Than at the Start.

Davis No. 3 of the Prairie Oil & Gas company, which came in for a thousand barrels at 3,517 feet several days ago, has been drilled to 3,529 and has increased its flow to 1,400 barrels. It probably be drilled deeper and is expected to further increase its flow. The well is located in the Pleasant Grove district, Prairie company's Ranger No. 12, this side of Pleasant Grove in a neighborhood of heavy production, has a strong gas pressure at a little above the usual depth of the McCleskey sand. All indications are that this will be a good well.

BIG STORE JOINS FIGHT ON INCREASING COST OF MERCHANDISE

NEW YORK, May 3.—One of New York's largest department stores inserted an advertisement in today's newspaper announcing that it would attempt to "break the backbone of high prices" by offering its \$20,000,000 stock at a reduction of twenty per cent.

APPENDICITIS ATTACKS SISTERS ON SAME DAY

CORNING, N. Y., May 3.—Two attacks of appendicitis and two operations on two persons in one family on the same day is extraordinary. It happened in this city when Mrs. Stanley Grauer and her sister, Mrs. Temple, were seized with attacks of appendicitis at about the same time. They were taken to the hospital in the same ambulance, where the same doctor performed the operations.

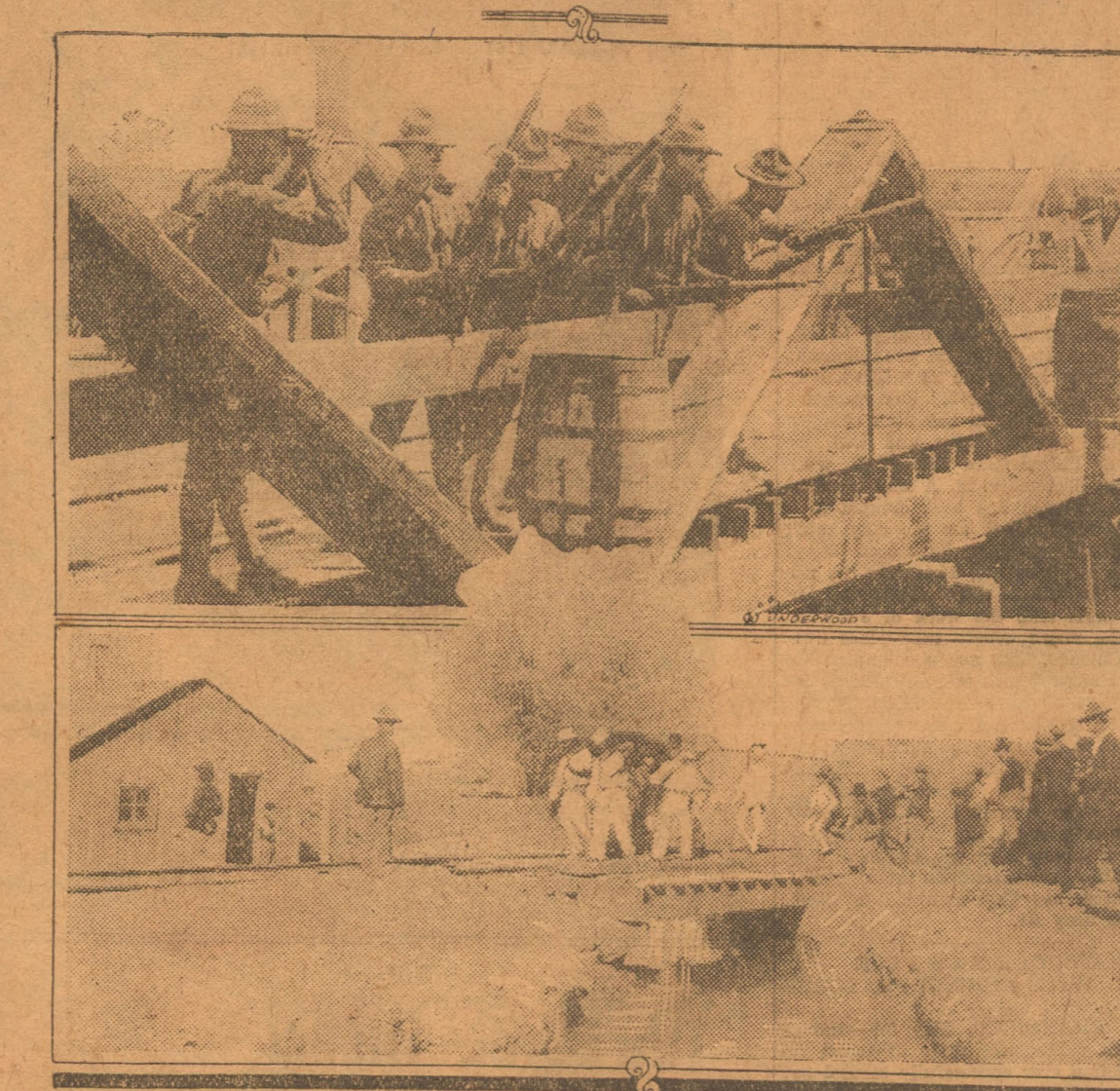
OPENS SENATE WAR ON THE PROFITEERS

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AMERICAN TROOPS HAVE EYES ON SITUATION IN MEXICO



U. S. troops guarding the international bridge over the Rio Grande between El Paso, Texas and Juarez, Mexico, and photo showing federal troops at Juarez bringing in their slain comrades during last fighting in that city.

Although most recent dispatches state that the anticipated revolt in Juarez as an outgrowth of the general revolution against Carranza's forces has not materialized, the American troops at El Paso and all along the Mexican border are on the alert for any trouble that may start.

GIRL, 16, TRIED FOR KILLING STEPFATHER

Alleged to Have Committed Murder When Only 12 Years Old.

ST. LOUIS, May 3.—Ursula Broderick, sixteen years old, went to trial today or the third time on the same charge—that of first degree murder for killing her stepfather, Joseph F. Woodlock, a lumberman in April of 1919. She is said to be the youngest girl who ever faced a first degree murder charge in the state of Missouri.

BRITISH DEALERS EXPECT HIGHER PRICES OF FOOD

LONDON, May 3.—British food experts believe that prices have reached their pinnacle and that henceforth a slow and gradual decline will set in.

RECORD MAPLE SUGAR CROP IS REPORTED IN VERMONT

BURLINGTON, Vt., May 3.—A careful survey of the Vermont maple sugar woods shows an average of more than two pounds to the tree at present, and on east side of the state there are several days more of the season.

PLAN TO HAVE NEXT K. OF C. CONVENTION HELD IN RANGER

At a meeting Sunday morning the Ranger council of the Knights of Columbus elected delegates to the state convention to be held at Galveston the week of May 9. Those elected were Grand Knight E. R. Maher and E. M. Owens. Two alternates were also elected. These were G. A. Clemons and Charles Averley. They are going with the intention of bringing next year's convention to Ranger.

20,000 Strike In 37 Cotton Cloth Mills

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 3.—A strike of approximately 20,000 operatives went into effect today at thirty-seven cotton cloth mills here.

The walkout occurred when notices were posted that loom fixers would be required to operate more looms than formerly.

FEARS RECORD FIRE LOSSES THIS YEAR

AUSTIN, May 3.—State Fire Marshal English declares that if the fire loss of the United States for the last nine months of this year keeps pace with that of the first quarter, this country will see the greatest property loss by fire in history.

TEXAS FIRE MARSHAL CALLS ATTENTION TO GROWING FIGURES

The fire loss of the United States was \$317,014,385 in the year 1918 and in 1919 it was \$260,000,775. The total reported fire loss for 1920 will be fully \$65,000,000, or \$1,000,000 every day, if the present rate of loss continues during the entire year.

STRUGGLE AT KENTUCKY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION TOMORROW EXPECTED

LOUISVILLE, May 3.—Democrats of Kentucky will hold their state convention here tomorrow. Chairman P. H. Callahan, Louisville, and an advisory campaign committee of forty-two are taking steps to arouse interest as well as promote harmony. In this connection, rival candidates for the presidential nomination are expected to make a struggle for an instructed delegation to the San Francisco convention.

FAST TRAIN PLOUGHS THROUGH HERD OF CATTLE

EVANSTON, Ind., May 1.—Traveling at a speed of forty miles per hour, an east-bound Union Pacific train ploughed into a herd of cattle near here, decimating seventy-one of the herd. The engineer apparently had not seen the obstruction, as the train was several hundred yards beyond the wholesale slaughter before it was brought to a standstill.

EVERYONE READY FOR RANGER'S BIG "CLEAN UP" DAY

The "clean-up" staged for Wednesday has every promise of being a success.

The general supervising committees of the various school districts are getting their organizations under way. Every one is promising to help. Teams and trucks are being lined up as well as individual workers. Every one approached has made a specific promise to see that their own premises are spotless by Wednesday night.

NAMED TREASURER OF DIVISION IN Y. W. C. A. DRIVE

Mrs. Stephen Baker is treasurer of the business and professional division in the drive of the Y. W. C. A. to \$1,500,000.

SENATOR BAILEY TO CONTINUE FIGHT FOR GOVERNOR

DALLAS, May 3.—Former Senator Joseph W. Bailey will stay in the race for governor to the end. The "overwhelming appearance" of Saturday's precinct conventions was due to "precinct rule" and not at all supported by the relative popular vote cast in convention," according to a statement today by Luther Nichols, campaign manager of the anti-administration Democrats.

NOOZIE

THE SUNSHINE KID. IT'S SURE IS A WONDER THEY DON'T PLANT MUSIC IN ENGLISH ONCE IN A WHILE.

37 BODIES TAKEN FROM RUINS OF OKLAHOMA TOWN AFTER IT IS STORM TORN AT NIGHT

MUSKOGEE, Okla., May 3.—Thirty-seven bodies have been recovered by rescuers from houses wrecked in the storm that demolished the town of Peggs last night, according to a telephone report from Tahlequah.

This information was brought by the first man to arrive in Tahlequah from Peggs.

Twenty of these bodies were reported taken from one building alone.

Tahlequah is fifteen miles from Peggs, and is the nearest railroad town.

A special train carrying doctors and equipment left Muskogee for Tahlequah.

Peggs is off the railroad and situated in the foothills.

1,210 WILSON MEN IN TEXAS CONVENTION

Unofficial Returns Give a Smashing Victory for Administration.

DALLAS, May 3.—Meager additional returns from Saturday's Democratic precinct conventions further emphasized the overwhelming victory of the element in the Democratic party favorable to the national administration.

Unofficial returns gave the forces endorsing President Wilson's administration 1,210 of the 1,400 votes in the state convention, while the figures for the element led by Joseph W. Bailey remained at forty-nine state convention votes.

EIGHT CITIES DOUBLE SIZE IN 10 YEARS

Greater Wonders Reported From Smaller Places By U. S. Census.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Eight cities of 25,000 or more population, out of more than sixty whose census for 1920 thus far has been announced, have more than doubled their population within the last ten years. Two have shown a decrease.

Kramore, Ohio, a city of 12,683, has shown an increase of 712.5 per cent; Dormont, Pa., a city of 6,453, increased 478.9 per cent, while of the cities of 25,000 or more population, Gary, Ind., has shown 229.4 per cent.

Akron, Ohio is the largest city which has more than doubled its population, its rapid growth of 201.8 per cent to a population of 208,435, changing its rank from the eighty-first city of the country in 1910 to a position probably between thirty and fortyth. It has passed Syracuse, N. Y., Memphis, Tenn., Dayton, Ohio, Nashville, Tenn., Albany, N. Y., and Kansas City, Kansas, cities having more than 100,000, as well as a number of smaller cities ranking above it in 1910.

Cities of 25,000 or more in 1920 which have more than doubled their population during the last decade, arranged in their percentage of growth are:

Table with 4 columns: City, Population, Increase. Lists cities like Gary, Ind., Akron, Ohio, etc.

Cities Under 10,000 Population. Dormont, Pa. 6,455 478.9

Muskogee, Okla. 3,514 408.0

St. Louis, Mo. 3,312 295.9

Brownston, Wash. 3,318 198.0

Alma, Mich. 2,542 173.6

Brighton, Ala. 3,895 144.0

Chico, Calif. 3,722 132.6

Winnetta, Ill. 6,694 111.3

Idabel, Okla. 3,067 105.4

The two cities of 25,000 population which have shown decreases are Newport, Ky., with a decline of 3.3 per cent, to 29,317, and Kingston, N. Y., with a decline of 0.1 per cent to 25,884. Thirty other places have shown decreases ranging up to 24.2 per cent, shown by Stillwater, Minnesota.

At the Leading Amusement Houses TODAY

LIBERTY—Dorothy Dalton in "THE FLAME OF THE YUKON." LONE STAR—Jack Pickford in "THE LITTLE SHEPHERD OF KINGDOM COME." LAMB—"SILVER HORDE," by Rex Beach. OPERA HOUSE—Five acts of big time vaudeville. HIPPODROME—"Baby Vampires" Musical Comedy presents "SEPTEMBER MORN."

LONE STAR.

"Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," at the Lone Star Today.

John J. Fox's popular yarn of mountain folk and civil war happenings translated into film form offers a wealth of artistic photography, plenty of love romance, adventure, pathos and affords Jack Pickford, as the hero, what is possibly the best chance he has yet been given of demonstrating his versatility in character work.

The transition from boy to man covers three epochs of his life and his growth to maturity calls for some delicately shaded acting on the part of the star, who proves equal to the occasion. A skillful makeup in each case helps the illusion of passing years along, but success in bringing the gaps of age is due principally to the impersonator's natural dramatic ability.

Clara Horton is charming as heroine Margaret and Pauline Starke wistful and appealing in the role of the girl who willingly sacrifices her own happiness for Chad's sake. Dwight Crittenden gives a capital performance as the village schoolmaster and an unusually large supporting company renders splendid service.

There are times when the action drags a bit. There seems to be an insistence on unnecessary detail and the picture might be improved by judicious cutting to a shorter compass. Despite this fault and the fact that all melodramas dealing with the civil war events must inevitably bear strong family resemblance, it provides enjoyable entertainment. The scenic effects are admirable, nothing finer having been screened than the mountain backgrounds, with their flitting lights and shadows, and Director Worsley deserves congratulation for his selection of the native types.

PARIS GENTLEMEN BALK AT ENGLISH CUFF RUFFLES

PARIS, May 1.—No gentleman will wear ruffles on his evening shirt in Paris, at least this summer. A smart shop on the Avenue de l'Opera tried to boost the fashion by exhibiting in its windows a lot sent over from England with two wide lace ruffles which overlapped the lapels of the coat. The crowds that gathered about those windows guffawed the thing out of Paris.

NURSE-BRIDE OF HOSPITAL ROMANCE TO REJOIN HUSBY



Mrs. Robert Simmons.

When the U. S. S. Ausabla was torpedoed during the war Chief Petty Officer Robert Simmons of San Francisco was so badly injured that he was sent to a hospital at a Rochelle, France. He promptly fell in love with the nurse who cared for him and they were married. Now Mrs. Simmons has arrived in the U. S. to rejoin her husband, who returned to the U. S. some time ago.

Eastside Theater JACK GARDNER

"The Gift of Gab" And PEARL WHITE in "THE BLACK SECRET"

TELLS CANDIDATES TO GET PLATFORM WOMEN APPROVE

By MILDRED MORRIS. International News Service.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—It tries the patience of Mrs. Helen H. Gardner, the first woman to be appointed to the United States civil service commission, when someone bursts out with a warning that men are being feminized by the woman's new activities in business and politics.

"Rubbish, all this talk about the men becoming soft and feminine," she said. "They're becoming more decent, that's all. And all that's happening to woman is that her brain is functioning normally. In the days when she was regarded merely as a ballroom ornament or a kitchen essential it was flabby from disuse."

"Woman's brain has grown with her waist. Today she's infinitely more capable of rearing children than her eighteen-inch-waisted sister of the past."

The new "lady" civil service commissioner is a vice-president of the National Women's Suffrage association and one of the leaders in the movement to have sex discriminations of every kind removed. The thousands of women who apply each year for positions in government departments may be assured that she will be "on the job" to guard their interests. She is a writer by profession.

There is nothing aggressive about this little white-haired person whom the President has honored with the highest office awarded a woman during his administration. She is thoroughly feminine, dresses charmingly and she looks at least twenty years younger than her sixty-two years, despite the whiteness of her hair.

She is famous for her tact. In the days when women were fighting for the passage of the suffrage amendment she was known as the "diplomatic corps" of the National Women's Suffrage association, acting as the suffragists' "ambassador" to the White House. And according to the suffragists, her influence more than any other factor brought the President round to the cause. She is now active in the League of Women Voters, serving in the office of counselor.

Discussing politics, Mrs. Gardner advised presidential candidates who are consulting ouija boards for information about the woman vote to get platforms that will appeal to the women.

"The women are going to vote for issues rather than the man," she said. "Politicians are the only ones who need fear our entrance into politics."

"There will not be content merely to vote. They're going to aspire to political office. And why shouldn't they? They are as capable as men to run the government. There's no sex in brain."

CAESARIAN OPERATION PERFORMED ON HOG

International News Service.

LONGMONT, Colo., May 1.—What is believed to be the first Caesarian operation ever performed upon a hog proved only a partial success here. While four little piglets of the litter of nine survived, the piggy-wiggy, a thoroughbred Poland-China hog, succumbed to the operation.

The four survivors are being reared on a bottle.

200 Tournaments of Tennis Players Slated This Year

NEW YORK, May 3.—Close to 200 sanctioned tennis tournaments are listed in the annual schedule of the United States Lawn Tennis association issued here. Every section of the country is represented in the distribution of dates and indications point to one of the most successful seasons for the sport in the history of the organization.

Among the early season tournaments of importance is the church cup match to be played at Forest Hills, N. Y., May 21 and 22. Unusual interest is attached to this inter-city contest between New York, Boston and Philadelphia, because of the bearing it will have on the selection of a team to represent the United States abroad. As the team will sail early in June to enter the English championship and play Davis cup ties in July, this will be the last important event before its members are chosen, and the Davis cup committee will doubtless be guided by the showing made there.

An innovation is the change in the date of the intercollegiate championship which will be held June 28 instead of in September as heretofore. The women's national championship has been changed from June to September and will be played at Philadelphia during the week beginning September 13. A new national event for women has been created in a separate tournament for the clay court titles, which previously have been played with the men's events. This year the women's titles will be contested at the Detroit Tennis club the week of June 21, while the men's events take place July 10 at Chicago. The men's championship of the United States is scheduled to begin August 30 at Forest Hills, N. Y.

All the sectional doubles tournaments are listed except the intermountain event, covering Colorado and Utah, which has not been arranged. These precede the national doubles championship at Longwood on August 16. The New York event has been awarded to the Crescent Athletic club. A new event, an intercity doubles match, has been awarded to Cleveland for July 21.

RECONSTRUCT MAN'S FACE WITH RUBBER FEATURES

International News Service.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—One of the most remarkable cases of facial reconstruction ever successfully carried out in this country has just been brought to the attention of the medical world through the San Francisco District Medical society.

Charles Niesen, 45, a victim of a mysterious disease resembling cancer, through a half dozen operations to check the progress of the disease, lost his nose, his upper lip and the greater portion of his cheeks. The flesh and tissue were removed to the bone. Niesen was unable to appear in public and subsisted on liquids.

Now Niesen has a nose, an upper lip and cheeks which, at a short distance away appear entirely natural. He is able to eat food of any kind. The change was wrought by a wonderful piece of maxillo-facial reconstruction by Dr. Max Wassman. Rubber was used to make the new features.

WOMAN'S CLUB JANITOR RAN BREWERY, IS CHARGE

International News Service.

TRENTON, N. J., May 3.—Indignant that their settlement house should have been transformed into an alleged profitable brewery business, members of the Contemporary, a fashionable woman's club here, caused the arrest of Frank Odas, caretaker of the house, located at 74

Poplar street. Odas was later held in \$1,000 bail by United States Com with violating the Volstead act by brewing home beer, selling ingredients and distributing recipes.

The women, some days ago, detected what they thought were beer fumes coming from the cellar of the house. They notified the federal authorities and the place was raided.

MARCONI WILL CRUISE ABOUT OCEAN TO STUDY MYSTERIOUS "MESSAGES FROM MARS"



Signor and Lady Marconi on their yacht "Electra" just before sail.

Signor Marconi, famous inventor, and his wife, Lady Marconi, have begun a cruise about the Atlantic to give Marconi an opportunity to try to fathom mysterious sounds that have interfered with wireless messages and are believed by some to be messages from Mars. The couple left England recently on their yacht "Electra."

YOU'LL BE THERE! TODAY AND TOMORROW

JACK PICKFORD SCORES IN "THE LITTLE SHEPHERD OF KINGDOM COME" By JOHN FOX JR. We could say lots about this, but you know it's good—so we expect you!

LONE STAR THEATRE

W. E. Dary at the organ. Prizma Scenic—Holmes Travelogue—Christie Comedy

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WITH NICK ALTROCK HANDY TO COACH HIM MARSHALL OUGHT TO THROW MEAN CURVE



Vice President Marshall throwing the first ball at opening game at Washington. Fans seated back of Vice President Marshall at the opening ball game of the season at Washington yelled "put something on it" when the vice president prepared to open the pastime by throwing the first ball.

QUEEN THEATRE

TODAY Gladys Brockwell "Chasing Rainbows" TOMORROW "SOCIAL PIRATE"

NOW SHOWING Baby Vampires Musical Comedy Co. "SEPTEMBER MORN" Also Special Feature Picture HIPPODROME

Opera House FIVE ACTS OF BIG TIME VAUDEVILLE 3 DAYS—COMMENCING TODAY—3 DAYS GLASGOW MAIDS Seven Scotch Lassies in a Rollicking Act from the Land of the Heather and Kilts THE GREAT HOWARD A Ventriloquist Two-Dummy Act THREE MELLOD Daring Casting Act CHUNG HWA FOUR A Quartette of Four Young Chinamen, Introducing Chinese and English Songs HENRY AND ADELAIDE Novelty and Buck Dancing Act Also WILLIAM DESMOND "THE PRINCE AND BETTY" A Comedy Romance

NOW SHOWING DOROTHY DALTON The Alaskan Carmen IN "THE FLAME OF THE YUKON" She was renowned in every dance hall in Alaska. LIBERTY THEATRE Fatty Arbuckle in "The Sheriff"

"THAT LITTLE GAME" --- Betting Into a Flock of Raises



WAR ENDS TURKISH WOMEN'S SECLUDED LIFE; ONE ENTERS CABINET OF MUSTAPHA KEMAL

Associated Press. CONSTANTINOPLE, May 3.—A very striking illustration of the general emancipation of Turkish women which has been affected by the war is afforded by the designation of Mrs. Halide Edib Hanem as minister of education in Mustapha Kemal's cabinet. Mrs. Hanem is the wife of Dr. Adnan Bey, formerly president of the Turkish Red Crescent and until recently Mustapha Kemal's minister of health. She is thirty-five years old, the mother of three children, a devout Mohammedan and has attained fame as the author of several strongly pan-Islamic novels. Shortly after Turkey entered the war the need for nurses became so great that women, for the first time, were permitted to accompany the armies and enter military hospitals as relief workers. They are said to have demonstrated remarkable efficiency in taking care of wounded, a fact which soon made it possible for Turkish women to enter university classes with men. At the present time, however, they are still barred from theatres and amusements of various kinds, except special performances for women only. Mrs. Halide Hanem is, perhaps, the most celebrated pioneer in the movement for higher education of Turkish women. She was the first Turkish girl to graduate from the American woman's college here, despite the persistent opposition of former Sultan Abdul Hamid, who made her discontinue her studies many times. Dr. Mary Mills Patrick, president of the college, and American diplomats in Turkey, always took a great interest in her struggle for an education against such odds, and she finally finished her course a number of years ago. Subsequently three of her sisters graduated from the same college. Although educated in a school where all the teachers were Christians, she retained her Mohammedan faith but removed the black veil from her face as many other Turkish women have done since. She is a firm believer in the superior cultural value of Mohammed's teachings. Mrs. Hanem resided for a time in England and other European countries. She is slight in build, but has an attractive face and possesses convictions on the subject of Turkish nationalism. Be-

Rex Beach Looks For Story Material In Ranger Fields

Rex Beach, one of America's most widely read and famous authors, left Ranger last night after a visit to this city and to Caddo, Breckenridge, Strawn, Desdemona, and other points in the field. Mr. Beach was accompanied by his secretary, Mr. Parks. While here he was the guest of H. A. Lawther, warehouse superintendent of the Sun company, who is a personal friend. Mr. Lawther took Mr. Beach and his secretary over the field in a car. The noted author came here in search of material for stories. He went from here to Tulsa, Oklahoma, and expects to return here for a visit during the summer.

GAS MAIN EXTENSION TO BURGER ADDITION COMPLETED TOMORROW

The Sammie Oil corporation will tomorrow complete extension of its low pressure gas mains to Burger addition and will by service to every residence within the addition desiring it. In the Cooper addition the extensions are all completed with service to every house. It is the intention of the company, according to J. B. Owens, its manager, to provide every section of the city with gas connections. At present the company has plans under way that, when completed, will almost cover the entire residence district of the city. The only householders who will not be provided with the connections are those living in sparsely settled districts where the outlay by the gas company would not be justified. The Belgian senate has passed the woman suffrage bill.

RANGER STILL LEADS IN HIGH STANDARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Health conditions of this city continue excellent, Dr. C. O. Terrell, city health officer, stated today. There is no typhoid fever and little serious sickness of any kind. Ranger has maintained the best health of any city its size in the country. NO NEW CARDINALS AT COMING CONSISTORY. By Associated Press. ROME, May 3.—Confirmation of reports that no cardinals will be created at the Conclave consistory have been received from official source at the Vatican.

METHODIST CHURCH MEETING

The regular monthly meeting will be held tonight at the church. Regular business will be transacted and afterwards an interesting program will be rendered. Refreshments.

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First National Bank Ranger, Texas

LEG IS FRACTURED IN FALL FROM AUTO RUNNING BOARD

H. J. Honeycutt of Necessity suffered a fractured leg yesterday when he fell from the running board of a truck on which he was riding to Ranger. The accident occurred seven miles north of town. He was brought to this city and taken to the office of Dr. Shackelford in the Jones-Cox ambulance and after receiving medical attention he was taken to the Ranger General hospital. Two bones of his right leg were badly fractured just above the ankle.

SHORTAGE OF MATERIAL DELAYS TRACK LAYING ON RANGER RAILROAD

Tracklaying north from Frankell on the Wichita Falls, Ranger, and Fort Worth railroad has not been started yet but will begin Wednesday, local officials said today. Shortage of some needed materials has delayed work. If material arrive in time it is thought that the road will be completed into Breckwalker by May 10, the date set for the opening of the townsite. Numerous cars of casing and other oil well material are being hauled to Frankell over the new road.

BOARD UNABLE TO OBTAIN TOWN POOLBAH; JOB OPEN

MILLIKEN, Col., May 3.—Milliken's town board is having difficulty in securing a poolbah, and some enterprising person who prefers local glory to the coin of the realm can be the "whole works" if he will apply to the town clerk. The only duties required are to act as town marshal to enforce the town ordinances, take care of the city park, serve as street commissioner, look after city water mains, supervise the water works both for irrigation and domestic purposes, collect water tax, sell tank water, keep the alleys and streets clean, cut weeds on vacant lots and a few other odd jobs. Bids for the "position" will be opened shortly, and the lowest bidder receives the "appointment."

HAILSTONES AS BIG AS BASEBALLS COVER TOWN

CHILHOWE, Mo., May 3.—A fifteen minute storm left hail stones piled eighteen inches deep, some of them as large as baseballs. Ten minutes of absolute darkness followed the storm and then house owners hurried to lumber yards to get new shingles. Today not a single lumber yard had a single shingle left. The storm did thousands of dollars' worth of damage and several persons were injured. Most British women who smoke cigarettes use holders.

PONY, WITH CAN TIED TO TAIL, FRANTICALLY RUNS INTO BARB WIRE

The saddle pony of little Tommie Stockman will perhaps have to be shot, broken if it has to die. The horse will not die from his own sins. All he ever did was, in his gentle way, help make the days enjoyable for his little master. He never harmed any one committed a crime in his life. Yet this morning he was found with his front fore legs cut by wire until it is doubtful if he can ever be cured. Nor is that his fault. Some one in a spirit of mischief tied a can to him and the pony, after running himself almost to death from fright, became entangled in barbed wire, lacerating his fore legs until he may have to be shot to relieve him from his misery.



The Central Labor Council of Ranger takes this method of expressing its appreciation to the Ranger Chamber of Commerce of its recent co-operation rendered the central body in its efforts to persuade the State Federation of Labor to hold its next convention in the city of Ranger. W. A. CAMPBELL, Pres. JOHN KELLAM, Secy.

FOR RENT

THREE NEW STORES, just completed; most desirable location in city—Opposite T. & P. Passenger Station, beneath Hotel Bernardo, on Commerce Street.

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### DISH WASHERS, HARKEN!

Sometimes when "efficiency engineers" talk, listeners grow scornful or irritated because the proposed ways of saving energy seem trivial and because the proposition is presented in the absurd and wearisome jargon which was invented, adopted and worked to death by the efficiency men.

But there is no doubt that an enormous amount of energy can be conserved by attention to trifles. The department of agriculture points out that there is waste of energy among women washing dishes.

If all women would cease to waste this energy while washing dishes, there would be a big gain. There are millions of women in this country. If each one contributed merely a mite to the fund of conserved energy, the total would mount in figures that would make the eyes of an "efficiency engineer" glisten.

What Uncle Sam paid for this idea of saving energy while washing dishes of months of profound cogitation by an is not told. It may have been the product expert at \$15,000 a year, and it may have cost nothing, but this is the way the idea was sent out by the department of agriculture:

"From buttoning shoes to washing dishes, there is an easy and an awkward way of doing all work, as everyone well knows. Now, along comes the scientist, who says his experiment shows that, aside from feeling and looking more comfortable when you do your work in the right way, you also save considerable energy.

"This fact is one of several which recent experiments made by the office of home economics of the United States department of agriculture have disclosed. These experiments have been made for the purpose of determining the energy requirements of an individual in the various circumstances of his daily life and for use in estimating the amounts and kinds of food required by him to meet the needs of his body for energy."

"It was found in the homely everyday task of washing dishes that, when a woman washed dishes on a table so low that she was obliged to bend over, her energy output was thirty calories per hour. When she washed them on a table that was a little too high for comfort, it required twenty-five calories per hour, while only twenty-one calories were used when the working surface was of the right height.

"It doesn't take long to saw off the legs of a table or put blocks under it which will make it the right height."

### TEXAS BACKS WILSON.

Although the returns from the counties of Texas are still incomplete, it is known that the Democrats of the state have,

## THEY WAIT TWO NIGHTS IN VAIN FOR SIGNAL FROM MARS



Dr. Frederick H. Millener, standing, and Harvey L. Garmer at the instruments. "They don't answer," is the report Dr. Frederick H. Millener and Harvey L. Garmer were forced to make after spending two nights at the wireless station on Garmer's farm trying to get signals from Mars. The farm is near Cedar Creek, not far from Omaha, Neb.

by a great majority, endorsed President Wilson and his administration. This will not be encouraging to the Republicans, who hoped to thrive during a period of friction and discontent among the Democrats, or to those Democrats who are disposed to criticize the President and his achievements.

Democratic leaders who are supporting the Wilson administration declare that the action of the Democratic voters was defeat for Senator Bailey.

But, more important than a Bailey defeat or victory, the returns indicate that the Democrats of Texas are determined to be united, strong and harmonious in the great national campaign this year.

### RANGER'S USUAL QUICK ACTION

Overcoming such obstacles as shortages of materials and delay in delivery of materials, Ranger has made a good stride in the work of street and road improvement.

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It is pleasant to have good roads in the summer months. They add to the zest of riding or walking, and please the eye. But it is when winter comes that we understand fully the value of good roads.

Everyone should do all in his power to help along the street and road improvements for everyone will in some way enjoy the benefits of what is accomplished.

Don't leave anything undone until winter sets in if it is possible to do it during the summer and fall.

Every yard of improved street or road in or around Ranger will add something to Ranger's future growth and prosperity.

### THE PUBLIC—CHIEF LOSER.

When the railroad managers again took control of the lines a short time ago they were busy for several weeks with the pleasant task of pointing out the blunders made while the government had control.

President S. M. Felton of the Chicago Great Western railroad and other railroad officials declared that increased wages to workmen and increased cost of materials had made it necessary to decrease expenditures for maintenance of the way. It was asserted that the government control had resulted in great neglect of such necessary work as rail and tie laying. It was asserted that there was a great decrease in the rails and ties laid when the government administration was in charge. And, while scrimping and pinching, it was said, the governments operated the railroads at a heavy loss.

While this fault finding was going on, the switchmen went out on their unauthorized strike.

And with the strike came new losses, and losses to the public.

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It was the old story over again. Losses—with the public the chief loser. The burden of losses through government control of railroads fell upon the public.

The burden of losses in the strike fell chiefly upon the public.

When burdens fall, they have a habit of falling squarely upon the shoulders of the public.

## PRUSSIA HOLDS LEAD OF FRANCE IN POPULATION

PARIS, May 3.—France continued to fall behind Prussia in population during the war, according to figures furnished by the National Alliance for the Growth of the French Population.

In the years of 1875-76, when the first census after the Franco-Prussian war was taken in each country, France surpassed Prussia in population by more than 11,000,000. The low French birth rate enabled Prussia to gain so rapidly that Prussia has passed France several hundred thousand when the world war broke out.

During the war the population of France diminished by 973,440, while that of Prussia diminished 312,827.

### WOULD BAR AIRGUNS.

International News Service. BEARDSTOWN, Ill., May 3.—Indignant over the careless and promiscuous use of airguns by prankish boys at Beardstown, the chief of police there is endeavoring to bring airguns under the ban of gun toting.

## WARSHIP WITHOUT CREW IS THOUGHT NAVY POSSIBILITY

LONDON, May 3.—Is the time approaching, asks a naval correspondent of the Daily Mail, when sea battles will be fought with crewless ships maneuvered by wireless from a station ashore?

Such a development has been predicted by scientists. And the remarkable success achieved recently by British naval investigators induces a belief that it may be attained one day.

By using Hertzian waves the wireless signals of the British fleet have succeeded in controlling torpedo craft at a distance of some miles. During the experiment a destroyer was maneuvered at will by wireless.

Nobody aboard the vessel touched her wheel. She was steered wholly by wireless, and steered easily. The demonstration was a striking success.

Other remarkable feats have been done with wireless, such as burning a ship's searchlights. In fact, only those naval scientists who are experimenting with this medium know just what they can do with it—and they are only at the beginning of things.

Although the application of wireless to the control of vessels and torpedoes is not a new idea, the latest results obtained in the British navy are considerably in advance of any that have gone before.

In 1917 the Germans made an ineffectual attempt to attack British ships off the Belgian coast with electrically directed torpedo boats. These craft were run by means of a wire, on the same principle as the Brennan torpedo, and had an aeroplane equipped with wireless "spotting" for them.

As weapons of attack they were useless, being far less effective than those two other ugly "war babies," the magnetic torpedo and the magnetic mine.

## JOHN-A-DREAMS

### VII. FRUITS THAT GROW ON DREAM-TREES.

Before me lies a letter from a lady who writes that once a month at least she dreams of fruit. At times she sees it is glistening on weighted boughs, at others she eats it and not infrequently she offers it to friends. These are strange dreams, indeed, and because the writer failed to tell me of the incident which accompanied her sleep experiences, I will try to answer her question by giving her merely the meaning of various fruits as I believe to know them.

Speaking generally, to dream of fruit in season means good luck, out of season, ill fortune. A heap of mixed fruits usually means joy and gain. To leave it untouched is a sign that you are growing undecided in the more important affairs of your life and the dream contains the admonition to approach your problems in a firmer way than has been your habit of late. To eat fruit offered you by a man is a sign that someone loves you dearly, but is too timid to tell you of his affection. If a woman offers you fruit and you eat it, you will be a victim of deception. If you throw it away you will have trouble through the envy of others. If the fruit feels dry and coarse to your touch, a very unpleasant or arduous task will be burdened upon you.

In a general way the following is the meaning of various fruits:

APPLES—If you pluck them from a tree you will be persecuted. If they are ripe and red, no matter what you may do with them, they mean joyous laughter. If they are sour, they foretell and ugly quarrel. If you gather them in your pockets, you will receive a pretty gift.

APRICOTS—To merely see them means a disappointment or a slight illness. To eat them is an excellent omen.

ALMONDS—Whether fresh or dry, they mean contentment and pleasant hours. If seen on a tree (a very rare dream) they foretell exceptional success.

CHERRIES—Their meaning is health. However, if a woman stands near you as you see or gather them, you will be held up to ridicule. If you eat them, the joys of love are beckoning you. If they stain your fingers you must be very careful in trusting some of the persons with whom you spent the day or evening preceding your dream. There is at least one of them who, though professing to like you, has evil designs.

CHESTNUTS—If you eat them raw, your mind is turning from indecision to resolution and you will find yourself stronger will than before your

dream. If they are boiled or roasted, you will be undecided and greatly troubled by small problems.

GRAPES—A succession of pleasant experiences of a minor sort is in store for you.

ORANGES—If sweet, they mean something connected with the styles of the day; you will perhaps receive a new garment or similar gift. If sour, they foretell tears of disappointment.

PEACHES—Invariably they are messengers of good news.

PEARS—To eat them means tidings of illness. To gather them, festivities. To offer them to others, that you will be guilty of an injustice to one who cares for you. To have them offered to you, treachery by the giver.

PLUMS—Forbidden pleasure which you had better shun, lurk in this dream.

POMEGRANATES—Unexpected power over those who have hitherto been your masters.

LEMONS—An unpleasant experience.

To dream of seeing strange fruit which you are unable to identify, is a sign of misunderstandings.

In the next chapter I shall tell you of the orbs that glow in the sky.

John-A-Dreams will be glad to interpret dream experiences sent to the Editor of the Ranger Daily Times, by its readers. No replies will, however, be given privately and no fee will at any time be asked, or accepted. It is distinctly understood that there can be no guarantee when such questions will be answered, though every effort will be made to satisfy inquirers within three or four weeks.

### MILADY OF FASHION TO WEAR FEATHERS ON FEET

International News Service. NEW YORK, May 3.—Feathers of various shapes and sizes are to sprout from shoe-tops, according to Mme. Jean Crikboon, a Paris fashion writer, who arrived from Havre on La Touraine. She came for funds to care for Paris shop girls, and told of the latest Paris fad.

Many Mercury-footed girls have appeared on the boulevards there.

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Novel negligee worn by Gloria Swanson.

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SPORTS

Nitro Players Fail to Pluck Abilene Birds

In a pitchers' contest to see who could issue the most walks, "Bugs" Young's Eagles had all the luck winning the third game of the opening series from "Big" Jim Galloway's Nitros yesterday, 9 to 8.

A total of seventeen free passes were issued by the pitchers and two bases were given from batsmen being hit by pitched balls. Galloway used two slabsmen and Young four.

Abilene started the merry race in the first inning. Allison, lead off man, touched Crow for a single to left. White was an easy out. Crow to Shires. Young, in a clean two-bagger, scored Allison. Kassar and Seg were out.

In the same inning the Nitros' lead off man, Smith, whiffed. McDougal walked. Mooney sacrificed and was out at first. Galloway walked. Tate walked. Shires singled, scoring McDougal and Galloway.

Abilene scored twice in the third, and three times in the fifth.

In the sixth the Nitros on four walks, two two-baggers and two singles, garnered six runs, making the count 8 to 6.

In the first half of the eighth, Carl Hill, first man up for the Eagles, walked. Roberts singled. Allison doubled, scoring Roberts and Hill. White grounded to Tate at third. Tate made a wild throw to first. White was safe, and Allison scored the winning run. The Nitros failed to register again.

The Score. RANGER—ABRHP O A E. Smith, ss 4 1 1 2 5 2. McDougal, rf 3 1 0 0 0 0. Mooney, cf 4 0 1 1 0 0. Galloway, 2b 2 2 1 4 3 0. Tate, 3b 2 1 2 0 2 1. Shires, lb 4 0 1 15 0 0. Lovvace, rf 4 1 0 2 0 0. Shaw, c 4 1 1 3 3 2. Crow, p 0 0 0 0 1 0. Mungler, p 3 1 0 0 2 0. Browning, p 1 0 1 0 0 0.

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Summary: Two base hits, Young Shaw Galloway, Allison; stolen bases, Tate; strike outs, by Presley 1, Carroll 6, Hill 2, Mungler 2; base on balls, off Presley 5, Carroll 5, Norton 1, Crow 3, Mungler 3; hit by pitcher, Smith, Tate and Young; passed balls, Pemberton 1, Shaw 1; wild pitches, Hill 1, Mungler 2. Umpires Hines, pitcher; Dale, bases. Time of game 2:30.

NITRO NOTES.

Big Jim Galloway, while not breaking up any ball game with his fielding, had a good day. He got one two-bagger when it was needed. A walk and several two runs. In his fielding he covered the ground from home plate to center field.

Allison for the visitors, featured. In four times at the plate he garnered two hits and three runs. Not so bad even in yesterday's game.

In the last half of the ninth, Galloway sent Big Boy Browning in to pinch hit for Shaw. Browning promptly delivered a two-base blow, in spite of the fact that he is out of the game with a Charley Horse.

The only perfect batting average of the day goes to Tate. In five times up he got two singles, and three walks.

"DUTCH" REUTHER GETS SLOW START



Walter Reuther.

The failure of Dutch Reuther to win two of his first three starts this season has caused the Cincinnati fans—and the fans in other towns of the big show—some surprise. Reuther was one of Moran's best last season and appeared right when the Reds broke up their training camp.

Last year the big southpaw proved a bearcat at opening series against the different clubs, winning nine out of twelve opening games he hurled.

Reuther can hardly be called an exception to the general condition of Moran's pitchers right now. It has been the Reds' batting staff that has kept them going so far.

Dutch's lame start needn't cause Red fans any worry, however. The big fellow hasn't shown any indication of being far off form. He just got away bad. He'll step into his usual gait pretty soon and add his quota of victories to the Red list.

Sunday's Results. Chicago 7, St. Louis 3. Cleveland 5, Detroit 2. Philadelphia 4, Washington 5. Boston 1, New York 7.

Games Today. Chicago at St. Louis. Cleveland at Detroit. Philadelphia at Washington. Boston at New York.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Brooklyn—R H E. Philadelphia 001 000 200 000 1-4 10 2. Brooklyn 000 000 201 000 0-3 5 4.

Standing of the Clubs. Clubs—Games Won Lost Pct. Cincinnati 13 9 4 .692. Brooklyn 13 8 5 .615.

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Games Today. Brooklyn at Boston. New York at Philadelphia. Chicago at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Sunday's Results. At New York—R H E. Boston 000 001 000-1 8 1. New York 000 005 118-7 13 2.

Standing of the Clubs. Clubs—Games Won Lost Pct. Chicago 11 9 2 .818. Cleveland 13 10 3 .769.

Sunday's Results. Chicago 023 000 200-7 14 1. St. Louis 010 101 000-3 8 1.

Games Today. Chicago at St. Louis. Philadelphia at Washington. Boston at New York.

SCHEDULE WEST TEXAS LEAGUE 1920. ABILENE THE, CISCO TIMES, EASTLAND LEADS, GORMAN IN, MINERAL WELLS WEST, RANGER TEXAS.

Georges Carpentier Did Not Come to America to Battle Dempsey But to Face Footlights, Opinion

When Georges Carpentier, heavyweight champion of Europe, came to this country, he did not do so with any intention of engaging in a battle for the world's title with Jack Dempsey, opinion says.

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WEST TEXAS LEAGUE. Clubs—Games Won Lost Pct. Ranger 3 2 1 .667. Gorman 3 2 1 .667.

Sunday's Results. Abilene 3, Ranger 8. Gorman 11, Cisco 4. Mineral Wells 6, Eastland 5.

Games Today. Abilene at Ranger. Eastland at Mineral Wells. Gorman at Cisco.

The fates have played an unkind trick to Frank Frisch, recruit third baseman of the Giants. Just as the boy was set to shine at the hot corner left vacant by Heinie Zimmerman he was stricken with appendicitis and will be out of the game for a couple of months.

Frisch came to the Giants last year direct from Forham college, where he won a name for himself in collegiate baseball and other sports. He broke into twenty games at third base for the Gotham team last season and proved a brilliant fielder right off the reel.

He may not be able to hit as effectively as Heinie for some time, but he lacks little as a fielder right now. He is fast, thinks quickly, has plenty of nerve in handling hard hit drives and meeting base runners, and, what is more important, handles himself well in playing any kind of a chance.

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FEDERAL LEAGUERS SLIPPING FROM SIGHT; LESS THAN A SCORE STILL IN THE BIG SHOW



Left to right: Leslie Mann, Benny Aaufl and Howard Ehmke. Below: Eddie Roush.

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McGraw HAS INFIELD PROBLEM TO SOLVE



Large picture shows group of Giants warming up at San Antonio, Tex. Left to right are: Chick Bowen, Infielder Frisch, Pitcher Ryan, Outfielder Burns and Pitcher Jess Barnes. Below is Infielder Eddie Sicking, at left, and Catcher Earl Smith.

Jawn McGraw hasn't told a word of the 1920 race and give the other National league players a call of the 1920 race and give the

Bag to the Giants. Which means that Jawn is busier than usual trying to get a crew rounded into

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### Convict Escapes From Death House In Big Blizzard

International News Service.  
 RAYMONS, Wyoming, May 3.—Bert Lofton, considered one of the most recalcitrant inmates of the Wyoming state penitentiary, engineered an escape from the death house more daring and sensational than that staged by "Vanishing Bill" Carlisle, the notorious train robber who eluded armed forces for nearly a month before his recapture.  
 Lofton left the prison sans shoes, stockings and hat, and clad only in thin striped convict garb, while a snowstorm, accompanied by cold high winds, raged.  
 William Smith, another convict, escaped with Lofton, but was taken before he got outside the great gray walls of the institution.  
 In the death cell to which both Lofton and Smith had been committed because of their "meanness" is a lavatory. The lavatory drain enters through a hole in the hard steel wall of the cell, which hole was covered by a sheet of malleable steel, against this softer steel covering Lofton laboriously scratched with needles that he had stolen from the prison shirt factory. When he became weary, Smith relieved him at the task. Eventually the needle cut through the softer steel and the plate was separated from the wall of the cell. The convicts tore the pipe apart, and crawled through the aperture to a corridor that led from the death house to the main part of the prison.  
 Still using the needle, Lofton picked the lock of the huge steel door that barred his progress and found himself free of the death cell's restrictions. Unobserved, Lofton and Smith scaled three tiers of cells and gained access to the prison attic. Breaking the concrete and slate of the roof of the building they emerged into open air on top of the prison building.  
 With a spring blizzard—cutting wind and stinging snow—raging, the pair jumped from the roof of the building to the ground below, utilizing some bedding obtained in the attic to soften the impact with the frozen ground. Finding a bar of iron, Lofton bent it into a hook, tied it to a piece of rope and cast the hook to the top of the prison wall. Climbing the rope, Lofton dropped twelve feet to freedom just as guards arrived and captured Smith.  
 Immediately news of the prisoner's

escape was spread throughout the surrounding country, but from the moment the storm swallowed the hatless, shoeless and stockingless convict no trace of him has been discovered.  
 His successful escape parallels that of William Carlisle, who made his way to temporary freedom by hiding in a box of shirts being shipped from the prison factory, but was later captured after being shot by a deputy sheriff in one of the most sensational man hunts Wyoming has ever known.  
 Lofton was serving a five-year sentence for grand larceny and because of his "general enmity" was confined to the death house.

### BIG BARBECUE STARTS DRILL AT GUADALUPE'S LATEST OIL WELL

SEGUIN, Texas, May 3.—A big barbecue participated in by most of the prominent business men of Seguin together with the promoters, drillers and crew of the Norton-Hoffman No. 1, last week, marked the beginning of drilling operations on Guadalupe county's latest oil well. The well is being drilled with a Lucy special rotary to start with but later a standard rig will be used.  
 In addition to its drilling activities on this well the Norton-Hoffman syndicate is extending its activities to other holdings in this vicinity, preparations being made to put a number of shallow wells in the southern part of the country on the pump to test them out.  
 The Slusher Oil company of Houston, drilling on the Jahn farm south of the Guadalupe river, resumed operations this week after a slight delay. This hole, being drilled with a standard rig, is among the Capote hills where iron ore has been found. The remains of antique shafts, operated probably by Indians or Mexicans in the early days of Texas still remain in these hills.  
 Paul W. Smith, Fort Worth, of Smith & Jergins, which concern is drilling the Tieman No. 1, visited here this week to inspect his holdings and for the purpose of acquiring more. He expressed himself as well pleased with the progress and showing of the well which is now down nearly 1,600 feet.  
 Operators will begin drilling the test on Hamilton-Walker's Manor No. 1 at 1,200 feet, in the next few days. Cement was poured the latter part of last week and is being given ten days to set. Drillers believe they are on top of a good, oil-bearing sand and expect quick results.

### TWO THOUSAND STAR TEXAS ATHLETES AT U. OF T. MEET

By CORRINE FLOOD,  
 Student at University of Texas.  
 AUSTIN, May 3.—Complete returns have been made by eighteen of the thirty-two districts of the University of Texas Interscholastic league, and partial returns have been received from the others. These reports show that in nearly every case contests were held in all the divisions provided, and indicate that approximately 2,000 winners of the various district meets will come to Austin for the state contests on May 6, 7 and 8.  
 Prizes for the state winners, in the form of loving cups and medals, are ready, and on display in the windows of the University Co-operative store. Cups are offered for the winners of debate, declamation and essay writing, in all divisions, for the champion tennis team, and for the winning teams in both junior and senior athletics. These cups are held by the winners for one year, and become the permanent property of the winning school when held for three consecutive years. Medals awarded in track and other events to individuals are the permanent property of the contestants receiving the awards.  
 Committees of both faculty and students are working on arrangements for the entertainment of delegates and teachers accompanying them.

### NOTED LONDON BEAUTY DECIDES TO ACT FOR THE MOVING PICTURES

International News Service.  
 LONDON, May 1.—Lady Eden, regarded as one of the most beautiful women in England, is to act for the "movies," according to an announcement made recently.  
 Her portrait, as typical of English beauty, has been painted by a number of well known artists and it was one of her pictures that led to a dispute with Whistler, which was fought out in the Paris law courts. Her late husband, Sir William Eden, who died in 1915, was a very talented amateur artist.  
 For her work in the war, Lady Eden was created an officer of the British Empire and a Lady of Grace of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem. She lost two sons in the war and her third son, Sir Timothy Eden, who was studying in Berlin at the outbreak of hostilities, was interned. Her only daughter, Lady Brooke, is the wife of the Earl of Warwick.

### TWO CHAMP FIGHTERS ARRIVE IN U. S. TO JOHN CARPENTIER; WILL SEEK BATTLES



Georges Papin, at left, and Jules Linaers.  
 Two more foreign fighters have joined the host of European boxers now showing their wares in the U. S. These two new arrivals are doubly interesting because they are under the hypnotic eye of M. Desamps, manager of Georges Carpentier. Georges Papin, one of the two, is lightweight champion of France. Jules Linaers, the other, is champion middleweight of Belgium. He has been Carpentier's sparring partner.

### KANSAS FARMERS DISCUSS STANDARD WAGES FOR HANDS

International News Service.  
 HUTCHINSON, Kan., May 3.—A standard wage for harvest hands throughout Kansas will be discussed, along with other harvest problems, at a "Wheat Harvest Labor Conference" of farmers, wheat growers and state officials here today. The Kansas State Agricultural college of Manhattan, is promoting the conference.  
 The standard wage set last year was

fifty cents an hour for ten hours, with overtime extra. The central and central western parts of the state paid as high as \$7.50 a day, while in the eastern part it went as low as \$3.50. The high wage, however, was \$15 a day.  
 Efforts will be made to iron out these differences this year, and to set a standard wage. Increases are expected, because common labor is drawing from five to eight cents an hour more this year than last.  
 A girl student of the University of Rome has won a \$20,000 prize offered by the Italian government for the best book written on the subject, "The Great War."

### BEGINS AT BOTTOM; NOW HE'S AT TOP



Harry L. Gessford, who entered the Washington police department as a clerk in 1881, has been made major and superintendent of the Washington, D. C., police. He succeeds the late Raymond Pullman, whose appointment was unique in that he was a newspaper man.

### MORTUARY

**ROY GENTRY.**  
 Roy Gentry, aged 20 years died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He is survived by a brother, A. W. Gentry, residing here.  
 Burial will be held this afternoon at the Old Colony cemetery, several miles from town.  
**FERN MAXWELL.**  
 Fern Maxwell, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Maxwell, who reside on the Eastland hill, died yesterday morning.  
 Burial will take place in the Old Colony cemetery this afternoon.  
**MISS OMMIA HOGG.**  
 Miss Omma Hogg of this city died early yesterday morning at the age of twenty years. Burial took place yesterday afternoon at a cemetery on the Desdemona road.  
 Deceased is survived by a brother living near Ranger.  
**MOTHERS' CLUB MEETS AT MRS. WHITE'S HOME**  
 The Mothers' club of the Young school will meet with Mrs. J. M. White, 1121 Pershing, Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. More than usual interest has characterized the work of the club since its organization and a full attendance is earnestly requested during the last meetings of the school year.

### CONVICT GANG OF 12 SAVED STATE \$100,000

International News Service.  
 AUBURN, N. Y., May 1.—A convict gang of twelve, all members of the Mutual Welfare league in the state prison here, has saved the state of New York \$100,000. That was accomplished when, by the use of dynamite and a steam shovel, combined with a determination of purpose, the twelve men cut through a high ridge overlooking Seneca lake. The object was to prepare for the building of a highway through that section. The work was started last December and finished in April.

### AMERICAN EDUCATOR TO LECTURE IN ALASTIA

By Associated Press.  
 NEW YORK, May 3.—Charles Downer Hazen, author and professor of history in Columbia university, has been granted leave of absence for the academic year beginning July 1, to lecture at the University of Strassbourg. Professor Hazen is the first American scholar to be called to Strassbourg since the historic Alastian institution reverted to French control as an incident of allied victory. He will begin work there in September.  
 It is no uncommon sight in Spain to see women smoking cigarettes while dining.  
 Before being married in Norway a girl must first secure a certificate showing that she can cook.

### LORD LANSDOWNE'S ELDEST SON AND WIFE ARRIVE IN UNITED STATES FOR A VISIT



Lord and Lady Kerry, photographed on their arrival.  
 Among the foreign nobility to arrive in the U. S. the last few days on pleasure and on business are Lord and Lady Kerry. Lord Kerry is the eldest son of Lord Lansdowne.

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