

COMPLETE PLANS FOR G. O. P. SHOW DOWN

ROAD WORKERS TO BURY BONE OF CONTENTION

Desdemona Highway Routing Shelved for a Year

The bone of contention between Ranger and Eastland road representatives—the routing of the Desdemona highway—is buried for a year. Construction of that road cannot be undertaken before that time, with the volume of work the county highway department has mapped out. When it is, delegates of the committee interested—Ranger, Eastland and Desdemona—will be called together and the question of the routing of the road determined according to their joint action.

These were decisions reached at a conference of County Judge C. R. Starnes, W. R. Eccles and Rollen J. Windrow with the Chamber of Commerce good roads committee Saturday afternoon.

The county officers and highway commissioners were guests of the Chamber of Commerce at luncheon Saturday, at Scott's cafe. The committee was represented by M. H. Hagaman, chairman; R. H. Hodges, L. R. Taylor, M. H. Smith, Ralph G. Stockman, President H. S. Cole and Manager J. E. F. Peters of the Chamber of Commerce were present.

Judge Starnes, explaining the proposed routing of the road by way of Staff, the Ranger branch joining the road two miles west of town and the Eastland branch joining farther south, said that Eastland interests protested that the line was not near enough to the direct route to Staff. Ranger interests prefer that the road be routed over the ridge route, by Chaney, a saving of four miles which, Judge Starnes said, is lost in the extension of the Eastland road to join it.

A conference of the interested men of the three cities was suggested, and it was decided that since no action can be taken this year, the matter could rest until work on the road was imminent. Mr. Eccles said that the Ranger routing was much more direct, but said that said was encountered.

Commissioner Windrow, who is on a trip of inspection over the Bankhead highway route, told of progress in the extreme west and said that to the east, Palo Pinto and Hopkins counties were the only ones which had not financed the road, which he characterized as "the most important state highway." Designation of the "Oil Belt highway" which passes through Stephens and Eastland counties has not been made, he said.

Hoover Tells What Might Have Been in Sugar

NEW YORK, May 29.—Charging the government with the present high cost of sugar, Herbert Hoover, testifying here before the joint legislative committee investigating profiteering, declared sugar now would be realising for twelve to thirteen cents a pound had the sugar equalization board been authorized to purchase Cuba's raw sugar supply at six and one-half cents.

Mr. Hoover said he would list the eight predominant causes of the high cost of living as follows:

- "First, shortage in commodities due to underproduction in Europe and our participation therein through the drain upon us by exports.
- "Second, inflation, especially in its expansion of our credit facilities for purposes or uses of speculation and non-essential industry.
- "Third, profiteering and speculating arising from the combined opportunities afforded in the various two items.
- "Fourth, maladjustments of taxation, particularly the excess profits tax.
- "Fifth, decrease in our own productivity due to the relaxation of effort since the war, to strikes and other causes.
- "Sixth, increase in our own consumption, waste or commodities, and the increase of extravagance.
- "Seventh, deterioration of our transportation system during the war.
- "Eighth, an expensive and wasteful distribution system, and other causes of less importance."

Amplifying an opening statement, Mr. Hoover declared there was no question that the amount of speculation and profiteering has been considerable. The remedy for these evils, he said, lay in the reduction of credits and inflation, pending a stimulus to production and reduced consumption, or vigorous regulation and intervention of the government in commerce of the war time variety.

The American Sugar Refining company today advanced the price of sugar one cent to twenty-two and a half cents, making the third advance of its kind within a week.

"The necessity for this advance arises by reason of the increasing cost to the company of raw sugar," read a statement issued by the company.

TEACHERS' PAY UP IN RANGER 10-20 PER CENT

Grade School Instructors Average \$1,100; High School \$1,500.

The pay of Ranger school teachers was raised yesterday from 10 to 20 per cent by the trustees, who met in the Farmers & Merchants bank. Several teachers also were employed for the coming school year.

This addition in salary brings the pay of grade teachers to \$1,100 a year and that of high school teachers to \$1,500.

For the benefit of all women instructors the school board maintains a teachers' club, which is operated on the most plus plan. By this method the board and room for teachers for the past term of school has averaged but \$40 a month.

Many of the instructors will not return. The following teachers were chosen for the coming fall term: P. E. MacDonall, superintendent; Miss Gertrude Hooker, principal of the High school; Miss Lola Hooker, domestic science; Miss Fannie Malzacher, history; Miss Mavis Douglass, English; Miss Beulah Spear, intermediate supervisor; Miss Nell Gilpin, primary supervisor; Miss Nona McEntire, principal of Young school; J. W. McCord, principal of Cooper school.

The following grade teachers were named: Misses Jenny Hair, Roberta Gilpin, Laine Clime, Mable Kerley, Amina Goodwin, Tansy Garber, Ruth Rathliffe, Gladys Everett, Ava Johnston, Sallie Banlin and Mrs. C. P. Nolan.

Instructors in mathematics, Spanish, science, commercial instruction and several of the lower grade positions are yet to be named.

Indict Woman As Slayer of Two Husbands

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 29.—Mrs. Lillian Broerick Woolcock was today indicted for first degree murder in connection with the death of her second husband, Joseph Woolcock.

The woman has also been indicted on a first degree charge in connection with the death of her first husband, Thomas T. Broerick, who died in October, 1916.

Ursula Broderick, fifteen year daughter of the accused woman, has assumed the responsibility in connection with the death of her father. She is under sentence, but is at liberty under \$10,000 bail, pending a motion for a new trial. Woolcock was murdered in April, 1918 and, according to the girl's testimony she shot him in order to defend her honor.

MAN KILLED BY TRAIN; SEEK TWO ROBBERS

HAMILTON, Ohio, May 29.—Police here are searching for two men who are said to be responsible for the death of Albert Peter, 40 years old, 404 South Fifth Street, whose mangled body was found on the railroad tracks here, 300 feet from the South Third street crossing.

It was said that Peter was in a pool-room until after midnight, and that when he left he was followed by two men. Near the Third street crossing the men are said to have attacked him and left his unconscious body lying across the tracks. A west bound freight train is thought to have passed over the body a few minutes later.

His watch and \$75 were missing when the body was found by George Lothes, a dairyman. The address of his sister, Dora Bolander, 1149 Poplar Street, Cincinnati, was found in his bank book.

PLAN TO HUNT GRIZZLY WITH BOW AND ARROWS

International News Service.
CODY, Wyo., May 29.—Ned Felt, noted Rocky mountain big game guide, hasn't much faith in the efficiency of bows and arrows as a weapon to hunt grizzly bears in their native haunts.

Felt has agreed to pilot a party of wealthy easterners into the "bear country" around Yellowstone park, where the "tenderfeet" plan to knock off a few bears in a display of their fine archery.

Felt has announced that he will tote a repeating rifle himself.

BUDGET SYSTEM BILL GIVEN FAVORABLE VOTE

WASHINGTON, May 29.—With a record vote the conference report of the McCormick-Good bill providing for a central budget system was adopted. The bill now goes to the president.

American Sugar Refining company and W. W. Green, its general manager, were charged with having sold sugar at excessive prices. The complaints asserted that the companies had made millions of dollars by hoarding and regulating the price.

They Are Not Forgotten



COMMITTEE IS NAMED TO AID ROADS TIE UP

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Appointment of a special committee representing the railroads with authority similar to that of the railroad board of 1917 to cooperate with the Interstate Commerce Commission in reducing the present congested condition of freight and to exercise some authority in connection with transportation, was announced by De Witt Cuyler.

The committee is to serve as a connecting link between the Commerce Commission and the roads, Mr. Cuyler said, and is expected to aid the commission in carrying out with the greatest efficiency its orders relating to freight congestion.

TOP PRICES FOR HARVARD. YALE GRIDIRON BATTLE

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 29.—Top notch prices will be in order for Harvard's football games with Yale and Princeton next fall. The athletic committee of the Cambridge institution has agreed with its greatest rivals that the price of every seat in the stadium for the Princeton game or in Yale bowl will be three dollars a head. With a seating capacity of 80,000 at Yale, the increase insures the promoting colleges more than \$80,000 more money than in previous years, or \$240,000 in all.

FARMERS WILL STORE WHEAT CROP THIS YEAR

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 29.—Farmers here were advised to prepare immediately to store this year's wheat crop on their farms in a resolution adopted today by representatives of all wheat growing counties of the state, in session here. A committee headed by A. D. Campbell of Zeary was appointed to confer with bankers and the state officials to work out a plan for financing the crop until it can be marketed.

DALLAS SALESMAN IS ORDERED OUT OF CHATANOOGA TENN.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 29.—W. C. Riggles, claiming to be a traveling salesman of Dallas, was fined \$50 and costs in municipal court today and was given twelve hours to leave the city. He was charged with inciting labor disturbances. Riggles is said to have had an immense amount of money and letters directing his activities.

WOOD ASKS FOR HARMONY IN REPUBLICAN PARTY

ELIZABETH, N. J.—Major General Leonard Wood, conferring with Republican state leaders here tonight, renewed his plea for harmony in the Republican party and urged Republicans to "all get together on a constructive policy that will not hinder our chances this fall."

Fear of the spread of radicalism was belittled by Major General Wood who declared "it was nothing to speak of."

He suggested keeping young men on farms as means of bringing down the cost of living.

Major General Wood left tonight for Vermont.

FRENCH AGREE TO RETURN OF SOLDIER DEAD

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Under an agreement with the French government the return of all soldier dead in the military zone of France will be begun after Sept. 15.

Ralph Hayes, assistant secretary to Secretary Baker, who recently returned from France, where he completed arrangements with the French government, has said in a report that the objections to removal raised by the French government had been chiefly waived in April. Removals will be limited to those bodies for the return of which relatives have specifically asked.

Hayes reaffirmed the policy of the war department to defer to the wishes of relatives completely. Returns from inquiries sent that 59 per cent of those who filled out the questionnaire asked that the bodies be brought home. Those which remain in France will be "fittingly and tenderly" cared for by the government in fields of honor especially prepared for that purpose.

WOOD CAMPAIGN FUND WAS WELL OVER A MILLION

WASHINGTON, May 29.—A campaign fund of \$1,200,000 was raised for Major General Leonard Wood, A. A. Sprague of Chicago, treasurer of the Wood organization, testified today before the Senate investigation committee.

Mr. Sprague said contributions totaled \$358,788; that Colonel William Cooper Proctor, a Cincinnati manufacturer, had advanced \$521,000; A. E. Menell of New York \$100,000 and that the O'Brien Exchange National bank of Chicago and the Merchants Loan & Trust company of Chicago had each loaned \$100,000 on notes signed by Colonel Proctor.

Contributions to the campaign fund, Mr. Sprague said, included John D. Rockefeller Jr., \$25,000; A. E. Menell, \$20,000; William Wrigley Jr. of Chicago, \$10,000; H. M. Bylinby, \$15,000, and C. D. Schaefer of Chicago, \$10,000. He added that William Loeb, representing a New York committee, had forwarded \$225,000. Mr. Sprague testified that the whole deficiency between the amounts contributed and those spent was \$821,000. Replying to Senator Reed of Missouri, Democrat, he said that there was no understanding with any group of rich men that this was to be repaid.

The witness told the committee the agreement with Colonel Proctor was that his advance would be paid back. He said he had "very grave doubts" that it would be done, adding, that he expected to pay his note, referring to an instrument traced with one of the banks for \$100,000, signed by himself and Colonel Proctor.

ORIENT BACKERS Close Meeting At Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, May 29.—Representatives from western Texas interested in maintaining the Orient railroad as a going concern, assembled here today for a final conference. The committee is composed of farmers, business men and cattle men who will ask the government to allow the road a loan of sufficient size to enable the road to keep its 475 miles of trackage in West Texas in operation. The final hearing is set to take place in Washington June 3.

The association will make a most vigorous fight to save the line which is described as the life artery of the section it serves. Ten counties were represented in today's meeting. The Orient passes through seventeen counties.

CHICAGO RECEIVES FIRST DELEGATES TO NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

CHICAGO, May 29.—Delegates to the Republican national convention flocked into Chicago today. Many arrivals were from southern states and are large proportion of these men are negroes contesting seats from states where the race question has become a vital issue in party organizations.

The national committee's hearing on the 137 contests will start Monday and button-holes with the number of parties arriving here to interview the governing body to present advance arguments for their claims.

Campaign managers were perfecting their plans for the actual work of the convention. Shortly after noon Wood headquarters announced that Henry J. Allen, of Kansas, had been selected to make the principal nominating speech for Major General Leonard Wood. Later it was announced that George H. Walker of Seattle is to perform a similar office for Miles Poindexter of Washington. These announcements completed the list of principal candidates, excepting Governor Lowden and Herbert Hoover.

Clarence C. Miller, acting secretary of the national committee, was busy today arranging the rooms and offices of the committee at the Coliseum annex, in anticipation of their active use Monday. He was also busy seeing that the office of the committee was in shape for Will H. Hays, chairman, who will arrive Sunday.

Mr. Hays' first official act will be to entertain newspaper correspondents at a luncheon, when he will discuss with these and members of the committee who may

be there the selection of a permanent chairman for the convention.

Not all members of the committee will be here for the opening of the contest hearings. One of the knotty problems which confronts the committee is the redressing of over five delegations to a size that will permit of their being seated in the space reserved. This has placed several delegations in a quandary.

Statements issued from headquarters of all presidential candidates setting up the gains reputed to have been made during the week. Undiminished confidence was reflected in the announcement from Lowden, Wood and Johnson managers. The Lowden camp emphasized the announcement made by Jake Hannah of Oklahoma that the delegates from that state would vote solidly for the Illinois governor.

The Hoover headquarters took on added activity with the arrival of Winters from New York. There was a constant stream of callers at the Harding headquarters.

The first headquarters for a vice-presidential candidate was opened today. It will be devoted to the interests of Samuel Adams, of Virginia.

Mayor Thompson today appointed a committee to welcome the Republican National convention and delegates. It was announced that 2,000 automobiles and six bands have been placed at the disposal of the convention. Ten thousand dollars has been appropriated to entertain the visiting delegates and to decorate the principal streets of Chicago.

Mandate Issue Is Delayed by An Agreement

WASHINGTON, May 29.—President Wilson's request that Congress authorize a mandate over Armenia came under fire from both Democrats and Republicans today when the measure to deny such an authorization was brought up in the Senate.

From the Democratic side, however, came a proposal to soften the resolution by adding a provision extending militant aid in the economic upbuilding of the new republic. The plan was taken under advisement by Republicans so that the senators might study it and an agreement was made to defer until Monday any attempt to set a date for a vote.

Under the suggested program provision is presented by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska for the appointment of a joint commission of Americans and Armenians who would be authorized to supervise the sale here of \$50,000,000 in bonds. The proceeds would go to rebuild the railroads, for agricultural equipment and machinery and the establishment of an Armenian banking system.

Hitchcock said he believed the reported resolution would have the effect of "discouraging" the Armenian people. Senator Lodge, Republican leader, replied that the proposal to aid Armenia would be received with sympathy on his side but added that there were many ways whereby aid could be extended.

There was only a brief discussion of the President's resolution, which Senator Hitchcock said he did not intend to support. Several Democratic senators indicated their approval and Senator Williams of Mississippi, Democrat, said the United States should be ungrateful to its responsibility if it failed to accept the mandate.

Senator Jones of New Mexico and Robinson of Arkansas, Democrats, said the resolution involved an important question and a vote should not be taken without giving it serious consideration.

CASES AGAINST SUGAR MEN ARE DROPPED

FORT WORTH, May 29.—Criminal proceedings against three Fort Worth jobbers accused of selling sugar at too great a profit will be dismissed by the United States district attorney, it was announced today, because of an agreement effected a few days ago at Washington between the central authorities and representatives of all wholesale grocers.

RELIEF BILL PASSES HOUSE IN BIG STORM

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The soldiers' relief bill passed the House by a vote of 269 to 92 and was sent to the Senate today.

Under the program that brought the final showdown, a two-thirds vote in support of the measure was necessary to secure its passage, and it was obtained after a fight in which three test votes had indicated the defeat of the measure. While only the direct vote was possible under the suggested program the three test votes showed the supporters of the measure to be gradually gaining.

The first vote of 192 to 139, counting all preliminary advances, advocates were short by 64 votes of the two-thirds majority required, while the second was adopted by a vote of 200 to 165, showing they lacked but 37 votes. The third test was on applying the program on the bill, which was carried 175 to 91, or twenty-five under the required number.

Between roll calls the debate was heated. The Democrats, aided by a minority of Republicans, attacked the day rule in the face of the majority. Advocates of the suspension program finally wore down the opposition to forty Republicans and fifty Democrats.

Supporters of the bill declared it was in justice to the ex-service men for the motives and sufferings in the war; its opponents denounced the measure as a "political trick" to win the soldiers' vote through an attempt to "commercialize patriotism."

JOHNSON'S LEAD IS 161,207

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 29.—Senator Hiram W. Johnson defeated Herbert C. Hoover in the presidential preference primary in California May 4 by a majority of 161,207, according to official returns. The highest of the Johnson group of delegates received 370,819 votes and the highest the Hoover delegates polled was 209,612.

JOHNSON INCREASES LEAD.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 29.—Complete returns from twenty-two counties and incomplete returns from fourteen counties, including Curry county, increased Senator Johnson's lead over Major General Leonard Wood in last Friday's primary election to 1,524 votes, according to tabulation by the Portland Telegram.

NOOZIE

THE SUNSHINE KID.

OF COURSE I LOVE MY TEACHERS, BUT I WISH HER ALONG LONG VACATION.

Pay of Ranger Teachers, with raises effective next fall, is the highest in Texas.

FRENCH POLICE CHIEF WHO DIED OF SLEEPING ILLNESS WAS WELL KNOWN TO CROWNS

LONDON, May 29.—M. Paoli, the general secretary of the French prefecture of police, who died recently of sleeping sickness, was known the world over as the "guardian of kings." He was attached to all royal visitors to France as guide and protector and held forty-five decorations and gifts from royal personages.

Queen Victoria regarded him as an intimate friend. He was her constant companion when she went abroad, and as "my old and dear friend," she especially invited him to her Diamond Jubilee festivities.

"Her majesty had a heart of gold," he said once. Many and many a time I warned her that such and such an appeal for charity was undeserving, but she would usually reply with a smile:

"Paoli, it is better to make mistakes at times than to refuse to aid those who say they are in misery."

At Nice in 1896 the queen called Paoli to her and said, "I have always regretted not being able to repay the many kindnesses you have showered upon me by giving you a decoration. As English

decorations may not be given to foreigners, I have created a new order, and you are the first foreigner to receive it." And with that the queen handed her guardian the Cross of the Royal Victorian Order.

The late King Edward also had a deep affection for M. Paoli. When Paoli wrote his "memoirs" the king corrected the proofs with his own hand, as he had done previously when Paoli wrote a book as a tribute to Queen Victoria. Once at a theatre in Paris Paoli pointed out to the king, who was in the box, that King Leopold of Belgium was in the stalls.

"I am charmed to hear it," replied the king, and from that moment looked the other way, and left before the play was over.

In the vestibule afterwards Paoli paid his respects to King Leopold.

"We have had a parterre of kings this evening, sire," he said. "Did you know that King Edward of England was here?"

"Indeed!" replied Leopold with feigned astonishment. "I should have liked to have shaken hands had I known."

But the director told Paoli soon afterwards that King Leopold was aware of King Edward's presence, for, as he said, "I told him myself."

When Nasared-Din, Shah of Persia, was in Paris he wanted very much to see an execution. This was duly arranged by the never-failing Paoli. But the Shah at the last moment felt a certain pit for the murderer.

"Not that one—the other!" he cried, and selected (the public prosecutor).

King George I. of Greece made a journey one day to Culoz with only the faithful Paoli in attendance.

At the station an old woman mistook the king for a porter and made him fetch her basket of vegetables and get her ticket. She could not understand why he refused her tip.

Some "ladies of the fish market" at Nice, relates Paoli in one of his books, presented a bouquet to Queen Mary of England, then Duchess of York. They were shy, and at a loss what to do next, so Paoli said:

"Go and kiss that gentleman over there," pointing to Colonel Carington. The princess laughed until the tears ran down her cheeks as they flung themselves upon the squerry.

M. Paoli, who was a Corsican, was born in 1835.

ENTERS JOB WITH PROPER TRAINING



Roy S. MacElwee.

Roy S. MacElwee, nominated by President Wilson as director of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, has had training which would seem to fit him for the work. He was born in Michigan, raised in Indiana and educated in Europe. He has been associated with American firms in Berlin, Hamburg and Paris. He was later a lecturer at Columbia University. During the war he specialized in army transportation and port development work.

MOOSE LODGE HOLDS HOUSE NIGHT FOR MEMBERS & GUESTS

Cards, dominoes and pool for the more staid of the guests, with dancing, were the entertainment features of the housewarming last night by the Moose lodge to its members and friends. The occasion was the formal opening of the Moose hall. Several hundred guests were present.

The music was furnished by the lodge's orchestra. Refreshments were served throughout the evening. Charles (Irish) Buttmer entertained with character sketches.

The Moose hall is on Main street near Marston. Two rooms have been provided. In one the degree work is carried on. The other is a lounge room.

SILICA DEPOSIT IS SOON TO BE OPENED FOR NEW INDUSTRY

STAMFORD, TEXAS, May 29.—After a five days' survey of the silica deposits eight miles south of Sweetwater the Texas Consulting Company has rendered its report. The silica deposits cover an area of 320 acres, with strata averaging 33 feet in thickness. It is estimated that there are 23,000,000 tons of the mineral here.

The silica is found in the trinity sand, which is covered by a deposit of walnut clay, over which lies Edward's peak or plateau. Over this is a layer of Edward's lime. The deposit outcrops in many places. It will not be necessary to go through the strata to secure it. Erosion covering it varies in depth from one to fifteen feet. The proximity of the deposits to Sweetwater make for the economical utilization by the proposed new soap factory.

G. O. P. LEADERS ATTACKED BY DEMOCRATIC LEADERS

Political Test Applies to Every Proposal, Declares Hull

WASHINGTON.—Attacking the Republican leadership of Congress, Representative Cordell Hull, Tennessee, Democrat, declared in the house that a political test had been applied to almost every legislative proposal and that only Democratic Congress could be relied upon to bring about speedy and comprehensive reforms in taxation, not the heavy burden of the people.

Mr. Hull, who drafted the income tax law, charged that the Republican leaders had decided to let the tax-payers suffer and complain until after the Presidential election that they "might, perchance visit their wrath upon the Democratic administration and overlook this duplicity and deliberate failure of Congress to perform its plain duty."

By this policy, he added, leaders had been strenuously endeavoring to convert a nation of patriots into a nation of partisans.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ronald Lamm. Free, photographed after the wedding at the house of Viscountess Astor, in London.

REPUBLICANS AVOID ISSUE

BALTIMORE, Md.—The Republican State Convention, in session here, passed the prohibition issue to individual candidates and refused to go on record on the question as a party.

The convention ratified the choice of General Leonard Wood as the party's choice in the primary. Wood getting 1165 votes and Johnson 13.

Wichita, Kan., is planning a bond issue of \$1,000 to erect a memorial to the service men of the war with Germany.

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A Few of Our Many Specials

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- \$8.50 values now\$6.95

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- \$17.85 values now\$13.95
- \$18.45 values now\$14.45



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- \$3.00 values now\$2.25
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- \$ 8.50 values now\$6.45
- \$10.00 values now\$7.95
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- \$2.00 values\$1.45
- \$2.50 values\$1.95
- \$3.00 values\$2.45
- \$3.50 values\$2.95
- \$4.00 values\$3.25
- \$4.50 values\$3.75
- \$5.00 values\$4.25
- \$ 7.00 Silk Union Suits, sale price\$5.95
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- \$10.00 values, sale price\$8.45
- \$12.00 values, sale price\$9.45
- \$13.50 values, sale price\$10.95
- \$15.00 values, sale price\$11.95
- \$16.50 values, sale price\$13.45
- \$17.50 values, sale price\$14.45
- \$18.50 values, sale price\$14.95



Low Quarters

A delayed shipment has just arrived, and will be on sale.

- \$15.50 grade no w\$13.85
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- \$12.75 grade now\$10.00

Work Shoes

- \$ 8.50 grade now\$6.45
- \$10.00 values now\$8.45
- \$12.20 values now\$10.00
- \$14.40 values now\$11.10

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OPERATIONS IN RANGER FIELD

New production for the Ranger, Desdemona and Stephens county field for the week ending May 25 was 7,908 barrels. The following is a drilling report for Eastland county for the week ending May 25:

Transcontinental Oil company, Thorpe No. 1, 1,490, drilling.

Sammies Oil corporation, Bagget No. 1, 2,990, drilling.

Ajax Oil company, Bagget No. 1, 270, drilling.

A. D. Parker, 1,650, drilling.

Mid-Kansas, C. J. Harrell No. 2, 1, 285, drilling.

Root, Hupp and Duff, Connelley No. 4, 1,050, drilling; No. 5, 450, drilling; No. 6, 640, drilling; No. 7, rig.

States Oil corporation, Parrock No. 3, 1,703, cleaning out; No. 5, 1,060, drilling.

Magnolia Petroleum company, Loper No. 2, rig; No. 3, 3,314, producing 128 barrels; No. 4, 1,985, underreaming.

John Markham and Tidal, Vowell No. 1, 400, drilling.

Mid-Kansas, C. J. Harrell No. 4, 860, drilling.

Ranger, Texas, C. J. Harrell No. 2, rig.

Sinclair, T. J. Earnest No. 5, rig.

States Oil corporation, Holleman No. 6, 550, drilling; Loper Nos. 3 and 4 rigs; No. 6, 1,894, producing 75 barrels; H. L. Loper No. 4, rig, drilling; I. C. Harrell No. 4, rig; No. 7, 1,038, setting eight-inch; No. 9, 1,805, drilling; No. 12, 142, setting fifteen-inch.

T. P. Coal & Oil company, W. T. Barker No. 1, 685, drilling.

Sinclair Gulf, T. J. Earnest No. 4, 550, drilling.

T. P. Coal & Oil company, Mendor No. 9, rig.

Texas company, Beck No. 1, 2,246, drilling.

T. P. Coal & Oil company, Glynn No. 2, 1,650, drilling; Conner No. 3, 470, drilling.

New Domain Oil and Gas company, Bumgarner No. 1, 3,260, drilling.

Root, Hupp and Duff, Potest No. 13, 3,500, drilling.

Root & Telling, Bond No. 3, 1,915, producing 75 barrels.

Ross et al. Bumgarner No. 1, 3,035, drilling; Bond No. 2, 905, drilling.

States Oil corporation, J. W. Carter No. 1, 664, flowing 60 barrels; Davenport No. 1, 1,545, drilling; Hamor No. 1, 1,850, 8,000,000,000 gas; No. 2, 1, 815, 8,000,000,000 gas.

Chapman et al, Wright No. 4, rig.

Drillers Oil company, Barnes No. 3, 1,050, underreaming; No. 5, 3,537, producing 200 barrels.

Gladstone Oil company, Wright No. 4, 2,650, drilling.

Mildren et al, Harmony Church Lot No. 1, 3,324, 8,000,000,000 gas and 150 barrels oil.

Ranger Rock Island, Wright No. 6, 3,270, setting six-inch.

States Oil corporation, Dooley Tract No. 1, 3,341, drilling; No. 2, 420, drilling.

Texas company, Littleton No. 8, rig; No. 12, 3,515, fifty barrels, pumper.

Texas company, Littleton No. 15, 3,300, drilling by tools; No. 17, 850, drilling; No. 18, 2,480, drilling; No. 19, 3,220, setting six-inch; No. 20, skidding rig; No. 21, 810, drilling; Turner No. 4, 3,550, drilling; No. 6, 3,377, drilling; Boyd No. 6, 3,450, pumping 50 barrels; No. 23, 3,965, cleaning out; No. 25, 3,093, drilling; No. 26, 3,542, 300 barrels first 24 hours.

Vulcan Oil company, Hamor No. 3, rig.

John Markham, Danley No. 9, rig; No. 10, 3,428, swabbing 50 barrels.

Sun company, Maynard No. 4, 3,315, flowing 70 barrels; No. 5, 3,120, drilling.

T. P. Coal & Oil company, Terrell No. 7-A, 3,030, drilling.

Magnolia Petroleum company, Rock No. 15, 3,495, drilling.

T. P. Coal and Oil company, Davis No. 2, 2,680, drilling.

Gulf Production company, J. W. Ray No. 2, 3,316, drilling.

C. B. Shafer, Fike No. 1, rig.

Great Southern, Bumgarner No. 2, 2, 418, setting eight-inch.

New Domain, Downtain No. 1, 2,300, drilling; Williamson No. 1, 3,622, producing 1,000 barrels; Nos. 2 and 3, rigs.

Ross et al, J. C. Beard No. 2, 3,600, rig rebuilt.

Texas-Arizona Oil company, T. M. Johnson Nos. 1 and 2, rigs.

Chapman, Sue No. 8, 3,300, drilling.

Duke-Bark-Ranger, Niver No. 2, 3,440, drilling.

Empire Gas and Fuel company, Peoples No. 4, rig; Allen No. 5, 3,479, drilling.

Magnolia Petroleum company, J. M. Turner No. 5, 3,248, drilling; W. A. Harris No. 7, 3,325, straight reaming; No. 8, 3,225, drilling.

Royal Duke Oil company, J. R. Hanks No. 3, 3,540, drilling.

States Oil corporation, Mrs. M. E. Turner No. 2, 3,570, pumping 50 barrels.

Sun company, Daniels No. 2, rig.

T. P. Coal & Oil company, Norwood No. 17, 2,910, drilling; No. 21, 3,564, cleaning-out; No. 25, 795, drilling; No. 28, rig; No. 29, 3,490, producing 400 barrels.

Magnolia Petroleum company N. B. Harris No. 5, 3,241, setting six-inch; R. S. Harris No. 4, 3,350, drilling.

T. P. Coal & Oil company, C. E. Norwood No. 26, 1,500, drilling; J. E. Butler No. 20, 3,549, cleaning out after shot; J. E. Butler B-2, rig; B-3, 3,110, drilling; J. H. Flemmer No. 5, 1,110, drilling.

Arizona Braden Oil company, Kincaid No. 2, 3,347, producing 50 barrels; No. 8, 2,120, setting eight-inch.

F. E. Day Oil company, Caudle No. 1, 3,135, drilling.

Humble Oil & Refining company, Haig No. 1, 2,250, drilling.

Lykens et al, Allman No. 1, 3,434, making 100 barrels.

Mann-Rothwell Oil company, Conell No. 1, 3,153, setting six-inch.

Sapulpa Oil company, W. E. Pippin Jr. No. 1, 3,908, setting six-inch.

Unit Oil company, Burkett No. 1, 2, 900, drilling.

Alice Oil company, M. Hill No. 1, 1,900, drilling.

Sullivan, Downtain No. 1, 3,235, drilling.

Invincible Oil company, Wm. Sued No. 1, rig.

PERSONALS

D. Cohen, proprietor of the Silk Art shop, has gone to Mineral Wells on business.

Mrs. Eugene Reynolds left last night for Houston for several days' visit. Before returning home she will visit relatives in Austin.

Wheeler B. Hendon, president of the Bank of Crowder, of Crowder, Okla., is in the city on business.

T. R. Valliant left last night for a month's vacation in California and Colorado.

Mrs. Laura Livley, aunt, and Miss Frances Hall, sister to Mrs. C. J. Moore arrived in Ranger last night from their home in Dallas for a visit of several days with Mrs. Moore and family.

Henry Boyd is being sought by the local chapter of the American Red Cross. Boyd, from information received, is supposed to have come to Ranger from the oil fields of California. Any information should be forwarded to the Red Cross, room 209 Marston building.

A place you can recommend to your sister, daughter, wife or mother. Hotel Southland.—Adv.

Jake H. and John Together again is Rumor in Field

One of the interesting oil fields reports among railroad men is that Jake Ramon and John Ringling are again working together. It was reported a few months ago when Ringling acquired the Eastland railroad that he and Hamon—old associates—were going to stage a railroad and townsite war in the Texas oil fields. The newest report that seems to have gained a great deal of credence is that the Ringling road will make connection with the Hamon & Kell road at Breckwalker, the newest Hamon town in the Stephens county oil fields. Such a connection between these two new oil fields railroads is logical and will if made, tend to establish an important center south of Breckenridge where the roads will meet.

Ringling and Hamon have long been close friends and they have made a great deal of money operating together in railroad construction and town building in Oklahoma. When Hamon came to build the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad it was reported that he would not let Ringling into the deal. When Ringling came to take over the Eastland road it was reported that he was going to match a sort of war with Hamon. Neither Ringling nor Hamon was ever directly quoted as to these reports and there has always been a great deal of doubt as to their rivalry. This doubt seems now to be resolved into certainty that they are still friendly and co-operating.

FINGER RING LEFT FOR RENT, RETURNED TO OWNER BY JURY

Possession of a finger ring valued at \$190 which was left as a pledge to pay room rent was given the plaintiff in a civil action tried yesterday afternoon in the court of Justice of the Peace McFatter. Mrs. C. O. Robbins instituted the action against Mrs. C. M. McNatt, proprietor of rooms on Rush street.

According to the evidence of Mrs. Robbins, she went to the Liberty Rooms on Rusk street, of which Mrs. McNatt was proprietress at that time. She rented a room which she occupied until her bill was \$21. In lieu of money she left the ring with the owner of the rooming house until such a time as she had the money to pay her bill. A receipt was taken for the ring.

Mrs. McNatt's testimony was that the ring was left on May 9, to be redeemed three days later. The money, she said, was not presented in payment until May 26. She refused to accept payment on the ground that the time for the pledge to run had expired. The receipt gave no date of redemption.

The jury held that Mrs. Robbins was entitled to the ring or its value.

LONE STAR STOPS AFTERNOON SHOWS EXCEPT ON SUNDAYS

H. S. Cole, manager of the Lone Star and Lamb theatres, announces that the matinees at the Lone Star will be discontinued during the summer months, except on Sundays. This is to take effect Monday. Under this schedule the Lone Star will open at 6:45 and the show will commence at 7 p. m.

School Library Fund Aided by Students Comedy

The High school play, "Margery Makes Good," given Friday night before a crowd that taxed the capacity of the Opera House, made a decided hit. The acting was up to expectations and the chorus and solos and dancing were good.

Misses Dixie Neal, Pauline Novakovich and Dolly Wilson drew applause in solo dances. Miss Marjorie Goodman, dramatic teacher of the High school and director of the play, presented a solo dance of merit. Misses Mavis Douglas and Geneva Armer were encored on solos. Miss Robbie Davis, 8 years old, sang "Sweet Daddy" and captured the house. Miss Glenn Davis sang.

The proceeds will go to the school library fund. The ticket sale had not been checked Saturday night.

The pupils of the High school have expressed their thanks to the E. B. Reid Furniture company, the management of the Opera House and the Daily Times for courtesies extended in making the play a success.

MRS. KATE LEWIS

Mrs. Kate Lewis, aged 79 years, died suddenly at eight p. m. yesterday. Death was due to heart trouble. Mrs. Lewis resided with her son at 300 E. street, Page addition. She formerly lived at Washington, Pa.

The body is being held at the undertaking establishment of Jones-Cox and Company pending the arrival of her son, J. E. Lewis, from Albany, Kan.

FENLAN ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE

Roger Fenlaw, an attorney, has announced his candidacy for the office of justice of the peace, at the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Fenlaw was city attorney of Gilmer, Texas, for two terms, resigning his position there to enter the army. He served overseas with the 90th and 36th Divisions. On his return from France he took up his residence in Ranger.

DEP SHERIFF "ARRESTED" PRESENTED WITH HATS

"I never was arrested before in my life," declared Deputy Sheriff George Riddell, when he was disarmed by Deputy Sheriff John Barnes in the north part of town Saturday afternoon.

Barnes informed him that a warrant had been sworn out for his arrest and he would have a chance to make bond.

Riddell was taken around to Pine street, where he was liberated and presented with a fine hat and a necktie by S. R. Black, who acted as spokesman for a crowd of more than twenty persons. The presents were in token of appreciation of George's services as an officer. The arrest, of course, was a joke.

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POSITIVELY this will be your last opportunity to purchase these high grade Silks at these low prices. We have a large stock of these lovely fabrics and wish to close them out. That's why we are offering one more opportunity. We urge you not to pass it up.

For Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday Only

- 36-inch Chiffon Taffeta
 - 36-inch Satins, all shades
 - 36-inch Silk Shirting
 - 36-inch Jersey Silk
- Formerly Priced \$4.00 to \$4.50 Per Yard
- \$2.55 per yard**
- All Newest Shades and Patterns
- 36-inch Silk Poplin, formerly priced \$2.00, per yard **\$1.10 and \$1.35**
 - 40-inch Best Grade Georgette, \$4.50 value, per yard **\$2.90**
 - 40-inch Crepe de Chine, \$4.50 values, per yard **\$2.65 and \$2.90**
 - \$10.00 per yard Sport Silk, per yard **\$7.00**
 - \$13.50 per yard Sport Silk, per yard **\$9.25**

Big Discounts on Other Popular Silks for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday Only

BOSTON STORE

We Close at 7:30 p. m. Daily, Except Saturday "The Shopping Center of Ranger"



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DO YOU KNOW We Are Offering You **20 PER CENT DISCOUNT**

On Our Entire Stock of High Grade Men's Wear?

We carry the finest line of men's wear in town. This is one store where quality counts. Ranger men realize this, too, that's why so many took advantage of our 20 per cent reductions last Friday and Saturday, and why more will be here tomorrow. Are you coming?



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20 PER CENT

Off Regular Prices

Note these savings—

\$92.50, now	\$74.00
\$85.00, now	\$68.00
\$77.50, now	\$62.00
\$75.00, now	\$60.00
\$70.00, now	\$56.00
\$67.50, now	\$54.00
\$65.00, now	\$52.00
\$62.50, now	\$50.00
\$60.00, now	\$48.00
\$55.00, now	\$44.00
\$50.00, now	\$40.00
\$47.50, now	\$38.00
\$45.00, now	\$36.00
\$40.00, now	\$32.00
\$35.00, now	\$28.00

Eagle Shirts and others of equal make, in new styles and patterns—

20 PER CENT

Off Regular Patterns

SHOES AND OXFORDS
20 Per Cent Off Regular Prices
This sale means a saving of \$3 to \$5 on every pair of shoes.

A GREAT HAT SALE
20 Per Cent Off on Knox, Schoble and Italian Hats
The Biggest Variety in Town

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News of the American Legion

Issues Serious and Quippant

Edited by Paul C. Yates

Four Vets Compete For County Judge Now Held by Vet

TAMPA, Fla., May 29.—Four former service men—two ex-gobs and two ex-doughboys—are candidates to succeed a Confederate veteran, John C. White, as county judge of Hillsborough, the most populous county in this state. Judge White is a candidate for the state legislature, E. H. Jones, the fifth entrant in the largest field of candidates that has ever entered here for office of county judge, is the only aspirant who was not in the service during the war with Germany. Earl S. Craft, one of the candidates, is a brother-in-law of Judge White and has served as clerk of the court.

Craft, who received his commission at the second O. T. C. spent most of his life in the service as commander of Co. D, Eighth Inf., 136 Depot Brigade, Camp Gordon, E. C. De Vane is the other former infantryman who is an entrant in the "Service Men's Special."

The naval entrants are Judge H. Blaine Peacock and Julian L. Hazard. The former, who is a municipal judge of West Tampa, was rated as C. P. O. (chief petty officer), and was on duty at the Naval Intelligence section, being on duty at Key West and Tampa most of the time he was in the service.

Indiana Men Peeved at Manner G. O. P. Uses to 'em

INDIANAPOLIS, May 29.—Indiana's former service men are somewhat disgruntled at the manner in which they were ignored by the Republican state convention, in so far as a seat on the Indiana delegation to the national convention at Chicago is concerned. Both Colonel Hiram Beers, formerly of the Second division, and Col. George Healey of Frankfort, were mentioned as candidates for delegates-at-large to the national convention. Both men were supported for a time for the positions by the Wood managers in Indiana, but it became apparent that the old guard desired to name its own delegates-at-large, and the entire activity of the Wood forces was transferred to a fight to secure the instruction of the delegates-at-large for their candidate, in which they were successful.

It is generally believed that the "old guard" tried to throw a bit of sop to the former service men of the state in attempting to secure the nomination of Arthur E. Loan of Laporte, formerly a major in the Eighty-Fourth division, for lieutenant-governor. They were unsuccessful, however, although Major Loan had the support of former service men.

The platform adopted by the convention included the following paragraph: "We favor the erection of a state soldiers' memorial building which will be commensurate in every respect with the services rendered and the sacrifices made by Indiana's brave soldiers, sailors and marines."

The building is the one in which it is proposed to house the national headquarters of the American Legion and other patriotic organizations.

The platform also included the declaration that "we also favor liberal provisions for the soldiers of all other wars" in a paragraph expressing the gratification of the party at the passage of the Fuller bill, providing for increased pensions for civil war veterans.

FRENCH PROTEST REMOVING BODIES OF U. S. SOLDIERS

BREST, France, May 29.—The residents of this city are vigorously protesting the removal of the bodies of Americans. They have protested against the carrying of the disinterred bodies thru the streets of the city, and urgent petitions have been sent to their representatives in the Chamber of Deputies requesting them to use their power to prevent the removal of the bodies.

These criticisms arose from both hygienic and sentimental reasons, and agitation against the removal of the bodies is now taking concrete form in the way of petitions addressed to the local deputies—M. Paul Simon and M. Emile Goude. They are being asked to bring the matter before the French government and request the ministry of foreign affairs to petition the American state department to abandon the undertaking or restrict the removal of the bodies to the lowest number possible.

The large number of petitioners in the city of Brest insist that they imply the negligence on the part of the Graves registration service, which is conducting the work with all the hygienic precautions possible. They fear the removal and handling of so large a number of bodies in warm weather, they say, from what they experienced with the passing through of the few bodies in the late winter months.

They also state that they are animated by the sentimental reasons as well, as they wish to have their American friends and relatives the gruesome experience and shock of receiving the bodies in their actual condition.

Mother-in-law: "Did you think often of me when you were in France?" Ex-Yank: "Every time the artillery started."

RICHARD REMARKS SOLDIERS ARE NOT RUNNING COUNTRY

When the late war was going on, I used to get a home-town paper once in a long time, and a New York paper now and then, and a lot of clippings from the home folks, and from these sources gathered the idea that after the war was over the brave soldiers would come home and run the country. Recalling how the G. A. R. had done just that for a long period after the civil war, and bearing in mind how the heroes of the Spanish-American war, during my own childhood, had come back and been elected county treasurer and city clerk and constable and everything, this run-the-country idea certainly intrigued my interest considerably, as they say out Powder River way.

Well, mates, we're back. At least all of us that are coming back. Are we running the country? Pessimistically speaking, my observations indicate that we are not—not by a jugful. Optimistically speaking, one might remark that we are not running the country—YET.

Since getting back here more or less than a year ago we have heard a number of statements about who is running America. It has been mooted around that

SENATOR FRANCE, SEEKING PRESIDENCY, SAYS: "IT'S ANARCHISM OR AMERICANISM"



Senator Joseph France, who has announced himself a candidate for the presidential nomination. "We are in a world crisis," said Mr. France in declaring his candidacy. "It is anarchy or Americanism for the world."

BURGLARS STEAL SAFE AND GET BUT \$45

WACO, May 29.—The safe was stolen from the Houston and Texas Central station at Marlin last night. The safe was carried in an automobile two miles away where it was broken open. The safe contained \$45, which was taken.

the profiteers are running the country, and that the prohibitionists are running the country, and that the Republicans are running the country, likewise the Democrats.

But nobody has suggested that the soldiers, sailors and marines are running it. The only definite information about the subject seems to be a universal belief that whoever is now running the country is certainly running it ragged.

So Was Barkus.

It appears that some of us returned soldiers have displayed a certain willingness to conduct the national affairs, but that is hardly unique. Willingness to boss the job is an American trait which developed a long time before any of us were soldiers. It is true that our various organizations have displayed this habit of mind at various times. Our American Legion met at Indianapolis last November and passed resolutions about how to do almost everything that needs to be done. Our Veterans of Foreign Wars, meeting at Providence last summer, were almost equally willing. Our World War Veterans, gathered recently at Minneapolis, were not only willing, but emphatic. Smaller groups and gatherings express the same thought. Even Marvin Gates Sperry, who caucuses with himself as the Privates' Legion, is not devoid of ideas. And he has it all over the rest of us because his conclusions are unanimous: Ours aren't.

Obviously, we veterans cannot reach any agreement, even among ourselves, about running the country. Equally obvious is the fact that whoever is doing the job, while waiting for the returned heroes to take charge, is perfectly satisfied to bear the responsibility even a little longer. The longer we delay about taking our heritage in hand, the more fun the present administrators will have with the estate. There is even the danger that they will seriously incur the property.

Richard Seelye Jones in Stars and Stripes.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

List of marriage licenses issued by the office of Earl Bender, county clerk, Eastland county:

R. C. Brittain, Eastland, and Mrs. Milton Drake, Eastland.

W. B. Clark, Ranger, and Miss Marcelline Murray, Ranger.

Harry F. Parris, Ranger and Miss Edna yesterday to Dallas to be re-built.

E. H. Catina, manager of the Victory H. A. Sharp, Cisco, and Miss Edith Service station, bought the car and will have it re-built.

TO REBUILD CAR.

The chassis and engine of a Cadillac automobile which burned in the Mission garage five several days ago, was shipped yesterday to Dallas to be re-built.

CABINET SHOP WILL BE OPENED IN RANGER

A new shop has been opened at 321 Pine street which will specialize in cabinet work. Stone fixtures, stair and serool work, especially ordered, will be a feature of the shop. Stout and Nylander its owners, are both long experienced in this class of work. Machinery necessary to carry on the operations of the establishment will be installed.

Morton's 10 Million Goes to Daughters

WASHINGTON.—An estate estimated at \$10,000,000 is disposed of in the will of Levi P. Morton, former Vice President of the United States, which was filed in Federal District Court for probate. The document was executed June 29, 1910, and was modified by codicils of March 30, 1911, June 4, 1911 and June 24, 1911. Morton died recently at his home near Poughkeepsie, N. Y., at the age of 93 years.

Chas. H. Allen of Lowell, Mass., Morton Minot of Brookport, N. Y., and Bronson Winthrop of New York City, are named as executors.

Mrs. Martha Morton Hartpence of Philadelphia, a sister of the testator, is given a life annuity of \$2000 and the sum of \$1200 annually is to be paid to Mrs. Caroline Lay, a sister-in-law of Morton. A life annuity of \$750 is to be paid to Morton's butler and cash bequests to other servants. Morton's personal effects and furniture go to his children.

Morton Corcoran Eustis, a brandson, is given the silver writing set and calligraphics presented to Morton by resolution of the Senate on the expiration of his term as Vice President.

The remaining estate is to be held in trust for the surviving daughters, Mrs. William C. Eustis, Mrs. Helen Morton and Miss Mary Morton and one share is to be distributed among children of Mrs. Winthrop Rutherford, a deceased daughter.

Packers Start Back-Fire Against Restriction of Industry and Meet Answer of Stock State Senators

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The back-packers have started their backfire against the Kenyon-Hendrick bill designed to place the packing industry under a live stock commission.

In a letter sent to every member of the senate, Norman Draper, Washington representative of the Institute of American Packers, protests against the enactment of the bill.

The letter was met by the answer of Senator Kendrick of Wyoming, father of the packer regulatory law, today, that he will be unwilling to give his consent to adjournment until the livestock commission law is enacted. In this he is backed by Senators Kenyon of Iowa,

Capper of Kansas, Grout of North Dakota, Norris of Nebraska and other senators from cattle growing states.

Packers in the letter addressed to every member of the United States Senate said that the proposed legislative action "delegates to three men the power to enact rules and regulations having the force and effect of general law for the regulation of a complex private business."

In thirty-eight pages of closely printed type the packers reiterate their loud complaint against regulation, setting out that the powers of the livestock commission will overlap the powers and jurisdiction of both the federal trade commission and the bureau of markets and says there is "a paternalistic drift in the legislation proposed."

Senator Kendrick today said that every day emphasizes more keenly the need of such a commission as the Kenyon-Kendrick bill, redrafted after the Palmer agreement, provides.

"A commission of the very biggest men in the country is needed," Senator Kendrick said. "The federal trade commission is already overworked and the bureau of markets is not the proper organization to handle the matter."

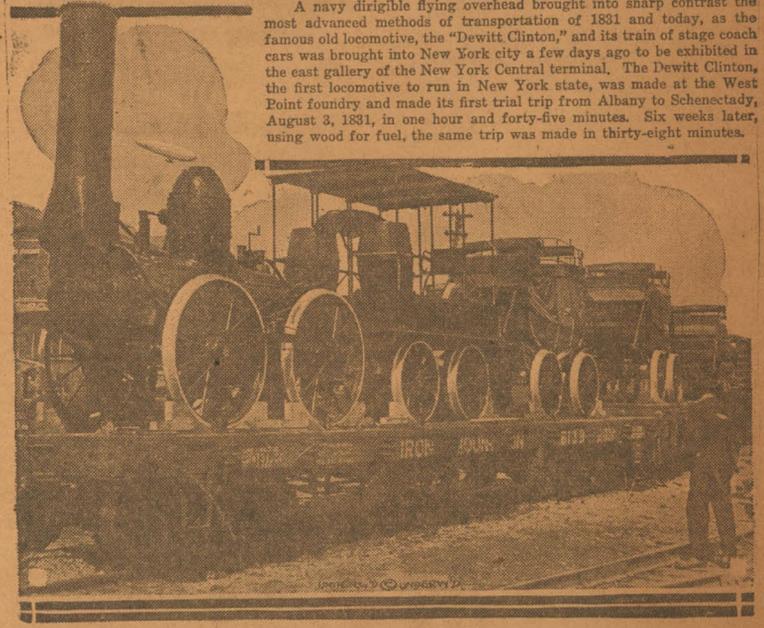
The business of feeding the nation is the biggest business in the nation: Unless something is done to give stability to the livestock industry the nation will face a meat famine. The bill intends to do just that. It is not intended to injure the packing industry, but it is intended to save the livestock industry."

Senator Kendrick said that letters, petitions and resolutions on his desk show that the sentiment in Texas is overwhelmingly for regulatory legislation.

McCULLOUGH FILES PAPERS.

COLUMBUS, O.—Congressman Ross C. McCullough of Canton filed his declaration for and for and we should declare of candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor.

DIRIGIBLE FLYING OVERHEAD CONTRASTS TRANSPORTATION OF TODAY WITH THAT SHOWN BY EMPIRE STATE'S FIRST TRAIN



The "Dewitt Clinton" train on flat cars with a dirigible flying above.

A navy dirigible flying overhead brought into sharp contrast the most advanced methods of transportation of 1831 and today, as the famous old locomotive, the "Dewitt Clinton," and its train of stage coach cars was brought into New York city a few days ago to be exhibited in the east gallery of the New York Central terminal. The Dewitt Clinton, the first locomotive to run in New York state, was made at the West Point foundry and made its first trial trip from Albany to Schenectady, August 3, 1831, in one hour and forty-five minutes. Six weeks later, using wood for fuel, the same trip was made in thirty-eight minutes.

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Hart, Schaffner & Marx \$50.00 SUITS \$35.00 MONDAY	\$50.00 DRESSES \$35.00 MONDAY	\$20.00 PALM BEACH SUITS \$14.50 MONDAY	\$65.00 Society Brand Hart, Schaffner & Marx SUITS \$45.00 MONDAY	\$65.00 DRESSES \$47.50 MONDAY
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BE HERE MONDAY **WEISS BROTHERS** DON'T MISS MONDAY

Elm Street at Rusk Next to Liberty Theatre

Nitros' Backing Red Hill, Blank Eastland 3 to 0

Three Nitro batters, coming up after two were down in the seventh, ruined an otherwise pretty game pitched by Cheeves of the Judges, and decided a match that had been entirely too full of thrills for the fans.

Tommy Loelace takes first money. He was the third of the trio of winning Nitros in the seventh. Rabbit Flaskamper started it off, rolling to deep second and giving Stanifer a tough chance on which Rabbit got a life.

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Two more hits were chalked up in the fourth, with the same luck. Thomas first up, beat out an infield blow. Jim then made the throw low, and Thomas got second. Bratcher hit to Jim, who played to Tate and Thomas started back to second, but Tate's throw was before him.

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Payne started the seventh with a single and stole, Jim making a fine stop of Chapman's high throw. Then T. Johnson, Cheeves and Savony went out in turn, on drives to Lovelace and Clapp. Red got two on after two were out in the eighth, but Tate came in on the run and threw out Gross.

Flaskamper walked and was sacrificed ahead by Clapp in the first, but Lovey breather with more freedom.

Grandstand to Be Finished at Once; Baseball Officers Elected Tuesday

Ranger has played its last game to a naked grandstand. That's the assurance of the Park association and to prove that the committeemen are in earnest, thirteen of the loyal have affixed their signatures to a note for \$1,000 to provide the cash for the labor bill.

The money raised by the sale of stock does not go into the grandstand work, but will be used solely in the administration of the new baseball association. The expense of the stand work is borne by the Park association, as the park is a municipally controlled utility.

Officers of the baseball association will be elected at a meeting of the stockholders at the Chamber of Commerce at 10 a. m. Tuesday.

Clapp delivered in the only pinch which he was offered. His hits are often that way, when needed.

Flashkamper seems to be getting his eye on the ball. He walked once, rambled to Standifer, slapped out the first hit—a real one—and poked another at second base on which he deserved a life.

St. Johnson was foolhardy to try to stretch that two-base hit, Lovey throws like a shot.

The play on Hahn at the plate in the first, hit down a possible score, was well handled, as was the pair of throws which caught Thomas trying to get back to second after starting to third.

Whitney batted for Dossey in 9th, zking batted for Burkhead in 10th. Score by innings: R. H. E. Cisco000 002 300—5 6 4 Gorman120 011 001—6 12 1

It was a real match, all around. But Red Hill had more confidence in himself than the fans had in his luck, with the result that the numerous holes in which he found himself found the gang in the stand fighty.

We Leave Cellar By Winning While Cisco Goes Down

By the victory over the Eastland Judges, whom we hate to beat, of course, the Nitros leave the cellar, shoving Cisco into that coveted position. The club is only five points behind Mineral Wells, who has won one more and lost one more today, the Nitros will shove the Resorters down below them.

Boyer worked the day before, but is a glutton for pitching and is eager to go again. He has won his two starts in shutouts, 12 to 0 over Cisco and 2 to 0 over Eastland.

Adkins may not be used against Abilene, where the Nitros go after three games at Mineral Wells, as the Eagles eat up left-handed pitching.

Such organizations as the T. & S. Coal and Oil, Prairie Oil Gas and Supply houses, have signified their intention of placing a team in the field.

It is hoped to organize the league with six or eight clubs according to the strength of the material on hand.

PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—The University of Pennsylvania track and field team win the intercollegiate field meet this afternoon with a score of 31½ points in the closest contest ever staged by the association.

Young Man—Please come out in the garden with me. Fair Coed—Oh, no, I musn't go out without a chaperone.

Ul W. Lamkin, chief of the division of rehabilitation of the federal board of vocational education, has expressed his appreciation of the announced intentions of the American Legion to co-operate with the board in getting ex-service men entitled to vocational training into training.

"The announcement is exceedingly gratifying," Mr. Lamkin said. "Up to present 59,000 men have been approved for training with maintenance pay, more than 36,000, who, under the present law, cannot be paid a living allowance while in training, have been awarded courses with all cost of instruction paid.

Disillusionment. Fare red bricks beside the gaudy scenes; A dingy kitchen through the swinging doors; Iron beneath the silver, brass beneath the gold;

A dirty shirt; An overheard remark, revealing hate Beneath a servile grace; Foul words pronounced by a professing saint;

WASHINGTON.—A treaty between the United States and Canada, covering the "sockeye" salmon fisheries, was signed by Secretary Colby, for the United States, Ambassador Geddes, for Great Britain, and Sir Douglas Haven, for Canada.

Special prices on bed room suites, Wright Furniture Co.—Adv.

HEAR DR. COLLINS Sunday Night PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH "Community Life"

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EVERETT SCOTT BOSTON RED SOX SHORT STOP WHO HOLDS THE RECORD FOR CONSECUTIVE GAMES PLAYED. I DON'T KNOW WHO'S GONNA PITCH BUT I DO KNOW SCOTT'LL PLAY SHORT. UP IN BOSTON THE FANS AREN'T SURE OF ANYTHING EXCEPT THAT SCOTT'LL BE ON HAND. HE WAS ANSWERED ROLL CALL TO OVER 500 GAMES TO DATE. DON'T LOOK LIKE THIS BIRD WILL EVER GET RIPE FER THE HARVEST.

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Among the Movie Stars



Mildred Harris Chaplin



Charles Ray

Meets the Crown Prince - Starts As Leading Woman - Japanese Stars Married - A Fortune In One Play.

MEETING royalty has become a habit with Mildred Harris Chaplin. Last year when Albert and Elizabeth, King and Queen of the Belgians, toured this country, Mrs. Chaplin was the only movie queen to be officially presented. This year she added to her reputation by being presented to His Highness, the Prince of Wales.



Tsuru Aoki and Sessue Hayakawa, two Japanese who have become world famous stars



Douglas MacLean and Doris May, on location



Billie Burke in 'Sadie Love'



Constance Talmadge in 'Two Weeks'



Florence Lord Christie in 'Film Follies'



Leota Lorraine playing 'Her Five Foot Highness'

land, the little blonde star was the honored guest of Mayor Louis J. Wilde, of San Diego, and host to the royal party. As if this were not enough to add

to her joy the Prince danced with her at the grand ball, and the little screen queen sat regally in the host's box where she was presented to many other members of the distinguished visit-

ing party. **Winning A Bachelor** Proves a hard proposition for Constance Talmadge in "Two Weeks." But how could any man be expected to

resist such methods as these? It's been done before in the polar regions—with gumdrops. In her latest starring vehicle, "In Search of a Sinner," Miss Talmadge employs similar tactics—and gets away with it. **First Trip To New York** Charles Ray has never been in New York City, but the popular young screen star will make his first trip to

the big town soon to give Broadway "the once over," and to take some scenes for "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway," which will be his initial picture for First National as an independent producer and actor. Three fortunes have already been made by George M. Cohan's famous comedy drama, and there seems to be more in sight with Mr. Ray about to turn it into a movie. Mr. Ray, who in the past has done some of his best work in rural parts, will take the role of Kid Burns, the small town pugilist.

A Location Scene Douglas MacLean and Doris May on location in "Twenty-three and a Half Hours Leave." The location is a cantonment camp in Southern California—the story, the comedy success of the year, is a screen adaptation of a story by Mary Roberts Rinehart. **"Billie" Burke As a Bride** Billie Burke as a bride in "Sadie Love," makes a pretty picture. This famous actress of the stage has made an equally high mark among the screen stars. **Began As Leading Woman** Leota Lorraine had a rapid rise in filmdom. She had just graduated

from the University of Missouri, and was visiting friends in Chicago. A visit to the Essanay studios was one feature of the entertainment provided by her hostess. She was watching the filming of a picture when she was approached by Richard Foster Baker, who was directing Bryant Washburn in his series of George Ade fables. "Are you a professional?" asked Mr. Baker. Miss Lorraine admitted that she was not. Then the director confided to her that he was looking for just her type of a girl to play opposite Washburn in his next fable, "The High Roller and the Buzzing Blondine." Miss Lorraine jumped at the chance, and made so good in her first picture, that she was retained for five subsequent George Ade fables, and for the lead in "A Bunch of Keys." In the "HER FIVE FOOT HIGHNESS" she appears as a Western dance hall girl, who graduates to the chorus of a London Music Hall success. **Japanese Stars** Two Japanese stars who have become world famous in motion pictures—Tsuru Aoki and Sessue Hayakawa—married in private life. The scene is in the garden of their home in Hollywood, California.

Picture Gossip

The Southern Baptist convention saw fit to blame motion pictures for the numerous divorces in the United States. Imposing stiff fines on the number of divorces granted in this country are quoted, and were more authentic figures available, the report says, "the picture would doubtlessly be darker still." Motion pictures as now produced are

blamed as a primary cause of "this sad condition." "Nearly every film put upon the screen," says the report, "contains somewhere some evil suggestion. Many of the films are based on the eternal triangle and the suggestion of disregard, if not open breach, of marital relation." It is probably about time for the moving picture to come in for its periodical denunciation. At stated intervals certain well-intentioned but wrongly informed people, seeing about them a condition which often is an economic one, see fit to raise a hue and cry about the debasing effects which moving pictures have on public morals. These good people evi-

dently overlook the fact that, although moving pictures are still in their infancy, the industry has, on the whole made such vigorous progress as it probably unparalleled by any other institution of modern times. It cannot, of course, be denied that even at the present time there is a great deal of rubbish on the market. Every once in a while a picture reeking with false sentimentalism appears. But in the aggregate the photoplays of today, with severe censorship laws and an exacting public, are sufficiently wholesome and clear as to satisfy. With moving pictures even being exhibited in schools and

churches, it is quite evident that the diatribe indulged in by the Southern Baptist convention has no just foundation. Jane Cowell's latest Broadway success, "Smilin' Through," by Joseph Schenck, is to be filmed by Norma Talmadge. "Smilin' Through" has proved one of the big dramatic hits of the year. It is a quaint story, hinging on a blighted love, with the ghost of "the woman who was" coming back and influencing the affair of today. It should prove an ideal medium for Norma Talmadge. The play will not be screened until Miss Cowell ends her run in the drama of the speaking

stage, and it will be released by First National. Convinced that the public wants long comedies, Mack Sennett is preparing to make two five-reel features. The nature of the films and the stars to appear are not announced, but it will be typical of Sennett in each instance, and will show his most popular players. Another of the most successful of legitimate comedies, "Twin Beds," will be movieized. It has been secured for the Carter de Havens, and will be done by them in photoplay. For the last five

season's "Twin Beds" has toured the states with from one to three companies. Mr. and Mrs. de Haven will begin work on the release in a few weeks. "The Price of Redemption," a current Metro production, with Bert Lyell and Seena Owen in the leading roles, will be finished this week. Miss Owen will take a short vacation before beginning on her next picture. Rumor has it that Claire Du Brey, the well known debaucher of feminine levities, is to be featured by prominent producing interests in a seven-reel special. Miss Du Brey became a celebrity overnight through her clever work in Dustin Farnum's Brunton production, "Man in the Open."

called "The Kid," will feature Jack Coogan, a prodigy discovered by the comedian, whose precocity is declared to be remarkable. Vitaphone has acquired a navy hydroplane for use in its big special production, "Trumpet Island," by Governor Morris, which is being directed by Tom Terriss. A lieutenant and two mechanics were assigned to the studio to put it in perfect order. Work on Sir Arthur Wing Pinero's drama, "Mid-Channel," with Clara Kimball Young in the role made famous by Ethel Barrymore, has been begun at the Carson studios, in Los Angeles. Harry Carson is personally directing the production.

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CONTINUOUS PICTURE PROGRAM FROM 2:00 P. M. UNTIL 11:00 P. M.

At the Amusement Houses This Week

- LIBERTY—Today, Monday and Tuesday, "The Courage of Marge O'Doone"; Wednesday and Thursday, J. Warren Kerrigan in "30,000"; Friday and Saturday, Mitchell Lewis in "King Spruce."
OPERA HOUSE—Big Time Vaudeville; feature picture, "Who's Your Servant?"
HIPPODROME—Bessie Barriscale and William Desmond in "The Payment."
LONE STAR—Today, Monday and Tuesday, "Dangerous Talent," with Marguerite Fisher; Holmes Travelogue, Christie comedy; Wednesday and Thursday, "Duds," with Tom Moore; Friday, Saturday and Sunday, "Dark Mirror," with Dorothy Dalton, and Sennett comedy, "Let Her Go."
LAME—Today, "Echo of Youth"; Monday and Tuesday, Vivian Martin in "Husbands and Wives"; Wednesday and Thursday, "Treasure Island"; Friday and Saturday, "The Flapper," with Olive Thomas, and "Stimulating Mrs. Barton," with Mrs. Sidney Drew.
QUEEN—Today, "Blue Blazes," featuring Bill Hart; Monday, Gladys Brockwell in "Thieves" and Neal Hart in "Six-Mile House"; Tuesday, "Devil's Trail"; Wednesday, Mary Pickford in "Hearts Adrift"; Thursday, "A Man's Country"; Friday, "The Girl From Outside"; Saturday, Harry Carey in "Ace of the Saddle."

LONE STAR.
New Wallace Reid Picture Draws Big Crowds.
 As a cabaret dancer who injects some of the jazz from his system into the anti-quant jug business and makes a brilliant success out of it, Wallace Reid proved thoroughly entertaining in his latest Paramount Arcraft photoplay "The Dancing Fool." It opened a week's engagement at the Lone Star theatre Friday evening.
 Mr. Reid has the role of "Ves" Tibble, fresh from the country, who becomes a clerk for his Uncle Enoch in New York at six dollars a week. Enoch has never heard of typewriters and runs his business according to 1850 methods.
 Breezy Wallie is equally at home as the live-wire business man and the graceful dancer. Bebe Daniels shows new powers as an appealing screen heroine in the role of Junie, Tully Marshall, Raymond Hatton and Lillian Leighton are also in the cast. Clara G. Kennedy adapted the picture from a story by Henry Payson Dowst. Sam Wood was the director.

LIBERTY.
Famous "Knee Break" Used As Last Resort.
 In a bear-pit in the arctic David Raine faced the hulking, brutish giant of a mountaineer. Like cave men of the stone age they began their battle for the possession of a woman. One saw her soul, the other her body.
 Pitted against this mountain of flesh and bone David's chances were slim. Blow after blow he landed on the brutish hulk; twice they circled the blood-spattered arena. David's face was worn with the gore of his enemy. But, battered and swollen, the giant came on and on. David was not battling for victory, but for life. He was literally beating himself to pieces, like a ship hammering on a reef.
 Like a maddened monster, the giant kept coming on, always trying for the fatal clinch. And David knew it. There was still one last chance, one hope. It was the terrible trick of the bush country—the so-called "knee break" that he had seen a used with such terrible effect. Suddenly he shot himself out—160 pounds of bone and sinew—straight as an arrow against the brute's knees, and the gory giant went down like a stricken deer.
 This is one of the big scenes, just one of them, in "The Courage of Marge O'Doone," Vitagraph's special screen production of the wonderful story by James Oliver Curwood, which will be shown at the Liberty theatre today. It is a strong, virile story of the great Canadian Northwest, where men are men and women are women and heroism and danger are but a part of the daily routine.

OPERA HOUSE.
Risk Honor for Father and Love.
 A girl brave enough to risk her honor to save that of her father and sweet heart is the heroine of "Who's Your Servant?" the smashing feature which is opening today at the Opera House. This is an extraordinary story incident to the dangers of hiring unknown and untried servants. The picture is founded upon the stage play by Julian Johnson.

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which ran at the Princess theatre, New York, for many months, and which startled the metropolis by its frank portrayals.
 The police of New York and all of our biggest cities note, as a part of the post-war unrest, a tendency on the part of many servants to take the easy road to greater reward, which puts them in danger of arrest. Chauffeurs become auto bandits, clerks become forgers, tellers become defaulters, bank messengers become thieves, former soldiers "stick up" men, and so on. Whether the cause is the high cost of living, or the reaction of the war, which lowered regard for life and property, respectable persons who do all in their power to give their servants a reasonable return for their work have a right to protection.

Dupes "Crooked" Servant.
 "Who's Your Servant?" goes into the heart of this theme, and will open the eyes of those who have noticed this increase in servant crime and who are wondering what the solution shall be. Its central character is a servant who worms his way into the good graces of a high naval official. Having the means of obtaining close and intimate information, he knows when the official is given the care of a certain secret plan of the utmost importance.

HILL'S COMEDY CIRCUS HEADS BILL AT OPERA HOUSE TODAY
 With Hill's Comedy Circus, Will Hill deserves a lot of credit for the skillful way in which he has trained the different animals in this act, consisting of many attractive features such as blue ribbon ponies in military drill, aerobic Jim, one of the most uridable mules baboons, somersaulting dogs, "Sunny Jim," one of the most uridable mules with a wonderful kick; and then we have "Frisco," the educated pony, a sassy beauty and a wise one who answers questions by paws.

Gildea & Phillips, Jimmy Gildea and Joe Phillips, in their new comedy offering entitled "All in Fun." These two comedians are just one riot after another in the absurd things they do and say. Phillips does a vampire dance that is a gem in itself, while later on they both rock the house with laughter in their ventriloquist novelty.
 The Bullowa Girls, three pretty maids in some very artistic and daring tricks on tight wire, on which they dance, run walk and skip the rope and do it all as easily as you or I would do it on terra firma.
 Eddie & Ramsden, a surprise comedy act entitled "Charles' Visit," introducing singing and talking during which the man does some very funny eccentric contortion tricks.
 Denny & Dunningan, a young man and girl in a very nifty comedy singing act. Miss Denny plays the piano and incidentally wears some very attractive gowns, while Mr. Dunningan offers some character songs in his own original way.

A GENERAL UTILITY MAN
 Sandy: "Remember that brother of mine who got drafted?"
 Andy: "Uh huh?"
 Sandy: "After he was in the Army six months the medics discovered that he had only the brain of a six-year-old child."
 Andy: "Terrible! Did they send him to the asylum?"
 Sandy: "Asylum! Hell! They made him a staff officer!"

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DETECTIVES GOT RIGHT TRIP, BUT BOOZE WAS DIFFERENT
 International News Service.
PORTLAND, Ore., May 29.—The Portland police, ever watchful for the incoming bootlegger, had received a wire message that "booze was due in Portland on the late train." "Aha," snuffed the local enemies of the sparkling cordial. Attorney Barge Leonard, of this city, prominent enough to allay suspicion, was the goat, however. He seemed too jubilant in his handshaking with a party from off the late train. The "party" carried a suspicious-looking suitcase. The

detectives pounced upon it and opened it, to find liquor therein. However, they saw in golden letters the owners name "John Booze, Chicago." After all, Booze was due in Portland.
MRS. HARRKIDER HOSTESS THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB
 The last meeting of the Thursday afternoon Bridge Club was held at the home of Mrs. A. N. Harkrider. The living room and dining room were attractively decorated with cut flowers. After the games a delicious salad course was served to the following members: Mrs.

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BUT FATHER WAS WISE
 The Young and Fair Daughter of the Coal Baron rushed up to her parent and sat herself on his knee, indicating that she Wanted Something.
 Her conversation soon indicated What She Wanted.
 "Father," she said (she called him Pa ordinarily.) "Father, please let me marry Jim. He's so neat. Why, when he was in France he got two medals for cleaning out dugouts and mopping up."

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THE BULLOWA GIRLS Three pretty maids in daring tricks on tight wire.	EASIE AND RAMSDEN Surprise comedy act entitled "CHARLES' VISIT"	DENNY AND DUNNIGAN Man and girl in nifty comedy singing.
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MASTERPIECE OF MOTION PICTURES

It is seldom that a motion picture is produced that will leave the impression that James Oliver Curwood's "The Courage of Marge O'Doone" leaves upon audiences. It is truly a picture in a thousand and one that will be long remembered. The scenic beauty of the land scapes, the cleverness of the players, the intensity of the story, the faithfulness of the director and the introduction of animals in strong roles are some of the things that make "The Courage of Marge O'Doone" different from the average picture.

Every member of the cast, which includes Niles Welch, Pauline Starke, G. Stanley, Jack Curtiss, William Dyer, Boris Karloff, Billie Bennett and James O'Neil, is indeed an all-star organization. Each player is an artist in his or her own line and works in harmony with the others. The production moves like a clockwork, and even Tara, the trained bear, and Barea, the outlaw dog, seem to know what is expected of them. These dumb animals feel the importance of their roles and attack each piece of difficult business with all the cunning known to the animal kingdom.

If Director David Smith went after realism, he certainly got it and the at-

mosphere of the North as well. The picture was taken a few miles out from Truckee, in the Rockies, during a blizzard. The players withstood all the hardships of a life far away from civilization in order to produce genuine color, and the result obtained is worthy of all the sacrifices made. The savage dogs, the bear fight, the thrilling escape from the "Nest," the meeting of David and Marge, the death of Tavish and the scene on the mountain just as the dawn is breaking on a new day are some of the big situations that grip the spectator and are recalled long after the picture has faded from the screen. It is a big production, handled in a big way and presented with all the splendor and magnificence known to the screen art. It is a tragedy as well as one of the most thrilling and interesting stories ever filmed.—Seattle Times.

This picture appears at the Liberty today.

REV. COLLINS PREACHES ON "COMMUNITY LIFE."

"Community Life" will be the subject of a sermon by the Rev. Charles M. Collins Sunday night at the Presbyterian church.

The Rev. Mr. Collins has given this matter much thought. He is a leader in the community organization work now being done in the city.

WALLACE REID IN "THE DANCIN' FOOL" AT THE LONE STAR TODAY



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LONDON, May 29.—St. Gauden's monument of Abraham Lincoln, which has been presented by the American people to the British people probably will be unveiled in June, on the site given by the government in the Causing Enclosure, Westminster, facing the Houses of Parliament. The Anglo-American society, through which the gift has been made and which

is responsible for the arrangement of the unveiling, has invited Elihu Root to make the presentation of the statue during his forthcoming visit to Europe.

The statue is a replica of the bronze monument of Lincoln in Lincoln park, Chicago, and represents President Lincoln in a standing position.

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SAVING.

For eight years the Portrero del Llano oil well in the Mexican Eagle fields gushed out annually its sixteen million gallons of petroleum. One night at few weeks ago, suddenly and without warning, the oil of this well had turned to salt water.

Many persons have no misgivings of the morrow. If they had an oil well they would expect it to eternally flow. As lowly a creature as the squirrel is wise enough to put by a sustenance. The spendthrift human usually is scarce six silk shirts away from the poor house. You may say what you wish about

John D. Rockefeller, but his dollars are good dollars and he has something like two billion of them. John's father was a poor New York farmer. At sixteen John D. had a job at \$25 a month. Three years later he was a bookkeeper at \$700 a year and had saved \$800. Because he had that \$800 he was enabled to form a partnership with a man who had \$2,000, and thus success came his way. You may howl at and about John D. Rockefeller until you shake the eternal hills and the fact remains that it was the habit of thrift that started him on the way to colossal wealth.

"What's going to happen?" As well ask "How old is Ann?"

Only one thing is certain, something unpleasant will happen to the individual who lacks common squirrel sense. We may bay long and loud because bread or something else costs a penny more and

REMAINS PREMIER OF SPAIN THROUGH CABINET RESIGNS



Premier Allende Salazar. Premier Allende Salazar of the Spanish cabinet which recently resigned will retain the premiership, it is stated, and try to form a new cabinet. He will eliminate the Liberal members.

we may find iniquities enough in our body politic but the grand fact remains that never have we had so good a chance to save money as now.

The government, through its savings division of the treasury department, pleads with the public for thrift. It offers every assistance and has provided such safe and sound saving securities.

GAS SEEPAGE IS FOUND ON WELL SITE; IS FLIVER

EASTLAND, May 29.—Three miles south of Eastland on the Mangum road gas has been found seeping from the ground. Enough gas is coming out to shoot a flame about six feet high. The flow is said to be increasing. The seepage was found on the McCaghen tract, and inasmuch as practically no drilling has been in this neighborhood, the discovery is a sensation. Several oil scouts and geologists have been attracted to the seepage.

Over thirty years ago a farmer on this tract needed water and as no springs or well were available a well sixty feet deep was dug, and for several years this well supplied and his family with cool drinking water. One day the well went dry and as it was a menace to the livestock it was filled to the top with earth.

The well was forgotten, but when the seepage developed and no one knew the origin of the gas and were of the opinion that a strata of gas-bearing sand lay close to the surface, one of the old timers learned of the gas seepage and went to the place and after a time located the old water well. The gas seepage originated from this well, he found.

When the Burkett and Lyerla gassers were shut in, a tremendous back pressure forced the gas along the shallow gas sand and to the old well where there was no strata of rocks.

DECLARATION ON TREATY EXPECTED FROM WILSON

WASHINGTON, May 29.—President Wilson's veto of the peace resolution is expected by Democratic Senators to be followed soon by a more definite declaration from the White House detailing the President Wilson's views on the peace treaty as a campaign issue.

In the declaration of this subject by high officials here the treaty plank recently written into the Virginia Democratic platform has been brought into prominence. Senator Glass of that state is understood to have prepared the plank, and, because of his close association with the administration, there has been a general belief here that the draft reported in substance the position advocated by the president.

ALMOST SURE TO BE NEXT TENANTS OF THE MEXICAN NATIONAL PALACE



A new picture of General and Mrs. Alvare Obregon.

The Mexican presidential election will be held within a few weeks, and according to recent dispatches General Obregon will be the only candidate. General Gonzales has withdrawn, and Ignacio Bonillas, Carranza's candidate, is definitely out of the running.

BILL TO PREVENT STRIKES OF RAILWAY MEN REPORTED

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Favorable report was ordered today by the Senate Interstate Commerce Commission on the Poindexter bill designed to prevent interruption of transportation by strikes of railroad employees.

The committee amended the measure by attaching provisions similar to the anti-strike clauses eliminated from the railroad reorganization bill after labor leaders had made strong protests. Action on the Poindexter bill is not expected until after the national conventions.

AGED MISSIONARY DIES.

CLEVELAND, Ohio.—Rev. William Yost, 90 years old, treasurer of the orphans' home at Flat Rock, Ohio, and oldest missionary of the Cleveland Evangelical association, is dead.

GENERAL STRIKE CALLED.

LIMA, Peru.—A general strike was ordered in Lima and Callao to enforce a demand upon the government that it annul the decree recently issued intended to put into effect the compulsory arbitration.

BROTHER'S QUARTER IN METER KILLS SOLDIER

International News Service. WEEHAWKEN, N. J., May 29.—A quarter-in-the-slot gas meter was indirectly responsible for the death of Thomas Nowicki, thirty years old, a mechanic, at his home No. 32 West Nineteenth street, Weehawken. Nowicki saw service overseas with the Eighty-seventh division and was gassed. Since his return Nowicki had been sleeping with the gas in his room lighted. He did this as usual, but neglected to see there was a quarter in the meter to keep the gas going.

Harry Nowicki, a brother, who sleeps in the next room, not knowing that the gas had gone out in the other room, put a coin in the meter and lighted the gas in his own room. The gas flowed from the open jet in his brother's room and he was found dead in bed.

REVOLUTION IS CHECKED.

WASHINGTON.—Advices to the state department from San Salvador said the recent revolution led by General Arturo had been promptly checked. The government is in complete control, the dispatch stated, and the country quiet.

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ROOSEVELT'S LOVE OF BOOKS IS SHOWN IN HIS LETTERS NOW BEING GIVEN PUBLICITY

NEW YORK, May 29.—President Roosevelt's love for books and art and his scholarly appreciation of the work of authors and painters, to whom he sent many of the 150,000 letters which he wrote during his public career, is shown in the ninth installment by his biographer, Joseph Bucklin Bishop, in the June issue of Scribner's Magazine, out here tomorrow.

Amusing and interesting missives, as well as those more sedate and critical, were written by Col. Roosevelt to Brander Matthews, Joel E. Spingarn, Booth Tarkington, Owen Wister, P. Marcus Simons, Frederick MacMonnies, Augustus Saint-Gaudens, James Ford Rhodes, Lord Morley, M. J. Jusserand, Frederick Scott Oliver, Arthur J. Balfour, Henry Bourdau, Charles Scribner and Robert Bridges.

A critic of Mr. Roosevelt had written to Mr. Wister protesting against the Colonel's characterization of Thomas Paine as a "dirty little atheist," declaring it was an unpardonable vilification of "one of the greatest men of his time." Wister forwarded the letter to Mr. Roosevelt, with the letter reproduced: "Dear Dan: (Personal) Sept. 25, 1901.

"This is delightful. I ought not to have used the exact word 'atheist.' He admitted the existence of a God of the Christians. As to whether he was dirty or not, it is a mere matter of private judgement. I was recording in the seven weeks in bed without getting out for

THREE-PIECE SUIT FOR SUMMER MAKES STUNNING COSTUME



Here is an outfit which will appeal to the 1920 summer girl more than most of the summer costumes. It combines in a happy fashion stylish lines and distinctive features with utility. Pearl gray silk tulle fashion this three-piece suit and it is tastefully trimmed with navy taffeta. The frock may be worn alone as it looks like a dress suit or the cape may be worn over summer frocks. Together they make a very smart street or afternoon outfit.

any purpose, and that as a consequence a swine in a sty was physically clean by comparison. Faithfully yours, Theodore ROOSEVELT. Mr. Owen Wister, 328 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The Colonel in another letter, scoring a rather sensational novel dealing with the West and published in 1901, said he had grown to have "a horror of the reformer who is half charlatan and half fanatic, and who runs his own cause by overstatement." Explaining his opposition to the entrance into the United States in 1908 of the Princess Kropotkin, he said: "People who call themselves anarchists, no matter how they qualify the word by calling themselves 'reformers,' by just so much add to the strength of the worst and most vicious elements of our civilization."

"I have always been grateful to you and Saint-Gaudens for just existing," he wrote to Frederick MacMonnies in 1904, "for it is a big asset on the Nation's credit side that it should have produced you both." To James Ford Rhodes' statement that "in quarrel is the right all on one side, and the wrong all on the other side," he took exception in these words: "I fully believe in and appreciate not only the valor of the South, but its lofty devotion to the right as it saw the right; and yet I think that on every ground—that is, on the question of the Union, on the question of slavery, on the question of State rights—it was wrong with a folly that amounted to madness, and with a perversity, that amounted to wickedness."

One of the most interesting of the letters was one written by the Colonel in 1908, before the panic of the year had subsided. When the panic began in New York vigorous efforts, it is said, were made to have Roosevelt, then resident, call off his suit against the Standard Oil Company and an investigation of the Harriman railway lines, which he had ordered. In spite of the strenuous controversy concerning these and other questions of public policy, the Colonel found time to write a long and learned letter to Mr. Balfour, reviewing a book called "Decadences" which was then causing a stir in the literary world. In this letter he said:

"I do not see how any thinking man can fail to feel now and then ugly doubts as to what may befall our modern civilization—the civilization of the white races, who have spread their influence over the entire world—and the culture they

13,352 Had Passes On Roads in State

JEFFERSON CITY, May 29.—Testimony offered by the railroads of Missouri before the public service commission in their fight for higher Pullman rates, revealed that in 1919, under government control, the number of people who traveled by "pass" entirely within the borders of Missouri was 13,352. Since the return of the roads to private ownership, the rate of travel by pass has been restricted again until at the present rate it will be only 3,312 trips per year.

Although other railroad rates were increased during government ownership, it also was brought out that the Pullman rates were not increased except by the war tax, which went into another fund. Vast numbers of additional employees, shorter hours and higher wages inaugurated during government ownership were given by H. P. Clements, general passenger agent for the Pullman company, as the chief reasons for the necessity of an increase in rates.

When the government took charge of the railroads in 1917, the average number of porters and maids on Pullman cars each day was 7,339. Their total salaries

DENIAL IS RETRACTED.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Nat Goldstein, delegate to the Republican national convention from the Eleventh Missouri district, said that the \$2,500 he received to promote the Lowden campaign in this state had been distributed among Republicans in a "certain district." He refused to name the district into which the money was sent.

In a statement made last night Goldstein had denied the testimony of the Lowden campaign manager before the senate investigating committee that Goldstein had received \$2,500 to help the Lowden campaign.

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OWEN'S EXPENSES \$3,352.

Washington by T. D. Lyons of Tulsa, Okla.—The expenditures of treasurer of the Owen league, in response Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma, to a request from Senator William S. Kenyon of Iowa, chairman of the senate denial nomination have amounted to \$3,352, according to a report forwarded to presidential candidates.

Under private operation in 1917, 3,701 employees did the cleaning work in Pullman cars at a cost of \$2,610,744.54. In 1919, under government control, 4,032 did the work at a cost of \$5,677,264.54.

The roads are asking an increase of 20 per cent in Pullman rates, with a minimum price of \$2 for a lower berth and fifty cents for a seat. No rate, however, is to be made so that it will not be the next highest multiple of twenty-five cents. No change less than silver quarters will be needed.

The rate for a lower berth from St. Louis to Jefferson City thus will be increased from \$1.50 to \$2.00 and the rate from St. Louis to Kansas City will be increased from \$2 to \$2.50. All short-haul rates will be increased from 20 per cent to 100 per cent.

Southern Vets Invited.

CHICAGO.—For the first time in the history of Memorial day parade in Chicago, Confederate veterans have been invited to join members of the G. A. R. in observance of the day. The invitation requesting the 1,200 members of the Confederate posts in Chicago to join in the parade was sent today by General John B. Thomas, commander of the Illinois department of the G. A. R., to General K. M. Van Zandt, national commander of the Confederate War Veterans' association, at Fort Worth, Texas.

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FRENCH CHIEF LANGUAGE IN MOSLEM TRADE

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 29.—The Germans have failed in their effort to stamp their culture upon the Turk and, instead, the English language is beginning to rank next to the French in the commercial life of the Levant.

In the war period German language schools were opened throughout Constantinople in which German officers were required to teach and German papers were circulated by all possible means. But the results were almost nil. Most of the schools were free and failed to attract better classes, and French was too strongly entrenched as the language of trade and social intercourse to be displaced.

Since the armistice, Italians have been working industriously to popularize their language and literature. Italian officers are now teaching in schools as the Germans did. But their schools are well attended only in the poorer districts of the city.

Turkish is but little used in important commercial transactions in Constantinople as nearly all business men of whatever nationality speak French. The English who have been in business in Turkey for years generally transact their business in French.

Since the war, however, there has been a great influx of American traders who know only English and the steady stream of American ships coming to Constantinople with English speaking crews, as well as American Red Cross workers and American and English relief workers of various sorts, has created a greater demand for the English language. For years the English have maintained a boys' high school and girls' high school in Constantinople. Robert College and the Constantinople College for Women both American institutions, have done much to advance English as a medium for higher education. And now the Young Men's Christian Association and the Young Woman's Christian Association are offering a variety of day and night classes for persons desiring to acquire English.

"NICKY INNOCENT," SAYS FANNIE BRICE; "HIGHER UPS ARE PASSING THE BUCK"



"Nicky" Arnstein enjoying his liberty with his wife, Fannie Brice.

Fannie Brice, the actress wife of "Nicky" Arnstein, the man who is charged with having been the "master mind" in the theft of over \$5,000,000 in bonds, insists that her husband, who is now enjoying his liberty under \$100,000 bail, is innocent. "The people really guilty of the bond plot have been passing the buck to my husband," she says. "The men who have confessed to obtain immunity by making a goat out

DELEGATES ARE UNPLEGGED.

DOVER, Del.—Delaware Democrats, in state convention here, chose six delegates to the Democratic national convention and elected United States Senator Josiah O. Wolcott a member of the national committee over Willard Saulsbury, former senator. The vote was 117 to 68. The delegates, all of whom were chosen without contest, were not instructed. They are William Coyne and Eben B. Fraser, New Castle county; Senator Wolcott and Benjamin A. Hazel, Kent county; Harlan M. Josephs and William F. Allen, Sussex county. Approval was given by the convention to the League of Nations covenant without destroying or nullifying reservations.

Sharp Addresses Students.

ADA, Ohio.—Urging that the American people pay more attention to education and religion, William Graves Sharp, former American Ambassador to France, delivered the address at the Ohio Northern University class day exercises. Mr. Sharp urged that the people cast aside political prejudices when voting for the next President. He told of some of his experiences while Ambassador in France.

Twenty-four and one-half gallons green Banner paint, \$2.50 per gallon, for this week; worth \$4.50 per gallon. Wright Furniture Co.—Adv.

MAY RAISE AGE OF CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 29.—The legislative committee will recommend that the governor of Illinois shall have as many years of discretion and judgment as the president of the United States. The present constitution permits a man of thirty years to be governor; the committee has recommended that thirty-five be placed in the new basic law. Copies of the committee report were distributed by Chairman Trautmann to the members.

The report recommends that the governor be empowered to use the state militia to protect property as well as life. The present constitution limits his power to safeguarding life. Under the section as drawn the governor could call out the militia if a Mississippi levee broke, or if persons attempted to burn down the stockyards at Chicago. The term of treasurer is extended to four years.

Provision is made to prevent two special sessions of the legislature at one time, as happened a few years ago. This is done by permitting the governor to issue two proclamations stating the objects for which a special session is called.

The governor is given an additional power to "grant reprieves, commutations,

and pardons for all offenses upon such conditions and with such restrictions and limitations as he may think proper." He has no authority at present to prescribe conditions.

The committee has yet to decide upon the wording of a proposal to be submitted to the voters separately, which if adopted would make appointive the offices of secretary of state, treasurer, attorney general, and superintendent of public instruction.

Delegates Whitman and Cutting took the lead for this short ballot innovation. Delegate Breen has criticized the wording of the proposition and it may be revised.

Delegate De Young also has suggested that the governor be given power to reduce items of appropriations as well as veto them. He promised to confer with former Governor Deneen and Governor Lowden on the subject. Speaker Shanahan is opposed to the idea. The convention will take up the article on corporations soon. Considering its importance, this subject received comparatively little discussion in the committee.

Minister Killed by Train.

SOMERSET, Ky.—Rev. R. E. Todd, one of the most prominent ministers of the Christian church in Pulaski county, was killed by a train while attempting to cross the railroad track near Eubank. Rev. Mr. Todd stepped from the track to escape a freight train and was struck by a passenger train on another track.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS.

Sealed proposals, addressed to C. R. Starnes, County Judge, for the improvement of certain highways in Eastland County, Texas, will be received at the office of C. R. Starnes at Eastland, Texas, until 9 o'clock A. M., May 31st, 1920, and then publicly opened and read.

Description of Work to Be Done:

The work shall consist of grading and shaping, installation of drainage structures and surfacing the following roads:

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7	Ranger-Caddo	2.005 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
6	Ranger-Pleasant Grove	9.34 Miles	(Surfacing Only)
22	Eastland-Breckenridge	7.93 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
12	Cisco-Breckenridge	10.24 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
8	Cisco-Albany	12.21 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
11 A	Cisco-Nimrod	10.11 Miles	Macadam
14	Scranton	4.98 Miles	Sand Clay
11 B	Nimrod-Pioneer	13.24 Miles	Sand Clay
11 C	Pioneer-Rising Star	9.93 Miles	Sand Clay
9 B	Rising-Star-Okra, N.	9.737 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
9 A	Okra-Carbon, South	7.563 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
2	Long Branch	7.74 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
13 A	Cisco-Romney	9.90 Miles	Macadam
13 B	Romney-Rising Star	10.67 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
18 A	Eastland-Carbon	8.95 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
18 B	Carbon-Gorman	10.077 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
10	Gorman-Desdemona	6.48 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
4 B	Desdemona, North	13.875 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
4 A	Eastland, East	4.191 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
5	Ranger, South	2.57 Miles	Bituminous Macadam
3	Gorman, North	8.67 Miles	Sand Clay
15	Strawn	0.88 Miles	(Surfacing Only)

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained, at the office of W. R. Eccles, County Engineer, Room 37, Court House, at Eastland, Texas.

A certified, or Cashier's check for Five per cent of the amount bid on any one project, and made payable, without recourse, to the order of C. R. Starnes, County Judge of Eastland County, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with the requirements of the specifications; provided, however, that in case any bidder desires to bid on more than one project, his check need not, in the aggregate, exceed the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00).

The right is reserved by the party of the first part to accept bids on any project or combination of projects, or to reject any and all proposals, or to waive all technicalities, if so stated in their proposals, of withdrawing their bids provided any part of the bid is rejected by the party of the first part.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked: "Bids for the Construction of Roads and Bridges in Eastland County." All bids received will be retained by the County Engineer and will not be returned to the bidders.

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AUTO SUN—FENDERS OFTEN 418 Very often you can tell the fellow who keeps his car in his own private garage by the condition of the fenders of his automobile. They are bent down somewhat or dented and otherwise disfigured, because, in driving in or backing out of his garage he has a habit of misjudging the distance between the fender and the door jamb. And before he can stop moving the fender has been made to suffer. Where the doorway is none too wide—a natural condition with the city man's garage, since he usually cannot make it any larger than necessary to barely squeeze the car in—it is a good idea to install guard rails in the corners of the door opening, or little concrete or wooden guiding blocks. If a piece of husky piping is attached into each corner it will serve as a guard against which the tire will strike if the car is run too close to the doorway. This will either have the effect of pushing the car away from the side of the door or it will offer enough obstruction to the forward movement of the car to warn the driver in time to change the car's position. Obviously these diagonal pipes would only be of advantage when entering the garage, being of no service when backing out.

The concrete or wooden blocks, however, are intended as backing-out protection, serving to guide the wheels in the path they should follow in order to clear the doorway sufficiently. They are of no special advantage when entering the garage, being opposite in their function to the diagonal pipe fenders mentioned above.—Motor Life.

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International News Service. LONDON.—"One of the main reasons why there have been so few outstanding film 'stars' in this country is that the average British girl does not know how to wear her clothes," a British film producer told the Daily Mail. "It is not because they do not have the latest fashions, or because they cannot afford them. Taken merely from the fashionable point of view, British girls are always up-to-date and spend a great deal on their clothes. But, judging by the girls who come to me for film work, and those already in my employ, they do not seem to know how to carry themselves properly. "French girls always look distinguished, however ordinary their clothes, and a large number of American girls know how to get the most out of their dresses. I have just returned from a visit to the United States. I was watching a scene being made in a large American studio, and I particularly studied the heroine. Her acting was not outstanding, and she was not astonishingly beautiful, but I was fascinated, and I discovered that part of her charm was due to the way in which she carried her clothes."

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FOR SALE—Two-room house; shingle roof; bargain. No. 425 N. Rusk

TEXAS AND PENNSYLVANIA ARE POLITICAL KEY STATES WHICH MAY INDEX CONVENTION VOTING

BY BASCOM N. TIMMONS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—Pennsylvania isn't going Democratic in 1920. That is stating a truism. No one ever expects this commonwealth to go other than Republican so long as the G. O. P. is the party of the protective tariff.

Outside of an attempt to pick up a congressional seat here and there, the Democrats make little effort in the Keystone state. Pennsylvania in 1916 gave Hughes 703,734 votes to Wilson's 521,784. At that Wilson ran a good race in Pennsylvania. No Democrat ever gets closer than that to election.

Yet Pennsylvania plays a big part in Democratic conventions, just as Texas, which always goes Democratic, plays a part in Republican conventions. In 1912 Pennsylvania and Texas standing side by side kept Woodrow Wilson in the race while the Clark majority was slowly whittled down. Had the Keystone or the Lone Star delegation ever faltered Wilson never would have gone to the White House.

But Texas and Pennsylvania will not stand together on convention day at San Francisco. Texas is for William G. McAdoo and Pennsylvania is for A. Mitchell Palmer. It is not conceivable that Texas ever would go for Palmer, even should it come about that McAdoo could not be nominated.

There is bitter feeling against Palmer in the Texas congressional delegation because of his action in throwing the disputed Red river oil area into receivership, and it is believed that this feeling is shared very generally throughout Texas. It is said that if the action of Palmer in backing the Oklahoma claim without giving Texas claimants an opportunity to be heard can be taken as a criterion of his administrative ability, he is not a very safe man for President. At any rate, the entente between Texas and Pennsylvania which was so much in evidence at Baltimore will be absent this year.

Palmer Is Weak Runner.

Seventy-four of the seventy-six delegates to the San Francisco convention will vote for Palmer on the first ballot. After that a number of them will cast their ballots for William G. McAdoo. Palmer may also get the twenty-eight delegates from Georgia, where there was a split, and Palmer delegates were chosen at a rump convention after Watson-Smith forces had outvoted the Palmer crowd in the regular convention. But the attorney general is a first ballot morning glory, whose strength is expected to be dissipated on the second ballot.

The recent attack of Joseph F. Guffey, Palmer leader in Pennsylvania on McAdoo has injured the chances of Palmer ever becoming the party nominee, if indeed he ever had such a chance.

It will be recalled that opponents

of Palmer in Pennsylvania asked that McAdoo's name be written on the ballot. McAdoo, who was in Colorado, did not add to his statement made on a number of occasions that he is not a candidate and does not wish to be voted for in primaries, doubtless thinking any further statement unnecessary. The result was that a remarkable vote was cast for McAdoo as against Palmer in the attorney general's home state.

The weakness shown by the attorney general at home because of the large writing in of McAdoo's name is said to have enraged Palmer, and certainly there is evidence of this in Guffey's scurrilous arraignment of McAdoo. It is doubtful if Guffey would have issued such a statement without Palmer's knowledge.

At all events it seems that the two largest delegations at San Francisco will exercise little influence in the selection of a candidate. New York will be the same old joke it always is because it is tied to Tammany Hall and Charles F. Murphy and Pennsylvania will be impotent because it is tied to the hopeless candidacy of A. Mitchell Palmer.

Penrose Will Talk.

Being in Pennsylvania, it is necessary to say a few things about Senator Boise Penrose, big boss of the G. O. P. Penrose at 60 years old has just been chosen without opposition in the Republican primaries for his fifth six-year term in the Senate. There is every evidence that he is back in condition; he has taken apartments at 39 Cedar street in Chicago for the Republican national convention, and in a smoke-filled room in this apartment at 39 Cedar street, and not in Convention hall, will the next Republican nominee for President be chosen. Figure who the Penrose candidate is and you have the solution of the muddled Republican presidential situation.

Penrose will arrive in Chicago on June 3. He will have commodious apartments at 39 Cedar street. He will have his own complement of clerks and attendants.

Thus, far from the noise and turmoil of the Coliseum, Penrose can confer and bargain without let or hindrance. He can summon those

he wants and avoid those he does not desire to see. He can keep in constant touch with convention doings by telephone. It is a kind of new departure in absent treatment but it is not without its advantages. Senator Watson of Indiana, one of Penrose's trusted lieutenants, has been here conferring with the chief. The advance program seems to be worked out and the Progressives think they see in the conference Penrose has been holding less preparation for a program than for a program, devoted to the Wood Johnson interests and aspirations. Hence all Republicans are interested in Penrose plans who expect to figure in the Chicago program, either as dark forces or as victims.

Lodge May Take Chair.

Watson was supposed to have brought two interesting propositions for the consideration of Penrose—one that Watson himself be the chairman of the committee on resolutions, the other that they should declare the trifling at an end and agree on Lodge

KOREAN PRESIDENT IS NOW IN AMERICA



Dr. Syngman Rhee, president of the provisional government of the republic of Korea, is in Washington with the Korean commission.

as both temporary and permanent chairmen.

If this goes through it takes no secret to foretell the fate of the Johnson-Borah dream of an outright plank declaring against the league of nations, from preamble to signature. And as for Johnson's candidacy, it is only necessary to consider the suggestion that Senator Smoot is to be the chairman of the credentials committee to visualize the horrors impending.

Watson was Penrose's first choice for the presidential nomination, but apprehension of how it would be received in the West shunted him off and Watson has devoted himself to a campaign for re-election to the Senate.

Indications now are that unless something distinctive happens to divert their purpose the regular reservation group among the Republicans purpose to travel over the Borah-Johnson faction with spikes in their shoes. Up to this time Borah and Johnson have not been asked what they think of the Indiana Republican convention's straddle on the treaty, which the G. O. P. is said to intend weaving into the Chicago platform.

It is believed here today that Penrose and Watson blueprinted the destruction of both Wood and Johnson to take place shortly after the convention meets. The news that Penrose will be on deck has cheered the Old Guard. They have all chirped up amazingly and appear to believe that Penrose will find a solution for all their troubles when the time comes. From their viewpoint it means that Hiram Johnson certainly will be eliminated as a troublesome possibility, and the other disturbing elements will be unable to make any headway.

Dark Horse Prospects.

Incidentally, the stock of Knox as a dark horse has jumped up many points. Many are picking him as a growing daily that Penrose is sincere winner. The impression seems to be in advocating the selection of Knox,

and that his suggestion of him is not some kind of trick to obtain a better grip on the convention.

Penrose's home has been the headquarters of the general staff, and every man scheduled for a captaincy in the final operation has been communicated with by wire. With less than two weeks away, it is taken for granted that Penrose has every delegate tagged and numbered. That is the way he has always worked.

It is symptomatic that his old system is in first class working order, that the delegates from half a dozen states have declared that they regarded their instructions as carrying them only as far as the first ballot, and that after that they would be guided by circumstances. In this convention, from the present outlook circumstances is Penrose's other name.

BOY TELLS HOW FATHER WAS SHOT BY ASSASIN

SAN FRANCISCO.—Through a description furnished by Antone Pedoni, 14-year-old boy who saw his father, Ignacio Pedoni, shot down by three assassins, the police arrested Manuel Almadado, a half-breed negro, on suspicion.

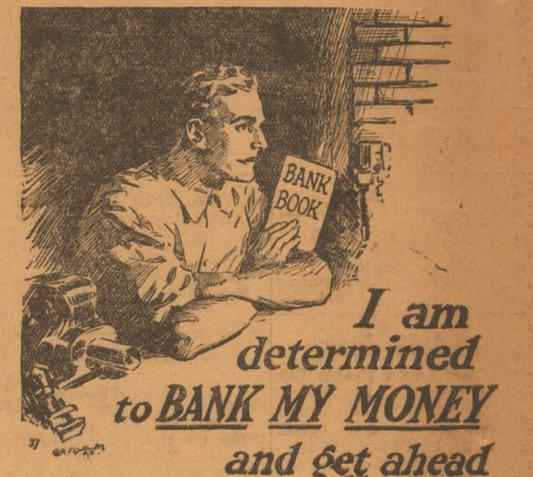
The Pedoni boy described Almadado to the police and gave his name, declaring that he had positively recognized the man, but Almadado denied that he was in the vicinity of the crime.

Pedoni, who was employed as a plasterer, was shot and killed while on his way to a barber shop. One of the trio fired upon him as he was crossing Grant avenue and Elbert streets. The assassins halted an automobile driven by Ernest Parmagani, 800 Kearney street, placed the dying man in the rear seat, and fled.

Personal relations between members of the Pedoni family and relatives of Almadado are said to have caused the attack.

Specials for this week—Walnut bed room suites, bird's eye maple bed room suites, ivory bedroom suites, duffels, dressers, kitchen cabinets and refrigerators. Wright Furniture Co.—Adv.

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NEW YORK—Lower prices for vegetables were predicted by Dr. F. H. Porter, state commissioner of foods. He based his statement on the sudden drop in wholesale prices in these commodities. Trains from the West and South brought in large shipments. He declared some dealers were glad to accept almost any price for some vegetables.



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Examining the ex-kaiser's stein.

A New York art collector has announced the acquisition and intention to sell at auction the kaiser's throne and many of his personal house furnishings and treasures. The collector says the goods were shipped from Germany after much trouble. Miss Mary Morsell of Milwaukee is shown above examining the ex-kaiser's stein, taken from his Bavarian chateau.

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MAMMOTH CAVE TO BE PARK GOV't SAYS

By Associated Press
LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 29.—Mammoth cave, Kentucky's contribution to the wonders of the world, may soon be purchased and transformed into an extensive National park.

Reports from Washington are to the effect that the rules committee of the house of representatives contemplates calling up for passage shortly a measure with this in view. This in house bill No. 3110 introduced by Representative Robert Y. Thomas of the Third Kentucky district, which would appropriate \$1,000,000 for the government to purchase the great cavern and 32,000 acres of virgin forest land lying around it.

The movement to make a national park of the famous cave has been carried on by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. Other organizations, including National Conservation congress, Southern Commercial congress, National Geographical society, and National Geographic society have joined in the movement with resolutions urging the government to preserve the cave as a national park.

Many letters also have been received by Kendrick B. Lewis, chairman of a committee of the Louisville Lodge of Elks, from individuals all over the country supporting the project. Stephen Mather, national park commissioner, and Coleman Du Pont, are among them.

Mr. Lewis, who is past exalted ruler, Louisville lodge, said the Elks are supporting the house bill because "preservation of the gigantic cavern as a national park would be one of the greatest accomplishments for the public good ever attained."

"Mammoth cave," he said, "ranks as a world wonder equally with Niagara Falls and Yellowstone park. Situated in Edmonson county, Kentucky, it is one of the most picturesque sections of the country and is surrounded by a primitive forest of hardwood timber comprising approximately 32,000 acres. This property is to be sold at public auction in the near future, I understand, and many timber men are endeavoring to purchase it. The nation in general and Kentucky in particular wishes the government to buy the cave and land in order to save the natural wonder for the future generations to see."

From the year of its discovery, 1809, by a hunter, explorations have been made over 100 miles of its interior. The cave's first exploration came in 1812 during the war with the British when men went into it to mine the soft soil for saltpeter for use in making gun powder.

Mammoth cave is today the greatest subterranean area known to exist. It has five different levels and the temperature is at all times fifty-four degrees. Eternal darkness and stillness reign supreme. Stalactites and stalagmites take on the form of fluted columns, of festoons and of draperies. There are great auditoriums with lofty ceilings—one where the formations resemble a starlit sky—domes hundreds of feet high, the sides former of tier after tier of fluted columns and a river, the Echo, navigable for half a mile, which derives its name from the fact that the slightest noise is intensified a thousand times.

INVENTOR WINS PATENT RIGHTS

ST. LOUIS, May 29.—The United States patent office, after an exhaustive inquiry, has issued an examiner's report in which it is decided that the patent rights to the Inland piston ring, of which about 5,000,000 have been sold for use on automobiles, belong to John W. Ford, who invented the appliance in 1914 when he was working here as master mechanic at the Inland Machine Works at \$30 a week. Ford says he will now make efforts to collect royalties on all piston rings that have been sold or that are sold hereafter.

The hearing was held upon the request of Ford after he had discovered that a patent had been taken out by John Flamming, then president of the Inland works. Ford was discharged from the concern in 1915 and did not know the patent had been applied for until the following year.

Ford, in his claim before the patent office, asserted he invented the ring after lengthy experiments had been made at the works to develop some cylinder ring that would keep itself automatically tightly closed. He said Flamming had started work on a wound piston ring, then attempted to make a ring with a long helical cut. He claims that various methods were attempted to keep this slot closed. First, it was done with a lathe in a cutting tool, then with a slitting was in a milling machine. Flamming is said to have consulted with Ford and other workmen in an effort to find some means to keep the slot closed, as carbon could collect in it and allow the escape of gas.

Got Idea at Home.
Ford says that late in October, 1914, while experimenting at his home, which was then on Lexington avenue, he suddenly conceived the idea of how the ring could be adjusted. His wife was ill in bed at the time and he testified that he explained the matter to her.

The next working day, he says, he showed an imperfect ring to Flamming, then went to the gas furnace and treated it with heat so that it would take the

FORMER U. S. AMBASSADOR TO MEXICO ADVOCATES NEW BUFFER STATE SOUTH OF THE RIO GRANDE



Heavy black line marks southern border of proposed new buffer state below United States boundary.

The division of Mexico at the twenty-second parallel by the creation, with force if necessary, of an independent Mexican republic, including the present states of Sonora, Chihuahua,

Nuevo Leon and Tamaulipas and the territory of Lower California, is advocated by Henry Lane Wilson, former U. S. ambassador to Mexico. Mr. Wilson points out that northern Mexico has been

"the breeding ground of all recent Mexican revolutions" which Mexico City has not been able to control successfully, and asserts the division of the country would insure permanent peace.

CONDUCTOR IS ROBBED AS HE QUITS HIS CAR AFTER LAST RUN ENDS

John C. Sommers of 2748 Osage street, a conductor on the Lee avenue car line, was held up by two masked youths as he stepped from a rest room at the western terminus of the line, Lee and Taylor avenues, at 1 a. m.

He was ordered to throw up his hands and while one of the highwaymen covered him with a revolver the other took his belt and money changer containing \$15, and \$5 in change and fifty street car tokens from his pocket. They also took a small wooden tray containing pennies and tokens from the conductor's department on the street car.

Half an hour after the robbery was

reported a policeman found the belt and money changer empty, and the tray containing sixteen tokens and twenty-five pennies lying in the street a block from the loop. Sommers said that the robbers appeared to be about seventeen years old. They wore caps and had handkerchiefs over the lower part of their face.

CHICAGO SAYS ALL IS READY FOR BIG MEET

CHICAGO, May 29.—The Chicago coliseum, where the Republican national convention of 1920 will be held, beginning June 8, has a history rich in political interest. Five national political conventions have been held within its walls, a record unsurpassed by any building in the United States.

Every four years since 1904 the Republican party has met in the coliseum to nominate its candidates for president and vice-president, and in 1912 the Progressive party also met there to nominate Colonel Theodore Roosevelt for president. The coliseum was completed in 1900. It was designed as a model convention hall and erected on the site of the old Libby War Prison museum, at Wabash avenue and Fifteenth street, less than a mile from the hotel and retail shopping district.

The castellated walls of the old war prison were used for the Wabash avenue side of the structure. It was built of stone, brick, steel and glass and is 403 feet long, 170 feet wide. It cost nearly \$1,000,000. It has a wide balcony extending around three of the walls, and this has been amplified for this year's convention by the addition of a second balcony on the north side.

As a result the seating capacity, 13,187, is the greatest in the building's history. Only 12,400 were seated at the 1916 convention.

The main floor of the coliseum will seat 9,500 delegates, alternates, press representatives and spectators. There will be 100 doorkeepers, 200 ushers and 2,000 sergeants-at-arms. All the ushers and doorkeepers will be overseas soldiers, sailors and marines, working with military discipline under the direction of former army officers. By this system the national committee hopes to avert the over-crowding of four years ago when hundreds of persons stormed the doors, forced their way past the untrained door-

keepers and pre-empted seats for which they held no tickets.

The speaker's platform at the south end of the building will provide seats for the officers of the convention and members of the Republican national committee. Behind this is a raised platform with 2,000 seats for the use of presidential candidates and other distinguished guests. On either side of the speaker's platform, extending across the building is a press section containing 575 seats for working newspaper men.

Facing the speaker are the seats for the 984 delegates an equal number of alternates. This section is enclosed by a heavy rail to hold back the crowds of friendly spectators who frequently, during moments of intense enthusiasm, attempt to storm the speaker's stand. The rest of the main floor and all the balconies will be given over to visitors.

Tickets for spectators have been divided among the national committeemen from each state, in proportion to the state representation in the convention, with the exception of a block of about 2,500 seats, which go to the Chicago convention committee, which financed the convention arrangements. With less than 10,000 visitor's seats to be distributed, the committeemen had received more than 75,000 requests for tickets weeks in advance of the convention.

The Chicago convention committee, of which Fred W. Upham, Republican national treasurer, is chairman, raised \$150,000 to bring the convention to Chicago. The high cost of everything has hit the convention. Music, which cost \$2,800 for the entire convention in 1916, costs \$1,000 a day for a band of fifty pieces this year. Other expenses are in proportion.

The Republican national committee moved its executive offices to the coliseum several weeks in advance of the convention. Adjoining the main building is an annex connected with the coliseum proper by several broad arches and entrances. Here are located the executive and administrative offices, a temporary hospital in charge of 100 Chicago physicians, and, in the basement, a telegraph and telephone room where scores of special wires have been installed for the use of the news gathering associations and newspapers which will cover the convention.

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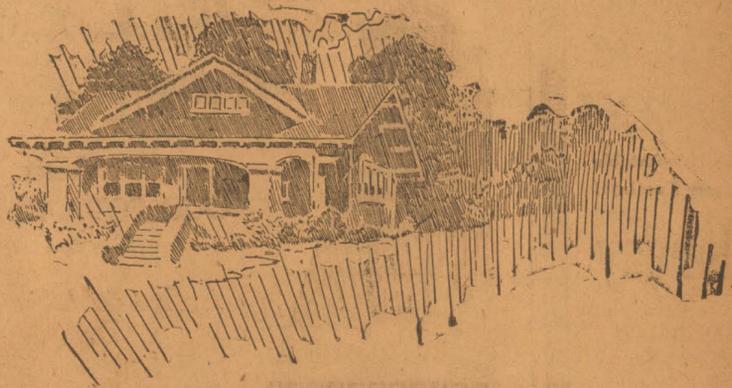
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It has been conservatively estimated that 35,000 acres of fertile valley lands in Somervell county is adapted to irrigation from waters which may be taken from wells from 30 to 300 feet in depth. In Somervell county every well is an artesian well. In fact, if you drill for water it'll be artesian or a dry hole. The deep wells flow a soft, palatable draught; but the shallow wells, for the most part, contain water which makes them valuable in the cure of diseases. Galveston is the best known stream in that section. It flows the year around, and is fringed with large umbrageous trees, beneath whose boughs hundreds of tents are stretched in summer. The waters teem with fish and the forests with small game.

From Ranger to Glen Rose, the splendid new pleasure and health resort that would be created with the advent of a railroad, is only about 65 miles as routed by the proposed new oil field interurban. Ranger would thereby be in position to go after trade in the new territory, now without railroads. On Sundays and week-ends the interurban line could run special cars to take Ranger people to the new popular resort which would spring up. A day of fishing, rusticiating, hill-climbing, and other diversions would fit the employer or the employee to return to Ranger well fitted to tackle the arduous tasks of another week.

Glen Rose is very eager that this proposed road be built. It will be strongly represented at the meeting to be held at Stephenville June 4. It wants connection with the important oil field towns, especially Ranger. The proposed line would put Ranger in touch with Stephenville, Desdemona, Glen Rose, and Cleburne and make it possible for one to get on an electric car at Ranger and travel into Dallas, Fort Worth, Sherman, Waco, Hillsboro and other towns, and before the year is out to Temple, without having to ride by the uncomfortable, noisy, smoky, steam lines.

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has been agitating an interurban line for Ranger for several months. Some time ago an interurban official was much pleased with the outlook for his company to build a line from a large city in Texas to Ranger and other oil field towns, but a hitch occurred, since which time Glen Rose and other towns in that section have taken upon themselves to organize and get ready for the financing of this important transportation system. It is to be hoped that Ranger will see fit to have a representative at the Stephenville meeting June 4 to take action looking to the building of the line.

NINE PERSONS INDICTED.

NAPOLÉON, Ohio.—The Henry county grand jury, after a four-day session, returned sixteen indictments, involving nine persons. The jury had been convened to investigate matters resulting from the city "clean-up crusade." The indictments relate largely to car thefts, automobile thefts, burglaries and gambling.

UNION WILL HOLD CHECK ON WORKERS

BOSTON, May 29.—Standardization of quantity and quality of work in the clothing industry with a view to checking laziness as well as undue speed of production is one of the aims of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, and the co-operation of the manufacturers is hoped for by the union, according to the general secretary of the clothing workers, Joseph Schlossberg. The plan, which is in the hands of the general executive board of the organization, is regarded as a new departure in the management of labor.

The general executive board will make a study of the market conditions in each large city and then invite a conference with the clothing manufacturers for the purpose of agreeing upon a scale of work. It is planned to establish a standard of quantity and quality that must be performed for the maximum pay, and there is to be a lower standard of quantity and quality with a corresponding rate of pay for the worker who cannot reach the first standard.

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In the past the workers have claimed that they have been speeded up too much by the manufacturers and have met that issue by fixing an arbitrary limit upon production in certain fields, while some manufacturers have been contending that the men and women in the trade have not been doing an honest amount of work for the pay. Piecework tended to drive the workers too fast, according to their own view of it, and was everywhere discouraged by the unions; pay by the week, regardless of the amount of work performed, has not been satisfactory to the manufacturers.

UNIVERSITY GIRLS ARE AWARDED T

AUSTIN, TEX., May 29.—"T" night at the University of Texas was held May 26 in the Woman's Gymnasium under the auspices of the Woman's Athletic Council. All letters won by the girls during the year were officially announced.

Miss Etta Gilbert of Austin won the highest number of points in the Texas Turtle Club trophy, scoring 151. Final enumeration of points which will be made before the close of the session will determine the winner of the gold turtle. The next five winners will be awarded silver turtles, and the remaining members of the club will receive bronze turtles. Membership is limited to 50 women students.

NEW SAND REPORTED IN PALO PINTO COUNTY WELL

BRAZOS, May 29.—A new sand has been struck at 3,395 feet in the Empire's Wheeler No. 1 and Empire No. 2 are suspended, awaiting the arrival of Empire officials. The flow continues at 300 barrels.

To the north of Wheeler No. 1, across the Brazos river, are the Chestnut, Edmondson and other gas wells which have a showing of oil; to the northeast about one-half mile, the Empire's Wheeler No. 2 is drilling at 200 feet; to the west, slightly south, about 400 yards, the Empire's Gilbert No. 1 is drilling at 2,300 feet.

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Suppose the following situation confronted you: You had been touring all day in your car and stopped for lunch at a hotel in some medium-sized town. A clever auto thief stops to admire your car, which has been left outside the hotel. He jots down the number of your car, notes the model and year. He then calls up the police station, describes the car accurately and says he is Mr. So-and-So, touring through that city from Washington, and asks the police to be on the lookout for the car if the thief should try to get out of the city.

So You Are Stopped.

You, of course are stopped by a policeman on your way out and are taken to the police station, the police thinking they have caught the thief.

The man who is attempting to get away with the car, of course, is well dressed and a smooth talker. He congratulates the police on the quick apprehension of the thief displays his license card and prepares to drive away. How could you prove without telephoning to Washington, or to friends, that you were the real owner of the car?

First you would have to have a most complete knowledge of the car. With police officers present you might ask the

would-be thief just what candlepower your headlights were. In all probability he would not know, and then after you had told them twenty-four, for instance, remove the headlight glasses and show them that they were twenty-four.

Then you might ask him what there was peculiar about his right mud guard. He wouldn't know so you could explain that your right mud guard had become loose and that there was a three-inch steel brace under it.

Next you might suggest that he tell you the engine number of your car. He would not know and then you could give the correct number.

If you were possessed of a cut-out, you might ask him next what make of cut-out it is, where made and other details.

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RAPID DROP IN PRICES CAUSES CONCERN IN FRANCE

PARIS, May 29.—Concern is felt in commercial markets throughout France because of a rapid decline in prices of stable commodities. In the last thirty days cotton has declined 244 francs per fifty kilograms in the Havre market, while coffee has fallen seventy-six and wool thirty-five in the same time.

ANOTHER JAPANESE BANK SUSPENDS OPERATIONS

TOKIO, May 29.—The suspension yesterday of the Seventy-Fourth Bank of Yokohama in which Sobei Mogi was the principal shareholder, was followed today by the suspension of the Yokohama Savings bank of which M. Mogi is president.

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The Woman Who Saw

A Fourteenth Street Grace.
Outside the penny Arcade on Fourteenth Street sits Esmeralda, the Gypsy Queen. While it is very unkind to hint at ladies' ages, we might say that Esmeralda dates back to the palmy days of the Eden Musee, to the sporting policeman who used to astonish our childhood, to the terrible Chamber of Horrors, even to Napoleon and the Crowned Heads of Europe. All these great ones are gone, probably because they only told us of the past. But Esmeralda has a more lasting charm. For one Indian, one red, in 1848, one penny, she will "foretell the future."

Fourteenth Street dust and sun has faded her hair and the satin of her gown and dimmed her jewels. It has spread a gray film over the red and black spots of the fatal cards and made the wise old owl, her companion, moult his sorry feathers. But her eyes still look confidently up Fifth Avenue past the bustle of Union Square, quite unmoved, for she sees beyond, or so she says.

The Woman, strolling along Fourteenth Street with a receptive eye, stopped, as she has done before, to admire Esmeralda, when the Pretty Young Thing and the Wonderful Youth came along. The Young Thing seemed to be always laughing and the cherries over her carefully nodded as she swung on the arm of the Youth.

"Oh, looket," and she wheeled him and in front of Esmeralda, "what she do?"

"Foretells the future, one cent," read the Youth. "Gee, that's easy." Jingle, jingle, fell the penny and that was all. "Shake it," suggested the girl. So, unmindful of the dignity of the seer, they tried to move the heavy case. Nothing doing.

"Say!" exclaimed the youth, "you see

what she did? Took our money and give us nothing. She's one of these here prophets, that's what!"

"Silly thing, who cares!" laughed the girl. But whether she meant the future or Esmeralda, the Woman couldn't tell.

Persuaded.
The woman's neighbor has had a German maid since the year before the war began—young, good looking and, most important in these troublous times, an excellent general houseworker. Ever since the armistice was signed Marie has been Marie has been considering going home to get married. She has no "shatz" here and she wants one from her old home town.

The Woman's neighbor has used all her persuasive powers, and the girl has remained, but always with the fixed idea of eventually sailing for home. May was the month finally decided upon, and her mistress heaved the flying days.

The Woman was putting the key in the door yesterday, when she heard her name softly called, and, turning, saw a hand beckon to her from across the hall.

"Just a minute! I don't want to shout so Marie will hear, but she's going to stay," she whispered excitedly.

"But"—began the Woman.

"I know. What do you think made her change her mind? She went to see some friends last night and they have onija board. Onija, blessings on it, told her not to go until next year! No more cavilling on onija when I'm about."

Echoes of the World War.
The Woman may be argus-eyed, and certain it is that she neither slumbers nor sleeps when'er she takes her walks abroad, but she does not seem to use another's eyes, and this time a man did the seeing for her. He is a scribe on the local paper for a neighboring town, and records his observations interestingly.

While the Senate wrangles over the Peace treaty, reminding us how short a time ago we were a part of the great conflict, the observer finds other indications that take us back a few brief months. May days have made country licks popular with New York boys, and via the suburbs they make for the open road. Watch them and see that khaki breeches, puttees, or spiral leggings, with old service shirts, bear mute testimony to the fact that their wearers once wore the uniform. Now and then the blue of the navy adds a touch of difference. And one party, just an exact squad, it happened, marched on the road to Rye Lake to the lusty strains of that song of the A. B. C. "Hinky Dinky Parlez Vous."

The Old, Old Reason.
While the crowd was waiting for the kindly autoer who rules a certain section of Fifth Avenue to signal that it might cross the street, the attention of the Woman was attracted by a small but sturdy person of three or thereabouts who stood beside her. He was enough like the pretty lady who held his hand to identify them as mother and son even before

BEER AND OIL ARE NOT EXCHANGABLE THESE DAYS
FORT WORTH, May 29.—"Times sure have changed," observed an old timer who was discussing the high price of oil, when the price was out to ten cents a barrel. In those days it took two barrels of oil to buy one bottle of beer. Times sure have changed."

At this point one of his hearers remarked grimly, "I'll say they have changed. Where'd you go now to find anyone who'd be fool enough to swap a bottle of beer for two barrels of oil?"

GIANT COMBS NOW WORN BY WOMEN
International News Service
LONDON, May 29.—The heads of the most beautiful women, obtainable in colors, including tortoiseshell, match the gowns of the day with a remarkable effect to the cover nearly the whole side.

Miss Peggy O'Neill the tress, was the first to adopt the fashion. She appeared at Savoy wearing a green evening frock.

TAFFETA FROCK HAS PETAL-LIKE SKIRT TO HONOR SPRING



This navy blue taffeta frock must have been inspired by the early blossoms of spring for the skirt is surely like flower petals, each tier scalloped and edged with narrow fluting. The blouse is a quaint little short-sleeved affair with a net and lace rilet. A double row of the fluting and a band of Roman striped ribbon form the girdle.

A Tight Fit.
As the woman approached her favorite motion picture theatre, while yet afar off she could distinguish the name of Nazimova. The electric letters twinkled brightly in an arc, following the line of the permanent awning, which stretched from the theatre to the sidewalk. Beneath the name of the star were some other electric letters that at first appeared

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two cups flour 2 tea-
 spoon sugar
 7 teaspoon sugar
 rub two teaspoons
 mixture; add 1 cup
 the beaten yolk of 1
 egg, all blended, then toss
 and divide into the 2
 and put in jelly tins
 butter on the bot-
 tom. The cakes will
 come apart when
 a quick oven about
 300 deg.

Strawberry Shortcake.—
 strawberries and add to
 sugar; add these sweet-
 eners to the wife of one egg
 After adding the mashed
 strawberries to the
 shortcake recipe is the
 Strawberry Shortcake.— 3
 cups sugar, 2 cups flour 1 table-
 spoon cream of tartar, 1 scant
 teaspoon soda, one cup milk
 beat the butter and sugar to-
 gether, the eggs well beaten. Sift
 flour, soda and cream of tar-

tar and stir this mixture into the beaten
 egg and sugar, adding the milk alter-
 nately with the flour mixture. Bake in
 a deep tin pan; split and fill with hal-
 ved strawberries which have stood with
 sugar on them for at least an hour. Pile
 strawberries on top and serve with whip-
 ped cream.

Mrs. Harry L.—"I have been saving the
 spoiled vinegar from my pickled peaches
 to use instead of boiled cider in mince-
 meat. Have you ever heard of anyone
 using it in this way?"

Answer.—Many housewives use the
 vinegar from their pickled peaches in
 just this way and prefer it to the boiled
 cider in mince meat. Use it in the pro-
 portion that you would use cider.

**JUDGE FOUND "PIG STY"
FLATS, LANDLORDS HEAR**

International News Service.
 NEW YORK, May 29.—Justice Gas-
 ton Friedlander of the Seventh district
 municipal court, started landlords when,
 interrupting a hearing, he said that he
 would visit every house which tenants
 complained about. He said:
 "I already have visited more than a
 score of apartments on Washington
 Heights, and I found some where condi-
 tions were intolerable. Some of the
 places are not fit for pigs to live in. I
 propose to make a list of these places
 public, together with the names of the
 owners."

**DEFEATS HUSBAND IN
EFFORT TO WIN SUIT
WOMAN ASKS DIVORCE**

SAN FRANCISCO.—After having
 defeated two suits for divorce, filed
 by her husband, Bruce Clarke Ken-
 nedy, Mrs. Aida Kennedy has applied
 to the superior court for a divorce
 from him. A property settlement of
 Kennedy's holdings has been made
 out of court, it is said. Kennedy is
 the son of a wealthy Honolulu resi-
 dent, now dead. Mrs. Kennedy
 charges desertion.

In her husband's two previous suits
 Mrs. Kennedy was charged with mis-
 conduct. Evidence brought out in
 both trials showed that she had been
 a good and faithful wife.

The Kennedys were married July
 20, 1909, and separated Feb. 24,
 1917.

GIGNILLIAT IS BOOSTED.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 28.—Major Ar-
 thur Lonn, of this city, has launched
 a movement to bring about the election
 of Col. L. R. Gignilliat, commander of
 Culver Military academy, to be Indiana
 commander of the American Legion.
 Colonel Gignilliat was in the service over-
 seas as chief of staff of the Thirty-sev-
 enth (Ohio) division.

**MONUMENT SIGNIFIES
THAT STRIKE IS OVER
BETWEEN COUNTRIES**

QUITO, Ecuador, May 29.—In the
 presence of the chief executives of Ecu-
 ador and Colombia, the cornerstone of a
 monument commemorative of the happy
 termination of the boundary dispute be-
 tween the two countries has just been laid
 on the bridge of Ramichaca on the fron-
 tier.

President Alfredo Baquerizo Moreno of
 Ecuador and President Marco Fidel Suar-
 ez met halfway on the bridge and greeted
 each other amid a salute of artillery and
 cheers of spectators of both nationalities.
 The presidents delivered addresses refer-
 ring to the monument as a symbol of
 peace and friendship between their re-
 spective countries.

MOCK CONVENTION OPENS.

BERLIN, Ohio, May 28.—The four-
 teenth quadrennial Republican mock con-
 vention of Oberlin college began here with
 more than 400 students, "delegates" from
 forty-eight states, and one bona-fide
 statesman, Paul Howard of Cleveland,
 who is chairman, present. A platform
 was drafted. The presidential candidate
 was nominated.

A cure for idioy has been found. The
 supply will never be equal to the demand.
 —Detroit News.

**ASIATIC PROBLEM NOW
CONFRONTS SOUTH AMERICA**

BUENOS AIRES, May 29.—Peru,
 like the United States and Canada,
 has its "Asiatic problem." Advice
 from Lima tell of the distribution of
 circulars among the workers of that
 city protesting against "the monopoliza-
 tion by the Asiatic and Japanese
 element of our small industries," and
 the holding of a protest meeting. The

advice state that the police "very
 discreetly dissuaded" the protestants
 from holding a street demonstration.
 There has been a large increase re-
 ported in the Japanese immigration
 to Peru recently.

Hundreds of Americans listed as de-
 serters from the army are now shown
 by investigation to have died in the ser-
 vice in France.

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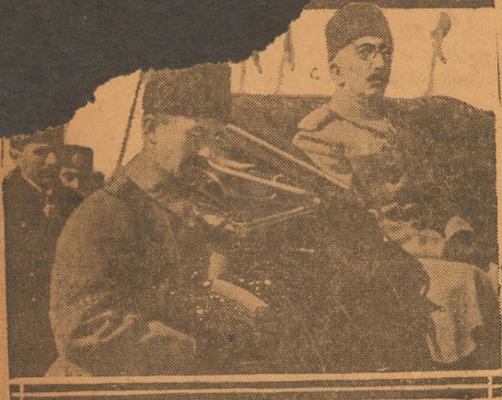
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 deliveries in the city. This is absolutely unjusti-
 fied and will not be tolerated by us. Any solici-
 tor in Ranger who poses as our representative
 and charges for delivery of laundry here will be
 prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

The Ranger Steam Laundry is a local concern
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 It has always been the policy since installing this
 big modern plant here to give the people of
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 chinery and is one of the best in the State of
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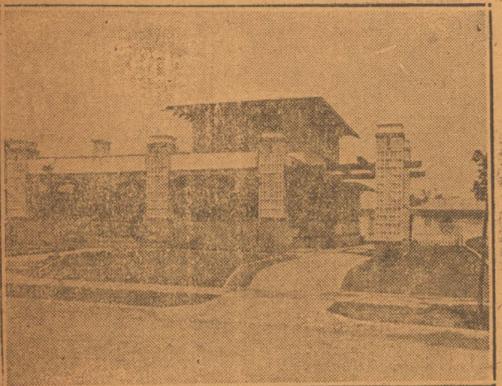
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This beautiful aeroplane type home is constructed with double brick
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There is a large living room across the front of the house, opening
 through double plate glass French doors to the music room. Dining room,
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 the balance of the lower floor, together with beautiful tile bath. Two of the
 rooms are finished in real oak trim. All floors have heavy oak floors.

The upper story is divided into two sleeping apartments with a con-
 necting bath between.

There is a basement. Cement porch extends across the entire front of
 the house with a width of fifteen feet.

The home is situated on an extra large lot and a great deal of expense
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This home is a "Mobley and Delaney Better Built" home and we con-
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AMERICAN CAR IS FAMILY MACHINE IN OPINION OF ENGLAND'S AUTO CRITICS

In view of the admission by English automobile writers that the invasion of American motor vehicles into Great Britain must be recognized as an important factor in foreign trade, it is interesting to note the careful attention which is being given to the merits of many of the best known American cars being sent abroad. The London Times, for instance, has, for two months or so, devoted the better part of a column every week to a critical analysis of some American car. While minor defects and suggestions of improvement have been made, the criticism has been far more favorable than otherwise, and the comment should be read with more than passing interest by our motor car engineers. When one considers the enormous popularity of the automobile in this country it will doubtless cause no surprise to see that the London Times motor expert, in a recent article, says that the American car is nearly always designed as a family car. The type of coachwork, he adds, does not affect the question, although, he freely says that most American open bodies are more roomy than those found on 1920 European classes.

"The good American car," he says, "cores on the question of averages. Several cars lately driven by the writer proved to be distinctly uncomfortable at any speed over forty miles an hour. The engines would begin to show symptoms of thrash, things generally would begin to vibrate, and the comfort of driver and passenger alike diminished in direct ratio to the increase of speed. On the other

hand these cars have usually shone at keeping the high average, such as thirty miles an hour, without unnecessary noise and with great ease of driving. Their comparatively big engines and low compression and revolution rates have combined to produce a high level of flexibility.

That is what is meant by the description family car. A good American machine is one which seems pre-eminently sober, not to say sedate. It has few spectacular features, and will in all probability be handsomely beaten, engine for engine, by any equally good European car both in hill climbing and on the level. Yet at the end of a long day's run over give-and-take roads you will probably see the American close behind its more sporting competitor. It may not like being driven at much more than thirty-five miles an hour, but it will maintain that pace without difficulty over any but severe gradients, it will pick up with ease and rapidly after checks, and will, generally speaking, keep up an excellent average.

"Most of the good American cars are well adapted for women to drive—as, indeed, they should be, considering the big proportion of women drivers in the United States. In this respect they lay claim to the family label. Their starting and lighting equipment is usually reliable and easily kept in order, and they are practically without exception fitted with a convenient form of detachable rim or wheel, or both. The women of the house-journeys without causing any anxiety to

hold can usually take the same view of their relations. A further point in their favor, from a woman's outlook, is that they are low-g geared, as a rule, and gear changing is considerably reduced.

AMPUTATE LEG WITH TREE SAW AND KNIFE

BALTIMORE, May 28.—A pocket-knife and a tree saw were used by Dr. J. M. T. Finley and Dr. William Fisher on Saturday night to perform an operation and save a man from being burned to death as he lay jammed between an engine and its tender. The man's leg was caught so that he could not be moved. The operation was performed following the Maryland and Pennsylvania railroad wreck at Woodbrook station. Working in the crowded space down between the engine and the tender, with escaping steam rolling over them, the surgeons amputated the leg between the hip and the knee with the crude instruments, released the man, put him in an ambulance and rushed him to the Union Protestant infirmary here.

The patient was Luther Peyton, fireman of the freight train which had collided head-on with the passenger train. In spite of the heroic measures to save his life, Peyton died soon after arriving at the Union Protestant infirmary. In addition to the crushing of one leg, he had suffered bad burns on both legs.

BLIGHTED CAREER.

"He was a bright youngster in school." "So he was." "Always stood at the head of his classes. People predicted he would go far." "And did he?" "No. He's now the head of the school he used to attend and his salary is \$1,150 a year."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

FARM LABOR IS NEEDED IN N. Y.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 29.—Farms of New York state will produce their normal contribution to the nation's food supply this season if the farmers are willing to pay the high wages demanded by farm labor, say officials of the state department of farms and markets. These officials express the belief that the farmers are beginning to realize that their products will command high prices next fall and that this will induce them to pay high wages to laborers and to plant at least as many acres as in former years.

The farm workers will be found, say department officials, when the farmer is willing to pay them the wages they want. The problem of the farmer is the cost of labor rather than shortage, they declare. Woodsmen who have been working in the logging camps during the winter are expected to go on the farms in the summer. Besides, say state officials, the annual "back to the land" migration from the cities should help to relieve the labor situation. Men who have been lured from the rural communities and towns by the higher wages offered in shop and factory began to long for outdoor life when the warm days come, they say, and a little coaxing is needed to make them exchange their work on their bench or machine for open spaces of field and meadow.

Planting has been delayed but this is attributed mostly to unfavorable weather conditions. There was difficulty early in the spring in obtaining seed, fertilizer, farm implements and machinery by the state officials say these commodities have been supplied as a result of efforts of the department of farms and markets in co-operation with railroad officials.

Expectation that the New York state farmer will see his duty and do it this

year is based in part upon his record in 1917 and 1918 when farm laborers of the draft age were in the army. The state officials say that the farmer never before faced such a labor shortage, but, nevertheless, those were banner years in crop production in New York state as well as for the bank balances for the farmers. They declare that if the farmer will pay the wages demanded, he will receive this year bigger profits than ever before.

SPANIARD WAS WEALTHY.

LONDON, May 29.—The late Duke of Oporto, uncle of the former King Manuel of Portugal, left an estate in England worth, it is said, 1,680,000 pounds. He left all his property to his wife.

GREAT SCHEME.

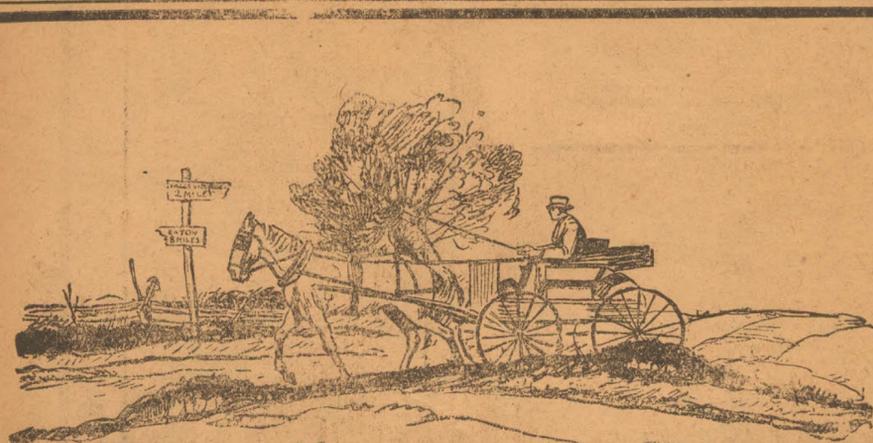
"Were you ever robbed by a hold-up man?" asked Hogan. "No," replied Casey. "When I'm out late at night and have money with me, I always walk home backward." "Why do you walk backwards?" asked Hogan. "So no hold-up man can sneak up behind me," replied Casey.—Exchange.

The first German prisoner captured by the American army was taken by John Cohancki, of Ironwood, Mich., and Adam Blazikowski, of Milwaukee. Both men were members of Company C, Eighteenth Inf.

AN EXCLUSIVE FIELD.

The city of Talhoku, Formosa, has twenty-five automobiles and three motorcycles; Taiwan has two automobiles and two motor trucks, and other cities have not enough to be worth mentioning. Five of the cars in Talhoku are busses seating sixteen persons each. It is interesting to note that all but one car, which is an Italian, are used by the government, and one English motorcycle, are of American manufacture.—Chicago Tribune.

In France enough supplies for the American army were kept in storage at all times to insure food and ammunition for ninety days.



Ten miles used to be a long way

WHAT a difference in these motor-car days, when every point in the county is hardly more than "just around the corner."

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They're beginning to figure out how much it is costing them to keep a car. And the man who is doing the greatest amount of figuring is the man with the moderate-price car.

II

There still seems to be a notion in some quarters that any tire is good enough for a small car.

That's not what the man who owns it thinks.

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sition—finding out what he wants in a tire and giving him that.

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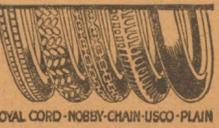
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BEGINNING Saturday, May 29th, and continuing until June 10th, we will inaugurate our tremendous selling event—the June White Sale. Immense stocks of White Goods await your selection—Household Linens, Undermuslins, Children's Wearables and Piece Goods. We are giving real values for your money in every purchase that you make.

We promise ten whole days of value giving that is unprecedented in this part of the country, both from the standpoint of timeliness and in the actual prices quoted.

Make it your business to attend this sale and lay in a supply of all needed White Goods while prices are low.

Don't Forget the Dates, May 29 to June 10



"Shopping Center of Dallas"

Is Ranger's Paving Program To Stop For Want of Funds?

This News Item Is From the Friday's Issue of the Daily Times. Be Sure To Read It.

Paved streets, brick buildings and civic improvements are a mark of a city's progress.

Ranger has had a wonderful progress since her birth as a city only one year ago.

Ranger's growth has been commented upon by every leading daily and magazine throughout the country.

Every one of her citizens is proud of her rapid growth. Every citizen is proud of his or her part in making Ranger a city.

We have prided ourselves on her steady advancement, on her many improvements, and most of all, her paved streets.

We have told our friends about Ranger and her wonderful paving program.

Is this work to stop because the city has no buyers for her bonds?

Do you want to see this work go on? Are you willing to do your share?

—Then buy Bonds when they are offered for sale. Here are only 3 of the good reasons why you should:

- 1—You owe it to the community to support all movements for the community, in both a moral and financial way.
- 2—Any improvement for the city improves your property and increases its marketable value.
- 3—As an investment they offer a safe security and a fair return of interest on your money.

If Ranger Has Helped You, Why Not Help Her?

STREET WORK STOPS IF BONDS ARE NOT SOLD

Money Must Be Raised at Once or Paving Work Will Be Dropped.

All paving contracts in Ranger now under way must be discontinued unless the citizens of the city absorb the paving bond issue of \$260,000.

This stand was definitely taken this morning by the city commissioners to a meeting of business men representing the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary club and the bankers.

Mayor M. H. Hagaman told the meeting that due to the character of the money market the city has not been able to sell the securities outside. The commission, he said, had gone as far as it possibly could in providing the necessary funds. The McKenzie Construction company, holding the paving contract, has an estimate of \$11,000 which is now past due that cannot be paid except through the sale of the bonds, he said.

Mayor Hagaman put the matter four-square to the assembled business men. He asked them if the people wanted the work to go forward as the contract called for, or if it is desirable to have work stopped where it is.

A representative of the McKenzie Construction company stated his side of the case by saying that when the company entered into a contract with the city the bonds had not been sold, but the commissioner signed an indemnity contract with the city.

However, he said, the company, regardless of the fact that it were put to heavy expense, would upon being paid in full release the contracts, leaving the work as it now stands. This amount needed is \$30,000. The McKenzie company insisted that some definite plan of action be formulated.

H. S. Cole, speaking for the Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary club, said that to let the work stop would be suicide. He was positive in his belief that citizens will buy the bonds.

Mr. Cole insisted, however, upon waiting until the Rotary club and the Chamber of Commerce had audited the books of the city before starting an active campaign. It is expected the audit will be made within the week.

In the meantime Mr. Cole was appointed the chairman of a committee to work out plans of campaign.

The McKenzie company insisted that something be done at once to provide for the financing of their work for the next thirty days. The amount needed was placed at \$50,000.

To this end Mr. Cole and Mayor Hagaman were appointed a committee to place a part of the bonds at some bank as collateral for a short-term loan.

The meeting passed a vote of confidence in the city commission, expressing unqualified belief that Ranger will go on record as absorbing her own street bond issue.

For the sale of the bonds a plan was suggested that would offer the bonds at 90 per cent of their value, with accrued interest, on a deferred payment plan, the purchaser to pay one-tenth of the price down and the balance in equal payments.

It was pointed out that with the city behind the securities together with the fact that the bonds mature serially in twenty years, should make them very attractive to small investors.

This is the sixth in a series of pages presented the TIMES readers by Ranger's leading business men whose names appear below. Working in co-operation with the Chamber of Commerce they are presenting you material and sufficient reasons to show why Ranger is worthy of your support.

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JAPS REPORTED TO BE RUNNING SERBIA ALONE

PEKING, April 29.—Reports reaching here indicate that the Japanese are carrying things with a high hand in Manchuria now that the other allied troops are virtually out of the country. The Peking and Tientsin Times has received from its correspondents reports which it presents under the heading "Reign of Terror in Manchuria." It says that at Imampo, two Russian workmen who made some disparaging remarks about the Japanese emperor in talking to a Japanese soldier in the Russian railway hospital were seized by Japanese soldiers and "summarily shot on the spot." At Harbin, the paper says, Japanese sentries stationed on a bridge threw one Russian off the bridge breaking his collar-bone and stabbed another in the face with a bayonet when the Russians insisted upon crossing the bridge.

The Japanese are reported by the newspaper to have taken full possession of Hailar and arrested there eleven Russian workers and handed them over to the representative of General Semenov and the Times adds that by this time "no doubt they have been shot by Baron Unger Steinberg."

The Japanese are declared to have brought to Hailar and armed 500 Semenov troops who are reported to be actively assisting the Japanese and helping to terrorize the local population. The Times predicts that similar incidents are likely to increase as the Japanese hold on the Russian Far East becomes more intense and states that the Japanese garrison at Harbin is to be increased by 1,000 more men. This reinforcement is declared by the paper to be absolutely unnecessary "as the Chinese troops stationed there are sufficient to maintain order."

The situation along the Chinese Eastern railway was characterized by the Times correspondent as very critical. He stated that the Japanese military authorities had decided to place their own guards and sentries along the whole stretch of the railway which crosses upper Manchuria, because they were about to send troop trains and military supplies along that railway and were afraid the Russian railway workers who were opposed to the Japanese intervention might try to stop the Japanese from carrying out their plans.

"The Japanese seem bent upon brewing trouble among the Russian population residing inside the railway area by giving them a series of pinpricks so as to bring about open strife which will give them an excuse to take determined action even to the seizing and working of the Chinese Eastern," wrote the correspondent. The correspondent admitted that the Japanese had the right to send troops over the railway to protect the frontiers against invasion but that this did not confer the right to occupy settlements along the line, or interfere with the rights of local populations. He declared that the purpose of the Japanese to seize control of the railway called for an immediate protest on the part of the allies.

In Nikolsk, he reported, the railway workers having gone on strike, Japanese soldiers were rounding them up and forcing them at the point of the bayonet, to do the work of laborers.

Since the foregoing situation was described, information has been made public in Moscow that Chinese and Russian military commissioners in conference at Yekhe-Pdinsk, Trans-Baikalia, have reached an agreement under which "inherent rights of the Russian soviet government in the Eastern Manchuria railway were recognized and the Chinese guaranteed to withdraw their troops from along the railway lines." It was pointed out that China's agreement that the Russians should retain possession of its road deprived the Japanese of one of their best excuses for keeping troops on it.

KEPT HERSELF ALIVE BY NERVE UNTIL SON ARRIVED

International News Service. CENTRALIA, Wash., May 29.—Having kept herself alive on "sheer nerve," as her physician puts it until her son, Sergeant William Kingman, could reach Centralia from New Zealand, Mrs. Charlotte Kingman died here shortly after her son's arrival. The son, who served with the New Zealand Expeditionary forces in the war, was recently discharged in New Zealand after which he left immediately for his mother's bedside. Unable to utter a sound for more than two weeks, Mrs. Kingman would write on paper the question, "When is Will coming?" and the answer, "He is on the way" seemed to cheer her and sustain her until his arrival.

BONUS CLAIM GRANTED.

WASHINGTON.—Representative N. Longworth has succeeded in obtaining a bonus of \$116.19 for Lawrence Van Wagner, of 1348 Burdette avenue, Cincinnati, employed during the war at the Frankfort arsenal, Philadelphia. Van Wagner was discharged on June 30, 1919, but for some reason was not given the bonus to which he was entitled. He appealed to Representative Longworth.

THREE KILLED IN RIOT.

ROME.—Three persons were killed and many were wounded in a fight between a mob and police at Canosa, in the province of Apulia, according to advices to the Giornale D'Italia. The disorder was the result of a dispute over local affairs in the city, it is said. Order has been restored.

LAKE BOAT IN DISTRESS.

SANDUSKY, Ohio.—The government life saving station reported the steamer Superior City, of Detroit, unbound with coal, hard aground on Kelly's Island shoal. A call for tugs to release the steamer has been sent to Detroit. The steamer is said to be in no immediate danger.

I. N. Novakovich, manager of the City Fish market, leaves tonight for Fort Worth on important business.

WATER POWER BILL IS SENT TO PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The conference report on the long pending water power bill was approved today by the Senate and the measure now goes to the President. The vote was 45 to 21. The bill, which is designed to bring about developments of the water power resources of the Nation under the direction of a Federal commission, has been before Congress in one form or another for twelve years. Last session both houses passed a similar measure, but failure of the Senate to adopt the conference report prevented final passage.

TWO ENGINEMEN KILLED.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.—Santa Fe passenger train No. 808, due to arrive here at 6:30 p. m., was wrecked at La Jota, 52 miles south of here, due to a soft track resulting from high water, according to a report received here. The engineer and fireman were killed and about thirty passengers injured.

DALLAS MAY GET BRANCH OF ANIMAL BUREAU ONLY

FORT WORTH, May 29.—The state headquarters of the bureau of animal industry probably will not be moved to Dallas, according to information received in this city from Washington today. Dr. R. E. Jackson, who is in charge of the bureau, was unable to state definitely today whether it would be changed or not. The dispatch from Washington, which has been received by one of its Washington correspondents, states that a branch office may be established in Dallas, but hardly the main office as long as this city continues to be a stockyard and packing house center.

THIEF TAKES TOBACCO RATHER THAN MONEY

NORGE, Okla., May 17.—Four small sacks of smoking tobacco were taken when a thief entered the Heffner store here early this morning. The building was entered through a broken window. The burglar had access to many valuable articles, but passed everything up for the smoking tobacco. The sheriff's office at Chickasha has been notified but no arrests have been made.

WEST TEXAS WILL SEND EXHIBITS TO FAIRS AND SHOWS

STAMFORD, Texas, May 29.—Efforts will be made this year to have at least 30 West Texas county exhibits of agricultural products at the Dallas State fair, according to J. C. Wells, agricultural and exhibit manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who is visiting counties and communities to interest them in the project.

The organization will seek to have the several counties represented at the Dallas fair combine the best of their products for a general West Texas display at the Waco cotton palace to compete with any other sections of the state, for a prize to be awarded by the Waco Young Men's Business League.

ANTHRACITE MINERS AGREE TO ARBITRATION

WILKES BARRE, Pa., May 29.—The offers of President Wilson to appoint a commission to arbitrate the anthracite wage dispute was accepted here today by an overwhelming vote of the tri-district convention of hard coal miners. The mine workers, however, asked the privilege of selecting a "practical miner" to represent them on the commission. The resolution adopted by the convention declared that the anthracite miners are forced to accept the commission as "industrial class legislation" makes it almost humanly impossible to wage a successful strike.

Yankee Industry Ushers in True Automobile Era

Seven and a half million cars are reconstructing America. One-third of the automobile owners are farmers. The greatest percentage of increase in registration has been found in the cotton growing sections of the South. These are a few of the outstanding points, as reviewed in the advance proofs of "Facts and Figures," an annual soon to be published by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

One man in every fourteen has passed the pedestrian or wagon stage of conducting his business, and is able to attend to his affairs with motorized efficiency. Cars are not thick proportionately in the cities, and their greatest density is to be found on the farms. The grain fields of Iowa and Nebraska are competing with the fruit valley of California for the greatest number of cars in proportion to population. Each of these states has one car to every half dozen and a fraction persons.

The cotton belt has shown the greatest gains in registration. North Carolina has 51 per cent more cars than in the

preceding year. South Carolina comes second with 43 per cent. Kentucky occupies fourth place with a gain of 36 per cent over its 1918 registration figures. The exceptional gain in the south is due to the fact that there have been heavy demands for cotton during the war and since.

Motor vehicle manufacturers have had to break records to keep pace with the demand. There were 1,974,016 cars and trucks made in the United States last year, of which 316,364 were motor trucks. The increase in passenger car production was 78.9 per cent over 1918. This unusual jump was due to the fact that in

the year previous the bulk of the motor car factories were heavily engaged in war production. The truck production gain was 39 per cent over 1918. Trucks center thickest around the big cities where there is need for short haul delivery in large quantities of perishable foods.

Motor car makers sent 82,730 cars abroad during 1919. Of these 67,145 were passenger cars and 15,585 were passenger car and 15,585 were motor trucks. This represented about 4.2 per cent of the total American automobile output for the year. France was the best truck customer, purchasing 3,521, and Canada bought 8,826 passenger cars.

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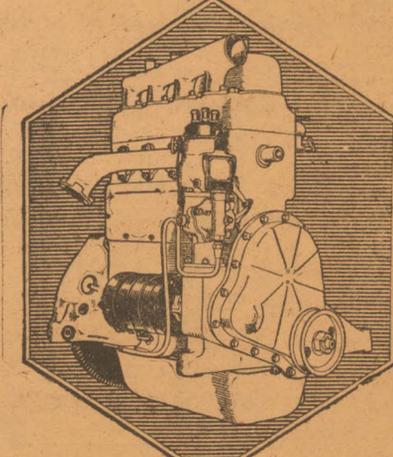
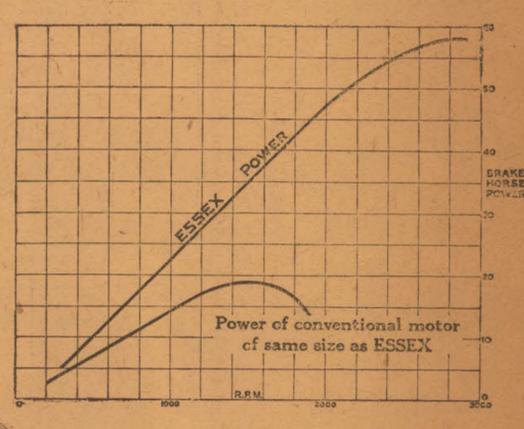
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Jno. A. Russell
 Candidate For STATE SENATOR
 28th Senatorial District of Texas

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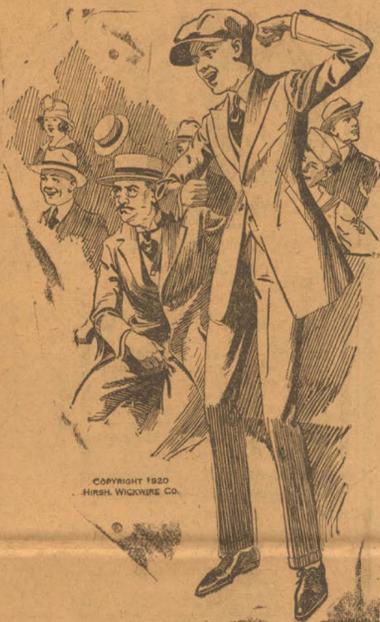
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